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STRATEGIES FOR ENHANCEMENT IN FOOD PRODUCTION

Practice Problems

1. What is meant by 'livestock'?



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2. Give two uses of draught cattle.



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3. Differentiate milch breeds and draught breeds of cattle.



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4. Name two high milk yielding cross breeds of COWS.



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5. Name two exotic breeds of cows.



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6. What are the two main components of cattle feed?



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7. What is artificial breeding?



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8. Name the branch of biology dealing with all the aspects of domesticated animals.



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9. Give the full form of NDDDB.



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10. Who is regarded as 'Father of white Revolution' ?



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11. What is white revolution ?



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12. Where is IVRI located?



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13. Give one term for the science dealing with rearing of birds.



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14. Name two indigeous breeds of fowls.



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15. Name two exotic breeds of fowls.



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16. Give two advantages of exotic breeds over the indigenous breeds of fowls.



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17. Name to high yielding cross breeds of fowls.



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18. What is importance of a good feed in the poultry?



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19. Name one viral and one bacterial disease of poultry.



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20. Name the main food components found in egg white.



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21. Where is Central Avian Research Institute (CARI) located?



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22. What is laying period?



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23. Define pisciculture.



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24. Give one term for composite fish farming.



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25. Name two by products of fishery.



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26. Name to vitamins found in liver oil of certain fishes.



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27. What are the cat fishes? Name two cat fishes used in fishery.



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28. Name two carps used as food fishes



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29. What is fish meal?



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30. Define inland fisheries



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31. Give the term for the newly hatched youngs of fishes.



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32. Define fingerlings.



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33. Give the term for the rearing of honey bee for increased product of honey and beeswax.



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34. What products are obtained from beekeeping ?



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35. Name the most suitable species of honey bee for apiculture.



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36. Define apiary.



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37. What do you mean by pasturage?



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38. Define honey flow period.



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39. What do you understand by crop improvement?



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40. List the various methods used for crop improvement.



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41. How are androgenic haploids useful in plant breeding?



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42. How is polyploid breeding useful in crop improvement?



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43. What characteristics should be present in improvement seeds?



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44. Mutation breeding.



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45. Explain in brief the role of animal husbandry in human welfare.



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46. If your family owned a dairy farm, what measures would you undertake to improve the quality and quantity of milk production?



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47. What is meant by the term ‘breed’? What are the objectives of animal breeding?



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48. Name the methods employed in animal breeding. According to you which one of the methods is best? Why?



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49. What is apiculture? How is it important in our lives?



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50. Discuss the role of fishery in enhancement of food production.



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51. Briefly describe various steps involved in plant breeding.



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52. Explain what is meant by biofortification.



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53. Which part of the plant is best suited for making virus-free plants and why?



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54. What is the major advantage of producing plants by micropropagation ?



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55. Find out the various components of the medium used for propagation of an explants in vitro are ?



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56. Name any five hybrid varieties of crop plants which have been developed in India.



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1. The changes contracting bird flu from a properly cooked (above $100^{\circ}C$) chicken and egg are

A. Very high

B. High

C. Moderate

D. None

Answer: D



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2. A group of animals which are related by descent and share many similarities are referred to as

A. Breed

B. Race

C. Variety

D. Species

Answer: A



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3. Inbreeding is carried out in animal husbandry because it

- A. Increases vigour
- B. Improves the breed
- C. Increases heterozygosity
- D. Increases homozygosity

Answer: D



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4. Sonalika and Kalyan Sona are varieties of

A. Wheat

B. Rice

C. Millet

D. Tobacco

Answer: A



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5. Which one of the following is not a fungal disease

- A. Rust of wheat
- B. Smut of bajra
- C. Black rot of crucifers
- D. Red rot of sugarca

Answer: C



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6. In virus-infected plants the meristematic tissues in both apical and axillary buds are free of virus because

A. The dividing cells are virus resistant

B. Meristems have anti viral compounds

C. The cell division of meristems are faster than the rate of viral multiplication

D. Viruses cannot multiply within meristem cell (s)

Answer: C



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7. Several South Indian states raise 2-3 crops of rice annually. The agronomic feature that makes this possible is because of

- A. Shorter rice plant
- B. Better irrigation facilities
- C. Early yielding rice variety.
- D. Disease resistant rice variety

Answer: C



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8. Which one of the following combination would a sugarcane farmer look for in the sugarcane crop

A. Thick stem, long internodes, high sugar content and disease resistant

B. Thick stem, high sugar content and profuse flowering

C. Thick stem, short intermode, high sugar content, disease resistant

D. Thick stem, low sugar content, disease resistant

Answer: A



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9. Fungicides and antibiotics are chemicals that

A. Enhance yield and disease resistance

B. Kill pathogenic fungi and bacteria,
respectively

C. Kill all pathogenic microbes

D. Kill pathogenic bacteria and fungi
respectively.

Answer: B



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10. Use of certain chemicals and radiation to change the base sequences of genes of crop plants is termed

A. Recombinant DNA technology

B. Transgenic mechanism

C. Mutation breeding

D. Gene therapy

Answer: C



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11. The scientific process by which crop plants are enriched with certain desirable nutrients is called

A. Crop protection

B. Breeding

C. Biofortification

D. Bio-remediation

Answer: C



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12. The term 'totipotency' refers to the capacity of a

A. Cell to generate whole plant

B. Bud to generate whole plant

C. Seed to germinate

D. Cell to enlarge in size

Answer: A



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13. Given below are a few statements regarding somatic hybridisation. Choose the correct statements.

(i) Protoplasts of different cells of the same plant are fused.

(ii) Protoplasts from cells of different species can fused.

(iii) Treatment of cell with cellulase and pectinase mandatory.

(iv) The hybrid protoplast contains characters of only one parent protoplast.

A. (ii) and (iii)

B. (i) and (ii)

C. (iii) and (ii)

D. (ii) and (iii)

Answer: D



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14. An explantis

A. Dead plant

B. Part of the plant

C. Part of the plant used in tissue culture

D. Part of the plant that expresses a
specific gene

Answer: C



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15. The biggest constraint of plant breeding is

A. Availability of desirable gene in the crop
and its wild relatives

B. Infrastructure

C. Trained manpower

D. Transfer of genes from unrelated sources

Answer: D



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16. Lysine and tryptophan are

A. Proteins

B. Non essential amino acids

C. Essential amino acids

D. Aromatic and no acid.

Answer: C



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17. Micro-propagation is

A. Propagation of microbes in vitro

B. Propagation of plants in vitro

C. Propagation of cells in vitro

D. Growing plants on smaller scale

Answer: B



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18. Protoplast is

A. Another name for protoplasm

B. An animal cell

C. A plant cell without a cell wall

D. A plant cell

Answer: C



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19. To isolate protoplast, one needs

A. Pectinase

B. Cellulase

C. Both pectinase and cellulase

D. Chitinase

Answer: C



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20. Which one of the following is a marine fish ?

A. Rohu

B. Hilsa

C. Catla

D. Common carp

Answer: B



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21. Which one of the following products of apiculture is used in cosmetics and polishes?

