



BIOLOGY

BOOKS - TRUEMAN BIOLOGY

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(Solved Paper)

Mcqs

1. In a testcross involving F_1 dihybrid flies, more parental-type offspring were produced than the recombinant-type offspring. This indicates

- A. Both of the characters are controlled by more than one gene
- B. The two genes are located on two different chromosomes.
- C. Chromosomes failed to separate during meiosis

D. The two genes are linked and present on the same chromosome

Answer:



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2. Water soluble pigment present in cell vacuole is

A. Anthocyanins

B. Xanthophylls

C. Chlorophylls

D. Carotenoids

Answer:



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3. Which of the following pairs of hormones are not antagonistic (having opposite effects) to each other ?

A. Relaxin - Inhibin

B. Parathormone - Calcitonin

C. Insulin - Glucagon

D. Aldosterone -Atrial Natriuretic Factor

Answer:



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4. [A] : Mitochondria and chloroplasts are semiautonomous organelles .

[R] : They are formed by division of preexisting

organelles as well as contain DNA but lack protein synthesizing machinery .

- A. Both (a) and (b) are false
- B. Both (a) and (b) are correct
- C. (b) is true but (a) is false
- D. (a) is true but (b) is false

Answer:



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5. Which of the following is not a feature of the plasmids?

- A. Single- stranded
- B. Independent replication
- C. Circular structure
- D. Transferable

Answer:



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6. 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. Nitrogenfixer

B. C_3

C. C_4

D. CAM

Answer:



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7. Emerson's enhancement effect and red drop have been instrumental in the discovery of

A. Oxidative phosphorylation

B. Photophosphorylation and non-cyclic electron transport

C. Two photosystems operating simultaneously

D. Photophosphorylation and cyclic electron transport

Answer:



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8. Which type of tissue correctly matches with its location

Tissue	Location
(1) Cuboidal epithelium	Lining of stomach
(2) Smooth muscle	Wall of intestine
(3) Areolar tissue	Tendons
(4) Transitional epithelium	Tip of nose



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9. When does the growth rate of a population following the logistic model equal zero? The logistic model is given as

$$Dn/dt = Rn(1 - N/K).$$

A. when death rate is greater than birthrate.

B. when N/K is exactly one

C. when N nears the carrying capacity of the habitat

D. when N/K equals zero

Answer:



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10. Which one of the following statements is not true?

A. Stored pollen in liquid nitrogen can be used in the crop breeding programmes

B. Tapetum helps in the dehiscence of anther

C. Exine of pollen grains is made up of sporopollenin

D. Pollen grains of many species cause severe allergies

Answer:



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11. Which one of the following statements is wrong?

A. Phycomycetes are also called algal fungi

B. Cyanobacteria are also called blue-green algae

C. Golden algae are also called desmids

D. Eubacteria are also called false bacteria

Answer:



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12. The Avena curvature is used for bioassay of

A. Ethylene

B. ABA

C. GA_3

D. IAA

Answer:



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13. Which of the following structures is homologous to the wing of a bird?

1. Wing of a Moth

2. Hind limb of Rabbit

3. Flipper of Whale

4. Dorsal fin of a Shark

A. Flipper of Whale

B. Dorsal fin of a Shark ·

C. Wing of a Moth

D. Hind limb of Rabbit

Answer:



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14. Blood pressure in the pulmonary artery is

- A. less than that in the venae cavae
- B. same as that in the aorta
- C. more than that in the carotid
- D. more than that in the pulmonary vein

Answer:



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15. Fertilization in humans is practically feasible only if

A. the sperms are transported into cervix within 48 hrs of release of ovum in uterus

B. the sperms are transported into vagina just after the release of ovum in fallopian tube

C. the ovum and sperms are transported simultaneously to ampullary - isthmic junction of the fallopian tube

D. the ovum and sperms are transported simultaneously to ampullary - isthmic junction of the cervix

Answer:



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16. In meiosis crossing over is initiated at

A. Diplotene

B. Pachytene

C. Leptotene

D. Zygotene

Answer:



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17. Chrysophytes, Euglenoids, Dinoflaegellates and Slime moulds are included in the kingdom

A. Animalia

B. Monera

C. Protista

D. Fungi

Answer:



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18. Lack of relaxation between successive stimuli in striated muscle contraction is known as

A. Tonus

B. Spasm

C. Fatigue

D. Tetanus

Answer:



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19. Identify the correct statement on 'inhibin'.

