

**COMMON P. G. ENTRANCE TEST – 2020**

Test Booklet No. :

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TEST BOOKLET**

Subject Code **47**

Subject **ZOOLOGY**

Time Allowed : **90 Minutes**

Full Marks : **70**

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1. Amoebic dysentery is caused by :
  - (A) **Amoeba proteus**
  - (B) **Entamoeba histolytica**
  - (C) **Plasmodium vivax**
  - (D) **Taenia solium**
  
2. Ecdysone is :
  - (A) BH
  - (B) PTTH
  - (C) PGH
  - (D) JH
  
3. In sponges, the cells surrounding the osculum is :
  - (A) Archaeocytes
  - (B) Myocytes
  - (C) Choanocytes
  - (D) Gland cells
  
4. Conchology is the study of :
  - (A) Coelenterate
  - (B) Mollusca
  - (C) Shell of mollusca
  - (D) Mantle of mollusca
  
5. Syncytial epidermis is found in :
  - (A) Hydra
  - (B) Ascaris
  - (C) Earthworm
  - (D) Starfish
  
6. Aristotle's lantern present in :
  - (A) Sea lillies
  - (B) Sea cucumber
  - (C) Sea urchin
  - (D) Sea pea

7. In earthworm, the ovary is situated in the :
- (A) 10<sup>th</sup> segment
  - (B) 13<sup>th</sup> segment
  - (C) 11<sup>th</sup> segment
  - (D) 14<sup>th</sup> segment
8. In cephalochordates, gill slits open into :
- (A) Pharynx
  - (B) Atrium
  - (C) Coelom
  - (D) Heart
9. Mammal like reptiles belongs to :
- (A) Anapsid line of evolution
  - (B) Euryapsid line
  - (C) Parapsid line
  - (D) Synapsid line
10. The fossil record of Archaeopteryx have been discovered from :
- (A) Britain
  - (B) Germany
  - (C) France
  - (D) USA
11. Largest living land animals are included in the suborder :
- (A) Perissodactyla
  - (B) Artiodactyla
  - (C) Proboscidea
  - (D) Hyracoidea
12. The driving force of an ecosystem is :
- (A) Biomass
  - (B) Producers
  - (C) Solar energy
  - (D) Carbohydrates in producers

13. The term ecotype was coined by :
- (A) Gote Turesson
  - (B) Mc Millan
  - (C) Korringa
  - (D) Elton
14. The term biocoenosis was proposed by :
- (A) Tansley
  - (B) Warming
  - (C) Kark Mobius
  - (D) None of these
15. Which of the following is not a limiting factor for photosynthesis ?
- (A) Oxygen
  - (B) Carbon di oxide
  - (C) Chlorophyll
  - (D) Light
16. Receptor mediated endocytosis from plasma membrane requires which one of the following coat proteins ?
- (A) Clathrin
  - (B) SNARE
  - (C) Arrestin
  - (D) Glycoprotein
17. The protein that is responsible for the sliding of outer microtubule doublets against one another to produce ciliary binding is :
- (A) Nexin
  - (B) Dynein
  - (C) Tubulin
  - (D) None of these
18. Which of the following protein targeting mechanisms is common for mitochondria and chloroplast organelles ?
- (A) Co- translational
  - (B) Post-translational
  - (C) Co-translational and post-translational
  - (D) **de-novo** protein synthesis

19. Cell cycle is controlled by :
- (A) Proteolysis of cyclin dependent kinase
  - (B) Phosphorylation of cyclins
  - (C) Dephosphorylation of cyclin
  - (D) Proteolysis of cyclins
20. Which of the following biochemical reactions is most commonly utilized by living cells to propagate intracellular signals ?
- (A) Acylation
  - (B) Phosphorylation
  - (C) Methylation
  - (D) Decarboxylation
21. Isotopes used for proving semiconservative replication of DNA are :
- (A)  $N^{14}$  and  $P^{31}$
  - (B)  $N^{14}$  and  $N^{15}$
  - (C)  $N^{14}$  and  $C^{14}$
  - (D)  $C^{14}$  and  $P^{31}$
22. In prokaryotes, the lagging primers are removed by :
- (A) 3' to 5' exonuclease
  - (B) DNA ligase
  - (C) DNA polymerase I
  - (D) DNA polymerase III
23. When the human genome draft sequence was released, which of the following observation was least expected ?
- (A) The large amount of repetitive DNA
  - (B) The size of the total genome
  - (C) The size of individual chromosomes
  - (D) The small number of protein-coding genes
24. Photoreactivation :
- (A) Repairs dimers in DNA using an endonuclease
  - (B) Uses light to activate repair enzymes
  - (C) Removes alkylating agents from bases
  - (D) Deaminates bases

