



## BIOLOGY

### BOOKS - A2Z BIOLOGY (HINGLISH)

### PHOTOSYNTHESIS IN HIGHER PLANTS

#### Section A Topicwise Questions Topic 1 Early Experiments And Site Of Photosynthesis

1. Which of the following experiments showed that  $CO_2$  is essential for photosynthesis?

- A. Half-leaf experiment
- B. Variegated leaf experiment
- C. Priestley's experiment
- D. J. von Sachs' experiment

**Answer: A**

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2. In half-leaf experiment, a compound is used to absorb  $CO_2$ . This compound is

A. NaOH

B. KOH

C. NaCl

D. HCl

**Answer: B**

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3. The following hypothesis, "Plants restore to the air whatever breathing animals and burning candles remove" was given by

A. Joseph Priestley

B. Jan Ingenhousz

C. T. W. Engelmann

D. C. van Niel

**Answer: A**



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4. Which of the following scientist showed that it is only the green part of the plants that would release oxygen?

A. Joseph Priestley

B. Jan Ingenhousz

C. T. W. Engelmann

D. C. van Niel

**Answer: B**

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5. Who found that the green parts in plants is where glucose is made, and that the glucose is usually stored as starch?

- A. Julius von Sachs
- B. Cornelius van Niel
- C. T.W. Engelmann
- D. Jan Ingenhousz

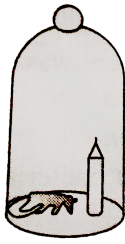
**Answer: A**

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6. The following set up is called



(a)



(b)



(c)



(d)

- A. Engelmann experiment
- B. Jan Ingenhousz experiment
- C. Priestley's experiment
- D. Cornelius van Niel experiment

**Answer: C**



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7. Which scientist showed that the green substances in plant (chlorophyll) is located in special bodies (chloroplast) within plant cells?

A. Julius von Sachs

B. Cornelius van Niel

C. T. W. Engelmann

D. Jan Ingenhousz

**Answer: A**



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**8. Action spectrum of photosynthesis was first studied by**

A. Julius von Sachs

B. Cornelius van Niel

C. T.W. Engelmann

D. Jan Ingenhousz

**Answer: C**



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9. Action spectrum of photosynthesis resembles roughly the

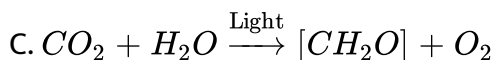
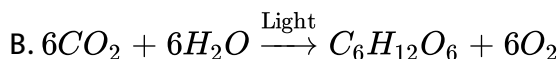
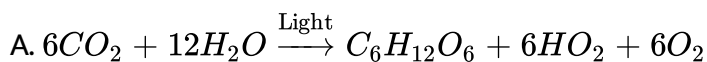
- A. Absorption spectrum of chlorophyll a
- B. Absorption spectrum of chlorophyll b
- C. Absorption spectrum of chlorophyll c
- D. Absorption spectrum of chlorophyll a and b

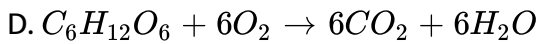
Answer: A



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10. The empirical equation representing the total process of photosynthesis for oxygen evolving oxygen was given by





Answer: C



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11. Recognise the figure and find out the correct matching.



A. a -grana, b-stromal lamella, e-ribosomes, c- starch granule, d-lipid

droplet

B. b-grana, a-stromal lamella, c-ribosomes, d- starch granule, e-lipid

droplet



C. a-grana, b-stromal lamella, d-ribosomes, e- starch granule, c-lipid droplet

D. b-grana, a-stromal lamella, d-ribosomes, c- starch granule, e-lipid droplet

**Answer: A**

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**12.** Cornelius van Niel's experiment was on

- A. A green alga cladophora
- B. Chlorella and Scenedesmus
- C. Purple and green sulphur bacteria
- D. Mint plant

**Answer: C**

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13. Engelmann's experiment was on

- A. A green alga. Cladophora
- B. Chlorella and Scenedesmus
- C. Purple and green sulphur bacteria
- D. Mint plant

**Answer: A**



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14. J. Priestley' s experiment was on

- A. A green alga. Cladophora
- B. Chlorella and Scenedesmus
- C. Purple and green sulphur bacteria

D. Mint plant

**Answer: D**



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15. Who demonstrated that photosynthesis is essentially a light dependent reaction in which hydrogen from a suitable oxidisable compound reduces carbon dioxide to carbohydrates?

A. Julius von Sachs

B. Cornelius van Niel

C. T.W. Engelmann

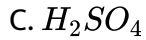
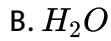
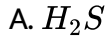
D. Jan Ingenhousz

**Answer: B**



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16. In purple and green sulphur bacteria, the hydrogen donor is



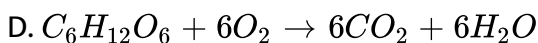
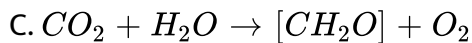
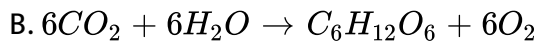
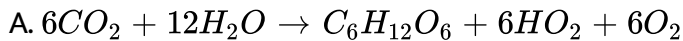
D. Sulphate

Answer: A



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17. The correct equation that would represent the overall process of photosynthesis is



**Answer: A**



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**18.** Which pigment of the plant takes part in light reaction of photosynthesis

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Which pigment is present universally in all green plants

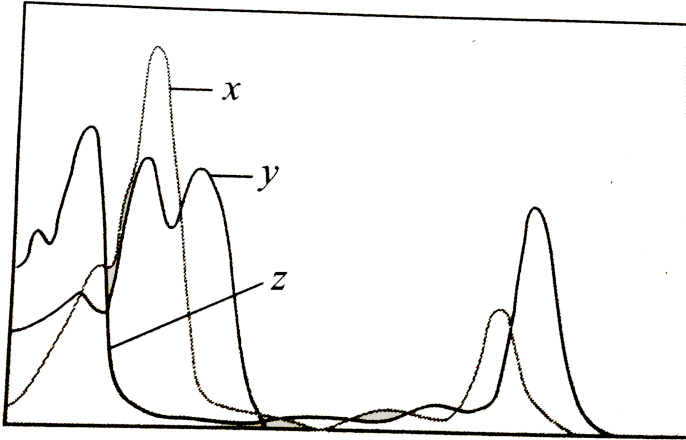
- A. Chlorophyll a
- B. Chlorophyll b
- C. Chlorophyll c
- D. Chlorophyll d

**Answer: A**



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19. Recognise the figure and find out the correct matching.



- A. z-chlorophyll a, x-chlorophyll b, y-carotenoids
- B. x-chlorophyll a, y-chlorophyll b, z-carotenoids
- C. y-chlorophyll a, z-chlorophyll b, x-carotenoids
- D. y-chlorophyll a, x-chlorophyll b, z-carotenoids

**Answer: A**



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20. Match the columns I and II, and choose the correct combination from the options given

Column I	Column II
a. Chlorophyll <i>a</i>	1. Yellow
b. Chlorophyll <i>b</i>	2. Yellow green
c. Carotenoids	3. Yellow to yellow orange
d. Xanthophylls	4. Bright or blue green

A. 1-a, 3-b, 1-c, 2-d

B. 3-a, 4-b, 1-c, 2-d

C. 4-a, 2-b, 3-c, 1-d

D. 2-a, 1-b, 4--c, 3-d

Answer: C



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21. Leaf pigments of any green plants can be separated by

A. X-ray diffraction

B. Sedimentation

C. Paper chromatography

D. Centrifugation

**Answer: C**

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**22.** Joseph Priestley discovered  $O_2$  in the year

A. 1860

B. 1854

C. 1774

D. 1770

**Answer: C**

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**23.** Photosynthesis is a

- A. Physical process
- B. Chemical process
- C. Photo-chemical process
- D. Physio-chemical process

**Answer: C**



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**24.** Photosynthesis is important and is the basis of life on earth because

- A. Photosynthesis is the primary source of all food on earth
- B. Photosynthesis is responsible for release of oxygen into the atmosphere
- C. Both A and B

D. None of the above

**Answer: C**



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**25.** Which of the following are called accessory pigments?

(a) Chlorophyll a (b) Chlorophyll b

(c) Carotenoids (d) Xanthophylls

A. a, b and c

B. a,c and d

C. b, c and d

D. a, b, c and d

**Answer: C**



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26. Which one of the following does not play any role in photosynthesis

- A. Phycocyanin
- B. Phycocerythrin
- C. Anthocyanin
- D. Xanthophyll

**Answer: C**



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27. Besides water and light which is more essential as a raw material for food formation

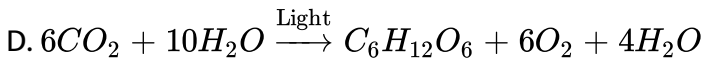
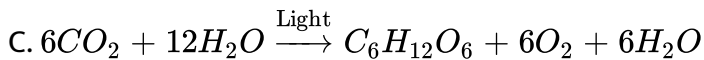
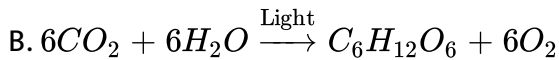
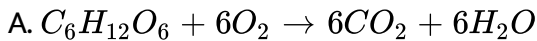
- A.  $CO_2$
- B. NAD
- C.  $O_2$
- D. Mineral salts

Answer: A



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28. Correct equation for photosynthesis is



Answer: C



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29. Dark reaction in photosynthesis is called so because

A. It can occur in dark alone

B. It does not require direct light energy

C. It cannot occur during day time

D. It occurs more rapidly at night

**Answer: B**



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30. The process of taking in  $CO_2$  by plants and releasing  $O_2$  is component of

A. Transpiration

B. Respiration

C. Endosmosis

D. Photosynthesis

**Answer: D**



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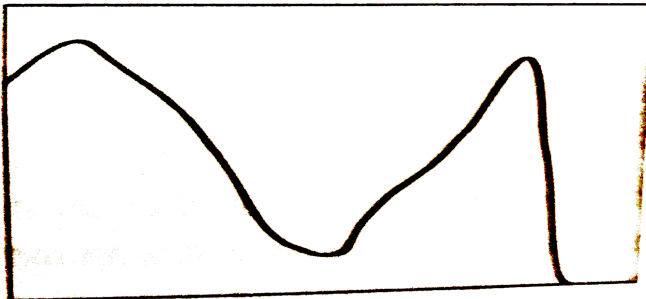
31. A photosynthetic organism which does not release oxygen is

- A. Blue-green alga
- B. Green sulphur bacterium
- C. Green alga
- D. Algal component of lichen

**Answer: B**

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32. The following graph shows the



- A. Absorption spectrum of chlorophyll a
- B. Absorption spectrum of chlorophyll b
- C. Action spectrum of photosynthesis
- D. Both A and B

**Answer: C**

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**33.** What is true for photosynthesis

- A. Both carbon dioxide and water are oxidised
- B. Both carbon dioxide and water are reduced
- C. Carbon dioxide is oxidised and water is reduced
- D. Carbon dioxide is reduced and water is oxidised

**Answer: D**

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34. Who demonstrated for the first time that in photosynthesis, oxygen is evolved from water

- A. Ruben and Kamen
- B. Calvin
- C. R. Hill
- D. Govindji

**Answer: C**



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35. Moll's experiment show

- A. Unequal transpiration from two surfaces of leaf
- B.  $CO_2$  is essential for photosynthesis
- C. Relation between transpiration and absorption



D. Chlorophyll is essential for photosynthesis

**Answer: B**



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**36.** The First scientist to find out the role of light in photosynthesis was

A. Ingenhousz

B. Senebier

C. Priestley

D. Sachs

**Answer: A**



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37. Isotopes popularly known to have been used in the study of photosynthesis are

or

Which of the following isotopes of carbon was used by Calvin to trace the path of carbon in photosynthesis

A.  $^{11}\text{C}$  and  $^{32}\text{P}$

B.  $^{15}\text{C}$  and  $^{32}\text{P}$

C.  $^{16}\text{C}$  and  $^{15}\text{N}$

D.  $^{14}\text{C}$  and  $^{18}\text{O}$

**Answer: D**



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38. A photosynthesizing plant is releasing  $\text{O}_2$  more than the normal. The plant must have been supplied with

A.  $O_3$

B.  $H_2O$  with  $^{18}O$

C.  $C_6H_{12}O_6$  with  $^{18}O$

D.  $CO_2$  with  $^{18}O$

**Answer: B**

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**39.** Light energy is used in photosynthesis for

A. Breakdown of  $H_2O$

B. Breakdown of  $CO_2$

C. Activation of chlorophyll

D. Breakdown of  $C_6H_{12}O_6$

**Answer: C**

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40. Bacterial photosynthesis differs from photosynthesis of others in

- A. Not liberating oxygen
- B. Non-requirement of light
- C. Non-fixation of energy
- D. Requirement of host organism

**Answer: A**



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41. Which colour of light gives maximum absorption peak of chlorophyll a

- A. Red
- B. Blue
- C. Green

D. Yellow

**Answer: B**



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**42.** Which of the following is least effective in photosynthesis

A. Sunlight

B. Red light

C. Blue light

D. Green light

**Answer: D**



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**43.** Plants purify air during

A. Photosynthesis

B. Respiration

C. Transpiration

D. Desiccation

**Answer: A**

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**44.** Solarisation is

A. Formation of chlorophyll

B. Destruction of chlorophyll

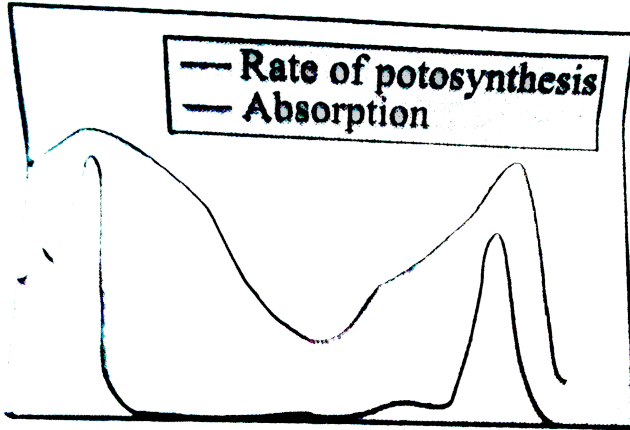
C. Utilisation of sunlight

D. Effect of solar light

**Answer: B**

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45. The following figure shows the



- A. Action spectrum of photosynthesis superimposed on absorption spectrum of chlorophyll a .
- B. Action spectrum of photosynthesis superimposed on absorption spectrum of chlorophyll b
- C. Both A and B
- D. Absorption spectrum of carotenoids superimposed on action spectrum of photosynthesis

**Answer: A**



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**46.** Which is not an accessory pigment?

