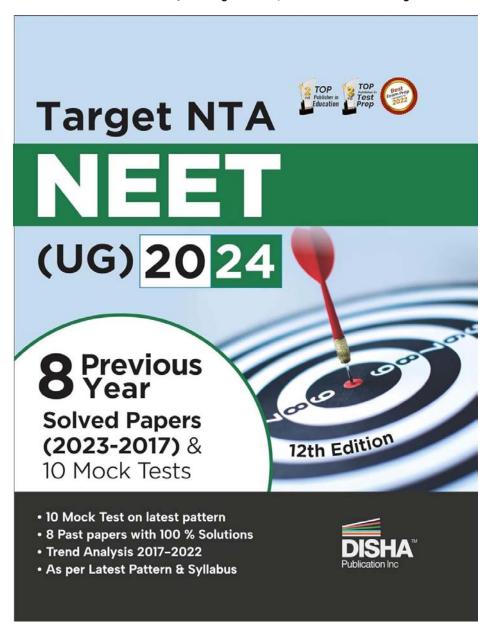


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PHYSICS

Section-A

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1.	The minimum wavelength of X-rays produced by an
	electron accelerated through a potential difference of V
	volts is proportional to

- (a) \sqrt{V} (b) $\frac{1}{V}$ (c) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{V}}$ (d) V2
- A Carnot engine has an efficiency of 50% when its source is at a temperature 327°C. The temperature of the sink is
 - (a) 27°C
- (b) 15°C
- (c) 100°C
- (d) 200°C
- A bullet is fired from a gun at the speed of 280 m s⁻¹ in the 3. direction 30° above the horizontal. The maximum height attained by the bullet is $(g = 9.8 \text{ m s}^{-2}, \sin 30^{\circ} = 0.5)$
 - (a) 2800 m (b) 2000 m (c) 1000 m (d) 3000 m
- In a series LCR circuit, the inductance L is 10 mH, capacitance C is 1 μ F and resistance R is 100 Ω . The frequency at which resonance occurs is
 - (a) 15.9 rad/s
- (b) 15.9 kHz
- (c) 1.59 rad/s
- (d) 1.59 kHz
- Given below are two statements:

Statement I: Photovoltaic devices can convert optical radiation into electricity.

Statement II: Zener diode is designed to operate under reverse bias in breakdown region.

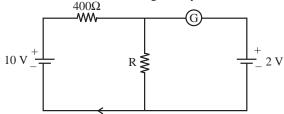
In the light of the above statements, choose the most **appropriate** answer from the options given below.

- (a) Both Statement I and Statement II are correct
- (b) Both Statement I and Statement II are incorrect
- Statement I is correct but Statement II is incorrect
- (d) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is correct
- Light travels a distance x in time t_1 in air and 10x in time t₂ in another denser medium. What is the critical angle for this medium?

 - (a) $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{t_2}{t_1}\right)$ (b) $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{10t_2}{t_1}\right)$
 - (c) $\sin^{-1} \left(\frac{t_1}{10t_2} \right)$ (d) $\sin^{-1} \left(\frac{10t_1}{t_2} \right)$
- In hydrogen spectrum, the shortest wavelength in the Balmer series is λ . The shortest wavelength in the Bracket series is

- (b) 41
- (c) 91

If the galvanometer G does not show any deflection in the circuit shown, the value of R is given by



- (a) 200 W (b) 50 W
- (c) 100 W (d) 400 W
- The amount of energy required to form a soap bubble of radius 2 cm from a soap solution is nearly (surface tension of soap solution = 0.03 N m^{-1})
 - (a) $30.16 \times 10-4 \text{ J}$
- (b) $5.06 \times 10-4 \text{ J}$
- (c) $3.01 \times 10-4 \text{ J}$
- (d) $50.1 \times 10-4 \text{ J}$
- The magnetic energy stored in an inductor of inductance 4 μH carrying a current of 2 A is
 - (a) 4 mJ (b) 4 mJ
- (c) 8 mJ
- (d) 8 mJ
- A 12 V, 60 W lamp is connected to the secondary of a step-down transformer, whose primary is connected to ac mains of 220 V. Assuming the transformer to be ideal, what is the current in the primary winding?
 - (a) 0.27 A (b) 2.7 A

- (c) 3.7 A (d) 0.37 A
- 12. An electric dipole is placed at an angle of 30° with an electric field of intensity 2×10^5 N C⁻¹. It experiences a torque equal to 4 N m. Calculate the magnitude of charge on dipole, if the dipole length is 2 cm.
 - (a) 8 mC (b) 6 mC (c) 4 mC (d) 2 mC
- A vehicle travels half the distance with speed v and the remaining distance with speed 2v. Its average speed is

- $\frac{v}{3}$ (b) $\frac{2v}{3}$ (c) $\frac{4v}{3}$ (d) $\frac{3v}{4}$
- 14. Let a wire be suspended from the ceiling (rigid support) and stretched by a weight W attached at its free end. The longitudinal stress at any point of cross-sectional area A of the wire is
 - (a) 2W/A
- (b) W/A
- (c) W/2A
- (d) Zero

- **15.** If $\oint \vec{E} \cdot \vec{dS} = 0$ over a surface, then
 - (a) The number of flux lines entering the surface must be equal to the number of flux lines leaving it
 - The magnitude of electric field on the surface is
 - All the charges must necessarily be inside the surface
 - (d) The electric field inside the surface is necessarily uniform
- **16.** The work functions of Caesium (Cs), Potassium (K) and Sodium (Na) are 2.14 eV, 2.30 eV and 2.75 eV respectively. If incident electromagnetic radiation has an incident energy of 2.20 eV, which of these photosensitive surfaces may emit photoelectrons?
 - (a) Cs only
- (b) Both Na and K
- (c) K only
- (d) Na only
- 17. The temperature of a gas is -50° C. To what temperature the gas should be heated so that the rms speed is increased by 3 times?
 - (a) 669°C (b) 3295°C (c) 3097 K (d) 223 K
- 18. The ratio of frequencies of fundamental harmonic produced by an open pipe to that of closed pipe having the same length is
 - (a) 1:2 (b) 2:1
- (c) 1:3
- (d) 3:1
- 19. Resistance of a carbon resistor determined from colour codes is $(22000 \pm 5\%) \Omega$. The colour of third band must be
 - (b) Green (c) Orange (d) Yellow

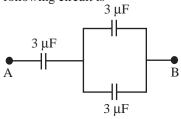
20. For Young's double slit experiment, two statements are given below: **Statement I:** If screen is moved away from the plane of

slits, angular separation of the fringes remains constant. **Statement II:** If the monochromatic source is replaced

by another monochromatic source of larger wavelength, the angular separation of fringes decreases.

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

- Both Statement I and Statement II are true.
- (b) Both Statement I and Statement II are false.
- (c) Statement I is true but Statement II is false.
- (d) Statement I is false but Statement II is true.
- 21. A metal wire has mass (0.4 ± 0.002) g, radius $(0.3 \pm$ 0.001) mm and length (5 \pm 0.02) cm. The maximum possible percentage error in the measurement of density will nearly be
 - (a) 1.2%
- (b) 1.3%
- (c) 1.6%
- (d) 1.4%
- The equivalent capacitance of the system shown in the following circuit is



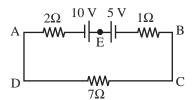
- (a) $2 \mu F$
- (b) $3 \mu F$
- 6 μF
- (d) $9 \mu F$

- Two bodies of mass m and 9m are placed at a distance R. The gravitational potential on the line joining the bodies where the gravitational field equals zero, will be (G =gravitational constant)
 - 8Gm

- The venturi-meter works on 24.
 - (a) Huygen's principle
 - (b) Bernoulli's principle
 - (c) The principle of parallel axes
 - (d) The principle of perpendicular axes
- The half life of a radioactive substance is 20 minutes. In

how much time, the activity of substance drops to $\left(\frac{1}{16}\right)^{th}$ of its initial value?

- (a) 20 minutes
- (b) 40 minutes
- (c) 60 minutes
- (d) 80 minutes
- 26. A football player is moving southward and suddenly turns eastward with the same speed to avoid an opponent. The force that acts on the player while turning is
 - (a) Along eastward
- (b) Along northward
- (c) Along north-east
- (d) Along south-west
- 27. The errors in the measurement which arise due to unpredictable fluctuations in temperature and voltage supply are
 - (a) Instrumental errors
- (b) Personal errors
- (c) Least count errors
- (d) Random errors
- The angular acceleration of a body, moving along the circumference of a circle, is
 - (a) Along the radius, away from centre
 - Along the radius towards the centre (c) Along the tangent to its position
 - (d) Along the axis of rotation
- 29. A full wave rectifier circuit consists of two p-n junction diodes, a centre-tapped transformer, capacitor and a load resistance. Which of these components remove the ac ripple from the rectified output?
 - (a) A centre-tapped transformer
 - p-n junction diodes
 - (c) Capacitor
 - (d) Load resistance
- The ratio of radius of gyration of a solid sphere of mass M and radius R about its own axis to the radius of gyration of the thin hollow sphere of same mass and radius about its axis is
 - (a) 3:5 (b) 5:3
- (c) 2:5
- (d) 5:2
- The magnitude and direction of the current in the 31. following circuit is



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- (a) 0.2 A from B to A through E
- (b) 0.5 A from A to B through E
- $\frac{5}{9}$ A from A to B through E
- (d) 1.5 A from B to A through E
- 32. An ac source is connected to a capacitor C. Due to decrease in its operating frequency
 - (a) Capacitive reactance decreases
 - (b) Displacement current increases
 - (c) Displacement current decreases
 - (d) Capacitive reactance remains constant
- The net magnetic flux through any closed surface is

- (c) Infinity (d) Negative
- In a plane electromagnetic wave travelling in free space, the electric field component oscillates sinusoidally at a frequency of 2.0×10^{10} Hz and amplitude 48 V m⁻¹. Then the amplitude of oscillating magnetic field is

(Speed of light in free space = 3×10^8 m s⁻¹)

(a) $1.6 \times 10 - 9 \text{ T}$

(a) Zero

- (b) $1.6 \times 10 8 \text{ T}$
- (c) $1.6 \times 10-7 \text{ T}$
- (d) $1.6 \times 10 6 \text{ T}$

(b) Positive

- The potential energy of a long spring when stretched by 2 cm is U. If the spring is stretched by 8 cm, potential energy stored in it will be
 - (a) 2 U
- (b) 4 U
- (c) 8 U
- (d) 16 U

Section-B

- **36.** A bullet from a gun is fired on a rectangular wooden block with velocity u. When bullet travels 24 cm through the block along its length horizontally, velocity of bullet
 - becomes $\frac{\mathbf{u}}{2}$. Then it further penetrates into the block in 41.

the same direction before coming to rest exactly at the other end of the block. The total length of the block is

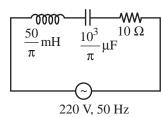
- (a) 27 cm (b) 24 cm (c) 28 cm (d) 30 cm

- **37.** A satellite is orbiting just above the surface of the earth with period T. If d is the density of the earth and G is the

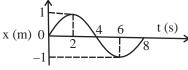
universal constant of gravitation, the quantity Gd

represents

- (a) T
- (b) T2
- (c) T3
- (d) \sqrt{T}
- The radius of inner most orbit of hydrogen atom is 5.3 \times 10⁻¹¹ m. What is the radius of third allowed orbit of hvdrogen atom?
 - (a) 0.53 Å (b) 1.06 Å (c) 1.59 Å (d) 4.77 Å
- The net impedance of circuit (as shown in figure) will be

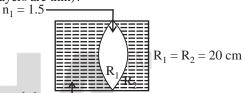


- (a) $10\sqrt{2}\Omega$
- (b) 15 W
- (c) $5\sqrt{5}\Omega$
- (d) 25 W
- The x-t graph of a particle performing simple harmonic motion is shown in the figure. The acceleration of the particle at t = 2 s is

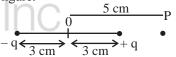


- (b) $-\frac{\pi^2}{8}$ m s⁻²

- (c) $\frac{\pi^2}{16}$ m s⁻² (d) $-\frac{\pi^2}{16}$ m s⁻²
- In the figure shown here, what is the equivalent focal length of the combination of lenses (Assume that all lavers are thin)?



- $n_2 = 1.6$
- (a) 40 cm
- (b) -40 cm
- (c) -100 cm
- (d) -50 cm
- An electric dipole is placed as shown in the figure.

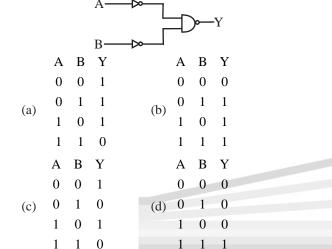


The electric potential (in 10² V) at point P due to the dipole

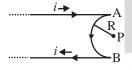
is $(\in_0 = \text{ permittivity of free space and } \frac{1}{4\pi \in_0} = K)$

- (c) $\left(\frac{8}{5}\right)qK$ (d) $\left(\frac{8}{3}\right)qK$
- 43. A horizontal bridge is built across a river. A student standing on the bridge throws a small ball vertically upwards with a velocity 4 m s⁻¹. The ball strikes the water surface after 4 s. The height of bridge above water surface is (Take $g = 10 \text{ m s}^{-2}$)
 - (a) 56 m (b) 60 m (c) 64 m (d) 68 m
- acceleration Calculate the maximum moving car so that a body lying on the floor of the car remains stationary. The coefficient of static friction between the body and the floor is 0.15 (g = 10 m s^{-2}).

- (a) 1.2 m s-2
- (b) 150 m s-2
- (c) 1.5 m s-2
- (d) 50 m s 2
- 45. 10 resistors, each of resistance R are connected in series to a battery of emfE and negligible internal resistance. Then those are connected in parallel to the same battery, the current is increased n times. The value of n is
 - (a) 10
- (b) 100
- (c) 1
- (d) 1000
- **46.** For the following logic circuit, the truth table is



47. A very long conducting wire is bent in a semi-circular shape from A to B as shown in figure. The magnetic field at point P for steady current configuration is given by



- $\frac{\mu_0 i}{4R}$ pointed into the page
- $\frac{\mu_0 i}{4R}$ pointed away from the page
- $\frac{\mu_0 i}{4R} \left| 1 \frac{2}{\pi} \right|$ pointed away from page
- $\frac{\mu_0 i}{4R} \left[1 \frac{2}{\pi} \right]$ pointed into the page
- 48. The resistance of platinum wire at 0° C is 2Ω and 6.8Ω at 80°C. The temperature coefficient of resistance of the wire is
 - (a) $3 \times 10-4$ °C-1
- (b) $3 \times 10 3 \text{ °C} 1$
- (c) $3 \times 10^{-2} \, ^{\circ}\text{C}^{-1}$
- (d) $3 \times 10^{-1} \, ^{\circ}\text{C}^{-1}$
- A wire carrying a current I along the positive x-axis has length L. It is kept in a magnetic field $\vec{B} = (2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 4\hat{k})$

T. The magnitude of the magnetic force acting on the wire

- (a) 3 *IL*
- (b) $\sqrt{5}$ IL
- (c) 5 IL
- (d) $\sqrt{3}$ IL
- Two thin lenses are of same focal lengths (f), but one is convex and the other one is concave. When they are placed in contact with each th e equivalent focal length of combination will be
 - (a) Zero

- (d) Infinite

Section-A

- **51.** Select the **correct** stateents from the following
 - Atoms of all elements are composed of two fundamental particles.
 - The mass of the electron is 9.10939×10^{-31} kg.
 - All the isotopes of a given element show same chemical properties.
 - D. Protons and electrons are collectively known as nucleons.
 - Dalton's atomic theory, regarded the atom as an ultimate particle of matter.

