Question-1

- 1. Which of the following indicates physical property of materials?
- A) Permeability. B) Plasticity C) Fatigue D) all of the above
- 2. Change in colour of material is...
- A) Physical property B) Chemical property. C) Mechanical property D) none of the above
- 3. Ability of material to absorb water vapour is called...
- A) Density B) Specific gravity C) Porosity D) Hygroscopicity.
- 4. Brittleness of material is...
- A) Physical property B) Chemical property C) Mechanical property. D) none of the above
- 5. Which of the following test is done for concrete?
- A) Ball test B) Workability. C) Acid test D) Water absorption
- 6. Points to be considered while selecting materials...
- A) Workability B) Quality C) Strength D) all of the above.
- 7. Amount of temperature transmitted in unit time through unit area having unit thickness...
- A) Specific Heat B) Thermal conductivity. C) Thermal resistivity D) none of the above
- 8. Mass of unit volume of a material is called...
- A) Density. B) Specific gravity C) Porosity D) Water absorption
- 9. Ductility of material is...
- A) Physical property B) Chemical property C) Mechanical property. D) none of the above
- 10. Hygroscopicity is...
- A) Physical property. B) Chemical property C) Mechanical property D) none of the above
- 11. Building material have following properties...
- A) Physical B) Mechanical C) Chemical D) all of the above.
- 12. Efflorescence is a test for...
- A) Brick. B) Lime C) Cement D) none of the above
- 13. Change in composition of material is...
- A) Physical property B) Chemical property. C) Mechanical property D) none of the above
- 14. Capability to resist changes in volume is...
- A) Soundness. B) Hardness C) Durability D) all of the above
- 15. Hardness of material is...

- A) Physical property B) Chemical property C) Mechanical property. D) none of the above
- 16. Water absorption is...
- A) Physical property. B) Chemical property C) Mechanical property D) none of the above
- 17. Material can break at a stress which is less than its failure stress due to...
- A) Friction B) Plasticity C) Tension D) Fatigue.
- 18. Plasticity of material is...
- A) Physical property B) Chemical property C) Mechanical property. D) none of the above
- 19. Resistance against natural agencies...
- A) Durability. B) Soundness C) Porosity D) Hygroscopicity
- 20. Fineness is a test for...
- A) Brick B) Lime C) Cement. D) none of the above
- 21. Which of the following indicates chemical property of materials?
- A) Specific gravity B) Porosity C) Corrosion. D) all of the above
- 22. Abrasion of material is...
- A) Physical property B) Chemical property C) Mechanical property. D) none of the above
- 23. Ability of material to allow water to pass through it is called...
- A) Density B) Specific gravity C) Permeability. D) Hygroscopicity
- 24. Shear strength of material is...
- A) Physical property B) Chemical property C) Mechanical property. D) none of the above
- 25. Which of the following is most suitable for covering roof?
- A) Clay B) Slate. C) Cement D) Plastic
- 26. Change in moisture of material is...
- A) Physical property B) Chemical property. C) Mechanical property D) none of the above
- 27. Reciprocal of Thermal conductivity...
- A) Specific Heat B) Specific conductivity C) Thermal resistivity. D) none of the above
- 28. Weight of unit volume of a material is called...
- A) Density B) Specific gravity. C) Porosity D) Water absorption
- 29. Water absorption is a test for...
- A) Brick. B) Lime C) Cement D) none of the above
- 30. Porosity is...

- A) Physical property. B) Chemical property C) Mechanical property D) none of the above
- 31. Which of the following indicates mechanical property of materials?
- A) Porosity B) Elasticity. C) Specific gravity D) all of the above
- 32. Soundness is a test for...
- A) Brick B) Lime C) Cement. D) none of the above
- 33. Change in salinity of material is...
- A) Physical property B) Chemical property. C) Mechanical property D) none of the above
- 34. Ratio of volume of pores to volume of sample is called...
- A) Density B) Specific gravity C) Porosity. D) Water absorption
- 35. Tensile strength of material is...
- A) Physical property B) Chemical property C) Mechanical property. D) none of the above
- 36. Which of the following is not suitable for plaster?
- A) Clay B) Lime C) Cement D) Plastic.
- 37. Density is...
- A) Physical property. B) Chemical property C) Mechanical property D) none of the above
- 38. Creep of material is...
- A) Physical property B) Chemical property C) Mechanical property. D) none of the above
- 39. Ability of material to withstand high temperature is called...
- A) Fire resistance. B) Specific gravity C) Porosity D) Hygroscopicity
- 40. Hardness is a test for...
- A) Stone. B) Lime C) Cement D) none of the above
- 41. Which of the following indicates capacity to transfer moisture through materials?
- A) Porosity B) Elasticity C) Permeability. D) all of the above
- 42. Specific gravity is...
- A) Physical property. B) Chemical property C) Mechanical property D) none of the above
- 43. Crushing is a test for...
- A) Stone. B) Lime C) Cement D) none of the above
- 44. Ability of material to absorb water is called...
- A) Density B) Specific gravity C) Porosity D) Water absorption.
- 45. Compressive strength of material is...

