88 Consider the following compounds :

$\underline{K}O_2$, $H_2\underline{O}_2$ and $H_2\underline{S}O_4$.

The oxidation states of the underlined elements in them are, respectively,

(1) +2, –2, and +6

(2) +1, –2, and +4

(3) +4, –4, and +6

(4) +1, –1, and +6

89 Given below are two statements :

Statement I : Benzenediazonium salt is prepared by the reaction of aniline with nitrous acid at 273 - 278 K. It decomposes easily in the dry state.

Statement II : Insertion of iodine into the benzene ring is difficult and hence iodobenzene is prepared through the reaction of benzenediazonium salt with KI.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate** answer from the options given below :

(1) Both Statement I and Statement II are incorrect

(2) Statement I is correct but Statement II is incorrect

(3) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is correct

(4) Both Statement I and Statement II are correct

90 Which of the following are paramagnetic?

A. $[NiCl_4]^{2-}$ B. $Ni(CO)_4$

C. $[Ni(CN)_4]^{2-}$ D. $[Ni(H_2O)_6]^{2+}$

E. $Ni(PPh_3)_4$

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below:

(1) B and E only

(2) A and D only

(3) A, D and E only

(4) A and C only

91 Match **List - I** with **List - II**.

List - I	**List - II**
A. Progesterone	I. Pars intermedia
B. Relaxin	II. Ovary
C. Melanocyte stimulating hormone	III. Adrenal Medulla
D. Catecholamines	IV. Corpus luteum

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

(1) A-IV, B-II, C-III, D-I

(2) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III

(3) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I

(4) A-IV, B-II, C-I, D-III

92 The blue and white selectable markers have been developed which differentiate recombinant colonies from non-recombinant colonies on the basis of their ability to produce colour in the presence of a chromogenic substrate.

Given below are two statements about this method:

Statement I : The blue coloured colonies have DNA insert in the plasmid and they are identified as recombinant colonies.

Statement II : The colonies without blue colour have DNA insert in the plasmid and are identified as recombinant colonies.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate** answer from the options given below :

(1) Both Statement I and Statement II are incorrect

(2) Statement I is correct but Statement II is incorrect

(3) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is correct

(4) Both Statement I and Statement II are correct

93 Given below are two statements : One is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R).**

Assertion (A) : Cells of the tapetum possess dense cytoplasm and generally have more than one nucleus.

Reason (R) : Presence of more than one nucleus in the tapetum increases the efficiency of nourishing the developing microspore mother cells.

In light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate** answer from the options given below :

(1) Both **A** and **R** are true but **R** is **NOT** the correct explanation of **A**

(2) **A** is true but **R** is false

(3) **A** is false but **R** is true

(4) Both **A** and **R** are true and **R** is the correct explanation of **A**

94 Match **List I** with **List II**.

	List I		**List II**
A.	Pteridophyte	I.	*Salvia*
B.	Bryophyte	II.	*Ginkgo*
C.	Angiosperm	III.	*Polytrichum*
D.	Gymnosperm	IV.	*Salvinia*

Choose the option with all **correct** matches.

(1) A-IV, B-III, C-I, D-II

(2) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II

(3) A-IV, B-III, C-II, D-I

(4) A-III, B-IV, C-II, D-I

95 Match **List - I** with **List - II**.

	List - I		**List - II**
A.	Heart	I.	Erythropoietin
B.	Kidney	II.	Aldosterone
C.	Gastro-intestinal tract	III.	Atrial natriuretic factor
D.	Adrenal Cortex	IV.	Secretin

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

(1) A-IV, B-III, C-II, D-I

(2) A-I, B-III, C-IV, D-II

(3) A-III, B-I, C-IV, D-II

(4) A-II, B-I, C-III, D-IV

96 Who proposed that the genetic code for amino acids should be made up of three nucleotides?

(1) Francis Crick

(2) Jacque Monod

(3) Franklin Stahl

(4) George Gamow

97 Which of the following is the unit of productivity of an Ecosystem?

(1) KCal m^{-2}

(2) KCal m^{-3}

(3) (KCal m^{-2})yr^{-1}

(4) gm^{-2}

98 Which of the following is an example of a zygomorphic flower?

(1) Datura (2) Pea

(3) Chilli (4) Petunia

99 Match **List I** with **List II** :

	List I		**List II**
A.	The Evil Quartet	I.	Cryopreservation
B.	Ex situ conservation	II.	Alien species invasion
C.	*Lantana camara*	III.	Causes of biodiversity losses
D.	Dodo	IV.	Extinction

Choose the option with all correct matches.

