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## TEST BOOKLET

Time Allowed : 90 Minutes

Full Marks : 70

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14. Sheet for rough work is appended in the Test Booklet at the end.
15. Epithelial tissues are always found immediately adjacent to connective tissues because they
(A) lack blood vessels
(B) can make the exchanges with blood critical for their survival and function.
(C) have no extracellular matrix
(D) A and B
16. A series of functional changes that cause a sperm's tail to beat more vigorously and prepare its plasma membrane to fuse with the oocyte's plasma membrane is called
(A) fertilization
(B) implantation.
(C) capacitation.
(D) syngamy.
17. At gap junctions, neighboring cells are connected by membrane proteins called
(A) connexins
(B) connexons
(C) Glycophorin
(D) None of the above
18. Approximately how long after fertilization does implantation of an embryo usually occur?
(A) 3 weeks
(B) about 6 days
(C) 1 day
(D) about 3 days
19. Which bone cells are bone-building cells?
(A) osteoclasts
(B) osteogenic cells
(C) osteocytes
(D) osteoblasts
20. Supporting cells in nervous tissue are called:
(A) neuroglia
(B) neurons
(C) cadherins
(D) mesenchyme
21. A sprinter would experience muscle fatigue sooner than a marathon runner due to
(A) anaerobic metabolism in the muscles of the sprinter
(B) anaerobic metabolism in the muscles of the marathon runner
(C) aerobic metabolism in the muscles of the sprinter
(D) glycolysis in the muscles of the marathon runner
22. Collared, flagellated cells that cover large parts of the inner chambers of sponges, helping water circulation to continue are
(A) Porocytes
(B) Choanocytes
(C) Amoebocytes
(D) Pinacocytes
23. The coral species that build reefs are known as
(A) soft corals
(B) hermatypic
(C) A and B
(D) polyps
24. Rhabdites are present in the cells of the epidermis in
(A) Cestoda
(B) Trematoda
(C) Turbellaria
(D) None of the above
25. Syncytial epidermis is the characteristic feature of which of the following organism?
(A) Ascaris
(B) Taenia
(C) Nereis
(D) Prionospio
26. Biodiversity is observed to
(A) increase towards the equator
(B) decrease towards the equator
(C) remain unchanged
(D) fluctuate drastically along latitudes
27. Which of the following is correct for r -selected species?
(A) small number of progeny with small size
(B) small number of progeny with large size
(C) large number of progeny with small size
(D) large number of progeny with large size
28. The Shannon diversity index
(A) takes into account the number of species living in a habitat and their relative abundance
(B) considers only evenness
(C) A and B
(D) takes into account the number of species living in a habitat
29. Lectins are proteins specific to
(A) sugars specific to proteins
(B) proteins specific to sugars
(C) enzymes specific to carbohydrates
(D) carbohydrates specific to enzymes
30. Error free repair of double stranded breaks in DNA occurs by
(A) non homologous end joining
(B) base excision repair
(C) homologous recombination
(D) mismatch repair
31. In eukaryotes mismatch repair mechanism is initiated by
(A) double strand breaks
(B) strand specific nicks
(C) acetylated DNA strand
(D) methylated DNA strand
32. The molecular basis of MN blood group system in humans is
(A) difference in the amino acid sequence of glycophorin
(B) difference in the carbohydrate sequence of glycophorin
(C) difference in the folding pattern of glycophorin
(D) None of the above
33. Based on the abundances of species in different communities provided below, indicate which of the following statements is true.

|  | Sp. A | Sp. B | Sp. C | Sp. D |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Community 1: | 70 | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| Community 2: | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| Community 3: | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 |
| Community 4: | 35 | 5 | 5 | 5 |

(A) Community 1 has highest diversity
(B) All four communities have the same diversity
(C) Diversity of Community $2>$ Community $3>$ Community $1>$ Community 4
(D) Diversity of Community $2=$ Community $3>$ Community $1=$ Community 4
20. Wildlife protection Act 1972
(A) protects endangered species of wild animals and plants
(B) prevents trade
(C) allows poaching
(D) all the above
21. Arribada refers to
(A) mass nesting of Olive Ridley turtles
(B) a dance ritual of peacocks
(C) a movement of dolphins
(D) none of the above
22. Two mutant animals with white eyes were crossed. All F1 progeny had red eyes. When F1 was selfed it produced progeny with white and red eyes in the ratio $9: 7$. On the basis of the information provided, which of the following is correct?
(A) mutations in the parents are allelic
(B) mutations in the parents are non allelic
(C) mutations in the parents are linked
(D) None of the above
23. Antigen antibody reactions detected by a precipitate formation on an Agar gel is
(A) immunodiffusion assay
(B) immunoprecipitation assay
(C) immunoaggregation assay
(D) none of the above
24. The reactions that lead to the formation of amino acids from the TCA cycle intermediates are
(A) carboxylation
(B) isomerization
(C) transamination
(D) none of the above
25. Match the following:

## Group I

M. Receptor tyrosine kinase
N. cGMP
O. GAP
P. Nuclear receptor

## Group II

1. inactivation of $G$ proteins
2. reception of insulin signal
3. Thyroid hormone
4. receptor guanylyl cyclase
(A) $\mathrm{M}-2, \mathrm{~N}-4, \mathrm{O}-1, \mathrm{P}-3$
(B) $\mathrm{M}-2, \mathrm{~N}-4, \mathrm{O}-3, \mathrm{P}-1$
(C) $\mathrm{M}-1, \mathrm{~N}-3, \mathrm{O}-4, \mathrm{P}-2$
(D) none of the above
5. Methaemoglobinemia is caused by the drinking of water contaminated with
(A) Nitrate
(B) Potassium
(C) Methane
(D) Mercury
6. In a chi-square test, what will be the degrees of freedom for a contingency table consisting of 3 rows (variable-1) and 2 columns (variable 2)?
(A) 2
(B) 3
(C) 5
(D) 6
7. When ligand-gated ion channels open, ions move through these channels under the influence of the
(A) electrical field of the membrane potential only
(B) concentration gradients of the ions only
(C) combined influence of the electrical field of the membrane potential
(D) metabolic pumps for the moving ions
8. Neural modulation frequently works via second messengers that activate $\qquad$ dependent kinases to phosphorylate a protein.
(A) G protein
(B) ion channel
(C) cAMP
(D) voltage
9. Stem cells that can differentiate into all cell lineages is
(A) Adult stem cell
(B) Embryonic stem cell
(C) Progenitor cell
(D) Megakaryocyte
10. In regard to the cross-bridge (CB) power stroke, it is true that:
(A) In concentric contractions, the CB power stroke pulls the actin filament toward the center of the sarcomere, causing sarcomere shortening.
(B) In eccentric contractions, the CB power stroke pushes the actin filament away from the centre
(C) In isometric contractions, the CB power stroke pulls the actin filament straight down, preventing shortening or lengthening
(D) all the above
11. Waldeyer's ring is a
(A) Primary lymphoid organ
(B) Secondary lymphoid organ
(C) Tertiary lymphoid organ
(D) Gut-associated lymphoid tissue
12. Phylogenetically the oldest antibody is
(A) $\operatorname{IgM}$
(B) IgA
(C) $\operatorname{IgD}$
(D) IgG
13. Peptide-binding cleft or groove of class II MHC molecules is formed by
(A) $\alpha 1$ and $\alpha 2$ domains
(B) $\alpha 1$ and $\beta 1$ domains
(C) $\beta 1$ and $\beta 2$ domains
(D) $\quad \beta 2$-microglobulin and $\alpha 1$
14. The decrease in response to repeated or continuous stimulation is called
(A) Instinct
(B) Maturation
(C) Habituation
(D) Imprinting
15. The interaction in which an individual gives up or sacrifices some of its own reproductive potential to benefit another individual is called
(A) agnostic
(B) Territory
(C) Hierarchy
(D) Altruism
16. A biological cycle, or rhythm, that is approximately 24 hours long is called
(A) infradian
(B) circadian
(C) circannual
(D) ultradian
17. EDTA prevents cell adhesion by binding to ions of
(A) magnesium
(B) iron
(C) carbon
(D) calcium
18. The process of dedifferentiation in cell culture can give rise to
(A) induced-pluripotent stem cells
(B) carcinoma cells
(C) single protoplasts
(D) fused protoplasts
19. In which type of signaling, the cell that expresses messenger molecules also produces receptors?
(A) autocrine
(B) heterocrine
(C) paracrine
(D) endocrine
20. Steroids are derived from
(A) estrogen
(B) cholesterol
(C) proteins
(D) carbohydrates
21. Seminal plasma in human males is rich in
(A) fructose and calcium
(B) calcium
(C) phosphate
(D) None of the above
22. Which of the following is not an accessory respiratory organ in fishes?
(A) Pectoral fins
(B) Pelvic fins
(C) Skin or integument
(D) Gut epithelium.
23. The process of old crust being pulled down and remelted is
(A) sea floor spreading
(B) drifting
(C) plate tectonics
(D) subduction
24. Wegener's evidence for his theory of continental drift?
(A) no evidence
(B) recognized that plant and animal fossils, besides rock layers, matched on the two continents of Africa and South America
(C) believed continents moved apart
(D) none of the above
25. Approximately what percentage of the world's bird species migrate?
(A) $40 \%$
(B) $1 \%$
(C) $100 \%$
(D) $4 \%$