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

- (a) A, B and C only
- (b) C, D and E only
- (c) A and E only
- (d) B, C and E only
- 52. Given below are two statements: one is labelled as **Assertion A** and the other is labelled as **Reason R**:

Assertion A: A reaction can have zero activation energy.

Reasons R: The minimum extra amount of energy absorbed by reactant molecules so that their energy becomes equal to threshold value, is called activation

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

- (a) Both \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{R} are true and \mathbf{R} is the correct explanation
- Both A and R are true and R is NOT the correct explanation of A
- **A** is true but **R** is false
- (d) **A** is false but **R** is true
- 53. A compound is formed by two elements A and B. The element B forms cubic close packed structure and atoms of A occupy 1/3 of tetrahedral voids. If the formula of the compound is $A_x B_y$, then the value of x + y is in option
 - (a) 5
- (b) 4 (c) 3 (d) 2

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

Assertion A: Metallic sodium dissolves in liquid ammonia giving a deep blue solution, which is paramagnetic.

Reason R: The deep blue solution is due to the formation

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

- (a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
- (b) Both A and R are true but R is NOT the correct explanation of A
- (c) **A** is true but **R** is false
- (d) **A** is false but **R** is true
- 55. Amongst the following the total number of species NOT having eight electrons around central atom in its outermost shell, is

$$\mathrm{NH_3},\mathrm{AlCl_3},\mathrm{BeCl_2},\mathrm{CCl_4},\mathrm{PCl_5}$$
:

- (a) 3
- (b) $\frac{1}{2}$
- (c) 4
- (d) 1
- Which amongst the following molecules on polymerization produces neoprene?

(a)
$$H_2C = CH - CH = CH_2$$

(b) $H_2C = C - CH = CH_2$

(c)
$$H_2C = CH - C \equiv CH$$

$$CH_3$$

- (d) $H_2C = C CH = CH_2$
- 57. In Lassaigne's extract of an organic compound, both nitrogen and sulphur are present, which gives blood red colour with Fe³⁺ due to the formation of
 - (a) $Fe_4[Fe(CN)_6]_3 \cdot xH_2O$
 - (b) NaSCN
 - (c) [Fe(CN)₅NOS]
 - (d) $[Fe(SCN)]^{2+}$
- **58.** Weight (g) of two moles of the organic compound, which is obtained by heating sodium ethanoate with sodium hydroxide in presence of calcium oxide is:
 - (a) 16
- (b) 32
- (c) 30
- (d) 18
- **59.** Some tranquilizers are listed below. Which one from the following belongs to barbiturates?
 - (a) Chlordiazepoxide
- (b) Meprobamate
- (c) Valium
- (d) Veronal
- The conductivity of centimolar solution of KCl at 25°C **60.** is 0.0210 ohm⁻¹ cm⁻¹ and the resistance of the cell containing the solution at 25°C is 60 ohm. The value of cell constant is
 - (a) 1.34 cm^{-1}
- (b) 3.28 cm^{-1}
- (c) 1.26 cm⁻¹
- (d) 3.34 cm^{-1}
- **61.** Complete the following reaction

$$\frac{\text{conc.H}_2\text{SO}_4}{\Delta} \to [C]$$

- COOH COOH
- Homoleptic complex from the following complexes is
 - Potassium trioxalatoaluminate (III)
 - Diamminechloridonitrito-N-platinum (II)
 - Pentaamminecarbonatocobalt (III) chloride
 - Triamminetriaquachromium (III) chloride
- The relation between n_m , $(n_m = the number of permissible)$ values of magnetic quantum number (m)) for a given value of azimuthal quantum number (l), is

$$(a) \quad l = \frac{n_{\rm m} - 1}{2}$$

(b)
$$l = 2n_{\rm m} + 1$$

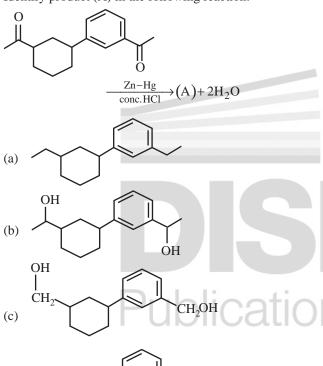
- (c) $n_m = 2l^2 + 1$ (d) $n_m = l + 2$ The stability of Cu^{2+} is more than Cu^+ salts in aqueous solution due to
 - (a) First ionisation enthalpy
 - (b) Enthalpy of atomization
 - (c) Hydration energy
 - (d) Second ionisation enthalpy
- **65.** Taking stability as the factor, which one of the following represents **correct** relationship?
 - (a) $T \ell Cl_3 > T \ell Cl$
- (b) $lnl_3 > lnl$
- (c) $AlCl > AlCl_3$
- T(d) $T \ell 1 > T \ell 1_2$
- Which one is an example of heterogenous catalysis?
 - (a) Oxidation of sulphur dioxide into sulphur trioxide in the presence of oxides of nitrogen
 - Hydrolysis of sugar catalysed by H⁺ ions
 - Decomposition of ozone in presence of nitrogen monoxide
 - Combination between dinitrogen and dihydrogen to form ammonia in the presence of finely divided iron
- The number of σ bonds, π bonds and lone pair of electrons in pyridine, respectively are:
 - (a) 11, 2, 0
- (b) 12, 3, 0
- (c) 11, 3, 1
- (d) 12, 2, 1
- The **correct** order of energies of molecular orbitals of N₂ molecule, is
 - (a) $\sigma 1s < \sigma^* 1s < \sigma 2s < \sigma^* 2s < (\pi 2p_x = \pi 2p_y) < \sigma 2p_z < \sigma^* 2s$ $(\pi^*2p_x = \pi^*2p_y) < \sigma^*2p_z$
 - (b) $\sigma 1s < \sigma^* 1s < \sigma' 2s < \sigma^* 2s < \sigma^* 2s < \sigma 2p_z < (\pi 2p_x = \pi 2p_y) < \sigma' 2s < \sigma^* 2s <$ $(\pi^*2p_x = \pi^*2p_v) < \sigma^*2p_z$
 - (c) $\sigma 1s < \sigma^* 1s < \sigma' 2s < \sigma^* 2s < \sigma^* 2p_z < \sigma^* 2p_z < (\pi 2p_x = r^2)$ $\pi 2p_v) < (\pi^* 2p_x = \pi^* 2p_y)$
 - (d) $\sigma 1s < \sigma^* 1s < \sigma^2 2s < \sigma^* 2s < (\pi 2p_x = \pi 2p_y) < (\pi^* 2p_x = \pi^2 2p_y) < (\pi^2 2p_x = \pi^2 2p$ $= \pi * 2p_v) < \sigma 2p_z < \sigma * 2p_z$
- Given below are two statements: one is labelled as Assertion A and the other is labelled as Reason R

Assertion A: Helium is used to dilute oxygen in diving apparatus.

Reason R : Helium has high solubility in O_2 .

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

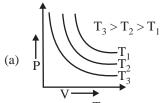
- Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation
- (b) Both A and R are true and R is NOT the correct explanation of A
- (c) A is true but R is false
- (d) A is false but R is true
- **70.** For a certain reaction, the rate = $k[A]^2[B]$, when the initial concentration of A is tripled keeping concentration of B constant, the initial rate would
 - (a) Decrease by a factor of nine
 - (b) Increase by a factor of six
 - (c) Increase by a factor of nine
 - (d) Increase by a factor of three
- **71.** Identify product (A) in the following reaction:

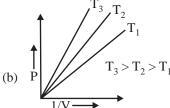


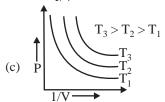
- CH₃ (d) Which of the following reactions will NOT give primary amine as the product?
 - $CH_3CONH_2 \xrightarrow{Br_2/KOH} Product$
 - $CH_3CN \xrightarrow{(i) LiAlH_4} Product$

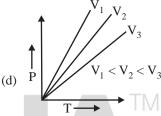
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- $CH_3NC \xrightarrow{(i)LiAlH_4} Product$
- $CH_3CONH_2 \xrightarrow{(i)LiAlH_4} Product$
- Which amongst the following options is **correct** graphical representation of Boyle's law?









- 74. Amongst the given options which of the following molecules/ ion acts as a Lewis acid?
 - (b) H₂O (a) NH_3
 - (d) OH-(c) BF₃

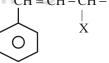
(d) Na

The element expected to form largest ion to achieve the nearest noble gas configuration is

(c) N

(a) O (b) F The given compound

 $CH = CH - CH - CH_2 CH_3$ X



is an example of

- (a) Benzylic halide
- (b) Aryl halide
- (c) Allylic halide
- (d) Vinylic halide
- Given below are two statements:

Statement I: A unit formed by the attachment of a base to 1' position of sugar is known as nucleoside.

Statement II: When nucleoside is linked to phosphorous acid at 5'-position of sugar moiety, we get nucleotide. In the light of the above statements, choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- Both Statement I and Statement II are true
- Both Statement I and Statement II are false (b)
- Statement I is true but Statement II is false
- (d) Statement I is false but Statement II is true
- **78.** Intermolecular forces are forces of attraction and repulsion between interacting particles that will include:
 - A. dipole dipole forces

- B. dipole induced dipole forces
- C. hydrogen bonding
- D. covalent bonding
- E. dispersion forces

Choose the **most appropriate** answer from the options given below :

- (a) B, C, D, E are correct
- (b) A, B, C, D are correct
- (c) A, B, C, E are correct
- (d) A, C, D, E are correct
- **79.** Which of the following statements are NOT correct?
 - Hydrogen is used to reduce heavy metal oxides to metals.
 - B. Heavy water is used to study reaction mechanism.
 - C. Hydrogen is used to make saturated fats from oils.
 - D. The H–H bond dissociation enthalpy is lowest as compared to a single bond between two atoms of any elements.
 - E. Hydrogen reduces oxides of metals that are more active than iron.

Choose the **most appropriate** answer from the options given below:

- (a) B, C, D, E only
- (b) B, D only
- (c) D, E only
- (d) A, B, C only
- **80.** Which one of the following statements is correct?
 - (a) The daily requirement of Mg and Ca in the human body is estimated to be 0.2–0.3 g
 - (b) All enzymes that utilise ATP in phosphate transfer require Ca as the cofactor
 - (c) The bone in human body is an inert and unchanging substance
 - (d) Mg plays roles in neuromuscular function and interneuronal transmission
- 81. Match List-II with List-II.

List-I

List-II

A. Coke

- I. Carbon atoms are sp³ hybridised
- B. Diamond
- II. Used as a dry lubricant
- C. Fullerene
- III. Used as a reducing agent
- D. Graphite
- IV. Cage like molecules

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

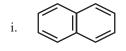
- (a) A–II, B–IV, C–I, D–III
- (b) A-IV, B-I, C-II, D-III
- (c) A-III, B-I, C-IV, D-II
- (d) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- 82. The **right** option for the mass of CO_2 produced by heating 20 g of 20% pure limestone is (Atomic mass of Ca = 40)

$$\left[\text{CaCO}_{3} \xrightarrow{1200\,\text{K}} \text{CaO} + \text{CO}_{2}\right]$$

- (a) 1.12 g
- (b) 1.76 g
- (c) 2.64 g
- (d) 1.32 g

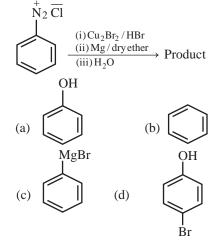
Section-B

86. Consider the following compounds/species:





83. Identify the product in the following reaction:



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

Assertion A : In equation $\Delta_r G = -nFE_{cell}$ value of $\Delta_r G$ depends on n.

Reasons R: E_{cell} is an intensive property and $\Delta_r G$ is an extensive property.

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

- (a) Both **A** and **R** are true and **R** is the correct explanation of **A**
- (b) Both **A** and **R** are true and **R** is **NOT** the correct explanation of **A**
- (c) A is true but R is false
- (d) A is false but R is true
- **85.** Consider the following reaction and identify the product

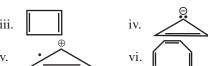
$$CH_3 - CH - CH - CH_3 \xrightarrow{HBr} Product(P)$$

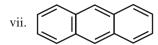
$$CH_3 OH$$
3-Methylbutan-2-ol

(a)
$$CH_3 - C - CH_2 - CH_3$$

 CH_3

(b) $CH_3CH = CH - CH_3$





The number of compounds/species which obey

Huckel's rule is

- (a) 4
- (b) 6
- (c) 2
- (d) 5
- 87. Identify the major product obtained in the following reaction:

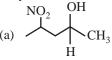
$$\begin{array}{c}
O \\
H \\
\end{array}
+2\left[Ag\left(NH_3\right)_2\right]^+$$

 $3^{-}OH \xrightarrow{\Delta} major product$

- Which of the following statements are INCORRECT?
 - All the transition metals except scandium form MO oxides which are ionic.
 - The highest oxidation number corresponding to the group number in transition metal oxides is attained in Sc_2O_3 to Mn_2O_7 .
 - C. Basic character increases from V_2O_3 to V_2O_4 to
 - D. V₂O₄ dissolves in acids to give VO salts.
 - CrO is basic but Cr₂O₃ is amphoteric.

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

- (a) A and E only
- (b) B and D only
- (c) C and D only
- (d) B and C only
- Which amongst the following will be most readily dehydrated under acidic conditions?



(b) H₃C

(c)
$$\stackrel{\text{NO}_2 \text{H}}{\longleftrightarrow}_{\text{OH}}$$

Consider the following reaction:

$$CH_2 - O \xrightarrow{C} \xrightarrow{Hl} A + E$$

Identify products A and B.

(a)
$$A = \bigcirc CH_3$$
 and $B = \bigcirc OH$

(b)
$$A = CH_2OH$$
 and $B = D$

(c)
$$A = \bigcirc CH_2I$$
 and $B = \bigcirc OH$

(d)
$$A = CH_3$$
 and $B = I$

- The reaction that does NOT take place in a blast furnace between 900 K to 1500 K temperature range during extraction of iron is:
 - (a) $Fe_2O_3 + CO \rightarrow 2FeO + CO_2$
 - (b) $FeO + CO \rightarrow Fe + CO_2$

 - (c) $C + CO_2 \rightarrow 2CO$ (d) $CaO + SiO_2 \rightarrow CaSiO_3$
- Which amongst the following options is the correct relation between change in enthalpy and change in internal energy?
 - (a) $DH = DU Dn_{\alpha}RT$
 - (b) $DH = DU + Dn_{g}^{\circ}RT$
 - (c) $DH DU = -D\vec{n}RT$
 - (d) DH + DU = DnR
- 93. On balancing the given redox reaction,

$$aCr_2O_7^{2-} + bSO_3^{2-}(aq) + cH^+(aq) \rightarrow 2aCr^{3+}(aq) + bSO_4^{2-}(aq) + \frac{c}{2}H_2O(l)$$

the coefficients a, b and c are found to be, respectively-

- (a) 1, 3, 8
- (b) 3, 8, 1
- (c) 1, 8, 3
- (d) 8, 1, 3
- 94. What fraction of one edge centred octahedral void lies in one unit cell of fcc?
 - (b) $\frac{1}{3}$ (c) $\frac{1}{4}$
- Given below are two statements:

Statement I: The nutrient deficient water bodies lead to eutrophication

Statement II: Eutrophication leads to decrease in the level of oxygen in the water bodies.

