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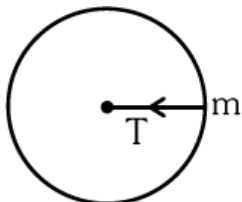
## Section -A

1. A bob is whirled in a horizontal plane by means of a string with an initial speed of  $\omega$  rpm. The tension in the string is  $T$ . If speed becomes  $2\omega$  while keeping the same radius, the tension in the string becomes:

(A)  $T$  (B)  $4T$  (C)  $\frac{T}{4}$  (D)  $\sqrt{2}T$

Ans. (2)

Sol.  $F_{cp} = ma_{cp}$



$$F_{cp} = m\omega^2 r$$

$$T = m\omega^2 r$$

Now speed becomes ' $2\omega$ '

$$T' = m(2\omega)^2 r$$

$$T' = 4m\omega^2 r$$

$$T' = 4T$$

2. A particle moving with uniform speed in a circular path maintains:

(A) constant velocity  
(B) constant acceleration.  
(C) constant velocity but varying acceleration  
(D) varying velocity and varying acceleration

Ans. (D)

Sol. In uniform circular motion direction of velocity and acceleration keeps on changing

3. A logic circuit provides the output  $Y$  as per the following truth table:

| A | B | Y |
|---|---|---|
| 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 1 | 1 | 0 |

The expression for the output  $Y$  is

(A)  $A \cdot B + \bar{A}$  (B)  $A \cdot \bar{B} + \bar{A}$  (C)  $\bar{B}$  (D)  $B$

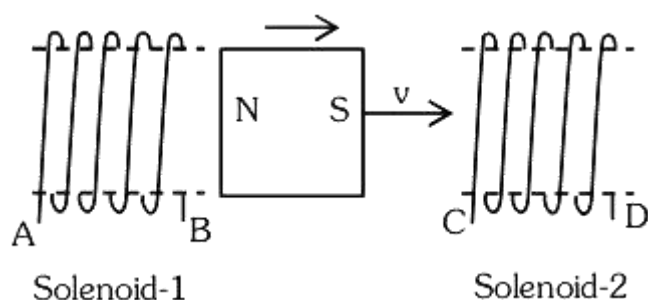
Ans. (C)

| A | B | Y |
|---|---|---|
| 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 1 | 1 | 0 |

Sol.

According to truth table, relation is inverse between  $Y$  and  $B$ .

4.



In the above diagrams, a strong bar magnet is moving towards solenoid-2 from solenoid-1. The direction of induced current in solenoid-1 and that in solenoid-2, respectively, are through the directions:

(A) AB and DC

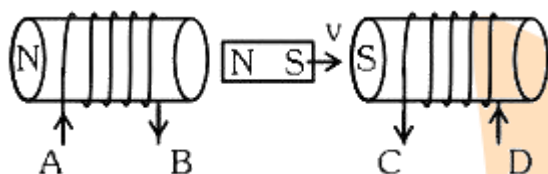
(B) BA and CD

(C) AB and CD

(D) BA and DC

Ans. (A)

Sol.



A to B and D to C

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

**Assertion (A) :-** The potential (V) at any axial point, at 2 m distance (r) from the centre of the dipole of dipole moment vector  $\vec{P}$  of magnitude,  $4 \times 10^{-6} \text{ Cm}$ , is  $\pm 9 \times 10^3 \text{ V}$

(Take  $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} = 9 \times 10^9 \text{ SI Units}$ )

**Reason (R) :-**  $V = \pm \frac{2P}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2}$ , where r is the distance of any axial point, situated at 2 m from the centre of the dipole.

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 B is true.

Ans. (C)

Sol.  $V_{\text{dipole}} = \frac{kpcos\theta}{r^2}$ at axis ( $\theta = 0^\circ$  or  $180^\circ$ )

$$V_{\text{axial}} = \pm \frac{kP}{r^2} = \pm \frac{9 \times 10^9 \times 4 \times 10^{-6}}{2^2}$$

$$= \pm 9 \times 10^3 \text{ V}$$

A  $\rightarrow$  CorrectR  $\rightarrow$  False

$$\therefore V = \pm \frac{P}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2}$$

## 6. Match List-I with List-II

|    | List-I         |      | List-II                                            |
|----|----------------|------|----------------------------------------------------|
| A. | Diamagnetic    | I.   | $\chi = 0$                                         |
| B. | Ferromagnetic  | II.  | $0 > \chi \geq -1$                                 |
| C. | Paramagnetic   | III. | $\chi \gg 1$                                       |
| D. | Non-Magnetic & | IV.  | $0 < \chi < \varepsilon$ (a small positive number) |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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

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

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

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

Ans. (A)

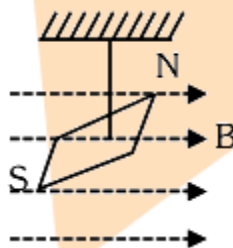
Sol. (A) Dia  $\rightarrow$  II

(B) Ferro  $\rightarrow$  III

(C) Para  $\rightarrow$  (IV)

(D) Non magnetic  $\rightarrow$  I

7. In a uniform magnetic field of 0.049 T, a magnetic needle performs 20 complete oscillations in 5 seconds as shown. The moment of inertia of the needle is  $9.8 \times 10^{-6} \text{ kg m}^2$ . If the magnitude of magnetic moment of the needle is  $x \times 10^{-5} \text{ Am}^2$ ; then the value of 'x' is:



(A)  $5\pi^2$

(B)  $128\pi^2$

(C)  $50\pi^2$

(D)  $1280\pi^2$

Ans. (D)

Sol.  $B = 0.049 \text{ T}, f = \frac{20}{5} = 4 \text{ Hz}$

$$I = 9.8 \times 10^{-6} \text{ kg m}^2$$

$$M = x \times 10^{-5} \text{ A m}^2$$

$$f = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{MB}{I}}$$

$$M = \frac{f^2 I (4\pi^2)}{B} = \frac{16 \times 4\pi^2 \times 98 \times 10^{-7}}{49 \times 10^{-3}}$$

$$x \times 10^{-5} = 128\pi^2 \times 10^{-4}$$

$$x = 1280\pi^2$$

8. In an ideal transformer, the turns ratio  $\frac{N_p}{N_s} = \frac{1}{2}$ . The ratio  $V_s : V_p$  is equal to (the symbols carry their usual meaning) :

(A) 1: 2

(B) 2: 1

(C) 1: 1

(D) 1: 4

Ans. (B)

Sol. For ideal transformer

$$\frac{V_s}{V_p} = \frac{N_s}{N_p} = 2:1$$

9. In a vernier calipers,  $(N+1)$  divisions of vernier scale coincide with  $N$  divisions of main scale. If 1 MSD represents 0.1 mm, the vernier constant (in cm) is:

(A)  $\frac{1}{10N}$  (B)  $\frac{1}{100(N+1)}$  (C) 100 N (D) 10(N+1)

Ans. (B)

Sol. Vernier Constant = MSD - VSD

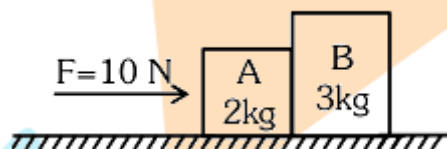
$$= \text{MSD} - \frac{N}{N+1} \text{MSD}$$

$$= \frac{1}{N+1} (\text{MSD})$$

$$= \frac{1}{N+1} (0.01) \text{cm}$$

$$= \frac{1}{100(N+1)}$$

10. A horizontal force 10 N is applied to a block A as shown in figure. The mass of blocks A and B are 2 kg and 3 kg, respectively. The blocks slide over a frictionless surface. The force exerted by block A on block B is :

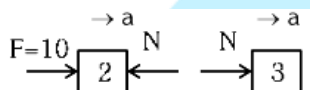


(A) zero (B) 4N (C) 6N (D) 10N

Ans. (C)

Sol. From Newton's II<sup>nd</sup>

$$F_{\text{net}} = ma$$



$$\text{Block A : } F - N = 2a \text{ or } 10 - N = 2a \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{Block B : } N = 3a \quad \dots(ii)$$

On solving (i) & (ii)

$$a = 2\text{m/s}^2 \text{ and } N = 6\text{N}$$

11. If  $x = 5\sin\left(\pi t + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)\text{m}$  particle executing simple harmonic motion. The amplitude and time period of motion respectively, are :

(A) 5cm, 2s (B) 5m, 2s (C) 5cm, 1s (D) 5m, 1 s

Ans. (B)

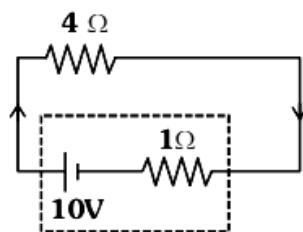
$$\text{Sol. } x = 5\sin\left(\pi t + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$\text{Comparing with } x = A\sin(\omega t + \phi)$$

we get  $A = 5$  and  $\omega = \pi$

$$\Rightarrow T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega} = \frac{2\pi}{\pi} = 2\text{sec}$$

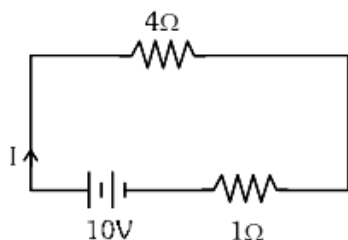
12. The terminal voltage of the battery, whose emf is 10V and internal resistance  $1\Omega$ , when connected through an external resistance of  $4\Omega$  as shown in the figure



- (A) 4V (B) 6V (C) 8V (D) 10V

Ans. (C)

Sol.



$$I = \frac{E}{R + r} = \frac{10}{4 + 1} = 2\text{A}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V &= E - I_r \\ &= 10 - 2(1) \\ &= 8\text{V} \end{aligned}$$

13. Given below are two statements :

**Statement I :** Atoms are electrically neutral as they contain equal number of positive and negative charges.

**Statement II :** Atoms of each element are stable and emit their characteristic spectrum. 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

Ans. (C)

Sol. Statement I is correct. Statement II is incorrect because atom of radioactive elements are not stable.

14. If  $c$  is the velocity of light in free space, the correct statements about photon among the following are :

- A. The energy of a photon is  $E = h\nu$   
 B. The velocity of a photon is  $c$ .

C. The momentum of a photon,  $p = \frac{h\nu}{c}$

D. In a photon-electron collision, both total energy and total momentum are conserved. E. Photon possesses positive charge.

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

- (A) A and B only (B) A, B, C and D only  
 (C) A, C and D only (D) A, B, D and E only

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** For a photon, (i) Energy  $E = h\nu \Rightarrow$  (statement A is correct)  
 (ii) All photons travel with speed of light ( $= c$  in free space)  
 $\Rightarrow$  statement B is correct

(iii) Momentum of a photon.  $p = \frac{E}{c} = \frac{h\nu}{c}$

$\Rightarrow$  Statement C is correct.

(iv) In a photon-electron collision, total energy and total momentum are conserved.

$\Rightarrow$  statement D is also correct.

(v) Photons are massless and do not carry any charge.

$\Rightarrow$  statement E is incorrect.

Correct choice (2) A, B, C. & D are correct.

15. Match List I with List II.

|    | List I<br>(Spectral Lines of<br>Hydrogen for transition<br>for transitions from |      | List-II<br>(Wavelength (nm)) |
|----|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|------------------------------|
| A. | $n_2 = 3$ to $n_1 = 2$                                                          | I.   | 410.2                        |
| B. | $n_2 = 4$ to $n_1 = 2$                                                          | II.  | 434.1                        |
| C. | $n_2 = 5$ to $n_1 = 2$                                                          | III. | 656.3                        |
| D. | $n_2 = 6$ to $n_1 = 2$                                                          | IV.  | 486.1                        |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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

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

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

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

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.**  $\Delta E = \frac{hc}{\lambda}$

$\Delta E \rightarrow$  less

$\lambda \rightarrow$  large

$E_A < E_B < E_C < E_D$

$\Rightarrow \underset{\text{III}}{656.3} > \underset{\text{IV}}{486.1} > \underset{\text{II}}{434.1} > \underset{\text{I}}{410.2}$

16. A tightly wound 100 turns coil of radius 10 cm carries a current of 7A. The magnitude of the magnetic field at the centre of the coil is (Take permeability of free space as  $4\pi \times 10^{-7}$  (units):

(A) 44 mT

(B) 4.4 T

(C) 4.4 mT

(4) 44 T

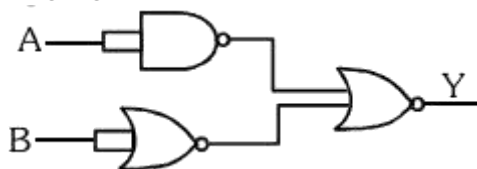
**Ans. (C)**

**Sol.**  $B = \frac{\mu_0 NI}{2R}$

$$= \frac{4\pi \times 10^{-7} \times 100 \times 7}{2 \times 0.1}$$

$$= 4.4 \text{ mT}$$

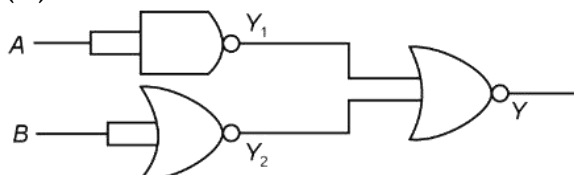
17. The output (Y) of the given logic gate is similar to the output of an/a :



- (A) NAND gate      (B) NOR gate      (C) OR gate      (D) AND gate

Ans. (D)

Sol.



$$Y_1 = \overline{A \cdot A}$$

$$= \overline{A}$$

$$Y_2 = \overline{B + B}$$

$$= \overline{B}$$

$$Y = \overline{Y_1 + Y_2}$$

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

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

$$= A \cdot B \text{ is similar to output of AND Gate}$$

18. A wire of length 'l' and resistance  $100 \Omega$  is divided into 10 equal parts. The first 5 parts are connected in series while the next 5 parts are connected in parallel. The two combinations are again connected in series. The resistance of this final combination is:

- (A)  $26 \Omega$       (B)  $52 \Omega$       (C)  $55 \Omega$       (D)  $60 \Omega$

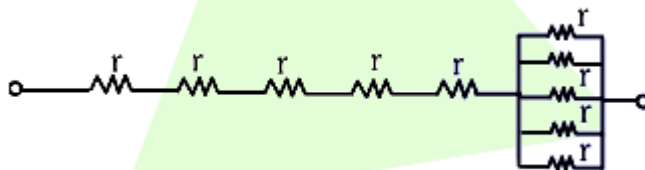
Ans. (B)

Sol. Wire resistance =  $100 \Omega$   
Divide into 10 equal parts  
so each part resistance

$$r = \frac{100}{10} = 10 \Omega$$

$$\text{Req.} = 5(10) + \frac{10}{5}$$

$$= 50 \Omega$$



19.  ${}_{82}^{290}\text{X} \xrightarrow{\alpha} \text{Y} \xrightarrow{e^+} \text{Z} \xrightarrow{\beta^-} \text{P} \xrightarrow{e^-} \text{Q}$

In the nuclear emission stated above, the mass number and atomic number of the product Q respectively, are:

- (A) 280,81      (B) 286,80      (C) 288,82      (D) 286,81

Ans. (A)

Sol.  ${}_{82}^{290}\text{X} \xrightarrow{\alpha} {}_{80}^{286}\text{Y} \xrightarrow{e^+} {}_{79}^{286}\text{Z} \xrightarrow{\beta^-} {}_{80}^{286}\text{P} \xrightarrow{e^-} {}_{81}^{286}\text{Q}$

$$A \rightarrow 286$$

$$Z = 81$$

20. The maximum elongation of a steel wire of 1 m length if the elastic limit of steel and its Young's modulus, respectively, are  $8 \times 10^8 \text{ N m}^{-2}$  and  $2 \times 10^{11} \text{ Nm}^{-2}$  is :

(A) 4 mm (B) 0.4 mm (C) 40 mm (D) 8 mm

Ans. (A)

Sol. 
$$Y = \frac{F\ell}{A\Delta\ell}$$

$$\Delta\ell = \frac{\left(\frac{F}{A}\right)\ell}{Y}$$

$$\Delta\ell = \frac{8 \times 10^8 \times 1}{2 \times 10^{11}}$$

$$\Delta\ell = 4 \text{ mm}$$

21. If the monochromatic source in Young's double slit experiment is replaced by white light, then

(A) interference pattern will disappear.  
 (B) there will be a central dark fringe surrounded by a few coloured fringes.  
 (C) there will be a central bright white fringe surrounded by a few coloured fringes.  
 (D) all bright fringes will be of equal width.

Ans. (C)

Sol. When white light is used, then path difference due to all the colours at centre will be zero. Hence at centre, central bright white fringe will be observed but surrounding fringes will be coloured.

22. At any instant of time  $t$ , the displacement of any particle is given by  $2t - 1$  (SI unit) under the influence of force of 5 N. The value of instantaneous power is (in SI unit) :

(A) 10 (B) 5 (C) 7 (D) 6

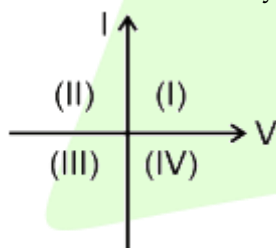
Ans. (A)

Sol.  $x = 2t - 1$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = v = 2 \text{ m/s}$$

$$P = \vec{F} \cdot \vec{v} = 5(2) = 10 \text{ watt}$$

23. Consider the following statements A and B and identify the correct answer:



A. For a solar-cell, the I-V characteristics lies in the IV quadrant of the given graph.  
 B. In a reverse biased pn junction diode, the current measured in ( $\mu\text{A}$ ), is due to majority charge carriers.  
 (A) A is correct but B is incorrect  
 (B) A is incorrect but B is correct  
 (C) Both A and B are correct  
 (D) Both A and B are incorrect

Ans. (A)

Sol. A. Solar-cell, the IV characteristics lie in the IV quadrant.  
 B. In reverse biased condition due to drift of minority charge carriers current flow in  $\mu\text{A}$   
 Answer should be (1) A is correct and (B) is incorrect

24. Two bodies A and B of same mass undergo completely inelastic one dimensional collision. The body A moves with velocity  $v_1$  while body B is at rest before collision. The velocity of the system after collision is  $v_2$ . The ratio  $v_1 : v_2$  is :
- (A) 1: 2                      (B) 2: 1                      (C) 4: 1                      (D) 1: 4

Ans. (B)

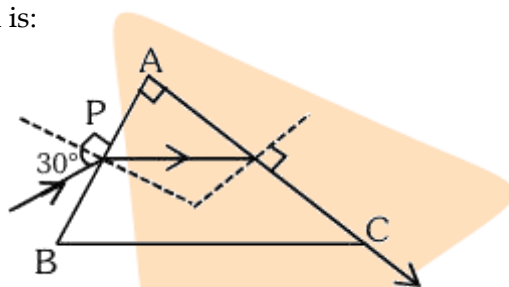
Sol. By Conservation of linear momentum:-

$$mv_1 = \{m + m\}v_2$$

$$\Rightarrow mv_1 = 2mv_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{v_1}{v_2} = 2:1$$

25. A light ray enters through a right angled prism at point P with the angle of incidence  $30^\circ$  as shown in figure. It travels through the prism parallel to its base BC and emerges along the face AC. The refractive index of the prism is:



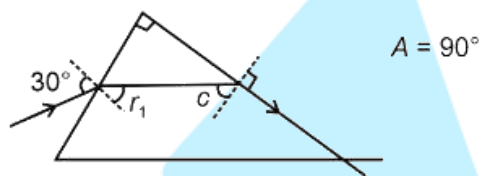
(A)  $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{4}$

(B)  $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$

(C)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$

(D)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

Ans. (B)



Sol.