- A) Physical property B) Chemical property C) Mechanical property. D) none of the above
- 46. Amount of temperature required to raise existing temperature by one degree...
- A) Specific Heat. B) Thermal conductivity C) Thermal resistivity D) none of the above
- 47. Toughness of material is...
- A) Physical property B) Chemical property C) Mechanical property. D) none of the above
- 48. Resistance against volumetric changes...
- A) Durability B) Soundness. C) Porosity D) Hygroscopicity
- 49. Change in alkaline action of material is...
- A) Physical property B) Chemical property. C) Mechanical property D) none of the above
- 50. Which of the following material is most elastic?
- A) Wood B) Steel C) Rubber. D) Lime

Question-2

- 1. Which of the following shows required compressive strength in N/mm² for class A bricks?
- A) <3.5 B) 3.5 C) 7 to 14. D) >14
- 2. Main component of clay?
- A) Silica. B) Magnesia C) Iron oxide D) Alumina
- 3. Quality of brick is ordinary in...
- A) Clamp burning. B) Kiln burning C) Equal in A and B D) none of the above
- 4. In which of the following brick burning device, it is necessary to dry brick before arranging raw brick in device?
- A) Bull trench B) Hoffman C) Clamp. D) Tunnel
- 5. Use of any type of fuel available in locality is not suitable in...
- A) Clamp burning B) Kiln burning. C) A and B both D) none of the above
- 6. Standard size of full brick as per BIS...
- A) 19cm x 9cm x 9cm. B) 19cm x 9cm x 4cm C) 19cm x 19cm x 9cm. D) none of the above
- 7. Amount of brick production is large in...
- A) Clamp burning B) Kiln burning. C) Equal in A and B D) none of the above
- 8. Excess Magnesia causes this damage to brick...
- A) Shrinkage B) Brittleness C) Decay. D) Melting
- 9. Which of the following makes brick shrink?

- A) Silica B) Magnesia C) Iron oxide D) Alumina.
- 10. Burning of brick has no control in...
- A) Clamp burning. B) Kiln burning C) A and B both D) none of the above
- 11. Which of the following make clay plastic for moulding?
- A) Silica B) Magnesia C) Iron oxide D) Alumina.
- 12. Number of bricks produced in a day is more in...
- A) Clamp burning B) Kiln burning. C) Equal in A and B D) none of the above
- 13. Standard size of half brick as per BIS...
- A) 19cm x 9cm x 9cm B) 19cm x 9cm x 4cm. C) 19cm x 19cm x 9cm D) none of the above
- 14. Use of any type of fuel available in locality is suitable in...
- A) Clamp burning. B) Kiln burning C) A and B both D) none of the above
- 15. Shortage of iron oxide causes this damage to brick...
- A) Shrinkage B) Brittleness C) Yellow colour. D) Melting
- 16. Which of the following brick burning device is not continuous?
- A) Bull trench B) Hoffman C) Clamp. D) Tunnel
- 17. Only one operation can be done at a time in...
- A) Clamp burning. B) Kiln burning C) A and B both D) none of the above
- 18. Brick have _____ on its top.
- A) Frog. B) Mouse C) Squirrel D) none of the above
- 19. Structure is permanent in...
- A) Clamp burning B) Kiln burning. C) A and B both D) none of the above
- 20. Amount of iron oxide desirable in brick clay...
- A) about 5% B) 5%. C) 20 to 30% D) 50 to 60%
- 21. Which of the following shows required compressive strength in N/mm² for class AA bricks?
- A) <3.5 B) 3.5 C) 7 to 14 D) >14.
- 22. Trained labours are required in...
- A) Clamp burning B) Kiln burning. C) A and B both D) none of the above
- 23. Which component of clay reduces its shrinkage?
- A) Silica. B) Magnesia C) Iron oxide D) Alumina
- 24. Burning of brick has control in...