- A. Carotene
- B. Xanthophyll
- C. Chlorophyll a
- D. Chlorophyll b

**Answer: C**



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**47.** Which one is product in respiration and reagent in photosynthesis?

- A.  $O_2$

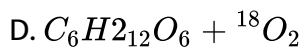
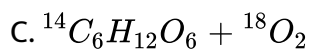
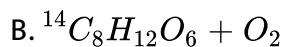
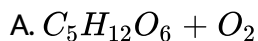




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48. A photosynthetic cell is provided with  $^{14}CO_2$  and  $H_2^{18}O$ . They form



**Answer: C**

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49. Which one of the following is the common storage product of photosynthesis

- A. Protein
- B. Fat
- C. Starch
- D. Sucrose/glucose

**Answer: C**



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50. Carotenes protect plants from

- A. Photooxidation
- B. Desiccation
- C. Photorespiration
- D. Photosynthesis

**Answer: A**



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51. The hypothesis that all photosynthetic organic require a source of hydrogen was give by

A. Hill

B. Ruben and Kamen

C. van Niel

D. Emerson and Arnold

**Answer: C**



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52. At carbon atom III, chlorophyll a has

- A. Methyl group
- B. Aldehyde group
- C. Carboxyl group
- D. Magnesium

**Answer: A**

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53. Who first of all indicated that water is electron donor in photosynthesis ?

- A. Arnon
- B. Calvin
- C. Emerson
- D. van Niel

**Answer: D**

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54. Chlorophyll is soluble in

- A. Water
- B. Organic solvents
- C. Both A and B
- D. None of the above

**Answer: B**

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55. Balance between  $CO_2$  and  $O_2$  is maintained by

- A. Transpiration
- B. Photosynthesis
- C. Photorespiration

D.  $C_4$  pathway

**Answer: B**

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## Section A Topicwise Questions Topic 2 Light Reaction The Electron Transport Cyclic And Non Cy

1. Light harvesting complexes(LHC) are made up of hundreds of pigment molecules bound to proteins. In LHC reaction centre is formed by

- A. A single chlorophyll a molecule
- B. All the pigments except the one molecule of chlorophyll a
- C. Carotenoids and xanthophylls
- D. Both B and C

**Answer: A**

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## 2. Fill in the blanks

The water splitting complex is associated with the ...a...which itself is physically located on the ..b... of the membrane of the ...c... .

A. a-PS I, b-inner, c-stroma lamella

B. a-PS II, b-outer, c-grana

C. a- PS II, b-inner, c-thylakoid

D. a- PS II, b-outer, c-thylakoid

**Answer: C**



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## 3. The PS II and PS I in Z-scheme are connected by

A. Electron transport system

B. Light harvesting complex

C. Cyclic photophosphorylation

D. Non-cyclic photophosphorylation

**Answer: A**



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4. A possible location of the cyclic photophosphorylation

A. Grana

B. Stroma

C. Stroma lamellae

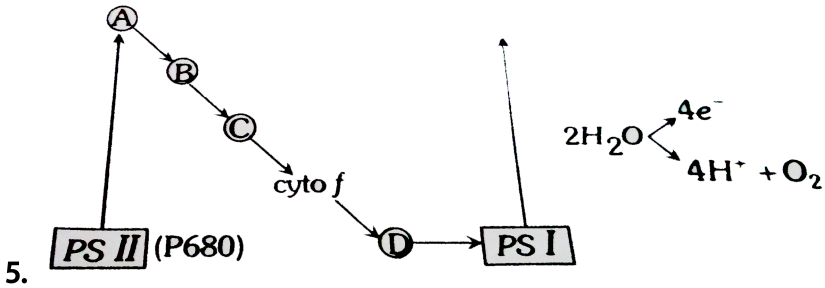
D. Thylakoid

**Answer: C**



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In the above schematic diagram, which is plastocyanin

- A. a
- B. b
- C. c
- D. d

**Answer: D**

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6. Which one of the following statements about the events of non-cyclic photophosphorylation is not correct

- A. Photolysis of water takes place
- B. Only one photosystem participates
- C. ATP and NADPH are produced
- D.  $O_2$  is released

**Answer: B**

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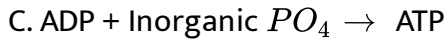
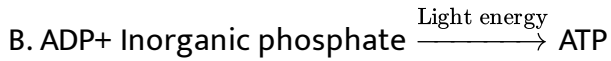
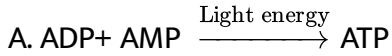
7. Raw materials required for light reactions are

- A. ADP and  $H_2O$
- B. ADP,  $H_2O$  and NADP
- C. ADP and  $NADPH_2$
- D. ATP and NADP

**Answer: B**

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8. Which one is photophosphorylation



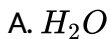
D.

**Answer: B**



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9. During photosynthesis  $O_2$  is liberated by oxidation of



B. Phosphoglyceraldehyde

C. None of the above

D.

**Answer: A**



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**10.** The process in which water is split during photosynthesis is

A. Photolysis

B. Hydrolysis

C. Plasmolysis

D. Haemolysis

**Answer: A**



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**11.** Cyclic photophosphorylation produces

A. NADPH

B. ATP and NADPH

C. ATP, NADPH and  $O_2$

D. ATP only

**Answer: D**

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**12.** Photophosphorylation means synthesis of

A. ATP from ADP

B. NADP

C. ADP from ATP

D. PGA

**Answer: A**

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13. The two pigment system theory of photosynthesis was proposed by

- A. Hill
- B. Blackman
- C. Emerson
- D. Arnon

**Answer: C**



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14. Which one directly transfers electrons to  $NADP^+$  during light reaction?

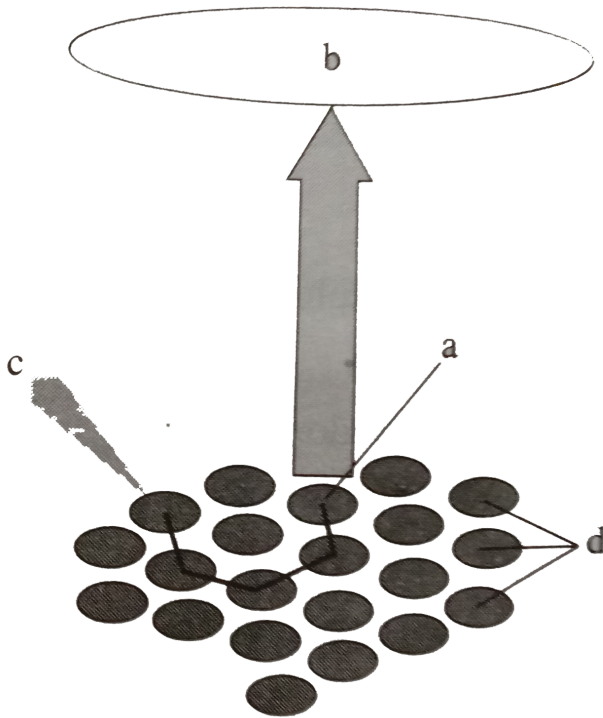
- A. PS I
- B. PS II
- C. Cytochromes

## D. Plastocyanin

Answer: A

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15. Recognise the figure and find out the correct matching.



A. a-primary acceptor, b-reaction centre, c- pigment molecules, d-  
photon

B. a-primary acceptor, b-reaction centre, d- pigment molecules, c-  
photon

C. . pprimary acceptor, a-reaction centre, d- pigment molecules, c-  
photon

D. d-pri mary acceptor, a-reaction centre, b-

**Answer: C**



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**16. Bacterial photosynthesis contains**

A. PS I

B. PS II

C. Both PS I and PS II



D. None of them

**Answer: A**

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17. The evidence that during photosynthesis oxygen comes from water

- A. Photosynthetic bacteria employ  $H_2S$  and  $CO_2$  to form carbohydrates, water and sulphur
- B. Isolated illuminated chloroplasts release oxygen if provided with potassium ferrocyanide
- C. Isotopic  $^{18}O$  provided as  $H_2^{18}O$  appears as  $^{18}O_2$  liberated in photosynthesis
- D. All of the above

**Answer: D**

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18. Main difference between chlorophyll a and chlorophyll b is

- A.  $-CH_3$  of chlorophyll a is replaced by  $-CHO$  in chlorophyll b
- B. Chlorophyll a is linear while chlorophyll b is branched
- C. Chlorophyll a has no Mg
- D. All of the above

**Answer: A**



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19. Liberation of oxygen when green cells in water are exposed to sunlight in presence of suitable acceptor is

- A. Emerson effect
- B. Blackman's reaction
- C. Hill's reaction

D. Arnon reaction

**Answer: C**



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20. Photophosphorylation is the process in which

A.  $CO_2$  and  $O_2$  unite

B. Phosphoglyceric acid is produced

C. Aspartic acid is formed

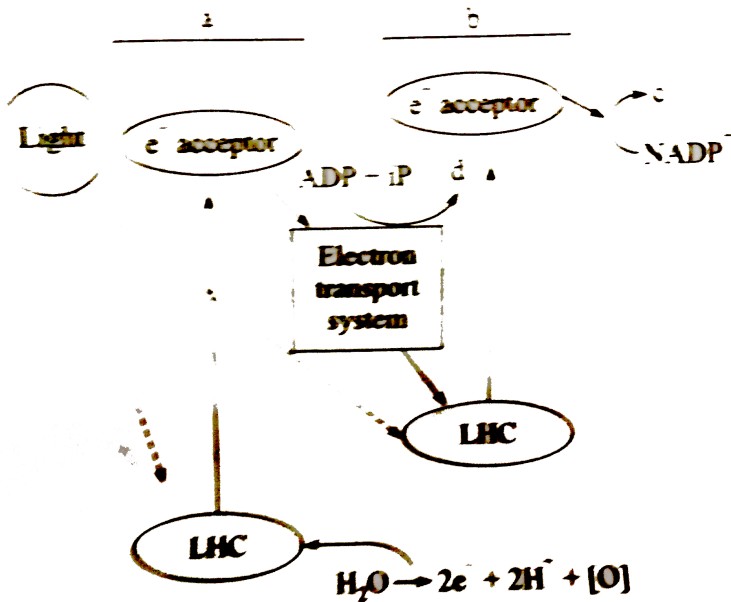
D. Light energy is converted into chemical energy through production of ATP

**Answer: D**



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21. Recognise the figure and find out the correct matching.



- A. a-PS I, b-PS II, c-ATP, d-NADH
- B. a- PS II, b-PS I, c-NADH, d-ATP
- C. a-PS I, b-PS II, c-NADPH, d-ATP
- D. a-PS I, b-PS II, c-NADPH, d-ATP

Answer: D



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22. *ATP* formation during photosynthesis is

- A. Phosphorylation
- B. Photophosphorylation
- C. Oxidative phosphorylation
- D. None of the above

**Answer: B**



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23. Red drop discovered by Emerson is due to disruption of photochemical activity of

- A. Carotenoids
- B. PS I
- C. PS II
- D. Both Band C

**Answer: C**



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**24.** Leaves are green because they

- A. Absorb green light
- B. Do not absorb but reflect green light
- C. Utilise green light
- D. Absorb and reflect green light

**Answer: B**



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**25.** Pigment acting as a reaction centre during photosynthesis is

- A. Carotene

B. Phytochrome

C.  $P_{700}$

D. Cytochrome

**Answer: C**



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26. Which one occurs both during cyclic and non-cyclic modes of photophosphorylation?

