

Glossary

Crown: The highest point of the arch

Haunch: The assembly of stones from springer to the crown is called haunch

Extrados: The upper and outer surface of the arch

Intrados: The under or lower surface of the arch

Springer: The lowest voussoir or arch stone.

Voussoir: The blocks forming the arch.

Key stone: The center voussoir at the crown.

Rise: The height from the springing line to under side of the arch at the keystone.