A. Is produced by nurse cells in testes and

inhibits the secretion of LH

B. Inhibits the secretion of LH, FSH and

Prolactin

C. Is produced by granulosa cells in ovary

and inhibits the secretion of FSH

D. Is produced by granulosa cells in ovary

and inhibits the secretion of LH

Answer:



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20. Name the chronic respiratory disorder caused mainly by cigarette smoking

A. Respiratory alkalosis

B. Emphysema

C. Asthma

D. Respiratory acidosis

Answer:



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21. Which of the following most appropriately describes haemophilia?

- A. Dominant gene disorder
- B. Recessive gene disorder
- C. X -linked recessive gene disorder
- D. Chromosomal disorder

Answer:



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22. Select the correct statement

A. The leaves of gymnosperms are not well adapted to extremes of climate

B. Gymnosperms are both homosporous and heterosporous

C. Salvinia, Ginkgo and Pinus all are gymnosperms

D. Sequoia is one of the tallest trees

Answer:



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23. Which of the following is required as inducer(s) for the expression of lac operon?

A. Lactose and galactose

B. Glucose

C. Galactose

D. Lactose

Answer:



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24. A tall true breeding garden pea plant is crossed with a dwarf true breeding garden pea plant. When the F_1 plants were selfed the resulting genotypes were in the ratio of

A. 3 : 1 :: Dwarf: Tall

B. 1 : 2 : 1 : : Tall homozygous : Tall
heterozygous: Dwarf

C. 1 : 2 : 1 :: Tall heterozygous : Tall
homozygous : Dwarf

D. 3: 1 :: Tall: Dwarf

Answer:



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25. Which part of the tobacco plant is infected by *Meloidogyne incognita*?

A. Root

B. Flower

C. Leaf

D. Stem

Answer:



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26. Which of the following is not a characteristic feature during mitosis in somatic cells?

A. Synapsis

B. Spindle fibres

C. Disappearance of nucleolus

D. Chromosome movement

Answer:



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27. Which of the following statements is not true for cancer cells in relation to mutations?

A. Mutations inhibit production of telomerase

B. Mutations in proto-oncogenes accelerate the cell cycle

C. Mutations destroy telomerase inhibitor

D. Mutations inactive the cell control

Answer:



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28. One of the major components of cell wall of most fungi is

A. Hemicellulose

B. Chitin

C. Peptidoglycan

D. Cellulose

Answer:



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29. Cotyledon of maize grain is called

A. scutellum

B. plumule

C. coleorhiza

D. coleoptile

Answer:



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30. Which of the following would appear as the pioneer organisms on bare rocks?

A. Green algae

B. Lichens

C. Liverworts

D. Mosses

Answer:



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31. Changes in GnRH pulse frequency in females is controlled by circulating levels of

- A. progesterone and inhibin
- B. estrogen and progesterone
- C. estrogen and inhibin
- D. progesterone only

Answer:



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32. Changes in GnRH pulse frequency in females is controlled by circulating levels of

- A. Attenuated pathogens
- B. Activated pathogens
- C. Harvested antibodies
- D. Gamma globulin

Answer:



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33. Photosensitive compound in human eye is made up of:

A. Transducin and Retinene

B. Guanosine and Retinal

C. Opsin and Retinal

D. Opsin and Retinal

Answer:



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34. Specialised epidermal cells surrounding the guard cell are called

- A. Lenticels
- B. Complementary cells
- C. Subsidiary cells
- D. Bulliform cells

Answer:



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35. Which of the following features is not present in the phylum- Arthropoda?