- A) Clamp burning B) Kiln burning. C) A and B both D) none of the above
- 25. Formation of frog in brick,
- A) Increase bond strength. B) Increase compressive strength C) Increase appearance D) Reduce efflorescence
- 26. Cost of brick is low in...
- A) Clamp burning. B) Kiln burning C) A and B both D) none of the above
- 27. Amount of alumina desirable in brick clay...
- A) up to 5% B) 5% C) 20 to 30%. D) 50 to 60%
- 28. Wastage of brick is less in...
- A) Clamp burning B) Kiln burning. C) A and B both D) none of the above
- 29. Excess Lime causes this damage to brick...
- A) Shrinkage B) Brittleness C) Yellow colour D) Melting.
- 30. Structure is temporary in...
- A) Clamp burning. B) Kiln burning C) A and B both D) none of the above
- 31. Which of the following shows required compressive strength in N/mm² for ordinary bricks?
- A) <3.5. B) 3.5 C) 7 to 14 D) >14
- 32. Discontinuous production of brick achieved in...
- A) Clamp burning. B) Kiln burning C) Equal in A and B D) none of the above
- 33. Amount of silica desirable in brick clay...
- A) up to 5% B) 5% C) 20 to 30% D) 50 to 60%.
- 34. More than one operations can be done at a time in...
- A) Clamp burning B) Kiln burning. C) A and B both D) none of the above
- 35. Which brick is used for breaking joints in English bond?
- A) King closer B) Queen closer. C) Cornice D) none of the above
- 36. Cost of brick is high in...
- A) Clamp burning B) Kiln burning. C) A and B both D) none of the above
- 37. Which of the following brick burning device is most economical?
- A) Bull trench B) Hoffman C) Clamp. D) Tunnel
- 38. Ordinary labours are required in...
- A) Clamp burning. B) Kiln burning C) A and B both D) none of the above

- 39. Excess Silica causes this damage to brick...
- A) Shrinkage B) Brittleness. C) Deformation D) Melting
- 40. Number of bricks produced in a day is less in...
- A) Clamp burning. B) Kiln burning C) Equal in A and B D) none of the above
- 41. Which of the following make brick red?
- A) Silica B) Magnesia C) Iron oxide. D) Alumina
- 42. Continuous production of brick achieved in...
- A) Clamp burning B) Kiln burning. C) Equal in A and B D) none of the above
- 43. Amount of lime desirable in brick clay...
- A) about 5%. B) 5% C) 20 to 30% D) 50 to 60%
- 44. Wastage of brick is more in...
- A) Clamp burning. B) Kiln burning C) A and B both D) none of the above
- 45. For which of the following reasons glazing is not necessary?
- A) To make article coloured B) To make article shining C) To increase volume of article.
- D) To improve appearance of article
- 46. Operations done for preparation of clay for brick manufacturing...
- A) Excavation B) Blending C) Tempering D) all of the above.
- 47. Amount of brick production is limited in...
- A) Clamp burning. B) Kiln burning C) Equal in A and B D) none of the above
- 48. Excess Alumina causes this damage to brick...
- A) Shrinkage. B) Brittleness C) Deformation D) Melting
- 49. Quality of brick is good in...
- A) Clamp burning B) Kiln burning. C) Equal in A and B D) none of the above
- 50. Texture test for brick decides...
- A) Arrangement of minerals. B) Hardness C) Toughness D) Strength

Question-3

- 1. Which of the following stone is metamorphic?
- A) Marble. B) Granite C) Lime stone D) Sand stone
- 2. Rocks formed due to cooling of magma...

- A) Igneous rock. B) Sedimentary rock C) Metamorphic rock D) none of the above
- 3. Example of Calcareous rock...
- A) Marble. B) Granite C) Slate D) none of the above
- 4. Lignite is...
- A) Igneous rock B) Sedimentary rock. C) Metamorphic rock D) none of the above
- 5. Trap has properties similar to...
- A) Basalt. B) Laterite C) Lime stone D) none of the above
- 6. Rocks formed due to weathering of rocks due to rain, frost and wind...
- A) Igneous rock B) Sedimentary rock. C) Metamorphic rock D) none of the above
- 7. Example of Silicious rock...
- A) Sand stone. B) Laterite C) Lime stone D) none of the above
- 8. Granite is...
- A) Igneous rock. B) Sedimentary rock C) Metamorphic rock D) none of the above
- 9. Layer on which sedimentary rock was originally deposited...
- A) Artificial bed B) Natural bed. C) Seminatural bed D) none of the above
- 10. Basalt is an example of...
- A) Foliated rock B) Stratified rock C) Unstratified rock. D) none of the above
- 11. Which of the following stone is layered?
- A) Marble B) Granite C) Lime stone. D) Sand stone
- 12. Trap is an example of...
- A) Foliated rock B) Stratified rock C) Unstratified rock. D) none of the above
- 13. Dolomites is...
- A) Igneous rock B) Sedimentary rock. C) Metamorphic rock D) none of the above
- 14. Gabro is...
- A) Igneous rock. B) Sedimentary rock C) Metamorphic rock D) none of the above
- 15. Which statement is correct?
- A) Granular rocks are formed when magma is cooled suddenly
- B) Granite can be easily dressed C) Carving can be done on sand stone. D) none of the above
- 16. Stone can be used to construct...
- A) Ballast B) Pier C) Pavement D) all of the above.