(1) A-III, B-I, C-II, D-IV

(2) A-III, B-IV, C-II, D-I

(3) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I

(4) A-III, B-II, C-I, D-IV

100 Given below are two statements :

Statement I : In ecosystem, there is unidirectional flow of energy of sun from producers to consumers.

Statement II : Ecosystems are exempted from 2^{nd} law of thermodynamics.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate** answer from the options given below :

(1) Both statement I and statement II are incorrect

(2) Statement I is correct but statement II is incorrect

(3) Statement I is incorrect but statement II is correct

(4) Both statement I and statement II are correct

101 The protein portion of an enzyme is called :

(1) Coenzyme

(2) Apoenzyme

(3) Prosthetic group

(4) Cofactor

102 Twins are born to a family that lives next door to you. The twins are a boy and a girl. Which of the following must be true?

(1) They are fraternal twins.

(2) They were conceived through in vitro fertilization.

(3) They have 75% identical genetic content.

(4) They are monozygotic twins.

103 After maturation, in primary lymphoid organs, the lymphocytes migrate for interaction with antigens to secondary lymphoid organ(s) / tissue(s) like:

A. thymus B. bone marrow

C. spleen D. lymph nodes

E. Peyer's patches

Choose the *correct* answer from the options given below:

(1) A, B, C only (2) E, A, B only

(3) C, D, E only (4) B, C, D only

104 In frog, the Renal portal system is a special venous connection that acts to link :

(1) Liver and kidney

(2) Kidney and intestine

(3) Kidney and lower part of body

(4) Liver and intestine

105 Which of the following enzyme(s) are **NOT** essential for gene cloning?

A. Restriction enzymes

B. DNA ligase

C. DNA mutase

D. DNA recombinase

E. DNA polymerase

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

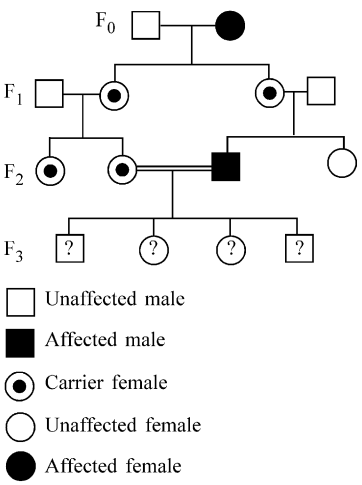
(1) A and B only

(2) D and E only

(3) B and C only

(4) C and D only

106 With the help of given pedigree, find out the probability for the birth of a child having no disease and being a carrier (has the disease mutation in one allele of the gene) in F_3 generation.



(1) 1/2 (2) 1/8

(3) Zero (4) 1/4

107 Which one of the following is the characteristic feature of gymnosperms?

(1) Seeds are naked.

(2) Seeds are absent.

(3) Gymnosperms have flowers for reproduction.

(4) Seeds are enclosed in fruits.

108 The first menstruation is called :

(1) Menarche (2) Diapause

(3) Ovulation (4) Menopause

109 In bryophytes, the gemmae help in which one of the following?

(1) Asexual reproduction

(2) Nutrient absorption

(3) Gaseous exchange

(4) Sexual reproduction

110 How many meiotic and mitotic divisions need to occur for the development of a mature female gametophyte from the megaspore mother cell in an angiosperm plant?