A. Involvement of both PS I and PS II

B. Formation of ATP

C. Release of  $O_2$

D. Formation of NADPH

**Answer: B**



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27. In the two light reactions of photosynthesis

- A. PS I produces strong oxidant while PS II a strong reductant
- B. PS I produces strong reductant NADPH while PS II a strong oxidant
- C. PS I emits electrons for PS II
- D. PS I produces ATP which is not formed by PS II

**Answer: B**



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28. Which is sensitive to longer wavelengths of light

- A. PS II
- B. PS I
- C. Phosphorylation
- D. Photolysis



**Answer: B**



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**29.** Pigment system I performs independently

- A. Non-cyclic photophosphorylation
- B. Cyclic photophosphorylation
- C. Oxidative phosphorylation
- D. Photolysis

**Answer: B**



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**30.** The products of photochemical reaction are

- A.  $O_2$  ATP and NADPH

B.  $O_2$

C. ATP and NADPH

D. Organic compounds especially carbohydrates

**Answer: A**



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**31. Cyclic phosphorylation cannot sustain photosynthesis**

A. PS I does not function beyond 680 nm

B. No evolution of oxygen

C. Unidirectional cyclic movement electrons

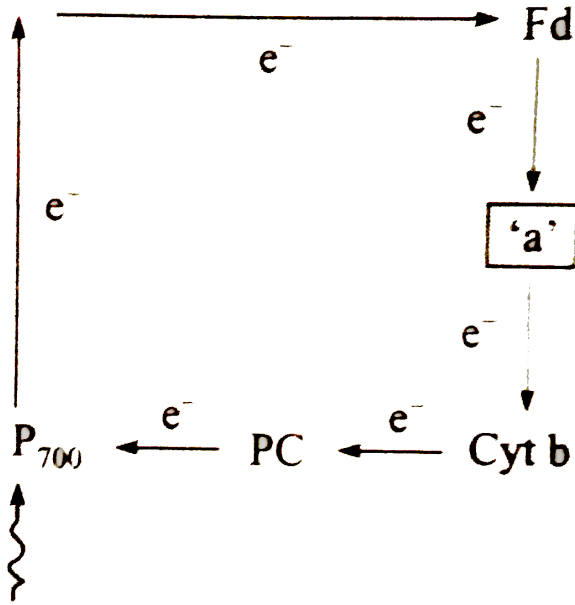
D. Only ATP is formed, NADPH is not formed

**Answer: D**



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32. In the chart of photophosphorylation, what does a represent ?



- A. Cyt a
- B. Cyt  $a_3$
- C. FRS
- D. PQ

Answer: D



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**33.** Electrons from excited chlorophyll of PS II are accepted first by

- A. Quinone
- B. ferredoxin
- C. Cytochrome b
- D. Cytochrome f

**Answer: A**



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**34.** First electron acceptor of PS I is

- A. Pheophytin
- B. Plastoquinone
- C. Cytochrome b
- D. Fe-S protein

**Answer: D**



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**35. Photolysis of water requires**

- A. Light
- B. Chlorophyll
- C. Both A and B
- D. Electron transport

**Answer: C**



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**36. Photolysis of water molecule yields**

- A. 2 electrons and 4 protons

B. 4 electrons and 4 protons

C. 4 electrons and 2 protons

D. 2 electrons and 2 protons

**Answer: B**



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**37.** Four electrons produced during photolysis of water will enter

A. PS I

B. PQ

C. PS II

D. PC

**Answer: C**



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**38.** In non-cyclic photophosphorylation, PS I is reduced by

- A. Electron from PS II
- B. Electron from ferredoxin
- C. Hydrogen from water
- D. Hydrogen from PS II

**Answer: A**



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**39.** In photosystem I, the first electron acceptor is

- A. An Fe-S protein
- B. Ferredoxin
- C. Cytochrome
- D. Plastocyanin

**Answer: A**



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40. Which one provides electrons for reduction reactions in photosynthesis?

A. NADPH

B. Chlorophyll

C. Cytochrome

D. Water

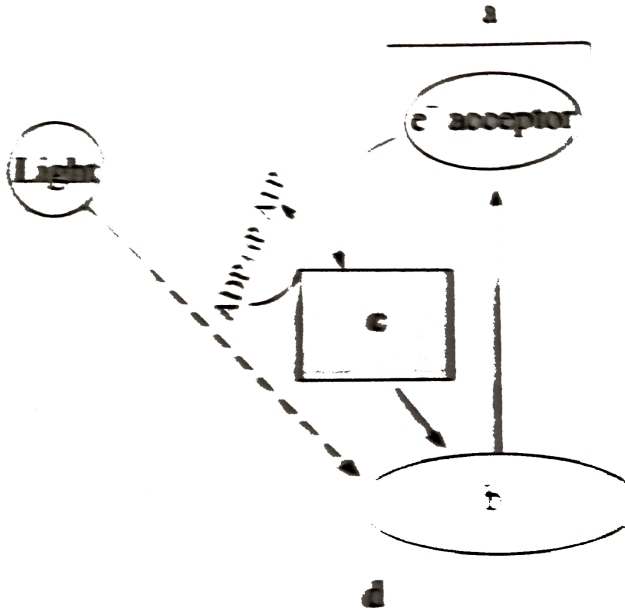
**Answer: D**



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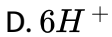
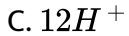
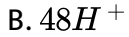
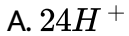


- A. a-PS I, b- $P_{700}$ , c-ETS, d-Cyclic photophosphorylation
- B. a-PS II, b- $P_{680}$ , c- ETS, d-Cyclic photophosphorylation
- C. a-PS II, b- $P_{700}$ , c-Z scheme, d- ETS
- D. a-PS I, b- $P_{680}$ , c-ETS, d-Cyclic photophosphorylation

Answer: A

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42. Water releases protons. Twelve water molecules will release



**Answer: A**



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43. Number of chlorophyll arranged per reaction centre in the light harvesting complex are

A. 100

B. 200

C. 300

D. 400

**Answer: C**



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**44.** ATP synthase of chloroplasts is similar to that of

- A. Mitochondria
- B. Peroxisomes
- C. Golgi bodies
- D. Microsomes

**Answer: A**



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**45.** Non-cyclic photophosphorylation produces

- A.  $NAD^+$

B. NADH

C. NADPH

D.  $NADP^+$

**Answer: C**



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**46.** In electron transport system, the last electron acceptor of photophosphorylation is

A. NADPH

B.  $NADP^+$

C. Atomic oxygen

D. Chlorophyll-a

**Answer: B**



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47.  $\text{ADP} \rightarrow \text{ATP}$  reaction occurs when two protons ( $\text{H}^+$ ) are passed from

- A. Thylakoid lumen to cytosol
- B. Thylakoid to lumen
- C. Lumen of thylakoid to stroma
- D. Stroma to thylakoid lumen

**Answer: C**



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48. ETC of photosynthesis process is

- A. Bound to thylakoid membrane
- B. Present in stroma
- C. Bound to outer chloroplast membrane

D. Dispersed in cytosol

**Answer: A**



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**49.** The core metal of chlorophyll is

Or

Which element is left when chlorophyll is burnt

A. Mn

B. Mg

C. Fe

D. Ni

**Answer: B**



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50. PS I and PS II occur over

- A. Grana of chloroplast
- B. Matrix of mitochondria
- C. Stroma of chloroplast
- D. Inner membrane of mitochondrion

**Answer: A**



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51. Steps in non-cyclic photophosphorylation include passage of electrons along

- A. FRS  $\rightarrow$  FD  $\rightarrow$  Cyt  $b_6$   $\rightarrow$  Cyt f  $\rightarrow$  PC  $\rightarrow$  Chl a
- B. Chl a  $\rightarrow$  Cyt  $b_6$   $\rightarrow$  Cyt f  $\rightarrow$  PC  $\rightarrow$  PS I  $\rightarrow$  FRS  $\rightarrow$  FD
- C. Chl a  $\rightarrow$  PQ  $\rightarrow$  Cyt  $b_6$   $\rightarrow$  Cyt f  $\rightarrow$  PC  $\rightarrow$  PS I  $\rightarrow$  FRS  $\rightarrow$  FD
- D. PQ  $\rightarrow$  Cyt  $b_6$   $\rightarrow$  Cyt f  $\rightarrow$  PC  $\rightarrow$  PS I  $\rightarrow$  FRS  $\rightarrow$  FD

**Answer: D**



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**52.** Carbon dioxide joins the photosynthetic pathway in

- A. PS I
- B. PS II
- C. Light reaction
- D. Dark reaction

**Answer: D**



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**53.** First reaction in photosynthesis is

- A. Photolysis of water



B. Excitation of chlorophyll molecules

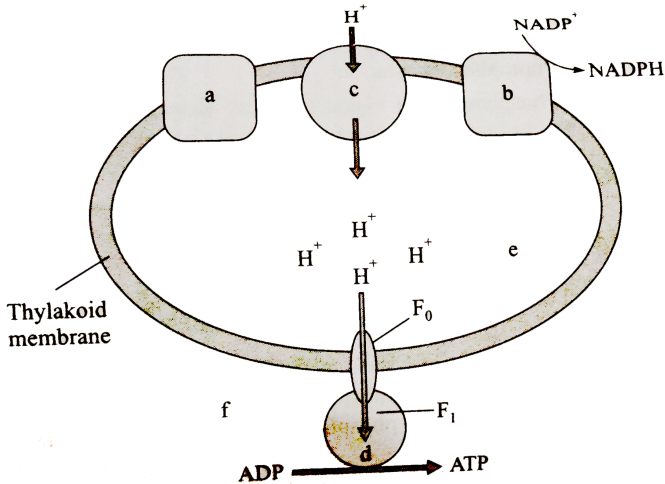
C. Formation of ATP

D. Fixation of  $CO_2$

Answer: B

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54. Recognise the figure and find out the correct matching



A. a-ATP synthase, b-photosystem I, c-photosystem II, e-stroma, f-lumen, d-cytochrome b and f

B. d-ATP synthase, a-photosystem I, b-photosystem II, f-stroma, e-lumen, c-cytochrome band f

C. d-ATP synthase, b-photosystem I, a-photosystem II, f-stroma, e-lumen, c-cytochrome band f

D. d-ATP synthase, a-photosystem I, b-photosystem II. e-stroma, f-lumen, c-cytochrome b and f

**Answer: C**



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55. Which pigment acts directly to convert light energy to chemical energy?

A. Xanthophyll

B. Chlorophyll a

C. Chlorophyll b

D. Chlorophyll c

**Answer: B**



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**56.** Which of the following contains copper?

A. Quinone

B. Plastoquinone

C. Plastocyanin

D. Cyt  $b_5$

**Answer: C**



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**57.** The process of photophosphorylation was discovered by

- A. Calvin
- B. Amon
- C. Priestley
- D. Warburg

**Answer: B**

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**58.** In photosynthesis, photolysis of water is used in

- A. Reduction of NADP
- B. Oxidation of NADP
- C. Oxidation of FAD
- D. None of the above

**Answer: A**

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59. ATP formation in chloroplast and mitochondrion is explained by

- A. Oholodny-Went model
- B. Chemi-osmotic theory of Mitchell
- C. Munch's mass flow theory
- D. Relay pump theory of Godlewski

**Answer: B**



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60. Constituents of pigment system I are located on

- A. Granal thylakoids
- B. Stromal thylakoids
- C. Outer surface of granal and stromal thylakoids

D. Stroma

**Answer: C**



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**61. ATP synthesis during light reaction is**

A. Oxidative phosphorylation

B. Photolysis

C. Photophosphorylation

D. Phosphorylation

**Answer: C**



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1. Read the following statements and find out the incorrect statement

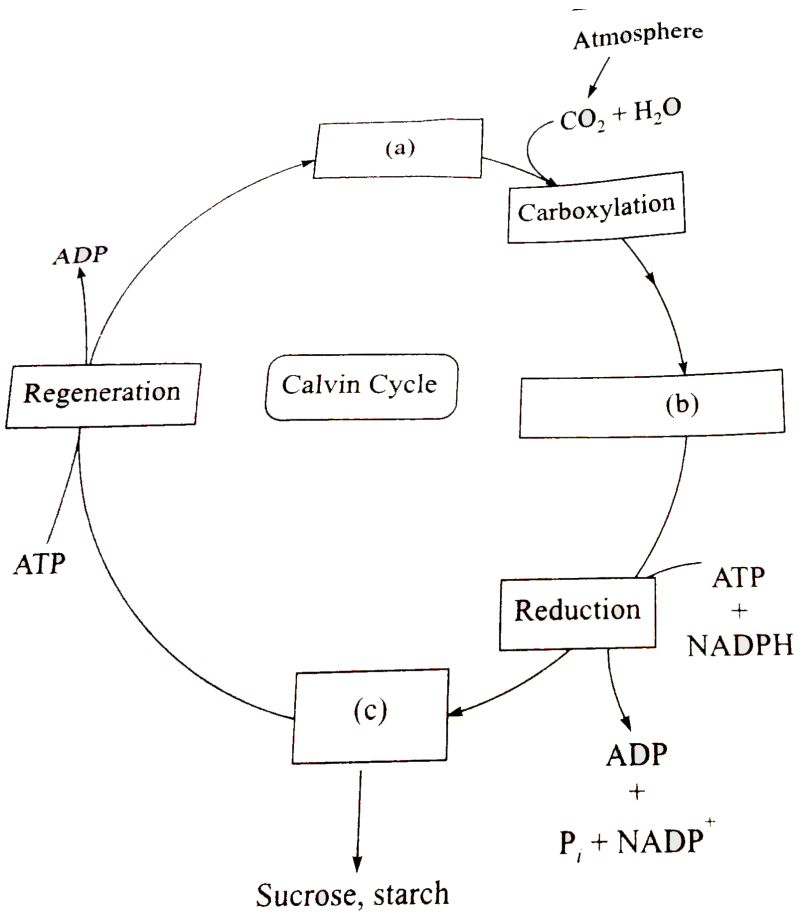
- A. Second step of Calvin cycle (i.e, reduction) involve utilisation of 2 molecules of ATP for reduction and 2 of NADPH for phosphorylation per  $CO_2$  molecule fixed
- B. The regeneration steps require one ATP for phosphorylation to form RuBP.
- C. It is probably to meet the differences in number of ATP and NADPH used in dark reaction that the cyclic phosphorylation takes place.
- D. Plants that are adapted to dry tropical regions have the  $C_4$  pathway

**Answer: A**



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2. Choose the correct combinations of labelling in Calvin cycle-



- A. a-RuBP, b-Triose phosphate. c-PGA
- B. a-PGA, b-RuBP, c-Triose phosphate
- C. a- PGA, b-Triose phosphate. c-RuBP
- D. a- RuBP. b-PGA. c-Triose phosphate



**Answer: D**



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**3. How many PGAL molecules would regenerate 15 RuBP?**

A. 30

B. 25

C. 15

D. 20

**Answer: A**



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**4. The carbon dioxide acceptor in Calvin cycle/ $C_3$  plants is**

A. Phosphoenol pyruvate (PEP)

B. Ribulose 1,5-diphosphate (RuBP)

C. Phosphoglyceric acid (PGA)

D. Ribulose monophosphate (RMP)

**Answer: B**



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5. Algae employed by Calvin et al in experiments on photosynthesis belong to

A. Euglena and Scenedesmus

B. Chara

C. Chlamydomonas and Chlorella

D. Chlorella and Scenedesmus

**Answer: D**



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6. Which technique has helped in investigation of calvin cycle ?

