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Design With Permanent Formwork – A Smarter Way To Build Structural Walls

1. **Name the three best-known methods of formwork construction.**
   - In-situ conventional formwork
   - Blockwork
   - Precast concrete
2. **Name three negatives associated with in-situ conventional formwork.**
   - It involves multiple stages and requires contractors for formwork erection, steel fixing and concreting
   - It involves wastage of custom forms and limited re-use of forms
   - The high costs required for control of finishes
3. **Name three negatives associated with formwork that is constructed with blockwork.**
   - It is manually intensive
   - The construction process is time consuming
   - It has poor durability, porous and prone to cracking
4. **What is permanent formwork and how does it differ from temporary formwork?**

   As its name suggests, permanent formwork is a formwork system that stays in place even after construction is completed. Temporary formwork is removed after construction is completed.
5. **Name three common applications for PVC permanent formwork.**

   Answers include any of the following: Basement walls, Retention tanks, Planter boxes, Party walls, Columns, Retaining walls, Foundation walls, Services & stormwater pits.
6. **Name one of the fire tests that should be carried out on permanent formwork systems.**

   Answers include any of the following:

   - AS5113 - Façade test
   - AS/ISO9705 & AS5637.1 - Reaction to fire (room test)
   - AS1530.3 - Fire hazard properties
   - AS1530.4 - FRL tests (including penetrations)

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