(1) 1 Meiosis and 2 Mitosis

(2) 1 Meiosis and 3 Mitosis

(3) No Meiosis and 2 Mitosis

(4) 2 Meiosis and 3 Mitosis

111 Role of the water vascular system in Echinoderms is :

A. Respiration and Locomotion

B. Excretion and Locomotion

C. Capture and transport of food

D. Digestion and Respiration

E. Digestion and Excretion

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

(1) A and C Only

(2) B and C Only

(3) B, D and E Only

(4) A and B Only

112 Read the following statements on plant growth and development.

A. Parthenocarpy can be induced by auxins.

B. Plant growth regulators can be involved in promotion as well as inhibition of growth.

C. Dedifferentiation is a pre-requisite for re-differentiation.

D. Abscisic acid is a plant growth promoter.

E. Apical dominance promotes the growth of lateral buds.

Choose the option with all correct statements.

(1) A, C, E only (2) A, D, E only

(3) B, D, E only (4) A, B, C only

113 Which of the following type of immunity is present at the time of birth and is a non-specific type of defence in the human body?

(1) Innate Immunity

(2) Cell-mediated Immunity

(3) Humoral Immunity

(4) Acquired Immunity

114 Why can't insulin be given orally to diabetic patients?

(1) It will be digested in Gastro-Intestinal (GI) tract

(2) Because of structural variation

(3) Its bioavailability will be increased

(4) Human body will elicit strong immune response

115 Which one of the following equations represents the Verhulst-Pearl Logistic Growth of population?

(1) $\frac{dN}{dt} = rN\left(\frac{K-N}{K}\right)$

(2) $\frac{dN}{dt} = rN\left(\frac{N-K}{N}\right)$

(3) $\frac{dN}{dt} = N\left(\frac{r-K}{K}\right)$

(4) $\frac{dN}{dt} = r\left(\frac{K-N}{K}\right)$

116 Silencing of specific mRNA is possible via RNAi because of -

(1) Inhibitory ssRNA

(2) Complementary tRNA

(3) Non-complementary ssRNA

(4) Complementary dsRNA

117 Match **List I** with **List II**.

	List I		**List II**
A.	Adenosine	I.	Nitrogen base
B.	Adenylic acid	II.	Nucleotide
C.	Adenine	III.	Nucleoside
D.	Alanine	IV.	Amino acid

Choose the option with all **correct** matches.

(1) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I

(2) A-III, B-II, C-I, D-IV

(3) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV

(4) A-III, B-IV, C-II, D-I

118 Frogs respire in water by skin and buccal cavity and on land by skin, buccal cavity and lungs.

Choose the **correct** answer from the following :

(1) The statement is true for both the environment

(2) The statement is false for water but true for land

(3) The statement is false for both the environment

(4) The statement is true for water but false for land

119 All living members of the class Cyclostomata are:

(1) Endoparasite (2) Symbiotic

(3) Ectoparasite (4) Free living

120 Identify the statement that is **NOT** correct.

(1) The heavy and light chains are held together by disulfide bonds.

(2) Antigen binding site is located at C-terminal region of antibody molecules.

(3) Constant region of heavy and light chains are located at C-terminus of antibody molecules.

(4) Each antibody has two light and two heavy chains.

121 Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : The primary function of the Golgi apparatus is to package the materials made by the endoplasmic reticulum and deliver it to intracellular targets and outside the cell.

Reason (R) : Vesicles containing materials made by the endoplasmic reticulum fuse with the cis face of the Golgi apparatus, and they are modified and released from the trans face of the Golgi apparatus.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **correct** answer from the options given below:

(1) Both **A** and **R** are true but **R** is **not** the correct explanation of **A**

(2) **A** is true but **R** is false

(3) **A** is false but **R** is true

(4) Both **A** and **R** are true and **R** is the correct explanation of **A**

122 Consider the following :

A. The reductive division for the human female gametogenesis starts earlier than that of the male gametogenesis.

B. The gap between the first meiotic division and the second meiotic division is much shorter for males compared to females.

C. The first polar body is associated with the formation of the primary oocyte.

D. Luteinizing Hormone (LH) surge leads to disintegration of the endometrium and onset of menstrual bleeding.

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

(1) A and C are true

(2) B and D are true

(3) B and C are true

(4) A and B are true

123 Match **List I** with **List II** :

List I		**List II**
A. Scutellum	I.	Persistent nucellus
B. Non-albuminous seed	II.	Cotyledon of Monocot seed
C. Epiblast	III.	Groundnut
D. Perisperm	IV.	Rudimentary cotyledon

Choose the option with all **correct** matches.

