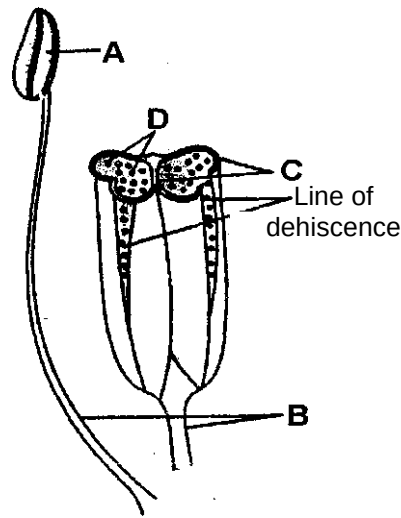


SEXUAL REPRODUCTION IN FLOWERING PLANTS

1. Double fertilisation was first discovered by nawaschin (1898) in-
 (a) Lilium and Frittilaria (b) Mango and sugarcane (c) Papaya and Pea (d) brassica and Condtuft
2. If testa is removed from the water soaked gram seed, the remaining structure in-
 (a) Full mature embryo (b) Cotyledom with endosperm
 (c) Cotyledom filled with starch (d) None of the above
3. Which of the following is false false?
 (a) Flowers do not exist only for us to be used for our own selfishness
 (b) All flowering plants show sexual reproduction
 (c) Gymnosperms, being nonflowering, do not show sexual reproduction
 (d) Flowers are objects of aesthetic, ornamental, social, religious and cultural value

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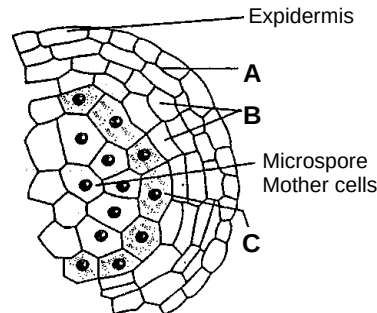


Identify A to D-

A	B	C	D
(a) Anther	Petiole	Pollen sac	Megaspore
(b) Anther	Petiole	Megasporangium	Pollen grains
(c) Anther	Pedicel	Megasporangium	Pollen grains
(d) Anther	Filament	Pollen sac	Pollen grains

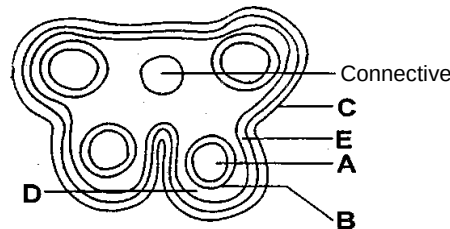
5. Microsporangium is generally surrounded by 4 wall layers. Which of the following 3 wall layers perform the function of protection and help in the dehiscence of anther to release the pollen?
 (a) Epidermis, tapetum, endothecium (b) Epidermis, aril, endothecium
 (c) Epidermis, endodermis, mesocarp (d) Epidermis, middle layer and ndothecium
6. Each cell of sporogenous tissue in anther is -
 (a) Microspore (b) Pollen
 (c) Potential pollen or microspore mother cell (d) Megaspore mother cell

7.



The above given diagram is an enlarged view of one microsporangium of a matured anther, identify A, B and C -
 (a) A-Middle layer, B-Endothecium, C-Tapetum (b) A-Endothecium, B - Tapetum., C-Middle layer
 (c) A-Endothecium, B - Middle layer, C-Tapetum (d) A-Tapetum, B - Middle layer, C – Endothecium

8.



The above diagram refers to a T. S. of anther. Identify A to E respectively -
 (a) Sporogenous tissue, tapetum, epidermis, middle layer, endothecium
 (b) Sporogenous tissue, epidermis, tapetum, middle layer, endothecium
 (c) Sporogenous tissue, epidermis, middle layer, tapetum, endothecium
 (d) Sporobgenbusiissue, tapetum, middle layer, epidermis, endothecium

9. Which of the following sequences of development of embryo sac / female gametophyte is correct?

- (a) Nucellus —^ Megaspore —> Embryo sac
- (b) Nucellus —*> Megaspore mother cell —> Megaspore —^ embryo sac
- (c) Nucellus —^ Megasporangium —+> Megaspore —*> Embryo sac
- (d) Nucellus —^ Megagametophyte —^ Megaspore —^ Embryo sac

10. Match the Column I with Column II

Column I

- A. Funicle
- B. Hilum
- C. Integument
- D. Chalaza
- E. Nucellus

- (a) A-i, B-II, C-III, D-IV, E-V
- (c) A-IV, B-II, C-I, D-III, E-V

Column II

- I. Mass of cells within ovule with more food
- II. Basal part of ovule
- III. One or 2 protective layers of ovule
- IV Region where body of ovule fuses with funicle
- V. Stalk of ovule

- (b) A-V, B-IV, C-III, D-II, E-I
- (d) A-I, B-III, C-V, D-II, E-IV

11. Which of the following is correct about *Parthenium* (Carrot grass)?

- (a) *Parthenium* came into India as a contaminant with imported wheat
- (b) It has become ubiquitous in occurrence
- (c) It causes pollen allergy
- (d) All of the above

12. In angiosperms pollination occurs when pollen grains are in -

- (a) 2-celled stage
- (b) 3-celled stage
- (c) 2 or 3 celled stage
- (d) Uninucleate stage :

13. Which of the following statements is false?

- I. Pollen grains represents immatured male gametophyte
- II. In angiosperms partially developed male gametophytes are pollinated
- III. Generative cell is sponogenous while vegetative cell is spermatogenous
- IV. Formation and differentiation of pollen grains is called microsporogenesis
- V. Hay fever is a pollen allergy
- VI. Pollen grains of some plants produce severe allergy and respiratory or bronchial diseases
- VII. Pollen grains are poor in nutrients.

(a) I and VII

(b) III and VII

(c) IV and V

(d) VI and VII

14. Which of the following has the least pollen viability?

- (a) Cereals like wheat and rice
(c) Members of Leguminosae

- (b) Members of Rosaceae
(d) Members of Solanaceae

15. In typical embryo sac, the nuclei are arranged as -

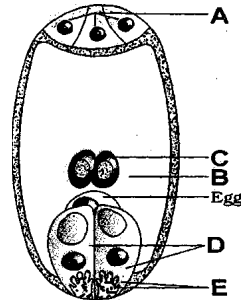
(a) 3 + 2 + 3

(b) 3 + 3 + 2

(c) 2 + 3 + 3

(d) 2 + 4 + 2

16.