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

- Both Statement I and Statement II are true.
- Both Statement I and Statement II are false.
- Statement I is correct but Statement II is false.
- Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is true.
- The equilibrium concentrations of the species in the reaction $A + B \rightleftharpoons C + D$ are 2, 3, 10 and 6 mol L⁻¹, respectively at 300 K. ΔG° for the reaction is (R = 2 cal/mol K)
 - (a) 1372.60 cal
- (b) -137.26 cal
- (c) -1381.80 cal
- (d) -13.73 cal
- 97. Which complex compound is most stable?
 - (a) $|Co(NH_3)_4(H_2O)Br|(NO_3)_2$
 - (b) $\left[\text{Co}(\text{NH}_3)_3 (\text{NO}_3)_3 \right]$
 - (c) $\left[\text{CoCl}_2(\text{en})_2 \right] \text{NO}_3$
 - (d) $\left[\operatorname{Co}(\operatorname{NH}_3)_6\right]_2 \left(\operatorname{SO}_4\right)_3$

98. Match List-II with List-II:

List-I List-II (Oxoacids of Sulphur) (Bonds)

- Two S-OH, acid Four Peroxodisulphuric S=O, One S-O-S
- Sulphuric acid Two S-OH, One S=O
- III. Two S-OH, Four S=O, C. Pyrosulphuric acid One S-O-O-S
- IV. Two S-OH, Two S=O Sulphurous acid

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

- (a) A-I, B-III, C-II, D-IV
- (b) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- (c) A-I, B-III, C-IV, D-II
- (d) A-III, B-IV, C-II, D-I
- 99. Pumice stone is an example of
- (a) Sol
 - (c) Solid sol
- Gel
- (d) Foam

100. Identify the final product [D] obtained in the following sequence of reactions.



BOTANY

Section-A

101. Given below are two statements:

Statement I: The forces generated transpiration can lift a xylem-sized column of water over 130 meters height. Statement II: Transpiration cools leaf surfaces

sometimes 10 to 15 degrees evaporative cooling. In the light of the above statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

- (a) Both Statement I and Statement II are correct
- (b) Both Statement I and Statement II are incorrect
- (c) Statement I is correct but Statement II is incorrect
- (d) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is correct
- 102. In gene gun method used to introduce alien DNA into host cells, microparticles of _____ metal are used.
 - (a) Copper
- (b) Zinc
- (c) Tungsten or gold (d) Silver
- 103. Given below are two statements: One labelled as Assertion A and the other labelled as Reason R:

Assertion A: The first stage of gametophyte in the life cycle of moss is protonema stage.

Reason R: Protonema develops directly from spores produced in capsule.

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

- (a) Both A and R are correct and R is the correct explanation of A
- Both A and R are correct but R is NOT the correct explanation of A
- (c) A is correct but R is not correct
- (d) A is not correct but R is correct
- **104.** Unequivocal proof that DNA is the genetic material was first proposed by
 - (a) Frederick Griffith
 - (b) Alfred Hershey and Martha Chase
 - (c) Avery, Macleoid and McCarthy
 - (d) Wilkins and Franklin

- 105. The thickness of ozone in a column of air in the atmosphere is measured in terms of:
 - (a) Dobson units
- (b) Decibels
- (c) Decamete
- (d) Kilobase
- 106. In tissue culture experiments, leaf mesophyll cells are put in a culture medium to form callus. This phenomenon may be called as
 - (a) Differentiation
- (b) Dedifferentiation
- (c) Development
- (d) Senescence
- 107. Large, colourful, fragrant flowers with nectar are seen in
 - (a) Insect pollinated plants
 - (b) Bird pollinated plants
 - (c) Bat pollinated plants
 - (d) Wind pollinated plants
- 108. Frequency of recombination between gene pairs on same chromosome as a measure of the distance between genes to map their position on chromosome, was used for the first time by
 - Thomas Hunt Morgan
 - Sutton and Boveri
 - Alfred Sturtevant (c)
 - (d) Henking
- 109. Which of the following stages of meiosis involves division of centromere?
 - (a) Metaphase I
 - Metaphase II
 - Anaphase II
 - (d) Telophase
- 110. What is the role of RNA polymerase III in the process of transcription in Eukaryotes?
 - (a) Transcription of rRNAs (28S, 18S and 5.8S)
 - (b) Transcription of tRNA, 5S rRNA and snRNA
 - (c) Transcription of precursor of mRNA
 - (d) Transcription of only snRNAs

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- **111.** Among 'The Evil Quartet', which one is considered the most important cause driving extinction of species?
 - (a) Habitat loss and fragmentation
 - (b) Over exploitation for economic gain
 - (c) Alien species invasions
 - (d) Co-extinctions
- **112.** Given below are two statements:

Statement I: Endarch and exarch are the terms often used for describing the position of secondary xylem in the plant body.

Statement II: Exarch condition is the most common feature of the root system.

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

- (a) Both Statement I and Statement II are true
- (b) Both Statement I and Statement II are false
- (c) Statement I is correct but Statement II is false
- (d) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is true
- 113. Axile placentation is observed in
 - (a) Mustard, Cucumber and Primrose
 - (b) China rose, Beans and Lupin
 - (c) Tomato, Dianthus and Pea
 - (d) China rose, Petunia and Lemon
- 114. Expressed Sequence Tags (ESTs) refers to
- (a) All genes that are expressed as RNA.
 - (b) All genes that are expressed as proteins.
 - (c) All genes whether expressed or unexpressed
 - (d) Certain important expressed genes.
- 115. What is the function of tassels in the corn cob?
 - (a) To attract insects
 - (b) To trap pollen grains
 - (c) To disperse pollen grains
 - (d) To protect seeds
- **116.** Spraying of which of the following phytohormone on juvenile conifers helps hastening the maturity period, that leads early seed production?
 - (a) Indole-3-butyric Acid
 - (b) Gibberellic Acid
 - (c) Zeatin
 - (d) Abscisic Acid
- 117. In the equation $\overline{GPP R = NPP}$ GPP is Gross Primary

Productivity NPP is Net Primary Productivity R here is

- (a) Photosynthetically active radiation
- (b) Respiratory quotient
- (c) Respiratory loss
- (d) Reproductive allocation
- **118.** Family Fabaceae differs from Solanaceae and Liliaceae. With respect to the stamens, pick out the characteristics specific to family Fabaceae but not found in Solanaceae or Liliaceae.
 - (a) Diadelphous and Dithecous anthers
 - (b) Polyadelphous and epipetalous stamens
 - (c) Monoadelphous and Monothecous anthers
 - (d) Epiphyllous and Dithecous anthers
- **119.** In angiosperm, the haploid, diploid and triploid structures of a fertilized embryo sac sequentially are :

- (a) Synergids, Primary endosperm nucleus and zygote
- (b) Antipodals, synergids, and primary endosperm nucleus
- (c) Synergids, Zygote and Primary endosperm nucleus
- (d) Synergids, antipodals and Polar nuclei
- **120.** Which hormone promotes internode/petiole elongation in deep water rice?
 - (a) GA3
- (b) Kinetin
- (c) Ethylene
- (d) 2, 4–D
- **121.** Given below are two statements: One is labelled as **Assertion A** and the other is labelled as **Reason R**:

Assertion A: Late wood has fewer xylary elements with narrow vessels.

Reason R: Cambium is less active in winters.

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

- (a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
- (b) Both A and R are true but R is NOT the correct explanation of A
- (c) A is true but R is false
- (d) A is false but R is true
- **122.** Given below are two statements: One is labelled as **Assertion A** and the other is labelled as **Reason R**:

Assertion A: ATP is used at two steps in glycolysis.

Reason R: First ATP is used in converting glucose into glucose–6–phosphate and second ATP is used in conversion of fructose–6–phosphate into fructose–1, 6–diphosphate.

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

- (a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A.
- (b) Both A and R are true but R is NOT the correct explanation of A.
- (c) A is true but R is false.
- (d) A is false but R is true.
- **123.** Identify the correct statements:
 - A. Detrivores perform fragmentation.
 - B. The humus is further degraded by some microbes during mineralization.
 - C. Water soluble inorganic nutrients go down into the soil and get precipitated by a process called leaching.
 - D. The detritus food chain begins with living organisms.
 - Earthworms break down detritus into smaller particles by a process called catabolism.

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A, B, C only
- (b) B, C, D only
- (c) C, D, E only
- (d) D, E, A only
- **124.** The process of appearance of recombination nodules occurs at which sub stage of prophase I in meiosis?
 - (a) Zygotene
- (b) Pachytene
- (c) Diplotene
- (d) Diakinesis
- **125.** How many ATP and NADPH2 are required for the synthesis of one molecule of Glucose during Calvin cycle?

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- (a) 12 ATP and 12 NADPH₂
- (b) 18 ATP and 12 NADPH2
- (c) 12 ATP and 16 NADPH₂
- (d) 18 ATP and 16 NADPH_2
- **126.** The phenomenon of pleiotropism refers to
 - (a) Presence of several alleles of a single gene controlling a single crossover
 - (b) Presence of two alleles, each of the two genes controlling a single trait
 - (c) A single gene affecting multiple phenotypic expression
 - (d) More than two genes affecting a single character
- **127.** Upon exposure to UV radiation, DNA stained with ethidium bromide will show
 - (a) Bright red colour
 - (b) Bright blue colour
 - (c) Bright yellow colour
 - (d) Bright orange colour
- 128. The reaction centre in PS II has an absorption maxima at
 - (a) 680 nm (b) 700 nm (c) 660 nm (d) 780 nm
- **129.** During the purification process for recombinant DNA technology, addition of chilled ethanol precipitates out
 - (a) RNA
- (b) DNA
- (c) Histones
- (d) Polysaccharides

- **130.** Which micronutrient is required for splitting of water molecule during photosynthesis?
 - (a) Manganese
- (b) Molybdenum
- (c) Magnesium
- (d) Copper
- **131.** Movement and accumulation of ions across a membrane against their concentration gradient can be explained by
 - (a) Osmosis
- (b) Facilitated Diffusion
- (c) Passive Transport
- (d) Active Transport
- **132.** Among eukaryotes, replication of DNA takes place in :
 - (a) M phase
- (b) S phase
- (c) G₁ phase
- (d) G₂ phase
- **133.** Cellulose does not form blue colour with Iodine because
 - (a) It is a disaccharide
 - (b) It is a helical molecule
 - (c) It does not contain complex helices and hence cannot hold iodine molecules
 - (d) It breaks down when iodine reacts with it
- **134.** The historic Convention on Biological Diversity, 'The Earth Summit' was held in Rio de Janeiro in the year
 - (a) 1985 (b) 1992
- (c) 1986 (d) 2002
- **135.** Identify the pair of heterosporous pteridophytes among the following:
 - (a) Lycopodium and Selaginella
 - (b) Selaginella and Salvinia
 - (c) Psilotum and Salvinia
 - (d) Equisetum and Salvinia

Section-B

136. Match List I with List II:

List I

List II

- A. M Phase synthesized
- II. Inactive phase
- B. G₂ PhaseC. Quiescent stage mitosis and
- III. Interval between

Proteins are

- mitosis and initiation of DNA replication
- D. G₁ Phase IV. Equational division

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

- (a) A–III, B–II, C–IV, D–I
- (b) A-IV, B-II, C-I, D-III
- (c) A–IV, B–I, C–II, D–III
- (d) A–II, B–IV, C–I, D–III
- 137. Match List I with List II:

List I

D.

List II

- A. Iron
- Synthesis of auxin
- B. Zinc
- II. Component of
- nitrate reductase
- C. Boron
- III. Activator of
- catalase
 - Molybdenum I'
 - IV. Cell elongation

and

differentiation

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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

- (b) A–II, B–III, C–IV, D–I
- (c) A-III, B-I, C-IV, D-II
- (d) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III
- 138. Match List I with List II:

List I

List II

- A. Cohesion
- I. More attraction in
- liquid phase
- B. Adhesion
- II. Mutual attraction
- among water molecules
- C. Surface tension III. Water loss in liquid phase
- D. Guttation IV. Attraction towards polar surfaces

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A II, B IV, C I, D III
- (b) A IV, B III, C II, D I
- $(c)\quad A-III,\,B-I,\,C-IV,\,D-II$
- (d) A II, B I, C IV, D III
- **139.** How many different proteins does the ribosome consist of?
 - (a) 80
- (b) 60
- (c) 40
- (d) 20
- 140. Match List I with List II:

List I

List II

- A. Oxidative decarboxylation
- I. Citrate synthase
- Glycolysis dehydrogenase
- II. Pyruvate

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- C. Oxidative III. Electron transport phosphorylation system
- Tricarboxylic EMP pathway acid cycle

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A III, B IV, C II, D I
- (b) A II, B IV, C I, D III
- (c) A III, B I, C II, D IV
- (d) A II, B IV, C III, D I
- 141. Match List I with List II:

•	1114	cen List i with List		
	List	t I	List	II
	(Int	teraction)	(Sp	ecies A and B)
	A.	Mutualism	I.	+(A), 0(B)
	B.	Commensalism	II.	-(A), 0(B)
	C.	Amensalism	III.	+(A), -(B)
	D.	Parasitism	IV.	+(A), +(B)
	Cho	once the correct and	wer f	rom the ontions given below

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A-IV, B-II, C-I, D-III
- (b) A-IV, B-I, C-II, D-III
- (c) A-IV, B-III, C-I, D-II
- (d) A-III, B-I, C-IV, D-II
- **142.** Main steps in the formation of Recombinant DNA are given below. Arrange these steps in a correct sequence.
 - A. Insertion of recombinant DNA into the host cell
 - Cutting of DNA at specific location by restriction enzyme
 - Isolation of desired DNA fragment
 - D. Amplification of gene of interest using PCR

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) B, C, D, A
- (b) C, A, B, D
- (c) C, B, D, A
- (d) B, D, A, C
- **143.** Given below are two statements:

Statement I: Gause's 'Competitive Exclusion Principle' states that two closely related species competing for the same resources cannot co-exist indefinitely and competitively inferior one will be eliminated eventually.

Statement II: In general, carnivores are more adversely affected by competition than herbivores.

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

- (a) Both Statement I and Statement II are true.
- Both Statement I and Statement II are false.
- (c) Statement I is correct Statement II is false.
- (d) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is true.
- 144. Given below are two statements: One is labelled as **Assertion A** and the other is labelled as **Reason R**:

Assertion A: A flower is defined as modified shoot wherein the shoot apical meristem changes to floral meristem.

Reason R: Internode of the shoot gets condensed to produce different floral appendages laterally at successive node instead of leaves.

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

- (a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
- (b) Both A and R are true but R is NOT the correct explanation of A

- (c) A is true but R is false
- (d) A is false but R is true
- 145. Which of the following statements are correct about Klinefelter's Syndrome?
 - This disorder was first described by Langdon Down (1866).
 - Such an individual has overall masculine development. However, the feminine developement is also expressed.
 - The affected individual is short statured.
 - Physical, psychomotor and mental development is retarded.
 - Such individuals are sterile. E.

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A and B only
- (b) C and D only
- (c) B and E only
- (d) A and E only
- **146.** Melonate inhibits the growth of pathogenic bacteria by inhibiting the activity of
 - (a) Succinic dehydrogenase
 - Amylase (b)
 - (c) Lipase
 - (d) Dinitrogenase
- **147.** Which one of the following statements is NOT correct?
 - (a) The micro-organisms involved in biodegradation of organic matter in a sewage polluted water body consume a lot of oxygen causing the death of aquatic organisms
 - (b) Algal blooms caused by excess of organic matter in water improve water quality and promote fisheries
 - (c) Water hyacinth grows abundantly in eutrophic water bodies and leads to an imbalance in the ecosystem dynamics of the water body
 - (d) The amount of some toxic substances of industrial waste water increases in the organisms at successive trophic levels
- Which of the following combinations is required for chemiosmosis?
 - (a) Membrane, proton pump, proton gradient, ATP synthase
 - Membrane, proton pump, proton gradient, NADP synthase
 - Proton pump, electron gradient, ATP synthase
 - (d) Proton pump, electron gradient, NADP synthase
- **149.** Identify the correct statements:
 - A. Lenticels are the lens-shaped openings permitting the exchange of gases.
 - Bark formed early in the season is called hard bark.
 - Bark is a technical term that refers to all tissues exterior to vascular cambium.
 - Bark refers to periderm and secondary phloem.
 - Phellogen is single-layered in thickness.