- A. X-ray crystallography
- B. X-ray technique
- C. Radioactive isotope technique
- D. Intermittent light

**Answer: C**



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7. Assimilatory power produced in Hill reaction and used in Blackman's reaction refers to

- A. Generation of ATP and NAOPH
- B. Reduction of  $CO_2$
- C. Splitting of water

D. Disintegration of plastids

**Answer: A**



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8. The experimental material that has largely been responsible for making rapid advances in research on photosynthesis is

A. Chlamydomonas

B. Chlorella

C. Spinach leaf

D. Hydrilla

**Answer: B**



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9. In  $C_3$  plants, the first stable product of photosynthesis during dark reaction is

A. PGA

B. PGAL

C. RuBP

D. Oxalo-acetic acid

**Answer: A**



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10. During dark reaction the three carbon atoms of 3-PGA are derived from

A. RuBP only

B.  $CO_2$  only

C. RuBP +  $CO_2$

D. RuBP +  $CO_2$  + PEP

**Answer: C**



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**11.** In photosynthesis

- A. ATP is formed in light reaction and glucose in dark reaction
- B. Both ATP and glucose are produced in dark reaction
- C. Both ATP and glucose are produced in light reaction
- D. Both ATP and glucose are formed in light

**Answer: A**



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**12.** Dark reaction of photosynthesis is

- A. Hill reaction
- B. Calvin cycle
- C. Cyclic photophosphorylation
- D. Non-cyclic photophosphorylation

**Answer: B**



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**13.** For synthesis of a molecule of glucose. the requirement of ATP and NADPH is respectively

- A. 15 and 10
- B. 12 and 18
- C. 12 and 6
- D. 18 and 12

**Answer: D**

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14. Nobel Prize was awarded to the scientist for discovering the pathway of carbon assimilation

A. Watson

B. Krebs

C. Calvin

D. Parnas

**Answer: C**

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15. A molecule of glucose is formed in Calvin cycle from

A.  $6CO_2 + 12 \text{ ATP}$

B.  $6CO_2 + 18 \text{ ATP} + 12 \text{ NADPH}$



C.  $6CO_2 + 18 ATP + 30 NADPH$

D.  $6CO_2 + 30 ATP + 12 NADPH$

**Answer: B**

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**16.** Which statement about photosynthesis is false?

A. Enzymes required for carbon fixation are located in grana of chloroplasts

B. In green plants, both PS I and PS II are required for synthesis of  $NADPH + H^+$

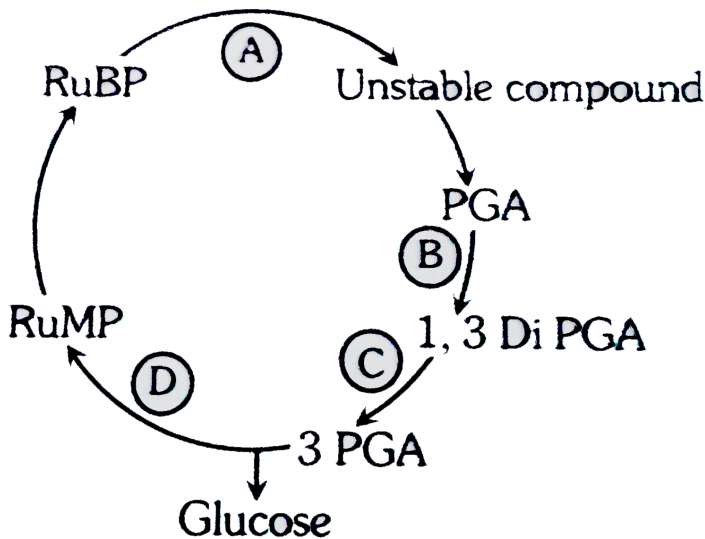
C. Electron carriers of photophosphorylation are located on thylakoid membranes

D. Photosynthesis is a redox process in which water is oxidised and  $CO_2$  is reduced

Answer: A

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17. In a condensed schematic representation of dark reaction of photosynthesis given below, steps are indicated by alphabets. Select the option where the alphabets are correctly identified



- A. a-Regeneration, b- $CO_2$  fixation, c-Reduction, d-Phosphorylation
- B. a-  $CO_2$  fixation, b-Phosphorylation, c- Reduction, d-Regeneration
- C. a- $CO_2$  fixation, b-Phosphorylation, c- Regeneration, d-Reduction

D. a- $CO_2$  fixation, 6-Reduction, c- Phosphorylation, ct-Regeneration

**Answer: B**



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**18.** About 71 % of total global carbon is found is

A. Oceans

B. Forests

C. Agro ecosystem

D. Grasslands

**Answer: A**



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**19.** PGA is reduced through

A.  $NADPH_2$

B.  $FADH_2$

C. CoA

D. CoQ

**Answer: A**



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**20.** The Calvin cycle proceeds in three stages

(1) Reduction, during which carbohydrate is formed at the expense of the photochemically made ATP and NADPH

(2) Regeneration, during which the carbon dioxide acceptor ribulose-1,5-biphosphate is formed

(3) Carboxylation during which carbon dioxide combines with ribulose-1,5-biphoshate is formed

A. 3, 1, 2

B. 3, 2, 1

C. 1,2,3

D. 2, 1, 3

**Answer: A**



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**21. Calvin cycle involves**

A. Oxidative carboxylation

B. Reductive carboxylation

C. Oxidative decarboxylation

D. Reductive decarboxylation

**Answer: B**



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22. 3-PGA is first stable product of

- A. Carbon oxidation cycle
- B. Carbon reduction cycle
- C. Reductive amination
- D. Malic acid synthesis

**Answer: B**



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23. Carbon in carbon dioxide is radioactively labelled. The product in which radioactive carbon can be traced in  $C_1$  plants is

- A. PEP
- B. RuBP
- C. PGAL
- D. PGA

**Answer: D**

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**24.** How much oxygen is formed from 264 g of  $CO_2$  and 216 g of  $H_2O$  ?

- A. 48 g
- B. 480 g
- C. 180 g
- D. 192 g

**Answer: D**

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**25.** The first step in dark reaction of photosynthesis is

- A. Formation of ATP

- B. Attachment of carbon dioxide to a pentose sugar
- C. Excitement of an electron of chlorophyll by photon of light
- D. Ionisation of water

**Answer: B**

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**26. RuBisCO is enzyme for**

- A. Regeneration of RuBP
- B. Photolysis of water
- C.  $CO_2$  fixation
- D. All of the above

**Answer: C**

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27. Dark reactions of photosynthesis occur in

- A. Granal thylakoid membranes
- B. Stromal lamella membranes
- C. Stroma outside photosynthetic lamellae
- D. Periplastidial space

**Answer: C**



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1. In  $C_4$  pathway,  $CO_2$  fixation in mesophyll cells is carried out by the enzyme

- A. PEP carboxylase
- B. Pyruvate dehydrogenase

C. RuBisCo

D. Pyruvate decarboxylase

**Answer: A**



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2. Photorespiration is called

A.  $C_2$  cycle

B.  $C_3$  cycle

C.  $C_4$  cycle

D.  $C_5$  cycle

**Answer: A**



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3. Which does not show HSK pathway?

- A. Maize
- B. Jowar
- C. Sugarcane
- D. Sunflower

**Answer: D**



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4. Which plant shows chloroplast dimorphism?

- A. Sugarcane
- B.  $C_4$  plants
- C. Sugar Beet
- D. Both A and B

**Answer: D**



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5. The first carbon fixation in  $C_4$  pathway occurs in chloroplasts of

- A. Guard cells
- B. Mesophyll
- C. Bundle sheath
- D. All of the above

**Answer: B**



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6. In  $C_4$  plants, synthesis of sugars/final  $CO_2$  fixation occurs in

- A. Palisade cells

B. Spongy cells

C. Undifferentiated mesophyll cells

D. Bundle sheath cells

**Answer: D**



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7. Which one is most efficient converter of sunlight ?

A. Sugarcane

B. Rice

C. Wheat

D. papaya

**Answer: A**



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8. In  $C_4$  plants, Calvin cycle operates in

- A. Stroma of bundle sheath chloroplasts
- B. Grana of bundle chloroplast
- C. Grana of mesophyll chloroplasts
- D. Stroma of mesophyll chloroplasts

**Answer: A**



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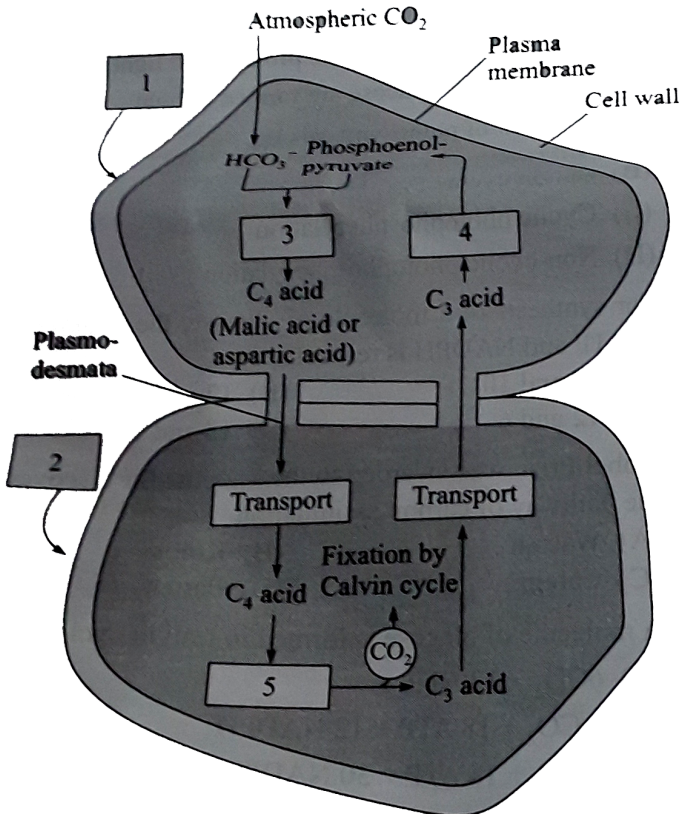
9. Sugarcane show high efficiency of  $CO_2$  fixation because of

- A. Calvin cycle
- B. EMP pathway
- C. Hatch and Slack pathway
- D. TCA cycle

Answer: C

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10. Choose the correct combination of labelling 1-5



A. 1-Mesophyll cell, 2-Bundle sheath cell, 3-Regeneration, 4-Fixation, 5-

Decarboxylation

B. 1-Bundle sheath cell, 2-Mesophyll cell, 3- Fixation, 4--Regeneration, 5-

Decarboxylation

C. 1-Mesophyll cell, 2-Bundle sheath cell, 3- Fixation, 4-Decarboxylation,

5-Regeneration

D. 1-Mesophyll cell, 2-Bundle sheath cell. 3- Fixation, 4--Regeneration, 5-

Decarboxylation

**Answer: D**



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11. The first carbon dioxide acceptor in  $C_4$ -plants is

A. Phosphoenol-pyruvate

B. Ribulose 1,5-diphosphate

C. Oxalo-acetic acid

D. Phosphoglyceric acid



**Answer: A**



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**12.** The  $C_4$  plants are different from the  $C_3$  plants with reference to the

- A. The substance that accepts  $CO_2$  in carbon assimilation
- B. Types of end product of photosynthesis
- C. The number of NADPH that are consumed in preparing sugar
- D. Types of pigments involved in photosynthesis

**Answer: A**



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**13.** Photorespiration is characteristic of

- A.  $C_3$  plants

B.  $C_4$  plants

C. CAM plants

D. All of the above

**Answer: A**



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**14.  $C_4$  Plants belong to**

A. Gramineae

B. Monocots

C. Dicots

D. Both monocots and dicots

**Answer: D**



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15. In case of  $C_4$  pathway

- A.  $CO_2$  combines with PGA
- B.  $CO_2$  combines with PEP
- C.  $CO_2$  first combines with RuBP
- D.  $CO_2$  combines with RMP

**Answer: B**



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16. Which one is a  $C_4$  plant?