A. Honey

B. Oil

C. Wax

D. Royal jelly

Answer: C



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22. More than 70 per cent of livestock population is in

A. Denmark

B. India

C. China

D. India and China

Answer: D



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23. The agriculture sector of India employs:

- A. 60 per cent of the population
- B. 70 per cent of the population
- C. 30 per cent of the population
- D. 62 per cent of the population

Answer: D



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24. 33 percent of India's (Gross Domestic Product) comes from

A. Industry

B. Agriculture

C. Export

D. Small scale cottage industries

Answer: B



25. A collection of all the alleles of all the genes of a crop plant is called

- A. Germplasm collection
- B. Protoplams collection
- C. Herbarium
- D. Somaclonal collection

Answer: A



Ncert Exemplar Problems Very Short Answer Type Questions

1. Millions of chicken were killed in west Bengal , Assom , odisha and maharashtra recently ,what was the reason ?



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2. Can gamma rays used for crop improvement programmes prove to be harmful for health ?

Discuss.



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3. In animal husbandry if two closely related animals are mated for a few generations , it results in loss of ferillity and vigour why is this SO ?



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4. in the area of plant breeding it is important not only to preerve all its wild relatives ,Explain with a suitable example .



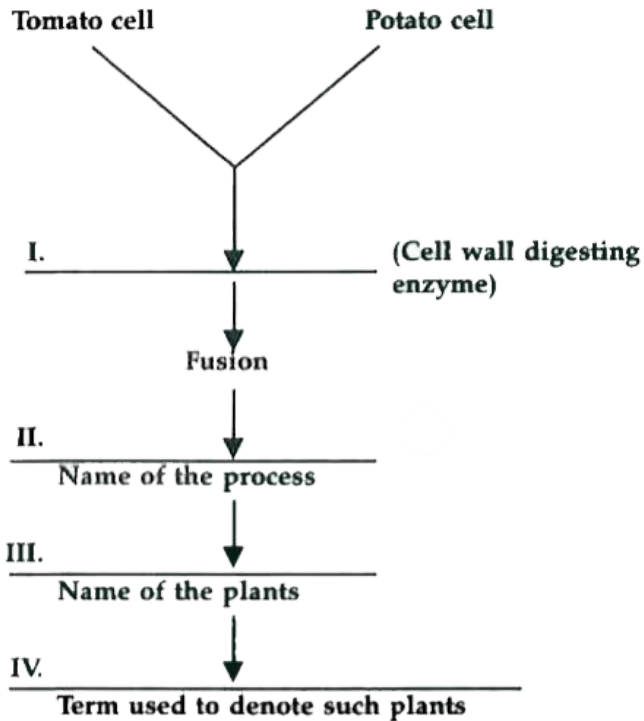
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5. Name a man -made cereal , trace , trace how it was developed and where is it used?



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6. Fill in the blanks:



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7. A few statements are given below followed by set of terms in a box , pick the correct term and write it against the appropriate statement

(a) Mating of closely related individuals within the same breed.	(i) Cross breeding
(b) Mating of animals of same breed but having no common ancestors on either side for 4-6 generations.	(ii) Inter-specific hybridisation
(c) Mating of animals of two different species.	(iii) Outbreeding
(d) Breeding of animals belonging to different breeds.	(iv) Outcrossing
	(v) Inbreeding



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8. what is meant by ' hidden hunger?



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9. Why are plants obtained by protoplast culture called somatic hybrids?



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10. what is protoplast fusion ?



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11. why is it easier to culture meristems compared to permanent tissues?





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12. Why are proteins synthesised by Spirulina called single cell proteins ?



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13. A person who allergic to pulses was advised to take a capsule of spirulina daily . Give the Reasons for the advise.



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14. what is aquaculture ? Give example of an animal that can be multiplied by aquaculture .



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15. what are the duties of a veterinary doctor in management of a poultry farm ?



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16. Would it be wrong to call plants obtained through micro - propagation as ' clones ?

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17. How is a somatic hybrid different from a hybrid ?



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18. what is emasculation ? Why and when is it done ?



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19. Discuss the two main limitations of plant hybridisation programme .



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20. Inter-specific crosses are rare in nature and inter-generic crosses almost unknown .why?



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21. Differentiate between pisciculture and aquaculture.



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22. Give two important contribution of DR. MS Swaminathan .



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23. The term ' desirable trait ' can mean different things for different plants. Justify the statement with suitable examples.



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1. you are planning to set up a dairy farm. Describe the various aspects you would consider before you start the venture .



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2. It is said , that diseases are spreading faster due to globalisation and increased movement

of people .Justify the statement taking the example Of H_5N_1 virus .



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3. Explain the concept of the blue revolution .



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4. A farmer was facing problem of low yield from farm ,He was advised to keep a beehive in

the vicinity . Why ? How the beehive help in enhancing yield?



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5. Life style diseases are increasing alarmingly in India .we are also dealing with large scale malnutrition in the population Is there any method by which we can address both of these problems together ?



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6. How can we improve the success rate of fertilization artificial insemination in animal husbandry programmers?



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7. What is meant by germplasm collection what are its benefits ?



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8. Name the improved characteristics of wheat that helped india to achieve green revolution .



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9. Suggest some of the features of plants that will prevent insect and pest infestation.



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10. it is Easier to culture the plant cells in vitro as compared to animals cells why ?



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11. The culture medium (nutrient medium) can be referred to as a highly enriched laboratory soil. Justify the statement.



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12. is there any relationship between dedifferentiation and the higher degree of success achieved in plant tissue experiments ?



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13. Give me a living cell of any plant and I will give you a thousand plants of the same type" , Is this only a slogan or is it scientifically possible ?





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14. what is the difference between a breed and a species ? Give an example for each category.



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15. Plants raised through tissue cultures are clones of the parent plant. Discuss the utility of these plants.



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16. Discuss the importance of testing of new plant varieties in a geographically vast country like India.



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17. Define the term stress for plants. Discuss briefly the two types of stress encountered by plants.



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18. Discuss natural selection and artificial selection. What are the implications of the latter on the process of evolution?



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19. Discuss Briefly how pure lines are created in animal husbandry.



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20. what are the physical barriers of a cell in the protoplast fusion experiment ? How are the barriers overcome ?



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21. Give few examples of biofortified crops .
What benefits do they offer to the society?



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Ncert Exemplar Problems Long Answer Type Questions

1. You are a botanist working in the area of plant breeding. Describe the various steps that you will undertake to release a new variety.



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2. (a) the shift from grain to meat diets creates more demands for cereals . Why ?

(b) A 250 kg Cow produces 200 g of protein per day but 250 g of Methylophilus methylotrophus can produce of protein ,Name this emerging area of research .Explain its benefits.



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3. what are the advantages of tissue culture methods over conventional programmes ?



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4. Modern methods of breeding animals and plants can alleviate the global food shortage ' .

Comment on the statement and give suitable examples.



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5. Does apiculture offer multiple advantages to farmers? List its advantages if it is located near a place of commercial flower cultivation.



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6. Discuss how the property of plant cell totipotency has been utilised for plant propagation and improvement .



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7. What are three options to increase food production ? Discuss each giving the salient features , merits and demerits.



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Hots Very Short Answer Questions

1. What is the scientific name of cow?



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2. How does roughage differ from concentrates with reference to cattle feed ?



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3. What is hypophysation?



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4. Why Italian bee (*Apis mellifera*) is preferred for apiculture than the India bees?



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5. In cattle farming, which method of breeding is more advantageous?



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6. Write an alternate source of protein for animal and human nutrition.



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7. For which amino acids maize is fortified?



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8. What is the major advantage of producing plants by micropropagation ?