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) B, C and E only (b) A and D only
- (c) A, B and D only (d) B and C only
- 150. Given below are two statements: One labelled as Assertion A and the other labelled as Reason R:

Assertion A: In gymnosperms the pollen grains are released from the microsporangium and carried by air currents.

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Reason R: Air currents carry the pollen grains to the mouth of the archegonia where the male gametes are discharged and pollen tube is not formed.

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

- Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation
- Both A and R are true but R is NOT the current (b) explanation of A
- A is true but R is false
- A is false but R is true

ZOOLOGY

Section-A

- **151.** Which of the following is not a cloning vector?
 - (a) BAC
- (b) YAC
- (c) pBR322
- (d) Probe
- **152.** Broad palm with single palm crease is visible in a person suffering from-
 - (a) Down's syndrome
 - (b) Turner's syndrome
 - Klinefelter's syndrome
 - (d) Thalassemia
- **153.** Which of the following are NOT considered as the part of endomembrane system?
 - Mitochondria
- Endoplasmic reticulum
- Chloroplasts
- D. Golgi complex
- Peroxisomes

Choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

- (a) B and D only
- (b) A, C and E only
- (c) A and D only
- A, D and E only
- 154. Match List I with List II.

List I

A.

- List II
- I. Taenia Nephridia
- B. Paramoecium II. Contractile vacuole III. Flame cells
- Periplaneta C. D. Pheretima
- IV. Urecose gland

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A-I, B-II, C-III, D-IV
- (b) A-I, B-II, C-IV, D-III
- (c) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I
- (d) A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III
- 155. Given below are two statements: one is labelled as Assertion A and other is labelled as Reason R.

Assertion A: Amniocentesis for sex determination is one of the strategies of Reproductive and Child Health Care Programme.

Reason R: Ban on amniocentesis checks increasing menace of female foeticide.

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

- Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A.
- (b) Both A and R are true and R is NOT the correct explanation of A.
- (c) A is true but R is false.
- (d) A is false but R is true.
- **156.** Given below are two statements:

Statement I: Ligaments are dense irregular tissue.

Statement II: Cartilage is dense regular tissue.

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

List II

- (a) Both Statement I and Statement II are true
- (b) Both Statement I and Statement II are false
- (c) Statement I is true but Statement II is false
- (d) Statement I is false but Statement II is true
- 157. Match List I with List II.

List I

- A. P-wave Beginning of I. systole
- B. Q-wave Repolarisation of II. ventricles
- C. QRS complex III. Depolarisation of atria
- D. T-wave IV. Depolarisation of ventricles

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A–III, B–I, C–IV, D–II
- (b) A-IV, B-III, C-II, D-I
- (c) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III
- (d) A–I, B–II, C–III, D–IV
- 158. Match List I with List II

List I

List II

(Cells)

(Secretion)

- Peptic cells
- I. Mucus
- B. Goblet cells
- II. Bile juice
- Oxyntic cells
- pepsinogen
- III. Proenzyme

- Hepatic cells IV. HCl and intrinsic factor for absorption
 - of vitamin B₁₂

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A-IV, B-III, C-II, D-I
- (b) A-II, B-I, C-III, D-IV
- (c) A-III, B-I, C-IV, D-II
- (d) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III
- 159. Match List I with List II.

List I

List II

- A. Vasectomy
- I. Oral method
- Barrier method B. Coitus interruptus II.
- C. Cervical caps
- Surgical method III.
- Saheli
- IV. Natural method Choose the correct answer from the options given below:
- A-III, B-I, C-IV, D-II
- A-III, B-IV, C-II, D-I
- (c) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV
- (d) A-IV, B-II, C-I, D-III

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160. Given below are two statements:

Statement I: Vas deferens receives a duct from seminal vesicle and opens into urethra as the ejaculatory duct.

Statement II: The cavity of the cervix is called cervical canal which along with vagina forms birth canal.

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

- (a) Both Statement I and Statement II are true.
- (b) Both Statement I and Statement II are false.
- (c) Statement I is correct but Statement II is false.
- (d) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is true.
- 161. Given below are two statements: one is labelled as **Assertion A** and the other is labelled as **Reason R**.

Assertion A: Nephrons are of two types: Cortical & Juxta medullary, based on their relative position in cortex and medulla.

Reason R: Juxta medullary nephrons have short loop of Henle whereas, cortical nephrons have longer loop of

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

- (a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation
- (b) Both A and R are true but R is NOT the correct explanation of A.
- (c) A is true but R is false.
- (d) A is false but R is true.
- **162.** Given below are two statements:

Statement I : Low temperature preserves the enzyme in a temporarily inactive state whereas high temperature destroys enzymatic activity because proteins are denatured by heat.

Statement II: When the inhibitor closely resembles the substrate in its molecular structure and inhibits the activity of the enzyme, it is known as competitive inhibitor.

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

- (a) Both Statement I and Statement II are true.
- (b) Both Statement I and Statement II are false.
- (c) Statement I is true but Statement II is false.
- (d) Statement I is false but Statement II is true.
- 163. Match List I with List II.

List	Ι	List	II
A.	Gene 'a'	I.	β-galactosidase
B.	Gene 'y'	II.	Transacetylase
C.	Gene 'i'	III.	Permease
D.	Gene 'z'	IV.	Repressor protein
Cho	ose the correct answ	wer fi	rom the options giv

ven below:

- (a) A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III
- (b) A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I
- (c) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- (d) A–III, B–I, C–IV, D–II
- 164. Match List I with List II.

Lis	st II			
I.	Haemophilus			

B. Filariasis Trichophyton C. Malaria III. Wuchereria bancrofti

IV. Plasmodium vivax D. Pneumonia

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I
- (b) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV
- (c) A-III, B-II, C-I, D-IV
- (d) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I
- 165. Which of the following functions is carried out by cytoskeleton in a cell?
 - (a) Nuclear division
- (b) Protein synthesis
- (c) Motility
- (d) Transportation
- **166.** Which of the following statements is correct?
 - (a) Eutrophication refers to increase in domestic sewage and waste water in lakes.
 - (b) Biomagnification refers to increase in concentration of the toxicant at successive trophic levels.
 - (c) Presence of large amount of nutrients in water restricts 'Algal Bloom'
 - (d) Algal Bloom decreases fish mortality
- **167.** Match List I with List II.

	List I		List II
A.	Heroin	I.	Effect on
	cardiovascular		
	system		

- Marijuana Slow down body function
 - III. Painkiller Cocaine
- Morphine IV. Interfere with transport of dopamine

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A–II, B–I, C–IV, D–III
- (b) A–I, B–II, C–III, D–IV
- (c) A-IV, B-III, C-II, D-I
- (d) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- 168. Radial symmetry is NOT found in adults of phylum
 - (a) Ctenophora
 - (b) Hemichordata
 - (c) Coelenterata
- (d) Echinodermata
- **169.** Given below are two statements:

Statement I: In prokaryotes, the positively charged DNA is held with some negatively charged proteins in a region called nucleoid.

Statement II: In eukaryotes, the negatively charged DNA is wrapped around the positively charged histone octamer to form nucleosome.

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

- (a) Both Statement I and Statement II are true.
- (b) Both Statement I and Statement II are false.
- (c) Statement I is correct but Statement II is false.
- (d) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is true.
- 170. Which of the following statements are correct regarding female reproductive cycle?
 - A. In non-primate mammals cyclical changes during reproduction are called oestrus cycle.

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- B. First menstrual cycle begins at puberty and is called menopause.
- C. Lack of menstruation may be indicative of pregnancy.
- D. Cyclic menstruation extends between menarche and menopause.

Choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below.

- (a) A and D only
- (b) A and B only
- (c) A, B and C only
- (d) A, C and D only
- **171.** Select the correct group/set of Australian Marsupials exhibiting adaptive radiation.
 - (a) Tasmanian wolf, Bobcat, Marsupial mole
 - (b) Numbat, Spotted cuscus, Flying phalanger
 - (c) Mole, Flying squirrel, Tasmanian tiger cat
 - (d) Lemur, Anteater, Wolf
- **172.** Which one of the following techniques does not serve the purpose of early diagnosis of a disease for its early treatment?
 - (a) Recombinant DNA Technology
 - (b) Serum and Urine analysis
 - (c) Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) technique
 - (d) Enzyme Linked Immuno-Sorbent Assay (ELISA) technique
- 173. Match List I with List II.

List I (Type of Joint)

List II (Found between)

- A. Cartilaginous Joint
- I. Between flat skull bones
- B. Ball and Socket Joint vertebral column
- II. Between adjacent vertebrae in
- C. Fibrous Joint III. Between carpal and metacarpal of thumb
- D. Saddle Joint IV. Between Humerus and Pectoral girdle

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A-III, B-I, C-II, D-IV
- (b) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III
- (c) A-I, B-IV, C-III, D-II
- (d) A-II, B-IV, C-III, D-I
- 174. Match List I with List II.

List I

List II

(Interacting species) (Name of interaction)

- A. A Leopard and a I. Competition Lion in a forest/ grassland
- B. A Cuckoo laying II. Brood parasitism egg in a Crow's nest
- C. Fungi and root of III. Mutualism a higher plant in Mycorrhizae
- D. A cattle egret and IV. Commensalism a Cattle in a field

Choose the correct answer from the options given below.

- (a) A–I, B–II, C–III, D–IV
- (b) A-I, B-II, C-IV, D-III
- (c) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- (d) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV
- **175.** Vital capacity of lung is
 - (a) IRV + ERV
 - (b) IRV + ERV + TV + RV
 - (c) IRV + ERV + TV RV
 - (d) IRV + ERV + TV
- **176.** Match List I with List II with respect to human eye.

List I

B.

List II

II. External layer of

- A. Fovea I. Visible coloured portion of eye that regulates
 - diameter of pupil.
 - eye formed of
 - dense
 - connective tissue.
- C. Blind spot III. Point of greatest visual acuity or resolution.
- O. Sclera IV. Point where optic nerve leaves the eyeball and photoreceptor cells are absent.

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A–III, B–I, C–IV, D–II
- (b) A-IV, B-III, C-II, D-I
- (c) A-I, B-IV, C-III, D-II
- (d) A-II, B-I, C-III, D-IV
- 177. Once the undigested and unabsorbed substances enter the caecum, their backflow is prevented by
 - (a) Sphincter of Oddi
 - (b) Ileo-caecal valve
 - (c) Gastro-oesophageal sphincter
 - (d) Pyloric sphincter
- **178.** Which one of the following common sexually transmitted diseases is completely curable when detected early and treated properly?
 - (a) Genital herpes
- (b) Gonorrhoea
- (c) Hepatitis-B
- (d) HIV Infection
- **179.** Given below are two statements:
 - **Statement I:** A protein is imagined as a line, the left end represented by first amino acid (C–terminal) and the right end represented by last amino acid (N–terminal).

Statement II: Adult human haemoglobin, consists of 4 subunits (two subunits of a type and two subunits of b type.)

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

- (a) Both Statement I and Statement II are true
- (b) Both Statement I and Statement II are false.
- (c) Statement I is true but Statement II is false.
- (d) Statement I is false but Statement II is true.

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180. Given below are two statements:

Statement I: Electrostatic precipitator is most widely used in thermal power plant.

Statement II : Electrostatic precipitator in thermal power plant removes ionising radiations.

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

- (a) Both Statement I and Statement II are correct.
- (b) Both Statement I and Statement II are incorrect.
- (c) Statement I is correct but Statement II is incorrect.
- (d) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is correct.
- **181.** In which blood corpuscles, the HIV undergoes replication and produces progeny viruses?
 - (a) TH cells
- (b) B-lymphocytes
- (c) Basophils
- (d) Eosinophils
- **182.** Given below are two statements:

Statement I: RNA mutates at a faster rate.

Statement II: Viruses having RNA genome and shorter life span mutate and evolve faster.

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

- (a) Both Statement I and Statement II are true.
- (b) Both Statement I and Statement II are false.
- (c) Statement I is true but Statement II is false.
- (d) Statement I is false but Statement II is true.
- **183.** Given below are two statements: one is labelled as Assertion A and the other is labelled as Reason R.

Assertion A: Endometrium is necessary for implantation of blastocyst.

Reason R: In the absence of fertilization, the corpus luteum degenerates that causes disintegration of endometrium.

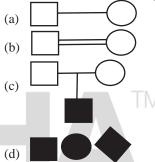
In the light of the above statements, choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A.
- (b) Both A and R are true but R is NOT the correct explanation of A.
- (c) A is true but R is false.
- (d) A is false but R is true.
- 184. Match List I with List II.

List I		List II			
A.	CCK	I.	Kidney		
B.	GIP	II.	Heart		
C.	ANF	III.	Gastric gland		
D.	ADH	IV.	Pancreas		

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A–IV, B–III, C–II, D–I
- (b) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I
- (c) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III
- (d) A-IV, B-II, C-III, D-I
- **185.** Which one of the following symbols represents mating between relatives in human pedigree analysis?



Section-B

- **186.** The unique mammalian characteristics are:
 - (a) hairs, tympanic membrane and mammary glands
 - (b) hairs, pinna and mammary glands
 - (c) hairs, pinna and indirect development
 - (d) pinna, monocondylic skull and mammary glands
- **187.** Which of the following statements are correct?
 - A. Basophils are most abundant cells of the total WBCs
 - B. Basophils secrete histamine, serotonin and heparin
 - C. Basophils are involved in inflammatory response
 - D. Basophils have kidney shaped nucleus

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) D and E only
- (b) C and E only
- (c) B and C only (
- (d) A and B only
- **188.** Select the correct statements with reference to chordates.
 - Presence of a mid-dorsal, solid and double nerve cord.
 - B. Presence of closed circulatory system.
 - C. Presence of paired pharyngeal gill slits.
 - D. Presence of dorsal heart
 - E. Triploblastic pseudocoelomate animals.

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A, C and D only
- (b) B and C only
- (c) B, D and E only
- (d) C, D and E only

- **189.** Which of the following are NOT under the control of thyroid hormone?
 - A. Maintenance of water and electrolyte balance
 - B. Regulation of basal metabolic rate
 - C. Normal rhythm of sleep-wake cycle
 - D. Development of immune system
 - E. Support the process of RBCs formation

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A and D only
- (b) B and C only
- (c) C and D only
- (d) D and E only
- 190. In cockroach, excretion is brought about by-
 - A. Phallic gland
- B. Urecose gland
- C. Nephrocytes
- D. Fat body
- E. Collaterial glands

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A and E only
- (b) A, B and E only
- (c) B, C and D only
- (d) B and D only
- **191.** The parts of human brain that helps in regulation of sexual behaviour, expression of excitement, pleasure, rage, fear etc. are:
 - (a) Limbic system and hypothalamus
 - (b) Corpora quadrigemina and hippocampus
 - (c) Brain stem and epithalamus
 - (d) Corpus callosum and thalamus

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192. Match List I with List II.

List I

List II

- A. Mast cells I. Ciliated epithelium
- B. Inner surface of II. Areolar connective bronchiole tissue
- C. Blood III. Cuboidal epithelium
- D. Tubular parts of IV. Specialised nephron connective tissue

Choose the correct answer from the options give below:

- (a) A–I, B–II, C–IV, DvIII
- (b) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV
- (c) A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III
- (d) A–III, B–IV, C–II, D–I

193. Match List I with List II.

List I

List II

- A. Logistic growth I. Unlimited resource availability condition
- B. Exponential II. Limited resource growth availability condition
- C. Expanding age III. The percent pyramid individuals of pre-reproductive age is largest followed by reproductive and post reproductive age groups
- D. Stable age
 pyramid
 pre-reproductives
 and reproductive
 age group are

IV. The percent individuals of

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A-II, B-I, C-III, D-IV
- (b) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV
- (c) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III
- (d) A-II, B-IV, C-III, D-I
- **194.** Which of the following statements are correct?
 - A. An excessive loss of body fluid from the body switches off osmoreceptors.
 - B. ADH facilitates water reabsorption to prevent diuresis.
 - C. ANF causes vasodilation.
 - D. ADH causes increase in blood pressure.
 - E. ADH is responsible for decrease in GFR.

