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**Q1. which of the following is building material in a Mortar?**

- A. cinder
- **B. cement**
- C. sand
- D. surkhi

**Q2. A badly mixed cement concrete results in**

- A. segregation
- **B. honey combing**
- C. None of these
- D. bleeding

**Q3. Chemically, marble is known as the**

- **A. calcareous rock**
- B. metamorphic rock
- C. silicious rock.
- D. argillaceous rock

**Q4. Inner part of a timber log surrounding the pitch, is called**

- A. cambium layer

- B. sapwood
- C. heart wood
- D. None of the above

**Q5. Resins are**

- A. soluble in spirit
- B. used in varnishes
- C. not soluble in water
- D. All of the above

**Q6. Which of the following rock generally used for roofing?**

- A. basalt
- B. slate
- C. granite
- D. All of these

**Q7. Initial setting of cement is caused due to**

- A. Di-calcium silicate
- B. Tri-calcium aluminate
- C. Tri-calcium silicate
- D. None of the above

**Q8. Lime concrete is generally used for**

- A. wall foundations
- B. flooring at ground level
- C. Both 1 & 2

**Q9. The normal curing period for lime mortar, is**

- A. 7 days
- B. 3 days
- C. 10 days
- D. 14 days.

**Q10. Pig iron is manufactured from the ores by**

- A. dressing
- B. smelting
- C. calcination and roasting
- **D. All of the above**

**Q11. Cast Iron is Used for -**

- A. Structural works in beams
- B. Columns and struts
- C. Small sized water pipes
- **D. All of the above**

**Q12. Pug Mill is used for**

- **A. Moulding of clay**
- B. Preparation of clay
- C. Drying of bricks
- D. Burning of bricks

**Q13. Plywood has the advantage of -**

- A. Greater tensile strength in shorter direction
- B. Greater tensile strength in longer direction
- **C. Same tensile strength in all directions**
- D. None of the above

**Q14. French Polish is -**

- A. Distemper
- B. Oil paint
- **C. Spirit varnish**
- D. None of these

**Q15. Bessemer process is used for the manufacture of -**

- A. Cast iron
- B. Pig iron
- C. Steel
- D. Wrought iron

**Q16. Which of the following is a mineral?**

- A. Granite
- B. Basalt
- C. Syenite
- D. Quartz

**Q17. which of the follwoing is a Laterite?**

- A. Argillaceous rock
- B. Volcanic rock
- C. Calcareous rock
- D. Siliceous rock

**Q18. Generally, Wooden moulds are made of**

- A. Deodar wood
- B. Shishum wood
- C. Teak wood
- D. plywood

**Q19. To avoid \_\_\_\_\_ the foundations should be taken beyond the depth up to which rain water can not reach.**

- A. Horizontal movement of the earth
- B. Unequal settlement of the soil
- C. Atmospheric action
- D. Withdrawal of moisture from the sub-soil

**Q20. The strength of the cement is \_\_\_\_\_ after storage.**

- A. Remains Same
- B. Increase

- **C. Decrease**
- D. None of These

**Q21. Vanadium steel is generally used for .....**

- A. magnets
- **B. axles and springs**
- C. bearing balls
- D. railway switches and crossing

**Q22. The commonly used colour pigment in paints, is .....**

- A. Ambers
- B. Iron oxide
- C. Lamp black
- **D. All of the Above**

**Q23. The variety of pig iron used for the manufacture of steel by Bessemer process, is .....**

- A. Grey pig
- B. Mottled pig
- **C. Bessemer pig**
- D. White forge pig

**Q24. Good quality stones must be .....**

- A. Free from clay
- B. Durable
- C. Resist action of acids
- **D. All of the Above**

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**Q26. Sewer pipes are made of .....**

- A. Terracota
- **B. Stone ware**
- C. Earthen ware
- D. All of the Above

**Q27. The rocks formed by gradual deposition, are called .....**

- A. Igneous rocks
- **B. Sedimentary rocks**
- C. Metamorphic rocks
- D. All of the Above

**Q28. Galvanising means covering iron with a thin coat of .....**

- A. Tin
- **B. Zinc**
- C. Glaze
- D. Coal tar

**Q29. Polymerization helps to improve the property of .....**

- A. Rigidity
- B. Strength
- C. Elasticity
- **D. All of the Above**

**Q30. Which one of the following is acid resistant asbestos?**

- A. Amosite asbestos
- B. Actinolite asbestos
- C. Crocidolite asbestos
- **D. All of the Above**

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