## Topic:- BOT MPHIL S2

1) Which one of the following statements is INCORRECT about Ginkgo?
[Question ID = 4476]
1. Leaves show dichotomous venation pattern
[Option ID = 17898]
2. Dwarf shoots are pycnoxylic
[Option ID = 17899]
3. Spermatozoids are motile
[Option ID = 17900]
4. Secondary xylem tracheids show biseriate bordered pits
[Option ID = 17901]

## Correct Answer :-

- Dwarf shoots are pycnoxylic
[Option ID = 17899]

2) Cell wall of Archaebacteria is made up of
[Question ID = 4477]
1. N -acetylglucosamine and N -acetyltalosaminuronic acid that are linked by $\mathrm{B}-1,3$-glycosidic bonds [Option ID $=17902$ ]
2. N -acetylglucosamine and N -acetyltalosaminuronic acid that are linked by B -1,4-glycosidic bonds [Option ID = 17903]
3. $N$-acetylglucosamine and $N$-acetylmuramic acid that are linked by $B-1,3$-glycosidic bonds [Option ID $=17904$ ]
4. N -acetylglucosamine and N -acetylmuramic acid that are linked by $\mathrm{B}-1,4$-glycosidic bonds. [Option ID $=17905$ ]

Correct Answer :-

- N -acetylglucosamine and N -acetyltalosaminuronic acid that are linked by B-1,3-glycosidic bonds [Option ID = 17902]

3) The outer membrane of cell wall in Gram-negative bacteria is attached to the underlying peptidoglycan layer by

## [Question ID = 4478]

1. Braun's Lipoprotein [Option ID $=17906$ ]
2. Phospholipids [Option ID = 17907]
3. Proteins [Option ID = 17908]
4. Lipopolysaccharide [Option ID = 17909]

## Correct Answer :-

- Braun's Lipoprotein [Option ID = 17906]

4) The sum of areas of all leaves per unit area of ground refers to as
[Question ID = 4479]
1. Specific leaf area [Option ID $=17910$ ]
2. Specific leaf mass [Option ID = 17911]
3. Leaf area index [Option ID $=17912$ ]
4. Average leaf area [Option ID = 17913]

## Correct Answer :-

- Leaf area index [Option ID = 17912]

5) The flame photometric method determines the following set of elements

## [Question ID = 4480]

1. Sodium, potassium, lithium and phosphorus [Option ID = 17914]
2. Sodium, potassium, lithium and calcium [Option ID = 17915]
3. Sodium, potassium, lithium and magnesium [Option ID = 17916]
4. Sodium, potassium, calcium and magnesium [Option ID = 17917]

## Correct Answer :-

- Sodium, potassium, lithium and calcium [Option ID = 17915]

6) Which of the following databases is a repository of (1) large scale genomic variants, and (2) genome-wide association studies, respectively?
[Question ID = 4481]
2. (1):dbVar; (2): dbGaP [Option ID = 17919]
3. (1):GSS; (2): dbEST [Option ID = 17920]
4. (1):POPSET; (2): GSS [Option ID = 17921]

[Question ID = 4482]
5. $30^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ [Option ID $=17922$ ]
6. $40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ [Option ID $=17923$ ]
7. $20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ [Option ID $=17924$ ]
8. $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ [Option ID $=17925$ ]

## Correct Answer :-

- $20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ [Option ID $\left.=17924\right]$

8) Which among the following is an INCORRECT statement about SHOOTMERISTEMLESS gene?

## [Question ID = 4483]

1. It is a member of class 1 KNOX gene family [Option ID = 17926]
2. It is expressed throughout the meristem [Option ID = 17927]
3. It codes for a small polypeptide that moves between cells [Option ID = 17928]
4. It is downregulated in organ primordia [Option ID $=17929$ ]

## Correct Answer :-

- It codes for a small polypeptide that moves between cells [Option ID = 17928]

9) Which one of the following involves selective removal of cells in order to specifically find out the position dependent, cell-cell interaction processes that require signals from neighbouring cells?

