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BLD 211: CONCRETE TECHNOLOGY AND WORKSHOP PRACTICE II

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Question 1

S/No	Water Ratio	Mass of Empty	Mass of	Mass of Fitting
		Can(Kg)	(Kg)Partially	Compacted
			Compacted	
			. =	
# 1	4 liters	7.50	15.01	18.75
# 2	5.2 liters	7.50	17.50	19.41

Use the above table to calculate compacting factor for a freshly mixed concrete in rows 1 & 2 above and analyze their suitability for concrete work.

Question 2

List all Sieve Sizes used in Sieve analysis test for both Fine and Coarse Aggregates.

Question 3

What are the practical procedures involved in conducting a Slump Test experiment in a laboratory.

Question 4

Explain and evaluate the method used in measuring the total air content in a given sample of aggregates.

Question 5

With the aid of neat diagram, describe a non-destructive apparatus used for concrete test.

Describe the practical steps involved in carrying out Air-Entrainment test (employ necessary diagrams to aid your answer) Question 7 What is the purpose of carrying out a Silt Content test for a given soil sample. Question 8 Discuss Moisture Content in aggregate Question 9 Explain why it is necessary to carry out fineness test on cement Question 10 Differentiate between paint and painting in wall finishes Question 11 List types of bonds used in block works Question 12 Briefly discuss ten (10) properties of a good concrete Question 13 With the aid of diagrams, list and describe safety signs and their colour segment Question 14 Describe the stages involved in concrete ratio 1:2:4 mixture for construction work Question 15 Explain the process involved in carrying out test for Liquid limit of a given sample soil. List the equipment used in this solid experiment.