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9. what is meant by ' hidden hunger?



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Hots Short Answer Questions

1. Which method is commonly used for improving cattle breeds and why ?



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2. What are the advantages of composite fish culture ?



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3. What is advantage of induced breeding in pisciculture?



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4. What is poultry? Name one improved breed of poultry.



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5. Give the economy of honey bees.



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6. Write any two advantages of tissue culture.



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7. Give the objectives of plant breeding.



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8. Mutation breeding.



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9. Explain the process of heterosis. How is it different from inbreeding depression?



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10. How is artificial breeding more advantages than natural breeding?



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11. How do you differentiate between capture fisheries, inland fisheries and aquaculture?



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12. What is inbreeding depression? How is it caused in organisms? Write any two advantages of inbreeding.



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13. What is mutation breeding? Write down some examples of it.



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14. Why are beehives kept in crop field during flowering period? Name any two crop fields where this is practiced.



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15. Write a note on mutational breeding.



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Hots Long Answer Question

1. Explain the economic importance of pisculture.



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2. Discuss various management measures to get higher yield of honey from honey bees.



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3. What are the main steps in breeding a new genetic variety of a crop ?



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4. What is the role of tissue culture, somaclones and somatic hybridisation for improvement of crops.



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Momery Test True Or False

1. One of the objectives of plant breeding is to develop disease, insect and pest resistant varieties.



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2. Plant breeding is both art and science.



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3. In mass selection, crop produced is only of one genotype.



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4. During emasculation process, stigma of flower is removed.



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5. Most of the mutations are lethal and may lead to death of organism.



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6. Exotic breed which is very popular for egg laying but is not ideal for meat purposes is White Leghorn.



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7. Young fishes formed from the hatchings are called fingerlings.



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8. FSH and LH are pituitary hormones and are used to induce spawning in the fish.



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9. Roughage is rich in nutrients, while concentrate is rich in fibres.



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10. Most important breeding method is inbreeding.



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11. The common and fatal disease of poultry is Ranikhet.



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12. Maintenance of hives of honey bees for production of honey is called molecular farming.



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13. In cryopreservation, the temperature is kept is 106°



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1. Best egg-layer laying large sized whitish egg is _____.



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2. _____ is the indigenous breed of cattle, while _____ is high milk yielding cross breed of cattle.



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3. Roughage of cattle feed mainly contains _____ while _____ of cattle feed is rich in nutrients.



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4. The latest techniques of improvement of cattle is _____.



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5. Anthrax is a _____ disease, while cowpox is a _____ disease.



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6. _____ is located at Izatagar (U.P).



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7. _____ are the birds grown for providing meat.



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8. Bee forage or pasturage determines the _____ and _____ of honey.



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9. Stimulation of a good female animal to release more eggs is called _____.



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10. _____breeds of animals are introduced in an area from an outside country.



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11. Milk yielding breeds of cattle are called_____.



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12. _____ is a semidwarf wheat variety introduced from Mexico.



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13. _____ is always the main objective of plant breeding.



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14. The phenomenon of cross pollination is also called as _____.



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15. _____ proposed the concept of centres of origin.



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16. The headquarter of NBPGR is situated at _____.



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17. Pure line selection is used in _____



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18. The crossing of F_1 hybrid with either of the parents is known as _____.



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19. Variations appearing during tissue culture are called _____.



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20. An unorganised mass of parenchymatous cells, produced in a culture is called _____.



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21. The primary food plant of silk worm is _____.



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22. Breeding crops with the objective of increased nutritional quality is called _____.



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Momery Test Choose The Correct Alternative

1. Crossbreeds/indigenous breed of animals are more advantages.



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2. Murrah is a high milk yielding breed of cow/buffalo of Haryana/ Gujarat.



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3. Inbreeding depression can be overcome by outcrossing/crossbreeding/both out crossing and crossbreeding.



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4. White leghorn fowl is a Mediterranean/American breed.



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5. Exotic and high yielding breed of honey bee is *Apis florea*/*Apis mellifera*.



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6. Plant breeding for disease resistance enhance the production of food by

reducing/increasing losses due to diseases.



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7. One of the alternate source of carbohydrate/proteins for animal and human nutrition is SCP.



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8. A meristem/fruit is free of viruses.



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9. Pusa gaurave is a resistant variety of bhindi/rapeseed mustard.



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Revision Exercises Mcqs

1. What made Dr.M.S. Swaminathan famous?

A. He Is a horiculturist

B. Geneticist

C. Plant breeder

D. All of these

Answer: C



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2. What are transgenic plants?

A. Plants which are pure breeding.

B. Plants containing specially introduced genes and hence showing tolerance to select herbicides.

C. A crop plant which is not destroyed by herbicides.

D. A plant resistant to insect pests.

Answer: B



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3. Process of bringing wild species of plants under cultivation of suit human needs is called.

A. Domestication

B. Selection

C. Cultivation

D. Hybridization

Answer: A



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4. Heterosis is

A. Hybrid vigour

B. Pollen pistil incompatibility

C. Pollen Sterility

D. Hybrid compatibility

Answer: A



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5. Which of the following crops was subjected most to continuous selection and domestication by man:

A. Rice

B. Wheat

C. Maize

D. Sugarcane

Answer: C



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6. Hybrid vigour is due to

A. Homozygosity

B. Linkage

C. Emasculation

D. Heterozygosity

Answer: D



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7. The pathogen free plants are obtained from:

A. Seeds

B. Shoot meristem culture

C. Root culture

D. Embryo culture

Answer: B



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8. Emasculation is required for:

A. Selective hybridisation

B. Pure lines

C. Self pollination

D. Natural hybridization

Answer: A



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9. Genetic variability can be created by:

A. Clone selection

B. Mass selection

C. Mutation

D. Hybridization

Answer: C



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10. The first domesticated animals by primitive man was

A. cow

B. Dog

C. Horse

D. Cat

Answer: B



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11. Which of the following is given to cow to yield milk ?

A. Sorbitol

B. Prolactin

C. Gonadotrophin

D. Stilbestrol

Answer: D



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12. Identify the edible freshwater teleosts:

A. Sharks

B. Catla catla

C. Rays and skates

D. Hilsa hilsa

Answer: B



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13. This one is a viral disease in silkworm:

A. Flacerie

B. Pebrine disease

C. Muscardine

D. Maggot disease

Answer: B



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14. MOET is method of:

A. Fish cultivation

B. Cloning in sheep

C. Hybridisation in cattle

D. Birth control in humans

Answer: C



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15. Which one of the following combination is generally recommended for composite fish farming in india

A. Catla, labeo and Cirrhinus

B. Catla, Cyprinus and Clarius

C. Clarius, Channa and Cyprinus

D. Cirrhinus, Cyprinus and Channa

Answer: A



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16. MOET (Multiple Ovulation Embryo Transfer

) is a method of

A. Fish cultivation

B. Prawn cultivation

C. Cloning monkeys

D. Hybridisation in cattle

Answer: D



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17. Which one of the following food fishes of U.P. is a carp, which is cultivated in U.P. but is not a native of India?