## [Question ID = 4484]

1. Ablation studies [Option ID $=17930$ ]
2. The split luciferse complementation assay [Option ID = 17931]
3. Yeast two-hybrid assay [Option ID = 17932]
4. Fluorescent in-situ hybridization [Option ID $=17933$ ]

Correct Answer :-

- Ablation studies [Option ID = 17930]

10) The diamond shaped axial parenchyma with lateral extensions present on one side of the vessels is known as [Question ID = 4485]
1. lozenge-aliform [Option ID $=17934$ ]
2. paratracheal [Option ID $=17935$ ]
3. vasicentric [Option ID $=17936$ ]
4. confluent [Option ID = 17937]

## Correct Answer :-

- lozenge-aliform [Option ID = 17934]

11) Which one of the following is used as a source of energy by chemosynthetic autotrophs for synthesis of organic molecules?
[Question ID = 4486]
1. Hydrogen peroxide [Option $I D=17938$ ]
2. Hydrogen sulfide [Option ID = 17939]
3. di-methyl sulfide [Option $I D=17940$ ]
4. Arsenic sulfide [Option ID $=17941$ ]

## Correct Answer :-

- Hydrogen sulfide [Option ID = 17939]

12) Phosphorus can be estimated by
[Question ID = 4487]
1. Ammonium molybdate blue method [Option ID = 17942]
2. Ammonium nitrate method [Option ID = 17943]
3. Stannous chloride method [Option ID = 17944]
4. Silver nitrate [Option ID $=17945$ ]

## Correct Answer :-

- Ammonium molybdate blue method [Option ID = 17942]

13) The Hungarian Scientist, Lajos Winkler in 1888, developed a method for estimation of [Question ID = 4488]
1. Chloride [Option $\mathrm{ID}=17946$ ]
2. Dissolved $\mathrm{O}_{2}$ [Option ID = 17947]
3. Free $\mathrm{CO}_{2}$ [Option ID $=17948$ ]
4. Hardness of water [Option ID $=17949$ ]
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5. Adenylation [Option $I D=17951$ ]
6. Acetylation [Option ID $=17952$ ]
7. Phosphorylation [Option $\mathrm{ID}=17953$ ]

Correct Answer :-

- Acetylation [Option ID = 17952]

15) In a mass spectrometer, the ions are sorted out by
[Question ID = 4490]
1. accelerating them through electric field only [Option ID = 17954]
2. accelerating them through magnetic field only [Option ID = 17955]
3. accelerating them through both electric and magnetic fields [Option ID = 17956]
4. applying a high voltage [Option $\mathrm{ID}=17957$ ]

Correct Answer :-

- accelerating them through both electric and magnetic fields [Option ID = 17956]

16) A RNA:DNA hybrid in which RNA overhangs are present at both 5' and 3' ends can be made blunt ended with the help of
[Question ID = 4491]
1. Reverse Transcriptase [Option ID $=17958$ ]
2. Mung bean nuclease [Option ID = 17959]
3. Klenow Polymerase [Option ID = 17960]
4. T7 RNA Polymerase [Option ID $=17961$ ]

Correct Answer :-

- Mung bean nuclease [Option ID = 17959]

17) The Importance Value Index (IVI) of a woody community is calculated using the formula:
[Question ID = 4492]
1. Relative frequency + Relative abundance + Relative Density [Option ID = 17962]
2. Frequency + Abundance + Density [Option ID = 17963]
3. Frequency + Abundance + Basal area [Option ID $=17964$ ]
4. Relative frequency + Relative abundance + Relative Basal Area [Option ID $=17965$ ]

Correct Answer :-

- Relative frequency + Relative abundance + Relative Basal Area [Option ID = 17965]

18) The index to find species similarities is
[Question ID = 4493]
1. Shannon-Wiener [Option ID $=17966$ ]
2. Simpson's [Option ID = 17967]
3. Sorensen's [Option ID = 17968]
4. Pielou's [Option ID = 17969]

Correct Answer :-

- Sorensen's [Option ID = 17968]

19) A specimen derived from a non-original collection that is selected to serve as the type is called
[Question ID = 4494]
1. Holotype [Option ID = 17970]
2. Lectotype [Option ID = 17971]
3. Paratype [Option ID = 17972]
4. Neotype [Option ID = 17973]

Correct Answer :-

- Neotype [Option ID = 17973]

20) A name spelled exactly like a validly published name for a taxon of the same rank based on different type is called [Question ID = 4495]
1. Autonym [Option ID $=17974$ ]
2. Basionym [Option ID = 17975]
3. Homonym [Option ID = 17976]
4. Synonym [Option ID $=17977$ ]

## Correct Answer :-

- Homonym [Option ID = 17976]
 are 600 and $2 \times 10^{5}$, respectively. The Michaelis-Menten constant of the enzyme in this reaction is


## Correct Answer :-

- $3 \times 10^{-3}$ [Option ID $=17981$ ]

22) Tyrosine contains an aromatic $R$ group and has $p k_{1}=2.2, p k_{2}=9.1$ and $p k_{R}=10.9$. Its calculated isoelectric point ( pl ) is [Question ID = 4497]
1. 7.4 [Option $\mathrm{ID}=17982$ ]
2. 10 [Option ID $=17983$ ]
3. 5.65 [Option ID $=17984$ ]
4. 6.55 [Option ID $=17985$ ]

## Correct Answer :-

- 5.65 [Option ID = 17984]

23) Which one of the following statements is INCORRECT for Two Component Signaling (TCS)?