(1) A-IV, B-III, C-II, D-I

(2) A-IV, B-III, C-I, D-II

(3) A-II, B-IV, C-III, D-I

(4) A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I

124 What is the main function of the spindle fibers during mitosis ?

(1) To synthesize new DNA

(2) To repair damaged DNA

(3) To regulate cell growth

(4) To separate the chromosomes

125 Which of the following statements about RuBisCO is true?

(1) It has higher affinity for oxygen than carbon dioxide.

(2) It is an enzyme involved in the photolysis of water.

(3) It catalyzes the carboxylation of RuBP.

(4) It is active only in the dark.

126 Given below are two statements :

Statement I : The DNA fragments extracted from gel electrophoresis can be used in construction of recombinant DNA.

Statement II : Smaller size DNA fragments are observed near anode while larger fragments are found near the wells in an agarose gel.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate** answer from the options given below :

(1) Both statement I and statement II are incorrect

(2) Statement I is correct but statement II is incorrect

(3) Statement I is incorrect but statement II is correct

(4) Both statement I and statement II are correct

127 Which factor is important for termination of transcription?

(1) σ (sigma) (2) ρ (rho)

(3) γ (gamma) (4) α (alpha)

128 Consider the following statements regarding function of adrenal medullary hormones :

A. It causes pupilary constriction

B. It is a hyperglycemic hormone

C. It causes piloerection

D. It increases strength of heart contraction

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

(1) B, C and D Only

(2) A, C and D Only

(3) D Only

(4) C and D Only

129 Histones are enriched with -

(1) Leucine & Lysine

(2) Phenylalanine & Leucine

(3) Phenylalanine & Arginine

(4) Lysine & Arginine

130 Genes R and Y follow independent assortment. If RRYY produce round yellow seeds and rryy produce wrinkled green seeds, what will be the phenotypic ratio of the F2 generation?

(1) Phenotypic ratio - 3 : 1

(2) Phenotypic ratio - 9 : 3 : 3 : 1

(3) Phenotypic ratio - 9 : 7

(4) Phenotypic ratio - 1 : 2 : 1

131 Which of the following hormones released from the pituitary is actually synthesized in the hypothalamus ?

(1) Anti-diuretic hormone (ADH)

(2) Follicle-stimulating hormone (FSH)

(3) Adenocorticotrophic hormone (ACTH)

(4) Luteinizing hormone (LH)

132 Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : All vertebrates are chordates but all chordates are not vertebrate.

Reason (R) : The members of subphylum vertebrata possess notochord during the embryonic period, the notochord is replaced by a cartilaginous or bony vertebral column in adults.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **correct** answer from the options given below:

(1) Both **A** and **R** are true but **R** is **not** the correct explanation of **A**

(2) **A** is true but **R** is false

(3) **A** is false but **R** is true

(4) Both **A** and **R** are true and **R** is the correct explanation of **A**

133 Given below are two statements :

Statement I : Fig fruit is a non-vegetarian fruit as it has enclosed fig wasps in it.

Statement II : Fig wasp and fig tree exhibit mutual relationship as fig wasp completes its life cycle in fig fruit and fig fruit gets pollinated by fig wasp.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate** answer from the options given below :

(1) Both statement I and statement II are incorrect

(2) Statement I is correct but statement II is incorrect

(3) Statement I is incorrect but statement II is correct

(4) Both statement I and statement II are correct

134 Sweet potato and potato represent a certain type of evolution. Select the correct combination of terms to explain the evolution.