- A. Jointed appendages
- B. Chitinous exoskeleton
- C. Metameric segmentation
- D. Parapodia

Answer:



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36. Reducing in pH of blood will

A. release bicarbonate ions by the liver

B. reduce the rate of heart beat

C. reduce the blood supply to the brain

D. decrease the affinity of hemoglobin with
oxygen

Answer:



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37. Which of the following characteristic features always holds true for the corresponding group of animals

(1) 3 - chambered heart with one incompletely divided ventricle	Reptilia
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(2) Cartilaginous endoskeleton	Chondrichthyes
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(3) Viviparous	Mammalia
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(4) Possess a mouth with an upper and a lower jaw	Chordata
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Answer:



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38. Match the terms in column I with their description in column II and choose the correct option

Column I	Column II
(a) Dominance	(i) Many genes govern a single character
(b) Codominance	(ii) In a heterozygous organism only one allele expresses itself
(c) Pleiotropy	(iii) In a heterozygous organism both alleles express themselves fully.
(d) Polygenic inheritance	(iv) A single gene influences many characters

- A. a b c d
 iv iii i ii

- B. a b c d
 ii i iv iii
- C. a b c d
 ii iii iv i
- D. a b c d
 iv i ii iii

Answer:



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39. A typical fat molecule is made up of

- A. Three glycerol and three fatty acid molecules

B. Three glycerol molecules and one fatty acid molecule

C. One glycerol and three fatty acid molecules

D. One glycerol and one fatty acid molecule

Answer:



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40. Proximal end of the filament of stamen is attached to the

A. Thalamus or petal

B. Anther

C. Connective

D. Placenta

Answer:



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41. Which one of the following statements is wrong ?

A. Glycine is a sulphur containing amino acid

B. Sucrose is a disaccharide

C. Cellulose is a polysaccharide

D. Uracil is a pyrimidine

Answer:



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42. Water vapour comes out from the plant leaf through the stomatal opening . Through the same stomatal opening carbon dioxide diffuses into the plant during photosynthesis. Reason out the above statements using one of the following options .

A. One process occurs during day time, and the other at night

B. Both processes cannot happen simultaneously

- C. Both processes can happen together
because the diffusion coefficient of
water and CO_2 is different
- D. The above processes happen only during
nighttime

Answer:



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43. A complex of ribosomes attached to a single strand of RNA is known as

A. Okazaki fragment

B. Polysome

C. Polymer

D. Polypeptide

Answer:



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44. Which one of the following is a characteristic feature of cropland ecosystem?

- A. Ecological succession
- B. Absence of soil organisms
- C. Least genetic diversity
- D. Absence of weeds

Answer:



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45. Which of the following is the most important cause of animals and plants being to extinction ?

A. Co-extinctions

B. Over -exploitation

C. Alien species invasion

D. Habitat loss and fragmentation

Answer:



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46. In chloroplast, the highest number of protons are found in

A. Antennae complex

B. Stroma

C. Lumen of thylakoids

D. Inter membrane space

Answer:



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47. Which of the following is not required for any of the techniques of DNA fingerprinting available at present?

- A. DNA-DNA hybridization
- B. Polymerase chain reaction
- C. Zinc finger analysis
- D. Restriction enzymes

Answer:



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48. The primitive prokaryotes responsible for the production of biogas from the dung of ruminant animals include

- A. Eubacteria
- B. Halophiles
- C. Thermoacidophiles
- D. Methanogens

Answer:



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49. Which of the following features is not present in *Periplaneta americana*?

A. Metamerically segmented body

B. Schizocoelom as body cavity

C. Indeterminate and radial cleavage during embryonic development

D. Exoskeleton composed of N-acetylglucosamine

Answer:



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50. A system of rotating crops with legume or grass pasture to improve soil structure and fertility is called

- A. Shifting agriculture
- B. Ley farming
- C. Contour farming
- D. Strip farming

Answer:



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51. Which of the following is wrongly matched in the given table ?



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52. Which blood vessel has the largest amount of urea ?