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A and B only
- (b) B, C and D only
- (c) A, B and E only (d) C, D and E only
- **195.** Given below are two statements:

Statement I: During G0 phase of cell cycle, the cell is metabolically inactive.

Statement II: The centrosome undergoes duplication during S phase of interphase.

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

- (a) Both Statement I and Statement II are correct
- (b) Both Statement I and Statement II are incorrect.
- (c) Statement I is correct but Statement II is incorrect.
- (d) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is correct.

196. Select the correct statements.

- A. Tetrad formation is seen during Leptotene.
- B. During Anaphase, the centromeres split and chromatids separate.
- C. Terminalization takes place during Pachytene.
- D. Nucleolus, Golgi complex and ER are reformed during Telophase.
- E. Crossing over takes place between sister chromatids of homologous chromosome.

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) A and C only
- (b) B and D only
- (c) A, C and E only
- (d) B and E only
- **197.** Which one of the following is NOT an advantage of inbreeding?
 - (a) It decreases homozygosity.
 - (b) It exposes harmful recessive genes but are eliminated by selection.
 - (c) Elimination of less desirable genes and accumulation of superior genes takes place due to it.
 - (d) It decreases the productivity of inbred population, after continuous inbreeding.
- **198.** Which of the following is characteristic feature of cockroach regarding sexual dimorphism?
 - (a) Dark brown body colour and anal cerci
 - (b) Presence of anal styles
 - (c) Presence of sclerites
 - (d) Presence of anal cerci
- - (a) 5'GCUAGCUAGCUAGCUAGC '3'
 - (b) 3'GCUAGCUAGCUAGCUAGC 5'
 - (c) 5'ATCGATCGATCGATCGATCG 3'
 - (d) 3'ATCGATCGATCGATCGATCG 5'
- **200.** Which of the following statements are correct regarding skeletal muscle?
 - A. Muscle bundles are held together by collagenous connective tissue layer called fascicle.
 - B. Sarcoplasmic reticulum of muscle fibre is a store house of calcium ions.
 - C. Striated appearance of skeletal muscle fibre is due to distribution pattern of actin and myosin proteins.
 - D. M line is considered as functional unit of contraction called sarcomere.

Choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

- (a) A, B and C only (b) B and C only
- (c) A, C and D only (d) C and D only

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PHYSICS

1. **(b)** Since,
$$eV = \frac{hc}{\lambda_{\min}} \Rightarrow \lambda_{\min} = \frac{hc}{eV}$$

$$\therefore \lambda_{\min} \propto \frac{1}{V}$$

X ray photo of maximum energy is emitted when an electron looses its whole energy during a single collision with the atom

(a) Given, efficiency $\eta = \frac{50}{100} = \frac{1}{2}$ Source temperature, $T_1 = 327 + 273 = 600 \text{ K}$ Efficiency of Carnot engine $\eta = 1 - \frac{T_2}{T_1}$

$$\Rightarrow \eta = 1 - \frac{T_2}{600} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} = 1 - \frac{T_2}{600}$$

$$\frac{T_2}{600} = \frac{1}{2} \implies T_2 = 300 \text{ K}$$

 $\frac{T_2}{600} = \frac{1}{2}$ ⇒ $T_2 = 300 \text{ K}$ ∴ Sink temperature, $T_2 = 300 - 273 = 27^{\circ}\text{C}$

(c) Maximum height, $H = \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{2g}$

$$H = \frac{(280)^2 \times (\sin^2 30)}{2 \times 9.8} = \frac{280 \times 280 \times 0.5 \times 0.5}{2 \times 9.8}$$

 $\therefore H = 1000 \text{ m}$

(d) For resonance frequency $f = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{LC}}$

$$\Rightarrow f = \frac{1}{2 \times \pi \times \sqrt{10 \times 10^{-3} \times 1 \times 10^{-6}}} = \frac{10^4}{2\pi}$$

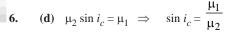
$$=\frac{10^4}{2\times 22/7}=1.591\times 10^3$$

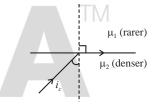
(a) Statement I: Photovoltaic devices convert optical radiation into electricity.

II: Zener diode is designed to operate under reverse bias in breakdown region.



Zener diodes are not damged by high reverse current.





$$\mu = \frac{c}{V}$$

$$\mu = \frac{c}{V}$$

$$\therefore \quad \sin i_c = \frac{\mu_1}{\mu_2} = \frac{V_2}{V_1}$$

$$\sin i_c = \frac{10xt_1}{t_2x} \quad \therefore \quad i_c = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{10t_1}{t_2}\right)$$

7. **(b)** Using $\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{1}{n_2^2} - \frac{1}{n_1^2} \right]$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{\infty} \right] \Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{4}{R} \qquad \dots (i)$$

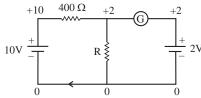
And for bracket series, $(n_2 = 4, n_1 = \infty)$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda'} = R \left[\frac{1}{16} - \frac{1}{\infty} \right] \implies \lambda' = \frac{16}{R} \qquad \dots (ii)$$

Dividing eq (i) by (ii)

$$\frac{\lambda}{\lambda'} = \frac{4/R}{16/R} \qquad \therefore \quad \lambda' = 4\lambda$$

(c) Since galvanometer does not show any deflection



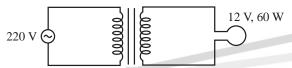
From the circuit diagram,

$$\frac{10-2}{400} = \frac{2}{R} : R = \frac{2 \times 400}{100} = 100 \Omega$$

- 9. (c) Amount of energy required to form a soap bubble $= [S \times \Delta A] \times 2$ $= [0.03 \times 4 \times \pi \times 4 \times 10^{-4}] \times 2 = 3.015 \times 10^{-4} \text{ J}$
- 10. (d) Magnetic energy stored in an inductor

$$U = \frac{1}{2}Li^2 = \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times 10^{-6} \times (2)^2$$
$$= 8 \times 10^{-6} \text{ J} = 8 \text{ }\mu\text{J}$$

11. (a)



As transfer to be ideal and for ideal transformer

$$P_{\text{input}} = P_{\text{output}}$$

∴ $(VI)_{\text{in}} = 60 \implies 220 \times I = 60$
∴ $I = 0.27 \text{ A}$

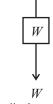
12. (d) Given $E = 2 \times 10^5$ N/C, I = 2 cm and $\tau = 4$ Nm $\vec{\tau} = \vec{p} \times \vec{E} = pE\sin\theta$ $4 = p \times 2 \times 10^5 \times \sin 30^\circ \Rightarrow p = 4 \times 10^{-5}$ cm

$$\therefore \text{ Charge on the dipole, } q = \frac{p}{I} = \frac{4 \times 10^{-5}}{0.02} = 2 \text{ mC}$$

13. (c) Average speed,
$$v_{avg} = \frac{2v_1v_2}{v_1 + v_2}$$
$$= \frac{2 \times v \times 2v}{v + 2v} = \frac{4v}{3}$$



14. (b)



Longitudinal stress

$$= \frac{\frac{\text{Internal restoring force}}{\text{Area}}}{\frac{F_{ext}}{\text{Area}}} = \frac{F_{ext}}{\text{Area}}$$

$$\therefore \text{ Stress} = \frac{W}{A}$$

15. (a) Since,
$$\phi_{\text{net}} = \oint_{S} \overrightarrow{E} \cdot \overrightarrow{dS} = 0$$

i.e., Net flux through surface is zero, so number of flux lines entering the surface must be equal to the number of flux lines leaving it.

In the expression $\oint \vec{E}.dS = 0$ the electric field is the sum of electric field due to charge within the surface and due to charge outside the surface.

16. (a) Energy of incident radiation = 2.20 eV Work function of Cs, ϕ_{Cs} = 2.14 eV and ϕ_{K} = 2.30 eV ϕ_{Na} = 2.75 eV

Since the work function of caesium, $\phi_{Cs} < \phi_{Incident}$. Hence photons may be emitted from caesium.

17. **(b)** RMS speed,
$$v_{rms} = \sqrt{\frac{3RT}{m}} \Rightarrow v_{rms} \propto \sqrt{T}$$

 v_{rms} is increased by 3 times, So, final rms speed = v + 3v = 4v

$$T_1 = 273 - 50 = 223 \text{ K and } T_2 = ?$$

$$\frac{v_1}{v_2} = \sqrt{\frac{T_1}{T_2}} \Rightarrow \frac{v}{4v} = \sqrt{\frac{223}{T_2}} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{16} = \frac{223}{T_2}$$

 $T_2 = 3568 \text{ K} \text{ or, } T_2 = 3568 - 273 = 3295^{\circ}\text{C}$

18. (b) Fundamental harmonic produced by open pipe,

$$f_{\text{open pipe}} = \frac{v}{2l}$$

And by closed pipe, $f_{\text{closed pipe}} = \frac{v}{4I}$

$$\therefore \frac{f_0}{f_c} = \frac{v}{2l} \times \frac{4l}{v} = \frac{2}{1} \quad \therefore f_0 : f_c = 2 : 1$$

19. (c) Resistance = $(22000 \pm 5\%) \Omega = (22 \times 10^3) \Omega \pm 5\%$ Since third band corresponds to decimal multiplier

Decimal multiplier = 10^3

Multiplier 1 = Black, $10^1 = \text{Brown}$, $10^2 = \text{Red}$ and $10^3 = \text{Orange}$. Therefore the colour of third band must be orange.

20. (c) For Young's double slit experiment, angular fringe width $\alpha = \frac{\lambda}{d}$

It does not depend on the distance of screen from the slit, so statement I is correct.

Angular fringe width $\propto \lambda$

So if λ increases, angular separation of fringes increases. Therefore, statement I is true and statement II is false.

21. (c) Density,
$$\rho = \frac{\text{mass}}{\text{volume}} = \frac{M}{\pi r^2 l}$$

$$\frac{\Delta \rho}{\rho} = \frac{\Delta M}{M} + \frac{2\Delta r}{r} + \frac{\Delta l}{l} = \left(\frac{0.002}{0.4} + \frac{2 \times 0.001}{0.3} + \frac{0.02}{5}\right)$$

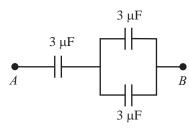
$$\frac{\Delta \rho}{\rho} = 0.0156$$

% error in density $\frac{\Delta \rho}{\rho}$ % = 1.56% \approx 1.6%

22. (a) For parallel grouping, $C_{\text{eq}} = C_1 + C_2 + \dots C_n$ $C_1 = 3 + 3 = 6 \,\mu\text{F}$

For series grouping, $\frac{1}{C_{eq}} = \frac{1}{C_1} + \frac{1}{C_2} + \dots + \frac{1}{C_n}$

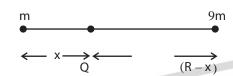
$$C_{eq} = \frac{C_1 C_2}{C_1 + C_2} = \frac{3 \times 6}{3 + 6} = \frac{18}{9} = 2 \,\mu\text{F}$$



23. (c) Let gravitational field at point Q be zero

$$\therefore \frac{Gm}{x^2} = \frac{G(9m)}{(R-x)^2}$$

$$\frac{(R-x)^2}{x^2} = 9 \implies x = \frac{R}{4}$$



$$V_Q = \frac{-Gm}{x} - \frac{G(9m)}{R - x}$$

$$V_Q = \frac{-Gm}{\frac{R}{4}} - \frac{G(9m)}{\frac{3R}{4}} = \frac{-4Gm}{R} - \frac{12Gm}{R} = \frac{-16Gm}{R}$$

(b) Venturi-meter works on the Bernoulli's principle

25. (d)
$$N = \frac{N_0}{2^n} \implies \frac{N}{N_0} = \frac{1}{2^n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{16} = \frac{1}{2^n} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2^4} = \frac{1}{2^n} \therefore n = 4$$

$$n = \frac{t}{T_1}$$
 :: $t = 4 \times T_1 = 4 \times 20 = 80$ minutes

26. (c) Change in momentum, $\Delta \vec{P} = \vec{P}_f - \vec{P}_i$

$$\vec{P}_f = mu\hat{i}$$

$$\vec{P}_i = mu(-\hat{j})$$

$$\Delta \vec{P} = mu\hat{i} - mu(-\hat{i})$$

$$\Delta \vec{P} = mu(\hat{i} + \hat{j})$$

$$\vec{F} = \frac{\Delta \vec{P}}{\Delta t}$$

Direction of change of momentum and direction of force acting on the player will be same i.e., along north-east.

27. (d)

Random errors is also called chance error. It occurs due to parameter which are beyond the control of experimenter.

- (d) Using the Right hand screw rule, angular acceleration of a body, moving along the circumference of a cirlce is along the axis of rotation.
- 29. Capacitor is used to remove the ac ripple from the rectified

(*) Moment of inertia of solid sphere about its own axis I_1 = $\frac{2}{5}MR^2 = MK_1^2$

Here K_1 = radius of gyration of solid sphere

$$\therefore K_1 = \sqrt{\frac{I_2}{M}} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{5}}R$$

Moment of inertia of thin hollow sphere,

$$I_2 = \frac{2}{3}MR^2 = MK_2^2$$

Here K_2 = radius of gyration of hollow sphere

$$\therefore K_2 = \sqrt{\frac{I_2}{M}} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}R$$

$$\therefore \frac{K_1}{K_2} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{5}} \times \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{5}}$$

*None of the option is correct (correct answer is $\sqrt{\frac{3}{5}}$)

(b) Net resistance of the circuit,

$$R_{aa} = 2 \Omega + 1 \Omega + 7 \Omega = 10 \Omega$$

 $R_{eq} = 2~\Omega + 1~\Omega + 7~\Omega = 10~\Omega$ Net Voltage, $V_{net} = 10 - 5 = 5~\mathrm{V}$

$$i = \frac{V_{net}}{R_{eq}} = \frac{5}{10} = 0.5 \text{ A}$$

(c) Capacitive reactance $X_C = \frac{1}{\omega C} = \frac{1}{2\pi vC}$

Since v decreasing, X_C will increas

$$\therefore \text{ Current, } I = \frac{E_0}{X_C} \text{ will decrease}$$

As conduction current = displacement current Therefore displacement current will decrease.

33. (a) For closed loops

Magnetic flux =
$$\oint \vec{B} \cdot \vec{ds} = \text{zero}$$

Magnetic monopole doesn't exist.

Hence net magnetic flux through any closed surface is zero.

(c) Given, Amplitude of oscillating electric field component, $E_0 = 48 \text{ Vm}^{-1}$ 34.

Using,
$$c = \frac{E_0}{B_0}$$

Here, B_0 = Amplitude of oscillating magnetic field

$$\therefore B_0 = \frac{48}{3 \times 10^8} = 16 \times 10^{-8} = 1.6 \times 10^{-7} \text{ T}$$

(d) Potential energy stored in spring (U) is given by

$$U = \frac{1}{2}Kx^2$$

$$U_i = \frac{1}{2}K(2)^2$$
 where $x = 2$ cm

$$\Rightarrow U_i = \frac{1}{2}(K) \cdot (4) = 2 K \qquad \dots (i)$$

$$U_f = \frac{1}{2}K(8)^2 = \frac{1}{2}K \times 64 = 32 K$$
 ... (ii)

On dividing (i) by (ii)

$$\frac{U_i}{U_f} = \frac{2K}{32K} = \frac{1}{16}$$

$$\Rightarrow U_f = 16 U_i$$

36.

