

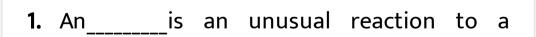


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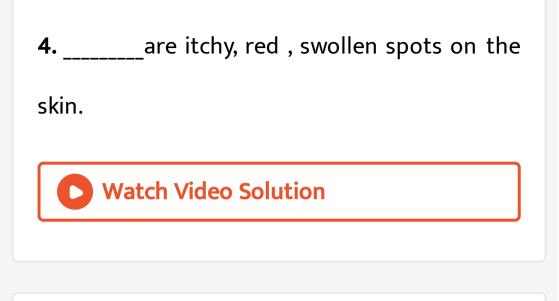
# ALLERGY

**Exercises A Fill In The Blanks** 



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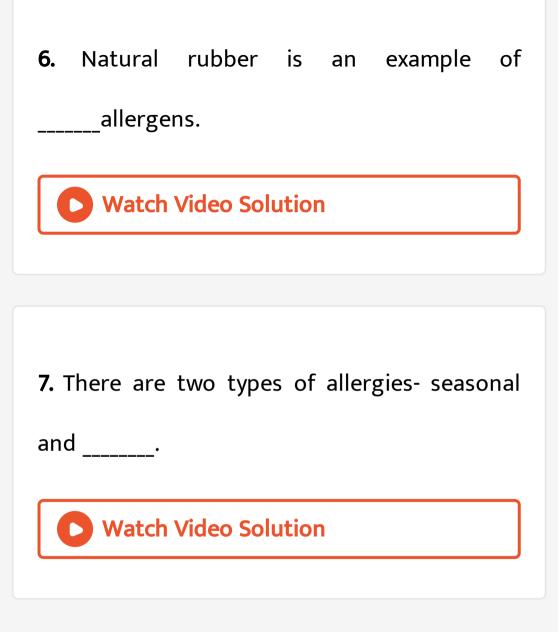
<b>2.</b> Substances that cause allergies are
called
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<b>3.</b> Pollen, pet dander and smoke
areallergens.
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5. Life threatening reaction caused by severe

allergic reactions





8. \_\_\_\_\_tests are carried out to test for

sensitivity to allergens .

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#### **Exercises B Choose The Correct Option**

1. Perfumes are

A. airborne allergens

B. contact allergens

C. both airborne and contact allergens

D. none of these

#### **Answer:**



#### 2. Dust mites and cockroaches trigger allergies

through their

A. saliva

B. feces

C. shed exoskeleton

D. all of these

#### Answer:



3. Airborne allergens cause

A. sneezing

B. runny nose

C. swollen eyes

### D. all of these

#### Answer:

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### **4.** Contact with a stinging nettle causes:

A. hives

B. diarrhoea

C. sneezing

D. none of these

#### Answer:



**5.** Which of the following is not true?

A. Penicillin can cause an allergic reaction.

B. Natural rubber products do not cause

allergies.

C. Insect sting allergies are triggered by

insect Venom

#### D. Strong sunlight can cause an itchy red

rash or hives.

#### **Answer:**



### 6. Allergens that cause seasonal allergies are

mostly:

A. airborne

B. waterborne

C. foodborne

D. none of these

#### **Answer:**



7. The best way to prevent an allergy is to .

A. take antibiotics

B. use disinfectants

C. get vaccinated

D. avoid allergens

#### Answer:

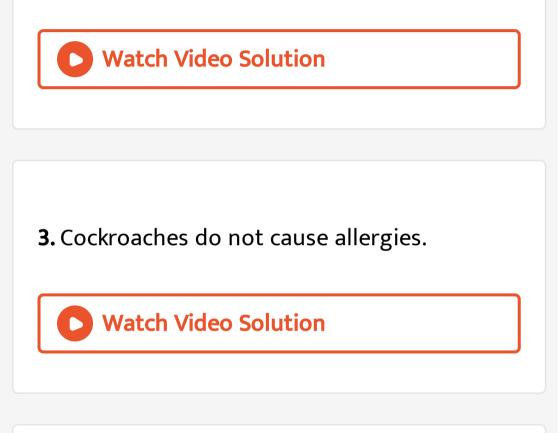
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Exercises C Write True Or False If False Write The Correct Statement

1. Which one of the following is a

communicable disease

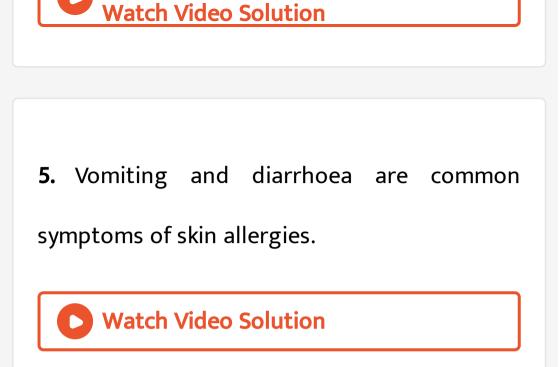
2. Pet dander is a common airborne allergen.