A. Hepatic Portal Vein

B. Renal Vein

C. Dorsal Aorta

D. Hepatic Vein

Answer:



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53. Pick out the correct statement

(I) Haemophilia is a sex-linked recessive disease

(II) Down's syndrome is due to aneuploidy

(III) Phenylketonuria is an autosomal recessive gene disorder

(IV) Sickle-cell anaemia is an X-linked recessive gene disorder

A. (a), (b) and (c) are correct

B. (a) and (d) are correct

C. (b) and (d) are correct

D. (a), (c) and (d) are correct

Answer:



54. Which of the following guards the opening of hepatopancreatic duct into the duodenum?

- A. Sphincter of Oddi
- B. Semilunar valve
- C. Ileocaecal valve
- D. Pyloric sphincter

Answer:



55. Microtubules are the constituents of

A. Centrosome, Nucleosome and Centrioles

B. Cilia, Flagella and Peroxisomes

C. Spindle fibres, Centrioles and Cilia

D. Centrioles, Spindle fibres and Chromatin

Answer:



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56. Coconut water from a tender coconut is

- A. Free nuclear endosperm
- B. Endocarp
- C. Fleshy mesocarp
- D. Free nuclear proembryo

Answer:



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57. Tricarpellary syncarpous gynoecium is found in flowers of

A. Poaceae

B. Liliaceae

C. Solanaceae

D. Fabaceae

Answer:



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58. Which of the following is not a stem modification

- A. Flattened structures of Opuntia
- B. Pitcher of Nepenthes
- C. Thorns of citrus
- D. Tendrils of cucumber

Answer:



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59. The taq polymerase enzyme is obtained from

- A. *Pseudomonas putida*
- B. *Thermus aquaticus*
- C. *Thiobacillus ferrooxidans*
- D. *Bacillus subtilis*

Answer:



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60. Stems modified into flat green organs performing the functions of leaves are known as

A. Scales

B. Cladodes

C. Phyllodes

D. Phylloclades

Answer:



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61. In higher vertebrates, the immune system can distinguish self-cells and non-self. If this property is lost due to genetic abnormality and it attacks self-cells, then it leads to

- A. Active immunity
- B. Allergic response
- C. Graft rejection
- D. Auto-immune disease

Answer:



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62. Nomenclature is governed by certain universal rules. Which one of the following is contrary to the rules of nomenclature

A. When written by hand, the names are to be underlined

B. Biological names can be written in any language

C. The first word in a biological name represents the genus name, and the

second is a specific epithet

D. The names are written in Latin and are italicised

Answer:



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63. In bryophytes and and pteridophytes, transport of male gametes requires

A. Water

B. Wind

C. Insects

D. Birds

Answer:



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64. In context of Amniocentesis, which of the following statement is incorrect?

A. It can be used for detection of Cleft palate

B. It is usually done when a woman is between 14-16 weeks pregnant

C. It is used for prenatal sex determination

D. It can be used for detection of Down syndrome

Answer:



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65. In the stomach, gastric acid is secreted by the

- A. acidic cells
- B. gastrin secreting cells
- C. parietal cells
- D. peptic cells

Answer:



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66. Spindle fibres attach on to

A. Kinetosome of the chromosome

B. Telomere of the chromosome

C. Kinetochore of the chromosome

D. Centromere of the chromosome

Answer:



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67. Which is the National Aquatic Animal of India

- A. Sea-horse
- B. Gangetic shark
- C. River dolphin
- D. Blue whale

Answer:



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68. Which one of the following cell organelles is enclosed by a single membrane

A. Nuclei

B. Mitochondria

C. Chloroplasts

D. Lysosomes

Answer:



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69. The two polypeptides of human insulin are linked together by

- A. Disulphide bridges
- B. Hydrogen bonds
- C. Phosphodiester bond
- D. Covalentbond

Answer:



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70. In which of the following, all three are macronutrients

A. Nitrogen, potassium, phosphorus

B. Boron, zinc, manganese

C. Iron, copper, molybdenum

D. Molybdenum, magnesium, manganese

Answer:



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71. Which of the following statements is wrong for viroids

- A. Their RNA is of high molecular weight
- B. They lack a protein coat
- C. They are smaller than viruses
- D. They cause infections

Answer:



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72. Analogous structures are a result of

- A. Stabilizing selection
- B. Divergent evolution
- C. Convergent evolution
- D. Shared ancestry

Answer:



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73. Select the incorrect statement

- A. LH triggers secretion of androgens from the Leydig cells
- B. FSH stimulates the sertoli cells which help in spermiogenesis
- C. LH triggers ovulation in ovary
- D. LH and FSH decrease gradually during the follicular phase

Answer:



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74. Which one of the following characteristics is not shared by birds and mammals ?