A. *Labeo rohita*

B. *Clarius betrachus*

C. *Channa punctatus*

D. *Hypophthalmichthys molitrix*

Answer: D



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18. Among the India major carps the fastest rate of growth is observed in:

- A. *Labeo bata*
- B. *Catla catla*
- C. *Labeo rohita*
- D. *Labeo calbasu*

Answer: C



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19. The drug used for deworming in poultry:

A. Antihistamine

B. Antiviral

C. Antihelminthic

D. Antibiotic

Answer: C



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20. Bombay duck is:

A. Hilsa hilsa

B. Wharpadon neherius

C. Pediceps ruficolis

D. Coreochromis mossambicus

Answer: B



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21. In which country, the 'DOGS' were once worshipped as 'GODS' ?

A. Italy

B. Egypt

C. Greece

D. Mongolia

Answer: B



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22. The Mediterranean type of popular fowls are called:

A. White Leghorn

B. New Hampshire

C. Plymouth rock

D. Rhodesian Red

Answer: A



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23. The production of new characteristics by introducing new genes and altering the genome is called:

- A. Splicing
- B. Genetics
- C. Gene manipulation
- D. Totipotency

Answer: C



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24. Plants raised through tissue culture technique are

- (i) Genetically uniform
- (ii) Used as inoculum
- (iii) Genetically similar
- (iv) Called clones:

A. (i),(ii) and (iii) are correct

B. (i) and (iv) are correct

C. (ii) and (iii) are correct

D. (iii) and (iv) are correct

Answer: B



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25. Cultivation of Bt cotton has been much in the news. The prefix "Bt" means

A. Barium treated cotton seeds

B. Bigger thread variety of cotton with better tensile strength

C. Produced by Biotechnology using restriction enzymes.

D. Carryihng an endotoxin gene from
Bacillus thuringiensis

Answer: D



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Revision Exercises Questions From State Board Examination

1. Vidya got a plant which was affected with a viral disease. Her objective is to raise a disease

free plant from this infected plant through tissue culture.

(a) Which part of the plant should be selected as the explant?

(b) State the reason for the selection of this part as the explant.



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2. Name the following :

(a) The semi-dwarf variety of wheat which is

high-yielding and disease-resistant.

(b) Any one inter-specific hybrid mammal.



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3. Scientific name of oak silkworm is



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4. Define biofortification.



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5. Write about multiple ovulation embryo transfer technology.



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6. Silkworms belong to Order.



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7. what is meant by ' hidden hunger?



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8. Define hybrid vigour.



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9. What do you mean by breed?



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10. What is meant by 'livestock'?



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11. Biofortification.



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12. Explant.



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13. Define heterosis.



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14. Which is most common species of honey bee?



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15. Write the full form of MOET.



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16. What is Pomato?



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17. Write the full form of IRRI.



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18. Write the full form of IARI.



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19. What is biofortification ?



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20. Name any two disease the 'Himgiri' variety of wheat is resistant to.



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21. Write the full form of SCP.



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22. Continuous breeding leads to inbreeding depression. If so define the following

(i) Outcrossing (ii) Crossbreeding.



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23. An objective of plant breeding is



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24. Explain what do you mean by suspension culture.



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25. Define the following terms:

(a) Apiculture (b) Biofortification (c) Pisciculture.



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26. Define the following terms:

(a) Single cell protein (b) Micropropagation (c)
Inbreeding.



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27. what is emasculation ? Why and when is it
done ?



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28. Write two advantages of disease resistant varieties in plant breeding.



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29. What are the merits of interspecific hybridization?



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30. Write the names of two primary and two secondary host plants of muga silkworm?



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31. What is meant by biofortification ?



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32. Define emasculation. How is it done?



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33. Golden Rice



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34. Define apiary. Name most preferred species of honey bees for apiculture.



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35. What is Single Cell Protein (SCP)? Write its advantages.



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36. Write two significances of single cell protein.



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37. Define artificial insemination. Write down two advantages of it.



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38. What is biofortification? What are objectives of it?



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39. What is selection ? Name the two methods of selection.



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40. Name the disease of silkworm caused by protozoan parasite. Mention the preventive measures against this disease.



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41. Which part of the plant is best suited for making virus-free plants and why?



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42. What are Cry proteins? Name an organism that produces it. How has man exploited this protein to his benefit?



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43. What is apiculture? How is it important in our lives?



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44. Why are the plants raised through micropropagation termed somaclones ?
(b) Mention two advantage of this technique .



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45. What is advantage is inbreeding in cattle?

How does continued inbreeding affect the cattle population?



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46. Why does the yeild of both crop and honey increase when the beehives are kept in mustard crop fields during flowering season?

Explain



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47. State the disadvantage of inbreeding among cattle. How it can be overcome?



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48. Define biocontrol. Which fungus is used for the treatment of plant diseases?



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49. Explain the meaning of the following with reference to human welfare.

a. Embryo culture b. Somatic hybridisation.



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50. Briefly describe the role of plant breeding to improve food production.



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51. What are advantages of biofertilizers over chemical fertilizers. Give an example of biofertilizer.



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52. What is single cell protein? Give two examples.



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53. What is cryopreservation ?



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54. Enumerate at least four objectives for improving the nutritional quality of different crops for the health benefits of the human population by the process of "Biofortification".



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55. What is Single Cell Protein (SCP)? Name two algae used to produce SCP.



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56. What is biofortification ?



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57. Biofortification.



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58. What is biofortification ?



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59. Name the methods used in plant breeding.

Which is the oldest method?



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60. Define hybridization method of plant breeding.



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61. Which are the important components of poultry farm managements ?

(i) Selection of disease free and suitable breeds

(ii) Proper and safe farm condition

(iii) Proper feed and water

(iv) Hygiene and health care



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62. What do you mean by SCP? Give example.



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63. Biofortification is a practical approach to improve the public health. Name any four such crops released by IARI.



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64. Genetically modified plants have been used in many ways. Give any four advantages of such plants.



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65. What are transgenic animals. Give an example.



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66. What is interspecific hybridization ? Write one example of it.



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67. Write any three points that are important for successful bee-keeping.



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68. Write about multiple ovulation embryo transfer technology.



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69. Outcrossing.



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70. SCP.



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71. What is apiculture? How is it important in our lives?



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72. Mention the four traits for which plant breeding is done.



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73. What do you mean by Single Cell Protein?

Give example. What is the Biofortification?



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74. Write the scientific names and their families of three important timber yielding plants of Assam?



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75. What do you understand by fishery? State its importance.



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76. Define apiculture . Name the products obtained from it .



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77. Resistance is the ability of prevent the pathogen from causing disease.

(a) Elucidate the steps in breeding for disease resistance.

(b) Cite two examples for virus resistant plants.



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78. Tissue culture is an achievement of plant breeding. What is a somaclone? Describe the

production of somatic hybrid.



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79. What is composite fish culture? Name the species involved in this culture.



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80. What is bee keeping? What are advantages of bee keeping on commercial basis?



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81. Write briefly the importance of bee keeping.



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82. What is single cell protein? Write any two uses of SCP.



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83. Name one exotic carp. What is hypophysation?



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84. What are Cry proteins? Name an organism that produces it. How has man exploited this protein to his benefit?



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85. Explain briefly:

(i) Vaccination (ii) Inbreeding depression



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86. Briefly explain:

(a) Somatic hybridisation (b) Importance of
bee keeping.



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87. Briefly explain

(a) Mutation breeding in plants (b) Importance of poultry.



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88. Write a short note on diary farming.



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89. Enlist the applications of tissue culture.



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90. What is MOET? Describe its process in detail.



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91. What do genetically modified organisms (GMOs) do to the food? How are they useful to use?