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
I & & II \\
\hline
 & 1I \\
\hline
 & 24 \text{ cm} & 3
\end{array}$$
rest
III

Using third equation of motion between I and II

$$v^2 - u^2 = 2as$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{u}{3}\right)^2 = u^2 - 2a \times 24$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a(24) = \frac{8u^2}{9}$$

Using third equation of motion again between II and III

$$0 = \left(\frac{u}{3}\right)^2 - 2as$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{u^2}{Q} = 2as$$
 ... (ii)

From equation (i) and (ii)

$$2a24 = 8(2as)$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 s = 3 cm

Length of wooden block = 24 + 3 = 27 cm

(b) Time period of satellite just above earth surface (T) is

$$T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{R}{\rho}}$$

But
$$g = \frac{GM}{R^2} = \frac{G}{R^2} \left(\frac{4}{3} \pi R^3 d \right) = Gd \frac{4}{3} \pi R$$

$$\therefore T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{R}{G\frac{4}{3}\pi Rd}} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{3}{4\pi Gd}} \Rightarrow T^2 = \frac{3\pi}{Gd}$$

Note: The time period of satellite,

Circum ferance of the orbite of satellite

Orbital velocity of Satellite

$$\Rightarrow T = \frac{2\pi r}{v_{Orbital}} = \frac{2\pi r}{\sqrt{GM}} \left(\because v_{Orbital} = \sqrt{\frac{GM}{r}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{r^3}{GM}} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{r^3}{gR^2}} \left(\because GM = gR^2 \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{T} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{\left(\mathbf{R} + \mathbf{h}\right)^3}{\sigma \mathbf{R}^2}}$$

Here, r = R + h

When satellite lies close to the earth $R + h \approx R$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{T} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{R^3}{gR^2}} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{R}{g}}$$

38. (d) Given,

Radius of inner most orbit of hydrogen atom,

$$r_1 = 5.3 \times 10^{-11} \text{ m}$$

Radius of
$$n^{\text{th}}$$
 orbit $r_n = \frac{n^2}{Z} \implies r_n \propto n^2$

$$\therefore \frac{r_1}{r_2} = \left(\frac{n_1}{n_2}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{r_1}{r_2} = \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2$$

... (i) **39.**

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $r_2 = 9r_1 = 5.3 \times 10^{-11} \times 9$
= $47.7 \times 10^{-11} = 4.77 \text{ Å}$

(c) Inductance, $L = \frac{50}{\pi} \text{ mH}$

Resistance, $R = 10 \Omega$

Capacitance,
$$C = \frac{10^3}{\pi} \times 10^{-6}$$

Inductive reactance, $X_L = \omega L = 2\pi f L$

$$=2\pi\times50\times\frac{50}{\pi}\times10^{-3}=5~\Omega$$

Capacitive reactance, $X_C = \frac{1}{\omega C} = \frac{1}{2\pi fC}$

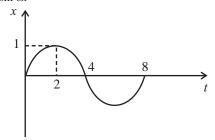
$$= \frac{1 \times \pi}{2\pi \times 50 \times 10^3 \times 10^{-6}} = \frac{10^3}{100} = 10 \ \Omega$$

Impedance
$$Z = \sqrt{(X_C - X_L)^2 + R^2}$$

$$=\sqrt{(10-5)^2+10^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow Z = \sqrt{125} = 5\sqrt{5} \Omega$$

(d) Position of particle as function of time $x = A\sin \omega t$



From figure, at t = 2 s

Time period, T = 8 s

$$\omega = \frac{2\pi}{T} = \frac{2\pi}{8} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$a = -\omega^2 x = -\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)^2 \times 1$$

$$\Rightarrow a = -\frac{\pi^2}{16} \,\text{m/s}^{-2}$$



In SHM, we cannot apply equation of translatory motion as acceleration ($a = \omega^2 x$) is not constant

41. (c) From the lens maker's formula

$$\frac{1}{f} = (\mu - 1) \left(\frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{1}{R_2} \right)$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{f_1} = (1.6 - 1) \left(\frac{1}{\infty} - \frac{1}{20} \right) = \frac{-0.6}{20} = \frac{-3}{100}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{f_2} = (1.5 - 1) \left(\frac{1}{20} - \frac{1}{-20} \right) = \frac{0.5}{10} = \frac{1}{20}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{f_3} = (1.6 - 1) \left(\frac{1}{-20} - \frac{1}{\infty} \right) = \frac{-0.6}{10} = \frac{-3}{100}$$

Effective focal length (f_{eff}) is

$$\begin{split} &\frac{1}{f_{\text{eff}}} = \frac{1}{f_1} + \frac{1}{f_2} + \frac{1}{f_3} \\ &\Rightarrow \frac{1}{f_{\text{eff}}} = \frac{-3}{100} + \frac{1}{20} - \frac{3}{100} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{f_{\text{eff}}} = \frac{-1}{100} \end{split}$$

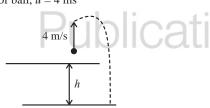
$$f_{\text{eff}} = 100 - 20 - 100$$

42. (a) Electrostatic potential due to a point charge is given by V

$$\therefore V_{\text{net}} = \frac{Kq}{2 \times 10^{-2}} - \frac{Kq}{8 \times 10^{-2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{\text{net}} = \frac{Kq \times 10^2}{2} \left(1 - \frac{1}{4} \right) = \left(\frac{3}{8} Kq \right) \times 10^2 V = \frac{3}{8} qK$$

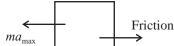
43. (c) Given, Initial velocity of ball, $u = 4 \text{ ms}^-$



$$s = ut - \frac{1}{2}gt^2$$

$$= 4 \times 4 - \frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times (4)^2 = -64 \text{ m}$$

Height of bridge above water surface = 64 m



As the body remains stationary,

$$\therefore ma = 11 mg$$

$$\therefore ma_{\text{max}} = \mu_s mg$$

$$\Rightarrow a_{\text{max}} = \mu_s g = 0.15 \times 10 = 1.5 \text{ m/s}^2$$
(b) For series combination,

Equivalent resistance, $R_{\rm eq} = 10R$

$$i_1 = \frac{E}{10R}$$

For parallel combination,

Equivalent resistance,
$$R_{\text{eq}} = \frac{R}{10}$$

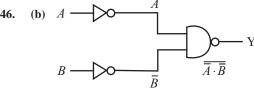
$$\therefore i_2 = \frac{E}{\frac{R}{10}} = \frac{10E}{R}$$

$$\therefore \frac{i_2}{i_1} = \frac{10E}{R} \times \frac{10R}{E} = 100 \Rightarrow i_2 = 100i$$

According to question

$$i_2 = ni_1
 n = 100$$

$$\therefore \quad n = 100$$



$$Y = \overline{\overline{A} \cdot \overline{B}} = \overline{A + B} = A + B$$

It is OR gate.

47.

A	В	Y	\boldsymbol{A}	В
0	0		0	
0	1		1	
1	0		1	
1	1		1	



Magnetic field due to wire I =

Magnetic field due to wire III = $\frac{\mu_0 i}{4\pi R}$

Magnetic field due to semiconductor arc II = $\frac{\mu_0 i}{4R}$

Magnetic field due to wire I and III

$$=\frac{\mu_0 i}{4\pi R}\otimes +\frac{\mu_0 i}{4\pi R}=\frac{\mu_0 i}{2\pi R}\otimes$$

$$B_{\text{total}} = B_{\text{arc}} - B_{\text{wires}} = \frac{\mu_0 i}{4R} - \frac{\mu_0 i}{2\pi R}$$
$$= \frac{\mu_0 i}{4R} \left[1 - \frac{2}{\pi} \right]$$

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- (c) Given,

 - Resistance at 0°C, $R_0 = 2 \Omega$ Resistance at 80°C, $R = 6.8 \Omega$
 - Using $R = R_0(1 + \alpha \Delta T)$

where $\boldsymbol{\alpha}$ is the temperature coefficient of resistance $\therefore 6.8 = 2\{1 + \alpha(80 - 0)\}\$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{6.8}{2} - 1 = \alpha \times 80$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{3.4 - 1}{80} = \frac{2.4}{80} = 0.03$$

$$\therefore \alpha = 3 \times 10^{-2} \, ^{\circ}\text{C}^{-1}$$

(c) Given,

Magnetic Field, B =
$$(2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 4\hat{k})T$$

Magnetic force acting on a current carrying wire is

$$\vec{F} = I\vec{l} \times \vec{B}$$

$$= IL\hat{i} \times (2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 4\hat{k}) = 3IL\hat{k} + 4IL\hat{j}$$

Magnitude of force, $|\vec{F}| = \sqrt{(3IL)^2 + (4IL)^2}$

$$=5IL$$

= 5*IL* (d) We know that For convex lens $f_1 > 0$, concave lens $f_2 < 0$ 50.

$$\frac{1}{f_{\text{net}}} = \frac{1}{f_1} + \frac{1}{f_2} = \frac{1}{f} - \frac{1}{f} = 0$$
$$\Rightarrow f_{\text{net}} = \infty$$



If two thin lenses of same focal length but having opposite nature are placed in contact then combination will behave like a plane glass plate.

CHEMISTRY

- 51. (d) (A) Atoms consist of three fundamental particles : Electrons, protons and neutrons
 - (D) Protons and neutrons present in the nucleus are collectively called as nucleons.

So, the correct statements are B, C, E only.

52. (b) Activation energy is defined as the minimum amount of extra energy absorbed by reactant molecules to achieve threshold energy.

Zero activation energy means the reactant molecules have the sufficient energy to form product.



According to Arrhenius equation

$$k = Ae^{-Ea/RT}$$

Zero activation energy means $E_a = 0$

 \Rightarrow k = Ae⁰ \Rightarrow k = A, where \ddot{A} is the frequency factor.

It simply implies that all collisions lead to successful collisions and should results in the formation of product which is practically not possible.

53. (a) Let the number of atoms of element B = N

So, the number of atoms of element $A = \frac{1}{3} \times 2 N$

.. The formula of the compound is
$$A_{\frac{2}{3}N} B_N$$

So, x = 2, y = 3, x + y = 5

(c) On dissolving alkali metal (sodium) in liquid ammonia, a deep blue solution is developed due to ammoniated electron which absorbs energy in visible region of light and imparts blue colour. Due to the presence of unpaired electrons, solution is paramagnetic.

 $M + (x + y)NH_3 \longrightarrow [M(NH_3)_x]^+ + [e(NH_3)_y]^-$

55.

$$\overset{"}{\underset{H}{\mid}} \overset{N}{\underset{H}{\mid}} , \quad Cl-Al \overset{Cl}{\underset{Cl}{\mid}} , \quad Cl-Be-Cl$$

(8 electrons) (6 electrons) (4 electrons)

(8 electrons) (10 electrons)

(b) Neoprene is formed by free radical polymerisation of **56.** chloroprene.

$$\begin{bmatrix} Cl \\ | \\ CH_2 - C = CH - CH_2 \end{bmatrix}_n$$
Neoprene

57. (d) In case, nitrogen and sulphur both are present in organic compound, sodium thiocyanate is formed. It gives blood red colour and no Prussian blue since there are no free cyanide ions.

 $Na + C + N + S \longrightarrow NaSCN$ $Fe^{3+} + SCN^{-} \longrightarrow [Fe(SCN)]^{2+}$ Blood red

If sodium fusion is carried out with excess of sodium, the thiocyanate decomposes to yield cyanide and sulphide. These ions now give their usual tests.

 $NaSCN + 2Na \longrightarrow NaCN + Na_2S$

This reaction is called soda lime decarboxylation 58.

$$CH_3 - C - O^-Na^+ \xrightarrow{NaOH} CH_4(g) + Na_2CO_3(s)$$

$$\downarrow \qquad \qquad Methane \qquad Sodium \qquad Carbonate \qquad$$

Sodium

Molar mass of $CH_4 = 16 \text{ g/mol}$ Weight of 2 moles of $CH_4 = 16 \times 2 = 32 \text{ g}$



Decarboxylation with soda lime produces alkane containing one carbon less than the carboxylic acid.

- 59. (d) Veronal is the derivative of Barbituric acid and considered as barbiturate.
- 60. (c) Conductivity = conductance × cell constant

$$\mathbf{k} = \frac{1}{\mathbf{R}} \times \frac{l}{\mathbf{A}}$$

$$\frac{l}{A} = k \times R = 0.0210 \times 60 = 1.26 \text{ cm}^{-1}$$

- **62.** (a) complexes in which a metal is bound to only one kind of donor groups are called as homoleptic complexes. Potassium trioxalatoaluminate (III). It is a homoleptic complex.
- (a) $n_m = 2l + 1 \implies l = \frac{n_m 1}{2}$ 63.
- (c) The stability of Cu^{2+} (aq) is more than Cu^{+} (aq) is due to the much more negative $\Delta_{hyd}H^{o}$ of Cu^{2+} (aq) than Cu^{+} (aq), which more than compensates for second ionisation enthalphy of Cu. $\Delta_{\text{hyd}} \text{H}^{\text{o}}$ of Cu²⁺ (aq) = -2121 kJ mol⁻¹,

$$\Delta_{i} H_{1}^{o}$$
 of Cu = +745 kJ mol⁻¹,

$$\Delta_{i} H_{2}^{o}$$
 of Cu = +1960 kJ mol⁻¹

(d) As we move down the group, due to poor shielding effect of intervening d and f orbitals, the increased effective nuclear charge holds ns electrons tightly and therefore restricting their participation in bonding. This effect is known as inert pair effect.

So, the relative stability of +1 O.S increases for heavier elements.

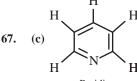
Hence, TlI is more stable than TlI₃.



Boron and Aluminium do not show the inert pair effect. The inert pair effect is only shown by the elements which have d and f orbitals influencing their outermost s-orbital electrons by having poor shielding.

(d) Combination of N₂ and H₂ to form NH₃ in presence of finely divided Fe is an example of heterogeneous catalysis.

$$N_2(g) + 3H_2(g) \xrightarrow{Fe(s)} 2NH_3(g)$$



No. of σ bonds = 11, No. of π bonds = 3, No. of lone pair of e^- =

- (a) For molecules like B₂, C₂, N₂ etc. the increasing order of energies of various molecular orbitals is $\sigma_{1}^{1}s < \sigma^{*}1_{s} < \sigma^{2}s < \sigma^{*}2s < (\pi^{2}p_{x} = \pi^{2}p_{y}) < \sigma^{2}p_{z} < (\pi^{*}2p_{x} = \pi^{2}p_{y})$ $\pi^* 2p_y > \pi^* 2p_z$ (b) Helium is used as diluent for oxygen in modern diving
- apparatus because of its very low solubility in blood.

The solubility of he is less than that of nitrogen and it diffuses more rapidly, the elimination of inert gas from blood and tissues would be more rapid if Helium was substituted for nitrogen.

(c) Rate = $k[A]^2[B]$

When concentration of A is tripled, [A'] = [3A]New rate, $r' = k[A']^2[B] = k[3A]^2[B] = 9k[A]^2[B]$

 \Rightarrow r' = 9r, increases by factor of nine.