In prism,  $r_1 + c = A$

$$r_1 = 90^\circ - c \quad \dots\dots(1)$$

$$\sin c = \frac{1}{\mu} \Rightarrow \cos c = \frac{\sqrt{\mu^2 - 1}}{\mu}$$

$\Rightarrow$  Apply Snell's law, on incidence surface

$$1. \sin 30^\circ = \mu \sin(r_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 \times \frac{1}{2} = \mu \times \sin(90^\circ - c)$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = \mu \times \frac{\sqrt{\mu^2 - 1}}{\mu}$$

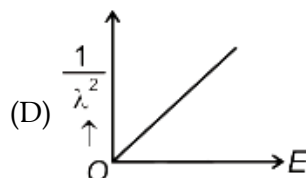
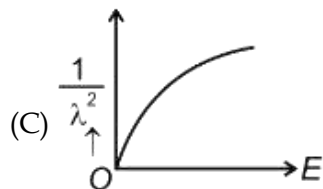
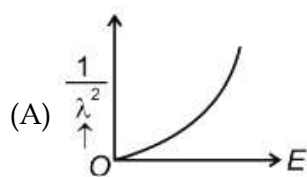
On squaring

$$\frac{1}{4} = \mu^2 - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu^2 = \frac{5}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$$

26. The graph which shows the variation of  $\left(\frac{1}{\lambda^2}\right)$  and its kinetic energy,  $E$  is



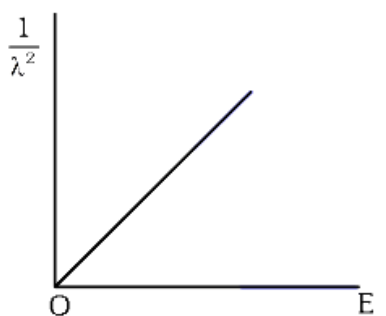
Ans. (D)

Sol.  $\lambda = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2mE}}$

$$\lambda^2 = \frac{h^2}{2mE}$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda^2} = \frac{2m}{h^2} E$$

Graph  $\frac{1}{\lambda^2}$  v/s  $E$



27. The quantities which have the same dimensions as those of solid angle are:
- (A) strain and angle (B) stress and angle  
(C) strain and arc (D) angular speed and stress

Ans. (A)

Sol. Solid angle  $(\Omega) = \frac{A}{r^2}$

It is dimensionless quantity

So from options

Option (1) Strain & Angle both are dimensionless

28. An unpolarised light beam strikes a glass surface at Brewster's angle. Then :-
- (A) the reflected light will be partially polarised.  
(B) the refracted light will be completely polarised.  
(C) both the reflected and refracted light will be completely polarised.  
(D) the reflected light will be completely polarised but the refracted light will be partially polarised.

Ans. (D)

Sol. At Brewster's angle reflected and refracted rays are perpendicular to each other. Reflected light is completely polarised and refracted light is partially polarised.

29. The moment of inertia of a thin rod about an axis passing through its mid point and perpendicular to the rod is  $2400 \text{ g cm}^2$ . The length of the 400 g rod is nearly:

(A) 8.5 cm (B) 17.5 cm (C) 20.7 cm (D) 72.0 cm

Ans. (A)

Sol.  $I = 2400 \text{ g cm}^2$

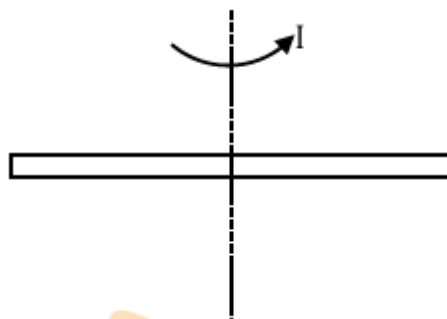
$$m = 400 \text{ g}$$

$$I = \frac{ML^2}{12}$$

$$2400 = \frac{400 \times L^2}{12}$$

$$\Rightarrow L^2 = 72$$

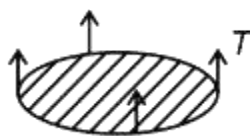
$$\Rightarrow L = \sqrt{72} \approx 8.5 \text{ cm}$$



30. A thin flat circular disc of radius 4.5 cm is placed gently over the surface of water. If surface tension of water is  $0.07 \text{ Nm}^{-1}$ , then the excess force required to take it away from the surface is :

(A) 19.8 mN (B) 198 N (C) 1.98 mN (D) 99 N

Ans. (A)



Sol.

$$\text{Excess force} = T \times 2\pi R$$

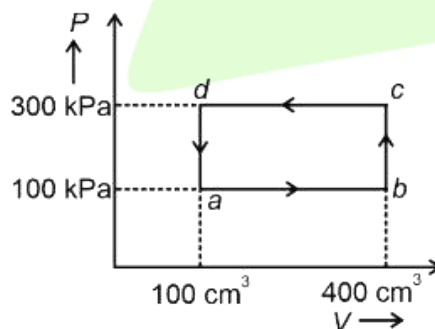
$$= \frac{7}{100} \times 2 \times 3.14 \times \frac{4.5}{100}$$

$$= 197.82 \times 10^{-4}$$

$$= 19.8 \times 10^{-3} \text{ N}$$

$$= 19.8 \text{ mN}$$

31. A thermodynamic system is taken through the cycle aboda. The work done by the gas along the path bc is :



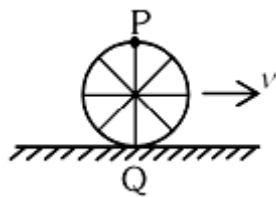
(A) Zero (B) 30 J (C) -90 J (D) -60 J

Ans. (A)

Sol. For path bc volume is constant  
so work done is zero

$$\Rightarrow W = 0$$

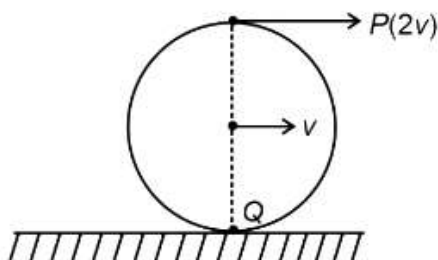
32. A wheel of a bullock cart is rolling on a level road as shown in the figure below. If its linear speed is  $v$  in the direction shown, which one of the following options is correct (P and Q are any highest and lowest points on the wheel, respectively)?



- (A) Point P moves slower than point Q.  
 (B) Point P moves faster than point Q.  
 (C) Both the points P and Q move with equal speed.  
 (D) Point P has zero speed.

Ans. (B)

Sol.



The topmost point will have velocity  $2v$  while point Q i.e. lowest point will have zero velocity. Hence point P moves faster than point Q.

33. The mass of a planet is  $\frac{1}{10}$ th that of the earth and its diameter is half that of the earth. The acceleration due to gravity on that planet is:

- (A)  $19.6 \text{ ms}^{-2}$  (B)  $9.8 \text{ ms}^{-2}$  (C)  $4.9 \text{ ms}^{-2}$  (D)  $3.92 \text{ ms}^{-2}$

Ans. (D)

Sol. At Earth surface

$$g = \frac{GM}{R^2} = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$$

At given planet

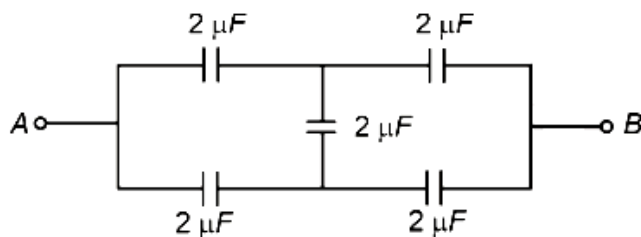
$$m' = \frac{m}{10}$$

$$R' = \frac{R}{2}$$

$$g' = \frac{G\left(\frac{m}{10}\right)}{\left(\frac{R}{2}\right)^2} = 0.4g$$

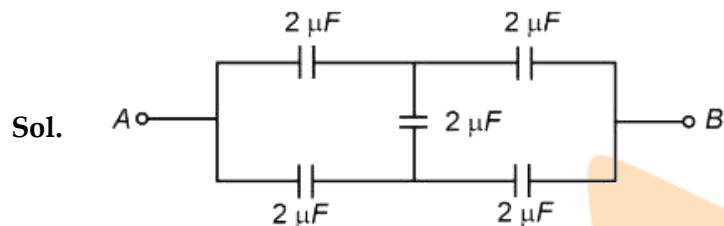
$$\boxed{g' = 3.92 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

34. In the following circuit, the equivalent capacitance between terminal A and terminal B is:

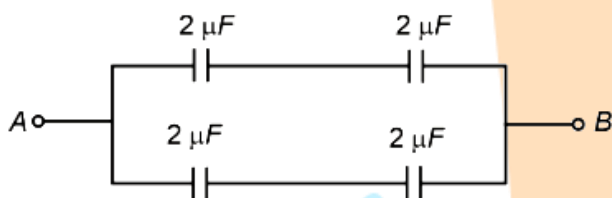


- (A)  $2\mu F$  (B)  $1\mu F$  (C)  $0.5\mu F$  (D)  $4\mu F$

Ans. (A)



Given circuit is balanced Wheatstone bridge

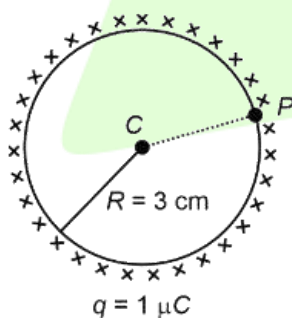


$$C_{AB} = 1 + 1$$

$$= 2\mu F$$

35. A thin spherical shell is charged by some source. The potential difference between the two points C and P (in V) shown in the figure is :

(Take  $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} = 9 \times 10^9 \text{ SI units}$ )



- (A)  $3 \times 10^5$  (B)  $1 \times 10^5$  (C)  $0.5 \times 10^5$  (D) Zero

Ans. (D)

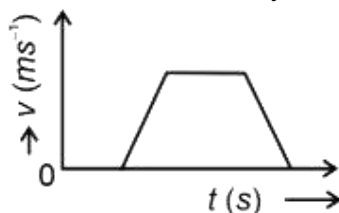
Sol. Shell is equipotential surface

So,  $V_P = V_0$

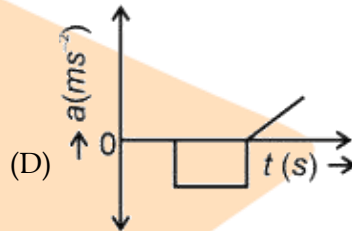
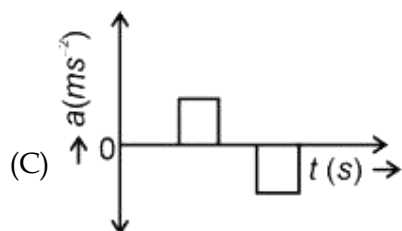
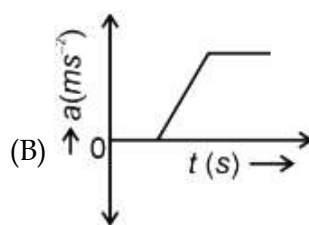
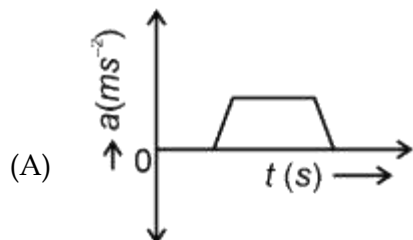
$\therefore$  Potential Difference = 0

## Section -B

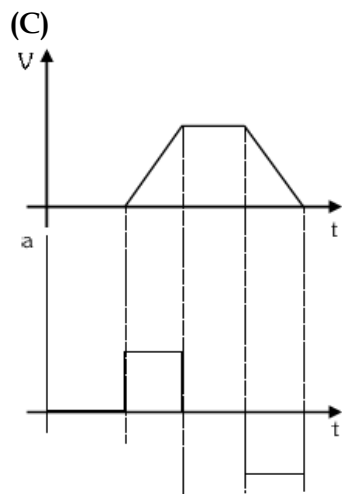
36. The velocity ( $v$ ) - time ( $t$ ) plot of the motion of a body is shown below :



The acceleration ( $a$ ) - time ( $t$ ) graph that best suits this motion is :



Ans.



Sol.

37. If the mass of the bob in a simple pendulum is increased to thrice its original mass and its length is made half its original length, then the new time period of oscillation is  $\frac{x}{2}$  times its original time period. Then the value of  $x$  is:

(A)  $\sqrt{3}$  (B)  $\sqrt{2}$  (C)  $2\sqrt{3}$  (D) 4

Ans.

(B)

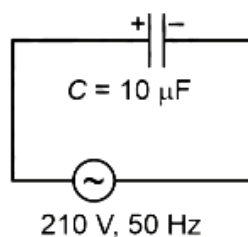
Sol.  $T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{\ell}{g}}$

$$T' = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{\ell}{3}} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{\ell/2}{9}}$$

$$T' = \frac{T}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{x}{2}T$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \sqrt{2}$$

38. A  $10\mu\text{F}$  capacitor is connected to a  $210\text{ V}$ ,  $50\text{ Hz}$  source as shown in figure. The peak current in the circuit is nearly ( $\pi = 3.14$ ) :



- (A)  $0.58\text{ A}$  (B)  $0.93\text{ A}$  (C)  $1.20\text{ A}$  (D)  $0.35$

Ans. (B)

Sol. Capacitive Reactance  $X_C = \frac{1}{\omega C} = \frac{1}{2\pi fC}$

$$= \frac{1}{2 \times 3.14 \times 50 \times 10 \times 10^{-6}}$$

$$= \frac{1000}{3.14}$$

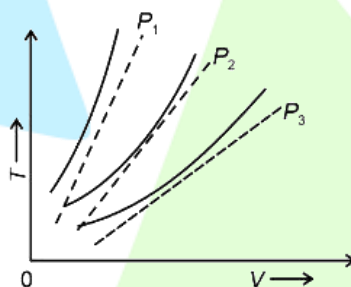
$$V_{\text{rms}} = 210\text{ V}$$

$$i_{\text{rms}} = \frac{V_{\text{rms}}}{X_C} = \frac{210}{X_C}$$

$$\text{Peak current} = \sqrt{2}i_{\text{rms}} = \sqrt{2} \times \frac{210}{1000} \times 3.14 = 0.932$$

$$\approx 0.93\text{ A}$$

39. The following graph represents the  $T$ - $V$  curves of an ideal gas (where  $T$  is the temperature and  $V$  is volume) at three pressures  $P_1$ ,  $P_2$  and  $P_3$  compared with those of Charles's law represented as dotted lines.



Then the correct relation is:

- (A)  $P_3 > P_2 > P_1$  (B)  $P_1 > P_3 > P_2$   
 (C)  $P_2 > P_1 > P_3$  (D)  $P_1 > P_2 > P_3$

Ans. (D)

Sol.  $PV = nRT$

$$\Rightarrow T = \frac{P}{nR} V$$

Comparing with  $y = mx$

$$m = \text{slope} = \frac{P}{nR} \propto P$$

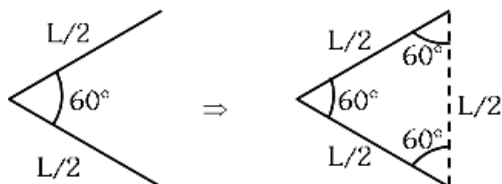
$$\Rightarrow P_1 > P_2 > P_3$$

40. An iron bar of length  $L$  has magnetic moment  $M$ . It is bent at the middle of its length such that the two arms make an angle  $60^\circ$  with each other. The magnetic moment of this new magnet is:

(A)  $M$  (B)  $\frac{M}{2}$  (C)  $2M$  (D)  $\frac{M}{\sqrt{3}}$

Ans. (B)

Sol. Magnetic moment  $M = mL$  where  $m$  is magnetic strength and  $L$  is length. Now,



New magnetic moment,

$$M' = m \times \frac{L}{2} = \frac{mL}{2}$$

$$M' = \frac{M}{2}$$

41. The minimum energy required to launch a satellite of mass  $m$  from the surface of earth of mass  $M$  and radius  $R$  in a circular orbit at an altitude of  $2R$  from the surface of the earth is:

(A)  $\frac{5CmM}{6R}$  (B)  $\frac{2GmM}{3R}$  (C)  $\frac{GmM}{2R}$  (D)  $\frac{GmM}{3R}$

Ans. (A)

Sol. Final Energy of satellite

$$U_i + K_i = U_f + K_f$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{GMm}{R} + K_i = -\frac{GMm}{3R} + \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{GMm}{R} + K_i = -\frac{GMm}{3R} + \frac{1}{2} \times m \times \frac{GM}{3R}$$

$$\Rightarrow K_i = -\frac{1}{6} \frac{GMm}{R} + \frac{GMm}{R}$$

$$K_i = \frac{5}{6} \frac{GMm}{R}$$

42. A parallel plate capacitor is charged by connecting it to a battery through a resistor. If  $I$  is the current in the circuit, then in the gap between the plates:

(A) there is no current.  
 (B) displacement current of magnitude equal to  $I$  flows in the same direction as  $I$ .  
 (C) displacement current of magnitude equal to  $I$  flows in a direction opposite to that of  $I$ .  
 (D) displacement current of magnitude greater than  $I$  flows but can be in any direction.

Ans. (B)

Sol. Displacement current is equal to conduction current and flows in same direction.

43. The property which is not of an electromagnetic wave travelling in free space is that :
- (A) they are transverse in nature.
- (B) the energy density in electric field is equal to energy density in magnetic field.
- (C) they travel with a speed equal to  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0}}$
- (D) they originate from charges moving with uniform speed.

