CERAMICS, COMPOSITES & CORROSION 1

MARK SCHEME

Q1.

Question	Answer		Marks
	A It is where thermal decomposition takes place.	3	1
	B It is where only natural substances are mixed.	2	1
	C It is where a natural substance is mixed with a man-made		
	substance.	4	1
	D It is where limestone is obtained.	1	1
Total marks			4

Q2.

Question	Answer	Extra information	Marks
(a)	3		1
(b)	4		1
(c)	2		1
(d)	3		1
Total marks			4

Q3.

Question	Answer	Extra information	Marks
(a)	3		1
(b)	2		1
(c)	2		1
(d)	2		1
Total marks			4

Q4.

Question	Answer	Extra information	Marks
(a)	2		1
(b)	4		1
(c)	1		1
(d)	3		1
Total marks			4

Q5.

Question	Answer	Extra information	Marks
(a)(i)	2.5(kg)	ignore units	1
(ii)	40% (cement) and Test 3	ignore units	1
	because it is anomalous or	accept value not used to	1
	because it is much lower than	calculate mean	
	the other two readings		
		ignore outlier	
(iii)	as the percentage of cement	allow 'strength for 'mass needed'	1
	increases the mass needed to	allow correct relationship using	
	break the sleeper increases	percentage of sand	
(iv)	volume/percentage / amount	accept temperature	1
	of water		
(b)	any two from:		2
	availability (of the raw		
	materials)		
	cost of the raw materials		
	purity (of the raw materials)		
Total marks			7

Q6.

Question	Answer	Extra information	Marks
(i)	straight line through the first,		1
	second and fourth points		
	straight line through the last	allow a straight line through the	1
	four points	last three points if the first	
		straight line extrapolates below	
		point four	
(ii)	repeat the experiment (at each	do not allow repeat at other	1
	mass of aggregate)	masses	
	(use the results to) calculate a		1
	mean/average value (for each		
	mass of aggregate)		
(iii)	line drawn to y axis showing		1
	extrapolation		1
	correct value read from graph	allow +/- one small square	
		do not allow 0	
		award 1 mark for a value of	
		34-40 if no extrapolation shown	
(iv)	at first, the force needed to	allow values	1
	break a concrete beam	allow at first the statement is	
	increases	correct	
		allow values	

	but the force needed to break		1
	a concrete beam then		
	decreases		
	mention of 400 g as the point	allow 400g if there is no	1
	at which the force needed	intercept on graph	
	changes or value from graph		
Total marks			9