## [Question ID = 4498]

1. Osmo-sensing in E. coli operates via a canonical TCS [Option ID $=17986$ ]
2. CRE1 was the first TCS system to be discovered in plants [Option ID = 17987]
3. Hybrid type TCS are operational in plants [Option ID = 17988]
4. Chemo-sensing in E. coli involves multiple response regulators [Option ID = 17989]

## Correct Answer :-

- CRE1 was the first TCS system to be discovered in plants [Option ID = 17987]

24) Which one of the following statements is FALSE for RILs (Recombinant Inbred Lines)
[Question ID = 4499]
1. RILs comprise individuals that are homozygous at most loci [Option ID = 17990]
2. Only loci polymorphic between the two parents can be mapped using RILs [Option ID = 17991]
3. Dominant markers will segregate in a $3: 1$ ratio in the RIL population [Option ID $=17992$ ]
4. Developing RILs is more time consuming than generating $F_{2}$ populations [Option ID = 17993]

## Correct Answer :-

- Dominant markers will segregate in a 3:1 ratio in the RIL population [Option ID = 17992]

25) Which one of the following statements is INCORRECT for the E. coli lactose operon? [Question ID = 4500]
1. cAMP concentration in the cell is affected by amount of glucose. [Option ID $=17994$ ]
2. CAP-cAMP complex is essential for the induction of the operon. [Option ID = 17995]
3. CAP-cAMP complex binds to the operater of lac operon. [Option ID = 17996]
4. The operon is induced in presence of lactose only when glucose is absent. [Option ID = 17997]

## Correct Answer :-

- CAP-cAMP complex binds to the operater of lac operon. [Option ID = 17996]

26) Which of the following statement is NOT true about SSR markers?

## [Question ID = 4501]

1. They are tandemly repeated sequences. [Option ID = 17998]
2. They are analyzed using primers complementary to their hyper variable flanking regions. [Option ID = 17999]
3. They are co-dominant. [Option ID $=18000$ ]
4. SSRs are present in both coding and noncoding regions of the genome. [Option ID = 18001]

## Correct Answer :-

- They are analyzed using primers complementary to their hyper variable flanking regions. [Option ID = 17999]

27) Which one of the following statements is INCORRECT about pseudogenes?
[Question ID = 4502]
1. They are derived from mRNA sequences by reverse transcription. [Option ID = 18002]
2. They arise due to accumulation of mutations in functional genes. [Option ID = 18003]
3. They appear as intron-less versions of another existing gene. [Option ID = 18004]
4. They possess poly A tract at the 3 ' end. [Option ID $=18005$ ]

Correct Answer :-

- They arise due to accumulation of mutations in functional genes. [Option ID = 18003]

28) Which one of the following is a monotypic family?
[Question ID = 4503]
2. Aristolochiaceae [Option ID $=18007$ ]
3. Amborellaceae [Option ID $=18008$ ]
4. Winteraceae [Option ID $=18009$ ]

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29) 'Jaculators' are a characteristic feature of WWW.FirstRanker.com
[Question ID = 4504]

1. Apocynaceae [Option ID $=18010$ ]
2. Acanthaceae [Option ID $=18011$ ]
3. Asteraceae [Option ID $=18012$ ]
4. Myrtaceae [Option ID $=18013$ ]

## Correct Answer :-

- Acanthaceae [Option ID = 18011]

30) Stigmatic exudate produced on wet stigma is NOT responsible for [Question ID = 4505]
1. pollen-pistil interaction [Option ID $=18014$ ]
2. excessive evaporation and wetting [Option ID $=18015$ ]
3. protection against pathogens and insects [Option ID $=18016$ ]
4. the formation of pellicle components [Option ID $=18017$ ]

Correct Answer :-

- the formation of pellicle components [Option ID = 18017]