Identify A, B, C, D and E structures shown in figure of a female gametophyte-

	A	B	C	D	E
(a)	Antipodal cells	Central cell	Polar nuclei	Synergids	Acrosorhe
(b)	Antipodal cells	Central cell	Polar nuclei	Synergids	Filiform apparatus
(c)	Synergids	Central cell	Polar nuclei	Antipodal cells	Filiform apparatus
(d)	Synergids	Megaspore mother cell	Polar nuclei	Synergids	Filiform apparatus

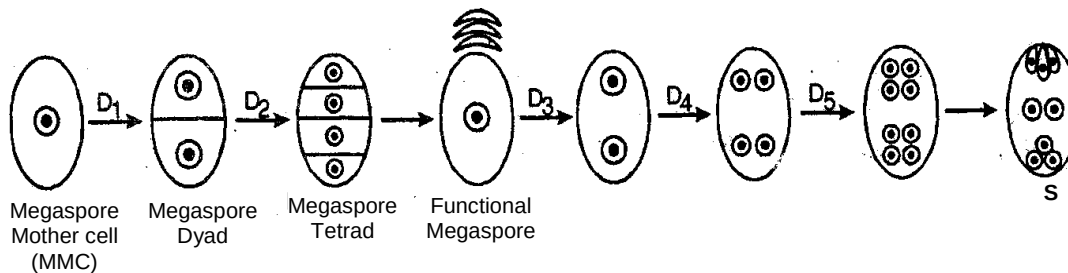
17. Embryo sac is monosporic when it develops from -

- (a) One of the four megaspores of a megaspore mother cell (MMC)
(b) 3 megaspores of a megaspore tetrad
(c) 2 megaspores
(d) The MMC where meiosis has occurred but cytokinesis does not take place

18. For the formation of embryo sac, the megaspore mother cell undergoes -

- (a) Two meiotic and two mitotic divisions
(b) One meiotic and three mitotic divisions
(c) Two meiotic divisions
(d) One meiotic and two mitotic divisions

19.



The diagram above shows megasporogenesis and development of typical female gametophyte in angiosperms. In which of the following options all divisions (D_1 to D_5) and structure (S) are correctly identified?

	D_1	D_2	D_3	D_4	D_5	S
(a)	Meiosis I	Meiosis II	Mitosis	Mitosis	Mitosis	Microgametophyte
(b)	Meiosis I	Meiosis II	Mitosis	Mitosis	Mitosis	Embryo
(c)	Meiosis I	Meiosis II	Mitosis	Mitosis	Mitosis	Embryo sac
(d)	Mitosis	Meiosis	Mitosis	Mitosis	Mitosis	Embryo sac

20. Match Column I with Column II-

Column I

A. Megasporogenesis

Column II

I. Monosporic development

B. Megagametogenesis

C. Sporopollenin

D. Typical embryo sac

II. Fatty substance

III. Embryo sac formation

IV. Megaspore formation

	A	B	C	D
(a)	I	II	III	IV
(b)	IV	III	II	I
(c)	IV	I	II	III
(d)	III	II	I	IV

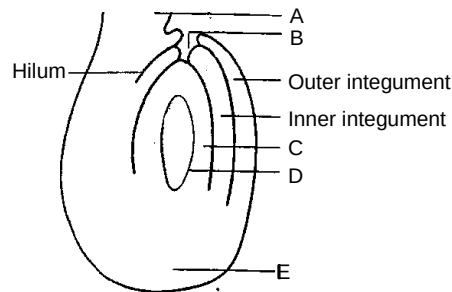
21. An interesting modification of flower shape for insect pollination occurs in some orchids in which a male insect mistakes the pattern on the orchid flower for the female of its species and tries to copulate with it, thereby pollinating the flower, this phenomenon is called-

(a) Pseudoparthenocary (b) Mimicry (c) Pseudopollination (d) Pseudocopulation

22. Pollination by snail and slug is known as-

(a) Ornithophilous (b) Chiropterophilous (c) Entomophilous (d) Malacophilom

23.



Diagrammatic view of a typical anatropous ovule is given above. In which of the following all five parts labelled as A, B, C, D and E are correctly identified –

	A	B	C	D	E
(a)	Funicle	Micropyle	Female gametophyte	Embryo sac	Chalaza
(b)	Raphe	Micropyle	Egg	Embryo sac	Chalaza
(c)	Placenta	Micropyle	Egg	Embryo sac	Chalaza
(d)	Funicle	Micropyle	Nucellus	Embryo sac	Chalaza

24. Pollen grains can be stored in liquid nitrogen at -

(a) 70°C (b) 100°C (c) -196°C (d) 0°C

25. The viability of pollen grains depends upon –

(a) Prevailing temperature (b) Prevailing humidity
(c) Genetic potentiality of the concerned species (d) Members of Solanaceae

26.



The above diagram shows some stages in microgametogenesis. Identify A, B and C –

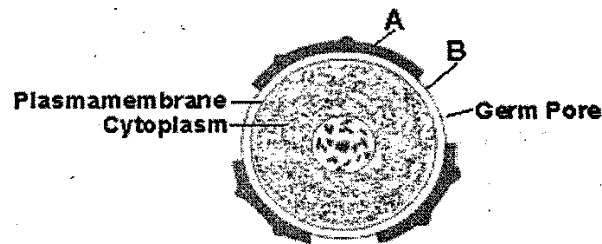
A	B	C
(a) Symmetric spindle	Generative cell	Vegetative cell
(b) Symmetric spindle	Vegetative cell	Generative cell
(c) Asymmetric spindle	Vegetative cell	Generative cell
(d) Asymmetric spindle	Generative cell	Vegetative cell

27. Which of the following points is incorrect about sporopollenin?

(a) It is one of the most resistant organic material known
(b) It can withstand high temperature and strong acids and alk
(c) 2 enzymes that degrade sporopollenin are known so far
(d) Pollen grains are well preserved as fossils because of presence of sporopollenin

28. Which of the following sequences is correct for microsporogenesis?
- (a) Micro S.M.C (2N) $\xrightarrow{\text{Mitosis}}$ Microspore tetrad (2N) $\xrightarrow{\text{Meiosis}}$ Microspore (N)
 (b) Micro S.M.C (2N) $\longrightarrow$ Microspore tetrad (N) $\longrightarrow$ Microspores (N)
 (c) Microspore tetrad (2N) $\xrightarrow{\text{OSIS}}$ Microspores
 (d) Micro S.M.C (2N) $\xrightarrow{\text{Mitosis}}$ Microspore tetrad (2N) $\xrightarrow{\text{Meiosis}}$ Microspores (2N)
29. The proximal part of filament of stamen is attached to -
- (a) Thalamus or the petal (b) Sepals or thalamus
 (c) Pedicel or petiole (d) Ovary or ovule
30. Diversity of structures of the inflorescences, flower and floral parts -
- (a) Are responsible for making our garden beautiful
 (b) Ensure self pollination
 (c) Are adaptations to ensure formation of end products of sexual reproduction
 (d) Ensure anemophily

31.



A and B are respectively –

- (a) Exine, intine (b) Intine, exine (c) Epidermis and endodermis (d) Epicarp and endocarp
32. As the anthers mature and dehydrate, the separate and dissociate from each other and develop into
- (a) Megaspore, embryo sac (b) Microspores, pollen grains
 (c) Pollen grains, megaspores (d) Megaspores, microspores

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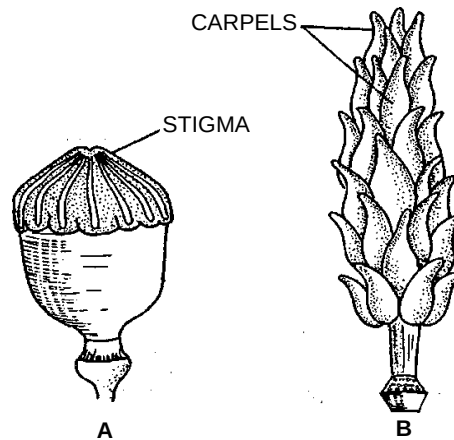
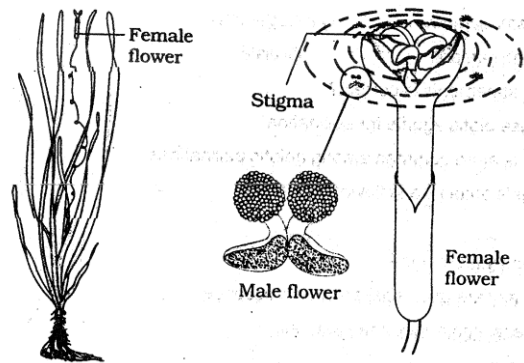