Ans. (D)

Sol. EMW is emitted from charge performing nonuniform motion

44. A metallic bar of Young's modulus,  $0.5 \times 10^{11} \text{ Nm}^{-2}$  and coefficient of linear thermal expansion  $10^{-5} \text{ C}^{-1}$ , length 1 m and area of cross-section  $10^{-3} \text{ m}^2$  is heated from  $0^\circ\text{C}$  to  $100^\circ\text{C}$  without expansion or bending. The compressive force developed in it is:

- (1)  $5 \times 10^3 \text{ N}$                       (2)  $50 \times 10^3 \text{ N}$                       (3)  $100 \times 10^3 \text{ N}$                       (4)  $2 \times 10^3 \text{ N}$

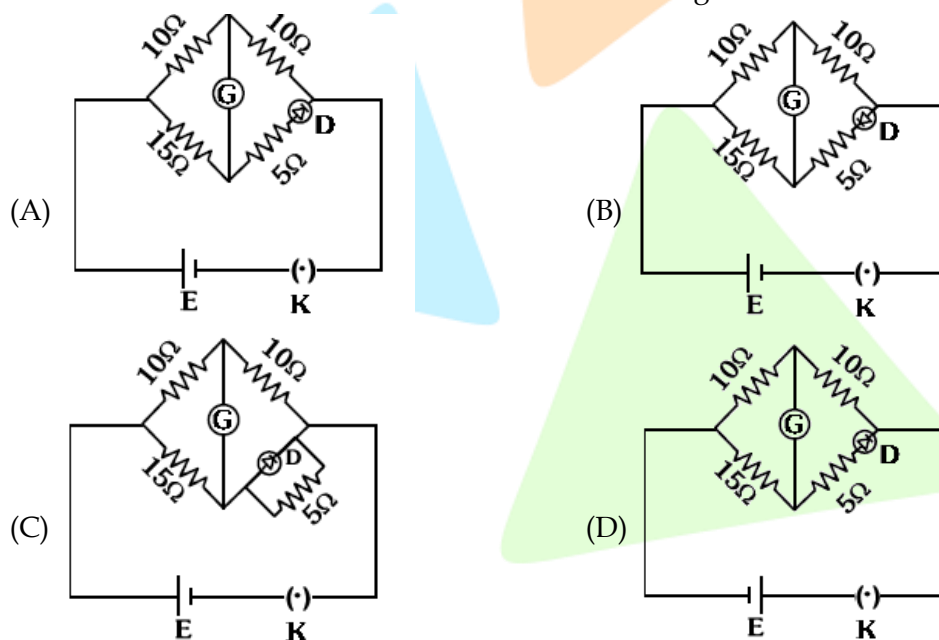
Ans. (B)

Sol.  $F = YA\alpha\Delta\theta$

$$= 0.5 \times 10^{11} \times 10^{-3} \times 10^{-5} \times (100 - 0)$$

$$= 50 \times 10^3 \text{ N}$$

45. Choose the correct circuit which can achieve the bridge balance



Ans. (A)

Sol. To Balance Bridge  $\frac{P}{Q} = \frac{R}{S}$

$$\text{Here } P = 10\Omega$$

$$Q = 10\Omega$$

$$R = 15\Omega$$

$$\text{And } S = 5 + R_{\text{Diode}}$$

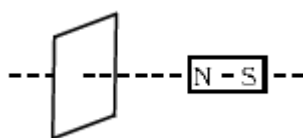
Where  $R_{\text{Diode}}$  should be  $10\Omega$  to Balance Bridge.

46. A sheet is placed on a horizontal surface in front of a strong magnetic pole. A force is needed to:
- hold the steel there if it is magnetic.
  - hold the steel there if it is non-magnetic.
  - move the steel away from the pole with uniform velocity if it is conducting.
  - move the steel away from the pole with uniform velocity if it is both, non-conducting and non-polar.

Choose the correct statement(s) from the options given below:

- B and D only
- A and C only
- A, C and D only
- C only

Ans. (B)



Sol.

A force is needed to

- hold the sheet there if it is magnetic
- move the sheet away from the pole with uniform velocity if it is conducting.

47. If the plates of a parallel plate capacitor connected to a battery are moved close to each other, then
- the charge stored in it, increases.
  - the energy stored in it, decreases.
  - its capacitance increases.
  - the ratio of charge to its potential remains the same.
  - the product of charge and voltage increases.

Choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

- A, B and E only
- A, C and E only
- B, D and E only
- A, B and C only

Ans. (B)

Sol. Battery connected so  $V = \text{constant}$

Now  $d \downarrow \Rightarrow C \uparrow$

$$A: Q = CV \propto C \Rightarrow Q \uparrow$$

$$B: U = \frac{1}{2} CV^2 \propto C \Rightarrow U \uparrow$$

$$C: C = \frac{\epsilon_0 A}{d} \Rightarrow C \uparrow$$

$$D: \frac{Q}{V} = C \Rightarrow C \uparrow$$

$$E: (Q)(V) \propto C \Rightarrow QV \uparrow$$

Therefore statements A, C and E are correct.

48. Two heaters A and B have power rating of 1 kW and 2 kW, respectively. Those two are first connected in series and then in parallel to a fixed power source. The ratio of power outputs for these two cases is:

(1) 1 : 1                      (2) 2 : 9                      (3) 1 : 2                      (4) 2 : 3

Ans. (B)

Sol.  $\frac{P_A}{P_B} = \frac{R_B}{R_A}$

$$R_A = 2R_B$$

For Series Combination

$$P_S = \frac{V^2}{3R_B}$$

For Parallel Combination

$$P_P = \frac{3V^2}{2R_B} \frac{P_S}{P_P} = \frac{2}{9}$$

49. A small telescope has an objective of focal length 140 cm and an eye piece of focal length 5.0 cm. The magnifying power of telescope for viewing a distant object is :

(A) 34                      (B) 28                      (C) 17                      (D) 32

Ans. (B)

Sol. For Telescope-  
Magnifying power

$$M.P. = \frac{-f_o}{f_e} = \frac{-140}{5} = -28$$

$$MP = -28$$

50. A force defined by  $F = \alpha t^2 + \beta t$  acts on a particle at a given time  $t$ . The factor which is dimensionless. If  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are constants, is:

(A)  $\frac{\beta t}{\alpha}$                       (B)  $\frac{\alpha t}{\beta}$                       (C)  $\alpha \beta t$                       (D)  $\frac{\alpha \beta}{t}$

Ans. (B)

Sol. Dimensional Formula of

$$[\alpha t^2] = [F]$$

$$[\alpha] = \left[ \frac{MLT^{-2}}{T^2} \right] = [MLT^{-4}]$$

$$\text{and } [\beta t] = [F]$$

$$[\beta] = \frac{MLT^{-2}}{T} = [MLT^{-3}]$$

$$\text{Option (B) is satisfied as } \frac{\alpha t}{\beta} = \frac{[MLT^{-4}]T}{[MLT^{-3}]}$$

$$= [M^0 L^0 T^0]$$

51. 'Spin only' magnetic moment is same for which of the following ions?

- (a)  $\text{Ti}^{3+}$  (b)  $\text{Cr}^{2+}$  (c)  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$   
 (d)  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$  (e)  $\text{Sc}^{3+}$

Choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

- (1) B and D only (2) A and E only  
 (3) B and C only (4) A and D only

Ans. (A)

Sol.  $\mu_{\text{spin only}} = \sqrt{n(n+2)}$

where  $n$  = no. of unpaired  $e^-$

(A)  $\text{Ti}^{+3} \rightarrow 3 d^1 n = 1$

(B)  $\text{Cr}^{+2} \rightarrow 3 d^4 n = 4$

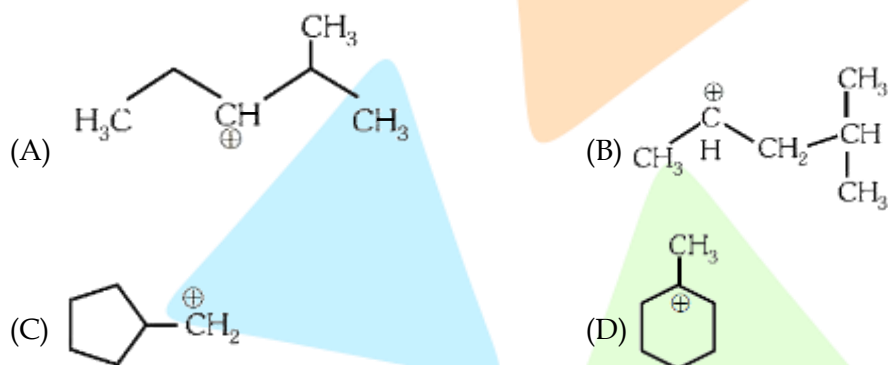
(C)  $\text{Mn}^{+2} \rightarrow 3 d^5 n = 5$

(D)  $\text{Fe}^{+2} \rightarrow 3 d^6 n = 4$

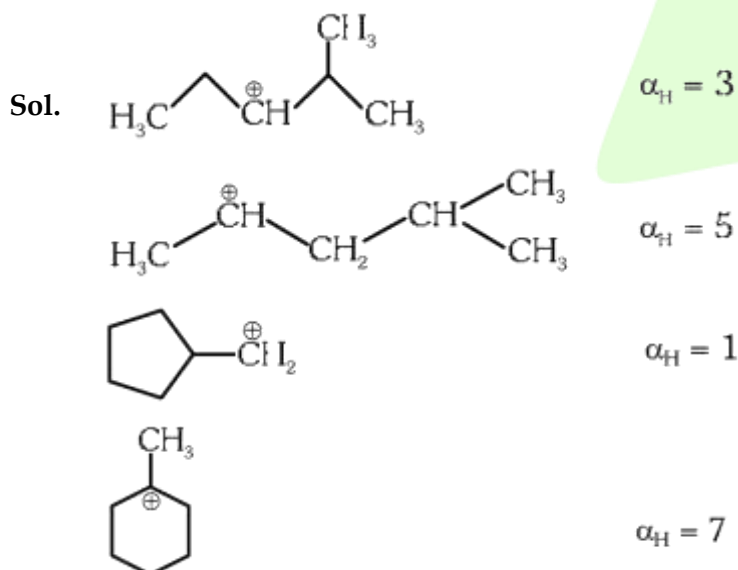
(E)  $\text{Sc}^{+3} \rightarrow 3 d^0 n = 0$

Since (B) and (D) contain same number of unpaired  $e^-$  so they have same spin only magnetic moment.

52. The most stable carbocation among the following is :



Ans. (D)



53. Given below are two statements :

Statement-I : The boiling point of hydrides of Group-16 elements follow the order  $H_2O > H_2Te > H_2Se > H_2S$ .

Statement-II : On the basis of molecular mass.

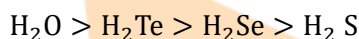
$H_2O$  is expected to have lower boiling point than the other members of the group but due to the presence of ex bonding in  $H_2O$ , it has higher boiling point.

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 the true but Statement-II is false.
- (D) Statement-I is false but Statement-II is true.

Ans. (A)

Sol. Boiling point order



⇒ Water has max. bpt due to presence of high extent of H-Bonding even though its molecular mass is minimum among these hydrides.

54. Match List I with List II.

| List I      | List II                |
|-------------|------------------------|
| (Compound)  | (Shape/geometry)       |
| (A) $NH_3$  | (I) Trigonal Pyramidal |
| (B) $BrF_5$ | (II) Square Planar     |
| (C) $XeF_4$ | (III) Octahedral       |
| (D) $SF_6$  | (IV) Square Pyramidal  |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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

Ans. (A)

Sol. A-I, B-IV, C-II, D-III

- (A)  $NH_3 - sp^3 + 1LP \rightarrow$  Trigonal Pyramidal - (I)
- (B)  $BrF_5 - sp^3 d^2 + 1LP \rightarrow$  Square Pyramidal - (IV)
- (C)  $XeF_4 - sp^3 d^2 + 2LP \rightarrow$  Square Planar - (II)
- (D)  $SF_6 - sp^3 d^2 \rightarrow$  Octahedral - (III)

55. The highest number of helium atoms is in:

- (A) 4 mol of helium
- (B) 4 u of helium
- (C) 4 g of helium
- (D) 2.271098 L of helium at STP

Ans. (A)

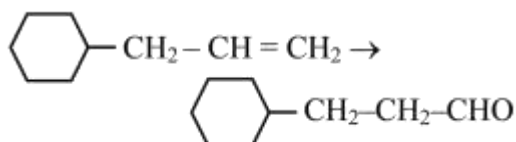
Sol. (A) 4 mol of He : Number of He atom =  $4 \times N_A$

(B) 4 u of He : Number of He atom = 1

(C) 4 g of He: Number of He atom =  $N_A$

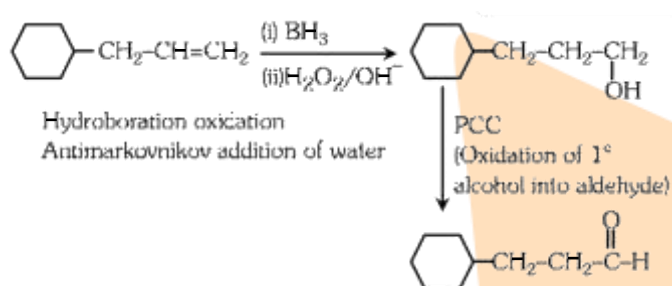
(D) 0.1 mol of He ; Number of He atom =  $0.1 N_A$

56. Identify the correct reagents that would bring about the following transformation



- (A) (i)  $\frac{\text{H}_2\text{O}}{\text{I}^+}$  (ii)  $\text{CrO}_3$   
 (B) (i)  $\text{BH}_3$  (ii)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2/\text{OH}^-$  (iii) PCC  
 (C) (i)  $\text{BH}_3$  (ii)  $\frac{\text{H}_2\text{O}_2}{\text{OH}^-}$  (iii) Alk.  $\text{KMnO}_4$  (iv)  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$   
 (D) (i)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}/\text{H}^+$  (ii) PCC

Ans. (B)



Sol. a

57. Match List I with List II.

| List-I<br>(Process) |                    | List-II<br>(Conditions) |                                     |
|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| A.                  | Isothermal process | I.                      | No heat exchange                    |
| B.                  | Isochoric process  | II.                     | Carried out at constant temperature |
| C.                  | Isobaric process   | III.                    | Carried out at constant volume      |
| D.                  | Adiabatic process  | IV.                     | Carried out at constant pressure    |

Ans. (D)

Sol. (A) Isothermal process  $\rightarrow$  Temperature is constant(II)

(B) Isochoric process  $\rightarrow$  Volume is constant(III)

(C) Isobaric process  $\rightarrow$  Pressure is constant(IV)

(D) Adiabatic process  $\rightarrow$  No exchange of heat(I)

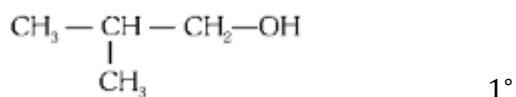
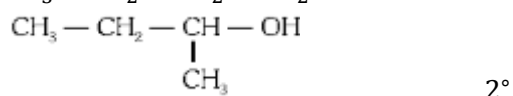
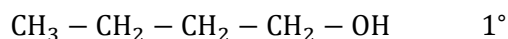
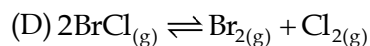
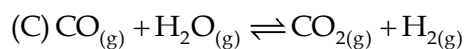
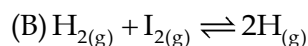
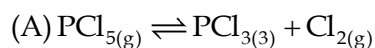
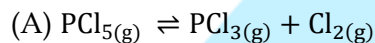
58. Which one of the following alcohols reacts instantaneously with Lucas reagent?

(A)  $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{OH}$

(B)  $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-CH(OH)-CH}_3$

(C)  $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH(CH}_3\text{)-CH}_2\text{OH}$

(D)  $\text{CH}_3\text{-C(CH}_3\text{)}_2\text{-OH}$

**Ans. (D)****Sol.** Reactivity order of alcohols towards Lucas' reagent  $3^\circ$ alcohol  $> 2^\circ$  alcohol  $> 1^\circ$  alcohol**59.** In which of the following equilibria,  $K_p$  and  $K_c$  are NOT equal?**Ans. (A)****Sol.**  $K_p = K_c (RT)^{(\Delta n_g \neq 0)}$ when  $\Delta n_g = 0$  then  $K_p = K_c$ If  $\Delta n_g \neq 0$ , then  $K_p \neq K_c$ 

$$\Delta n_g \neq 0$$

$$K_p \neq K_c$$

**60.** Match List I with List II.**List I****Quantum Number**A.  $m_\ell$ B.  $m_s$ C.  $\ell$ D.  $n$ **List II****Information provided**

I. shape of orbital

II. size of orbital

III. orientation of orbital

IV. orientation of spin of electron

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-III, B-IV, C-II, D-I

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

**Ans. (B)****Sol.**  $m_\ell \rightarrow$  orientation of orbital $m_s \rightarrow$  orientation of spin of  $e^-$  $\ell \rightarrow$  shape of orbital $n \rightarrow$  size of orbital

61. Given below are two statements:

Statement I : Aniline does not undergo Friedel Crafts alkylation reaction

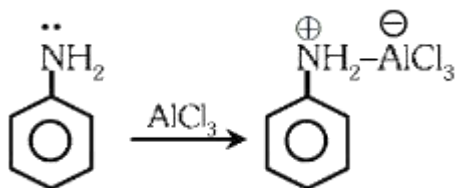
Statement II : Aniline cannot be prepared through Gabriel synthesis.

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.

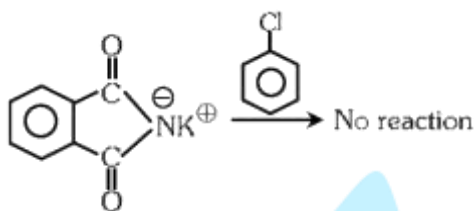
Ans. (A)

Sol. Statement-I Explanation : Aniline forms complex with lewis acid ( $\text{AlCl}_3$ ),

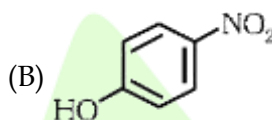
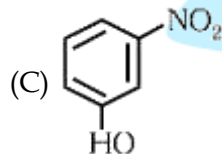
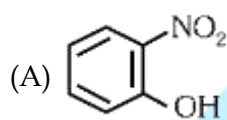


So statement-I

Statement-II Explanation : Aryl halide are not good substrate for nucleophilic substitution reaction so aniline does not give Gabriel synthesis.



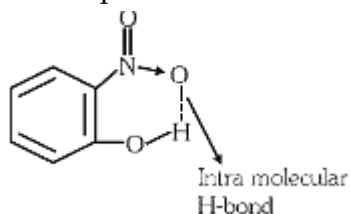
62. Intramolecular hydrogen bonding is present in:



(D) HF

Ans. (A)

Sol. O-nitrophenol will show intra molecular H-Bonding



63. On heating, some solid substances change from solid to vapour state without passing through liquid state. The technique used for the purification of such solid substances based on the above principle is known as:

- (A) Crystallization  
 (B) Sublimation  
 (C) Distillation  
 (D) Chromatography

Ans. (B)

Sol. Sublimation

64. In which of the following processes entropy increases?
- A liquid evaporates to vapour
  - Temperature of a crystalline solid lowered from 130 K to 0 K.
  - $2\text{NaHCO}_3(\text{s}) \rightarrow \text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3(\text{s}) + \text{CO}_2(\text{g}) + \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{g})$
  - $\text{Cl}_{2(\text{g})} \rightarrow 2\text{Cl}(\text{g})$

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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

**Ans.** (C)

**Sol.** (A) When liquid evaporates to vapour randomness increases hence entropy increases.

(B) Temperature decreases  $\Rightarrow$  entropy decreases

(C)  $\Delta n_g = 2 - 0 = 2$

$\Delta n_g = +ve \rightarrow \Delta S = +ve \Rightarrow$  entropy increases

(D)  $\Delta n_g = 2 - 1 = 1$

$\Delta n_g = +ve \rightarrow \Delta S = +ve \Rightarrow$  entropy increases

(A), (C), (D) are correct.

65. Among Group 16 elements, which one does NOT show -2 oxidation state?

- (A) O (B) Se (C) Te (D) Po

**Ans.** (D)

**Sol.** Po does not show -2 oxidation state due to its metallic nature

66. Match List-I with List-II.

**List-I**

(Conversion)

- (A) 1 mol of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  to  $\text{O}_2$   
 (B) 1 mol of  $\text{MnO}_4^-$  to  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$   
 (C) 1.5 mole of Ca from molten  $\text{CaCl}_2$   
 (D) 1 mol of  $\text{FeO}$  to  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$

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

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

**List-II**

(Number of faraday required)

(I) 3 F

(II) 2 F

(III) 1 F

(IV) 5 F

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

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

**Ans.** (A)

**Sol.** (A)  $2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{O}_2 + 4\text{H}^+ + 4\text{e}^-$

1 mol  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  will req. 2 F charge

(B)  $8\text{H}^+ + \text{MnO}_4^- + 5\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Mn}^{2+} + 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$

1 mole  $\text{MnO}_4^-$  will req. 5 F charge.

