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#### **PART I GUJARAT STATE**

#### **Section 3 Engineering Properties of Stone Aggregates**

#### **0. FOREWORD**

**0.1** This Indian Standard (Part I/Section 3) was adopted by the Indian Standards Institution on 19 August 1975, after the draft finalized by the Stones Sectional Committee had been approved by the Civil Engineering Division Council.

**0.2** Stones are available in large quantities in different parts of the country. To choose and utilize them for various uses, it is necessary to know their availability and also the strength properties determined according to the standard procedures. Accordingly, this Indian Standard is being formulated to cover this information for each State in the country. This standard will be published in parts, each part covering a State. For the facility of compiling and use of the standard, each part will be divided into three sections. Part I covers Gujarat State and will be issued in three sections. Section 1 gives information on the availability of stones in the form of map showing geological classification and known quarries; Section 2 covers engineering properties of building stones; and Section 3 covers engineering properties of stone aggregates. It is hoped that with the publication of this data it will be convenient for the users of stone to know not only the availability of stones but to select them in a scientific way depending upon the requirement for the particular use.

**0.2.1** The information included in this Part covers data collected up to the end of 1974. Further information, as and when received, will be added as amendment to this standard.

**0.3** The information contained in this Section is based on the data provided by the Engineering Research Institute (Public Works Department) of Gujarat State.

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**0.4** In reporting the results of a test or analysis made in accordance with this standard, if the final value, observed or calculated, is to be rounded off, it shall be done in accordance with IS : 2-1960\*.

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### **1. SCOPE**

**1.1** This standard ( Part I/Section 3 ) covers the engineering properties of stone aggregates in Gujarat State.

### **2. TEST RESULTS**

**2.1** The test results of most of the types of stone aggregates collected for some of the important properties according to relevant Indian Standards are given in Table 1.

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\*Rules for rounding off numerical values (*revised*).

TABLE 1 SCHEDULE OF CHARACTERISTICS OF STONE AGGREGATES — GUJARAT STATE

( Clause 2.1 )

Sl. No.	LOCATION	TYPE OF AGGREGATE	APPARENT SPECIFIC GRAVITY IS : 2386 ( Part III )-1963*	WATER ABSORPTION % IS : 2386 ( Part III )-1963*	CRUSHING VALUE % IS : 2386 ( Part IV )-1963†	ABRASION VALUE % IS : 2386 ( Part IV )-1963†	IMPACT VALUE % IS : 2386 ( Part IV )-1963†
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
<b>AMRELI</b>							
1.	Amreli	Basalt	2.92	0.51	12.00	13.00	11.00
2.	Dhari	do	2.86	0.37	11.80	12.60	9.50
3.	Mahigigsagar	do	2.95	0.66	14.50	19.20	9.10
4.	Munjiasar	do	2.98	0.31	16.00	20.00	15.00
5.	Rajula	Trachyte	2.47	0.23	18.40	19.50	16.00
6.	Zar	Basalt	2.93	0.70	15.40	12.60	9.50
<b>BANASKANTHA</b>							
7.	Atal	Calc-gneiss	2.76	0.67	25.90	32.45	20.70
8.	Bhakar	Granite	2.64	0.40	26.50	26.10	24.80
9.	Budha Mahadeo	Limestone	2.59	1.36	58.00	32.00	33.70
10.	do	Sandstone	2.51	0.88	34.23	41.89	36.36
11.	Chitranjan	Basalt	2.91	0.40	15.00	16.30	8.00
12.	Dabhav	Gneiss	2.67	0.63	24.30	18.20	29.40
13.	Dantiwada	Gravel	2.65	0.93	27.90	46.40	25.90
14.	Deolinivav	Granite	2.70	1.76	22.80	20.70	25.30
15.	Eval	do	2.66	1.30	21.40	22.10	20.20
16.	Gola	do	2.62	1.30	31.00	14.50	32.60
17.	Khamiana	Sandstone	2.62	0.76	21.90	36.10	24.60
18.	Koteshwar	Granite	2.63	1.01	17.90	19.00	16.50
19.	Malachi	Limestone	2.57	1.85	23.10	31.70	24.30
20.	Malana	Quartzite	2.64	0.86	18.27	17.93	19.96
21.	Morra	Basalt	2.83	0.43	18.70	19.40	19.70
22.	Pavati	Granite	2.66	0.97	28.70	47.20	30.50
23.	Phangli	Basalt	2.95	0.90	19.70	—	—
24.	Rampur Mahudi	Calc-gneiss	2.83	0.15	25.40	26.60	25.50
25.	Sedhain	Limestone	2.60	0.44	24.80	36.20	25.60
<b>BARODA</b>							
26.	Agar	Sandstone	2.44	1.85	29.25	39.67	32.56
27.	Depsa	Basalt	2.99	1.56	14.40	13.90	12.50
28.	Kankpodia	Quartzite	2.61	0.37	28.30	45.13	26.10
29.	Ladi	Basalt	2.96	0.15	12.50	10.55	8.10
30.	Limbani	Granite	2.62	0.29	19.10	12.39	15.70
31.	Lothan	Quartzite	2.63	0.19	30.42	36.60	30.96
32.	Tejgadh	Granite	2.64	0.17	26.01	21.60	25.57
33.	Waghodia	Quartzite	2.60	0.29	15.50	16.00	14.00