Figure A and B show female reproductive organs of *Papaver* and *Michelia* respectively-

- (a) A- Multicarpellary syncarpous pistil and B - Multicarpellary apocarpous pistil
 (b) A- Multicarpellary apocarpous pistil and B - Multicarpellary syncarpous pistil
 (c) Both A and B are multicarpellary and syncarpous pistils
 (d) Both A and B are multicarpellary apocarpous pistil
34. The female gametophyte /embryo sac of typical dicot (*Polygonum*) or monosporic embryo sac is –
- (a) 7-celled and 7-nucleate (b) 8-celled and 8-nucleate (c) 7-celled and 8-nucleate (d) 8-celled and 7-nucleate
35. Geitonogamy is -
- (a) Functionally cross pollination involving a pollinating agent
 (b) genetically it is similar to autogamy since the pollen grains come from the same plant
 (c) Functionally and genetically autogamy
 (d) Both a and b are correct

36. Which of the following is false about xenogamy?
 (a) It is the transfer of pollen grains from anther to stigma of another plant of the same species
 (b) It produces genetic variation
 (c) it is genetically and ecologically (= functionally) cross pollination
 (d) It occurs in Cleistogamous flowers
37. Autogamy is -
 (a) Transfer of pollen grains from anther to stigma of the same flower
 (b) transfer of pollen grains from anther to stigma of another flower
 (c) Pollination between two flower
 (d) Maturation of anther and stigma at different times
38. A monocarpic plant in are which-
 (a) Has only are carpel
 (b) Flowers and fruits only once in life time and thereafter dies
 (c) Produces only seed
 (d) None of the above
39. Maturation of male and female sex organo at different times in known as-
 (a) Herkogamy (b) Dichgamy (c) Polygamy (d) Apogamy
40. Embryo sac in also know as-
 (a) Microgametophyte (b) Megagametophyte (c) Microsporangium (d) Megasporangium
41. The term pollination signifies -
 (a) Dehiscence of anther
 (b) The transfer of pollen grains from anther to stigma
 (c) The transfer of pollen grains from anther to the stigma of the same flower
 (d) Formation of pollinia
42. During the formation of embryo sac from megaspore mitotic divisions occurs. These mitotic divisions are -
 (a) Strictly free nuclear (b) Strictly cellular (c) Strictly reduction (d) Strictly cytoplasmic
43. Which of the following devices is not used by plants to prevent autogamy -
 (a) Self-incompatibility (b) Production of unisexual flowers
 (c) Heterostyly (d) Production of Cleistogamous flowers
44. Go through the following statements -
 I. Flowers are bisexual and homogamous maturing anther and stigma of a flower at the same time.
 II. Mechanical devices bringing anthers and stigma close together in a bisexual chasmogamous flower.
 III. Cleistogamy (bisexual flowers remain closed)
 IV. Anther and stigma of an intersexual flower mature, in bud condition. The above contrivances favour -
 (a) allogamy (b) Autogamy (c)Xenogamy (d) Cross pollination
45. Pollination occurring in closed flowers is -
 (a) Bud pollination (b) Cleistogamy (c) Chasmogamy (d) Allogamy
46. Cleistogamous flowers produces assured seed-set even in the absence of pollinator - why?
 (a) Because they have fragrance (b) Because they remain open
 (c) Because they are autogamous (d) Because they are colourful
47. Egg apparatus of an embryo sac consists of -
 (a) Egg cell only (b) Egg cell + 3 antipodal cells
 (c) One oosphere (egg) + 2 synergids (d) One oosphere (egg) + 2 synergids + 2 antipodal cells
48. Go through the following points.
 I. Dicliny(unisexuality of flower)
 II. Dichogamy (protoandry or protogyny)
 III. Self sterility / self incompatibility
 IV. Heterostyly
 V. Herkogamy (Barrier between anther and stigma of a bisexual homogamous flower)
 (a) Geitonogamy (b) Xenogamy (c) Allogamy (d) Autogamy

49. Subterranean Cleistogamous and geophilous flowers occur in-
 (a) *Viola* (b) *Commelina* (c) *Ficus bengalensis* (d) *Anthocephalus*
50. The root cell of wheat plant has 42 chromosomes what would be the number of chromosomes in the synergid cell-
 (a) 7 (b) 14 (c) 21 (d) 28
51. 8 nucleated embryo sacs are-
 (a) monopole only (b) Bipole only (c) Tetrasporic only (d) Any of these
52. Contrivance for self-pollination/autogamy is -
 (a) Homogamy (b) bisexual (c) Cleistogamy (d) All
53. The ploidy levels of the cells of the nucellus, MMC, the functional megaspore and female gametophyte -
 (a) 2N, N, 2N, N (b) N, N, 2N, N (c) 2N, 2N, N, N (d) N, 2N, 2N, N
54. Chasmogamy is pollination in -
 (a) Bud condition (b) Closed flowers (c) Unrelated flowers (d) Opened flowers
55. Which of the following plants produce(s) chasmogamous and Cleistogamous flowers?
 (a) *Viola* (Common pansy) (b) *Oxalis* (c) *Commelina* (d) All
56. The largest cell in an embryo sac is -
 (a) Egg (b) Central cell (c) Synergid (d) Antipodal cell
57. The process whereby a perfect flower is pollinated by its pollen is called -
 (a) Allogamy (b) Autogamy (c) Xenogamy (d) Hydrogamy
58. Transfer of pollen grains from anther to the stigma of another flower of same plant is -
 (a) Geitonogamy (b) Xenogamy (c) Autogamy (d) Cleistogamy
59. The development of fruit without fertilisation is-
 (a) Parthenogenesis (b) Parthenocarp (c) Apomixis (d) Apogamy
60. Which type of association is found in between entomophilous flower and pollinating agent-
 (a) Mutualism (b) Commercialism (c) Cooperation (d) None of these
61. In nature, allogamy is met within _____ surely-
 (a) unisexual flowers (b) Neuter flowers (c) Underground flowers (d) Bisexual flower
62. In Tapegrass (*Vallisneria*) -
 (a) The female flower reach the surface of water by long stalk and male flowers / pollen grains are released on to the surface
 (b) Monoecism is found
 (c) Pollen grains or flowers are actively carried by water current
 (d) All the above are correct
63. I. Flowers are small. They are often packed in inflorescence
 II. Flowers are colourless, nectarless and odourless
 III. Well exposed stamens
 IV. Pollen grains - produced in large number, light, non-sticky
 V. Flowers often have a single ovule in each ovary
 VI. Stigma - large, often feathery.
 The above contrivances favour-
 (a) Self pollination (b) Anemophily (pollination by wind)
 (c) Ornithophily (pollination by birds) (d) Entomophily (pollination by insects)
64. Anthesis is a phenomena which refers to-
 (a) Formation of pollen (b) Development of anther (c) Opening of flower bud (d) Reception of pollen
65. Plants of which of these groups are pollinated by the same agency-
 (a) *Triticum*, *cocos*, *mangifera* (b) *Ficus*, *Kigelia*, *Casurina*
 (c) *Salvia*, *Morus*, *Euphorbia* (d) *Bombax*, *Butea*, *Bactria*.
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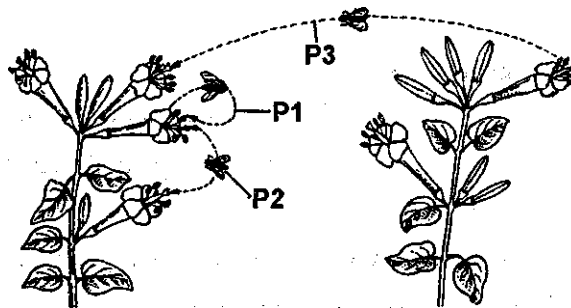
The above figure showing hydrophilous is of