(C)  $\text{CaCl}_2 + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Ca} + 2\text{Cl}^{-1}$

1.5 mole Ca will req. 3 F charge.

(D)  $2\text{FeO} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 + 2\text{H}^+ + 2\text{e}^-$

1 mole  $\text{FeO}$  will req. 1 F charge.

(A) – (II), (B) – (IV), (C) – (I), (D) – (III)

67. Arrange the following elements in increasing order of electronegativity.

N, O, F, C, Si

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

(A)  $\text{Si} < \text{C} < \text{N} < \text{O} < \text{F}$

(B)  $\text{Si} < \text{C} < \text{O} < \text{N} < \text{F}$

(C)  $\text{O} < \text{F} < \text{N} < \text{C} < \text{Si}$

(D)  $\text{F} < \text{O} < \text{N} < \text{C} < \text{Si}$

**Ans.** (A)

**Sol.** EN order (Pauling scale value)

$\text{Si} < \text{C} < \text{N} < \text{O} < \text{F}$

$1.8 < 2.5 < 3.0 < 3.5 < 4$

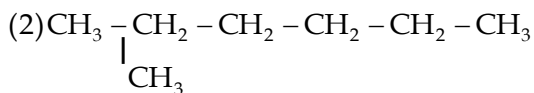
68. A compound with a molecular formula of  $C_6H_{14}$  has two tertiary carbons. Its IUPAC name is :

- (A) n-hexane (B) 2-methylpentane  
(C) 2, 3-dimethylbutane (D) 2, 2-dimethylbutane

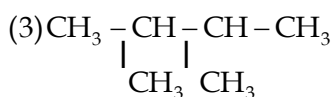
Ans. (C)

Sol. (1)  $CH_3 - CH_2 - CH_2 - CH_2 - CH_2 - CH_3$

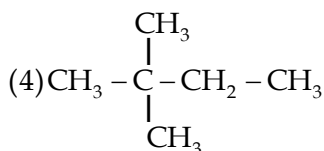
No tertiary carbon



One tertiary carbon



No tertiary carbon



No tertiary carbon

69. Fehling's solution 'A' is

- (A) aqueous copper sulphate  
(B) alkaline copper sulphate  
(C) alkaline solution of sodium potassium tartrate (Rochelle's salt)  
(D) aqueous sodium citrate

Ans. (A)

Sol. Fehling reagent comprises of two solution Fehling A  $\rightarrow$  aq. solution of  $CuSO_4$

Fehling B  $\rightarrow$  alkaline sodium potassium tartrate (Rochelle salt)

70. Activation energy of any chemical reaction can be calculated if one knows the value of

- (A) rate constant at standard temperature.  
(B) probability of collision.  
(C) orientation of reactant molecules during collision.  
(D) rate constant at two different temperatures.

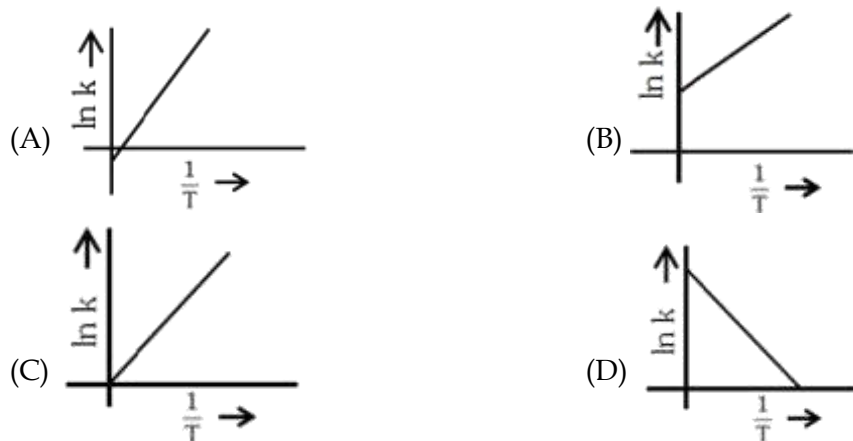
Ans. (D)

$$\log_{10} \left( \frac{k_2}{k_1} \right) = \frac{E_a}{2.303R} \left( \frac{1}{T_1} - \frac{1}{T_2} \right)$$

Here  $k_1$  is rate constant at  $T_1$

$k_2$  is rate constant at  $T_2$

71. Which plot of  $\ln k$  vs  $\frac{1}{T}$  is consistent with Arrhenius equation?



Ans. (D)

Sol.  $k = A \cdot e^{-E_a/RT}$

$$\ln k = \ln A - \frac{E_a}{RT}$$

$$\ln k = -\frac{E_a}{R} \left( \frac{1}{T} \right) + \ln A$$

$$y = mx + c$$

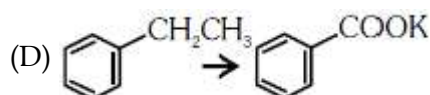
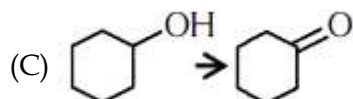
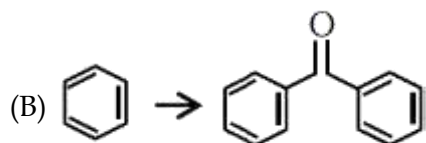
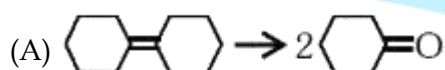
On comparing  $\Rightarrow \ln k \rightarrow y; \frac{1}{T} \rightarrow x$

This is a equation of straight line with negative slope.

72. Match List I with List II.

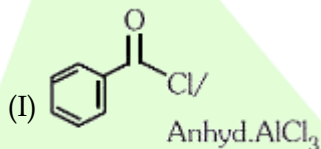
List I

(Reaction)



List II

(Reagents/Condition)



(II)  $\text{CrO}_3$

(III)  $\text{KMnO}_4/\text{KOH}, \Delta$

(IV) (i)  $\text{O}_3$  (ii)  $\text{Zn-H}_2\text{O}$

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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

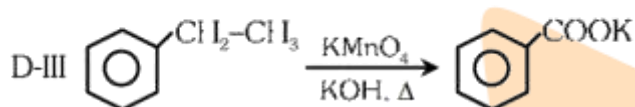
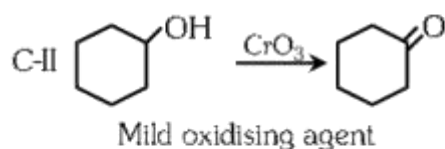
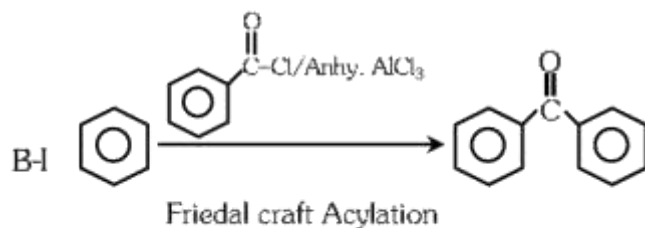
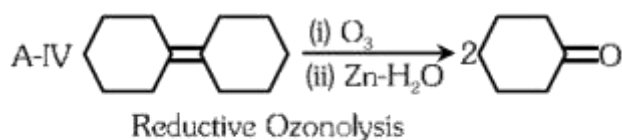
(B) A-III, B-I, C-II, D-IV

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

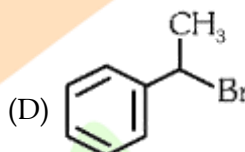
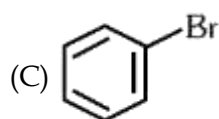
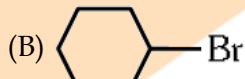
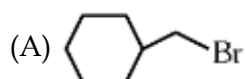
(D) A-I, B-IV, C-II, D-III

Ans. (C)

Sol.

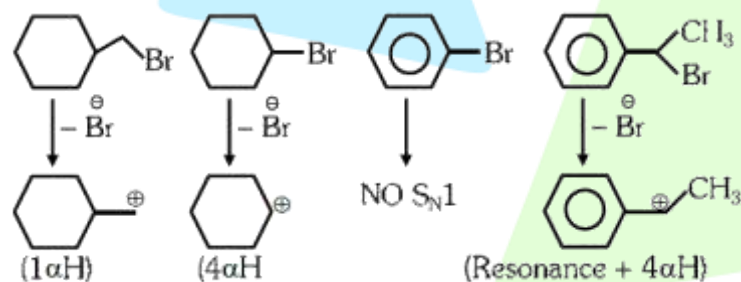


73. The compound that will undergo  $S_N1$  reaction with the fastest rate is:

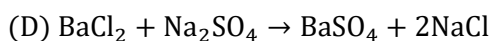
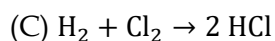
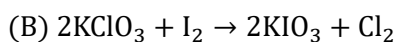
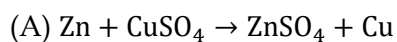


Ans. (D)

Sol. Reactivity towards  $S_N1 \propto$  stability of carbocation

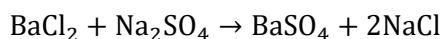


74. Which reaction is NOT a redox reaction?



Ans. (D)

Sol.  $+2 - 1 + 1 + 6 - 2 + 2 + 6 - 2 + 1 - 1$



As there is no change in oxidation state of any element therefore this is not a redox reaction.

75. Given below are two statements :
- Statement I : The boiling point of three isomeric pentanes follows the order n-pentane > isopentane > neopentane
- Statement II : When branching increases, the molecule attains a shape of sphere. This results in smaller surface area for contact, due to which the intermolecular forces between the spherical molecules are weak, thereby lowering the boiling point.
- 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

Ans. (A)

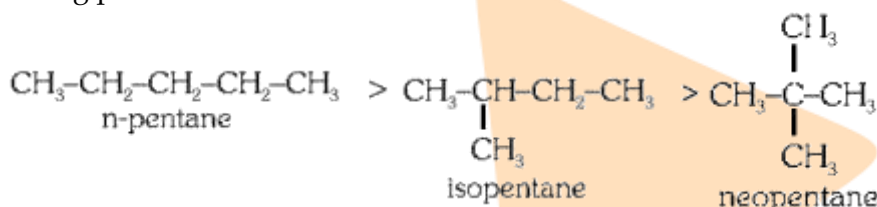
Sol.

For alkanes

Boiling point  $\propto$  molecular mass

$\propto \frac{1}{\text{Branching}}$  (if molecular mass is same)

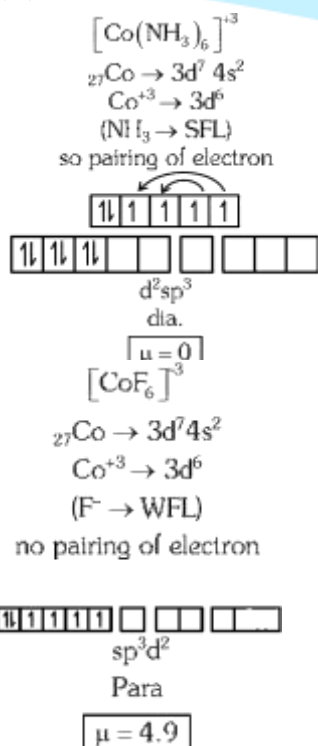
Boiling point



76. Given below are two statements:
- Statement I : Both  $[\text{Co}(\text{NH}_3)_6]^{+3}$  and  $[\text{CoF}_6]^{3-}$  complexes are octahedral but differ in their magnetic behaviour.
- Statement II :  $[\text{Co}(\text{NH}_3)_6]^{3+}$  is diamagnetic whereas  $[\text{CoF}_6]^{3-}$  is paramagnetic.
- 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

Ans. (A)

Sol.



77. Match List I with List II.

| List-I<br>(Molecule) |                        | List-II<br>(Number and types of bond/s between two carbon atoms) |                                        |
|----------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| A.                   | ethane                 | I.                                                               | One $\sigma$ -bond and two $\pi$ -bond |
| B.                   | ethene                 | II.                                                              | Two $\pi$ -bonds                       |
| C.                   | Carbon molecule, $C_2$ | III.                                                             | One $\sigma$ -bond                     |
| D.                   | ethyne                 | IV.                                                              | One $\pi$ -bonds and one $\pi$ -bond   |

Chose the correct answer from the option given below

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

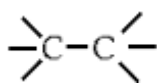
(B) A-IV, B-III, C-II, D-I

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

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

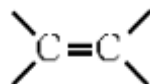
Ans. (C)

Sol. (A) ethane



1 $\sigma$

(B) ethene



1 $\sigma$ , 1 $\pi$

(C)  $C_2C = C2\pi$  (as per MOT)

(D) ethyne

$-C \equiv C - 1\sigma, 2\pi$

78. The Henry's law constant ( $K_H$ ) values of three gases (A, B, C) in water are 145,  $2 \times 10^{-5}$  and 35 kbar, respectively. The solubility of these gases in water follow the order:

(A)  $B > A > C$  (B)  $B > C > A$

(C)  $A > C > B$  (D)  $A > B > C$

Ans. (B)

Sol. Solubility  $\propto \frac{1}{K_H}$

$K_H \downarrow \rightarrow \text{Solubility} \uparrow$

$B > C > A$

79. The energy of an electron in the ground state ( $n = 1$ ) for  $He^+$  ion is  $-xJ$ . Then that for an electron in  $n = 2$  state for  $Be^{3+}$  ion in J is:

(A)  $-x$

(B)  $-\frac{x}{9}$

(C)  $-4x$

(D)  $-\frac{4}{9}x$

Ans. (A)

Sol.  $E \propto \frac{Z^2}{n^2}$

$$\frac{E_2}{E_1} = \frac{Z_1^2}{n_1^2} \times \frac{n_2^2}{Z_2^2}$$

$He^+ \rightarrow n_1 = 1 \& Z_1 = 2$

$Be^{3+} \rightarrow n_2 = 2 \& Z_2 = 4$

$$\frac{E_1}{E_2} = \frac{2^2}{1^2} \times \frac{2^2}{4^2} = 1$$

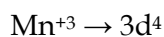
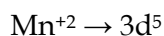
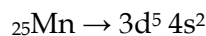
$E_1 = E_2$

80. The  $\Sigma^\circ$  value for the  $\text{Mn}^{3+}/\text{Mn}^{2+}$  couple is more positive than that of  $\text{Cr}^{3+}/\text{Cr}^{2+}$  or  $\text{Fe}^{3+}/\text{Fe}^{2+}$  due to change of

(A)  $d^5$  to  $d^4$  configuration (B)  $d^5$  to  $d^2$  configuration  
(C)  $d^4$  to  $d^5$  configuration (D)  $d^3$  to  $d^5$  configuration

Ans. (C)

Sol.  $\text{Mn}^{3+}/\text{Mn}^{2+} E^0 = +ve$



81. The reagents with which glucose does not react to give the corresponding tests/products are

A. Tollens' reagent B. Schiff's reagent  
C. HCN D.  $\text{NH}_2\text{OH}$   
E.  $\text{NaHSO}_3$

Choose the correct options from the given below:

(A) B and C (B) A and D  
(C) B and E (D) E and D

Ans. (C)

Sol.

|         |                            |                       |
|---------|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| Glucose | (A) Tollens' reagent       | Silver mirror         |
|         | (B) Schiff's reagent       | No reaction           |
|         | (C) HCN                    | Cyanohydrin formation |
|         | (D) $\text{NH}_2\text{OH}$ | Oxime formation       |
|         | (E) $\text{NaHSO}_3$       | No reaction           |

82. Match List I with List II.

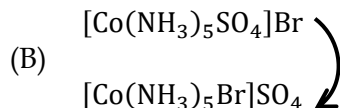
| List-I<br>(Complex) |                                                      | List-II<br>(Type of isomerism) |                        |
|---------------------|------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|
| A.                  | $[\text{Co}(\text{NH}_3)_5(\text{NO}_2)]\text{Cl}_2$ | I.                             | Solvate isomerism      |
| B.                  | $[\text{Co}(\text{NH}_3)_5(\text{SO}_4)]\text{Br}$   | II.                            | Linkage isomerism      |
| C.                  | $[\text{Co}(\text{NH}_3)_6][\text{Cr}(\text{CN})_6]$ | III.                           | Ionization isomerism   |
| D.                  | $[\text{Co}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]\text{Cl}_3$       | IV.                            | Coordination isomerism |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

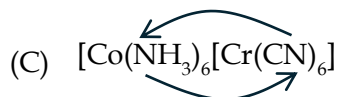
(A) A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I (B) A-I, B-III, C-IV, D-II  
(C) A-I, B-IV, C-III, D-II (D) A-II, B-IV, C-III, D-I

Ans. (A)

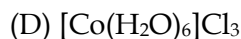
**Sol.** (A)  $[\text{Co}(\text{NH}_3)_5(\text{NO}_2)]\text{Cl}_2$   $\text{NO}_2^-$  can be converted into  $\text{ONO}^-$  Linkage



Ionisation



Coordination



Solvate

**83.** Arrange the following elements in increasing order of first ionization enthalpy :

Li, Be, B, C, N

Chose the correct answer from the options given below:

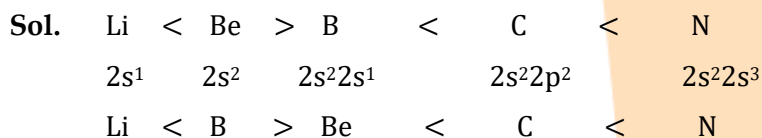
(A)  $\text{Li} < \text{Be} < \text{B} < \text{C} < \text{N}$

(B)  $\text{Li} < \text{B} < \text{Be} < \text{C} < \text{N}$

(C)  $\text{Li} < \text{Be} < \text{C} < \text{B} < \text{N}$

(D)  $\text{Li} < \text{Be} < \text{N} < \text{B} < \text{C}$

**Ans. (B)**



**84.** 1 gram of sodium hydroxide was treated with 25 mL of 0.75 M HCl solution, the mass of sodium hydroxide left unreacted is equal to

(A) 750 mg

(B) 250 mg

(C) Zero mg

(D) 200 mg

**Ans. (B)**

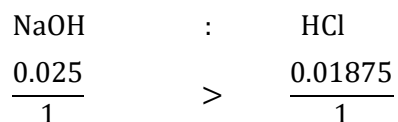


Given  $\Rightarrow$  1 g (0.75M, 25ml)

Moles of  $\text{NaOH} = \frac{1}{40} \text{ mol} = 0.025 \text{ mol}$

moles of  $\text{HCl} = \frac{0.75 \times 25}{1000} = 0.01875 \text{ mol}$

now find the L.R.  $\Rightarrow \text{Value} = \frac{\text{given amount}}{\text{S.C}}$



So, L.R will be HCl

Unreacted moles of  $\text{NaOH} = 0.025 - 0.01875$

$= 0.00625 \text{ mol}$

Unreacted mass  $= 0.00625 \times 40 \text{ g}$

$= 0.25 \text{ g}$

$= 250 \text{ mg}$

85. For the reaction  $2A \rightleftharpoons B + C$ ,  $K_c = 4 \times 10^{-3}$ . At a given time, the composition of reaction mixture is:

$$[A] = [B] = [C] = 2 \times 10^{-3} M$$

Then, which of the following is correct?

- (A) Reaction is at equilibrium.  
 (B) Reaction has a tendency to go in forward direction.  
 (C) Reaction has a tendency to go in backward direction  
 (D) Reaction has gone to completion in forward direction.