(c) (a) $CH_3 - C - NH_2 \xrightarrow{\text{Hoffmann bromamide}} (Primary amine)$

(b)
$$CH_3 - C \equiv N$$
 $\xrightarrow{(i) \text{LiAlH}_4}$ $CH_3 - CH_2 - NH_2$ (Primary amine)

(c)
$$CH_3NC \xrightarrow{(i) LiAlH_4} CH_3 - N - CH_3$$
(Secondary amine)

(d)
$$CH_3 - C - NH_2 \xrightarrow{\text{(i) LiAlH}_4} CH_3 - CH_2 - NH_2 \text{(Secondary amine)}$$

- (b) According to Boyle's law, $P \propto \frac{1}{V}$, option (b) is the correct representation. 73.
- (c) Lewis acids are the one which accepts lone pair of electron due to presence of vacant orbital in outermost shell.

$$\overset{\cdot \cdot \cdot}{\text{NH}_3}, \text{OH}, \text{H}_2 \overset{\cdot \cdot \cdot}{\text{O}} : \longrightarrow \text{Lewis base}$$

$$BF_3 \longrightarrow \text{Lewis acid}$$

75. (c) For isoelectronic species, as the charge on anion increases, ionic size increases

$$O \longrightarrow O^2$$
, $F \longrightarrow F^-$, $N \longrightarrow N^3$, $Na \longrightarrow Na^+$
Ionic size order: $N^{3-} > O^{2-} > F^- > Na^+$
So, N forms N^{3-} anion with largest ionic size.

- (c) Allylic halides are the compound where halogen atom attached to sp³ hybridised carbon atom next to double bond.
- 77. (a) A unit formed by the attachment of a base to 1' position of sugar is known as nucleoside. In nucleosides, the sugar carbons are numbered as 1', 2', 3', etc. in order to distinguish these from the bases (Fig. (a)). When nucleoside is linked to phosphoric acid at 5' -position of sugar moiety, we get a nucleotide (Fig.

Fig. Structure of (a) a nucleoside and (b) a nucleotide

Intermolecular forces are the forces of attraction and repulsion between interacting molecules. This term does not include covalent bonds as covalent bond holds atoms of a molecule together.

Hence, dipole - dipole forces, dipole - induced dipole forces, hydrogen bonding and dispersion forces are intermolecular forces.

- 79. (c) Statement A, B, C are correct.
 - (D) H H bond dissociation energy is maximum as compared to single bond between two atom of any element.
 - (E) Hydrogen reduces oxides of metal that are less active than iron.
- (a) (b) All enzymes that utilize ATP in phosphate transfer require Mg as the co-factor.
 - (c) Bone in human body is not an inert and unchanging substance but is continuously being solubilised and redeposited.
 - (d) Ca plays important role in neuromuscular function, interneuronal transmission, cell membrance integrity and blood coagulation.
- (c) A III, B I, C IV, D II81.
- **(b)** $CaCO_3 \xrightarrow{1200 \text{ K}} CaO + CO_2$ 82.

As CaCO₃ is 20% pure, So, mass of pure CaCO₃

$$=20 \times \frac{20}{100} = 4 \text{ g}$$

So, 100 g CaCO₃ produces 44 g CO₂

∴ 4 g CaCO₃ produces
$$\frac{44}{100}$$
 × 4 g CO₂

= 1.76 g CO₂ (**b**) 83.

$$\begin{array}{c}
\stackrel{+}{N_2}\text{Cl}^- & \text{Br} \\
\stackrel{-}{N_2}\text{Cl}^- & \text{MgBr} \\
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(b) The value of $\Delta_r G$ depends on n value as per the equation 84.

 $\Delta_r G = -nFE_{cell}$ So, assertion statement is correct E_{cell} is an intensive property while $\Delta_r G$ is an extensive thermodynamic property

So, reason is correct but not explaining the assertion.

85.

$$CH_{3} - CH - CH - CH_{3} \xrightarrow{H \oplus} CH_{3} - CH - CH - CH_{3}$$

$$CH_{3} : OH \qquad OH_{2}$$

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$$CH_{3} : OH \qquad CH_{3} \xrightarrow{\text{rearran-}} CH_{3} - CH - CH - CH_{3}$$

$$CH_{3} - CH_{2} - CH_{2} - CH_{3} \xrightarrow{\text{gement}} CH_{3} - CH - CH - CH_{3}$$

$$(3^{\circ} \text{ carbocation}) \qquad (2^{\circ} \text{ carbocation})$$

$$\downarrow Br^{\Theta}$$

$$CH_{3} - C - CH_{2} - CH_{3}$$

$$\downarrow Br$$

- Criteria for Huckel's rule: 86.
 - Planarity
 - Complete delocalisation of π electrons
 - Presence of $(4n + 2)\pi$ electrons in ring where n is an integer (n = 0, 1, 2, ...)

The compounds which follow Huckel's rule are option (i), (ii), (iv), (vii).

87. (c) Ammoniacal silver nitrate solution is Tollens' reagent. Aldehyde upon warming with Tollens' reagent produces a silver mirror due to formation of silver metal in alkaline medium. Aldehyde is oxidised to corresponding carboxylate anion.

$$H + 2[Ag(NH_3)_2]^+ + 3OH^- \xrightarrow{\Delta}$$

$$O + 2Ag + 2H_2O + 4NH_3$$

- (c) (C) Basic character decreases from $\mathrm{V_2O_3}$ to $\mathrm{V_2O_4}$ to
 - V_2O_5 . **(D)** V_2O_4 dissolves in acids to give VO^{2+} .
- 89. ОН :OH НО Η Ĥ (2° carbocation) $^{\oplus}$ OH $_{2}$

$$H$$
 H
 $(2^{\circ} \text{ carbocation})$

90. (c) In other options carbocation formed destabilised by -I effect of -NO₂ group.

$$CH_2 - Q \xrightarrow{H-I} A$$

$$\downarrow H$$

$$\downarrow H$$

$$\downarrow CH_2 + HO \xrightarrow{C} CH_2 \xrightarrow{H-I} A$$

$$\downarrow I^{\Gamma}$$

$$(A) \qquad (B)$$



The bond between $O - CH_2$ – is weaker than the bond between O - C₆H₅ because the carbon of phenyl group is sp² hybridised and there is a partial double bond character.

Therefore I⁻ ion breaks O – CH₂ – bond.

91. (a) At 900-1500 K (higher temperature range in the blast furnace)

Reaction which take place are:

$$C + CO_2 \longrightarrow 2CO$$

$$FeO + CO \longrightarrow Fe + CO_2$$

$$CaO + SiO_2 \longrightarrow CaSiO_3^2$$
 (Slag formation)

$$Fe_2O_3 + CO \longrightarrow 2FeO + CO_2$$
 at 500-800 K

- Reaction which take place are. $C + CO_2 \longrightarrow 2CO$ $FeO + CO \longrightarrow Fe + CO_2$ $CaO + SiO_2 \longrightarrow CaSiO_3 \text{ (Slag formation)}$ $Fe_2O_3 + CO \longrightarrow 2FeO + CO_2 \text{ at } 500-800 \text{ K.}$ **(b)** Correct relation between change in enthalpy and change in internal energy is $\Delta H = \Delta U + \Delta n_B RT$
- (a) Using Ion electron method Reduction Half reaction:

$$\operatorname{Cr}_2\operatorname{O}_7^{2-} + 6e^- \longrightarrow 2\operatorname{Cr}^{3+}$$

Oxidation Half reaction:

$$SO_3^{2-} \longrightarrow SO_4^{2-} + 2e^- \times 3$$

$$Cr_2O_7^{2-} + 3SO_3^{2-} \longrightarrow 2Cr^{3+} + 3SO_4^{2-}$$

To balance 'O' atoms, adding H₂O on LHS

$$Cr_2O_7^{2-} + 3SO_3^{2-} \longrightarrow 2Cr^{3+} + 3SO_4^{2-} + 4H_2O$$

To balance 'H' atoms, adding H⁺ on RHS
$$Cr_2O_7^{2-} + 3SO_3^{2-} + 8H^+ \longrightarrow 2Cr^{3+} + 3SO_4^{2-} + 4H_2O$$

$$a = 1, b = 3, c = 8$$

(c) The total number of octahedral voids in FCC are four Octahedral voids in FCC = Edge centres + Body centre

The contribution of edge centre =

:. Fraction of one edge centred octahedral void in one unit cell

of FCC =
$$\frac{1}{4}$$

- (d) Nutrient enriched water bodies support a dense plant population, which kills animal life by depriving it of oxygen and results in subsequent loss of biodiversity. This process is called as eutrophication.
 - .. Statement I is incorrect and Statement II is correct.

96. (c)
$$A + B = C + D$$

 $k_{eq} = [C][D]/[A][B]$

$$k_{eq} = \frac{10 \times 6}{2 \times 3} = 10$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \Delta G^{0} = -RT \ln k_{eq} \\ = -2.303 \ RT \log k_{eq} \\ = -2.303 \times 2 \times 300 \times \log 10 \end{array}$$

- =-1381.8 cal (c) Chelating ligands in general form more stable complexes ... The most stable complex is $[CoCl_2 (en)_2]NO_3$
- 98.

Sulphuric acid (H_2SO_4)

Sulphurous acid (H₂SO₃)

- (c) Pumice stone is a solid sol.
 - Dispersed phase: Gas, Dispersed medium: Solid.
- $\underbrace{\text{(ii) LiAlH}_4}_{\text{(ii) H}_3\text{O}^+} \rightarrow \text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{OH} \xrightarrow{\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4} \text{CH}_2 = \text{CH}_2$ [A] [B]

$$\begin{array}{c} & & \\$$

- 101. (a) Both the statements are correct because transpiration cools leaf surfaces, sometimes 10 to 15 degrees, by evaporative cooling and forces generated by transpiration can create pressures sufficient to lift a xylem sized column of water up to 130 meters high.
- 102. (c) In this method of making competent cells, suitable for plants, cells are bombarded with high velocity micro-particles of gold or tungsten coated with DNA in a method known as biolistics or gene gun.
- 103. (a) Both the assertion and reason is correct and reason is the correct explanation of assertion. The predominant stage of life cycle of moss is gametophyte which consist of 2 stages. The first stage is protonema that directly develops from spore.
- **104.** (b) The unequivocal proof that DNA is the genetic material came from the experiments of Alfred Hershey and Martha Chase

(1952). They worked with viruses that infect bacteria called bacteriophages. The bacteriophages attaches to the bacteria and its genetic material then enter the bacterial cell.



While DNA had been known to biologists since 1869, many scientists still assumed at the time that proteins carried the information for inheritance because DNA appeared to be an inert molecule, and, since it is located in the nucleus, its role was considered to be phosphorus storage. In their experiments, Hershey and Chase showed that when bacteriophages, which are composed of DNA and protein, infect bacteria, their DNA enters the host bacterial cell, but most of their protein does not. Hershey and Chase and subsequent discoveries all served to prove that DNA is the hereditary material.

- 105. (a) Decibel (dB) is the unit to measure the intensity of sound. Dobson unit (DU) is used to measure the thickness of earth's atmosphere.
 - E. Kilobase is a unit of measurement used to help designate the length of DNA or RNA.
 - Hence, thickness of ozone in column of air from ground to top of atmosphere is measured in terms of Dobson units.
 - So, the correct answer is 'Dobson units'.
- 106. (b) Dedifferentiation is a phenomenon by which the living differentiated plant cells, that by now have lost the capacity to divide can regain the capacity of division under certain conditions. In tissue culture experiments, leaf mesophyll cells are put in a culture medium to form callus. This phenomenon may be called as dedifferentiation.
- **107.** (a) Majority of insect pollinated *flowers* are *large*-sized. These *flowers* are *colorful* and possess *fragrance* to attract the insects.
- 108. (c) The frequency of recombination is the number of crossovers formed between any two genes. Alfred Sturtevant explained that the recombination frequency between gene pairs is the measure of distance between the genes.



Alfred Sturtevant said that the recombination frequency is inversely proportional to the distance between the genes.

- 109. (c) The division of the centromeres occurs during anaphase. This allows for the separation of each sister chromatid into its respective daughter cell.
- 110. (b) In eukaryotes there are three major types of RNA polymerases are found that are RNA polymerase I, RNA polymerase II and RNA polymerase III. RNA polymerase III transcribes: tRNAs, ScRNA, 5S rRNA and snRNA.



RNA polymerase I transcribes : 5.8S, 18S, 28S rRNAs RNA polymerase II transcribes : hnRNAs (precurssor of mRNA)

- 111. (a) Habitat loss and fragmentation is the most important cause driving animals and plants to extinction.
- 112. (d) Statement I is incorrect because endarch and exarch are the terms often used for describing the position of primary xylem in the plant body. Exarch condition is the most common feature of the root system. Hence, statement I is incorrect and II is correct.
- 113. (d) Axile placentation occurs in syncarpous pistils. The ovary is partitioned into two or more chambers. Axile placentation is observed in China rose, Petunia and Lemon.
- 114. (a) Expressed Sequence Tags or ESTs are genes that are expressed as RNA in the body. ESTs represent portions of expressed genes. They may be represented as either cDNA/mRNA sequence or as the reverse complement of the mRNA, the template strand
- 115. (b) Tassels in the com cob represents stigma and style which wave in the wind to trap pollen grains.
- 116. (b) Spraying juvenile conifers with gibberellins hastens their maturity period, thus leading to early seed production.
- 117. (c) The given equation represent Net primary productivity which is gross primary productivity minus respiration loss. In the given equation, R represent "Respiratory loss".
- 118. (a) The the characteristics specific to family Fabaceae but not found in Solanaceae or Liliaceae is Diadelphous and dithecous anther
- 119. (c) Primary endosperm nucleus is formed by the fusion of diploid secondary nucleus with a male gamete. Therefore, it is triploid. Zygote is formed by fusion of two gametes and thus it is diploid. Synergids are the cells of gametophyte and hence these are haploid.

- **120.** (c) Ethylene promotes rapid internode/petiole elongation in deep water rice plants.
- **121.** (a) Late wood is also known as autumn wood. It is a wood in a tree's growth ring which is produced later in the growing season when the growth is not rapid.
- 122. (a) Both assertion and reason are correct and reason is the correct explanation of assertion because ATP in glycolysis is used at two steps of conversion that are Glucose → Glucose-6-phosphate

Fructose-6-phosphate \rightarrow Fructose-1, 6-bisphosphate

- 123. (a) The detritus food chain begins with detritus that is dead organic matter. The saprotrophic bacteria and fungi breakdown detritus into simpler inorganic substances by a process called catabolism.
- **124.** (b) The Pachytene stage of meiosis is characterized by the appearance of recombination nodules. It is the site at which crossing over occurs between non-sister chromatids of homologous chromosomes.
- 125. (b) For every CO2 molecule entering the Calvin cycle, 3 molecules of ATP and 2 of NADPH₂ are required. To make one molecule of glucose, 6 turns of the cycle are required. Thus, ATP and NADPH2 molecules required for synthesis of one molecule of glucose during Calvin cycle will be: 6*3=18 ATP

6*2=12 NADPH₂

126. (c) The phenomenon of pleiotropism refers to phenomenon where a single gene affecting multiple phenotypic expression.

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One of the most widely cited examples of pleiotropy in humans is phenylketonuria (PKU). This disorder is caused by a deficiency of the enzyme phenylalanine hydroxylase, which is necessary to convert the essential amino acid phenylalanine to tyrosine.