31) Which one of the following events is accompanied by pollen tube entry inside the synergid cell?
[Question ID = 4506]
1. Degeneration of one of the synergids [Option ID $=18018$ ]
2. Disruption of plasma membrane [Option ID = 18019]
3. Impaired DnaJ chaperonin expression in mitochondria [Option ID $=18020$ ]
4. Accumulation of $\mathrm{Ca}^{++}$in the synergid [Option ID $=18021$ ]

Correct Answer :-

- Impaired DnaJ chaperonin expression in mitochondria [Option ID = 18020]

32) Polar distribution of $\mathrm{Ca}^{++}$in the pollen tube tip can be disrupted by
[Question ID = 4507]
1. Fluphenazine [Option ID $=18022$ ]
2. Gadolinium [Option ID = 18023]
3. FURA 2 [Option ID $=18024$ ]
4. Quin 2 [Option ID $=18025$ ]

Correct Answer :-

- Gadolinium [Option ID = 18023]

33) Match the name of genes mentioned in Column I with their source in Column II:

| Column I | Column II |
| :--- | :--- |
| A. gfp | I. Bacillus thuringiensis |
| B. bar | II. Escherichia coli |
| C. gus | III. Streptomyces hygroscopicus |
| D. btgene | IV. Aequorea victoria |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:
[Question ID = 4508]

1. A - III, B - IV, C - II, D - I
[Option ID $=18026$ ]
2. $A-I I, B-I I I, C-I V, D-I$
[Option ID $=18027$ ]
3. A - IV, B - III, C - II, D - I
[Option ID $=18028$ ]
4. A - IV, B - I, C - II, D - III
[Option ID $=18029$ ]
35) Which one of the following enzymatic antioxidants is localized in the endoplasmic reticulum?
[Question ID = 4510]
1. Superoxide dismutase [Option ID $=18034$ ]
2. Catalase [Option ID = 18035]
3. Guaiacol peroxidase [Option ID $=18036$ ]
4. Glutathione reductase [Option ID $=18037$ ]

## Correct Answer :-

- Guaiacol peroxidase [Option ID = 18036]

36) Which one of the following is NOT required for natural selection?
[Question ID = 4511]
1. Genetic Drift [Option ID $=18038$ ]
2. Differential survival and reproduction [Option ID = 18039]
3. Heritability of trait under selection [Option ID $=18040$ ]
4. Variation [Option ID $=18041$ ]

## Correct Answer :-

- Genetic Drift [Option ID = 18038]

37) Which of the following is the correct order of geologic time intervals from the most ancient to the most recent? [Question ID = 4512]
1. Paleozoic, Cenozoic, Mesozoic [Option ID $=18042$ ]
2. Hadean, Archaen, Proterozoic [Option ID = 18043]
3. Silurian, Ordovician, Cambrian [Option ID $=18044$ ]
4. Silurian, Carboniferous, Devonian [Option ID $=18045$ ]

## Correct Answer :-

- Hadean, Archaen, Proterozoic [Option ID = 18043]

38) Which one of the following statements is NOT true for Maturation Promoting Factor (MPF)?
[Question ID = 4513]
1. MPF activity drives somatic cells into mitosis. [Option ID $=18046$ ]
2. MPF activity dephosphorylates condensin and nucleoporin. [Option ID = 18047]
3. MPF activity drives oocytes into meiosis. [Option ID = 18048]
4. MPF is a heterodimer containing CDK1 and cyclin B. [Option ID = 18049]

## Correct Answer :-

- MPF activity dephosphorylates condensin and nucleoporin. [Option ID = 18047]

39) During expansion of a cell, which of the following bonds in cell walls are affected by expansin proteins?
[Question ID = 4514]
1. Covalent bonds [Option ID $=18050$ ]
2. Electrovalent bonds [Option ID $=18051$ ]
3. Hydrogen bonds [Option ID $=18052$ ]
4. van der Waals forces [Option ID = 18053]

## Correct Answer :-

- Hydrogen bonds [Option ID = 18052]

40) The technique, Fluorescence (Förster) Resonance Energy Transfer (FRET), is used to study
[Question ID = 4515]
1. lateral mobility of lipids/proteins within membranes. [Option ID $=18054$ ]
2. existence of lipid rafts within membranes. [Option ID $=18055$ ]
3. presence of supramolecular complexes within membranes. [Option ID $=18056$ ]
4. domain structure of lipids within membranes. [Option ID $=18057$ ]