Ans. (C)

Sol.  $2A \rightleftharpoons B + C$ ;  $K_c = 4 \times 10^{-3}$

At a given time  $\Rightarrow [A] = [B] = [C] = 2 \times 10^{-3} M$

$$Q_c = \frac{[B][C]}{[A]^2}$$

$$Q_c = 1$$

as  $Q_c > K_c$

Reaction has a tendency to go in backward direction.

### Section - B

86. Given below are certain cations. Using inorganic qualitative analysis, arrange them in increasing group number from 0 to VI.

A.  $Al^{3+}$  B.  $Cu^{2+}$  C.  $Ba^{2+}$  D.  $Co^{2+}$

E.  $Mg^{2+}$

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (A) B, A, D, C, E  
 (B) B, C, A, D, E  
 (C) E, C, D, B, A  
 (D) E, A, B, C, D

Ans. (A)

Sol. Basic Radicals

Group Number

B.  $Cu^{+2}$

II

A.  $Al^{+3}$

III

D.  $Co^{+2}$

IV

C.  $Ba^{+2}$

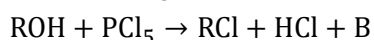
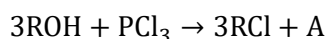
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E.  $Mg^{+2}$

VI

Ans. (A) B, A, D, C, E

87. The products A and B obtained in the following reactions, respectively, are



(A)  $POCl_3$  and  $H_3PO_3$

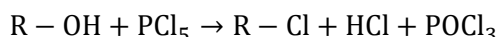
(B)  $POCl_3$  and  $I_3PO_4$

(C)  $H_3PO_4$  and  $POCl_3$

(D)  $H_3PO_3$  and  $POCl_3$

Ans. (D)

Sol.  $3R-OH + PCl_3 \rightarrow 3RCl + H_3PO_3$



A  $\rightarrow H_3PO_3$

B  $\rightarrow POCl_3$

88. Mass in grams of copper deposited by passing 9.6487 A current through a voltmeter containing copper sulphate solution for 100 seconds is:

(Given : Molar mass of Cu: 63 g mol<sup>-1</sup>, 1 F = 96487C )

- (A) 3.15 g (B) 0.315 g (C) 31.5 g (D) 0.0315 g

Ans. (B)

Sol.  $W = \frac{E_{it}}{96487}$

$$W = \frac{\frac{63}{2} \times 9.6487 \times 100}{96487}$$

$$W = \frac{\frac{63}{2} \times 9.6487 \times 100}{96487} = 0.315 \text{ g of Cu}$$

89. The plot of osmotic pressure (  $\Pi$  ) vs concentration (mol L<sup>-1</sup> ) for a solution gives a straight line with slope 25.73 L<sup>-1</sup> bar mol<sup>-1</sup>. The temperature is ( )

- (A) 37°C (B) 310°C (C) 25.73°C (D) 12.05°C

Ans. (A)

Sol.  $\pi = C RT$

$\downarrow$  bar       $\downarrow$  mol L<sup>-1</sup>

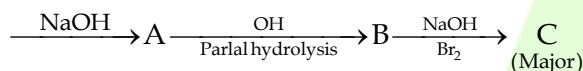
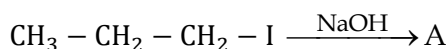
On comparing with  $y = mx$

Slope (m) = RT

$$25.73 = 0.083 \times T$$

$$T = 310 \text{ K} = 37^\circ\text{C}$$

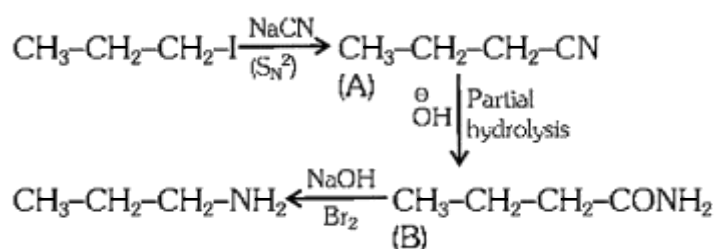
90. Identify the major product C formed in the following reaction sequence:



- (A) propylamine (B) Butylamine  
(C) butanamide (D)  $\alpha$  - promobutanoic acid

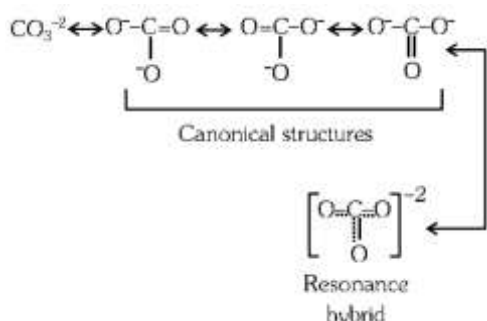
Ans. (A)

Sol.



91. Identify the correct answer.
- (A) Three resonance structures can be drawn for ozone
- (B)  $\text{BF}_3$  has non-zero dipole moment
- (C) Dipole moment of  $\text{NF}_3$  is greater than that of  $\text{NH}_3$
- (D) Three canonical forms can be drawn for  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$  ion.

Ans. (D)



Sol.

92. Given below are two statements:

Statement I :  $[\text{Co}(\text{NH}_3)_6]^{3+}$  is a homoleptic complex whereas  $[\text{Co}(\text{NH}_3)_4\text{Cl}_2]^+$  is a heteroleptic complex.

Statement II : Complex  $[\text{Co}(\text{NH}_3)_6]^{3+}$  has only one kind of ligands but  $[\text{Co}(\text{NH}_3)_4\text{Cl}_2]^+$  has more than one kind of ligands.

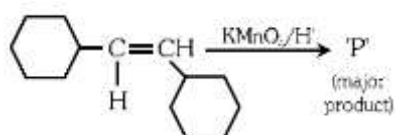
In the light of the above statements, choose the correct answer from the options given below.

- (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.

Ans. (A)

Sol. In Homoleptic complex only one kind of ligands are present. While in Heteroleptic complex more than one kind of ligands are present in coordination sphere.

93. For the given reaction

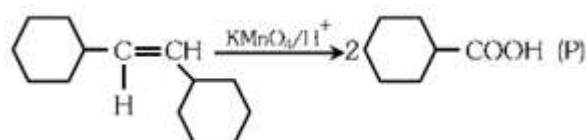


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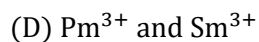
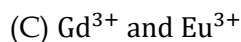
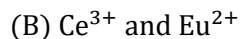
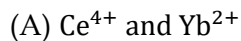
- (A)
- (B)
- (C)
- (D)

Ans. (B)

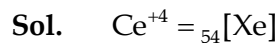
Sol.



94. The pair of lanthanoid ions which are diamagnetic is

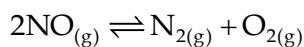


Ans. (A)

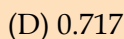
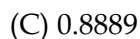
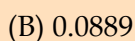
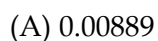


Both species do not contain any unpaired electron. Hence, they are diamagnetic.

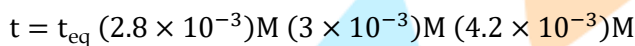
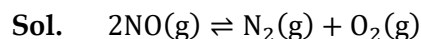
95. Consider the following reaction in a sealed vessel at equilibrium with concentrations of  $\text{N}_2 = 3.0 \times 10^{-3}\text{M}$ ,  $\text{O}_2 = 4.2 \times 10^{-3}\text{M}$  and  $\text{NO} = 2.8 \times 10^{-3}\text{M}$ .



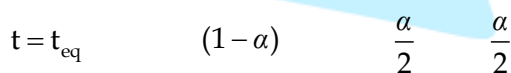
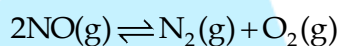
If  $0.1 \text{ mol L}^{-1}$  of  $\text{NO}_{(\text{g})}$  is taken in a closed vessel, what will be degree of dissociation ( $\alpha$ ) of  $\text{NO}_{(\text{g})}$ , at equilibrium?



Ans. (D)



$$K_c = \frac{3 \times 10^{-3} \times 4.2 \times 10^{-3}}{(2.8 \times 10^{-3})^2} = \frac{3 \times 4.2}{2.8 \times 2.8} = 1.60$$



$$K = \frac{(\alpha)^2}{4(1-\alpha)^2}$$

$$\left( \frac{\alpha}{1-\alpha} \right)^2 = 4 \times 1.6$$

$$\frac{\alpha}{1-\alpha} = 2 \times 1.26$$

$$\frac{\alpha}{1-\alpha} = 2 \times 1.26$$

$$\frac{\alpha}{1-\alpha} = 2.52$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = 2.52 - 2.52\alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{2.52}{3.52} = 0.717$$

96. A compound X contains 32% of A, 20% of B and remaining percentage of C. Then, the empirical formula of X is :

(Given atomic masses of A = 64; B = 40; C = 32u )

(A)  $A_2BC_2$  (B)  $ABC_3$  (C)  $AB_2C_2$  (D)  $ABC_4$

Ans. (B)

Sol.

| Element | %  | Moles                         | Simple Ratio |
|---------|----|-------------------------------|--------------|
| A       | 32 | $\frac{32}{64} = \frac{1}{2}$ | 1            |
| B       | 20 | $\frac{20}{40} = \frac{1}{2}$ | 1            |
| C       | 48 | $\frac{48}{32} = \frac{3}{2}$ | 3            |

Empirical formula =  $ABC_3$

97. The work done during reversible isothermal expansion of one mole of hydrogen gas at  $25^\circ\text{C}$  from pressure of 20 atmosphere to 10 atmosphere is :

(Given  $R = 2.0\text{calK}^{-1}\text{mol}^{-1}$  )

(A) 0 calorie

(B) -413.14 calories

(C) 413.14 calories

(D) 100 calories

Ans. (B)

Sol. In Reversible Isothermal process,

$$W = -2.303nRT \log_{10} \left( \frac{P_1}{P_2} \right)$$

$$= -2.303 \times 1 \times 2 \times 298 \log_{10} \left( \frac{20}{10} \right)$$

$$= -413.14 \text{ calories}$$

98. During the preparation of Mohr's salt solution (Ferrous ammonium sulphate), Which of the following acid is added to prevent hydrolysis of  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$  ion?

(A) dilute hydrochloric acid

(B) concentrated sulphuric acid

(C) dilute nitric acid

(D) dilute sulphuric acid

Ans. (D)

Sol. Dil.

$\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  do not acts as oxidising agent which prevent oxidation of  $\text{Fe}^{+2}$  into  $\text{Fe}^{+3}$ . While concentrated  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  will

99. The rate of a reaction quadruples when temperature changes from  $27^\circ\text{C}$  to  $57^\circ\text{C}$ .

Calculate the energy of activation.

Given  $R = 8.314 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$ ,  $\log 4 = 0.6021$

(A)  $\frac{38.04 \text{ kJ}}{\text{mol}}$

(B)  $\frac{380.4 \text{ kJ}}{\text{mol}}$

(C)  $\frac{3.80 \text{ kJ}}{\text{mol}}$

(D)  $3804 \text{ kJ/mol}$

Ans. (A)

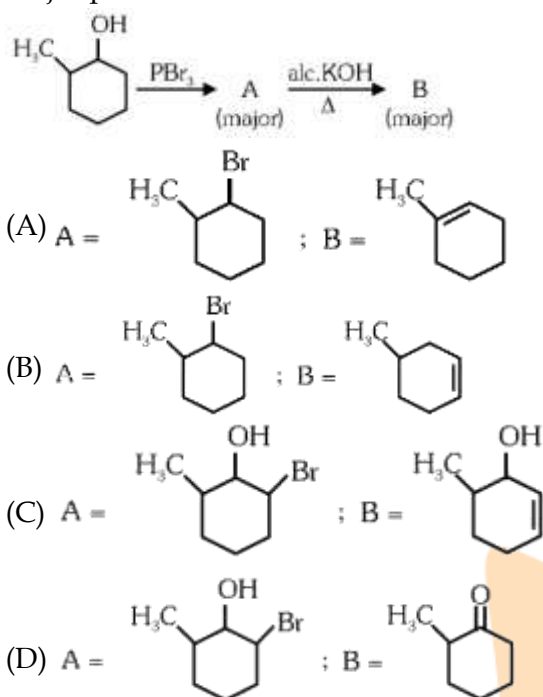
Sol.  $\frac{r_2}{r_1} = 4 = \frac{k_2}{k_1}$

$$\log_{10} \left( \frac{k_2}{k_1} \right) = \frac{E_a}{2.303R} \left( \frac{1}{T_1} - \frac{1}{T_2} \right)$$

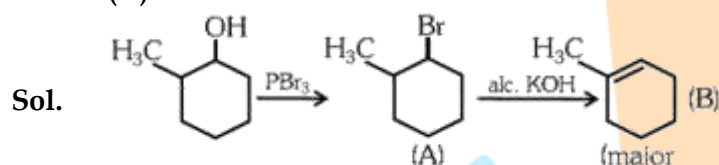
$$\log_{10}(4) = \frac{E_a \times 1000}{2.303 \times 8.314} \left( \frac{1}{300} - \frac{1}{330} \right)$$

$$E_a = 38.04 \text{ kJ/mol}$$

100. Major products A and B formed in the following reaction sequence, are



Ans. (A)



101. Lecithin, a small molecular weight organic compound found in living tissues, is an example of:

- (A) Amino acids (B) Phospholipids  
(C) Glycerides (D) Carbohydrates

Ans. (B)

Sol. Some lipids have phosphorous and a phosphorylated organic compound in them. These are phospholipids. They are found in cell membrane. Lecithin is one example.

Option (C) is incorrect as glycerides are another group of lipids in which both glycerol and fatty acids are present.

Option (A) and (D) are incorrect as amino acids and carbohydrates are separate groups of biomolecules.

The correct answer is option (B).

102. Which of the following are required for the dark reaction of photosynthesis ?

- A. Light B. Chlorophyll  
C. CO<sub>2</sub> D. ATP  
E. NADPH

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

- (A) A, B and C only (B) B, C and D only  
(C) C, D and E only (D) D and E only

Ans. (C)

Sol. For dark reaction of photosynthesis there are the requirement of CO<sub>2</sub>

ATP

NADPH

103. Spindle fibers attach to kinetochores of chromosomes during  
 (A) Prophase (B) Metaphase (C) Anaphase (D) Telophase

**Ans.** (B)

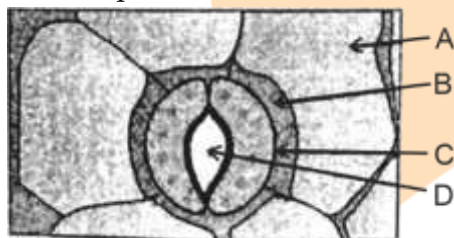
**Sol.** Spindle fibers attach to kinetochores of chromosome in metaphase stage.

104. Bulliform cells are responsible for  
 (A) Inward curling of leaves in monocots.  
 (B) Protecting the plant from salt stress.  
 (C) Increased photosynthesis in monocots.  
 (D) Providing large spaces for storage of sugars.

**Ans.** (A)

**Sol.** In grasses, certain adaxial epidermal cells along the veins modify themselves into large, empty, colourless cells. These are called bulliform cells. When the bulliform cells in the leaves have absorbed water and are turgid, the leaf surface is exposed. When they are flaccid due to water stress, they make the leaves curl inwards to minimise water loss.

105. In the given figure, which component has thin outer walls and highly thickened inner walls?



(A) C

(B) D

(C) A

(D) B

**Ans.** (A)

**Sol.** Guard cells of stomata have thin outer wall and highly thickened inner walls.

106. What is the fate of a piece of DNA carrying only gene of interest which is transferred into an alien organism?

- A. The piece of DNA would be able to multiply itself independently in the progeny cells of the organism.  
 B. It may get integrated into the genome of the recipient.  
 C. It may multiply and be inherited along with the host DNA.  
 D. The alien piece of DNA is not an integral part of chromosome.  
 E. It shows ability to replicate.

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

(A) A and B only

(B) D and E only

(C) B and C only

(D) A and E only

**Ans.** (C)

**Sol.** Correct answer is option (C) because

The fate of a piece of DNA carrying only gene of interest which is transferred into an alien organism are:

- (B) It may get integrated into the genome of the recipient  
 (C) It may multiply and be inherited along with the host DNA

⇒ This piece of DNA would not be able to multiply itself in the progeny cells of the organism but when gets integrated into the genome of the recipient, it may multiply and be inherited along with the host DNA.

107. Given below are two statements:

**Statement I :** Bt toxins are insect group specific and coded by a gene *cry* IAc.

**Statement II :** Bt toxin exists as inactive protoxin in *B. thuringiensis*. However, after ingestion by the insect the inactive protoxin gets converted into active form due to acidic pH of the insect gut.

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

**Ans.** (C)

**Sol.** The correct answer is option (C) as specific Bt toxin genes were isolated from *Bacillus thuringiensis* and incorporated into the several crop plants such as cotton. The choice of genes depends upon the crop and the targeted pest as most Bt toxins are insect-group specific. The toxin is coded by a gene named *cry*. There are a number of them, for example, the proteins encoded by the genes *cry* IAc and *cry* IIAb control the cotton bollworms, that of *cry* IAb controls corn borer.

108. List of endangered species was released by

- (A) GEAC
- (B) WWF
- (C) FOAM
- (D) IUCN

**Ans.** (D)

**Sol.** List of endangered species was released by – IUCN.

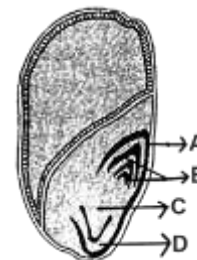
109. Identify the part of the seed from the given figure which is destined to form root when the seed germinates.

- (A) A
- (B) B
- (C) C
- (D) D

**Ans.** (C)

**Sol.** Radicle is destined to form root.

In the given diagram 'C' represent radicle



110. Match List I with List II

**List I**

- A. *Clostridium butylicum*
- B. *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*
- C. *Trichoderma polysporum*
- D. *Streptococcus sp.*

**List II**

- I. Ethanol
- II. Streptokinase
- III. Butyric acid
- IV. Cyclosporin-A

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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

**Ans.** (C)

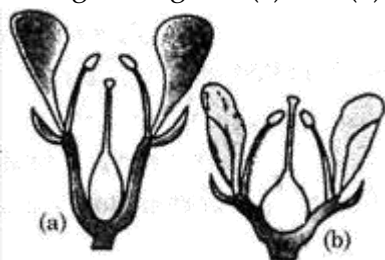
**Sol.** A. *Clostridium butylicum* – Butyric acid

B. *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* – Ethanol

C. *Trichoderma polysporum* – Cyclosporin-A

D. *Streptococcus sp.* – Streptokinase

111. Identify the type of flowers based on the position of calyx, corolla and androecium with respect to the ovary from the given figures (a) and (b)



- (A) (a) Epigynous; (b) Hypogynous (B) (a) Hypogynous; (b) Epigynous  
(C) (a) Perigynous; (b) Epigynous (D) (a) Perigynous; (b) Perigynous

Ans. (D)

Sol. If gynoecium is situated in the centre and other parts of the flower are located on the rim of the thalamus almost at the same level, it is called perigynous.  
Both diagram shows perigynous condition.

112. Auxin is used by gardeners to prepare weed-free lawns. But no damage is caused to grass as auxin  
(A) promotes apical dominance.  
(B) promotes abscission of mature leaves only.  
(C) does not affect mature monocotyledonous plants.  
(D) can help in cell division in grasses, to produce growth.

Ans. (C)

Sol. Auxin does not affect mature monocot plants. In monocots, especially grasses show limited translocation and cause rapid degradation of external auxin.