\*Methods of test for aggregates for concrete: Part III Specific gravity, density, voids, absorption and bulking.

†Methods of test for aggregates for concrete: Part IV Mechanical properties.

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TABLE 1 SCHEDULE OF CHARACTERISTICS OF STONE AGGREGATES — GUJARAT STATE — Contd

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
BHAVNAGAR							
34.	Gordaka	Basalt	2.74	1.44	16.80	19.60	15.27
35.	Madandhar	do	2.77	0.97	12.76	11.75	12.12
36.	Mampur	do	2.73	0.87	14.40	14.20	13.05
37.	Sanjana	do	2.84	0.31	11.30	12.00	10.00
38.	Vijapaoj	do	2.76	1.37	15.50	17.50	12.03
BROACH							
39.	Dajipura	Basalt	2.96	0.44	11.60	—	5.40
40.	Garudeshwar	Gravel	2.89	0.66	11.20	13.20	7.10
41.	Koop	do	3.23	0.70	12.80	—	7.30
42.	Koyalivav	do	2.93	0.60	15.80	—	9.80
43.	Lilawadhar	do	2.89	0.70	10.80	—	7.80
44.	Mota Surva	Basalt	2.87	1.01	—	13.00	10.00
45.	Netrang	do	2.90	1.20	22.50	16.77	—
46.	Thuva	Gravel	2.91	1.03	22.00	—	15.80
47.	Tilakwada	do	2.87	0.83	13.80	26.70	11.30
48.	Trimroliia	do	2.98	0.50	16.30	—	9.80
49.	Zaria	do	2.89	0.86	12.50	18.70	9.10
DANGS							
50.	Chinchavgao	Basalt	2.93	0.76	13.10	15.40	10.70
51.	Nandiara	do	2.91	0.41	12.90	12.70	8.60
52.	Saputara	do	2.92	0.43	13.10	12.20	10.36
53.	Takalipada	do	2.79	0.89	14.90	13.40	14.10
JAMNAGAR							
54.	Dhunvan	Basalt	2.79	1.94	20.00	22.40	18.00
55.	Dwarka	Limestone	2.60	0.70	28.80	36.30	24.50
56.	Hapadhar	Basalt	2.86	1.00	15.00	16.50	13.00
57.	Khariberaja	do	2.79	1.25	22.20	22.20	19.10
58.	Khuria	do	2.72	2.12	21.20	22.10	20.50
59.	Nagari	do	2.85	0.31	16.70	14.70	13.50
60.	Paliadhar	do	2.88	1.05	13.09	15.10	9.70
61.	Sachna	do	2.78	1.58	22.00	23.00	21.00
62.	Tarang	do	2.87	0.75	17.30	18.40	12.90
63.	Theba	do	2.76	1.75	23.20	23.60	19.40