- A. Papaya
- B. Pea
- C. Potato
- D. Maize/Corn/Sorghum

**Answer: D**



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**17. Kranz anatomy occurs in**

- A. Leaves
- B. Stem
- C. Flower
- D. Seed

**Answer: A**



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**18. CAM photosynthesis occurs in plants with**

- A. Thin green leaves with reticulate venation

B. Thin green leaves with parallel venation

C. Thin coloured leaves

D. Fleshy green leaves

**Answer: D**



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19.  $C_4$  cycle was discovered by

A. Hatch and Slack

B. Calvin

C. Hill

D. Arnon

**Answer: A**



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20. Glycolate accumulates in chloroplasts when there is

- A. High  $CO_2$
- B. Bright light
- C. Low temperature
- D. Low  $CO_2$

**Answer: D**



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21. Which is wrongly matched?

- A. Sorghum- Kranz anatomy
- B. PS II-700
- C. Photorespiration-  $C_3$
- D. PEP carboxylase-Mesophyll cells

**Answer: B**



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**22.** Which of the following statements regarding  $C_4$  pathway is false

- A. The primary  $CO_2$  acceptor is a 5-carbon molecule
- B. The initial carboxylation reaction occurs in mesophyll
- C. Calvin pathway does not take place in the mesophyll cells but does so only in bundle sheath cells
- D. Leaves that fix  $CO_2$  have two cell types

**Answer: A**



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**23.** CAM plants do not show photorespiration due to

- A. Keeping stomata closed during day time
- B. Using PE carboxylase
- C. Fixing  $CO_2$  into organic acid in night and releasing  $CO_2$  during day
- D. Performing Calvin cycle at night

**Answer: C**

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**24. Photorespiration occurs in**

- A. Green photosynthetic parts
- B. All living cells
- C. Mitochondria
- D. Root

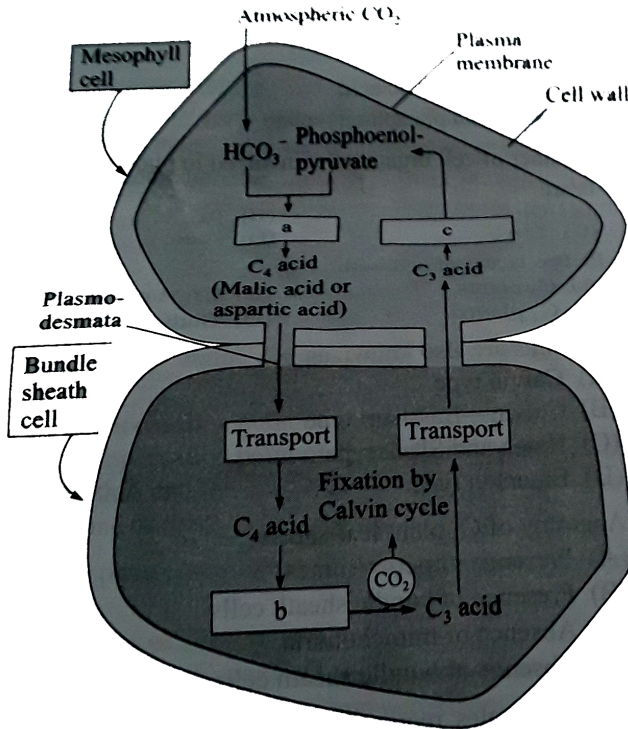
**Answer: A**

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25. Study the pathway given below :

In which of the following options correct words for all the three blanks a,b, and c are indicated.



A. a-Decarboxylation,b-Reduction,c-Regeneration

B. a-Fixation,b-Transamination,c-Regeneration

C. a-Fixation,b-Decarboxylation,c-Regeneration

D. a-Carboxylation,b-Decarboxylation,c-Reduction

**Answer: C**



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**26.** Respiration initiated in chloroplasts and occurs in light is called

- A. Aerobic respiration
- B. Anaerobic respiration
- C. Fermentation
- D. Photorespiration

**Answer: D**



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**27.**  $C_4$  plant shows efficiency even in

A. Low concentration of  $CO_2$

B. Low temperature

C. High  $CO_2$  concentration

D. At low water availability

**Answer: A**



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**28.** Carbon assimilation occurs in bundle sheath cells of

A. CAM plants

B.  $C_4$  plants

C.  $C_3$  plants

D. All of the above

**Answer: B**



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29. In sugarcane plant  $^{14}CO_2$  is fixed in malic acid, in which the enzyme that fixes  $CO_2$  is

- A. RuBP carboxylase
- B. PEP carboxylase
- C. Ribulose phosphate kinase
- D. Fructose phosphatase

**Answer: B**



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30. Which one of the following is wrong in relation to photorespiration

- A. It occurs in chloroplasts
- B. It occurs in day time only
- C. It is characteristic of  $C_4$  plants

D. It is characteristic of  $C_3$  plants

**Answer: C**



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**31.** In presence of high concentration of oxygen. RuBP carboxylase converts RuBP to

- A. Malic acid and PEP
- B. PGA and PEP
- C. PGA and malic acid
- D. PGA and phosphoglycolate

**Answer: D**



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32. Number of cell organelle(s) involved in photorespiration is/are

A. One

B. Two

C. Three

D. Four

**Answer: C**



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33. *PEPcase* is associated with

A.  $C_3$  plants

B. CAM plants

C.  $C_4$  plants

D. Both B and C

**Answer: D**



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**34.**  $C_4$  plants are also known as

- A. Calvin type
- B. Calvin-Bassham type
- C. Hatch and Slack type
- D. Emerson type

**Answer: C**



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**35.** Anatomy of  $C_4$  plant leaf shows

- A. Presence Of peroxisomes

B. Presence of bundle sheath cells

C. Absence of mitochondria

D. Absence of bundle sheath cells

**Answer: B**



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36. ATP molecules required to synthesize one molecule of glucose by  $C_4$ , pathway are

A. 12

B. 18

C. 24

D. 30

**Answer: D**



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37. Photorespiration is favoured by

- A. High oxygen and low carbon dioxide
- B. High carbon dioxide and low oxygen
- C. High temperature and low oxygen
- D. High humidity and temperature

**Answer: A**



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38. First product of photorespiration is

- A. Phosphoglycolate
- B. Glycolate
- C. Glycine
- D. None of the above

**Answer: A**



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**39.** Photorespiration is affected by

- A. Temperature
- B. Light intensity
- C.  $CO_2$  and  $O_2$
- D. All of the above

**Answer: D**



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**40.**  $C_4$  Plants differ from  $C_3$  plants with respect to

- A. First product

B. Substrate which accepts carbon dioxide

C. Number of ATP molecules consumed

D. All of the above

**Answer: D**



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**41.** In green cell the enzyme catalase is localised in

A. Peroxisomes

B. Chloroplasts

C. Lysosomes

D. Vacuoles

**Answer: A**



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42. Primary carboxylation occurs in  $C_3$  and  $C_4$  plants with the help of
- A. PEP carboxylase and pyruvate carboxylase respectively
  - B. PEP carboxylase and RuBP carboxylase respectively
  - C. RuBP carboxylase and pyruvate carboxylase respectively.
  - D.

**Answer: C**



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43.  $C_4$  cycle was discovered in
- A. Groundnut
  - B. Sugarcane
  - C. Chrysanthemum
  - D. Apple

**Answer: B**



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**44.** As compared to a  $C_3$  plant, how many additional molecules of ATP are needed for net production of one molecule hexose sugar by  $C_4$  plants

- A. Two
- B. Six
- C. Twelve
- D. Zero

**Answer: C**



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**45.** Photosynthesis in  $C_4$  plants is relatively less limited by atmospheric  $CO_2$  levels because

- A. Effective pumping of  $CO_2$  into bundle sheath cells
- B. RuBisCO in  $C_4$  plants has higher affinity for  $CO_2$
- C. Four carbon acids are primary initial  $CO_2$  fixation products
- D. Primary fixation of  $CO_2$  is mediated via PEP carboxylase

**Answer: D**

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## Section A Topicwise Questions Topic 5 Factors Affecting Rate Of Photosynthesis Light Co 2

1. If a chemical process is affected by more than one factors, then its rate will be determined by the factor which is nearest to its minimum value, it is the factor which directly affects the process if its quantity is changed.

This is the statement of

- A. Hatch and Slack

B. Calvin and Bassham

C. Blackmans law of limiting factor

D. Lindemann's law of minimum

**Answer: C**



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## 2. Fill in the blanks

Light saturation occurs at \_\_\_\_\_ per cent of full sunlight.

2. There is \_\_\_\_\_ relationship between incident light and  $CO_2$  fixation rates at low light intensities.

3.  $C_3$  plants show saturation at about \_\_\_\_\_  $\mu L^{-1}$  while  $C_4$  corresponds to saturation at about \_\_\_\_\_  $\mu L^{-1}$

A. a-2-5%, b-sigmoid, c- 350, d-460

B. a-50%, b-linear, c-460, d- 350

C. a-10%, b-sigmoid, c- 360, d-450

D. a-10%, b-linear, c-450, d- 360

**Answer: D**



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3. The current availability of  $CO_2$  levels is limiting to the

A.  $C_3$  plants

B.  $C_4$  plants

C. CAM plants

D. Both A and B

**Answer: A**



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4.  $C_3$  plants responds to higher  $CO_2$  concentration by showing increased rates of photosynthesis leading to higher productivity has been used for some greenhouse crops such as

- A. Tomato and black pepper
- B. Tomato, lettuce and seedless cucumber
- C. Beet and black pepper
- D. Tomato and bell pepper

**Answer: D**



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5. Which one of the following is not a limiting factor for photosynthesis

- A.  $O_2$
- B.  $CO_2$
- C. Chlorophyll

D. Light

**Answer: A**



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6. When day light hours are increased, the rate of photosynthesis

A. Increases

B. Decreases

C. Remains unchanged

D. None of the above

**Answer: C**



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7. Rate of photosynthesis is independent of

A. Intensity of light

B. Duration of light

C. Quality of light

D. Temperature

**Answer: B**



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8. During monsoon, the rice crop of eastern states of India shows lesser yield due to limiting factor of

A.  $CO_2$

B. Light

C. Temperature

D. Water

**Answer: B**



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9. Ferredoxin is a constituent of

A. PS I

B. PS II

C. Hill reaction

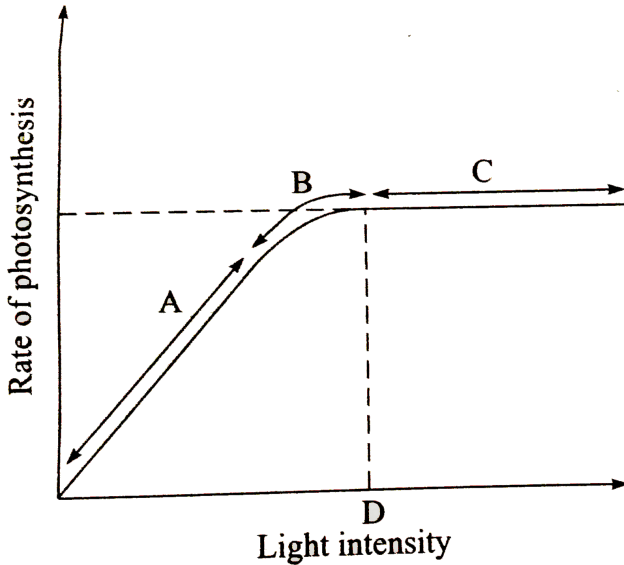
D. P680

**Answer: A**



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10. Recognise the figure and find out the correct matching



- At which point in the curve light is a limiting factor?
- What do 'C' represent on the curve?
- What do 'D' represent on the curve?
- What do 'E' represent on the curve?

A. a- A, b-light saturation point, c-maximum rate of photosynthesis, d-

factors other than light become limiting

B. a-B, b-maximum rate of photosynthesis, c- light saturation point, d-

factors other than light become limiting

C. a- A, b-factors other than light become limiting, c-light saturation point, d-maximum rate of photosynthesis

D. a-A, b-factors other than light become limiting, c-maximum rate of photosynthesis, d-light saturation point

**Answer: C**

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**11.** What is true about compensation point in  $C_3$  and  $C_4$  plants?