- **127.** (d) One can see bright orange coloured bands of DNA in an ethidium bromide stained gel exposed to U.V. light.
- **128.** (a) The reaction centre in PS II has an absorption maxima at 680 nm
- **129.** (b) During isolation of the genetic material, purified DNA ultimately precipitates out after the addition of chilled ethanol
- 130. (a) Manganese (Mn) is an essential micronutrient that while needed in small amounts, plays a key role in photosynthesis. Mn sparks the photosynthesis process by splitting water after Photosytem II (PSII) fixes light to initiate the conversion of CO2 and water into carbohydrates.
- 131. (d) Active Transport is defined as a process that involves the movement of molecules from a region of lower concentration to a region of higher concentration against a gradient or an obstacle with the use of external energy
- **132.** (b) DNA replication in most eukaryotic cells occurs, only during a specific part of the cell division cycle called the DNA synthesis phase or S phase. In a mammalian cell, the S phase typically lasts for about 8 hours
- 133. (c) Cellulose does not form blue colour with Iodine because cellulose does not have a helical structure, it does not bind to iodine to form a colored product.
- 134. (b) The historic convention on Biological Diversity, "The Earth Summit" was held in Rio de Janeiro in the year 1992. It called upon all nations to take appropriate measures for conservation of biodiversity and sustainable utilisation of its benefits.
- 135. (b) Pteridophytes that produce two types of spores are known as heterosporous. Selaginella and Salvinia are heterosporous pteridophytes.
- 136. (c) The correct matching is:
 M phase or Mitosis is also called equational division.
 During G₂ phase DNA synthesis stops but cell synthesis RNA, proteins, etc. for next phase.

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Quiescent stage is inactive phase in which non-dividing cells enters.

G1 phase is the interval between mitosis and initiation of DNA replication.

137. (c) The correct matching is:

Iron activates catalase enzyme.

Zinc is needed in the synthesis of auxin.

Boron is required for cell elongation and cell differentiation. Molybdenum is component of nitrogenase and nitrate reductase

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138. (a) The correct matching is:

Cohesion represents mutual attraction between water molecules. Adhesion represents attraction of water molecules to polar surfaces Surface tension represents water molecules are attracted to each other in the liquid phase more than to water in the gas phase. Guttation represent loss of water in liquid phase.

- **139.** (a) The ribosome consists of about 80 different proteins.
- **140.** (d) The correct matching is:

Pyruvate, which is formed by the glycolytic catabolism of carbohydrates in the cytosol, after it enters mitochondrial matrix undergoes oxidative decarboxylation by a complex set of reactions catalyzed by pyruvate dehydrogenase.

The scheme of glycolysis was given by Gustav Embden, Otto Meyrhof and J. Parnas, and is often referred to as the EMP pathway.

In electron transport system, the energy of oxidation-reduction is utilized for the production of proton gradient required for phosphorylation, thus, this process is also called oxidative phosphorylation.

The TCA (tricarboxylic acid cycle) starts with the condensation of acetyl group with oxaloacetic acid (OAA) and water to yield citric acid. The reaction is catalysed by the enzyme citrate synthase.

- **141.** (b) The correct matching is:
 - (+, +) Mutualism: In this interaction, both the interacting species are benefitted.
 - (+, 0) Commensalism : Only one species is benefitted and the other species remains unharmed.
 - (-, 0) Amensalism : Neither species is benefitted. One remains unharmed and the other is harmed.
 - (+,-) Parasitism : One species is benefitted and other is negatively effected.

- **142.** (a) The correct sequence of formation of recombinant DNA is:
 - i. Cutting of DNA at specific location by restriction enzyme
 - ii. Isolation of desired DNA fragment
 - iii. Amplification of gene of interest using PCR
 - 7. Insertion of recombinant DNA into the host cell



Recombinant DNA technology is the joining together of DNA molecules from two different species. The recombined DNA molecule is inserted into a host organism to produce new genetic combinations that are of value to science, medicine, agriculture, and industry.

- **143.** (c) Statement II is incorrect as in general, herbivores and plants appear to be more adversely affected by competition than carnivores. Statement I is correct.
- **144.** (a) A *flower* is *defined* as the *modification* of *shoot apical meristem* into *floral meristem*. Internodes do not elongate and the axis gets condensed. The apex produces different kinds of floral appendages laterally at the successive nodes instead of leaves.
- **145.** (c) Statement A, C and D are incorrect w.r.t. Klinefelter's syndrome as they are associated with Down's syndrome.
- 146. (a) Melonate inhibits the growth of pathogenic bacteria by inhibiting the activity of Succinic dehydrogenase because malonate is a competitive inhibitor of enzyme succinate dehydrogenase.
- **147.** (b) Statement b is incorrect because algal bloom causes deterioration of the water quantity and fish mortality.
- **148.** (a) The required components for chemiosmosis are proton gradient, proton pump, plasma membrane and ATP synthase.
- 149. (b) Statement B,C and E are incorrect because:
 Bark that is formed early in the season is called early or soft bark.
 Towards the end of the season late or hard bark is formed.
 Bark is non-technical term that refer to all tissues exterior to vascular cambium.
 Phellogen is couple of layers thick
- 150. (c) Assertion is correct but reason is false as in gymnosperms the pollen grains are released from the microsporangium and they are carried in air currents. They come in contact with the opening of the ovules borne on megasporophylls. The pollen tube carrying the male gametes grows towards archegonia in the ovules and discharge their contents near the mouth of the archegonia.

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151. (d) Probe is not a cloning vector because *probe* is a single-stranded sequence of DNA or RNA used to search for its complementary sequence in a sample genome.



A gene probe (also known as DNA probe or nucleic acid probe) is a single-stranded DNA or RNA fragment of known structure or function and is used to detect a target sequence of DNA in a sample. For example, it can be used for the rapid and specific identification of microorganisms.

- **152.** (a) Broad palm with single palm crease is visible in a person suffering from Down syndrome.
- **153.** (b) The endomembrane system includes the nuclear envelope, lysosomes, vesicles, the ER, and Golgi apparatus, as well as the plasma membrane
- **154.** (c) The correct matching will be:
 - Protonephridia or flame cells are the excretory structures in platyhelminthes.
 - Nephridia are the tubular excretory structures of earthworms (Pheretima) and other annelids.
 - Single celled organisms like Paramoecium have contractile vacuoles for excretion.
 - Urecose glands are present in cockroach.

- **155.** (d) Amniocentesis can lead to female foeticide as it detects the sex of the foetus which decreases the gender ratio. So, it *has a statutory ban to avoid female*.
- **156.** (b) Both the statement are false because ligaments is an example of dense regular connective tissue. Cartilage is an example of specialized connective tissue.
- **157.** (a) The correct matching is:

P-wave represents the electrical excitation (or depolarisation) of the atria which leads to the contraction of both the atria.

QRS complex represents the depolarisation of ventricles which initiates the ventricular contraction.

T-wave represents the return of the ventricles from excited to normal state.



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158. (c) The correct matching will be:

Mucus neck cells which secrete mucus

Peptic or chief cells which secrete the proenzyme pepsinogen Parietal or oxyntic cells which secrete HCl and intrinsic factor for absorption of vitamin B12.

159. (b) the correct matching is:

Vasectomy is a surgical method of contraception Coitus interruptus is a natural method of contraception Cervical cap is a barrier method of contraception Saheli is an oral method of contraception which is a non-steroidal

- 160. (a) Both the statements are correct. Vas deferens receives a duct from seminal vesicle and opens into urethra as the ejaculatory duct. The cavity of the cervix is called cervical canal which along with vagina forms birth canal.
- 161. (c) Assertion is true as there are two types of nephrons, i.e., cortical nephrons and juxtamedullary nephrons based on their relative position in the cortex and medulla. Reason is not correct as loop of Henle in juxtamedullary nephrons is very long and runs deep into the medulla.
- 162. (a) Both Statement I and Statement II are true. This is because low temperature preserves the enzyme in a temporarily inactive state whereas high temperature destroys enzymatic activity because proteins are denatured by heat.

Competitive inhibitor due to its close structural similarity with the substrate, competes with the substrate for the substrate-binding site of the enzyme.

163. (b) The correct matching is following:

Gene a codes for enzyme transacetylase.

Gene y codes for enzyme permease.

Gene i codes for repressor protein

Gene z codes for enzyme -galactosidase.



The lac operon consists of 3 structural genes, and a promoter, a terminator, regulator, and an operator. The three structural genes are: lacZ, lacY, and lacA. lacZ encodes β-galactosidase (LacZ), an intracellular enzyme that cleaves the disaccharide lactose into glucose and galactose.

164. (a) The correct matching will be: Ringworm is caused by Trichophyton. Filariasis is caused by Wuchereria bancrofti. Malaria is caused by Plasmodium species. Pneumonia is caused by Haemophilus influenzae.

- **165.** (c) Cytoskeleton in a cell involved in many functions such as mechanical support, motility, maintenance of the shape of the cell.
- **166.** (b) The correct statement is option b because:

Large amount of nutrients in water promotes growth of algal bloom. Algal bloom increases fish mortality.

Eutrophication result due to natural ageing of lakes.

167. (a) The correct matching will be:

Heroin belongs to the category of opioids and it is a depressant that slows down body functions.

Marijuana is known for its effect on the cardiovascular system of the body.

Cocaine interferes with the transport of the neurotransmitter dopamine.

Morphine is used is a sedative and painkiller.

- 168. (b) Radial symmetry is found in adults of phylum of ctenophore, coelenterate and Echinodermata.
- 169. (d) In prokaryotes, the negatively charged DNA is held with some positively charged proteins in a region termed as nucleoid. In eukaryotes, the negatively charged DNA is wrapped around the positively charged histone octamer to form a structure called nucleosome.

170. (d) The incorrect answer is option (d) as incorrect statement is: First menstrual cycle that begins at puberty is called menarche. Rest other statements are incorrect.

171. (b)

Mole and flying squirrel are placental mammals. Lemur and wolf are placental mammals. Bobcat is a placental mammal

Therefore only option b is correct.

172. (b) The correct answer is option (b) because using conventional methods of diagnosis like serum and urine analysis, etc, do not help in early diagnosis. Recombinant DNA technology, Polymerase Chain Reaction and Enzyme Linked Immuno-Sorbent Assay (ELISA) are some of the techniques that serve the purpose of early diagnosis.

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173. (b) The correct matching will be:

Cartilaginous joint is present between the adjacent vertebrae in the vertebral column.

Ball and socket joint is present between between Humerus and Pectoral girdle

Fibrous Joint is present between between flat skull bones Saddle Joint is present between between carpal and metacarpal of thumb

174. (a) The correct matching is:

A leopard and a lion in a forest/grassland exemplify competition where both the species are competing for the same resources. Fungi and root of a higher plant in mycorrhizae exemplify mutualism where both the species are benefitted. The fungi help the plant in the absorption of essential nutrients from the soil while the plant in turn provides the fungi with energy yielding carbohydrates

A cattle egret and a cattle in a field exemplify commensalism where one species benefits and the other remains unaffected..

The egrets always forage close to where cattle are grazing because the cattle, as they move, stir up and flush out insects from the vegetation that otherwise might be difficult for the egrets to find and catch.

- (d) Vital capacity is the maximum volume of air a person can breathe in after forced expiration. Vital capacity includes ERV, TV and IRV
- 176. (a) The correct matching is:
 - Fovea is the point of greatest visual acuity or resolution.
 - (ii) Iris is the visible coloured portion of the eye that regulates diameter of pupil.
 - (iii) Blind spot is the point where optic nerve leaves the eye-ball and photoreceptor cells are absent.
 - Sclera is the external layer of eye formed of dense connective tissue. (iv)
- 177. (b) Once the undigested and unabsorbed substances enter the caecum, their backflow is prevented by Ileo-caecal valve
- 178. (b) Gonorrhoea is a bacterial disease which can be treated with the help of antibiotics and cured completely. Rest other diseases are not completely cured as other mentioned options are viral diseases.
- 179. (d) Statement I is incorrect because left –hand represented by first amino acid is N terminal and right -hand by C terminal
- 180. (c) Statement II is incorrect because It can particulate matter present in the exhaust from a thermal power plant.
- 181. (a) HIV enters into helper T-lymphocytes (TH), replicates and produces progeny viruses. The progeny viruses released into blood attack other helper lymphocytes.

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HIV enters its genetic information into helper T cells to make copies of itself. When this happens, the helper T cells die. This severely disrupts the immune response.

- 182. (a) Both the statements are correct. RNA mutate at much higher rate as compare to DNA because RNA has higher mutation rate that DNA because DNA has deoxyribose pentose sugar in it's configuration whereas RNA has extra oxygen in its ribose sugar which makes it more reactive. As oxygen has got lone pair it will have tendency to react.
- 183. (b) Both assertion and reason are correct but reason is not the correct explanation of assertion. Corpus luteum secretes large amount of progesterone which is essential for maintenance of endometrium of uterus. In absence of fertilisation, the corpus luteum degenerates hence the decrease in the level of progesterone hormone will cause disintegration of endometrium leading to menstruation.

184. (a)

The correct matching is:

Cholecystokinin (CCK) acts on both gall bladder and pancreas and stimulates the secretion of bile juice and pancreatic enzymes respectively.

GIP inhibits gastric secretion and motility.

Atrial Natriuretic Factor (ANF) is released from the atrial wall of our heart.

Anti-diuretic hormone (ADH) acts mainly on the kidney and stimulates resorption of water and electrolytes by the distal tubules.

- 185. (b) Consanguineous marriage is matrimony between individuals who are closely related. In a clinical sense, marriage between two family members who are second cousins or closer qualify as having a consanguineous marriage.
 - So the correct option is ' \square =O = mating between relatives'.
- **186.** (b) The unique mammalian characteristics are presence of hairs, pinna and mammary gland. Presence of tympanic membrane is present in amphibians too and monocondylic skull is present in reptiles and aves.
- **187.** (c) Basophils are one of three granulocytes, along with neutrophils and eosinophils. Basophils are the smallest in number of granulocytes but the largest in cell size. Neutrophils are most abundant. Monocytes have kidney shape nucleus.
- **188.** (b) The correct statement regarding chordates are b and c. The chordate characters are presence of closed circulatory system and presence of pharyngeal gill slits. Nerve cord is dorsal, hollow and single. Heart is ventral. They are triploblastic and coelomate.
- **189.** (c) Thyroid hormone is involved in maintaining water and electrolytes balance, help in the process of RBC production and maintaining basal metabolic rate.

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- **191.** (a) The parts of human brain that helps in regulation of sexual behaviour, expression of excitement, pleasure, rage, fear etc. are Limbic system and hypothalamus.
- **192.** (c) The correct matching will be:

Areolar connective tissue contains fibroblasts (cells that produce and secrete fibres), macrophages and mast cells.

Inner surface of bronchioles is lined by ciliated epithelium. Blood is a specialised connective tissue.

Tubular parts of nephron are lined by cuboidal epithelium.

193. (a) The correct matching will be:

Exponential growth occurs when there is unlimited resource availability condition.

Expanding age pyramid reflects growing population where the percent individuals of pre-reproductive age is largest followed by reproductive and post-reproductive age groups.

Stable age pyramid shows stable population where the percent individuals of pre-reproductive and reproductive age group are same.

- **194.** (b) Statement A and E are incorrect because excessive loss of body fluid from the body switches on osmoreceptors and ADH is responsible for increasing in GFR.
- **195.** (d) Statement I is not correct because During G0 phase of cell cycle, the cell is metabolically active but do not divide.
- 196. (b) Tetrad formation is seen during zygotene stage. Terminalisation of chiasmata takes place during diakinesis. Crossing over takes place between non-sister chromatids of homologus chromosomes.
- **197.** (d) Inbreeding decreases the productivity of inbred population, after continuous inbreeding is not an advantage of inbreeding
- **198.** (b) Anal style is present only in male cockroach, so it show sexual dimorphism.



The anal styles act as sensory organs for cockroaches. Anal styles can easily detect the environmental conditions and presence of chemicals around the environment such that cockroaches can protect themselves. This is a male copulatory structure which helps in mating.

- 199. (c) The template strand serves in mRNA synthesis while the other strand is called coding strand as its base sequence is same as that of newly synthesized mRNA. So, the sequence of mRNA will be identical to the given sequence of coding strand except for the presence of uracil in place of thymine in mRNA
- 200. (b) Muscle bundles are held together by collagenous connective tissue layer called fascia. Muscle bundles are called fascicles. The portion of the myofibril between two functional unit of contraction called sarcomere.

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