SAMPLE QUESTION PAPER (TERM I) 2021-22 CLASS XII BIOLOGY

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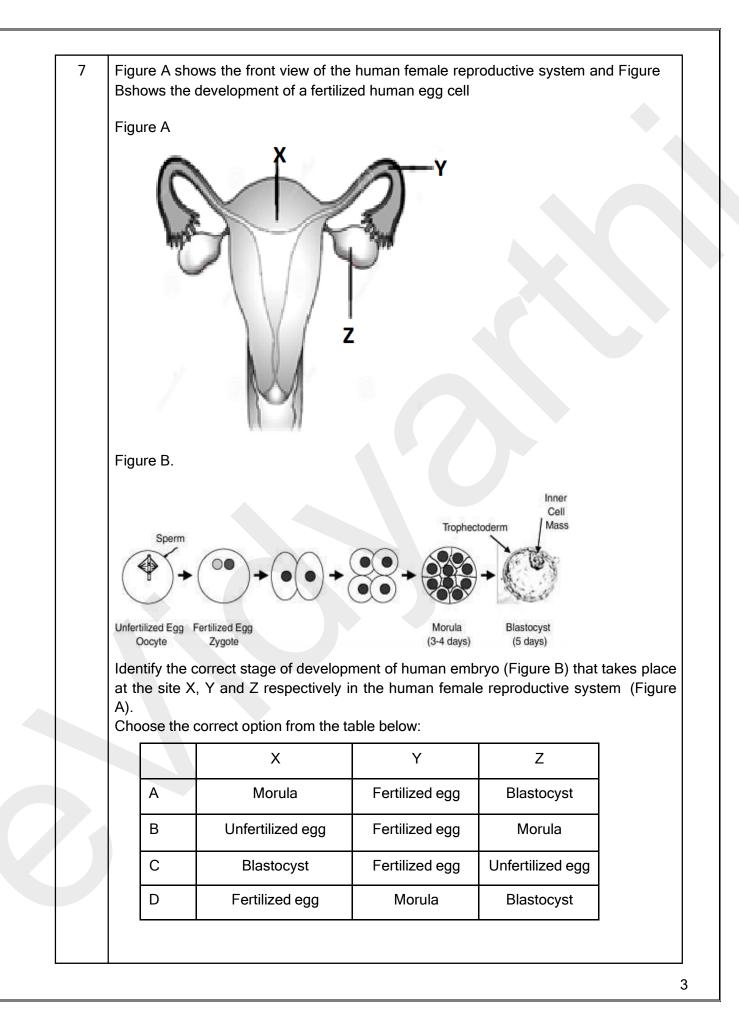
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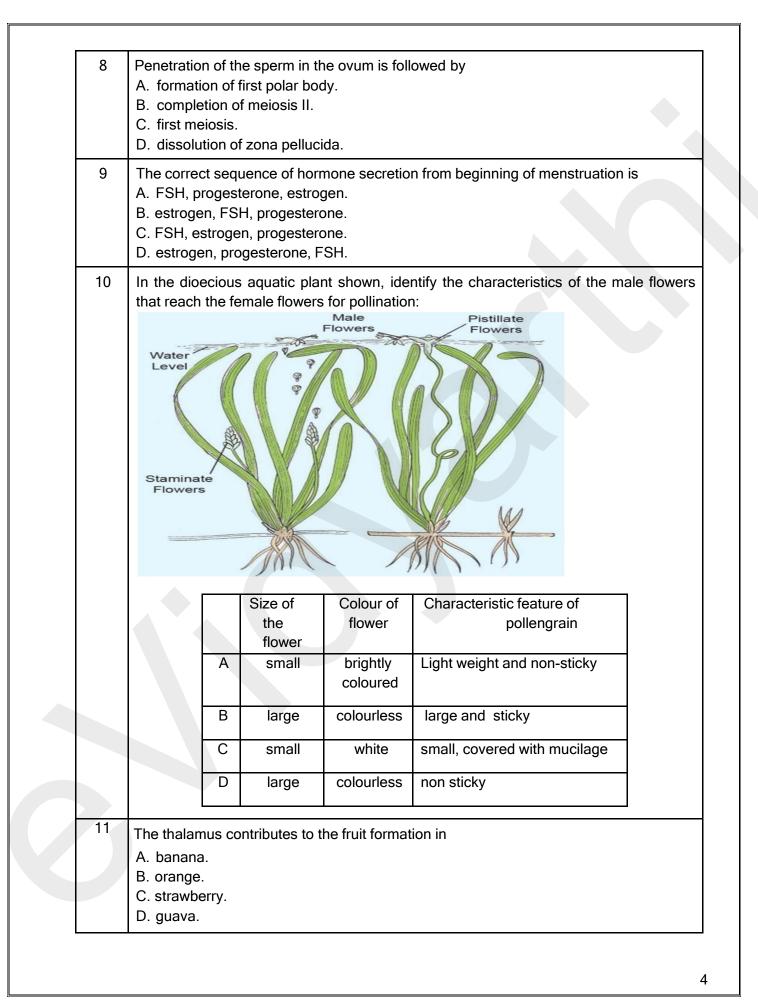
- 1. The Question Paper contains three sections.