113. A pink flowered Snapdragon plant was crossed with a red flowered Snapdragon plant. What type of phenotype/s is/are expected in the progeny?  
(A) Only red flowered plants  
(B) Red flowered as well as pink flowered plants  
(C) Only pink flowered plants  
(D) Red, Pink as well as white flowered plants

Ans. (B)

Sol. Pink colour flower in snapdragon have genotype **Rr**  
Red flowered snapdragon have genotype **RR** when they both are crossed

|        |    |    |
|--------|----|----|
| ♂<br>♀ | R  | R  |
| R      | RR | RR |
| r      | Rr | Rr |

Phenotype

Red : Pink : White

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So the progeny that we get are red and pink flowered plants only

114. Which one of the following is not a criterion for classification of fungi?  
(A) Morphology of mycelium (B) Mode of nutrition  
(C) Mode of spore formation (D) Fruiting body

Ans. (B)

Sol. The morphology of the mycelium, mode of spore formation and fruiting bodies form the basis for the division of the kingdom fungi into various classes.

115. The lactose present in the growth medium of bacteria is transported to the cell by the action of  
(A) Beta-galactosidase (B) Acetylase (C) Permease (D) Polymerase

Ans. (C)

Sol. The  $y$  gene *lac* operon codes for permease enzyme, which increase the permeability of cell to  $\beta$ -galactosides.

So, the lactose present in the growth medium of bacteria is transported into the cell by the action of permease.

116. In a plant, black seed color (BB/Bb) is dominant over white seed color (bb). In order to find out the genotype of the black seed plant, with which of the following genotype will you cross it?  
(A) BB (B) bb (C) Bb (D) BB/Bb

Ans. (B)

Sol. To determine the genotype of a black seed colour at  $F_2$ , the black seed from  $F_2$  is crossed with the white seed colour. This is called a test cross.

$\therefore$  To determine the genotype of (BB/Bb) black seed we need to cross them with white seed *i.e.* bb.

117. Given below are two statements:

**Statement I :** Parenchyma is living but collenchyma is dead tissue.

**Statement II :** Gymnosperms lack xylem vessels but presence of xylem vessels is the characteristic of angiosperms.

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

Ans. (D)

Sol. Collenchyma is also living tissue.

Gymnosperm lack xylem vessels but presence of xylem vessels is the characteristic of angiosperm.

118. How many molecules of ATP and NADPH are required for every molecule of  $\text{CO}_2$  fixed in the Calvin cycle?  
(A) 2 molecules of ATP and 3 molecules of NADPH  
(B) 2 molecules of ATP and 2 molecules of NADPH  
(C) 3 molecules of ATP and 3 molecules of NADPH  
(D) 3 molecules of ATP and 2 molecules of NADPH

Ans. (D)

Sol. For fixation of 1 molecule of  $\text{CO}_2$  in Calvin cycle 3 ATP molecules and 2 NADPH molecules are required.

119. A transcription unit in DNA is defined primarily by the three regions in DNA and these are with respect to upstream and down stream end;  
(A) Repressor, Operator gene, Structural gene (B) Structural gene, Transposons, Operator gene  
(C) Inducer, Repressor, Structural gene (D) Promotor, Structural gene, Terminator

Ans. (D)

Sol. A transcription unit of DNA is defined primarily by the three regions in the DNA:

- (i) A promoter (ii) The structural gene (iii) A terminator

The promoter is said to be located towards 5'-end (upstream) of the structural gene (the reference is made with respect to the polarity of coding strand)

The terminator is located towards 3'-end (downstream) of the coding strand.

- 120.** Tropical regions show greatest level of species richness because
- Tropical latitudes have remained relatively undisturbed for millions of years, hence more time was available for species diversification.
  - Tropical environments are more seasonal.
  - More solar energy is available in tropics.
  - Constant environments promote niche specialization.
  - Tropical environments are constant and predictable. Choose the correct answer from the options given below.

(A) A, C, D and E only

(B) A and B only

(C) A, B and E only

(D) A, B and D only

**Ans.** (A)

**Sol.** Only statement B is incorrect because tropical environments unlike temperate ones, are less seasonal, relatively more constant and predictable.  
Thus statements A, C, D and E are correct.

- 121.** The equation of Verhulst-Pearl logistic growth is  $\frac{dN}{dt} = rN \left[ \frac{K - N}{K} \right]$ .

From this equation, K indicates:

(A) Intrinsic rate of natural increase

(B) Biotic potential

(C) Carrying capacity (D) Population density

**Ans.** (C)

**Sol.** In the equation  $\frac{dN}{dt} = rN \left[ \frac{K - N}{K} \right]$ , K represents carrying capacity.

- 122.** Inhibition of Succinic dehydrogenase enzyme by malonate is a classical example of:

(A) Cofactor inhibition

(B) Feedback inhibition

(C) Competitive inhibition

(D) Enzyme activation

**Ans.** (C)

**Sol.** Correct answer is option (C) because malonate shows close structural similarity with the substrate and it competes with the substrate for the substrate binding site of the enzyme succinic dehydrogenase. Option (A), (B) and (D) are incorrect as enzyme activation, co-factor inhibition are not showing structural similarity with substrate.

- 123.** Which one of the following can be explained on the basis of Mendel's Law of Dominance ?

A. Out of one pair of factors one is dominant and the other is recessive.

B. Alleles do not show any expression and both the characters appear as such in F<sub>2</sub> generation.

C. Factors occur in pairs in normal diploid plants.

D. The discrete unit controlling a particular character is called factor.

E. The expression of only one of the parental characters is found in a monohybrid cross. Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

(A) A, B and C only

(B) A, C, D and E only

(C) B, C and D only

(D) A, B, C, D and E

**Ans.** (B)

**Sol.** According to Law of Dominance

(A) Characters are controlled by discrete units called factors

(B) Factors occur in pairs

(C) In a dissimilar pair of factors one member of the pair dominates (dominant) the other recessive  
The law of dominance is used to explain the expression of only one of the parental characters in a monohybrid cross.

Law of segregation is based on the fact that the alleles do not show any expression and both the characters are recovered as such in F<sub>2</sub> generation

## 124. Match List I with List II

|    | List-I          |      | List-II                                 |
|----|-----------------|------|-----------------------------------------|
| A. | Nucleolus       | I.   | Site of formation of glycolipid         |
| B. | Centriole       | II.  | Organization like the cartwheel         |
| C. | Leucoplasts     | III. | Site for active ribosomal RNA synthesis |
| D. | Golgi apparatus | IV.  | For storing nutrients                   |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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

**Ans. (A)**

- Sol.**
- Nucleolus is a site for active ribosomal RNA synthesis
  - Both the centrioles in a centrosome lie perpendicular to each other in which each has an organisation like the cartwheel.
  - Leucoplasts are the colourless plastids of varied shapes and sizes with stored nutrients.
  - Golgi apparatus is the important site for formation of glycoproteins and glycolipids.

125. Identify the set of **correct** statements:

- A. The flowers of *Vallisneria* are colourful and produce nectar.  
 B. The flowers of water lily are not pollinated by water.  
 C. In most of water-pollinated species, the pollen grains are protected from wetting.  
 D. Pollen grains of some hydrophytes are long and ribbon like.  
 E. In some hydrophytes, the pollen grains are carried passively inside water. Choose the correct answer from the options given below.

- (A) C, D and E only  
 (B) A, B, C and D only  
 (C) A, C, D and E only  
 (D) B, C, D and E only

**Ans. (D)**

- Sol.** Flowers of *Vallisneria* are not colourful and do not produce nectar. Waterlily is pollinated by insect or wind. In water-pollinated species, pollen grains are protected from wetting by a mucilaginous covering. In some hydrophytes such as *Vallisneria* pollen grains are carried passively by water current.

## 126. Match List I with List II

|    | List-I          |      | List-II     |
|----|-----------------|------|-------------|
| A. | <i>Rhizopus</i> | I.   | Mushroom    |
| B. | <i>Ustilago</i> | II.  | Smut fungus |
| C. | <i>Puccinia</i> | III. | Bread mould |
| D. | <i>Agaricus</i> | IV.  | Rust fungus |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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

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

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

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

**Ans. (A)**

**Sol.** *Rhizopus* is a bread mould fungus. *Ustilago* is a smut fungi. *Puccinia* is known as rust fungi. *Agaricus* is commonly called mushroom. A-III  
B-II C-IV D-I

127. Hind II always cuts DNA molecules at a particular point called recognition sequence and it consists of :

(A) 8 bp

(B) 6 bp

(C) 4 bp

(D) 10 bp

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** The correct answer is option (B).

The first restriction endonuclease - *Hind II*, whose functioning depends on a specific DNA nucleotide sequence was isolated. It was found that *Hind II* always cut DNA molecules at a particular point by recognising sequence of six base pairs.

Option (A), (C) and (D) are incorrect because they have either more than 6 or less than 6 bp.

128. Which of the following is an example of actinomorphic flower ?

(A) *Datura*

(B) *Cassia*

(C) *Pisum*

(D) *Sesbania*

**Ans. (A)**

**Sol.** *Datura* shows actinomorphic flower. In *Cassia*, *Pisum* and *Sesbania*, zygomorphic flowers are seen.

129. The type of conservation in which the threatened species are taken out from their natural habitat and placed in special setting where they can be protected and given special care is called

(A) *in-situ* conservation

(B) Biodiversity conservation

(C) Semi-conservative method

(D) Sustainable development

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** The type of conservation in which threatened species are taken out from their natural habitat and placed in special setting where they can be protected and given special care is called *ex-situ* conservation which is a type of biodiversity conservation.

130. Given below are two statements:

**Statement I :** Chromosomes become gradually visible under light microscope during leptotene stage.

**Statement II :** The beginning of diplotene stage is recognized by dissolution of synaptonemal complex. 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

**Ans. (A)**

**Sol.** During leptotene stage the chromosomes become gradually visible under the light microscope. The beginning of diplotene is recognised by the dissolution of the synaptonemal complex and the tendency of the recombined homologous chromosomes of the bivalents to separate from each other except at the site of crossover. Thus both statement I and II are correct.

131. Formation of interfascicular cambium from fully developed parenchyma cells is an example for

- (A) Differentiation
- (B) Redifferentiation
- (C) Dedifferentiation
- (D) Maturation

**Ans. (C)**

**Sol.** The phenomenon of formation of interfascicular cambium from fully differentiated parenchyma cells is called dedifferentiation.

132. The capacity to generate a whole plant from any cell of the plant is called:

- (A) Totipotency
- (B) Micropropagation
- (C) Differentiation
- (D) Somatic hybridization

**Ans. (A)**

**Sol.** Totipotency is defined as the capacity to generate a whole plant from any cell of the plant.

133. Match List I with List II

**List I**

- A. Two or more alternative forms of a gene
- B. Cross of  $F_1$  progeny with homozygous
- C. Cross of  $F_1$  progeny with any of the parents
- D. Number of chromosome sets in plant

**List II**

- I. Back cross
- II. Ploidy recessive parent
- III. Allele
- IV. Test cross

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

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

**Ans. (C)**

**Sol.** A. Two or more alternative forms of gene are called alleles.  
B. Cross of  $F_1$  progeny with homozygous recessive parent is a test cross.  
C. Cross of  $F_1$  progeny with any of the parents is a back cross.  
D. Number of chromosome sets in plant is called ploidy.

- 134.** The cofactor of the enzyme carboxypeptidase is:  
(A) Zinc (B) Niacin (C) Flavin (D) Haem

**Ans. (A)**

**Sol.** The correct answer is option (A) as the cofactor of the enzyme carboxypeptidase is zinc.

Niacin is associated with coenzyme NAD and NADP.

Option (D) is incorrect as haem is the prosthetic group in peroxidase and catalase.

- 135.** These are regarded as major causes of biodiversity loss:

- A. Over exploitation
- B. Co-extinction
- C. Mutation
- D. Habitat loss and fragmentation
- E. Migration

Choose the correct option:

- (A) A, C and D only
- (B) A, B, C and D only
- (C) A, B and E only
- (D) A, B and D only

**Ans. (D)**

**Sol.** Major causes of biodiversity losses are

- (A) Habitat loss and fragmentation
- (B) Over-exploitation
- (C) Alien species invasions
- (D) Co-extinctions

Hence correct option is A, B and D only.

## SECTION-B

136. Match List I with List II

**List I (Types of Stamens)**

- A. Monoadelphous
- B. Diadelphous
- C. Polyadelphous
- D. Epiphyllous

**List II (Example)**

- I. Citrus
- II. Pea
- III. Lily
- IV. China-rose

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

**Ans. (A)****Sol.** In China rose monoadelphous androecium is present.

Diadelphous androecium is found in pea plant. Polyadelphous androecium is found in citrus. Epiphyllous androecium is found in lily.

137. Match List-I with List-II

**List-I**

- A. GLUT-4
- B. Insulin
- C. Trypsin
- D. Collagen

**List-II**

- I. Hormone
- II. Enzyme
- III. Intercellular ground substance
- IV. Enables glucose transport into cells

Choose the correct answer from the options given below.

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

**Ans. (A)****Sol.** Correct answer is option (A)

- |             |                                          |
|-------------|------------------------------------------|
| A. GLUT-4   | IV. Enables glucose transport into cells |
| B. Insulin  | I. Hormone                               |
| C. Trypsin  | II. Enzyme                               |
| D. Collagen | III. Intercellular ground substance      |

138. Identify the step in tricarboxylic acid cycle, which does not involve oxidation of substrate.

- |                                               |                                                          |
|-----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|
| (A) Malic acid $\rightarrow$ Oxaloacetic acid | (B) Succinic acid $\rightarrow$ Malic acid               |
| (C) Succinyl-CoA $\rightarrow$ Succinic acid  | (D) Isocitrate $\rightarrow$ $\alpha$ -ketoglutaric acid |

**Ans. (C)**

**Sol.** Oxidation involves the loss of electrons (often as part of hydrogen) from a molecule, leaving to an increase in its oxidation state. This process is typically associated with the transfer of electrons to an electron acceptor which is reduced in the process.

The conversion of succinyl CoA to succinic acid does not involve oxidation of substrate.

## 139. Match List I with List II

|    | List I                    |      | List II                             |
|----|---------------------------|------|-------------------------------------|
| A. | Citric acid cycle         | I.   | Cytoplasm                           |
| B. | Glycolysis                | II.  | Mitochondrial matrix                |
| C. | Electron transport system | III. | Intermembrane space of mitochondria |
| D. | Proton gradient           | IV.  | Inner mitochondrial membrane        |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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

Ans. (B)

**Sol.** Citric acid cycle occurs in mitochondrial matrix.

Glycolysis occurs in cytosol in most of the organism.

Electron transport system is present in the inner mitochondrial membrane. Proton gradient is formed across the intermembrane space of mitochondria.

## 140. Match List I with List II

**List I**

- A. Frederick Griffith I. Genetic code  
 B. Francois Jacob & Jacque Monod  
 C. Har Gobind Khorana  
 D. Meselson & Stahl IV. Lac operon

**List II**

- II. Semi-conservative mode of DNA replication  
 III. Transformation

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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

Ans. (B)

**Sol.** Frederick Griffith series of experiment witness miraculous transformation in the bacteria.

The elucidation of *Lac* operon was a result of a close association between geneticist, Francois Jacob and a biochemist, Jacques Monod.

Meselson and Stahl gave semi-conservative mode of DNA replication.

Har Gobind Khorana developed chemical method to define combination of bases in genetic code.

141. Given below are two statements:

**Statement I:** In  $C_3$  plants, some  $O_2$  binds to RuBisCO, hence  $CO_2$  fixation is decreased.

**Statement II:** In  $C_4$  plants, mesophyll cells show very little photorespiration while bundle sheath cells do not show photorespiration.

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

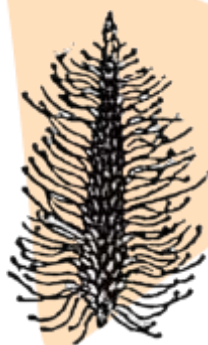
- (A) Both Statement I and Statement II are true
- (B) Both Statement I and Statement II are false
- (C) Statement I is true but Statement II is false
- (D) Statement I is false but Statement II is true

Ans. (C)

**Sol.** In  $C_3$  plant, some  $O_2$  bind to RuBisCO, and hence  $CO_2$  fixation is decreased.

Statement II is incorrect, photorespiration does not occur in  $C_4$  plants as they lack RuBisCO in mesophyll. Hence statement I is the only correct option.

142. Identify the correct description about the given figure:



- (A) Wind pollinated plant inflorescence showing flowers with well exposed stamens.
- (B) Water pollinated flowers showing stamens with mucilaginous covering.
- (C) Cleistogamous flowers showing autogamy.
- (D) Compact inflorescence showing complete autogamy

Ans. (A)

**Sol.** The given diagram shows a wind pollinated plant showing compact inflorescence and well exposed stamens.

Stamens are exposed so complete autogamy does not occur.

143. Match List I with List II

**List I**

- A. Rose
- B. Pea
- C. Cotton
- D. Mango

**List II**

- I. Twisted aestivation
- II. Perigynous flower
- III. Drupe
- IV. Marginal placentation

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

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

Ans. (A)

**Sol.** Rose have half-inferior ovary, thus it is known as Perigynous flower.

In Pea, the placenta form a ridge along the ventral suture of the ovary and ovules are borne on this ridge forming two rows.

In Cotton, twisted aestivation is present. In Mango, fruit is drupe.

- 144.** Read the following statements and choose the set of correct statements: In the members of Phaeophyceae,
- A. Asexual reproduction occurs usually by biflagellate zoospores.
  - B. Sexual reproduction is by oogamous method only.
  - C. Stored food is in the form of carbohydrates which is either mannitol or laminarin.
  - D. The major pigments found are chlorophyll a, c and carotenoids and xanthophyll.
  - E. Vegetative cells have a cellulosic wall, usually covered on the outside by gelatinous coating of algin. Choose the correct answer from the options given below:
- (A) A, B, C and D only
  - (B) B, C, D and E only
  - (C) A, C, D and E only
  - (D) A, B, C and E only

**Ans.** (C)

**Sol.** In members of Phaeophyceae sexual reproduction is by oogamous, isogamous or anisogamous methods.

Therefore correct set of statements are A, C, D and E.

- 145.** In an ecosystem if the Net Primary Productivity (NPP) of first trophic level is  $100x \text{ (kcal m}^{-2}\text{) yr}^{-1}$ , what would be the GPP (Gross Primary Productivity) of the third trophic level of the same ecosystem?
- (A)  $\frac{x}{10} \text{ (kcal m}^{-2}\text{) yr}^{-1}$
  - (B)  $x \text{ (kcal m}^{-2}\text{) yr}^{-1}$
  - (C)  $10x \text{ (kcal m}^{-2}\text{) yr}^{-1}$
  - (D)  $\frac{100x}{3x} \text{ (kcal m}^{-2}\text{) yr}^{-1}$

**Ans.** (C)

**Sol.** NPP at first trophic level would be the GPP for second trophic level. NPP at second trophic level would be GPP for third trophic level. Therefore,  $100x \text{ (kcal/m}^2\text{/yr)}$  would be GPP at second trophic level and  $100x \times 10\% \text{ (kcal/m}^2\text{/yr)}$  i.e.,  $10x \text{ (kcal/m}^2\text{/yr)}$  energy would be GPP at third trophic level.