- (a) *Zostera* (b) *Lotus* (c) *Vallisneria* (d) *Hydrilla*

67. Which of the following statements is correct.

- (a) Majority of plants use biotic agents for pollination
(b) Pollination by wind is more common among abiotic pollinations
(c) Pollination by water is quite rare in flowering plants
(d) All

68.



The above diagram shows 2 plants of the same species. Identify the types of pollination indicated as P1, P2 and P3.

- | | P1 | P2 | P3 |
|-----|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| (a) | Allogamy | Chasmogamy | Cleistogamy |
| (b) | Autogamy | Xenogamy | Geitonogamy |
| (c) | Autogamy | Geitonogamy | Xenogamy |
| (d) | Geitonogamy | Allogamy | Autogamy |

69. Which of the following statements is false?

- I. *Vallisneria* and *Hydrilla* are fresh water plants while sea-grasses (e.g. *Zostera*) are marine plant.
II. *Vallisneria* is epihydrophilous while *Zostera* is hypohydrophilous
III. Pollination in water lily / *Lotus* (*Nymphaea*) and *Eichhornia* (water hyacinth) takes place by insects ~ v
IV. In majority of aquatic plants flowers emerge above the level of water and are pollinated by insects or wind
V. In most of the water pollinated species, pollen grains are protected from wetting due to absence of mucilaginous covering
VI. In hydrophilous plants pollen grains are spherical

- (a) All (b) None (c) VI (d) IV

70. Which of the following is false?

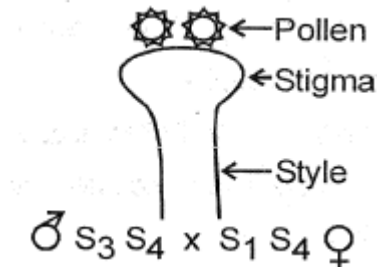
- (a) Wind-pollination is quite common in grasses
(b) Hydrophilous is limited to about 30 genera mostly monocots
(c) Both wind and water pollinated flowers are not very colourful and do not produce nectar
(d) None of the above

71. Self-incompatibility -

- (a) works the same-way in all plants
(b) Does not have potential agricultural applications
(c) Maintains variation

- (d) On the same mechanism of transplant rejection seen in animal
72. All of the following include outbreeding devices except -
 (a) Unisexuality of flowers, self-incompatibility
 (b) Pollen release and stigma receptivity are not synchronized
 (c) Anthers and stigma are placed at different position
 (d) Bisexuality, homogamy, cleistogamy
73. I. Flowers are usually large, colourful, fragrant
 II. Pollen grains are produced in large number
 III. Pollen grains are light in weight and non-sticky
 IV. Sticky pollen grains
 V. Stigma rough and sticky
 VI. Stigma is feathery
 Which of the above characters favour entomophily?
 (a) II, IV, V (b) I, II, III (c) III, IV, V (d) I, IV, V
74. Which of the following would not have an effect on flowering of a particular plant species?
 (a) Plant age (b) Nutritional status (c) Temperature (d) Prevailing wind
75. Choose the mismatched options-
 (a) Wind-cannabin : Anemophily (b) Water-Zoostera : Hydrophily
 (c) Insects-Salvia : Entomophily (d) Birds-Adonsoria : Ormithophily
76. Self-incompatibility -
 I. Is a device to prevent inbreeding.
 II. Provides a biochemical block to self-fertilization.
 III. Ensures cross-fertilization.
 IV. Is governed by pollen-pistil interaction
 V. Is governed by series of multiple alleles.
 VI. Prevents self pollen (from the same flower or other flowers of the same plant) from fertilizing the ovules by inhibiting pollen germination or pollen tube growth in the pistil.
77. Majority of flowering plants- I
 (a) Produce hermaphrodite flowers (b) Are dioecious
 (c) Show self-pollination (d) Show autogamy
78. Which of the following is the tallest flower?
 (a) *Vallisneria* (b) *Lotus* (c) *Amorphophallus* (d) *Zostera*
79. Which of the following Paris has Laploid number of chromosomes-
 (a) Nucleus and Antipodal cells (b) Egg nucleus and secondary nucleus
 (c) Megaspore mother cell Egg nucleus (d) Egg cell and antipodal cells
80. A plant that is self-incompatible has a genotype of S_5S_q for S-locus. It receives pollen from a plant that is S_3S_q . Which of the following is most likely to occur?
 (a) All of the pollen will germinate, forming pollen tubes (b) None of the pollen will germinate
 (c) About half of the pollen will germinate (d) Fertilization will occur in about pollinated plant

81.



The above diagram refers the self-incompatibility. The genotypes of embryo and endosperms are –

	Embryo	Endosperm
(a)	$S_1 S_3, S_3 S_4$	$S_3 S_4 S_4$
(b)	$S_4 S_4$	$S_3, S_3 S_4, S_1, S_1 S_3$
(C)	$S_1 S_3, S_3 S_4$	$S_1, S_1 S_3, S_4, S_4 S_3$
(d)	S_1, S_1	$S_1, S_3 S_4$

82. Unisexu ty of flower prevents -

- (a) Geitonogamy but not xenogamy (b) Autogamy but not geitonogamy
(c) Autogamy and geitonogamy (d) Both geitonogamy and xenogamy

83. Which of the following are usual floral rewards to pollinating animals?

- (a) Shelter and pollen grains (b) Shelter and fragrance
(c) nectar and pollen grains (d) Ner*~ ^fragrance

84. Moth (*Pronuba / Tegaticula*) passes its larval stage in plant pollinated by it. The plant is

- (a) *Ficus* (b) *Tagetes* (c) *Cosmos* (d) *Yucca*

85. The most common type of pollination is -

- (a) Entomophily (b) Ornithophily (c) Malacophily (by snails) (d) Chiropterophily (by bats)

86. Long silky hair coming out of the cob of maize are-

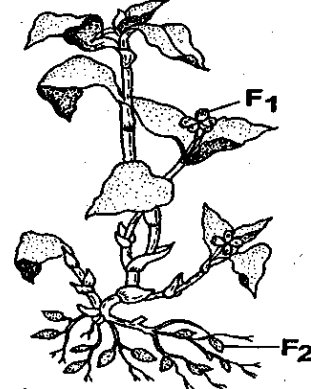
- (a) Meant for fruit dispersal (b) Meant for attracting insects
(c) Meant for protecting seeds (d) Long styles and stigma