A. Compensation point of  $C_3$  plants is higher

B. Compensation point of  $C_4$  plants is lower

C. Both A and B

D. None of these

**Answer: C**

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12. During photorespiration, the oxygen consuming reaction (s) occur in

- A. Stroma of chloroplasts
- B. Stroma of chloroplasts and mitochondria
- C. Stroma of chloroplasts and peroxisomes
- D. Grana of chloroplasts and peroxisomes

**Answer: C**



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13. The first reaction in photorespiration is

- A. Carboxylation
- B. Decarboxylation
- C. Oxygenation

D. Phosphorylation

**Answer: C**



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**14.** Law of limiting factor is

- A. Law of maximum
- B. Law of minimum
- C. Law of optimum
- D. All of the above

**Answer: B**



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**15.** Compensation point is



- A. Beginning of photosynthesis
- B. Little photosynthesis
- C. Photosynthesis equal to rate of respiration
- D. Neither photosynthesis nor respiration

**Answer: C**

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## Section B Assertion Reasoning Questions

1. Assertion: Chlorophyll a is the chief pigment associated with photosynthesis.

Reason: In the blue and red regions of spectrum, there is maximum absorption by chlorophyll- a, also shows higher rate of photosynthesis

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is the correct explanation of the assertion.

B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion.

C. If assertion is true but reason is false.

D. If both assertion and reason are false.

**Answer: A**

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2. Assertion: Accessory pigments enable a wider range of wavelength of incoming light to be utilised for photosynthesis.

Reason: Accessory pigments also protect chlorophyll a from photo-oxidation.

A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is the correct explanation of the assertion.

B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion.

C. If assertion is true but reason is false.

D. If both assertion and reason are false.

**Answer: B**

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**3.** Assertion: PS I and PS II are named in sequence of their function during the light reaction or photochemical phase.

Reason: Each photosystem has one molecule of chlorophyll-a forming a light harvesting complex called antenna.

A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is the correct explanation of the assertion.

B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion.

C. If assertion is true but reason is false.

D. If both assertion and reason are false.

Answer: D



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4. Assertion: The whole scheme of transfer of electrons, starting from the PS II uphill to the acceptor, down the electron transport chain to PS I, excitation of electrons, transfer to another acceptor, and finally downhill to  $NADP^+$  causing it to be reduced to  $NADPH + H^+$  is called the Z-scheme or cyclic photophosphorylation.  $H^+$  are synthesised by this kind of electron flow.

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is the correct explanation of the assertion.
- B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion.
- C. If assertion is true but reason is false.
- D. If both assertion and reason are false.

**Answer: D**



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5. Assertion: Stroma lamellae have both PS I and PS II but the membrane of grana lack PS II as well as NADP reductase.

Reason: Cyclic photophosphorylation also occurs when only light of wavelength below 680 nm is available for excitation.

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is the correct explanation of the assertion.
- B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion.
- C. If assertion is true but reason is false.
- D. If both assertion and reason are false.

**Answer: D**



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**6. Assertion:** The NADP reductase enzyme is located on the stroma side of the membrane of thylakoid

**Reason:** During proton accumulation in lumen there is measurable decrease in pH in the stroma.

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is the correct explanation of the assertion.
- B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion.
- C. If assertion is true but reason is false.
- D. If both assertion and reason are false.

**Answer: C**



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7. Assertion: ATPase enzyme has two parts, One called the  $F_1$  is embedded in the membrane of thylakoid and forms a transmembrane channel that carries out facilitated diffusion of proton across the membrane.

Reason: The other portion is called  $F_0$  and protrudes on the thylakoid membrane on the side that faces the stroma

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is the correct explanation of the assertion.
- B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion.
- C. If assertion is true but reason is false.
- D. If both assertion and reason are false.

**Answer: D**

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8. Assertion: Chemiosmosis require a membrane, a proton pump, a proton gradient and ATPase.

Reason: The proton gradient is broken down due to movement of proton across the membrane to the lumen through the transmembrane channel of the  $F_0$  of the ATPase.

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is the correct explanation of the assertion.
- B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion.
- C. If assertion is true but reason is false.
- D. If both assertion and reason are false.

**Answer: C**



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9. Assertion: Photorespiration is a wasteful process.

Reason: In photorespiratory pathway, there is not synthesis of sugars or ATP.

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is the correct explanation of the assertion.
- B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion.
- C. If assertion is true but reason is false.
- D. If both assertion and reason are false.

**Answer: A**



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10. Assertion: Productivity and yield are better in  $C_4$  plants.

Reason:  $C_4$  plants lack photorespiration.

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is the correct explanation of the assertion.
- B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion.
- C. If assertion is true but reason is false.
- D. If both assertion and reason are false.

**Answer: A**



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**11. Assertion:**  $C_4$  plants show tolerance to higher temperatures.

**Reason:**  $C_4$  plants have both RuBisCO and PEPcase enzymes

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is the correct explanation of the assertion.

B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion.

C. If assertion is true but reason is false.

D. If both assertion and reason are false.

**Answer: B**

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**12.** Assertion: Tropical plants have a higher temperature optimum than the plants adapted to temperate climates.

Reason: The  $C_3$  plants respond to higher temperatures while  $C_4$  plants have a much lower temperature optimum

A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is the correct explanation of the assertion.

B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion.

C. If assertion is true but reason is false.

D. If both assertion and reason are false.

**Answer: C**



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**13.** Assertion: In green plants  $H_2O$  is the hydrogen donor and is oxidised to  $O_2$

Reason: In the purple and green sulphur bacteria, the oxidation product is sulphur or sulphate depending on the organism and not  $O_2$ .

A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is the correct explanation of the assertion.

B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion.

C. If assertion is true but reason is false.

D. If both assertion and reason are false.

**Answer: B**



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## Section D Chapter End Test

1. Both respira

A. GOLGI BODY

B. WATER

C. CYTOCHROMES

D. SUNLIGHT

**Answer: C**



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2. the empirical formula for chlorophyll a is



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3. The percentage of light energy utilized for photosynthesis by higher plants is



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4. Chlorophyll b is



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5. The process of photosynthesis is

- A. Reductive, exergonic and catabolic
- B. Reductive, endergonic and catabolic
- C. Reductive, exergonic and anabolic
- D. Reductive, endergonic and anabolic

**Answer: D**



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6. Complete girdling ultimately kills the tree due to

- A. Starvation of root
- B. Stoppage of photosynthesis
- C. Non-movement of minerals
- D. Non-movement of water

**Answer: A**



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7. when cell ceonverts light energy into chemical energy, which of the following reaction would take place.



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8. Chief functions of leaves are

- A. Transpiration and photosynthesis
- B. Respiration and photosynthesis
- C. Respiration and digestion .
- D. Respiration and transpiration

**Answer: A**



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9. Synthesis of  $ADP + P_i \rightarrow ATP$  in grana photosynthesis is

- A. Phosphorylation
- B. Photophosphorylation
- C. Oxidative phosphorylation



## D. Photolysis

**Answer: B**



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10. the number of chlorophyll molecules in a quantasome is



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11. Algae often float on surface of water during day but sink down during night due to

A. Evolution and trapping of oxygen bubbles during the day in their photosynthesis

B. Becoming lighter as they consume most of their food in the night

C. Warming action of sun during the day

D. Release of absorbed air by warming of water

**Answer: A**



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**12.** The size of chlorophyll molecule is



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**13.** Which is correct about chlorophyll a and b in leaves of higher plants?

- A. Both are present in equal proportion
- B. Chlorophyll a is more than chlorophyll b
- C. Chlorophyll a is less than chlorophyll b
- D. Chlorophyll b is ten times more than chlorophyll a

**Answer: B**



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14. Cytochromes are

- A.  $O_2$  acceptors
- B.  $H_2$  acceptors
- C. Electron acceptors
- D.  $H_2O$  acceptors

**Answer: C**



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15. Formation of ATP in photosynthesis and respiration is an oxidation process which utilises the energy from

- A. Cytochromes
- B. Ferridoxin
- C. Electrons
- D. Carbon dioxide

**Answer: C**



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**16.** Photosynthetic enhancement with flashing light was first observed by

- A. Benson and Calvin
- B. Hill and Calvin
- C. Hatch and Slack
- D. Emerson and Arnold

**Answer: D**



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**17.** *PS II* contains a non-chlorophyllous pigment in blue-green algae

- A.  $\beta$ -carotene

B. Zeaxanthin

C. Phycocyanin

D. xanthophyll

**Answer: C**



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**18.** Which of the following photosynthesis bacteria have both PS-I and PS-II

Or

Which was first photosynthesis organism

A. Purple sulphur bacteria

B. Cynaobacteria

C. Purple non-sulphur bacteria

D. Green sulphur bacteria

**Answer: B**



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**19.** The first experiment on photosynthesis in flashing light were carried out by

A. Hill

B. Calvin

C. Blackman

D. Emerson and Arnold

**Answer: D**



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**20.** At high oxygen concentration, the rate of photosynthesis decreases due to

A. Warburg effect

B. Pasteur effect

C. Emerson effect

D. Richmond Lang effect

**Answer: A**



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**21.** the most effective wavelength of light participating in photosynthesis is

A. Green

B. Violet

C. Red

D. Yellow

**Answer: C**

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22. If plants stop photosynthesis which gas will disappear?

A.  $CO_2$

B.  $N_2$

C.  $O_2$

D.  $NH_3$

**Answer: C**

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23. Plants are removed from patient's room during night because

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24. In a CAM plant the concentration of organic acid

- A. Decreases during night
- B. Increases during day
- C. Increases during night
- D. Both A and B

**Answer: C**



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25. In CAM plants,  $CO_2$  required for photosynthesis enters the plant during

- A. Daytime when stomata are open
- B. Night when stomata are open
- C. Night when hydathodes are open
- D. Daytime through lenticels

**Answer: B**



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**26. Maximum photosynthesis occurs in**

- A. Blue light
- B. Red light
- C. Green light
- D. White light

**Answer: D**



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27. Match the columns and choose the correct option.

**Column I**

**Column II**

- |                  |                         |
|------------------|-------------------------|
| a. Visible light | i. 0.1–1.0 nm           |
| b. Ultraviolet   | ii. 400–700 nm          |
| c. X-rays        | iii. Longer than 700 nm |
| d. Infrared      | iv. 100–400 nm          |



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28. Plants showing  $C_4$  photosynthesis have

- A. Granai bundle sheath chl oroplasts and agranal mesophyll chl oroplasts
- B. Agranal bundle sheath chl oroplasts and granal mesophyll chloroplasts
- C. Both bundle sheath and mesophyll chloroplasts are agranal

D. Both the types of chloroplasts are granal.

**Answer: B**



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**29.** In photorespiration, what is the role of peroxisome

- A. Synthesis of PGA
- B. Reduction of glyoxylate
- C. Oxidation of glycolate
- D. Oxygenation of glycolate

**Answer: C**



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**30.** CAM plants belong to family by

A. Malvaceac

B. Crassulaceae

C. Trapaceae

D. Orchidaceae

**Answer: B**



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**31.** Succulent performs  $CO_2$  fixation by

A. CAM pathway

B.  $C_4$  pathway

C.  $C_3$  pathway

D.  $C_2$  pathway

**Answer: A**



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**32. DCMU inhibits**

- A. PS II
- B. PS I
- C. Destroys chl oroplast
- D. Inhibits oxidative phosphorylation

**Answer: A**



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**33. Ammonia is produced during**

- A. Photorespiration
- B. CAM
- C. Dark respiration

D. All of the above

**Answer: A**



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**34.**  $NAD^+$  is reduced in photorespiration inside

A. Mitochondria

B. Mitochondria and peroxisome

C. Mitochondria and chloroplasts

D. Chloroplasts and peroxisomes

**Answer: A**



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**35.** Source of  $CO_2$  for photosynthesis during day in CAM plant is

A. 3-PGA

B. Malic acid

C. Oxaloacetic acid

D. Pyruvate

**Answer: B**



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**36.** Phytol chain is present in

A. Carotenoids

B. Phycocyanin

C. Chlorophyll

D. Haemoglobin

**Answer: C**



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37. Which one is important in electron transport system ?

A. Ubiquinone

B. Acetyl CoA

C. Tricarboxylic acid

D. Ferricyanide

**Answer: A**



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38. Which of the following is the most common  $H^+$  acceptor?



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39. Carbohydrates, the most abundant biomolecules on earth, are produced by

- A. Some bacteria, algae and green plants
- B. Fungus, algae and green plants
- C. All bacteria, fungi and algae
- D. Viruses, fungi and bacteria

**Answer: A**



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40. As compared to sun plants, plants adapted to low light intensity possess

- A. High rate of  $CO_2$  fixation
- B. Larger photosynthetic units
- C. More extended root system

D. Spiny leaves

**Answer: B**



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**41.** How many molecules of glycine are required to re lease one molecule of  $CO_2$ , in photorespiration?

A. One

B. Two

C. Three

D. Four

**Answer: B**



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42. Plants living in hot humid environment are

- A.  $C_3$  plants
- B. CAM plants
- C.  $C_4$  plants
- D. All of the above

**Answer: C**



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43. Maximum photosynthesis occurs in light

- A. Red
- B. Green
- C. Very high light
- D. Continuous light

**Answer: D**



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**44.** Which ones are primarily absorbed by carotenoids?