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
<b>JUNAGADH</b>							
64.	Chhaya	Miliolite Limestone	2.61	0.80	23.90	27.00	33.80
65.	Gupta Prayag	do	2.57	0.94	34.85	27.60	23.30
66.	Kalvad	Basalt	2.78	1.30	11.00	10.50	10.00
67.	Kachhadi	Miliolite Limestone	2.62	0.92	22.30	25.80	25.40
68.	Lalpur	Basalt	2.78	1.19	12.50	12.00	11.00
69.	Palaghad	Miliolite Limestone	2.62	1.25	27.20	23.60	25.20
70.	Porbandar	do	2.63	2.00	17.80	14.40	15.00
71.	Ranavav	do	2.51	—	24.60	26.00	25.50
72.	Vakaria	Basalt	2.80	1.02	11.00	10.00	9.00
<b>KAIRA</b>							
73.	Angadi	Basalt	2.68	1.92	20.10	—	23.10
74.	Balasinor	Limestone	2.68	0.70	22.90	21.30	18.60
75.	Chitilav	Gravel	2.74	1.10	15.90	—	19.40
76.	Dakor	Sandstone	2.61	0.73	24.45	22.96	23.04
77.	Rozawa	Limestone	2.66	0.57	23.33	—	13.61
78.	Sevalia	Basalt	2.87	0.68	14.22	11.50	11.04
79.	Tayabpura	Limestone	2.53	2.80	35.89	—	31.45
80.	Vasad	Gravel	2.71	0.47	16.80	27.90	25.90
<b>KUTCH</b>							
81.	Bhujia Dungar	Basalt	3.05	0.66	11.40	12.60	9.90
82.	Chitrod	do	2.97	0.46	14.10	9.40	10.10
83.	Dhanai	do	2.88	0.97	14.00	20.00	—
84.	Kankeri	do	2.93	1.00	17.30	18.50	17.30
85.	Kukma	do	2.82	1.20	13.10	17.50	13.10
86.	Manjal	do	2.83	0.33	18.50	12.80	20.10
87.	Netra	do	2.83	0.63	16.20	17.00	15.20
88.	Vamoti	do	2.92	0.67	11.00	13.30	9.30
89.	Vondh	do	2.96	0.63	16.30	11.30	10.80
<b>MEHSANA</b>							
90.	Hatheli	Granite	2.66	0.48	22.80	19.10	20.80
91.	Kheralu	do	2.64	0.46	24.00	22.20	21.20
92.	Wadhali	do	2.65	0.47	17.64	10.27	13.80