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92. Define the following terms:

Callus, Embryoid, Pisciculture, Explant,
Germplasm



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93. What is SCP? Also write its significance.



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94. Name one bacterial disease of poultry birds,. What do you mean by poultry farm management?



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95. Write the technique of plant tissue culture.



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96. What is the culture? Write the advantages of tissue culture.



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97. What is mean by single cell protein? Mention the advantages of using microorganisms for SCP production.



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98. What is meant by the term 'breed'? What are the objectives of animal breeding?



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99. Describe the plant tissue culture process in brief.



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1. Give an example for an inter specific hybrid animal.



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2. Name the following :

(a) The semi-dwarf variety of wheat which is high-yielding and disease-resistant.

(b) Any one inter-specific hybrid mammal.



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3. Write the names of two semi-dwarf and high yielding rice varieties developed in India after 1966.



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4. Write the importance of MOET.



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5. How many chromosomes do drones of honeybee possess ? Name the type of cell division involved in the production of sperm by them.



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6. Which is the best breeding method for animals that are below average in production ?

A. interspecific hybridization

B. cross breeding

C. out breeding

D. out crossing

Answer:



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7. Mention the role of 'genetic mother' in MOET.



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8. A herd of cattle is showing reduced fertility and productivity . Provide one reason and one suggestion to overcome this problem.



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9. What are Cry genes ? In which organism are they present?



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10. Name the specific type of gene that is incorporated in a cotton plant to protect the plant against cotton boll worm infestation.



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11. Bt toxins are released as inactive crystals in the bacterial body. What happens to it in the cotton boll worm's body that it kills the boll worm?



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12. Select two disease resistant crop varieties from the list of crop varieties given below:

Himigiri, Pusa Gaurav, Pusa Komal, Pusa A-4



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13. Suggest a method to overcome excessive inbreeding depression.



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1. Keeping beehives in crop fields during flowering period increases



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2. Following are the steps in MOET programme for herd improvement in which a cow has been administered hormones with FSH like activity. Arrange steps A to D in their correct sequence

in MOET

A. Transferred to surrogate mothers

B. It produces 6-8 eggs instead of one egg
which they normally yield per cycle

C. It is artificially inseminated or mated with an
elite bull

D. Fertilised eggs at 32 celled stage are
recovered non-surgically



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3. Expand MOET. Explain the procedure of this technology in cattle improvement.



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4. What is advantage of inbreeding in cattle?
How does continued inbreeding affect the cattle population?



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5. MOET programme has helped in increasing the herd size of the desired variety of cattle.

List the steps involved in conducting programme.



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6. State the disadvantage of inbreeding among cattle. How it can be overcome?



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7. Why are the plants raised through micropropagation termed somaclones ?

(b) Mention two advantage of this technique .



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8. Identify A,B,C and D in the given table:

Crop	Variety	Resistance to disease
A	Himgiri	Leaf rust
Cauliflower	Pusa Shubhra	B
<i>Brassica</i>	Pusa Swarnim	C
Cowpea	D	Bacterial blight



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9. Suggest four important steps to produce a disease resistant plant through conventional plant breeding technology.



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10. Large scale cultivation of Spirulina is highly advantageous to human population. Explain giving two reasons.



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11. In an agricultural field there is a prevalence of the following organisms and crop diseases which are affecting the crop yield badly:

- a) White rust
- b) Leaf and strips rust
- dc) Black rot
- d) Jassids

Recommend the varieties of crops the farmers should grow to get rid of te existing problem and thus improve the crop yeild



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12. By taking two examples how has bio-fortification helped in improving food quality.



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13. Growing Spirullina on a large scale is beneficial environmental and nutritionally for humans. Justify.



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14. How is somatic hybridisation carried out?

Mention one example of a somatic hybrid.



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15. Name the technology and write the procedure that can help a scientist to recover virus free sugarcane plants from diseased canes for his crop breeding experiments



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16. What is inbreeding depression? How is it caused in organisms? Write any two advantages of inbreeding.



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17. How can crop varieties be made disease resistant to overcome food crisis in India? Explain. Name one disease resistant variety in India of:

(a) Wheat to leaf and stripe rust.

(b) Brassica to white rust.



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18. Enlist the steps involved in inbreeding of cattle. Suggest two disadvantages of this practice.



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19. Describe any three potential applications of genetically modified plants .



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20. Enumerate any six essentials of good ,effective Dairy Farm Management Practices.



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21. Plant breeding technique has helped sugar industry in North india Explain how.



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22. (a) Name any two fowls other than chickens reared in a poultry farm.

(b) Enlist four important components of poultry farm management.



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23. (a) Write the two limitations of traditional breeding technique that led to promotion of micro propagation.

(b) Mention of micro propagation.

(c) Give two examples where it is commercially adopted.



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24. a) What is inbreeding depression?

b) Explain the importance of "selection" during inbreeding in cattle.



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25. (a) Write the desirable characters a farmer looks for in his sugarcane crop.

(b) How did plant breeding techniques help north Indian farmers to develop cane with desired characters ?



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26. Explain out-breeding out crossing and cross-breeding practices in animal husbandry.



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27. Differentiate between inbreeding and outbreeding in cattle. State one advantage and one disadvantage for each one of them.



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28. How did the plant breeders produce suitable varieties of sugarcane for cultivation in North India? Why did they do it?



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29. (a) What is inbreeding?

(b) Inbreeding of cattle is carried with as purpose, but is not continued for many generations. Do you agree? Give reasons in support of your answer.



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30. How is inbreeding advantageous as well as disadvantageous in cattle breeding

programme? (Mention any two advantages and two disadvantages)



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Revision Exercises Questions From State Board Examinations

1. Briefly describe various steps involved in plant breeding.



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2. What is tissue culture? How has it helped us in crop improvement?



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3. What is Bee keeping? Write any four points for successful Bee keeping.



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4. Discuss the role of microbes in production of household products.



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5. Microbes can be used to decrease the use of chemical fertilisers and pesticides. Explain how this can be accomplished.



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6. (a) What is heterosis? What role has it played in crop productivity?

(b) What are advantages of inter cropping and crop rotation.



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7. Define conventional method of plant breeding in five steps.



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8. Name a technology that has successfully increased herd size of cattle in a short time.



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Revision Exercises Questions From Cbse Board Examinations

1. (a) What is plant breeding? List the two steps the classical plant breeding involves.

(b) How has the mutation breeding helped in improving crop varieties? Give one example

where this technique has helped.

(c) How has the breeding programme helped in improving the public nutritional health?

State two examples in support of your answer.



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2. a) Name the technology that has helped the scientists to propagate on large scale the desired crops in short duration, List the steps carried out to propagate the crops by the said

technique.

b) How are somatic hybrids obtained?



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3. With advancements in genetics, molecular biology and tissue culture, new traits have been incorporated into crop plants.

Explain the main steps in breeding a new genetic variety of a crop.



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4. (a) State the objective of animals breeding.
- (b) List the importance and limitations of inbreeding. How can the limitation be overcome ?
- (c) Give example of a new breed each of cattle and poultry .



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5. (a) What is mutation breeding? Give an example of a crop and disease to which resistance was induced by this method.

(b) Differentiate between pisci-culture and aquaculture.