- A. Blue and green
- B. Green and red
- C. Red and violet
- D. Violet and blue

**Answer: D**



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**45.** Photoautotrophs lacking chlorophyll a are

- A. Cyanobacteria

B. Red alge

C. Brown algae

D. Bacteria

**Answer: D**



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**46.** First transitory chemical formed by reaction between  $CO_2$  and RuBP is

A. PGAL/GAP

B. PGA

C. 2-carboxy 3-keto, 1,5-bisphosphoribotol

D. DiHAP

**Answer: C**



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47. What percentage of usable radiant energy entering a reaction site of photosynthesis is converted to potential energy

- A. 0.1
- B. 0.35
- C. 0.2
- D. 0.42

**Answer: B**



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48. In photosynthesis, energy for passage of electron is the one That is absorbed by

- A. Chlorophyll
- B. RuBP

C. Water

D. ATP

**Answer: A**



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**49.** In photosynthesis , energy from light reaction to dark reaction is transferred in the form of

A. ADP

B. ATP

C. Chlorophyll

D. RuBP

**Answer: B**



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50. Which one of the following contain agranal chloroplasts?

A.  $C_3$  plants

B. Succulents

C.  $C_4$  plants

D. Hydrophytes

**Answer: C**



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Others

1. Which ones are correct?

Photosynthetic ATP synthesis is called photophosphorylation.

Kranz anatomy occurs in leaf

Reduction in NADP to NADPH occurs during Calvin cycle.

Magnesium occurs in phytol tail of chlorophyll.

A. a, b correct

B. c, d correct

C. a, c correct

D. a, d correct

**Answer: A**



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**2. Law of limiting factors in photosynthesis was given by:**

A. R. Hill

B. Calvin

C. Krebs

D. Blackman

**Answer: D**



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3. In  $C_4$  plants, the bundle sheath cells

- A. Have thin walls to facilitate gaseous exchange
- B. Have large intercellular space
- C. Have a high density of chloroplasts
- D. Are rich in PEP carboxylase

**Answer: C**



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4. In chlorophyll, structure four pyrrole ring are united with Mg by their atoms of

- A. C
- B. H
- C. O

D. N

**Answer: D**



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**5. Stomata of CAM plants**

- A. Are always open
- B. Open during day and close at night
- C. Open during night and close during day
- D. Never open

**Answer: C**



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6. An alternate  $CO_2$  fixation mechanism was found in some tropical species of grass family by Hatch and Slack, who were from

- A. England
- B. Australia
- C. America
- D. New Zealand

**Answer: B**



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7. Fixation and reduction of  $CO_2$  requires

- A. ATP
- B. NADPH, chlorophyll, water
- C. ATP, NADPH
- D. ATP, NADPH and light

**Answer: C**



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8. In  $C_3$  plants, photosynthesis occur in

- A. Bundle sheath cells
- B. Peroxisomer
- C. Mesophyll cells
- D. Kranz anatomy

**Answer: C**



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9.  $H_2$  donor during photosynthesis is

- A. NADH

B. ATP

C. NADP

D. NADPH

**Answer: D**



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**10. Rate of photosynthesis is higher in**

A. Very high light

B. Red light

C. Green light

D. Continous light

**Answer: D**



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11. Which pigment of the plant takes part in light reaction of photosynthesis

or

Which pigment is present universally in all green plants

A. Xanthophyll

B. chl a

C. Carotene

D. Phycoxanthin

**Answer: B**



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12. Read the following four statements A,B,C and D and select the right option having both correct statements.

statements

(a) Z scheme of light reaction takes place in presence of PS I only .



(B ) Only PS I is functional in cyclic photosporylation

(c ) Cyclic photophosphorylation results into synthesis of ATP and  $NADPH_2$

(D ) Stroma lamllae lack PSII as welll as NADP

A. b and c

B. a and b

C. b and c

D. c and d

**Answer: A**



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**13.** PGA as the first  $CO_2$  fixation product was discovered in photosynthesis of

A. Gymnosperms

B. Angiosperms

C. Alga

D. Bryophyte

**Answer: C**



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14. The  $C_4$  plants are photosynthesis more efficient than  $C_3$  plant because

A.  $CO_2$  efflux is not prevented

B. They have more chloroplasts

C.  $CO_2$  compensation point is more

D.  $CO_2$  generated during photorespiration is recycled through PEP carboxylase

**Answer: B**



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15. How many ATP and NADPH molecules are respectively required to make one molecule of glucose through Calvin cycle?

- A. 2 ATP + 1  $NADPH_2$
- B. 3 ATP + 2  $NADPH_2$
- C. 2 ATP + 3  $NADPH_2$
- D. 3 ATP + 3  $NADPH_2$

**Answer: B**



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16. The creation of proton gradient across the thylakoid membrane is a result of

- A. Decrease in proton number in stroma
- B. Decrease in pH in the lumen

C. Accumulation of protons in the lumen

D. All of the above

**Answer: D**



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17. Loss of water in  $C_4$  plants as compared to  $C_3$  plants for the same amount of  $CO_2$  fixed is

A. Double

B. One third

C. One fourth

D. Half

**Answer: D**



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18. Reaction centre of PS I is \_\_\_ and reaction centre of PS II is \_\_\_

A.  $P_{700}$

B.  $P_{680}$

C.  $Ch_{715}$

D.  $Chl_{685}$

**Answer: A**



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19. Isotope of oxygen used in studying photolysis is

A.  $^{16}O$

B.  $^{15}O$

C.  $^{17}O$

D.  $^8O$

**Answer: D**



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**20. How many Calvin cycle form one hexose molecule**

A. 2

B. 4

C. 6

D. 8

**Answer: C**



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**21. Which one is a CAM plant?**

A. Maize

B. Pineapple

C. Onion

D. Pea

**Answer: B**



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22. Chloroplasts without grana are known to occur in

A. Bundle sheath cells of  $C_3$  plants

B. Bundle sheath cells of  $C_4$  plants

C. Mesophyll cells of all plants

D. Mesophyll cells of  $C_4$  plants

**Answer: B**



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23. Warburg effect is decrease in the rate of photosynthesis at

- A. Low carbon dioxide concentration
- B. High oxygen content
- C. High carbon dioxide concentration
- D. Both A and B

**Answer: B**



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24. Malic acid is formed in  $C_4$  plants in the cell of

- A. Epidermis
- B. Bundle sheath
- C. Phloem
- D. Mesophyll



**Answer: D**



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**25.** In  $C_4$  pathway, RuBP accepts  $CO_2$  inside

- A. Xylem parenchyma
- B. Pholem parenchyma
- C. Mesophyll cells
- D. Bundle sheath cells

**Answer: D**



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**26.** In  $C_4$  pathway, RuBP receives  $CO_2$  from

- A. Pyruvic acid

B. PEP

C. OAA

D. Malic acid

**Answer: D**



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**27. Product of photorespiration is**

A. Phosphoglycerate

B. Erythrose 4-phosphate

C. Dihydroxy acetone 3-phosphate

D. All of the above

**Answer: A**



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28. Chlorophyll appears green due to

- A. Absorption of green light
- B. Red fluorescence
- C. Green fluorescence
- D. Absorption of red blue light

**Answer: D**



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29. Last electron acceptor of PS I is.

- A. Ferredoxium
- B. Cyt  $b_6$
- C. Plastocyanin
- D. Plastoquinone

**Answer: C**



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**30.** Free radical has electron

- A. Unpaired and extremely
- B. Paired and extremely inactive
- C. Unpaired and extremely inactive
- D. Paired and extremely reactive

**Answer: A**



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**31.** In which cells of leaf, pyruvate is converted to PEP in C pathway?

- A. Epidermal cells

B. Mesophyll cells

C. Bundle sheath cells

D. Guard cells

**Answer: B**



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32. Which organelle out of these does not participate in photorespiration?

A. Peroxisomer

B. Lysosomes

C. Mitochondria

D. Chloroplasts

**Answer: B**



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33. Sunken stomata are usually found in

- A. Phanerogams
- B.  $C_3$  Plants
- C. CAM plants
- D. Insectivorous plants

**Answer: C**



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34. Plants requiring low light intensity for optimum photosynthesis is called:

- A. Bryophytes
- B. Pteridophytes
- C. Heliophytes

D. Sciophytes

**Answer: D**



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**35.** A reduction in  $O_2$  evolution occurs when light wavelength

A. More than 680 nm

B. Less than 680 nm

C. Less than 660 nm

D. 560

**Answer: A**



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36. In the absence of  $NADP^+$ , electrons of photosynthetic electron transport system pass to

- A. Cyt.f
- B. Cyt.  $b_6$
- C. Plastocyanin
- D. Quinine

**Answer: B**



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37. RuBisCo occurs in high quantity as it is

- A. An oxygenase
- B. Catalysing reversible reaction
- C. Degraded rapidly
- D. Very slow acting enzyme



**Answer: D**



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**38.** Light reaction in stroma lamellae of chloroplast results in the production of

A. ATP

B.  $NADPH_2$

C. ATP+ NADPH

D.  $O_2$

**Answer: A**



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**39.** Electron energy is used to drive protons against concentration gradient across thylakoid membrane into

- A. Stroma lamella
- B. Thylakoid lumen
- C. Stroma
- D. Interthylakoid space

**Answer: B**

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**40.** Formation of phosphoglyde phospholygeric acid is

- A. Hydrolysis
- B. oxidation
- C. Reduction
- D. Electrolysis

**Answer: C**

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41. Rate of photosynthesis is maximum in

A. Orange light

B. Yellow light

C. Blue light

D. Green light

**Answer: C**



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42. Optimum temperature for photosynthesis is

A.  $35^{\circ} - 40^{\circ} C$

B.  $25^{\circ} - 35^{\circ}$

C.  $20^{\circ} - 25^{\circ} C$

D.  $10^{\circ} - 15^{\circ} C$

**Answer: C**

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**43.** Which is related to light reaction of photosynthesis?

A. In PS II light reaction centre is  $P_{700}$

B. In PS I light reaction centre is  $P_{680}$

C. Photolysis is associated with PS I

D. PS I and PS II are associated in Z-scheme.

**Answer: D**

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**44.** Presence of bundle sheath is characteristic of

A.  $C_4$  Plants

B. Xerophytic plants

C. Grass family

D.  $C_3$  plants

**Answer: A**



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**45.** CAM helps the plants in

A. Disease resistance

B. Reproduction

C. Conserving water

D. Secondary growth

**Answer: C**



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46. In kranz anatomy, the bundle sheath cells have

- A. Thick walls, many intercellular spaces and no chloroplasts
- B. Thick walls, no intercellular spaces and large number of chloroplasts
- C. Thick walls, no intercellular spaces and few chloroplasts
- D. Thin walls, many intercellular spaces and several chloroplasts

**Answer: B**



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47. Which one of the following is correct?

- A.  $C_4$  plants are more efficient than  $C_3$  plants
- B.  $C_3$  plants are more efficient than  $C_4$  plants

C. Photorespiration is useful process

D. Photorespiration is absent in  $C_3$  plants

**Answer: A**



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**48.** the first step in photosynthesis is the

A. Joining of 3-carbon atom to form Glucose

B. Formation of ATP

C. Ionization of water

D. Excitement of an electron of chlorophyll by photon of light

**Answer: D**



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49. The isotope of carbon used extensively for studies in Photosynthesis is

A.  $C^{12}$

B.  $C^{14}$

C.  $C^{18}$

D.  $C^{13}$

**Answer: B**



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50. Cyclic photophosphorylation is carried out by

A. PS I only

B. PS II only

C. Both A and B

D. Photolysis and PS II



**Answer: A**



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**51. Photosystem II occurs in**

A. Stroma

B. Cytochrome

C. Grana thylakoids

D. Mitochondrial surface

**Answer: C**



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**52. Photo-oxidation of water results in the formation of**

A.  $H^+$ ,  $O_2$ ,  $ATP$

B.  $H^+$ ,  $O_2$ ,  $e^-$ ,  $ATP$

C.  $H^+$ ,  $O_2$ ,  $e^-$

D. Non of the above

**Answer: C**



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**53.** Melvin Calvin was professor of

A. Botany

B. Plant physiology

C. Biochemistry

D. Chemistry

**Answer: D**



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54. In the overall process of photosynthesis, the number of  $CO_2$  water, sugar and  $O_2$  molecules utilized and produced is

A. 12

B. 13

C. 19

D. 31

**Answer: D**



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55. During Calvin cycle the total number of  $CO_2$ , ATP and NADPH molecules utilized and glucose, ADP and NADP molecules generated is

A. 31

B. 36

C. 61

D. 67

**Answer: D**



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**56.** The chemical composition of chlorophyll and carotenoids was given by

A. Senebier

B. Mayer and Anderson

C. Rober Mayer

D. Willstatter and stoll

**Answer: D**



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**57.** Which of wrongly matched ?

A. Joseph Priestley- Showed that plants release  $O_2$

B. Jan Ingenhousz- Showed that sunlight is essential for photosynthesis

C. Sachs-Plants produce glucose/starch

D. Engelmann-Green substance is located within special bodies in plants

**Answer: D**



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**58.** Which of the following statements regarding  $C_4$  pathway is false

A. The primary  $CO_2$  acceptor is PEP

B. Bundle sheath cells contain PEP case

C. Enzyme for  $CO_2$  Fixation is PEP case

D. Mesophyll cells leak RuBisCO

**Answer: B**



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**59.** Which statements about photosynthesis are correct ?