(1) Homology, divergent

(2) Homology, convergent

(3) Analogy, divergent

(4) Analogy, convergent

135 Which of the following microbes is **NOT** involved in the preparation of household products?

A. *Aspergillus niger*

B. *Lactobacillus*

C. *Trichoderma polysporum*

D. *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*

E. *Propionibacterium sharmanii*

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below:

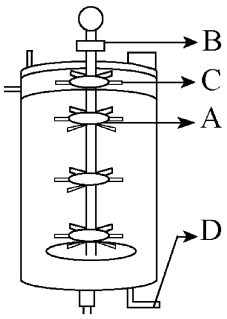
(1) A and C only

(2) C and D only

(3) C and E only

(4) A and B only

136 Identify the part of a bio-reactor which is used as a foam braker from the given figure.



(1) B (2) D
(3) C (4) A

137 Name the class of enzyme that usually catalyze the following reaction :

$S - G + S^{\#} \rightarrow S + S^{\#} - G$

Where, G $\rightarrow$ a group other than hydrogen

S $\rightarrow$ a substrate

$S^{\#}$ $\rightarrow$ another substrate

(1) Lyase (2) Transferase
(3) Ligase (4) Hydrolase

138 Match **List I** with **List II** :

	List I		**List II**
A.	Chlorophyll a	I.	Yellow-green
B.	Chlorophyll b	II.	Yellow
C.	Xanthophylls	III.	Blue-green
D.	Carotenoids	IV.	Yellow to Yellow-orange

Choose the option with all **correct** matches.

(1) A-III, B-I, C-II, D-IV
(2) A-I, B-II, C-IV, D-III
(3) A-I, B-IV, C-III, D-II
(4) A-III, B-IV, C-II, D-I

139 The correct sequence of events in the life cycle of bryophytes is

A. Fusion of antherozoid with egg.
B. Attachment of gametophyte to substratum.
C. Reduction division to produce haploid spores.
D. Formation of sporophyte.
E. Release of antherozoids into water.

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

(1) B, E, A, C, D (2) B, E, A, D, C
(3) D, E, A, B, C (4) D, E, A, C, B

140 Match **List - I** with **List - II**.

	List - I		**List - II**
A.	Centromere	I.	Mitochondrion
B.	Cilium	II.	Cell division
C.	Cristae	III.	Cell movement
D.	Cell membrane	IV.	Phospholipid Bilayer

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

(1) A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III
(2) A-IV, B-II, C-III, D-I
(3) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV
(4) A-I, B-II, C-III, D-IV

141 Find the correct statements :

A. In human pregnancy, the major organ systems are formed at the end of 12 weeks.
B. In human pregnancy the major organ systems are formed at the end of 8 weeks.
C. In human pregnancy heart is formed after one month of gestation.
D. In human pregnancy, limbs and digits develop by the end of second month.
E. In human pregnancy the appearance of hair is usually observed in the fifth month.

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

(1) B and C Only
(2) B, C, D and E Only
(3) A, C, D and E Only
(4) A and E Only

142 Each of the following characteristics represent a Kingdom proposed by Whittaker. Arrange the following in increasing order of complexity of body organization.

A. Multicellular heterotrophs with cell wall made of chitin.

B. Heterotrophs with tissue/organ/organ system level of body organization.

C. Prokaryotes with cell wall made of polysaccharides and amino acids.

D. Eukaryotic autotrophs with tissue/organ level of body organization.

E. Eukaryotes with cellular body organization.

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

(1) C, E, A, D, B (2) A, C, E, D, B

(3) C, E, A, B, D (4) A, C, E, B, D

143 Which are correct:

A. Computed tomography and magnetic resonance imaging detect cancers of internal organs.

B. Chemotherapeutics drugs are used to kill non-cancerous cells.

C. α -interferon activate the cancer patients' immune system and helps in destroying the tumour.

D. Chemotherapeutic drugs are biological response modifiers.

E. In the case of leukaemia blood cell counts are decreased.

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below:

(1) D and E only (2) C and D only

(3) A and C only (4) B and D only

144 Which of the following genetically engineered organisms was used by Eli Lilly to prepare human insulin?

(1) Yeast (2) Virus

(3) Phage (4) Bacterium

145 What is the pattern of inheritance for polygenic trait?

(1) Non-mendelian inheritance pattern

(2) Autosomal dominant pattern

(3) X-linked recessive inheritance pattern

(4) Mendelian inheritance pattern

146 Which of the following are the post-transcriptional events in an eukaryotic cell?

A. Transport of pre-mRNA to cytoplasm prior to splicing.

B. Removal of introns and joining of exons.

C. Addition of methyl group at 5' end of hnRNA.

D. Addition of adenine residues at 3' end of hnRNA.

E. Base pairing of two complementary RNAs.

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

(1) B, C, D only (2) B, C, E only

(3) C, D, E only (4) A, B, C only

147 Which one of the following phytohormones promotes nutrient mobilization which helps in the delay of leaf senescence in plants?

