

QUIZ NO: 490

TOPIC: BUILDING MATERIAL

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1. The rocks formed by cooling down of magma or molten material is called

- [A] Metamorphic rock
- [B] Sedimentary rock
- [C] Igneous rock
- [D] Stratified rock

Answer: C

2. A good quality stone absorbs water less than:

- [A] 5%
- [B] 10%
- [C] 15%
- [D] 20%

Answer: A

3. The hardest rock is

- [A] Marble
- [B] Diamond
- [C] Talc
- [D] Quartz

Answer: B

4. Laterite is

- [A] Volcanic rock
- [B] Argillaceous rock
- [C] Calcareous rock
- [D] Siliceous rock

Answer: B

5. Specific gravity for most of the building stone lies between

- [A] 1.5 to 2.0
- [B] 2.0 to 2.2
- [C] 2.2 to 2.5
- [D] 2.7 to 3.0

Answer: D

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6. The most powerful explosive used in blasting is

- [A] Blasting powder
- [B] Dynamite
- [C] Gun cotton
- [D] None of these

Answer: C

7. The preparation of surfaces of stone to obtain required size and shape is known as:

- [A] Quarrying of stone
- [B] Seasoning of stone
- [C] Blasting of stone
- [D] Dressing of stone

Answer: D

8. The rock containing high percentage of oxide of iron is

- [A] Marble
- [B] Sand stone
- [C] Basalt
- [D] Laterite

Answer: D

9. The stone used for roofing purpose is known as

- [A] Marble
- [B] Sandstone
- [C] Slate
- [D] Pumice

Answer: C

10. The tendency of a stone to split along

- [A] Structure
- [B] Cleavage
- [C] Texture
- [D] Fracture

Answer: B

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