87. Find out the correct option -

- (a) Among animals, insects, particularly bees are the dominant biotic pollinating agents
(b) Often flowers of animal - pollinated plants are specially adapted for particular species of animals
(c) In some species floral rewards like edible nectar, pollen grains, shelter for egg laying are given to pollinating animals
(d) All

88. The given figure shows the plant of *Commelina* with two types of flowers (F_1 and F_2). The flowers are –

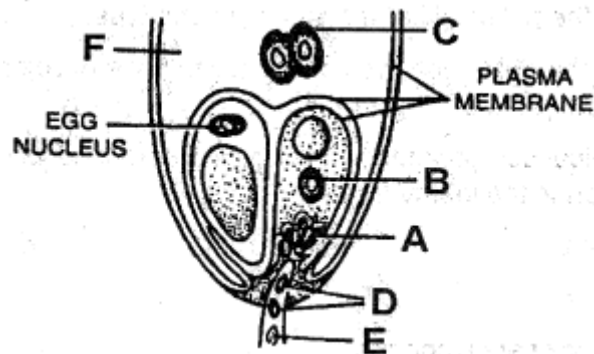
	F_1	F_2
(a)	Neutral	Staminate
(b)	Cleistogamous	Chasmogamous
(c)	Chasmogamous	Cleistogamous
(d)	Cryptogamous	Ovulate



89. In which part of a flower do both meiosis and fertilization occur?

- (a) ovule (b) stigma (c) anther (d) petal

90. What is the genetic importance of outcrossing?
 (a) Outcrossing is a characteristic of pollinators
 (b) Outcrossing increases genetic diversity in a population
 (c) Outcrossing increases the chances of sterility
 (d) Outcrossing promotes inbreeding in a population
91. Repeated self pollination over the generation produces –
 (a) New varieties (b) Better progenies (c) Inbreeding depression (d) Elimination of weak traits
92. Which of the following plants provide floral rewards to their pollinating agents -
 (a) *Zostera and Vallisneria* (b) *Hydrilla and Commelina*
 (c) *Amorphophallus and Yucca* (d) *Sugarcane and Pigeonpea*
93. An obligate association between flower and pollinating agent is found in -
 (a) *Yucca* (b) Maize (c) *Cosmos* (d) *Arena*
94. seeders banana is-
 (a) Parthenocarpic fruit (b) Multiple fruit (c) Seven called (d) Eight celled
95. Double fertilisation involves,
 (a) Fertilisation of the egg by two male gametes
 (b) Fertilisation of two egg in the same embryo sac by two sperms brought by one pollen tube
 (c) Fertilisation of the egg and the central cell by two sperms brought by different pollen tubes
 (d) fertilisation of the egg and central cell by two sperms brought by the same pollen
96. Select the correct order of endosperm types.
 (a) Cellular, helobial, free nuclear (b) Cellular, free nuclear, helobial
 (c) Helobial, free nuclear, cellular (d) Free nuclear, cellular, helobial
97. In castor and maize autogamy is prevented but geitonogamy occurs because -
 (a) Plants are dioecious (b) Plants are unisexual (c) Flowers are bisexual (d) Flowers are unisexual
- 98.

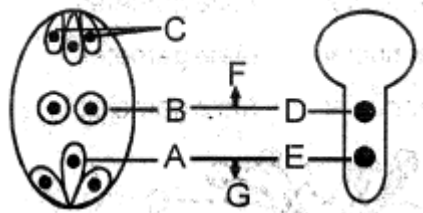


Study the diagram given above showing entry of pollen tube into embryo sac. Identify A to E –

A	B	C	D	E	F
(a) Filiform apparatus	Synergid	Polar nuclei	Vegetative Nucleus	Male gametes	Central cell
(b) Filiform apparatus	Synergid	Polar nuclei	Male gametes	Vegetative Nucleus	Central cell
(c) Obturator	Synergid	Polar nuclei	Male gametes	Vegetative Nucleus	Central cell
(d) Egg apparatus	Synergid	Polar nuclei	Male gametes	Vegetative Nucleus	Central cell

99. Endosperm of the seed develops from-
 (a) Haploid nucleus (b) Triploid nucleus (c) gymnosperms (d) Angiosperms

100.



The above diagram is related to double fertilization. A, B, D, E; F and G are identified as -

- (a) Egg, Polar nuclei, Male gamete, Male gamete, Primary endosperm nucleus (PEN), and Zygote respectively
- (b) Egg, Male gamete, Polar nuclei, Male gamete, Primary endosperm nucleus (PEN), and Zygote respectively
- (c) Egg, Male gamete, Male gamete, Polar nuclei, Primary endosperm nucleus (PEN), and Zygote respectively
- (d) Egg, Polar nuclei, Male gamete, Male gamete, Zygote, and Primary endosperm nucleus (PEN) respectively

101. Which of the following options is correct?

- (a) Pollination gives the guarantee of the promotion of post-pollination events that lead to fertilization
- (b) The events— "from pollen deposition on stigma until pollen tubes enter the ovule" are together referred to as pollen-pistil interaction,
- (c) Pollen-pistil interaction is a dynamic process involving pollen recognition followed by only promotion (not rejection) of the pollen.
- (d) Pistil has no ability to recognise the pollen, whether right or wrong type.

102. Total number of nuclei involved in double fertilization is –

- (a) 2
- (b) 3
- (c) 4
- (d) 5

103. Double fertilization is unique be-

- (a) Pteridophytes
- (b) Bryophytes
- (c) Gymnosperms
- (d) Angiosperm

104. Entry of the pollen tube through the micropyle is-

- (a) Anisogamy
- (b) misogamy
- (c) porogamy
- (d) chalazogamy

105. Emasculation is not required when flowers are -

- (a) Bisexual
- (b) Intersexual
- (c) Unisexual
- (d) Either a or b

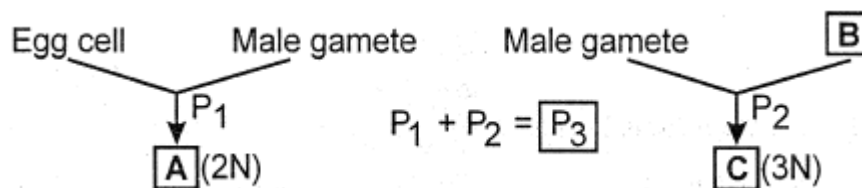
106. A homogamous tall pistillate plant (TT) is crossed with homogamous dwarf staminate plant (tt). What is the genotype of endosperm?

- (a) TTT
- (b) TTt
- (c) Ttt
- (d) ttt

107. Pollen tube enters the embryo sac usually –

- (a) By penetrating egg cell
- (b) Through one degenerated synergid
- (c) By destroying antipodal cells
- (d) Between persistent synergid and central cell

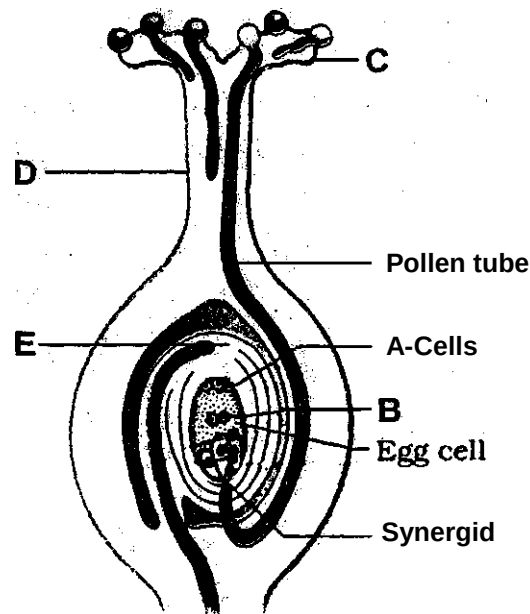
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Identify structures A, B, C and phenomena - P₁, P₂, P₃.