- 2. Section A has 24 questions. Attempt any 20 questions.
- 3. Section B has 24 questions. Attempt any 20 questions.
- 4. Section C has 12 questions. Attempt any 10 questions.
- 5. All questions carry equal marks.
- 6. There is no negative marking.

			SECTION - A				
		sts of 24 questions. A stions would be evalu		ions from this section. <u>The first</u>			
1		ure of bilobed anther o	consists of				
		A. 2 thecae, 2 sporangia					
		B. 4 thecae, 4 sporangia					
	C. 4 thecae, 2 sporangia						
	D. 2 thecae, 4 sporangia						
2	2 In the figure of anatropous ovule given below, choose the correct option for the characteristic distribution of cells within the typical embryo sac						
		Number of cells at chalazal end	Number of cells at micropylar end	Number of nuclei left in central cell			
	A	3	2	3			
	В	3	3	2			
	С	2	3	3			
	D	2	2	4			

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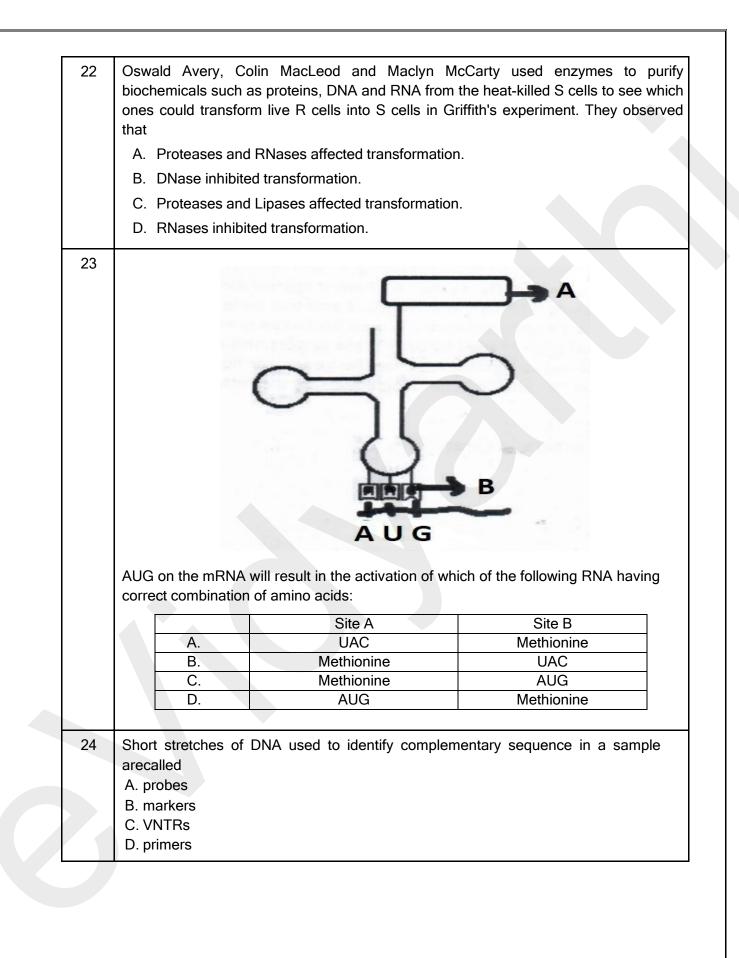