- 146.** Which of the following statement is correct regarding the process of replication in *E.coli*?
- (A) The DNA dependent DNA polymerase catalyses polymerization in one direction that is  $3' \rightarrow 5'$
  - (B) The DNA dependent RNA polymerase catalyses polymerization in one direction, that is  $5' \rightarrow 3'$
  - (C) The DNA dependent DNA polymerase catalyses polymerization in  $5' \rightarrow 3'$  as well as  $3' \rightarrow 5'$  direction
  - (D) The DNA dependent DNA polymerase catalyses polymerization in  $5' \rightarrow 3'$  direction

**Ans.** (D)

**Sol.** In Prokaryotes, like *E.coli* during replication, the DNA dependent DNA polymerase catalyse polymerization only in one direction, that is  $5' \rightarrow 3'$

**147.** Which of the following are fused in somatic hybridization involving two varieties of plants?

- (A) Callus
- (B) Somatic embryos
- (C) Protoplasts
- (D) Pollens

**Ans. (C)**

**Sol.** Protoplast of two varieties of plants are fused in somatic hybridization.

**148.** Spraying sugarcane crop with which of the following plant growth regulators, increases the length of stem, thus, increasing the yield?

- (A) Auxin
- (B) Gibberellin
- (C) Cytokinin
- (D) Absciscic acid

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** Sugarcanes store carbohydrate as sugar in their stems. Spraying sugarcane crop with gibberellins increases the length of the stem, thus increasing the yield.

**149.** Match List I with List II

**List I**

- A. Robert May
- B. Alexander von Humboldt
- C. Paul Ehrlich
- D. David Tilman

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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

**List II**

- I. Species-Area relationship
- II. Long term ecosystem experiment using out door plots
- III. Global species diversity at about 7 million
- IV. Rivet popper hypothesis

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

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** Robert May places the global species diversity at about 7 million.

Alexander von Humboldt gave species-area relationship.

Paul Ehrlich used an analogy "Rivet popper hypothesis" to explain the role of species in the ecosystem. David Tilman performed long term ecosystem experiments using out door plots.

**150.** The DNA present in chloroplast is:

- (A) Linear, double stranded
- (B) Circular, double stranded
- (C) Linear, single stranded
- (D) Circular, single stranded

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** The DNA present in chloroplast is circular double stranded.

151. Match List I with List II :

|    | List I      |      | List II      |
|----|-------------|------|--------------|
| A. | Common cold | I.   | Plasmodium   |
| B. | Haemozoin   | II.  | Typhoid      |
| C. | Widal test  | III. | Rhinoviruses |
| D. | Allergy     | IV.  | Dust mites   |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

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

Ans. (C)

Sol. Correct answer is option (C) because

- Common cold is caused by Rhinoviruses
- Haemozoin is released in blood due to ruptured RBCs after *Plasmodium* infection.
- Widal test is used to confirm the typhoid fever.
- Allergy is caused due to dust mites.

152. Match List I with List II :

|    | List I    |      | List II                       |
|----|-----------|------|-------------------------------|
| A. | Cocaine   | I.   | Effective sedative in surgery |
| B. | Heroin    | II.  | Cannabis sativa               |
| C. | Morphine  | III. | Erythroxylum                  |
| D. | Marijuana | IV.  | Papaver somniferum            |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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

Ans. (D)

Sol. The correct option is (D) as

- A. Cocaine – Obtained from plant *Erythroxylum coca*, stimulating action on CNS.  
 B. Heroin – Formed by the acetylation of morphine which is obtained from plant *Papaver somniferum*.  
 C. Morphine – Obtained from *Papaver somniferum*, is an effective sedative in surgery.  
 D. Marijuana – Obtained from *Cannabis sativa*, produces hallucinogenic effect and affects cardiovascular system of the body.

153. Match List I with List II :

**List I**

- A. Fibrous joints
- B. Cartilaginous joints
- C. Hinge joints
- D. Ball and socket joints

**List II**

- I. Adjacent vertebrae, limited movement
- II. Humerus and Pectoral girdle, rotational movement
- III. Skull, don't allow any movement
- IV. Knee, help in locomotion

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

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

**Ans. (D)**

**Sol.** The correct answer is option no. (D) as

- Fibrous joints do not allow any movement. This type of joint is shown by the flat skull bones which fuse end-to-end with the help of dense fibrous connective tissues in the form of sutures.
- Cartilaginous joint is present between the adjacent vertebrae in the vertebral column and this permits limited movements.
- Hinge joint is a type of synovial joint present in knee, help in locomotion
- Ball and socket joint is also a type of synovial joint present between humerus and pectoral girdle and allows rotational movement.

154. Which of the following are Autoimmune disorders?

- A. Myasthenia gravis
- B. Rheumatoid arthritis
- C. Gout
- D. Muscular dystrophy
- E. Systemic Lupus Erythematosus (SLE)

Choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

- (A) A, B & D only
- (B) A, B & E only
- (C) B, C & E only
- (D) C, D & E only

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** The correct answer is option (B) as Myasthenia gravis, Rheumatoid arthritis and Systemic Lupus Erythematosus (SLE) are autoimmune disorders.

Muscular dystrophy is a genetic disorder which progressively affects the skeletal muscles. Gout is the inflammation of joints due to deposition of uric acid crystals.

Option (A), (C) and (D) are not the correct answer because all of them are not autoimmune disorders.

155. Which of the following is not a component of Fallopian tube?

- (A) Uterine fundus (B) Isthmus  
(C) Infundibulum (D) Ampulla

Ans. (A)

Sol. The correct answer is option (A) as uterine fundus is the upper, dome-shaped part of the uterus, above the opening of fallopian tubes.

- Option (B) is incorrect as isthmus is the last and narrow part of the oviduct that links to the uterus.
- Option (C) is incorrect as infundibulum is the part of oviduct which is closer to the ovary.
- Option (D) is incorrect as ampulla is the wider part of the oviduct.

ss in the replication of Plasmid.

(B) The gene 'X' is responsible for controlling the copy number of the linked DNA and 'Y' for protein involved in the replication of Plasmid.

(C) The gene 'X' is for protein involved in replication of Plasmid and 'Y' for resistance to antibiotics.

(D) Gene 'X' is responsible for recognitions sites and 'Y' is responsible for antibiotic resistance.

156. The flippers of the Penguins and Dolphins are the example of the

- (A) Adaptive radiation (B) Natural selection  
(C) Convergent evolution (D) Divergent evolution

Ans. (C)

Sol. the process where unrelated or distantly related organisms independently evolve similar traits in response to similar environmental pressures or ecological niches

157. Match List I with List II:

|    | List I                     |      | List II         |
|----|----------------------------|------|-----------------|
| A. | $\alpha$ -1 antitrypsin    | I.   | Cotton bollworm |
| B. | Cry IAb                    | II.  | ADA deficiency  |
| C. | Cry IAc                    | III. | Emphysema       |
| D. | Enzyme replacement therapy | IV.  | Corn borer      |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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

Ans. (C)

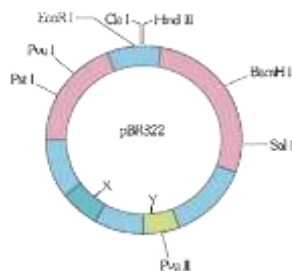
Sol. A  $\rightarrow$  III:  $\alpha$ -1 antitrypsin  $\rightarrow$  Emphysema

- B  $\rightarrow$  IV: Cry IAb  $\rightarrow$  Corn borer
- C  $\rightarrow$  I: Cry IAc  $\rightarrow$  Cotton bollworm
- D  $\rightarrow$  II: Enzyme replacement therapy  $\rightarrow$  ADA deficiency

This matching aligns each item in List I with its corresponding item in List II based on their relationships in medicine and biotechnology.

158. The following diagram showing restriction sites in E. coli cloning vector pBR322.

Find the role of 'X' and 'Y' genes.



(A) The gene 'X' is responsible for resistance to antibiotics and 'Y' for protein involved in the replication of Plasmid.

(B) The gene 'X' is responsible for controlling the copy number of the linked DNA and 'Y' for protein involved in the replication of Plasmid.

(C) The gene 'X' is for protein involved in replication of Plasmid and 'Y' for resistance to antibiotics.

(D) Gene 'X' is responsible for recognition sites and 'Y' is responsible for antibiotic resistance

Ans. (A)

Sol. In pBR322, gene 'X' ( $tet^r$ ) gives antibiotic resistance (tetracycline), while gene 'Y' (ori) is the origin of replication, enabling plasmid replication in E. coli.

159. Given below are two statements: One is labelled as Assertion A and the other is labelled as Reason R:

**Assertion A :** Breast-feeding during initial period of infant growth is recommended by doctors for bringing a healthy baby.

**Reason R :** Colostrum contains several antibodies absolutely essential to develop resistance for the new born baby.

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

(A) Both A and R are correct and R is the correct explanation of A

(B) 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

Ans. (A)

Sol. Correct answer is option (A)

Breast-feeding during initial period of infant growth is recommended by doctors for bringing a healthy baby as colostrum contains several antibodies absolutely essential to develop resistance for the new born baby.

160. The "Ti plasmid" of *Agrobacterium tumefaciens* stands for

(A) Tumour inhibiting plasmid

(B) Tumor independent plasmid

(C) Tumor inducing plasmid

(D) Temperature independent plasmid

Ans. (C)

Sol. The correct answer is option (C) as Ti plasmid of *Agrobacterium tumefaciens* is tumor inducing plasmid, containing T-DNA which causes tumor in several dicot plants.

Options (A), (B) and (D) are not correct.

161. Match List I with List II :

|    | List I        |      | List II      |
|----|---------------|------|--------------|
| A. | Pleurobrachia | I.   | Mollusca     |
| B. | Radula        | II.  | Ctenophora   |
| C. | Stomochord    | III. | Osteichthyes |
| D. | Air bladder   | IV.  | Hemichordata |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

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

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

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

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

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** The correct answer is option (B) as

A. Pleurobrachia – is a member of phylum Ctenophora.

B. Radula – is a rasping feeding organ present in phylum Mollusca.

C. Stomochord – Rudimentary structure similar to notochord found in the collar region of members of phylum Hemichordata.

D. Air bladder – is found in Osteichthyes which provides them buoyancy.

162. Given below are some stages of human evolution. Arrange them in correct sequence. (Past to Recent)

A. Homo habilis

B. Homo sapiens

C. Homo neanderthalensis

D. Homo erectus

Choose the correct sequence of human evolution from the options given below:

(A) D-A-C-B

(B) B-A-D-C

(C) C-B-D-A

(D) A-D-C-B

**Ans. (D)**

**Sol.** Correct answer is option (D) because the correct sequence of stages of human evolution from past to recent is

Homo habilis → Homo erectus → Homo neanderthalensis → Homo sapiens

163. Which of the following is not a steroid hormone?

(A) Cortisol

(B) Testosterone

(C) Progesterone

(D) Glucagon

**Ans. (D)**

**Sol.** The correct answer is option (D) as glucagon is a proteinaceous hormone secreted from pancreas.

Options (A), (B) and (C) are not correct as they are steroid in nature.

- 164.** In both sexes of cockroach, a pair of jointed filamentous structures called anal cerci are present on
- (A) 5<sup>th</sup> segment  
 (B) 10<sup>th</sup> segment  
 (C) 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> segment  
 (D) 11<sup>th</sup> segment

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** Correct answer is option (B), because in both sexes of cockroach, 10<sup>th</sup> segment bears a pair of jointed filamentous structures called anal cerci.

Options (A), (C) and (D) are incorrect because 5<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> segments do not bear such structures. In adult cockroaches only 10<sup>th</sup> segments are present in abdomen. 11<sup>th</sup> abdominal segment is absent.

- 165.** Which one of the following factors will not affect the Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium?
- (A) Genetic recombination  
 (B) Genetic drift  
 (C) Gene migration  
 (D) Constant gene pool

**Ans. (D)**

**Sol.** The correct answer is option (D) as a constant gene pool will not disturb the Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium. Option (A), (B) & (C) will affect the equilibrium leading to evolution.

- 166.** Match List I with List II :

|    | List I       |      | List II                                                               |
|----|--------------|------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| A. | Pons         | I.   | Provides additional space for Neurons, regulates posture and balance. |
| B. | Hypothalamus | II.  | Controls respiration and gastric secretions.                          |
| C. | Medulla      | III. | Connects different regions of the brain.                              |
| D. | Cerebellum   | IV.  | Neuro secretory cells                                                 |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

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

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** The correct answer is option (B) as

|    |                   |   |                                                                                                                            |
|----|-------------------|---|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| A. | Pons              | - | Part of hindbrain, it connects different regions of the brain.                                                             |
| B. | Hypothalamus      | - | Also have neuro secretory cells which secrete hormones.                                                                    |
| C. | Medulla oblongata | - | Part of hindbrain which controls respiration and gastric secretions.                                                       |
| D. | Cerebellum        | - | Part of hindbrain with convoluted surface which provides additional space for neurons, also regulates posture and balance. |

167. Match List I with List II :

|    | List I                 |      | List II                     |
|----|------------------------|------|-----------------------------|
| A. | Down's syndrome        | I.   | 11 <sup>th</sup> chromosome |
| B. | $\alpha$ -Thalassemia  | II.  | 'X' chromosome              |
| C. | $\beta$ -Thalassemia   | III. | 21 <sup>st</sup> chromosome |
| D. | Klinefelter's syndrome | IV.  | 16 <sup>th</sup> chromosome |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

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

Ans. (C)

**Sol.** Down's syndrome is due to presence of an additional copy of chromosome number 21. Klinefelter's syndrome is caused due to presence of an additional copy of X-chromosome.  $\alpha$ -Thalassemia is controlled by two closely linked genes on chromosome 16 of each parent.  $\beta$ -Thalassemia is controlled by a single gene HBB on chromosome 11 of each parent.

168. Which one is the correct product of DNA dependent RNA polymerase to the given template?

3'TACATGGCAAATATCCATTCA5'

- (A) 5'AUGUACCGUUUAUAGGUAAGU3'  
 (B) 5'AUGUAAAGUUUAUAGGUAAGU3'  
 (C) 5'AUGUACCGUUUAUAGGGAAGU3'  
 (D) 5'ATGTACCGTTTATAGGTAAGT3'

Ans. (A)

**Sol.** Template DNA is : 3'TACATGGCAAATATCCATTCA5'  
 '5'AUGUACCGUUUAUAGGUAAGU3' m-RNA

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

**Assertion A :** FSH acts upon ovarian follicles in female and Leydig cells in male.

**Reason R :** Growing ovarian follicles secrete estrogen in female while interstitial cells secrete androgen in male human being.

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

Ans. (D)

**Sol.** The correct answer is option (D) as FSH is a gonadotropin affects ovarian follicles in females and causes their growth but in males LH affects Leydig cells leading to secretion of androgens. Growing ovarian follicles secrete estrogen in females while interstitial cells secrete androgen in male human being.  
 Hence, Assertion is false and Reason is true.

170. Which of the following is not a natural/traditional contraceptive method?

- (A) Coitus interruptus
- (B) Periodic abstinence
- (C) Lactational amenorrhea
- (D) Vaults

Ans. (D)

Sol. The correct answer is option (D) as

Vault is a barrier method of contraception which is made of rubber that is inserted into the female reproductive tract to cover the cervix during the coitus.

- Option (A) is incorrect as coitus interruptus is a natural method of contraception in which male partner withdraws his penis from the vagina just before ejaculation so as to avoid insemination.
- Option (B) is incorrect as periodic abstinence is also a natural method of contraception in which couples avoid coitus during the fertile period.

Option (C) is incorrect as lactational amenorrhea is also a natural method of contraception which is based on the fact that ovulation and therefore the cycle do not occur during the period of intense lactational following parturition.

171. Match List I with List II

|    | List I                |      | List II       |
|----|-----------------------|------|---------------|
| A. | Non-medicated IUD     | I.   | Multiload 375 |
| B. | Copper releasing IUD  | II.  | Progestogens  |
| C. | Hormone releasing IUD | III. | Lippes loop   |
| D. | Implants              | IV.  | LNG-20        |

Choose the correct answer from the option given below:

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

Ans. (D)

Sol. Correct answer is option (D) because

- Lippes loop is a non-medicated IUD.
- Multiload 375 is a copper releasing IUD.
- LNG -20 is a hormone releasing IUD.
- Progestogens are used as implants.

172. Consider the following statements :

- A. Annelids are true coelomates
- B. Poriferans are pseudocoelomates
- C. Aschelminthes are acoelomates
- D. Platyhelminthes are pseudocoelomates

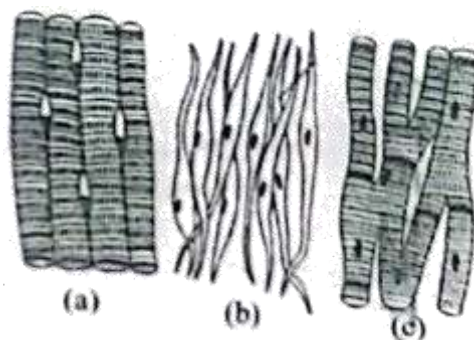
Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

- (A) B only
- (B) A only
- (C) C only
- (D) D only

Ans. (B)

Sol. The correct answer is option no. (B), because annelids are true coelomate animals. Options (A), (C) and (D) are incorrect because poriferans are acoelomates, aschelminthes are pseudocoelomates and platyhelminthes are acoelomates.

173. Three types of muscles are given as a, b and c. Identify the correct matching pair along with their location in human body:



Name of muscle/location

- (A) (a) Smooth - Toes  
 (b) Skeletal - Legs  
 (c) Cardiac - Heart  
 (B) (a) Skeletal - Triceps  
 (b) Smooth - Stomach  
 (c) Cardiac - Heart  
 (C) (a) Skeletal - Biceps  
 (b) Involuntary - Intestine  
 (c) Smooth - Heart  
 (D) (a) Involuntary - Nose tip  
 (b) Skeletal - Bone  
 (c) Cardiac - Heart

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** The correct answer is option (B) as

Figure (a) represents skeletal muscle fibres which are closely attached to skeletal bones. In a typical muscle such as triceps and biceps, striated muscle fibres are bundled together in a parallel fashion. Figure (b) represents smooth muscle fibres which are present in the wall of internal organs such as the blood vessels, stomach and intestine.

Figure (c) represents cardiac muscle fibres which are exclusively present in the heart.

174. Following are the stages of pathway for conduction of an action potential through the heart

- A. AV bundle                      B. Purkinje fibres  
 C. AV node                        D. Bundle branches  
 E. SA node

Choose the correct sequence of pathway from the options given below

- (A) E-C-A-D-B                                      (B) A-E-C-B-D  
 (C) B-D-E-C-A                                      (D) E-A-D-B-C

**Ans. (A)**

**Sol.** Correct answer is option (A) because the correct pathway of conduction of action potential is SA → AV node → AV bundle → Bundle branches → Purkinje fibres

175. Match List I with List II :

|    | List-I   |      | List-II             |
|----|----------|------|---------------------|
| A. | Lipase   | I.   | Peptide bond        |
| B. | Nuclease | II.  | Ester bond          |
| C. | Protease | III. | Glycosidic bond     |
| D. | Amylase  | IV.  | Phosphodiester bond |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

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

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

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

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

Ans. (C)

Sol. The correct answer is option (C) as

|    |          |   |                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|----|----------|---|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| A. | Lipase   | - | Digests ester bond found in lipids.                                                                                                                                                                 |
| B. | Nuclease | - | Helps in digestion of phosphodiester bonds found in nucleic acids.                                                                                                                                  |
| C. | Protease | - | Helps in digestion of peptide bond found in proteins.                                                                                                                                               |
| D. | Amylase  | - | Digests/breaks the glycosidic bonds found in carbohydrates i.e., digest starch into smaller molecules, ultimately yielding maltose, which in turn is cleaved into two glucose molecules by maltase. |

176. Match List I with List II :

#### List I

A. Axoneme

B. Cartwheel pattern

C. Crista

D. Satellite

#### List II

I. Centriole

III. Chromosome

IV. Mitochondria

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

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

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

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

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

Ans. (D)

Sol.