- A. Warmblooded nature
- B. Ossified endoskeleton
- C. Breathing using lungs
- D. Viviparity

Answer:



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75. Which of the following statements is not correct

A. Some reptiles have also been reported as pollinators in some plant species

B. Pollen grains of many species can germinate on the stigma of a flower, but only one pollen tube of the same species grows into the style

C. Insects that consume pollen or nectar without bringing about pollination are

called pollen/ nectar robbers.

D. Pollen germination and pollen tube growth are regulated by chemical components of pollen interacting with those of the pistil

Answer:



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76. Seed formation without fertilization in flowering plants involves the process of

- A. Apomixis
- B. Sporulation
- C. Budding
- D. Somatic hybridization

Answer:



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77. Which of the following approaches does not give the defined action of contraceptive?

A. Vesectomy Prevents spermatogenesis

B. Barrier method prevent fertilization

C. Intra uterine devices Increase phagocytosis of sperms, suppress sperm motility and fertilizing capacity of sperms

D. Hormonal contraceptives Prevent/retard entry of sperms, prevent

ovulation and fertilition

Answer:



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78. The amino acid tryptophan is the precursor for the synthesis of

- A. Cortisol and Cortisone
- B. Melatonin and Serotonin
- C. Thyroxine and Triiodothyronine

D. Estrogen and Progesterone

Answer:



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79. A river with an inflow of domestic sewage rich in organic waste may result in

A. Death of fish due to lack of oxygen

B. Drying of the river very soon due to algal

bloom

C. Increased population of aquatic food web organisms

D. An increased production of fish due to biodegradable nutrients

Answer:



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80. Gause's principle of competitive exclusion states that

A. Larger organisms exclude smaller ones through competition

B. More abundant species will exclude the less abundant species through competition.

C. Competition for the same resources excludes species having different food preferences

D. No two species can occupy the same niche indefinitely for the same limiting

resources

Answer:



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81. Asthma may be attributed to

1. Allergic reaction of the mast cells in the lungs
2. Inflammation of the trachea
3. Accumulation of fluid in the lungs
4. Bacterial infection of the lungs

- A. accumulation of fluid in the lungs
- B. bacterial infection of the lungs
- C. allergic reaction of the mast cells in the
lungs
- D. inflammation of the trachea

Answer:



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82. The standard petal of a papilionaceous corola is also called

A. Corona

B. Carina

C. Pappus

D. Vexillum

Answer:



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83. Which of the following is a restriction·endonuclease

A. RNase

B. Hind II

C. Protease

D. DNase I

Answer:



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84. It is much easier for a small animal to run uphill than for a large animal, because

A. The efficiency of muscles in large animals

is less than in the small animals

B. It is easier to carry a small body weight

C. Smaller animals have a higher metabolic

rate

D. Small animals have a lower O_2

requirement

Answer:



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85. Following are the statements regarding the origin of life

(A) The earliest organisms that appeared on the earth were non-green and presumably anaerobes

(B) The first autotrophic organisms were the chemoautotrophs that never released oxygen.

Of the above statements which one of the following options is correct

- A. Both (a) and (b) are false.
- B. (a) is correct but (b) is false.
- C. (b) is correct but (a) is false.
- D. Both (a) and (b) are correct.

Answer:



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86. A cell at telophase stage is observed by a student in a plant brought from a field. He tells his teacher that this cell is not like other cells at telophase stage. There is no formation of cell plate and thus the cell containing more number of chromosomes as compared to other dividing cells. This would result in

A. Polyteny

B. Aneuploidy

C. Polyploidy

D. Somaclonal variation

Answer:



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87. Depletion of which gas in the atmosphere can lead to an increased incidence of skin cancers

A. Methane

B. Nitrous oxide

C. Ozone

D. Ammonia

Answer:



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88. Joint Forest Management Concept was introduced in India during

A. 1990s

B. 1690s

C. 1970s

D. 1980s

Answer:



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89. Which one of the following is the starter codon?

A. UAG

B. AUG

C. UGA

D. UAA

Answer:



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90. The term ecosystem was coined by

A. E. Warming

B. E.P.Odum

C. A.G. Tansley

D. E. Haeckel

Answer:



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