4. Milk, egg and soy allergies in children may

disappear when they grow older.



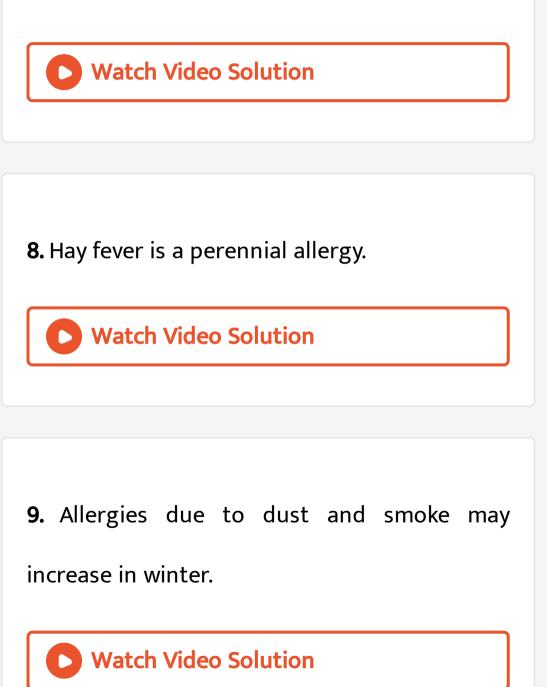


6. A sudden drop in blood pressure may occur

in an anaphylactic reaction.

7. Airborne allergens do not cause skin

allergies.



#### 10. Dust mites feed on dead skin.

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#### **Exercises D Match The Following**

#### 1. Match the following

#### Column A

- Glomerulus
- 2. Kidneys
- Ureter
- 4. Sweat glands
- Urethra
- 6. Kidney stones
- 7. Urea
- 8. Dead red blood cells

#### Column B

- Expels urine from the urinary bladder
- b. Spleen and liver
- e. Uric acid
- d. Main excretory organs
- e. Carries urine to the urinary bladder
- f. Capillaries
- g. Skin
- h. Excreted in urine and sweat



### **Exercise E Answer The Follwing**

**1.** What is an allergy? Name the types of allergens.

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2. Name four airborne allergens. What are the

symptoms caused by them?



**3.** Name two food items and two medicines that may cause an allergy. What reactions do they trigger in the alimentary canal?

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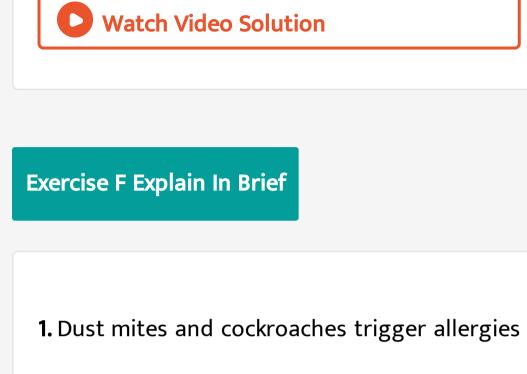
4. Name four contact allergens and describe

the symptoms caused.

5. Describe the symptoms caused in sunlight allergy. Watch Video Solution 6. Differentiate between seasonal and perennial allergies. Give two examples of each. Watch Video Solution

7. Mention five ways to prevent allergies.

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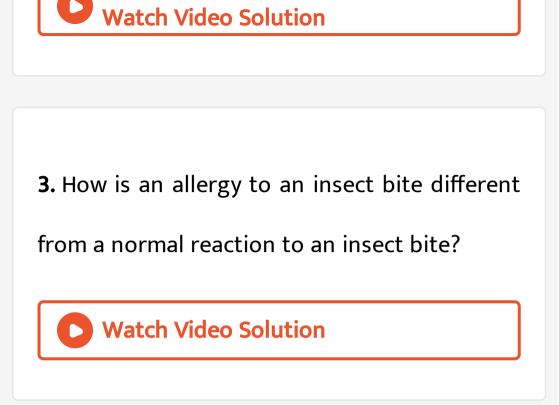
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2. What is anaphylaxis? Which allergens can

lead to an anaphylactic reaction?





### 4. \_\_\_\_\_tests are carried out to test for

sensitivity to allergens .