3	The coconut water from tender coconut is			
	A. cellular endosperm.			
	B. free nuclear endosperm.			
	C. both cellular and nuclear endosperm.			
	D. free nuclear embryo.			
4	Pollen grains are well preserved as fossils because of presence of			
	A. sporopollenin			
	B. cellulose			
	C. lignocellulose			
	D. pectocellulose			
5	Which of the following statements are true related to Seed X and Y?			
	SEED X SEED Y			
	 (i) Seed X is dicot and endospermic or albuminous. (ii) Seed X is dicot and non-endospermic or non-albuminous. (iii) Seed Y is monocot and endospermic or albuminous. (iv) Seed Y is monocot and non-endospermic or non-albuminous. Choose the correct option with the respect to the nature of the seed A. (i), (iii) B. (ii), (iii) C. (i), (iv) 			
	D. (ii), (iv)			
C	Which of the following statements are correct with respect to hormones secreted by placenta?			
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12	How many types of gametes would be produced if the genotype of a parent is AaBB? A. 1 B. 2 C. 3 D. 4
13	 Which of the following statements indicates parallelism in genes and chromosomes? (i) They occur in pairs (ii) They segregate during gamete formation (iii) They show linkage (iv) Independent pairs segregate independently A. (i) and (iii) B. (ii) and (iii) C. (i), (ii) and (iii) D. (i), (ii) and (iv)
14	 Which of the following amino acid substitution is responsible for causing sickle cell anemia? A. Valine is substituted by Glutamic acid in the α globin chain at the sixth position B. Valine is substituted by Glutamic acid in the β globin chain at seventh position C. Glutamic acid is substituted by Valine in the α globin chain at the sixth position D. Glutamic acid is substituted by Valine in the β globin chain at the sixth position
15	 In human beings, where genotype AABBCC represents dark skin colour, aabbcc represents light skin colour and AaBbCc represents intermediate skin colour; the pattern of genetic inheritance can be termed as: A. Pleiotropy and codominance B. Pleiotropy and incomplete dominance C. Polygenic and qualitative inheritance D. Polygenic and quantitative inheritance
16	 Which of the following combination of chromosome numbers represents the correct sex determination pattern in honey bees? A. Male 32, Female 16 B. Male 16, Female 32 C. Male 31, Female 32 D. Female 32, Male 31

17	Rajesh and Mahesh have defective haemoglobin due to genetic disorders. Rajesh has too few globin molecules while Mahesh has incorrectly functioning globin molecules.Identify the disorder they are suffering from.
	RajeshMaheshA.Sickle cell anaemia - an autosome linked recessive traitThalassemia - an autosome linked dominant traitBThalassemia - an autosome linked recessive blood disorderSickle cell anaemia - an autosome linked recessive traitC.Sickle cell anaemia - an autosome linked recessive traitThalassemia - an autosome linked recessive traitD.Thalassemia - an autosome linked recessive blood disorderSickle cell anaemia - an autosome linked recessive blood disorderD.Thalassemia - an autosome linked recessive blood disorderSickle cell anaemia - an autosome linked recessive blood disorder
18	 Which of the following criteria must a molecule fulfil to act as a genetic material? (i) It should not be able to generate its replica (ii) It should chemically and structurally be stable (iii) It should not allow slow mutation (iv) It should be able to express itself in the form of Mendelian Characters A. (i) and (ii)
	B. (ii) and (iii)C. (iii) and (iv)D. (ii) and (iv)
19	 The promoter site and the terminator site for transcription are located at A. 3' (downstream) end and 5' (upstream) end, respectively of the transcription unit B. 5' (upstream) end and 3' (downstream) end, respectively of the transcription unit C. the 5' (upstream) end of the transcription unit D. the 3' (downstream) end of the transcription unit
20	Which of the following is correct about mature RNA in eukaryotes?A. Exons and introns do not appear in the mature RNA.B. Exons appear, but introns do not appear in the mature RNA.C. Introns appear, but exons do not appear in the mature RNA.D. Both exons and introns appear in the mature RNA.