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Competition File Objective Type Questions

1. In the hexaploid wheat, the haploid (n) and basic (x) numbers of chromosomes are

A. $n=21$ and $x=21$

B. $n=21$ and $x=14$

C. $n=21$ and $x=7$

D. $n=7$ and $x=21$

Answer: C



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2. A high density of elephant population in an area can result in

A. Intraspecific competition

B. Interspecific competition

C. Predation on one another

D. Mutualism

Answer: A



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3. India's wheat yield revolution of 1960 s was possible primarily due to

A. Hybrid seeds

B. Increased chlorophyll content

C. Mutations resulting in plant height reduction

D. Quantitative trait mutation

Answer: C



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4. The most likely reason for the development of resistance against pesticides in insect damaging a crop is

- A. Random mutations
- B. Genetic recombination
- C. Directed mutations
- D. Acquired heritable changes

Answer: A



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5. Emasculation is connected with:

- A. Hybridization

B. Clonal selection

C. Mass selection

D. Pure line selection

Answer: A



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6. In maize, hybrid vigour is exploited by:

A. Bombarding the protoplast with DNA

B. Crossing two inbred parental lines

C. Harvesting seeds from the most productive plants

D. Inducing mutations

Answer: B



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7. The new varieties of plants are produced by

A. Selection and hybridisation

B. Mutation and selection

C. Introduction and mutation

D. Selection and introduction

Answer: A



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8. Blindness prevented by use of which crop in poor country?

A. Golden rice

B. Wheat

C. Maize

D. Oat

Answer: A



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9. Farmers in a particular region were concerned that pre mature yellowing of leaves of a pulses crop might cause decrease in the yield. Which treatment could be most beneficial to obtain maximum seed yield?

A. Frequent irrigation of the crop

B. Treatment of the plants with cytokinin
alongwith a small dose of nitrogen
fertilizer

C. Removal of all yellow leaves and spray
the remaining green leaves with 2,5-
trichlorophenoxy acetic acid

D. Application of iron and magnesium
promote synthesis of chlorophyll

Answer: D



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10. Which is linked to discovery of Bordeaux mixture as fungicide ?

- A. Loose smut of wheat
- B. Black rust of wheat
- C. Bacterial leaf blight of rice
- D. Downy mildew of grapes

Answer: D



11. A transgenic food crop which may help in solving the problem of night blindness in developing countries is

- A. Bt. Soyabean
- B. Golden rice
- C. Flavrsavr tomatoes
- D. Starling maize

Answer: B



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12. *Trichoderma-harzianum* has proved a useful microorganism for :

A. Gene transfer in higher plants

B. Biological control of soil borne plant pathogens

C. Bioremediation of contaminated soils

D. Reclamation of waste lands

Answer: B



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13. Which proves to be effective biological control for nematodal pathogens of plants?

A. *Gliocadium virens*

B. *Paecilomyces lilacinus*

C. *Pisolithus tinctorius*

D. *Pseudomonas cepacia*

Answer: B



14. Which is correctly matched?

- A. Apiculture, Honey bee
- B. Pisciculture, Silk moth
- C. Sericulture: Fish
- D. Aquaculture: Mosquitoes

Answer: A



15. Name on disease of mulberry silkworm caused by a protozoan:

A. Pebrine

B. Graseri

C. Flacheri

D. Muscardine

Answer: A



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16. The bacterium *Bacillus thuringiensis* is widely used in contemporary biology as

A. Indicator of water pollution

B. Insecticide

C. Agent for production of dairy products

D. Source of industrial enzyme

Answer: B



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17. निम्न में से कौन एक जैव-कीटनाशक के रूप में प्रयुक्त नहीं होता है

A. *Bacillus thuringiensis*

B. *Trichoderma harzianum*

C. Nuclear Polyhedrosis Virus (NPV)

D. *Xanthomonas campestris*

Answer: D



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18. Which of the following is correctly matched?

A. Central Rice Research Institute-Shimla

B. National Botanical Research Institute-
Delhi

C. Central Drug Research Institute-Cuttack

D. Central Food Technology Research
Institute-Mysore

Answer: D



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19. Wonder wheat is a new wheat variety developed by

A. Mexico's International Wheat and Maize Improvement Centre

B. Indian National Botanical Research Institute

C. Australian Crop Improvement Centre

D. African Crop Improvement Centre

Answer: A



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20. Heating of milk of ant other liquid at 63° C and sudden cooling is known as :

- A. Sterilization
- B. Preservation
- C. Pasteurization
- D. Fermentation

Answer: C



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21. Embryo developed from the somatic cells are called

A. Cybrid

B. Embryoid

C. Callus

D. Hybrid

Answer: B



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22. The most commonly maintained species of bee by bee keepers is

A. *Apis mellifera*

B. *Apis dorsata*

C. *Apis indica*

D. *Apis florea*

Answer: A



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23. Who was first to develop artificial skin by tissue culture?

A. Harrison

B. Carrel

C. Maximov

D. Eugene Bell

Answer: D



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24. "Jaya" and "Ratna" developed for green revolution in India are the varieties of :-

A. Maize

B. Rice

C. Wheat

D. Bajra

Answer: B



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25. Himgiri developed by hybridization and selection for disease resistance against rust pathogens is a variety of

A. Chilli

B. Maize

C. Sugarcane

D. Wheat

Answer: D



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26. When two unrelated individuals or lines are crossed, the performance of F_1 hybrid is often superior to both its parents. This phenomenon is called:

- A. Heterosis
- B. Transformation
- C. Splicing

D. Metamorphosis

Answer: A



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27. Holstein-Friesian, Brown Swiss and Jersey are all well known

- A. Exotic breeds of cow
- B. Exotic breeds of goat
- C. Exotic breeds of poultry

D. Animal husbandry scientists

Answer: A



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28. Which one of the following has maximum genetic diversity in India

A. Rice

B. Maize

C. Mango

D. Groundnut

Answer: A



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29. A collection of plants and seeds having diverse alleles of all the genes of a crop is called :

A. Germplasm

B. Gene library

C. Genome

D. Herbarium

Answer: A



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30. Powdery mildew of wheat is caused by

A. Puccinia

B. Erysiphe

C. Ustilago

D. Albugo

Answer: B



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31. Consumption of which one of the following foods can prevent the kind of blindness associated with vitamin 'A' deficiency ?

A. Flavr Savr tomato

B. Canolla

C. Golden rice

D. Bt. Brinjal

Answer: C



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32. Apiculture is associated with which of the following groups of plants

A. Grapes, maize, potato

B. Sugarcane, paddy, banana

C. Guava, sunflower, strawberry

D. Pineapple, sugarcane, strawberry

Answer: C



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33. Dust, oolong and brick are varieties of :

A. Coffee

B. Pepper

C. Tea

D. Laung

Answer: C



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34. Pebrine disease in silkworm is caused by

A. Dugesia

B. Monocystis

C. Nosema

D. Plasmodium

Answer: C



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35. Which one of the following species of bees is used for the commercial production of honey?

A. *Apis dorsata*

B. *Apis indica*

C. *Apis flora*

D. *Apis mellifera*

Answer: C



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36. Which one of the following is a breed of cattle ?