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
PANCHMAHALS							
93.	Ankali	Limestone	2.56	2.60	26.37	31.62	23.00
94.	Asardi	Quartzite	2.63	0.40	18.68	20.33	12.80
95.	Bajarwada	Basalt	2.84	0.78	14.37	15.27	7.26
96.	Bhadalwada	Quartzite	2.62	0.16	18.38	22.37	19.31
97.	Chhaen	Limestone	2.59	1.69	20.43	21.60	13.18
98.	Chhapadi	Basalt	2.89	1.26	12.75	13.98	8.50
99.	Dabhavav	Limestone	2.65	1.16	26.42	31.50	24.00
100.	Dalwada	Quartzite	2.65	0.20	14.00	16.00	13.10
101.	Dhakalia	do	2.64	0.20	17.00	19.00	15.50
102.	Dungaria	do	2.62	0.70	23.30	20.00	25.10
103.	Godhra	Granite	2.61	0.25	21.00	23.00	16.00
104.	Halol	Basalt	2.80	0.67	16.00	17.50	15.00
105.	Jamotra	Quartzite	2.66	0.53	30.40	24.50	33.60
106.	Juna Baria	do	2.59	0.60	23.20	29.90	22.77
107.	Kadana	do	2.62	0.63	20.20	22.00	18.22
108.	Kadana	Gravel	2.83	0.39	11.69	35.93	10.60
109.	Kalikojava	Phyllite	2.68	1.77	32.58	51.72	34.48
110.	Kathala	Quartzite	2.65	0.21	21.88	26.27	16.18
111.	Khabda	Quartzite	2.63	0.20	17.14	24.70	12.70
112.	Kund	Basalt	2.84	1.28	15.00	18.00	13.00
113.	Limdi	Basalt	2.84	1.16	11.16	12.93	18.21
114.	Natapur	Quartzite	2.62	0.36	17.75	22.50	12.08
115.	Panchwada	do	2.63	0.53	19.37	22.88	18.47
116.	Pania	do	2.63	0.50	20.82	21.01	19.86
117.	Parwadi	Granite	2.62	0.39	22.32	17.68	13.15
118.	Pasaro	Quartzite	2.61	1.97	—	40.26	19.88
119.	Patoajol	Limestone	2.61	1.29	27.82	34.22	21.84
120.	Pavagadh	Volcanic breccia	2.50	2.31	21.50	24.00	17.90
121.	Rajula	Quartzite	2.69	0.17	17.00	24.41	19.75
122.	Raliata	do	2.63	0.21	20.16	18.46	14.88
123.	Sant	do	2.61	0.48	15.49	17.13	20.50
124.	Sharada	Limestone	2.62	2.08	11.89	27.17	15.57
125.	Simlia	Quartzite	2.61	0.65	20.37	27.88	16.37
126.	Vardhari	Granite	2.61	0.52	16.40	21.20	20.60

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Sl. No.	LOCATION	TYPE OF AGGREGATE	APPARENT SPECIFIC GRAVITY IS : 2386 (Part III)-1963*	WATER ABSORPTION % IS : 2386 (Part III)-1963*	CRUSHING VALUE % IS : 2396 (Part IV)-1963†	ABRASION VALUE % IS : 2386 (Part IV)-1963†	IMPACT VALUE % IS : 2386 (Part IV)-1963†
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
RAJKOT							
127.	Andasda	Basalt	2.93	0.44	12.30	13.70	8.20
128.	Chakodakhan	do	2.74	0.90	14.50	15.00	14.20
129.	Dharampur	do	2.95	0.54	14.60	13.60	10.90
130.	Ghunta	do	2.90	0.50	13.90	16.00	10.50
131.	Haripur	do	2.90	0.34	9.50	10.00	9.00
132.	Jamkandorna	do	2.84	0.55	11.00	12.30	10.00
133.	Keshod	do	2.72	0.73	13.10	14.90	10.30
134.	Khareda	do	2.95	0.13	12.80	13.10	10.00
135.	Khokhadod	do	2.87	0.71	12.00	13.00	9.13
136.	Lajai	do	2.87	0.79	9.76	11.50	8.57
137.	Lalpuri	do	2.93	0.13	12.30	13.00	9.60
138.	Mahendranagar	do	2.89	0.52	13.00	19.70	10.70
139.	Mahika	do	2.89	0.54	9.00	10.10	9.50
140.	Mauva	Basalt	2.89	0.82	10.50	11.00	9.50
141.	Motada	do	2.88	0.53	9.50	10.50	9.00
142.	Navagam	do	2.93	0.43	9.50	10.00	8.50
143.	do	Sandstone	2.30	4.28	47.60	63.60	45.30
144.	Raiya	Basalt	2.89	0.95	12.00	12.80	10.09
145.	Ribda	do	2.96	0.43	9.00	9.30	8.40
146.	Sapur	do	2.95	0.54	8.00	9.00	7.60
147.	Unchimandal	do	2.89	0.60	12.30	13.20	10.30
148.	Viren	do	2.69	0.77	14.60	16.20	12.80
SABARKANTHA							
149.	Balavam	Granite	2.60	0.73	31.74	25.93	36.94
150.	Evala	do	2.64	0.19	—	27.75	23.26
151.	Gambhirpura	do	2.61	0.17	32.14	43.86	28.63
152.	Himatnagar	do	2.67	0.25	24.60	23.50	—
153.	Hirpur	Gravel	2.64	1.00	28.80	30.40	28.60
154.	Idar	Granite	2.63	0.52	34.28	55.45	31.00
155.	Jamla	do	2.59	0.23	32.10	—	39.00
156.	Jankani	do	2.59	0.57	14.61	19.61	16.41
157.	Kapoda	Basalt	2.92	1.33	22.00	31.00	28.00
158.	Laloda	Granite	2.59	0.86	23.16	17.10	19.23
159.	Likhi	do	2.67	0.12	18.91	21.02	18.10
160.	Malasa	Limestone	2.76	0.67	19.70	13.90	18.00
161.	Panpur	Sandstone	2.45	4.00	31.90	31.96	22.20
162.	Rajpura	Basalt	2.71	2.84	14.90	13.40	11.00
163.	Vadagam	do	2.89	0.40	13.80	17.80	12.80
164.	Watrak	do	2.91	0.70	12.70	9.80	16.20