	A	B	C	P ₁	P ₂	P ₃
(a)	Zygote	Polar nuclei	PEN	Syngamy	Triple fusion	Double fertilization
(b)	Zygote	Polar nuclei	PEN	Triple fusion	Syngamy	Double fertilization
(c)	Zygote	Synergid	PEN	Syngamy	Triple fusion	Double fertilization
(d)	Zygote	Polar nuclei	PEN	Syngamy	Apogamy	Double fertilization

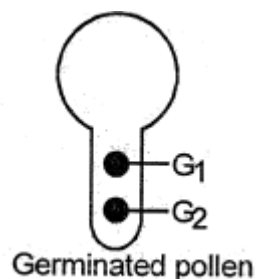
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Identify A, B, C, D and E

	A	B	C	D	E
(a)	Antipodal cells	Secondary nuclei	Stigma	Style	Chalaza
(b)	Antipodal cells	Secondary nuclei	Style	Stigma	Chalaza
(c)	Antipodal cells	Secondary nuclei	Stigma	Chalaza	Style
(d)	Antipodal cells	Secondary nuclei	Chalaza	Stigma	Style

110.



Why G₁ and G₂ are genetically identical?

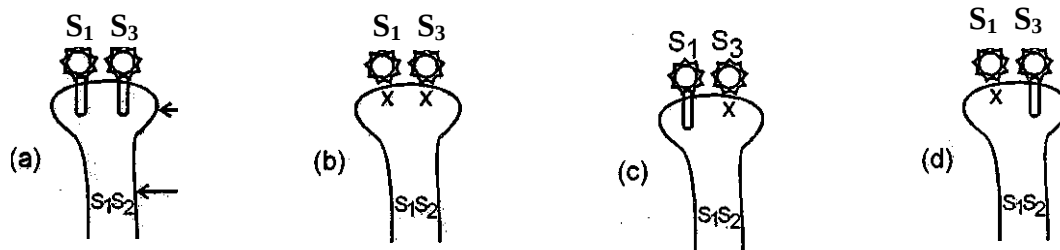
- (a) Because they are products of meiosis
 (b) Because they are products of mitosis
 (c) Because they are products of meiosis
 (d) Because the/are products of amitosis

111. The ability of the pistil to recognise the pollen followed by its acceptance or rejection is the result of a continuous dialogue between pollen grain and the pistil, This dialogue is mediated by chemical component[^], of the pollen interacting with those of the pistil. Which of the

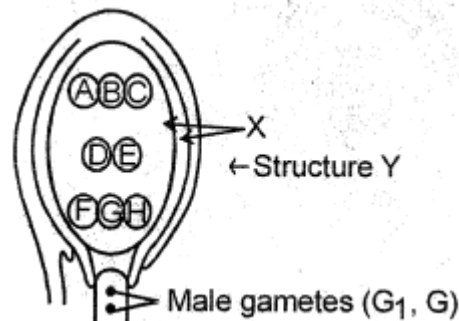
following chemicals mainly takes part in the interaction -

- (a) Nucleotides (b) Proteins (c) Minerals (d) Lipid or inulin

112. The role of double fertilization in angiosperms is to produce-
 (a) Cotyledon (b) Endocarp (c) Endosperm (d) Hormones
113. Which of the following is correct?
 (a) Double fertilization - characteristic of angiosperms
 (b) Double fertilization or triple fusion was discovered by Nawaschin
 (c) Pollen tube shows tip growth and chemotropic movement
 (d) All
114. Coffee plant has chromosome no. of '2n' in its somatic cells, what is the chromosome number in the edible part of coffee seed.
 (a) n (b) 2n (c) 3n (d) 4n
115. Through which cell of the embryo sac does the pollen tube enter the embryo sac-
 (a) Egg cell (b) Central cell (c) Persistent synergist (d) Degenerated synergist
116. Considering the genetic basis of self-incompatibility which of the following options is correct. Male plant is S₁S₂ and female plant is S₁S₃.



117.



The given diagram shows a section through the ovary and pollen tube of a flowering plant just before fertilization. After the fertilization the structures that convert into pericarp and seed coat are respectively –
 (a) X, Y (b) Y, X (c) D, E (d) G, B

118. After triple fusion central cell changes into -
 (a) Embryo (b) Embryo sac
 (c) Primary endosperm cell (PEC) (d) Primary endosperm nucleus
119. Fertilization is depicted by the condition –
 (a) $N \rightarrow 2N$ (b) $2N \rightarrow N$ (c) $2N \rightarrow 4N$ (d) $4N \rightarrow 2N$
120. In double fertilization total number of male nuclei and total number of female nuclei involved are- (a) 3, 2 respectively (b) 2, 3 respectively (c) 2, 2 respectively (d) 3, 3 respectively
121. The cells of endosperm have 24 chromosomes. What will be number of chromosomes in the gametes -
 (a) 8 (b) 16 (c) 72 (d) 24
122. The number of chromosomes in radicle is 16. What will be the number of chromosomes in tube nucleus, antipodal

cells, definitive nucleus and endosperm respectively?

(a) 8, 8, 16, 24

(b) 8, 8, 16, 16

(c) 16, 16, 32, 48

(d) 8, 8, 16, 48

123. Which one of the following produces both enzymes and Lemans-

(a) Topetum

(b) Endothecium

(c) Middle layers

(d) Epidermis

124. Which of the following is false about emasculation?

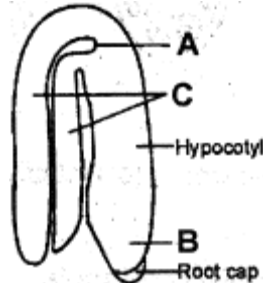
(a) During emasculation process, stigma is removed.

(b) Emasculated flowers are bagged in order to prevent self-pollination

(c) Emasculation is the removal of stamens before maturation of selected bisexual flowers

(d) It is one of the steps for artificial hybridization

125.



Go through the given diagram of a typical dicot embryo. In which of the following all the 3 parts labelled as A, B, C with their respective functions are correctly identified?