21	 In <i>E.coli</i>, the lac operon gets switched on when A. lactose is present and it binds to the repressor. B. repressor binds to operator. C. RNA polymerase binds to the operator. D. lactose is present and it binds to RNA polymerase.



	SECTION - B
	n - B consists of 24 questions (SI. No.25 to 48). Attempt any 20 questions from this
sectio	n. The first attempted 20 questions would be evaluated.
	Question No. 25 to 28 consist of two statements – Assertion (A) and Reason (F Answer these questions selecting the appropriate option given below:
	A. Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
	B. Both A and R are true and R is not the correct explanation of A
	C. A is true but R is false
	D. A is False but R is true
25	Assertion: Lactational amenorrhea is the natural method of contraception.
	Reason: It increases the phagocytosis of sperm.
26	Assertion: Saheli, an oral contraceptive for females, contains a steroidal preparation
	Reason: It is a "once a week" pill with very few side effects.
27	Assertion: Parturition is induced by a complex neuro endocrine meachanism.
	Reason: At the end of gestation period, the maternal pituitary releases prolactin which
	causes uterine contractions.
	chromosome, the proportion of parental gene combinations is much higher than no parental type. Reason: Higher parental gene combinations can be attributed to crossing over between two genes.
	Concentration of which of the following substances will decrease in the maternal bloo as it flows from embryo to placenta through the umbilical cord?
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	 i. Oxygen ii. Amino Acids iii. Carbon dioxide iv. Urea
	A. i and ii B. ii and iv
	C. iii and iv
	D. i and iv

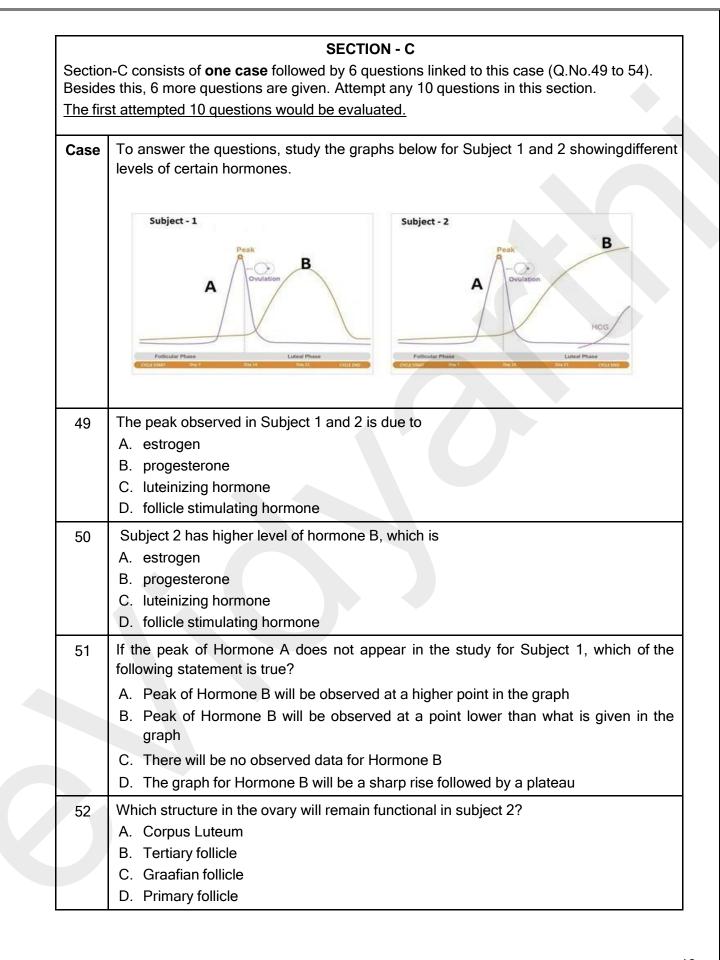
30	 In a fertilized ovule, n, 2n and 3n conditions occur respectively in A. antipodal, zygote and endosperm B. zygote, nucellus and endosperm C. endosperm, nucellus and zygote. D. antipodals, synergids and integusments
31	 A botanist studying <i>Viola</i> (common pansy) noticed that one of the two flower types withered and developed no further due to some unfavorable condition, but the other flower type on the same plant survived and it resulted in an assured seed set. Which of the following will be correct? A. The flower type which survived is Cleistogamous and it always exhibits autogamy B. The flower type which survived is Chasmogamous and it always exhibits geitonogamy. C. The flower type which survived is Cleistogamous and it exhibits both autogamy and geitonogamy. D. The flower type which survived is Chasmogamous and it never exhibits autogamy.