\*Methods of test for aggregates for concrete: Part III Specific gravity, density, voids, absorption and bulking.

†Methods of test for aggregates for concrete: Part IV Mechanical properties.

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TABLE 1 SCHEDULE OF CHARACTERISTICS OF STONE AGGREGATES — GUJARAT STATE — *Contd*

Sl No.	LOCATION	TYPE OF AGGREGATE	APPARENT SPECIFIC GRAVITY IS : 2386 ( Part III )-1963*	WATER ABSORPTION % IS : 2386 ( Part III )-1963*	CRUSHING VALUE % IS : 2386 (Part IV)-1963†	ABRASION VALUE % IS : 2386 ( Part IV )-1963†	IMPACT VALUE % IS : 2386 ( Part IV )-1963†
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
SURAT							
165.	Ambhata	Basalt	2.86	0.66	11.60	11.60	11.40
166.	Areth	do	2.89	0.60	9.86	17.30	8.30
167.	Bamanwel	do	2.93	0.73	12.60	14.40	11.00
168.	Chhacharbunda	Dolerite	3.00	0.57	10.30	9.24	10.57
169.	Dungari	Basalt	2.87	0.63	12.60	14.30	13.20
170.	Duwada	do	2.92	0.46	13.40	10.40	10.40
171.	Gadat	Gravel	2.88	0.98	13.90	29.10	18.10
172.	Lukad	Basalt	2.96	1.34	17.20	18.00	16.00
173.	Maipur	do	2.89	0.70	12.90	—	8.40
174.	Nogama	do	2.90	0.73	10.99	12.29	9.75
175.	Pokhran	do	2.88	2.56	16.30	—	9.90
176.	Ukai	Gabbodiorite	3.00	0.53	12.01	10.20	10.24
177.	do	Basalt	2.89	0.41	11.49	8.86	9.05
SURENDRANAGAR							
178.	Chuda	Basalt	2.90	1.00	13.00	15.60	—
179.	Datar	do	2.91	0.80	22.20	12.10	15.50
180.	Kharava	Sandstone	2.37	3.75	44.00	59.50	50.70
181.	Khimiana	do	2.56	1.40	26.60	30.90	24.60
182.	Sayla	Basalt	2.86	1.30	12.66	16.00	10.00

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- 1127-1970 Recommendations for dimensions and workmanship of natural building stones (*first revision*)
- 1128-1974 Limestone slabs (*first revision*)
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