A

B

C

(a) Plumule, shoot system formation

Radicle, root system formation

Hypophysis, formation of radicle

(b) Plumule, shoot system formation

Radicle, root system formation

Cotyledon, food storage

(c) Radicle, root system formation

Plumule, shoot system formation

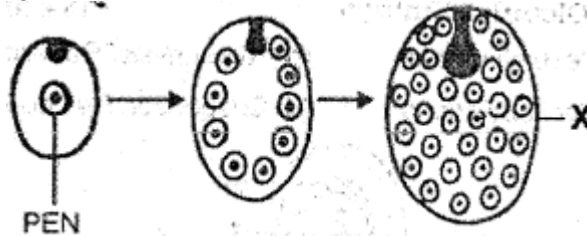
Cotyledon, food storage

(d) Radicle, root system formation

Plumule, shoot system formation

Endosperm, food storage

126. Go through the following diagram.



X is

(a) Cellular endosperm

(b) Nuclear endosperm

(c) Helobial endosperm

(d) Ruminant endosperm

127. Albuminous / endospermic seeds are –

(a) Coconut, castor, sunflower

(b) Bean, pea

(c) Groundnut, pea

(d) None

128. In coconut liquid nuclear endosperm is surrounded by white kernel which is -

(a) Integument/seed coat

(b) Cellular endosperm

(c) helobial endosperm

(d) fibrous mesocarp

129. Which of the following is false?

I. Endosperm formation starts prior to first division of zygote

II. Angiospermic endosperm is mostly 3N while gymnospermic one is N.

III. The most common type of endosperm is nuclear.

IV Coconut has both liquid nuclear (multinucleate) and cellular endosperm.

V. Milky water of green tender coconut is liquid female gametophyte.

- (a) I and II only (b) III only (c) V only (d) II only

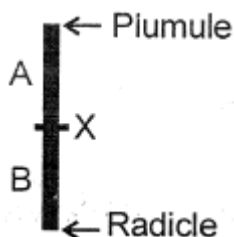
130. The study of formation, growth and development of new individual from an egg is called -

- (a) Embryology (b) Embryogenesis (c) Morphogenesis (d) Embryolysis

131. Endosperm is completely consumed by developing embryo before seed maturation or exalbuminous / non-endospermic seeds are found in -

- (a) Pea, ground nut, beans (b) Coconut, castor (c) Maize, wheat (d) Coconut, Wheat

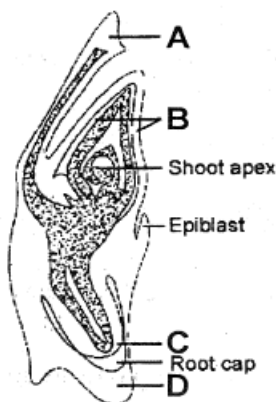
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Conder rod like structure as embryonal axis. X is the region at which cotyledon is attached, identify regions A and B respectively.

- (a) Epicotyl, Hypocotyl (b) Hypocotyl, Epicotyl (c) Epicotyl, Mesocotyl (d) Mesocotyl, Hypocotyl

133.



In which one of the options all the four parts A, B, C and D are correct?

- | | A | B | C | D |
|-----|------------|------------|---------|------------|
| (a) | Scutellum | Coleoptile | Radicle | Coleorhiza |
| (b) | Scutellum | Coleorhiza | Radicle | Coleoptile |
| (c) | Hypophysis | Coleorhiza | Radicle | Coleoptile |
| (d) | Hypophysis | Coleoptile | Radicle | Coleorhiza |

134. During germination, micropyle of seed takes part in -

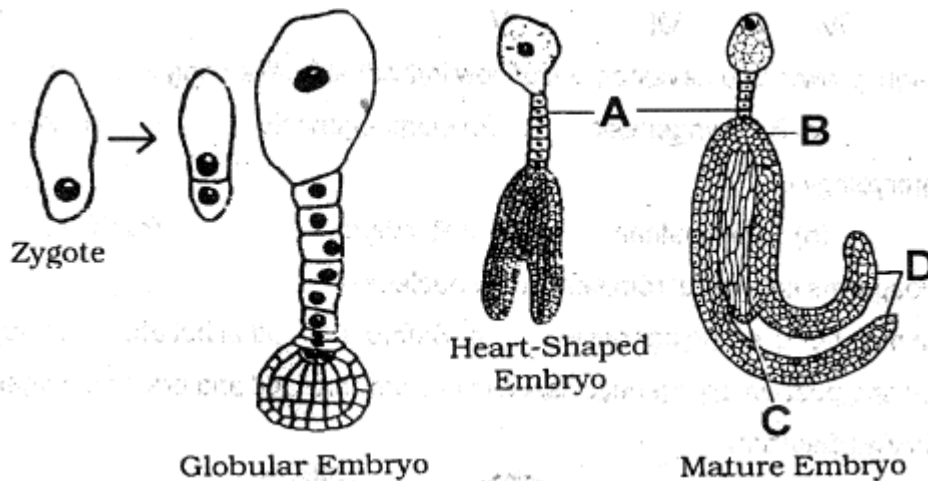
- (a) Forming weak point for emergence of radicle (b) Entry of water and oxygen
(c) passage of gases (d) Leaching inhibitors

135. Which plant part has two generations, one within the other is -

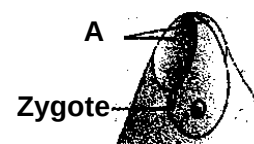
- (a) Embryo (b) Germinated pollen grain
(c) Unfertilized ovule (d) Seed

136. Aleurone layer takes part in -
 (a) Protection of delicate embryo (b) Enzyme synthesis
 (c) Transfer of food to cotyledons (d) Is also called scutellum
137. Which of the following statements is correct?
 (a) parthenocarpic fruits (seedless fruits) develop without fertilization e.g, banana.
 (b) Parthenocarpy can be induced by hormones
 (c) Seed is the basis of our agriculture
 (d) All
138. Germination of pollen grains on the stigma is-
 (a) Autogamy (b) in vitro germination (c) in vitro germination (d) in situ germination
139. Match the Column I with Column II -
- | | Column I | Column II | | | |
|-----|------------------|--------------------------|-----|----|-----|
| | A. Ovary | I. Groundnut, mustard | | | |
| | B. Ovule | II. Guava, orange, mango | | | |
| | C. Wall of ovary | III. Pericarp | | | |
| | D. Fleshy fruit | IV. Seed | | | |
| | E. Dry fruits | V. Fruit | | | |
| | A | B | C | D | E |
| (a) | V | IV | III | II | I |
| (b) | I | II | III | IV | V |
| (c) | I | III | II | IV | V |
| (d) | V | IV | I | II | III |
140. In citrus, a seed has 10 embryos. Out of 10 embryos -
 (a) One is normal and 9 are adventive, mostly nucellar embryos
 (b) One is adventive, mostly nucellar and 9 are normal embryos
 (c) 5 are nucellar and 5 are normal embryos
 (d) One is normal and 9 are monozygotic embryos
141. Perisperm differs from endosperm in-
 (a) Having no reserve food
 (b) Being a diploid tissue
 (c) Its formation by fusion of secondary nucleus with several sperms
 (d) Being a haploid tissue
142. Which one of the following statements is correct ?
 (a) Hard outer layer of pollen is called intine (b) Sporogoneous tissue is haploid
 (c) Endothecium produces the microspores (d) Tapetum nourishes the developing pollen
143. What would be number of chromosomes of aleurone cells of plant with 42 chromosome in its root tip cells?
 (a) 42 (b) 63 (c) 84 (d) 2n
144. What is common between vegetative reproduction and Apomixis?
 (a) Both occur round the year (b) Both produces progeny identical to the parent
 (c) Both are applicable to only dicot plants (d) Both bypass the flowering phase
145. Active research is going on in many laboratories around the world to understand the genetics of apomixis. What is the purpose of such active research?
 (a) Hybrid plants are directly formed by apomixis
 (b) Apomixis is the method to produce seed without fertilization
 (c) To transfer apomictic genes into hybrid varieties which will prevent loss of hybrid vigour with successive years
 (d) Apomixis produces genetically different individuals
146. In most plants; the fruit develops from the ovary, other parts degenerate and fall off such fruits are called-
 (a) False fruits (b) True fruits (c) parthenocarpic fruit (d) None of the above