32	 During parturition, a pregnant woman is having prolonged labour pains and child birth has to be fastened. It is advisable to administer a hormone that can A. increase the metabolic rate. B. release glucose in the blood. C. stimulate the ovary. D. activate smooth muscles.
33	A female undergoing IVF treatment has blocked fallopian tubes. The technique by which the embryo with more than 8 blastomeres will be transferred into the female for further development is A. ZIFT B. GIFT C. IUT D. AI
34	The mode of action of the copper ions in an IUD is toA. increase the movement of sperms.B. decrease the movement of the sperms.C. make the uterus unsuitable for implantation.D. make the cervix hostile to the sperms.
35	To produce 400 seeds, the number of meiotic divisions required will be A. 400 B. 200 C. 500 D. 800

36	A cross is made between tall pea plants having green pods and dwarf pea plants having yellow pods. In the F2 generation, out of 80 plants how many are likely to be tallplants?
	A. 15
	B. 20
	C. 45
	D. 60
37	In Antirrhinum, RR is phenotypically red flowers, rr is white and Rr is pink. Select the
57	correct phenotypic ratio in F1 generation when a cross is performed between RR X Rr:
	A. 1 red: 2 Pink: 1 white
	B. 2 Pink: 1 white
	C. 2 Red: 2 Pink
	D. All Pink