- Axoneme is seen in cilia and flagella
- Centriole shows cartwheel appearance
- Crista is found in mitochondria
- Satellite is present in chromosomes

177. Match List I with List II :

|    | List I<br>(Sub Phases of Prophase I) |      | List II<br>(Specific Characters)           |
|----|--------------------------------------|------|--------------------------------------------|
| A. | Diakinesis                           | I.   | Synaptonemal complex formation             |
| B. | Pachytene                            | II.  | Completion of terminalisation of chiasmata |
| C. | Zygotene                             | III. | Chromosomes look like thin threads         |
| D. | Leptotene                            | IV.  | Appearance of recombination nodules        |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below

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

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

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

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

**Ans. (C)**

**Sol.** (A) Diakinesis – Completion of terminalisation of chiasmata

(B) Pachytene – Appearance of recombination nodules

(C) Zygotene – Synaptonemal complex formation

(D) Leptotene – Chromosomes look like thin threads

178. Which of the following factors are favourable for the formation of oxyhaemoglobin in alveoli?

(A) High  $pO_2$  and High  $pCO_2$

(B) High  $pO_2$  and Lesser  $H^+$  concentration

(C) Low  $pCO_2$  and High  $H^+$  concentration

(D) Low  $pCO_2$  and High temperature

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** The correct answer is option (B) as Conditions favourable for formation of oxyhaemoglobin in alveoli are high  $pO_2$ , less  $H^+$  concentration low  $pCO_2$  and low temperature.

Option (A), (C) and (D) are not correct as they do not favour the formation of oxyhaemoglobin.

179. Match List I with List II :

| List I                 | List II         |
|------------------------|-----------------|
| A. <i>Pterophyllum</i> | I. Hag fish     |
| B. <i>Myxine</i>       | II. Saw fish    |
| C. <i>Pristis</i>      | III. Angel fish |
| D. <i>Exocoetus</i>    | IV. Flying fish |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

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

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

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

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

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** The correct option is option no. (B) as

*Pterophyllum* is the scientific name for Angel fish.

*Myxine* is the scientific name for Hag fish. *Pristis* is the scientific name for Saw fish. *Exocoetus* is the scientific name for Flying fish.

180. Match List I with List II :

|    | List I        |      | List II  |
|----|---------------|------|----------|
| A. | Typhoid       | I.   | Fungus   |
| B. | Leishmaniasis | II.  | Nematode |
| C. | Ringworm      | III. | Protozoa |
| D. | Filariasis    | IV.  | Bacteria |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** The correct answer is option (B) as

Typhoid – Caused by *Salmonella typhimurium* (Bacteria) Leishmaniasis – Caused by protozoan i.e., *Leishmania donovani*

Ringworm – Caused by fungi belonging to the genera *Microsporum*, *Trichophyton* and *Epidermophyton*

Filariasis – Caused by *Wuchereria bancrofti* and *Wuchereria malayi* (Nematode)

181. Which of the following statements is incorrect?

- (A) A bio-reactor provides optimal growth conditions for achieving the desired product  
 (B) Most commonly used bio-reactors are of stirring type  
 (C) Bio-reactors are used to produce small scale bacterial cultures  
 (D) Bio-reactors have an agitator system, an oxygen delivery system and foam control system

**Ans. (C)**

**Sol.** Correct answer is option (C)

The statement (C) is incorrect because bioreactors are used for processing of large volumes (100 – 1000 litres) of culture.

Small volume cultures cannot yield appreciable quantities of products. To produce in large quantities the development of bioreactors is required.

182. Given below are two statements :

**Statement I :** In the nephron, the descending limb of loop of Henle is impermeable to water and permeable to electrolytes.

**Statement II :** The proximal convoluted tubule is lined by simple columnar brush border epithelium and increases the surface area for reabsorption.

In the light of the above statements, choose the correct answer from the option 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

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** Correct answer is option (B) because

Statement I is false as the descending limb of loop of Henle is permeable to water and almost impermeable to electrolytes.

Statement II is false as proximal convoluted tubule is lined by simple cuboidal brush border epithelium which increases the surface area for reabsorption.

183. Given below are two statements:

**Statement I:** The presence or absence of hymen is not a reliable indicator of virginity.

**Statement II:** The hymen is torn during the first coitus only.

In the light of the above a 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

**Ans. (C)**

**Sol.** The correct answer is option no. (C) because the presence or absence of hymen is not a reliable indicator of virginity because hymen can also be broken by a sudden jolt, insertion of a vaginal tampon, active participation in some sports and in some women the hymen persists even after coitus.

184. Match List I with List II :

|    | List I                       |      | List II                                                               |
|----|------------------------------|------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| A. | Expiratory capacity          | I.   | Expiratory reserve volume + Tidal volume + Inspiratory reserve volume |
| B. | Functional residual capacity | II.  | Tidal volume + Expiratory reserve volume                              |
| C. | Vital capacity               | III. | Tidal volume + Inspiratory reserve volume                             |
| D. | Inspiratory capacity         | IV.  | Expiratory reserve volume + Residual volume                           |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

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

**Ans. (A)**

**Sol.** Expiratory capacity = Tidal volume + Expiratory reserve volume

Functional residual capacity = Expiratory reserve volume + Residual volume

Vital capacity = Expiratory reserve volume + Tidal volume + Inspiratory reserve volume

Inspiratory capacity = Tidal volume + Inspiratory reserve volume

185. Following are the stages of cell division :

- A. Gap 2 phase
- B. Cytokinesis
- C. Synthesis phase
- D. Karyokinesis
- E. Gap 1 phase

Choose the correct sequence of stages from the options given below :

- (A) C-E-D-A-B
- (B) E-B-D-A-C
- (C) B-D-E-A-C
- (D) E-C-A-D-B

**Ans. (D)**

**Sol.** The correct sequence of stages of cell division is

Gap 1 phase → Synthesis phase → Gap 2 phase → Karyokinesis → Cytokinesis

(E) (C) (A) (D) (B)

The correct sequence will be → E → C → A → D → B

## Section B

186. Given below are two statements:

**Statement I:** Mitochondria and chloroplasts both double membranes bound organelles.

**Statement II:** Inner membrane of mitochondria is relatively less permeable, as compared chloroplast. In the light of the above statements, choose the mis 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

**Ans. (C)**

**Sol.** Both mitochondria and chloroplasts are double membrane bound cell organelles.

Transport of ions occurs across the inner membrane of mitochondria. The inner membrane of chloroplast is impermeable to ions and metabolites. Therefore, it is said that inner membrane of mitochondria is relatively more permeable to that of chloroplast.

187. Match List I with List II:

|    | List I          |      | List II             |
|----|-----------------|------|---------------------|
| A. | Mesozoic Era    | I.   | Lower invertebrates |
| B. | Proterozoic Era | II.  | Fish & Amphibia     |
| C. | Cenozoic Era    | III. | Birds & Reptiles    |
| D. | Paleozoic Era   | IV.  | Mammals             |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

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

**Ans. (D)**

**Sol.** The correct answer is option no. (D)

- (A) Mesozoic Era - (III) Birds & Reptiles
- (B) Proterozoic Era - (I) Lower invertebrates
- (C) Cenozoic Era - (IV) Mammals
- (D) Paleozoic Era - (II) Fish & Amphibia

188. Given below are two statements:

**Statement I:** Gause's competitive exclusion principle states that two closely related species competing for different resources cannot exist indefinitely.

**Statement II:** According to Gause's principle, during competition, the inferior will be eliminated. This may be true if resources are limiting.

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.

**Ans. (D)**

**Sol.** Gause's competitive exclusion principle states that two closely related species competing for the same resources cannot exist indefinitely and the competitively inferior one will be eliminated eventually. This may be true if resources are limiting.

189. Match List I with List II:

|    | List I                             |      | List II                          |
|----|------------------------------------|------|----------------------------------|
| A. | Unicellular glandular epithelium   | I.   | Salivary glands                  |
| B. | Compound epithelium                | II.  | Pancreas                         |
| C. | Multicellular glandular epithelium | III. | Goblet cells of alimentary canal |
| D. | Endocrine glandular epithelium     | IV.  | Moist surface of buccal cavity   |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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

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

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

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

Ans. (C)

Sol. The correct answer is option no. (C) as

A. Unicellular glandular epithelium

(III) Goblet cells of alimentary canal

B. Compound epithelium

(IV) Lines moist surface of buccal cavity

C. Multicellular glandular epithelium

(I) Salivary glands

D. Endocrine glandular epithelium

(II) Pancreas

190. Match List I with List II related to digestive system of cockroach.

|    | List I                                                                            |      | List II            |
|----|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|--------------------|
| A. | The structures used for storing of food                                           | I.   | Gizzard            |
| B. | Ring of 6-8 blind tubules at junction of foregut and midgut.                      | II.  | Gastric Caeca      |
| C. | Ring of 100-150 yellow coloured thin filaments at junction of midgut and hindgut. | III. | Malpighian tubules |
| D. | The structures used for grinding the food.                                        | IV.  | Crop               |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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

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

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

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

Ans. (A)

Sol. The correct answer is option no. (A) as

|                                                                                                                                     |   |                    |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---|--------------------|
| The structure used for griding the food particles                                                                                   | - | Gizzard            |
| The structure used for storing of food                                                                                              | - | Crop               |
| Ring of 6-8 blind tubules at junction of foregut and midgut which assists in secretion of digestive juices                          | - | Gastric Caeca      |
| Ring of 100-150 yellow coloured thin filaments at junction of midgut and hindgut which assists in elimination of nitrogenous wastes | - | Malpighian tubules |

**191.** Choose the correct statement given below regarding juxta medullary nephron.

- (A) Juxta medullary nephrons are located in the columns of Bertini.
- (B) Renal corpuscle of juxta medullary nephron lies in the outer portion of the renal medulla.
- (C) Loop of Henle of juxta medullary nephron runs deep into medulla.
- (D) Juxta medullary nephrons outnumber the cortical nephrons.

**Ans.** (C)

**Sol.** The correct answer is option no, (C) because the length of loop of Henle of juxta medullary nephron is longer than the length of loop of Henle of cortical nephron and runs deep into medulla. Option (A) is incorrect as juxta medullary nephron are not present in columns of Bertini. Option (B) is incorrect because renal corpuscle of juxta medullary nephron lies in inner cortical region. Option (D) is incorrect as juxta medullary nephrons are lesser in number than cortical nephrons.

**192.** Match List I with List II:

|    | List I                          |      | List II      |
|----|---------------------------------|------|--------------|
| A. | RNA polymerase III              | I.   | snRNPs       |
| B. | Termination<br>of transcription | II.  | Promotor     |
| C. | Splicing of Exons               | III. | Rho factor   |
| D. | TATA box                        | IV.  | SnRNAs, tRNA |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

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

**Ans.** (D)

**Sol.**

- In eukaryotes, RNA polymerase III codes for snRNAs, tRNA and 5s rRNA.
- Splicing of exons is performed by snRNPs.
- TATA box is present in promoter region of transcription unit.
- Rho factor is responsible for termination of transcription.

**193.** Given below are two statements:

**Statement I:** The cerebral hemispheres are connected by nerve tract known as corpus callosum.

**Statement II:** The brain stem consists of the medulla oblongata, pons and cerebrum.

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.

**Ans.** (C)

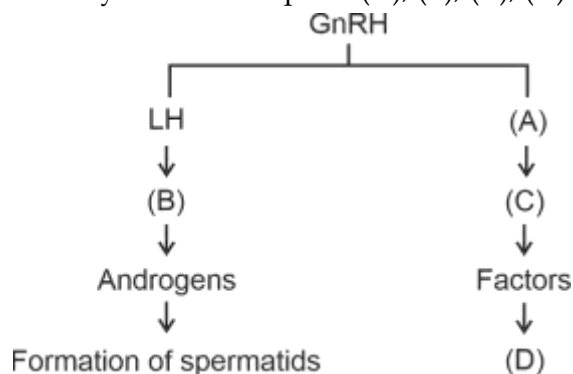
**Sol.** The correct answer is option (C) as statement I is correct but statement II is incorrect.

In human brain, a deep cleft divides the cerebrum longitudinally into two halves, which are termed as the left and right cerebral hemispheres. The cerebral hemispheres are connected by a tract of nerve fibres called corpus callosum.

Three major regions make up the brain stem *i.e.* mid brain, pons and medulla oblongata. Cerebrum is a part of forebrain which does not form brain stem.

Options (A), (B) and (D) are incorrect.

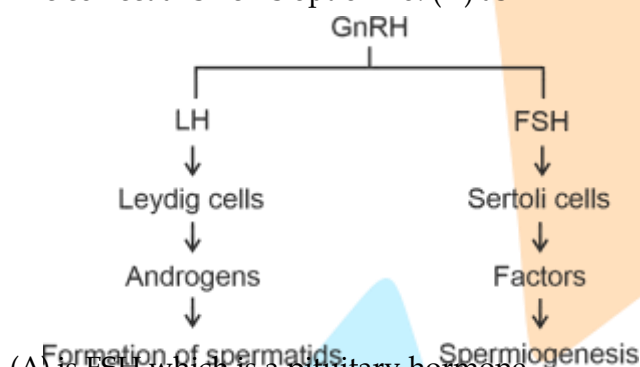
194. Identify the correct option (A), (B), (C), (D) with respect to spermatogenesis.



- (A) FSH, Leydig cells, Sertoli cells, spermiogenesis.  
 (B) ICSH, Interstitial cells, Leydig cells, spermiogenesis.  
 (C) FSH, Sertoli cells, Leydig cells, spermatogenesis.  
 (D) ICSH, Leydig cells, Sertoli cells, spermatogenesis.

Ans. (A)

Sol. The correct answer is option no. (A) as



- (A) is FSH which is a pituitary hormone.  
 (B) is Leydig cells which are found in the interstitial space outside of the seminiferous tubules.  
 (C) is Sertoli cells are found inside the seminiferous tubules.  
 (D) is Spermiogenesis which is a process that helps in transformation of spermatids into spermatozoa.

195. As per ABO blood grouping system, the blood group of father is  $B^+$ , mother is  $A^+$  and child is  $O^+$ . Their respective genotype can be  
 As per ABO blood grouping system, the blood group of father is  $B^+$ , mother is  $A^+$  and child is  $O^+$ . Their respective genotype can be
- A.  $IBi/IAi/ii$   
 B.  $IBIB/IAIA/ii$   
 C.  $IAIB/iIA/IBi$   
 D.  $IAi/IBi/IAi$   
 E.  $iIB/iIA/IAIB$

Choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below :

- (A) A only  
 (B) B only  
 (C) C & B only  
 (D) D & E only

Choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below :

- (A) A only  
 (B) B only  
 (C) C & B only  
 (D) D & E only

Ans. (A)

Sol. Genotype of father with blood group  $B^+ = I^B i / i I^B$  Genotype of mother with blood group  $A^+ = I^A i / i I^A$  Genotype of child with blood group  $O^+ = ii$  Hence only 'A' is correct.

196. Given below are two statements :

**Statement I :** Bone marrow is the main lymphoid organ where all blood cells including lymphocytes are produced.

**Statement II :** Both bone marrow and thymus provide micro environments for the development and maturation of T-lymphocytes.

In the light of 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.

**Ans. (A)**

**Sol.** The correct answer is option no. (A) as both statements I and II are correct.

In humans, the bone marrow is the main lymphoid organ where all blood cells including lymphocytes are produced.

Both bone-marrow and thymus provide micro-environments for the development and maturation of T- lymphocytes.

Options (B), (C) and (D) are incorrect.

197. Regarding catalytic cycle of an enzyme action, select the correct sequential steps :

- A. Substrate enzyme complex formation.
- B. Free enzyme ready to bind with another substrate.
- C. Release of products.
- D. Chemical bonds of the substrate broken.
- E. Substrate binding to active site.

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

- (A) E, A, D, C, B
- (B) A, E, B, D, C
- (C) B, A, C, D, E
- (D) E, D, C, B, A

**Ans. (A)**

**Sol.** The correct answer is option (A) which is E, A, D, C, B.

The catalytic cycle of an enzyme action can be described in the following steps.

(A) First, the substrate binds to the active site of the enzyme, fitting into the active site.

(B) The binding of the substrate induces the enzyme to alter its shape, fitting more tightly around the substrate.

(C) The active site of the enzyme, now in close proximity of the substrate breaks the chemical bonds of the substrate and the new enzyme-product complex is formed.

(D) The enzyme releases the products of the reaction and the free enzyme is ready to bind to another molecule of the substrate and run through the catalytic cycle once again.

Options (B), (C) and (D) are incorrect as the steps mentioned are in the wrong sequence.

198. Match List I with List II :

|    | List I      |      | List II                                |
|----|-------------|------|----------------------------------------|
| A. | P wave      | I.   | Heart muscles are electrically silent. |
| B. | QRS complex | II.  | Depolarisation of ventricles.          |
| C. | T wave      | III. | Depolarisation of atria.               |
| D. | T-P gap     | IV.  | Repolarisation of ventricles.          |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

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

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

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

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

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** The correct answer is option no. (B) as

A. P wave -

III. Depolarisation of atria.

B. QRS complex -

II. Depolarisation of ventricles.

C. T wave -

IV. Repolarisation of ventricles.

D. T-P gap -

I. Heart muscles are electrically silent.

199. Match List I with List II :

|    | List I              |      | List II                                                    |
|----|---------------------|------|------------------------------------------------------------|
| A. | Exophthalmic goiter | I.   | Excess secretion of cortisol, moon face & hyperglycemia.   |
| B. | Acromegaly          | II.  | Hypo-secretion of thyroid hormone and stunted growth.      |
| C. | Cushing's syndrome  | III. | Hyper secretion of thyroid hormone & protruding eye balls. |
| D. | Cretinism           | IV.  | Excessive secretion of growth hormone.                     |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

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

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

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

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

**Ans. (D)**

**Sol.** The correct answer is option no. (D) as

|     |                     |       |                                                                              |
|-----|---------------------|-------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| (A) | Exophthalmic goiter | (III) | Hyper secretion of thyroid hormone and characterized by protruding eye balls |
| (B) | Acromegaly          | (IV)  | Excessive secretion of growth hormone                                        |
| (C) | Cushing's syndrome  | (I)   | Excess secretion of cortisol, moon face and hyperglycaemia                   |
| (D) | Cretinism           | (II)  | Hypo-secretion of thyroid hormone and characterized by stunted growth        |

**200.** The following are the statements about non-chordates:

- A. Pharynx is perforated by gill slits.
- B. Notochord is absent.
- C. Central nervous system is dorsal.
- D. Heart is dorsal if present.
- E. Post anal tail is absent.

Choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

- (A) A & C only
- (B) A, B & D only
- (C) B, D & E only
- (D) B, C & D only

**Ans.** (C)

**Sol.** The correct answer is option no. (C) as the features of non-chordates among the given statements are:

- B. Notochord is absent.
- D. Heart is dorsal if present.
- E. Post anal tail is absent.

Statements A and C are features of chordates.

Hence, option (C) is correct and options (A), (B) and (D) are incorrect.

