## Q. Quantity Calculation of Bricks for one cubic meter (without cement mortar)

**Ans.** As we know that the standard brick size (India) =  $19 \times 9 \times 9 \times 9 \times 10^{-1}$ 

length 
$$(L) = 0.19m$$

width 
$$(B) = 0.09m$$

thickness 
$$(D) = 0.09m$$

volume of single brick  $(V) = 0.19 \times 0.09 \times 0.09$ 

$$(V) = 0.001539 \text{ m}^3$$

$$(V) = 1,539 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$(V) = 1539 \times 10^3 \text{ mm}^3$$

No. of Bricks required for  $1 \text{ m}^3 = 1 / 0.001539$ 

$$= 649.77 \text{ no's}$$

## **Quantity Calculation of Bricks for one cubic meter (with cement mortar)**

With mortar thickness of  $(1cm) = 20 \times 10 \times 10 cm$ 

length (L) = 20 cm

width (B) = 20 cm

thickness (D) = 20 cm

volume of single brick  $(V) = 0.2 \times 0.1 \times 0.1$ 

$$(V) = 0.002 \text{ m}^3$$

$$(V) = 2000 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$(V) = 2000 \times 10^3 \text{ mm}^3$$

No. of Bricks required for  $1 \text{ m}^3 = 1 / 0.002$ 

$$= 500 \text{ no's}$$

Assuming percentage of wastage of bricks = 2 to 3 %

Therefore, total no. of bricks for  $(1m^3) = 500 + [500 \times (3/100)]$ 

$$= 515 \text{ no's}$$