(1) Abscisic acid (2) Gibberellin

(3) Cytokinin (4) Ethylene

148 Which one of the following statements refers to Reductionist Biology?

(1) Physiological approach to study and understand living organisms.

(2) Chemical approach to study and understand living organisms.

(3) Behavioural approach to study and understand living organisms.

(4) Physico-chemical approach to study and understand living organisms.

149 Match **List - I** with **List - II**.

List - I		**List - II**
A. Emphysema	I.	Rapid spasms in muscle due to low Ca^{++} in body fluid
B. Angina Pectoris	II.	Damaged alveolar walls and decreased respiratory surface
C. Glomerulo-nephritis	III.	Acute chest pain when not enough oxygen is reaching to heart muscle
D. Tetany	IV.	Inflammation of glomeruli of kidney

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

(1) A-III, B-I, C-II, D-IV
(2) A-II, B-IV, C-III, D-I
(3) A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I
(4) A-III, B-I, C-IV, D-II

150 Epiphytes that are growing on a mango branch is an example of which of the following?

(1) Mutualism (2) Predation
(3) Amensalism (4) Commensalism

151 Match **List I** with **List II** :

List-I		**List-II**
A. Alfred Hershey and Martha Chase	I.	Streptococcus pneumoniae
B. Euchromatin	II.	Densely packed and dark-stained
C. Frederick Griffith	III.	Loosely packed and light-stained
D. Heterochromatin	IV.	DNA as genetic material confirmation

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

(1) A-IV, B-II, C-I, D-III
(2) A-IV, B-III, C-I, D-II
(3) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I
(4) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III

152 Which chromosome in the human genome has the highest number of genes?

(1) Chromosome Y
(2) Chromosome 1
(3) Chromosome 10
(4) Chromosome X

153 What are the potential drawbacks in adoption of the IVF method?

A. High fatality risk to mother
B. Expensive instruments and reagents
C. Husband/wife necessary for being donors
D. Less adoption of orphans
E. Not available in India
F. Possibility that the early embryo does not survive

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

(1) A, C, D, F only
(2) A, B, C, D only
(3) A, B, C, E, F only
(4) B, D, F only

154 Match **List - I** with **List - II**.

List - I		**List - II**
A. Head	I.	Enzymes
B. Middle piece	II.	Sperm motility
C. Acrosome	III.	Energy
D. Tail	IV.	Genetic material

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

(1) A-IV, B-III, C-II, D-I
(2) A-III, B-IV, C-II, D-I
(3) A-III, B-II, C-I, D-IV
(4) A-IV, B-III, C-I, D-II

155 From the statements given below choose the **correct** option :

A. The eukaryotic ribosomes are 80S and prokaryotic ribosomes are 70S.

B. Each ribosome has two sub-units.

C. The two sub-units of 80S ribosome are 60S and 40S while that of 70S are 50S and 30S.

D. The two sub-units of 80S ribosome are 60S and 20S and that of 70S are 50S and 20S.

E. The two sub-units of 80S are 60S and 30S and that of 70S are 50S and 30S.

(1) A, B, D are true

(2) A, B, E are true

(3) B, D, E are true

(4) A, B, C are true

156 Which of the following is an example of non-distilled alcoholic beverage produced by yeast?

(1) Brandy (2) Beer

(3) Rum (4) Whisky

157 Who is known as the father of Ecology in India?

(1) Ramdeo Misra

(2) Ram Udar

(3) Birbal Sahni

(4) S. R. Kashyap

158 In the seeds of cereals, the outer covering of endosperm separates the embryo by a protein-rich layer called :

(1) Coleorhiza

(2) Integument

(3) Aleurone layer

(4) Coleoptile

159 Which of the following statement is **correct** about location of the male frog copulatory pad?

(1) First digit of hind limb

(2) Second digit of fore limb

(3) First digit of the fore limb

(4) First and Second digit of fore limb

160 A specialised membranous structure in a prokaryotic cell which helps in cell wall formation, DNA replication and respiration is:

(1) Chromatophores

(2) Cristae

(3) Endoplasmic Reticulum

(4) Mesosome

161 Given below are two statements :

Statement I : Transfer RNAs and ribosomal RNA do not interact with mRNA.

Statement II : RNA interference (RNAi) takes place in all eukaryotic organisms as a method of cellular defence.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate** answer from the options given below :

(1) Both Statement I and Statement II are incorrect

(2) Statement I is correct but Statement II is incorrect

(3) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is correct

(4) Both Statement I and Statement II are correct

162 What is the name of the blood vessel that carries deoxygenated blood from the body to the heart in a frog ?

(1) Pulmonary artery

(2) Pulmonary vein

(3) Vena cava

(4) Aorta

163 Given below are two statements :

Statement I : In the RNA world, RNA is considered the first genetic material evolved to carry out essential life processes. RNA acts as a genetic material and also as a catalyst for some important biochemical reactions in living systems. Being reactive, RNA is unstable.

Statement II : DNA evolved from RNA and is a more stable genetic material. Its double helical strands being complementary, resist changes by evolving repairing mechanism.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate** answer from the options given below :

(1) Both statement I and statement II are incorrect

(2) Statement I is correct but statement II is incorrect

(3) Statement I is incorrect but statement II is correct

(4) Both statement I and statement II are correct

164 Which one of the following is an example of ex-situ conservation?

(1) Wildlife Sanctuary

(2) Zoos and botanical gardens

(3) Protected areas

(4) National Park

165 Which one of the following enzymes contains 'Haem' as the prosthetic group?

(1) Carbonic anhydrase

(2) Succinate dehydrogenase

(3) Catalase

(4) RuBisCo

166 Given below are the stages in the life cycle of pteridophytes. Arrange the following stages in the correct sequence.

A. Prothallus stage

B. Meiosis in spore mother cells

C. Fertilisation

D. Formation of archegonia and antheridia in gametophyte.

E. Transfer of antherozoids to the archegonia in presence of water.

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

(1) B, A, E, C, D

(2) D, E, C, A, B

(3) E, D, C, B, A

(4) B, A, D, E, C

167 Which of following organisms *cannot* fix nitrogen?

A. *Azotobacter* B. *Oscillatoria*

C. *Anabaena* D. *Volvox*

E. *Nostoc*

Choose the ***correct*** answer from the options given below:

(1) D only (2) B only

(3) E only (4) A only

168 While trying to find out the characteristic of a newly found animal, a researcher did the histology of adult animal and observed a cavity with presence of mesodermal tissue towards the body wall but no mesodermal tissue was observed towards the alimentary canal. What could be the possible coelome of that animal?

(1) Pseudocoelomate

(2) Schizocoelomate

(3) Spongocoelomate

(4) Acoelomate

169 Given below are two statements :

Statement I : In a floral formula ⊕ stands for zygomorphic nature of the flower, and G stands for inferior ovary.

Statement II : In a floral formula ⊕ stands for actinomorphic nature of the flower and G stands for superior ovary.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **correct** answer from the options given below:

(1) Both Statement I and Statement II are incorrect

(2) Statement I is correct but Statement II is incorrect

(3) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is correct

(4) Both Statement I and Statement II are correct

170 Given below are two statements :

Statement I : The primary source of energy in an ecosystem is solar energy.

Statement II : The rate of production of organic matter during photosynthesis in an ecosystem is called net primary productivity (NPP).