- 17. Marble is...
- A) Igneous rock B) Sedimentary rock C) Metamorphic rock. D) none of the above
- 18. Example of Silicious rock...
- A) Marble B) Granite. C) Slate D) none of the above
- 19. Quartzite is...
- A) Igneous rock B) Sedimentary rock. C) Metamorphic rock D) none of the above
- 20. Stone are_____ compared to brick.
- A) Light B) Medium C) Heavy. D) none of the above
- 21. Which of the following stone is mostly used for preventive moisture?
- A) Slate. B) Granite C) Lime stone D) Sand stone
- 22. Example of Silicious rock...
- A) Trap. B) Laterite C) Lime stone D) none of the above
- 23. Gneiss is an example of...
- A) Foliated rock. B) Stratified rock C) Unstratified rock D) none of the above
- 24. Dolerite is...
- A) Igneous rock. B) Sedimentary rock C) Metamorphic rock D) none of the above
- 25. Which stone can be prepared on surface of glass applied with oil?
- A) Artificial marble. B) Granite C) Lime stone D) Sand stone
- 26. Characteristics of building stone...
- A) Hardness B) Toughness C) Durability D) all of the above.
- 27. Slate is...
- A) Igneous rock B) Sedimentary rock C) Metamorphic rock. D) none of the above
- 28. Example of Argillaceous rock...
- A) Marble B) Granite C) Slate. D) none of the above
- 29. Shale is...
- A) Igneous rock B) Sedimentary rock. C) Metamorphic rock D) none of the above
- 30. Advantage of artificial stone...
- A) Desired colour B) Desired shape C) Desired size D) all of the above.
- 31. Which of the following stone is most suitable for partition wall?
- A) Slate. B) Granite C) Lime stone D) Sand stone

- 32. Sand stone is an example of...
- A) Foliated rock B) Stratified rock. C) Unstratified rock D) none of the above
- 33. Rock which has calcium carbonate as main component...
- A) Argillaceous rock B) Silicious rock C) Calcareous rock. D) none of the above
- 34. Trap is...
- A) Igneous rock. B) Sedimentary rock C) Metamorphic rock D) none of the above
- 35. Example of Calcareous rock...
- A) Trap B) Laterite C) Lime stone. D) none of the above
- 36. Which of the following stone doesn't require dressing?
- A) Slate B) Artificial stone. C) Lime stone D) Sand stone
- 37. Slate is an example of...
- A) Foliated rock. B) Stratified rock C) Unstratified rock D) none of the above
- 38. Rock which has clay as main component...
- A) Argillaceous rock. B) Silicious rock C) Calcareous rock D) none of the above
- 39. Lime stone is...
- A) Igneous rock B) Sedimentary rock. C) Metamorphic rock D) none of the above
- 40. Basalt has properties similar to...
- A) Trap. B) Laterite C) Lime stone D) none of the above
- 41. Which of the following stone is more fire resistive?
- A) Slate B) Granite C) Lime stone D) Sand stone.
- 42. Granite is an example of...
- A) Foliated rock B) Stratified rock C) Unstratified rock. D) none of the above
- 43. Basalt is...
- A) Igneous rock. B) Sedimentary rock C) Metamorphic rock D) none of the above
- 44. Lime stone is an example of...
- A) Foliated rock B) Stratified rock. C) Unstratified rock D) none of the above
- 45. Which sentence is correct?
- A) Marble is not a workable stone B) Ford is artificial stone. C) Laterite is used for roof cover D) none of the above
- 46. Example of Argillaceous rock...
- A) Trap B) Laterite. C) Lime stone D) none of the above

- 47. Sand stone is...
- A) Igneous rock B) Sedimentary rock. C) Metamorphic rock D) none of the above
- 48. Rock which has silica as main component...
- A) Argillaceous rock B) Silicious rock. C) Calcareous rock D) none of the above
- 49. Gneiss is...
- A) Igneous rock B) Sedimentary rock C) Metamorphic rock. D) none of the above
- 50. Which of the following stone is not suitable as railway ballast?
- A) Slate. B) Granite C) Lime stone D) Sand stone