25. Position effect is the result of :
- (A) Mutations
  - (B) Deletions
  - (C) Inversions
  - (D) Transversions
26. The perineurium is the connective tissue layer :
- (A) Surrounding an entire nerve
  - (B) Surrounding individual axons in the CNS
  - (C) Surrounding individual axons in the PNS
  - (D) Surrounding fascicles of axons in the PNS
27. The most important factor in determining the percent oxygen saturation of haemoglobin is :
- (A) The partial pressure of oxygen
  - (B) Acidity
  - (C) The partial pressure of carbon dioxide
  - (D) Temperature
28. Reabsorption of chloride ions from the glomerular filtrate in the kidney tubule is carried out by :
- (A) Osmosis
  - (B) Diffusion
  - (C) Active transport
  - (D) Brownian movement
29. The gastric gland cell whose absence could lead to pernicious anaemia is the :
- (A) Chief cell
  - (B) Goblet cell
  - (C) Mucous neck cell
  - (D) Parietal cell
30. All the hormones of the adrenal cortex are synthesized from :
- (A) Tyrosine
  - (B) Glycoproteins
  - (C) Cholesterol
  - (D) Fats

31. The primary target organ of aldosterone action is :
- (A) Liver
  - (B) Pancreas
  - (C) Kidney
  - (D) Heart
32. The bacteriophage M13 contains as its genetic material :
- (A) Single stranded RNA
  - (B) Double Stranded RNA
  - (C) Single stranded DNA
  - (D) Double stranded DNA
33. What is number of hydrogen bonds in B-DNA of 1000 base pairs with the proportion of bases C, A and T in one of the strands corresponding to 60%,30% and 10% respectively ?
- (A) 2600
  - (B) 2400
  - (C) 2200
  - (D) 2000
34. In Sanger's method of DNA sequencing, the growing DNA chains are terminated because :
- (A) DNA polymerase is not very processive
  - (B) A radioactive nucleotide is incorporated
  - (C) The substrates become limiting
  - (D) A phosphodiester bond cannot be made
35. Glucose and galactose are two isomeric monosaccharides known as :
- (A) Anomers
  - (B) Epimers
  - (C) Enantiomers
  - (D) Conformers



36. Assuming they all had the same number of carbon atoms, which of the following has the maximum number of C-H bonds ?
- (A) An unsaturated fat
  - (B) A polyunsaturated fat
  - (C) A polysaccharide
  - (D) A saturated fat
37. Which of the following cofactor is essential for the activity of acetyl-CoA carboxylase ?
- (A)  $\text{NAD}^+$
  - (B) Biotin
  - (C) TPP
  - (D) Vitamin  $\text{B}_6$
38. Abzymes are :
- (A) Enzymes that are highly specific like antibodies
  - (B) Antibodies that have catalytic activities
  - (C) Also referred to as zymogens
  - (D) Enzymes that hydrolyze antibodies
39. Which of the following statement is true about non-competitive inhibition ?
- (A)  $K_m$  increases
  - (B)  $K_m$  decreases
  - (C)  $V_{\max}$  increases
  - (D)  $V_{\max}$  decreases
40. Which of the following compounds is a positive allosteric regulator of the enzyme pyruvate carboxylase ?
- (A) Adenosine tri phosphate
  - (B) Acetyl Coenzyme A
  - (C) Biotin
  - (D) Phosphoenolpyruvate
41. p53 protein is associated with all of the following except :
- (A) Tumor suppression
  - (B) Programmed cell death
  - (C) Transcription
  - (D) Post translational modifications

42. When heterozygous black pigs are inter crossed then what is the chance of the first two offspring being black ?
- (A) 46
  - (B) 56
  - (C) 66
  - (D) 76
43. Toll like receptors (TLRs) play an important role in immune defence by recognising :
- (A) Microbial components
  - (B) Conformational difference in antigenic protein
  - (C) MHC peptide complexes
  - (D) Anti idiotypic immunoglobulins
44. The macrophage rich mass found at the site of injection of an adjuvant is called :
- (A) Myeloma
  - (B) Granuloma
  - (C) Adjuvant activated lymphoma
  - (D) None of these
45. Major variability of MHC is found in :
- (A) Alpha chain
  - (B)  $\beta_2$  microglobulins
  - (C) Amino terminus region
  - (D) Domains
46. The predominant antibody in saliva is :
- (A) IgG
  - (B) IgA
  - (C) IgM
  - (D) IgD
47. Cytokines are not :
- (A) Able to induce increased blood vessel permeability
  - (B) Antigen specific
  - (C) Made in response to bacterial antigens
  - (D) Signals from one cell that affects the behaviour of another cell