38	What would be the genotype of the parents if the offspring have the phenotypes in 1:1 proportion?
	A. Aa X Aa
	B. AA X AA
	C. Aa X AA
	D. Aa x aa
39	
	What is the pattern of inheritance in the above pedigree chart?
	A. Autosomal dominant
	B. Autosomal recessive
	C. Sex-linked dominant
	D. Sex -linked recessive
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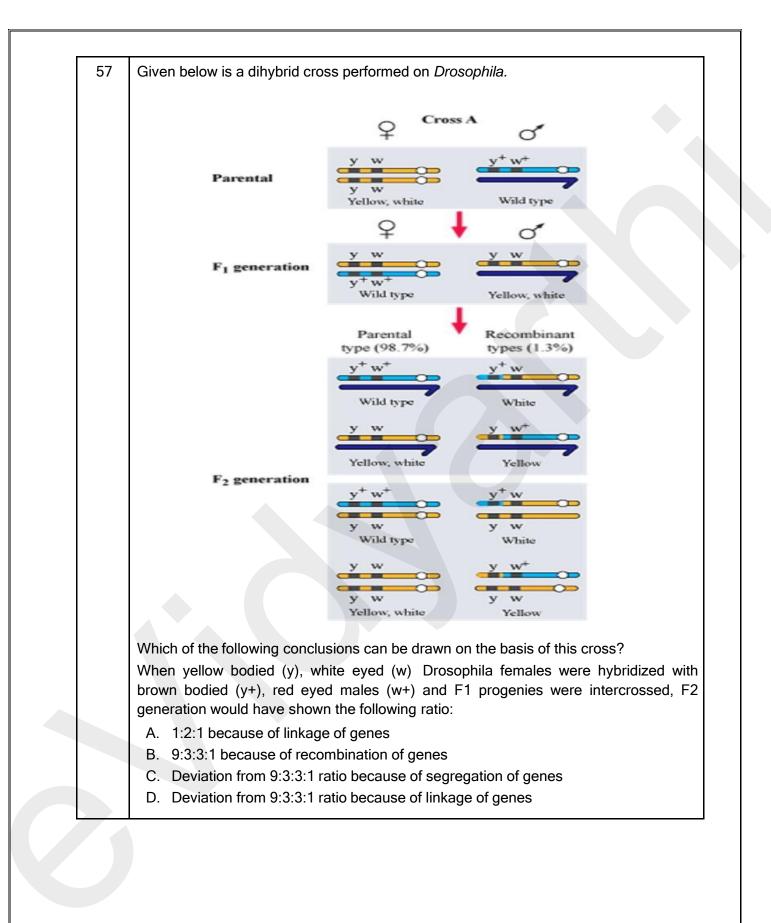
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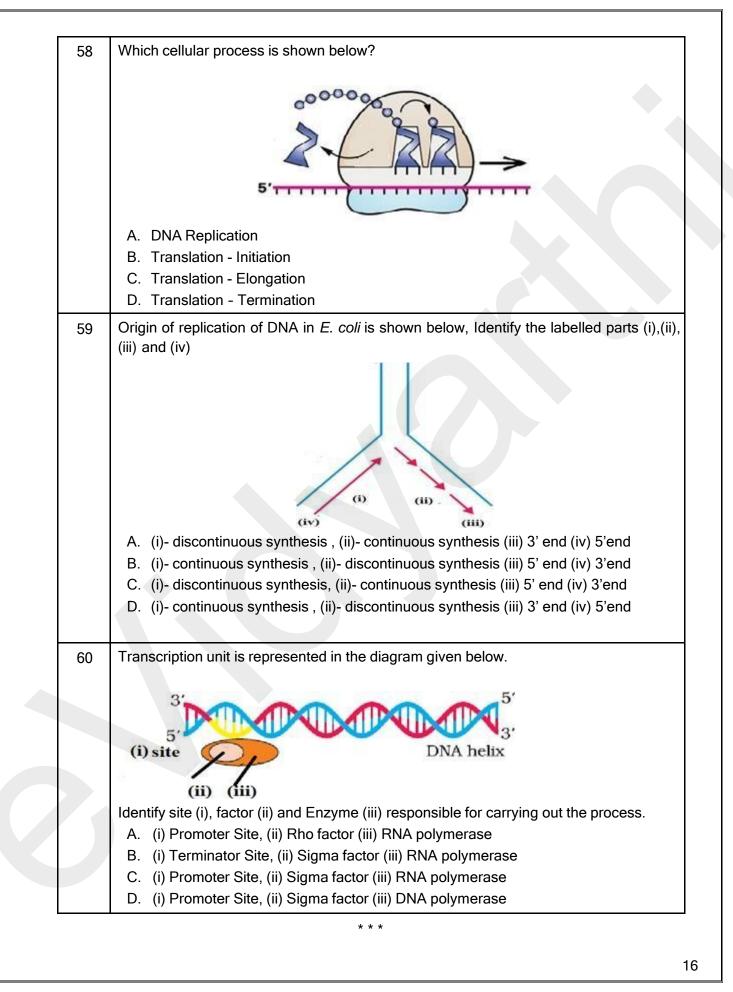
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В.	Ab X Ab
C.	Ab X ab
D.	ab X ab
pro	tal number of nucleotide sequences of DNA that codes for a hormone is 1530. The portion of different bases in the sequence is found to be Adenine = 34%, Guaning 9%, Cytosine = 23%, Thymine = 19%.
Ар	plying Chargaff's rule, what conclusion can be drawn?
Α.	It is a double stranded circular DNA.
	It is a single stranded DNA.
	It is a double stranded linear DNA.
D.	It is a single stranded DNA coiled on Histones.
str	stretch of an euchromatin has 200 nucleosomes. How many bp will there be in the etch and what would be the length of the typical euchromatin?
Α.	20,000 bp and 13,000 x10 ⁻⁹ m
В.	10,000 bp and 10,000 x10 ⁻⁹ m
	40,000 bp and 13,600 x10 ⁻⁹ m
	40,000 bp and 13,900 x10 ⁻⁹ m
	serve structures A and B given below. Which of the following statements are rect?