## Correct Answer :-

- presence of supramolecular complexes within membranes. [Option ID = 18056]


## 41) What is the approximate length of linker DNA present between two nucleosomes, if it has (i) 20 base pairs or (ii) 60 base pairs? <br> www.FirstRanker.com

[Question ID = 4516]

- (i) $68 \AA$ or (ii) $204 \AA$ [Option ID = 18058]

42) Golgi stain, advent and use of which resulted in universal acceptance of Cell theory, makes use of [Question ID = 4517]
1. Copper [Option ID $=18062$ ]
2. Gold [Option ID $=18063$ ]
3. Silver [Option ID = 18064]
4. Iron [Option ID = 18065]

## Correct Answer :-

- Silver [Option ID = 18064]

43) Mutations in genes encoding E-cadherins in Pectinophora gossypiella led to resistance against Bt cotton Bollgard 1 producing the endotoxin
[Question ID = 4518]
1. Cry 1Ac
[Option ID = 18066]
2. Cry 1 Ab
[Option ID = 18067]
3. Cry 2 Ac
[Option ID = 18068]
4. Cry 2 Ab
[Option ID = 18069]

## Correct Answer :-

- Cry 1Ac
[Option ID = 18066]

44) Which one of the following techniques is NOT a part of Integrated Pest Management?
[Question ID = 4519]
1. Pheromone mediated mating disruption [Option ID $=18070$ ]
2. "Push and Pull" strategy [Option ID = 18071]
3. Biological control [Option ID $=18072$ ]
4. Sterile Insect Production [Option ID $=18073$ ]

## Correct Answer :-

- Sterile Insect Production [Option ID = 18073]


## 45) The association of Crotalaria sativa-Utethesia ornatrix-Nephila clavipes is a representation of

## [Question ID = 4520]

1. insects feeding on a legume
[Option ID = 18074]
2. vectors of viral diseases of a legume crop
[Option ID = 18075]
3. host plant-pest-predator interaction
[Option ID = 18076]
4. host plant-insect-predator interaction
[Option ID = 18077]
Correct Answer :-

- host plant-insect-predator interaction
[Option ID = 18077]

46) The Cre-lox recombination system is a characteristic feature of
[Question ID = 4521]
1. Sulfolobus islandicus rod-shaped virus 1
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[Option ID = 18081]

## Correct Answer :-

- Escherichia virus P1
[Option ID = 18079]

47) Which single-stranded DNA virus associated with epidemics of tomato leaf curl disease is documented as a natural recombinant molecule?
[Question ID = 4522]
1. Tomato yellow leaf curl virus-Israel [Option ID $=18082$ ]
2. Tomato leaf curl Sardinia virus [Option ID $=18083$ ]
3. Tomato leaf curl New Delhi virus [Option ID $=18084$ ]
4. Tomato leaf curl Malaga virus [Option ID $=18085$ ]

## Correct Answer :-

- Tomato leaf curl Malaga virus [Option ID = 18085]

48) Resistance being inherited as an autosomal recessive trait, the development of cross-resistance in targeted cotton pests to Bt delta endotoxins incorporated into artificial diets can best be evaluated from estimates of
[Question ID = 4523]
1. $\mathrm{LC}_{01}$ [Option $\mathrm{ID}=18086$ ]
2. $\mathrm{LC} \mathrm{C}_{50}$ [Option $\mathrm{ID}=18087$ ]
3. $L C_{90}$ [Option $I D=18088$ ]
4. $\mathrm{LC}_{100}$ [Option $\mathrm{ID}=18089$ ]

Correct Answer :-

- $\mathrm{LC}_{50}$ [Option ID = 18087]

49) Which of the following alga is a commercial source of $B$-carotene?
[Question ID = 4524]
1. Oscillatoria sp.
[Option ID = 18090]
2. Monodopsis subterranean
[Option ID = 18091]
3. Dunaliella salina
[Option ID = 18092]
4. Scenedesmus obliqus
[Option ID = 18093]

## Correct Answer :-

- Dunaliella salina
[Option ID = 18092]

50) The phenomenon of "red snow" is exhibited in polar regions by which of the Chlamydomonas species?
[Question ID = 4525]
1. C. nivalis
[Option ID = 18094]
2. C. coccifera
[Option ID = 18095]
3. C. media
[Option ID = 18096]
4. C. reticulata
[Option ID = 18097]

## Correct Answer :-

- C. nivalis
[Option ID = 18094]

