

Attempt all questions.

- ✓1. Describe the mechanism of water vapour permeation in hydrophilic non porous coatings. [2]
- ✓2. Differentiate between air permeability and air porosity. [1]
- ✓3. A typical yarn is tested on a pendulum lever machine. The metal strip connecting the pulley and the upper <sup>jaw</sup> is inextensible. Now the metal strip is replaced with a material which has a tensile behavior similar to that of yarn. Describe the results obtained with the new setup. [3]
- ✓4. How is Sweating Guarded Hotplate Method closer to real situations than other test methods? [2]
- ✓5. A bone dry viscose fabric sample is exposed to an atmosphere of gradually increasing R.H. After reaching 80 R.H., the relative humidity is gradually reduced to 0%. Plot the regain vs R.H. curve for the process. [2]
- ✓6. Standard error of mean decreases with increasing sample size. Does it mean that the variability in population is dependent on sample size? [2]
- ✓7. The 99% limits of confidence interval for a population whose mean is  $M$  are  $\pm L$ . What does it indicate? [2]
- ✓8. A strand of roving is being tested for mass unevenness in a capacitance based tester. Plot the curves showing the variation for the strand when the cut length is  
a) 10 mm and b) 1 m [2]

**Comment on the following statements:**

- ✓9. Twist variations in a uniform yarn would show up in evenness testing by capacitance based testers. [1]
- ✓10. Fabrics with high porosity tend to have high permeability as well. [1]
- ✓11. RH of atmosphere may increase due to sudden drop in temperature even if absolute humidity remains constant. [2]
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- ☒ Briefly describe the effect of following parameters on abrasion of a fabric [3]  
Fibre length, fibre diameter, twist in yarn

**Choose the correct alternative:**

- ☒ 16. The best indicator of variability among samples with a large range of means is [1]  
CV, SD, Variance, range
- ☒ 17. Classify the following machines in CRL, CRT or CRE: [2]  
*Pendulum lever, pressley fibre bundle tester, Stelometer, Instron, machine based on inclined plane principle*
- ☒ 18. The rate of loading (change in force with unit distance traversed) will not change with the [2]  
following machine if the gauge length (sample length) is increased (neglect weak link effect)  
*CRL based, CRE based, CRT based*
- ☒ 19. The time to break a specimen will increase with following machines if gauge length (sample [2]  
length) is increased (neglect weak link effect, all other parameters are unchanged)  
*CRL based, CRE based, CRT based*
- ☒ 20. **Complete the following sentences:** [4]
- a) Periodic variations of cyclic nature in textile materials may arise due to -
  - b) In context of statistical analysis, F-table is consulted when
  - c) In context of statistical analysis, t-table is consulted when
  - d) Spectrograms generate a plot of \_\_\_\_\_ vs \_\_\_\_\_.