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	OH OH OH H
	A B
Α.	A is having 2'-OH group which makes it less reactive and structurally stable
	whereas B is having 2'-H group which makes it more reactive and unstable.
B.	A is having 2'-OH group which makes it more reactive and structurally unstable whereas B is having 2'-H group which makes it less reactive and structural
	stable.
C.	A and B both have -OH groups which make it more reactive and structural stable.
	A and B both are having -OH groups which make it less reactive and structura

	If Meselson and Stahl's experiment is continued for sixth generations in bacteria, th ratio of Heavy strands ¹⁵ N/ ¹⁵ N :Hybrid ¹⁵ N/ ¹⁴ N : light ¹⁴ N/ ¹⁴ N containing DNA in the sixt generation would be				
	A. 1:1:1				
	B. 0:1:7				
	C. 0:1:15				
	D. 0:1:31				
46	Two important RNA processing events lead to specialized end sequences in mo human mRNAs:(i)at the 5' end, and(ii)at the 3' end. At the 5'end the most distinctive specialized end nucleotide, _(iii)is added and a sequence about 200_(iv) is added to the 3' end. A. (i) Initiator codon (ii) Promotor (iii) Terminator codon (iv) Release factors B. (i). Promotor (ii) Elongation (iii) Regulation (iv) Termination. C. (i) Capping (ii) Polyadenylation (iii) ^m G _{ppp} (iv) Poly(A). D. (i) Repressor (ii) Co repressor (iii) Operon (iv) sRelease factors				
47	What are minisatellites? A. 10-40 bp sized small sequences within the genes				
	B. Short coding repetitive region on the eukaryotic genome				
	C. Short non-coding repetitive sequence forming large portion of eukaryotic genome				
	D. Regions of coding strands of the DNA				
48	There was a mix-up at the hospital after a fire accident in the nursery division. Whic				
	of these children belong to the parents?				
	FATHER MOTHER CHILD 1 CHILD 2 CHILD 3 CHILD 4 CHILD 5 CHILD 6				
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	A. All of the children				



53	For subject 2 it is observed that the peak for hormone B has reached the plateau
	stage. After approximately how much time will the curve for hormone B descend?
	A. 28 days B. 42 days
	C. 180 days
	D. 280 days
54	Which of the following statements is true about the subjects?
	A. Subject 1 is pregnant
	B. Subject 2 is pregnant
	C. Both subject 1 and 2 are pregnant
	D. Both subject 1 and 2 are not pregnant
55	The gene that controls the ABO blood group system in human beings has three alleles $-I^A$, I^B and i. A child has blood group O. His father has blood group A and mother has
	blood group B. Genotypes of other off springs can be:
	i. I ^B I ^B
	ii. I ^A i
	iii. I ^B i
	iv. I ^A I ^B
	v. ii
	A. i, ii, iii, v
	B. ii, iii ,iv, v C. iii, iv, v
	D. iv, iii, i
56	Placed below is a karyotype of a human being.
	2 4 4 a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a
	19 20 21 22 X
	On the basis of this karyotype, which of the following conclusions can be drawn:
	A. Normal human female
	B. Person is suffering from Colour Blindness
	C. Affected individual is a female with Down's syndrome
1	D. Affected individual is a female with Turner's syndrome





		Total Alterna	ative Questions - 20		<u>_</u>
		Se	ection - A		
2.	 During megasporogenesis, potential megaspore mother cell undergoes following cell divisions to form gametophyte female A. two meiotic divisions and three mitotic division B. one meiotic and one mitotic divisions C. one meiotic and three mitotic divisions D. one meiotic and two mitotic divisions 				
5.	Apomictic embryos A. diploid Egg B. synergids C. nucellus D. antipodal cell	s in Citrus arise from: s			
7.	Choose the correct takes place.	t option wherein, the	correct stages of the	development of hum	an emt
		Ovary	Fallopian Tube	Uterus	
	A	Morula	Fertilized egg	Blastocyst	
	В	Unfertilized egg	Fertilized egg	Morula	
	С	Unfertilized egg	Fertilized egg	Blastocyst	
	D	Fertilized egg	Morula	Blastocyst	
10.	On observing the pollen grain under the microscope, it was found to be long and ribbon shaped. The flower bearing these pollen grain will be pollinated by: A. Insects B. Water C. Air D. Birds				
23.	i. It is an adapterii. Previously calleiii. tRNA has a coordinate	molecule ed as sRNA (soluble don loop that has bas	ses complementary to end to which it binds t	o the code,	

		Section - B				
29.	Which of the following is not a function of placenta? A. secretes relaxin					
	B. facilitates removed of Co ₂ and waste products					
	C. secretes oxytoc					
	D. supplies oxygen and nutrients					
39.						
