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QUIZ NO: 802

TOPIC: RAILWAY

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- 1. Given below is the type of gauges used in India along with their size. Which one of the following is incorrectly matched?
 - [A] Broad gauge 1435 mm
 - [B] Metre gauge 1000 mm
 - [C] Narrow gauge 762 mm
 - [D] Feeder gauge 610 mm

Answer: A

- 2. What would be the result without coning of wheels?
 - [A] Trains would have travelled slower
 - [B] The flange would have touched the rail
 - [C] Carrying capacity of the train would have reduced
 - [D] Passengers would feel more comfortable

Answer: B





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3. Which of the following is not a function of rails?

- [A] Serving as a lateral guide
- [B] Providing a continuous surface
- [C] To provide drainage
- [D] To provide a level surface

Answer: C

4. Through which of the following Rails transmit the load acting on it?

- [A] Sleepers and Ballast
- [B] Sleepers and fastenings
- [C] Ballast
- [D] Ballast and axle

Answer: A

5. Why does Bull headed rails have more metal in the head?

- [A] For aesthetic appearance
- [B] To withstand wear and tear
- [C] To make it rigid
- [D] Because of manufacturing constrains

Answer: B

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| 6. The index used to determine the suitability of a particular timber for use as a sleeper is called as |
|---|
| [A] Composite strength index |
| [B] Composite sleeper index |
| [C] Compressive strength index |
| [D] Compressive sleeper index |
| Answer: B |
| 7. Which of the following ballast is usually used in yards and sidings? |
| |
| [A] Coal ash |
| [A] Coal ash [B] Broken stone |
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| [B] Broken stone |

8. Creep is the

- [A] Longitudinal movement of rail
- [B] Lateral movement of rail
- [C] Vertical movement of rail
- [D] Difference in level of two rails

Answer: A





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- 9. Which of the following joint is not classified according to position of sleepers?
 - [A] Supported joint
 - [B] Suspended joint
 - [C] Bridge joint
 - [D] Square joint

Answer: D

- 10. Which of the following can be used in case of Bridge joints?
 - [A] Metal flat
 - [B] Bridge plate
 - [C] Metal flat or Bridge plate
 - [D] Extra sleepers

Answer: C

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