48. Type I hypersensitivity is known as :
- (A) Anaphylaxis
  - (B) Agglutination
  - (C) The transfusion reaction
  - (D) Contact hypersensitivity
49. In myasthenia gravis blocking antibodies bind to :
- (A) Acetylcholine
  - (B) Dopamine
  - (C) Acetylcholine receptor
  - (D) Axons
50. Which of the following is an epigenetic factor for gene expression in eukaryotes ?
- (A) Recombination
  - (B) DNA methylation
  - (C) Protein phosphorylation
  - (D) DNA protein interaction
51. Which of the following is a post-zygotic-isolating mechanism in speciation ?
- (A) Behavioural isolation
  - (B) Seasonal isolation
  - (C) Fertilization failure
  - (D) Hybrid sterility
52. The phenomenon of genetic drift is most likely to occur in population that are :
- (A) Small and inbred
  - (B) Undergoing gene flow
  - (C) Allopatric
  - (D) Large and panmictic
53. The first vertebrates appeared in which one of the following periods of the Palaeozoic era ?
- (A) Ordovician
  - (B) Silurian
  - (C) Evonian
  - (D) Mississippians

54. Chaperone proteins help in :
- (A) Protein folding and assembly
  - (B) Protein stability
  - (C) Both (A) and (B)
  - (D) None of these
55. Deviation from the Hardy-Weinberg assumption of infinitely large population size results in :
- (A) Genetic lethal
  - (B) Heterozygote advantage
  - (C) Consanguinity
  - (D) Genetic drift
56. In a population that is in equilibrium, the proportion of individuals showing the dominant trait at a given locus having two allele is 84%. The frequency of the recessive allele in the population is :
- (A) 0.40
  - (B) 0.30
  - (C) 0.20
  - (D) 0.16
57. The folding of sheets of cells, the migration of cells and cell death are all mechanisms of :
- (A) Cleavage division
  - (B) Pattern formation
  - (C) Morphogenesis
  - (D) Differentiation
58. The process by which developing cells achieve their functional, mature identity as liver or muscle or nerve is called :
- (A) Cleavage division
  - (B) Pattern formation
  - (C) Morphogenesis
  - (D) Differentiation

59. Which of the following cell organelle actively participates in animal apoptosis ?
- (A) Vacuoles
  - (B) Chloroplast
  - (C) Nucleus
  - (D) Mitochondria
60. A species facing an extremely high risk of extinction in the immediate future is called :
- (A) Vulnerable
  - (B) Rare
  - (C) Endangered
  - (D) Link species
61. Which of the following zones in a lake suffers from lack of light and therefore limited photosynthesis is able to take place ?
- (A) Littoral
  - (B) Profoundal
  - (C) Pelagic
  - (D) Euphotic
62. In which year Wildlife Protection Act was implemented in India ?
- (A) 1952
  - (B) 1962
  - (C) 1972
  - (D) 1982
63. The part of the brain that has been shown to function like a 'Biological clock' is the :
- (A) Nucleus of the solitary tract
  - (B) Suprachiasmatic nucleus
  - (C) Gigantocellular tegmental field
  - (D) Optic chiasm
64. Which hormone is secreted by placenta ?
- (A) ACTH
  - (B) Progesterone
  - (C) GH
  - (D) Gastrin

65. Identify fish group which excretes urea as the primary nitrogenous end product :
- (A) Teleost fishes
  - (B) Lung fishes
  - (C) Elasmobranch fishes
  - (D) None of these
66. Induced breeding technique is used in :
- (A) Culture fishery
  - (B) Marine fishery
  - (C) Capture fishery
  - (D) Inland fisheries
67. Which of the following is an imino acid ?
- (A) Hystidine
  - (B) Glycine
  - (C) Cysteine
  - (D) Proline
68. Proteins may be separated according to size by :
- (A) Reverse phase chromatography
  - (B) Ion exchange chromatography
  - (C) Molecular exclusion chromatography
  - (D) Isoelectric focussing
69. All of the enzymes of TCA cycle are located in the mitochondrial matrix except :
- (A) Citrate synthatase
  - (B) Alpha keto glutarate dehydrogenase
  - (C) Succinate dehydrogenase
  - (D) Fumarase
70. To be a cloning vector, a plasmid does not require :
- (A) An origin of replication
  - (B) An antibiotic resistance marker
  - (C) A restriction site
  - (D) To have a high copy number



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