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate** answer from the options given below :

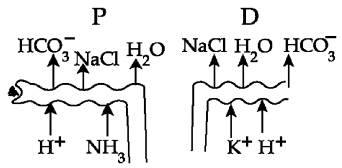
(1) Both statement I and statement II are incorrect

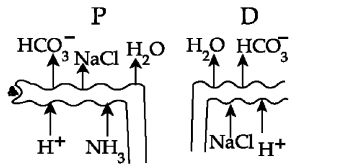
(2) Statement I is correct but statement II is incorrect

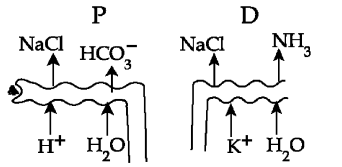
(3) Statement I is incorrect but statement II is correct

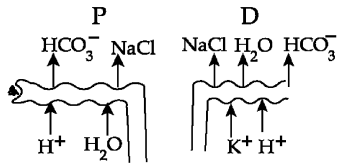
(4) Both statement I and statement II are correct

171 Which of the following diagrams is correct with regard to the proximal (P) and distal (D) tubule of the Nephron.

(1) 

(2) 

(3) 

(4) 

172 Streptokinase produced by *bacterium Streptococcus* is used for

(1) Ethanol production

(2) Liver disease treatment

(3) Removing clots from blood vessels

(4) Curd production

173 Cardiac activities of the heart are regulated by:

A. Nodal tissue

B. A special neural centre in the medulla oblongata

C. Adrenal medullary hormones

D. Adrenal cortical hormones

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

(1) A, B, C and D

(2) A, C and D Only

(3) A, B and D Only

(4) A, B and C Only

174 Given below are two statements : One is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R).**

Assertion (A) : A typical unfertilised, angiosperm embryo sac at maturity is 8 nucleate and 7-celled.

Reason (R) : The egg apparatus has 2 polar nuclei.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **correct** answer from the options given below:

(1) Both **A** and **R** are true but **R** is **NOT** the correct explanation of **A**

(2) **A** is true but **R** is false

(3) **A** is false but **R** is true

(4) Both **A** and **R** are true and **R** is the correct explanation of **A**

175 Find the statement that is **NOT** correct with regard to the structure of monocot stem.

(1) Vascular bundles are scattered.

(2) Vascular bundles are conjoint and closed.

(3) Phloem parenchyma is absent.

(4) Hypodermis is parenchymatous.

176 Given below are two statements : One is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R).**

Assertion (A) : Both wind and water pollinated flowers are not very colourful and do not produce nectar.

Reason (R) : The flowers produce enormous amount of pollen grains in wind and water pollinated flowers.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **correct** answer from the options given below:

(1) Both **A** and **R** are true but **R** is **NOT** the correct explanation of **A**

(2) **A** is true but **R** is false

(3) **A** is false but **R** is true

(4) Both **A** and **R** are true and **R** is the correct explanation of **A**

177 Neoplastic characteristics of cells refer to :

A. A mass of proliferating cell

B. Rapid growth of cells

C. Invasion and damage to the surrounding tissue

D. Those confined to original location

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below:

(1) A, B, C only (2) A, B, D only

(3) B, C, D only (4) A, B only

178 The complex II of mitochondrial electron transport chain is also known as

(1) Succinate dehydrogenase

(2) Cytochrome c oxidase

(3) NADH dehydrogenase

(4) Cytochrome bc_1

179 Polymerase chain reaction (PCR) amplifies DNA following the equation.

(1) 2^n (2) $2n + 1$

(3) $2N^2$ (4) N^2

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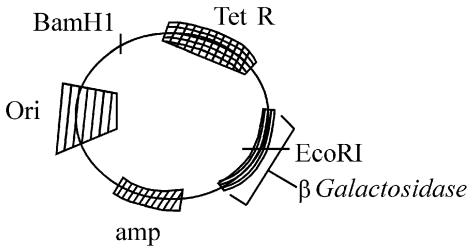

In the above represented plasmid an alien piece of DNA is inserted at EcoRI site. Which of the following strategies will be chosen to select the recombinant colonies?

(1) Blue color colonies will be selected.

(2) White color colonies will be selected.

(3) Blue color colonies grown on ampicillin plates can be selected.

(4) Using ampicillin & tetracyclin containing medium plate.

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