26. When using tracking devices, as a rule of thumb what percentage of the bird's body mass should the device weigh?
(A) $42 \%$
(B) $3 \%$
(C) $10 \%$
(D) $12 \%$
27. Which of the following reaction is catalyzed by Lyase?
(A) Breaking of bonds
(B) Formation of bonds
(C) Intramolecular rearrangement of bonds
(D) A Transfer of group from one molecule to another
28. Which of the following is a shared characteristic of all chordates?
(A) scales
(B) jaws
(C) vertebrae
(D) dorsal, hollow nerve cord
29. Chordate pharyngeal slits appear to have functioned first as
(A) the digestive systemas opening
(B) suspension-feeding devices
(C) components of the jaw
(D) gill slits for respiration
30. Which of these is not an example for stereo specificity?
(A) L-lactate dehydrogenase will act only on L-lactic acid, and not D-lactic acid
(B) D-glucose oxidase acting only on D-glucose and not L-glucose
(C) L-amino oxidase acts only on L-amino acids and not D-aminoacids
(D) Hexokinase phosphorylating one or more kind of hexoses
31. The Frank-Starling law of the heart
(A) is explained by the length-tension relationship of sarcomeres with the conclusion that cardiac fibers are shorter than-optimal in length
(B) states that an increase in cardiac output requires an increase in heart rate and stroke volume
(C) states that an increase in venous return has a positive effect on SV and CO
(D) only A and C are correct
32. Who proposed the theory on the cause of the K-T Extinction?
(A) Alan Gr
(B) Bob Bakker
(C) Luis Alvarez
(D) Albert Einstein
33. Huxley explained origin of man in his book $\qquad$
(A) the man's place in world
(B) the man's place in earth
(C) the man's place in nature
(D) the man's place in universe
34. In Northern hybridization probe hybridization forms
(A) DNA:DNA hybrid
(B) RNA:DNA hybrid
(C) both A and B
(D) none of these
35. Which ONE of the following neurotransmitters would you expect to find in the synapse during fast inhibitory synaptic transmission?
(A) GABA
(B) Acetylcholine
(C) Noradrenaline
(D) Glutamate
36. What is largely responsible for the negative resting membrane potential (around -70 mV ) in a neuron?
(A) Axonal insulation by Schwann cells
(B) Voltage-gated sodium channels opening
(C) The action potential
(D) Potassium leak currents
37. A couple can be assisted to have a child through GIFT. The full form of this technique is
(A) Gamete Inseminated Fallopian Transfer
(B) Gamete Intra Fallopian Transfer
(C) Gamete Internal Fertilization and Transfer
(D) Germ Cell Internal Fallopian Transfer
38. Which of the following is not a marine fish?
(A) Hilsa
(B) Pomfret
(C) Mackerel
(D) Carp
39. Bandipur Sanctuary is located in
(A) Himachal Pradesh
(B) Karnataka
(C) Odisha
(D) Madhya Pradesh
40. Which of the following is not the characteristic feature of Tassar silk?
(A) Also known as Kosa silk
(B) Obtained from Bombyx mori
(C) A native of India and China
(D) Larvae of the silkworm feed on oak
41. Which of the following insects are called Scavengers?
(A) Musca domestica
(B) Solenopsis spp
(C) Periplaneta americana
(D) All of these
42. Salinity of the world's oceans fall within
(A) $33-38 \mathrm{PSU}$
(B) 100 PSU
(C) 50 PSU
(D) 16 PSU
43. The vitamin needed to prevent Spina Bifida
(A) Folate
(B) A
(C) C
(D) All the above
44. Cholera is caused through ?
(A) contaminated water
(B) cough droplets from the infected person
(C) bite of female culex mosquito
(D) None of the above
45. HIV initially infects cells expressing
(A) CD1
(B) CCR5
(C) CD8
(D) CD36
46. Pathogen which typically causes immune deficiency and increases the risk of secondary infection is
(A) Measles virus
(B) Toxoplasma
(C) Candida albicans
(D) Rabies virus
47. Which of the following species of the honey bee is not found in India?
(A) Apis mellifera
(B) Apis dorsata
(C) Apis indica
(D) Apis florea
48. Which vaccine is not including in Indradhanush mission?
(A) Tuberculosis
(B) Measles
(C) Meningococcal meningitis
(D) Diphtheria
49. WHO funds which programme in India?
(A) RNTCP
(B) National Leprosy Eradication Programme
(C) Janani Suraksha Yojana
(D) All the above

## ROUGH WORK