	A. It verifies that DNA is the carrier of genetic information.B. It helps to understand whether the trait depicted in the chart is dominant or recessive.C. It confirms that the trait is linked to one of the autosome.D. It helps to trace the inheritance of a specific trait.					
44.	In order to form a dir free?	ucleotide during DNA synthesis w	hich functional group at 3' must be			
	A. Methyl group					
	B. Phosphate grou	р				
	C. Carboxylic acid					
	D. Hydroxyl					
48	The DNA fingerprinti	ng pattern of child is				
	-	o that of both the parents				
		B. 100% similar to the father's DNA print				
		the mother's DNA print lar to father and rest similar to mot	her			
		Section - C				
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Case	cycle was comparing	g 2 subjects (Patients). A table wa for Subject 1 and 2. Read the in	vels of hormones during the menstru as created after looking at the levels formation in the table and answer t			
		HORMONE A	HORMONE B			
	Subject 1	Shows a peak on the 14th Day of the menstrual cycle	Falls down during the luteal phase			
	Subject 2	Shows a peak on the 14th Day of the menstrual cycle	Level is maintained high in the luteal phase			
49.	The peak observed i A. Estrogen B. Progesterone C. Luteinizing Horr D. Follicle Stimulat					

50.	The Subject 2 has higher level of hormone B, which is
	A. Estrogen
	B. Progesterone
	C. Luteinizing Hormone
	D. Follicle Stimulating Hormone
51.	If the peak of Hormone A does not appear in the study for Subject 1, which of the following
	statement is true
	A. Peak of Hormone B will be observed at a higher point in the graph
	B. Peak of Hormone B will be observed at a point lower than what is given in the graph
	C. There will be no observed data for Hormone B
	D. The Hormone B will show a sharp rise followed by a plateau
52.	Which structure in the ovary will remain functional in subject 2?
	A. Corpus Luteum
	B. Tertiary follicle
	C. Graafian follicle
	D. Primary follicle
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56.	Domestic wheat, which has 42 chromosomes, is probably hexaploid (6n), whereas the
	haploid number in the ancestral ones was 7. Find out the right reason as to how are such
	plants produced?
	A. Due to failure of segregation of chromatids during cell division cycle
	B. Due to the gain of extra copy of chromosome
	C. Due to failure of cytokinesis after telophase stage of cell division
	D. Due to the loss of extra copy of chromosome

57.	The following are results of crossing a female fly (AaBb) with a male fly (aabb).
	AaBb 1005
	aabb 1000
	Aabb 200
	aaBb 210
	Which two genotypes are the recombinant offspring?
	A. AaBb & Aabb
	B. AaBb & aaBb C. Aabb & aaBb
	D. AaBb & aabb
58.	On the ribosome, mRNA bindsand two sites in thefor subsequent
	amino acids to bind to be close enough to each other for the formation of a peptide bond.
	A. between the subunits; on the large subunit.
	B. to the large subunit; on the small subunit.
	C. to the small subunit; on the large subunit.
	D. to the small subunit; between the subunits.
59.	The main reason for the presence of both a leading and a lagging strand during DNA
	replication is,
	A. DNA polymerase can read only in the direction of 3' to 5'
	B. DNA polymerase can only synthesize one strand at a time
	C. Only one strand is available to be read at any given time
	D. There are not enough RNA primers to have both strands be synthesized simultaneously
60.	In a cell, DNA transcription is halted when
	A. RNA polymerase falls off of the DNA.
	B. The end of the DNA is reached.
	C. When a rho site is reached.

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