First  $CO_2$  acceptor in  $C_4$  cycle is PGA

(b) In  $C_3$  Plants , first stable product of photosynthesis is RuBP

( c) Oxygen liberated during photosynthesis comes from water

A. a and b alone are correct

B. a and c alone are correct

C. c and d alone are correct

D. b and c alone a correct

**Answer: C**



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**60.** Photorepiration produces

- A. sugar but not ATP
- B. ATP but no sugar
- C. Both ATP and sugar
- D. Neither ATP nor sugar

**Answer: D**



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**61.** Which of the following is associated with electron transport in photosynthesis

- A. Sodium
- B. Potassium
- C. Iron
- D. Cobalt

**Answer: C**



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**62.** The substrate for photorespiration is

- A. Phosphoglyceric acid
- B. Glycolate
- C. Serine
- D. Glycine

**Answer: B**



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**63.** Kranz anatomy is typical of

- A.  $C_4$  plants



B.  $C_3$  plants

C.  $C_2$  Plants

D. CAM plants

**Answer: A**



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**64.** Organelles having enzymes involved in photorespiration is are

A. Mitochondria, chloroplasts and ribosomes

B. Mitochondria, peroxisomes and chloroplasts

C. Mitochondria, nucleus and ribosomes

D. Mitochondria, peroxisomes and glyoxysomes

**Answer: B**



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65. Photorespiration involves oxidation of

- A. Chlorophyll
- B. PGA
- C. RuBP
- D. Both B and C

**Answer: C**



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66.  $C_4$  Plants have higher net photosynthesis rate as they have

- A. No photorespirations
- B. PEP as  $CO_2$  acceptor
- C. Kranz anatomy
- D. Photosynthesis even at low light intensity

**Answer: A**



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**67.** Excitation of chlorophyll by light is

- A. Exergonic reaction
- B. Anabolic reaction
- C. Photochemical reaction
- D. Photooxidation reaction

**Answer: C**



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**68.** The range of wavelength of the visible light is

- A. 200-400 nm

B. 400-700 nm

C. 700-900 nm

D. 100-200 nm

**Answer: B**



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**69.** A few normal seedlingd of tomato were kept in a dark room. After a few days were found to have become white coloured like albinos. Ehich of the following terms will you use to describe them

A. Defoliated

B. Mutated

C. Enbolised

D. Etiolated

**Answer: D**



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70. Chemiosmotic mechanism of ATP synthesis was proposed by

- A. Fredrick Losch
- B. Felix Dujardin
- C. Peter Mitchell
- D. Carl Landsteiner

**Answer: C**



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71. In photosynthesis, the light-independent reactions take place at

- A. Photosystem I
- B. Photosystem II
- C. Stromal matrix

D. Thylakoid lumen

**Answer: C**



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72. Bundle sheath cells around the vascular bundles in C<sub>4</sub> plant are characterized by

- A. Few chloroplasts, thick cell walls and no intercellular spaces
- B. Large number of chloroplasts, thin cell walls and no intercellular spaces
- C. Large number of chloroplasts, thick cell walls and no intercellular spaces
- D. Few chloroplasts, thick cell walls and intercellular spaces

**Answer: C**



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73. In photosynthesis,  $P_{680}$  refers to

- A. Reaction center of photosystem I
- B. Antennae molecules complex
- C. Reaction center of photosystem II
- D. Complete light harvesting complexes

**Answer: C**



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74. Emerson's enhancement effect and Red drop have been instrumental in the discovery of

- A. Photophosphorylation and non-cyclic electron transport
- B. Two photosystems operating simultaneously
- C. Photophosphorylation and cyclic electron transport

D. Oxidative phosphorylation

**Answer: B**



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75. In a chloroplast the highest number of protons are found in

A. Stroma

B. Lumen of thylakoids

C. Inter-membrane space

D. Antennae complex

**Answer: B**



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76. A plant in your garden avoids photorespiratory losses, has improved water use efficiency shows high rates of photosynthesis at high temperatures and has improved efficiency of nitrogen utilisation. In which of the following physiological groups would you assign this plant

A.  $C_3$

B.  $C_4$

C. CAM

D. Nitrogen fixer

**Answer: B**



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77. Phytochrome is

A. Lipoprotein

B. Chromoprotein

C. Flavoprotein

D. Glycoprotein

**Answer: B**



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**78.** With reference to factors affecting the rate of photosynthesis, which of the following statements is not correct ?

- A.  $C_3$  plants respond to higher temperatures with enhanced photosynthesis while  $C_4$  plants have much enhanced photosynthesis with lower temperature optimum.
- B. Tomato is a greenhouse crop which can be grown in  $CO_2$  enriched atmosphere for higher yield.
- C. Tomato is a greenhouse crop which can be grown in  $CO_2$ -enriched atmosphere for higher yield.

D. Light saturation for  $CO_2$  fixation occurs at 10 % of full sunlight .

**Answer: B**



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79. PEP is primary  $CO_2$  acceptor in

A.  $C_4$  plants

B.  $C_2$  plants

C.  $C_3$  and  $C_4$  plants

D.  $C_3$  Plants

**Answer: A**



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80. Which of the following is not a product of light reaction of photosynthesis

- A. ATP
- B. NADH
- C. NADPH
- D. Oxygen

**Answer: B**



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81. Blackman's law of limiting factor is applied to

- A. respiration
- B. transpiration
- C. photorespiration
- D. photosynthesis

**Answer: D**



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**82.** Hill reaction occurs in

- A. high altitude plants
- B. total darkness
- C. absence of water
- D. presence of ferricyanide

**Answer: A**



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**83.** Photorespiration in  $C_3$  plants starts from

- A. phosphoglycerate

B. phosphoglycolate

C. glycerate

D. glycine

**Answer: A**



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**84. What is PAR range?**

A. 200 nm-800 nm

B. 400 nm-700 nm

C. 350 nm-550 nm

D. 600 nm-100 nm

**Answer: B**



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85. Through the use of oxygen-18 (heavy oxygen), scientists have found that the oxygen released during photosynthesis comes from molecules of

- A. carbon dioxide
- B. water
- C. glucose
- D. chlorophyll

**Answer: B**



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86. Select the incorrect statement

- A.  $C_4$  pathway for  $CO_2$  fixation were discovered by Hatch and Slack
- B.  $CO_2$  is essential for photosynthesis
- C. Addition of sodium carbonate in water retards photosynthetic rate in vallisneria

D. Phloem is the principal pathway for translocation of solutes

**Answer: C**



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**87.** The family in which many plants are  $C_4$  type

A. Malvaceae

B. Solanaceae

C. Cruciferaeae

D. Graminae

**Answer: D**



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88. Which one does not differ between a  $C_3$  and a  $C_4$  plant ? I Initial  $CO_2$  acceptor  
Extent of photorespiration  
Enzyme catalyzing reaction that fixes  $CO_2$   
Presence of Calvin cycle  
Leaf anatomy

A. I and V

B. IV

C. II and III

D. IV

**Answer: B**



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89. The First carbon dioxide fixation products of  $C_4$  plants is

- A. oxaloacetic acid
- B. ribulose biphosphate
- C. phosphoenol pyruvate
- D. phosphoglyceric acid

**Answer: A**

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**90.** Carbon dioxide is necessary for photosynthesis. The chemical used to remove this gas most effectively from entering a control apparatus is

- A. calcium oxide
- B. distilled water
- C. potassium hydroxide solution
- D. sodium carbonate

**Answer: A**

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91. Calvin cycle takes place in

- A. Only  $C_3$  plant
- B. Only  $C_4$  plant
- C. Both  $C_3$  and  $C_4$  plant
- D. Neither  $C_3$  nor  $C_4$  plant

**Answer: C**

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92. The site of Calvin cycle in  $C_4$  plants is

- A. parenchymatous cell
- B. mesophyll cell
- C. bundle sheath cell

D. bundle sheath cell

**Answer: C**



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**93.** Which of the following cell organelles is associated with photorespiration ?

A. Mitochondria

B. Peroxisome

C. Chloroplast

D. All of these

**Answer: D**



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94. Assertion : Bacterial photosynthesis occurs by utilizing wavelength longer than 700 nm.

Reason : Here reaction centre is  $B - 890$ .

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is a correct explanation of the assertion
- B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not a correct explanation of the assertion.
- C.
- D. If the assertion is true but reason is false.

**Answer: B**



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95. Assertion : Six molecules of  $CO_2$  and twelve molecules of  $NADPH + H^+$  and 18 ATP are used to form one hexose molecule.

Reason : Light reaction result in formation of ATP and  $NADPH_2$

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is a correct explanation of the assertion
- B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not a correct explanation of the assertion.
- C.
- D. If the assertion is true but reason is false.

**Answer: B**



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**96.** Assertion : Cyclis pathway of photosynthesis first apperead in some eubacterial species.

Reason Oxygen started accumulating in the atmosphere after the nonj-cyclic pathway of photosynthesis evolved.

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is a correct explanation of the assertion
- B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not a correct explanation of the assertion.
- C.
- D. If the assertion is true but reason is false.

**Answer: B**

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**97.** Assertion:  $C_4$  photosynthetic pathway is more efficient than the  $C_3$  pathway.

Reason : Photorespiration is suppressed in  $C_4$  plants.

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is a correct explanation of the assertion

B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not a correct explanation of the assertion.

C.

D. If the assertion is true but reason is false.

**Answer: A**

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**98.** Assertion. The atmospheric concentration of  $CO_2$  at which photosynthesis just compensates for respiration is referred to as  $CO_2$  compensation point.

Reason.  $CO_2$ -compensation point is reached when the amount of  $CO_2$  uptake is less than that generated through respiration because the level of  $CO_2$  is more than that required for achieving  $CO_2$ -compensation point.



- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is a correct explanation of the assertion
- B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not a correct explanation of the assertion.
- C.
- D. If the assertion is true but reason is false.

**Answer: C**



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**99.** Assertion. Under conditions of high intensity and limited  $CO_2$  supply, photorespiration has a useful role in protecting the plants from photo-oxidative damage.

Reason. If enough  $CO_2$  is not available to utilise light energy for carboxylation to proceed, the excess energy may not cause damage to plants

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is a correct explanation of the assertion
- B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not a correct explanation of the assertion.
- C.
- D. If the assertion is true but reason is false.

**Answer: C**

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**100.** Assertion. Photosynthetically  $C_4$  plants are less efficient than  $C_3$  plants.

Reason. The operation of  $C_4$  pathway requires the involvement of only bundle sheath cells

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is a correct explanation of the assertion

B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not a correct explanation of the assertion.

C.

D. If the assertion is true but reason is false.

**Answer: D**

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**101.** Assertion: Dark reaction is purely enzymatic reaction.

Reason: It occurs only in absence of light.

A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is a correct explanation of the assertion

B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not a correct explanation of the assertion.

C. If the assertion is true but reason is false.

D. both are false

**Answer: C**

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**102.** Assertion: Dark reaction occurs only at night in the stroma of chloroplast

Reason:  $CO_2$  fixation occurs only during  $C_3$  cycle.

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is a correct explanation of the assertion
- B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not a correct explanation of the assertion.
- C. If the assertion is true but reason is false.
- D. both are false.

**Answer: C**



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**103.** Assertion: Amaranthus and sugarcane are called as Hatch and Slack plants.

Reason: One glucose is formed by fixation of 6  $CO_2$  in the plants.

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is a correct explanation of the assertion
- B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not a correct explanation of the assertion.
- C.
- D. If the assertion is true but reason is false.

**Answer: B**



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**104.** Assertion: D.C.M.U. is a photosynthetic inhibitor.

Reason: D.C.M.U. inhibits a photolysis of water.

A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is a correct explanation of the assertion

B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not a correct explanation of the assertion.

C.

D. If the assertion is true but reason is false.

**Answer: A**



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**105.** Assertion : The stromal thylakoids are rich in both PS I and PS II

Rason : The granal membranes are rich in ATP synthetase.

A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is a correct explanation of the assertion

B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not a correct explanation of the assertion.

C.

D. If the assertion is true but reason is false.

**Answer: D**



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**106.** Assertion : Cyclic pathway of photosynthesis first appeared in some eubacterial species.

Reason Oxygen started accumulating in the atmosphere after the non-cyclic pathway of photosynthesis evolved.

A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is a correct explanation of the assertion

B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not a correct explanation of the assertion.

C.

D. If the assertion is true but reason is false.

**Answer: B**

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**107.** Assertion : Each molecule of ribulose-1,5 biphosphate fixes one molecule of  $CO_2$

Reason : Threemolecules of NADPH and two ATP are requird for fixatin of one molecule of  $CO_2$

A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is a correct explanation of the assertion

B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not a correct explanation of the assertion.



C.

D. If the assertion is true but reason is false.

**Answer: C**



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**108.** Assertion. In light reaction of photosynthesis, light is required for the functioning of PS I and PS II and Production of NADPH and ATP.

Reason. Dark reaction does not occur in light.

A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is a correct explanation of the assertion

B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not a correct explanation of the assertion.

C. If the assertion is true but reason is false.

D. both are false

**Answer: C**

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**109.** Assertion : CAM plants lack structural compartmentation of leaf, as found in  $C_4$  plant

Reason : Stomata of CAM plants are open during the day.

- A. If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is a correct explanation of the assertion
- B. If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not a correct explanation of the assertion.
- C.
- D. If the assertion is true but reason is false.

**Answer: C**

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