A. Ayrshire

B. Ghagus

C. Kadakanati

D. Scamp

Answer: A



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37. Triticale is developed through intergeneric hybridisation of:

- A. Wheat and rye
- B. Maize and rice
- C. Wheat and rice
- D. Wheat and barley

Answer: A



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38. Which of the statement about breeding is wrong

A. By inbreeding pure lines cannot be evolved

B. Continued inbreeding, especially close inbreeding fertility and productivity

C. Cross-breeding allows desirable qualities of two different breeds to be recombined

D. Inbreeding exposes harmful recessive genes that are eliminated by selection

Answer: A



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39. Breeding crops for improved nutritional quality is referred to as

A. Biomagnification

B. Biome

C. Biofortification

D. Biomining

Answer: C



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40. Green revolution in India occurred during

A. 1960's

B. 1970's

C. 1980's

D. 1950's

Answer: A



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41. In gobar gas, the maximum amount is that of

A. butane

B. methane

C. propae

D. carbon dioxide

Answer: B



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42. Pusa Komal variety of Cow pea is resistant to disease

- A. White rust
- B. Leaf curl
- C. Bacterial blight
- D. Hill bunt

Answer: C



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43. Which of the following is a variety of Himgiri?

A. Chilli

B. Cowpea

C. Cauliflower

D. Wheat

Answer: D



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44. Pusa Gaurav variety of Brassica is resistant to

- A. Jassids
- B. Aphids
- C. Shoot borers
- D. Fruit borers

Answer: B



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45. Besides paddy fields, cyanobacteria are also found inside vegetative part of:

A. Pinus

B. Cycas

C. Equisetum

D. Psilotum

Answer: B



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46. The first stable product of fixation of atmospheric nitrogen in leguminous plants is



B. Ammonia



D. Glutamate

Answer: B



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47. Which of the following Bt crops is being grown in India by the farmers ?

A. Maize

B. Cotton

C. Brinjal

D. Soyabean

Answer: B



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48. A good producer of citric acid is:

- A. Aspergillus
- B. Pseudomonas
- C. Closteridium
- D. Saccharomyces

Answer: A



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49. In anaerobic sludge digestion, during secondary treatment of sewage, biogas is produced which is a mixture of :

A. Methane and H_2S

B. (a) and CO_2

C. a,b and CO

D. a,b,c and ethane

Answer: B



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50. Several plant pathogens can be controlled by the biocontrol agent:

- A. Phytophthora
- B. Trichoderma harzianum
- C. Albugo
- D. Saccharomyces

Answer: B



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51. To make soya sause from soyabean meal, the fungus used is:

- A. Penicillium
- B. Aspergillus
- C. Agaricus
- D. Saccharomyces

Answer: B



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52. To obtain virus-free healthy plants from a diseased one by tissue culture technique, which part/parts of the diseased plant will be taken?

- A. Both apical and axillary meristems
- B. Epidermis only
- C. Apical meristem only
- D. Palisade parenchyma

Answer: C



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53. An unorganised mass of cells is called

A. Totipotent

B. Explant

C. Callus

D. Corax

Answer: C



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54. The crops engineered for glyphosate are resistant/tolarant to

A. Fungi

B. Bacteria

C. Insects

D. Herbicides

Answer: D



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55. Which of the following enhances or induces fusion of protoplasts

A. Sodium chloride and potassium chloride

B. IAA and kinetin

C. Polyethylene glycol and sodium nitrate

D. IAA and gibberellins

Answer: C



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56. Golden rice is a genetically modified crop plant where the incorporated gene is meant for biosynthesis of:

A. Vitamin

B. Vitamin C

C. Omega-3

D. Vitamin-A

Answer: D



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57. Outbreeding is an important strategy of animal husbandry because it

A. Helps in accumulation of superior genes

B. Is useful in producing pure lines of animals

C. Is useful in overcoming inbreeding depression

D. Express harmful recessive genes that are eliminated by selection

Answer: C



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58. Which of the following is Coleopteran?

- A. Housefly
- B. Mosquito
- C. Both of these
- D. Beetles

Answer: D



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59. Which of the following is variety of Brassica?

A. Pusa Swarnim

B. Pusa Guarav

C. Both of these

D. Pusa Komal

Answer: C



60. Himgiri is resistant to:

- A. Leaf and stripe rust
- B. White rust
- C. Black rot of crucifers
- D. None of these

Answer: A



61. Green revolution refers to increased production of

A. Green plants

B. Pulses

C. Milk

D. High yield variety crops

Answer: D



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62. Rearing of honey bees is known as:

A. Apiculture

B. Sericulture

C. Pisciculture

D. Lac culture

Answer: A



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63. Among the following edible fishes, which one is a marine fish having rich source of omega -3 fatty acids ?

A. Mackerel

B. Mystus

C. Mangus

D. Mrigala

Answer: A



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64. Interspecific hybridization is the mating of

A. More closely related individuals within
the same breed for 4-6 generations

B. Animals within the same breed without
having common ancestors

C. Two different related species

D. Superior males and females of different
breeds

Answer: C



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

- A. Crop rotation
- B. Ley farming
- C. Contour farming
- D. Strip farming

Answer: B



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66. Which one of the following is an important breed of fowl?

- A. Nageswari
- B. Jersey
- C. Rhode Island Red
- D. Khaki campbell

Answer: C



67. The process of breeding crops with higher levels of vitamins and minerals is referred to as:

- A. Nutritional quality
- B. Biofortification
- C. Biological magnification
- D. Mineralization

Answer: B



68. A plant where endangered genetic material of plants are kept is

A. Gene library

B. Gene bank

C. Gene pool

D. Herbarium

Answer: B



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69. Process by which we can add or delete certain gene is:

- A. Gene therapy
- B. Biotechnology
- C. Genetic engineering
- D. Cytogenetics

Answer: C



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70. Disease free plants are produced by

- A. Anther culture
- B. Ovary culture
- C. Shoot apex culture
- D. Root apex culture

Answer: C



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71. Mycorrhizae are the example of

A. Fungistasis

B. Amensalism

C. Antibiosis

D. Mutualism

Answer: D



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72. Homozygous purelines in cattle can be obtained by

- A. Mating of related individual of the same breed
- B. Mating of unrelated individuals of the same breeds
- C. Mating of individuals of different species
- D. Mating of individuals of different species

Answer: A



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73. Artificial selection to obtain cows yielding higher milk output represents

- A. Stabilizing selection as it stabilizes this character in the population.
- B. Directional selection as it pushes the mean of character in one direction.
- C. Disruptive selection as it splits population into two: one yielding higher output and other yielding lower output

D. Stabilizing selection followed by

disruptive selection as it stabilizes the

population to produce higher yielding

COWS

Answer: B



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74. The main purpose of embryo culture is for

A. Production of haploid plants

B. Production of virus free plants

C. Protoplast fusion

D. Embryo rescue

Answer: A



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75. Bacillus thuringiensis is used as

A. Biofertilizer

B. Biopesticide

C. Biocontroller

D. Bioweapon

Answer: B



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76. Bt cotton is resistant against

A. Salt

B. Herbicide

C. Insect

D. Drought

Answer: C



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77. Germplasm conservation at liquid nitrogen at $196^{\circ}C$ temperature is

A. Stratification

B. Cryopreservation

C. Scarification

D. None of above

Answer: B



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78. Consumption of which one of the following foods can prevent the kind of blindness associated with vitamin 'A' deficiency ?

A. Flavr savr tomato

B. Canola

C. Golden rice

D. Bt-brinjal

Answer: C



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79. Who developed the semi dwarf variety of wheat?

A. Noramal E. Borlaug

B. M.S. Swaminathan

C. Gregor Mendel

D. Herbett Boyer

Answer: A



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80. Baker's yeast is used in the preparation of edible product:

A. Curd

B. Bread

C. Idli

D. Fermented fish

Answer: B



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81. Which high -yielding semi dwarf variety of rice was developed in India?

A. Ratna

B. IR-8

C. Taicung Native-I

D. Kalyan sona

Answer: A



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82. Which high yielding semi dwarf variety of rice was developed in International Rice Research Institute, Philippines?

A. IR-8

B. Taichung Native -I

C. Ratna

D. Jaya

Answer: A



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83. Which high yielding semi dwarf variety of rice was developed at Taiwan?

A. Taichung Native-I

B. Ratna

C. Jaya

D. IR-8

Answer: A



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84. Spirulina is:

A. Biofertilizer

B. Biopesticide

C. Edible fungus

D. Single cell protein

Answer: D



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85. Select disease resistant variety of bhindi produced by mutation breeding:

A. Himigiri

B. Parbhani Kranti

C. Pusa Gaurav

D. Pusa Komal

Answer: B



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86. Conversion of milk to curd improves its nutritional value of increasing the amount of

A. Vitamin-D

B. Vitamin – B_{12}

C. Vitamin-A

D. Vitamin-E

Answer: B



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87. Which of the 'following is true for Golden rice' ?

A. It is vitamin-A enriched, with a gene from daffodil

- B. It is pest resistant, with a gene from *Bacillus thuringiensis*
- C. It is drought resistant, developed using *Agrobacterium* vector
- D. It has yellow grains, because of a gene introduced from a primitive variety of rice

Answer: A



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88. What triggers activation of protoxin to active toxin of *Bacillus thuringiensis* in boll worm

- A. Body temperature
- B. Moist surface of midgut
- C. Alkaline pH of gut
- D. Acidic pH of stomach

Answer: C



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89. Match the columns:

Column-I	Column-II
1. Pusa Komal	(i) White rust
2. Himgiri	(ii) Bacterial blight
3. <i>Brassica</i>	(iii) Yellow mosaic virus
4. Prabhani Kranti	(iv) Leaf and stripe rust

Select the correct option:

A. 1-(ii),2-(iv),3-(i),4-(iii)

B. 1-(i),2-(ii),3-(iii),4-(iv)

C. 1-(iv),2-(i),3-(iii),4-(ii)

D. 1-(iv),2-(iii),3-(ii),4-(i)

Answer: A





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90. In Ti-Plasmid, which of the following is removed?

A. Auxin gene

B. Virulent gene

C. Cytokinin gene

D. Auxin and cytokinin gene

Answer: B



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91. Which of the following process is helpful in hybrid seed production:

- A. Embryo rescue
- B. Apomixis
- C. Polymbryony
- D. Somatic hybridisation

Answer: B



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92. Emasculation is the process of removal of:

A. Stigama

B. Stamens

C. Carpel

D. Petals

Answer: B



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93. Somatic hybridization can be done by:

A. Protoplast fusion

B. Cell culture

C. Haploid anther

D. Polle culture

Answer: A



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94. Cryopreservation is done at temperature

A. $106^{\circ} C$

B. $80^{\circ} C$

C. $-196^{\circ} C$

D. $20^{\circ} C$

Answer: C



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95. The plant part used in tissue culture is

A. Micropropagation

B. Explant

C. Callus

D. Biofortification

Answer: B



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96. Meaning of prefix Bt in Bt-cotton is

A. Bacterial toxin

B. Biological toxin

C. Toxin released by *Bacillus thuringiensis*

D. Biotechnology

Answer: C



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1. Match the items in column A with suitable terms in column B:



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2. Match the terms in column A with suitable terms in Column B.

Column A	Column B
(i) <i>Apis florea</i>	(a) Royal jelly
(ii) <i>Apis mellifera</i>	(b) Biological control of mosquitoes
(iii) <i>Gambusia</i>	(c) Jersey
(iv) Exotic breed	(d) Parthenogenetically developed
(v) Polyculture	(e) Little bee
(vi) Apiary	(f) Plymouth Rock
(vii) Queen	(g) Karan-Swiss
(viii) Drones	(h) Composite fish farming
(ix) Milch breed	(i) Exotic species of bee
(x) Cross breed	(j) Beehive



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3. Match the following varieties with their respective crops:

Variety	Crop
(i) Pusa swarnim	(a) Chilly
(ii) Pusa snowball	(b) Bhindi
(iii) Pusa sawani	(c) Cauliflower
(iv) Pusa sadabahar	(d) Brassica



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Questions

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Reason (R) : Buffaloes yield more milk than the cows and their milk contains more fats .

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

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C. If Assertion is true and Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

Answer: A



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D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

Answer: C



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A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation

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B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true and Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

Answer: B



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Answer: A



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C. If Assertion is true and Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

Answer: C



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A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation

of the Asssertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true
but Reason is not a correct explanation
of the Asssertion.

C. If Assertion is true and Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

Answer: D



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7. Assertion (A) : In Indian dairy farms , the owners prefer to have buffaloes than the cows

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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 Assertion is true and Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

Answer: A



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8. Assertion: Indian ranks fifth in the world in cattle population, but figures poorly in milk production.

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B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Asssertion.

C. If Assertion is true and Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

Answer: C



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C. If Assertion is true and Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

Answer: B



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Reason (R) : Buffaloes yield more milk than the cows and their milk contains more fats .

A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Asssertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation

of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true and Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

Answer: C



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11. Assertion (A) : In Indian dairy farms , the owners prefer to have buffaloes than the cows

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Reason (R) : Buffaloes yield more milk than the cows and their milk contains more fats .

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 Assertion is true and Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

Answer: B



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Chapter Practice Test

1. Select the indigenous breed of buffalo of Gujarat state:

A. Murrah

B. Mehsana

C. Surti

D. Nili Ravi

Answer:



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2. Veterinary Research Institute of India is
located at:

A. Izatnagar

B. Kanpur

C. Muzaffrabad

D. Delhi

Answer:



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3. Breeding between unrelated animals of same breed but from different ancestories is called:

A. In-breeding

B. Cross-breeding

C. Out-breeding

D. Self-breeding

Answer:



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4. Rapid increase in fish production is called:

A. Green revolution

B. yellow revolution

C. White revolution

D. Blue revolution

Answer:



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5. Breeding crops with the objective of increased nutritional quality is called:

A. Biofortification

B. Biomagnification

C. Biodergradation

D. Bio-availability

Answer:



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6. Select the combination of wheat varieties:

A. Jaya and Sonalika

B. Sonalika and Ratna

C. Sonalika and Kalyan Sona

D. Kalyan Sona and IR-8

Answer:



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7. Define protoplast fusion. Give one example.



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8. Enlist steps of process of hybridisation in crop breeding. Give one advantage of hybridisation.



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9. Define single cell protein. What are its advantages.



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10. Name two main components of cattle feed and state their sources.



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11. What is inbreeding? State its one advantage and one disadvantage.



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12. What is mutation breeding? List two disease resistant crop plants produced by mutation breeding. Also list its two limitations.



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13. Write a note on MOET. Give its significance.



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14. (a) Define polyculture of fishes. Give its significance.

(b) Give the significance of hypophysation in fish breeding.



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15. (a) What is plant tissue culture? List various requirements of tissue culture medium.

(b) Define the terms explant and somaclones

(c) Which part of plant is best suited for producing virus free plants?



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