147. An example of a seed with endosperm, perisperm and caruncle is -
 (a) Castor (b) Coffee (c) Lily (d) Cotton
148. In some seeds like black pepper and beet, remnants of nucellus are present. This residual, persistent nucellus is called-
 (a) Aleuron layer (b) Endothelium (c) Perisperm (d) Obturator
149. Embryos of monocotyledons possess only one ____A____. In the grass family the cotyledon is called ____B____ that is situated towards one side (lateral) of the embryonal axis. At its lower end, the embryonal axis has the radical and root cap enclosed in an undifferentiated sheath called ____C____. The portion of the embryonal axis above the level of attachment of scutellum is the ____D____ which has a shoot apex enclosed in a foliar structure called ____E____.
 (a) A - cotyledon, B - scutellum, C - coleorrhiza, D - epicotyl, E - coleoptile
 (b) A - scutellum, B - cotyledon, C - coleorrhiza, D - epicotyl, E - coleoptile
 (c) A - cotyledon, B - scutellum, C - coleorrhiza, D - Hypocotyl, E - coleoptile
 (d) A - cotyledon, B - scutellum, C - coleoptile, D - epicotyl, E - coleorrhiza
150. Diagram given below shows stages in embryogenesis in a typical dicot (*Capsella*). Identify structures A to D respectively-



- (a) Suspensor, Radicle, Plumule, Cotyledons
 (b) Hypophysis, Radicle, Plumule, Cotyledons
 (c) Suspensor, Plumule, Radicle, Cotyledons
 (d) Suspensor, Radicle, Plumule, Hypocotyls
151. Endosperm in angiosperms is formed from secondary nucleus -
 (a) After fertilization but prior to embryogenesis (b) Before fertilization but after embryogenesis
 (c) As post-fertilized and post-embryogenetic tissue (d) As pre-fertilized and pre-embryogenetic tissue
152. In a fertilized ovule, n , $2n$ and $3n$ conditions occur respectively in -
 (a) antipodals, egg, endosperm (b) megaspore mother cell, nucellus, endosperm
 (c) egg, nucellus, microspore (d) endosperm, micropyle, egg
153. Father of Indian embryology is—
 (a) P. Maheshwari (b) Swaminathan (c) R. Misra (d) Butler
154. For artificial hybridisation experiment in bisexual flower, which of the sequences is correct?
 (a) Bagging → Emasculation → Cross pollination → Rebagging
 (b) Emasculation → Bagging → Cross pollination → Rebagging
 (c) Cross pollination → Bagging → Emasculation → Rebagging
 (d) Self-pollination → Bagging → Emasculation → Rebagging
155. The purpose of bagging an emasculated flower in artificial hybridisation programme is
 (a) To prevent intrafloral pollination
 (b) To prevent self-pollination (from the pollen of the same flower)
 (c) To prevent contamination of its stigma with unwanted pollen
 (d) For rebagging
156. Identify the components labelled A, B, C and D in the diagram above from the list I to VIII given along with



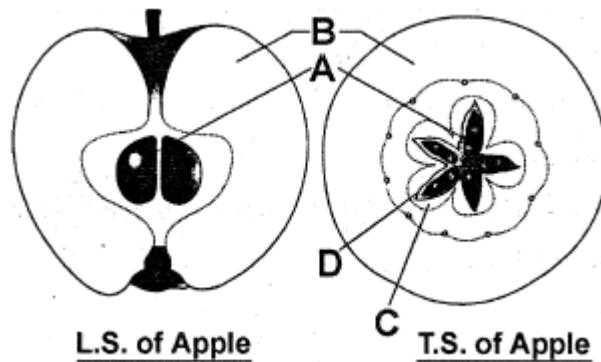
components-

- I. Micropyle
- II. Chalaza
- III. Central cell IV PEN
- V. PEC
- VI. Megaspore
- VII. Degenerating synergid
- VIII. Degenerating antipodal cell
- I.. Polar nuclei

The correct components are-

	A	B	C	D
(a)	I	II	VIII	III
(b)	II	VIII	III	I
(c)	IV	IV	VII	III
(d)	VI	IV	VII	V

157. Maize grain in a-
 (a) seed (b) Ovule (c) embryo (d) fruit
158. Which are the external conditions required for seed germination-
 (a) Oxygen, carbon dioxide and suitable temperature
 (b) Oxygen, light and suitable temperature
 (c) Light, moisture and suitable temperature
 (d) Oxygen, moisture and suitable temperature
159. Which of the following is false?
 (a) The storage tissue of rice and other cereal grains, is endosperm
 (b) Outermost layer of endosperm of maize grain is Aleurone layer
 (c) Aleurone layer of maize grain is specially rich in proteins
 (d) The transformation of ovules into seeds and ovary into fruit does not proceed simultaneously
160. The world's oldest viable seed, excavated from Arctic Tundra is of -
 (a) *Pheonix dactylifera* (b) *Calotropis* (c) Lupine (*Lupinus*) (d) *Victoria*
161. Hybrid seeds have to be produced every year because -
 (a) Hybrid plants become sterile in coming years
 (b) They show more heterosis in coming years
 (c) Hybrid vigour is not maintained beyond one generation as segregation of genes begins in the second generation
 (d) Hybrid seed industry tends to increase cost of the seeds
162. An organic substance that can withstand environmental extremes and cannot be degraded by any enzyme is:
 (a) Cuticle (b) Sporopollenin (c) Lignin (d) Cellulose
163. Wind pollination is common in
 (a) Orchids (b) Legumes (c) Lilies (d) Grasses
164. Even in absence of pollinating agents seed setting is assured in
 (a) *Commellina* (b) *Zostera* (c) *Salvia* (d) Fig
165. Which of the following statements one true-
 (a) Endothecium lies behind epidermis
 (b) Fusion of egg with male gamete is called apogamy
 (c) symergids are lipoid
 (d) The point at which funicle touches the ovule is called laplae
 (a) (a) and (d) only (b) (a) and (b) only (c) (a) and (c) only (d) All are true
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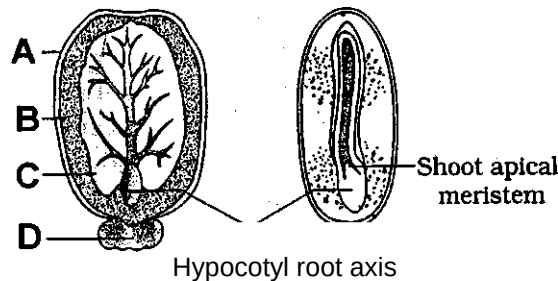


Identify the edible part (A, B, C and D) shown in the diagram –

- (a) A - seed (b) B - thalamus (c) C = Epicarp + Mesocarp (d) D = Endocarp

167. Collar like outgrowth that arises from the base of the ovule and focus a salt of third integument is called-
 (a) caruncle (b) aril (c) operculum (d) fericulus
168. False fruits (thalamus also contributes to fruit formation) are found in -
 (a) Apple and pear (b) Strawberry (c) Cashewnut (d) All
169. Which of the following is not correct?
 (a) As the seed matures, its water content is reduced and seeds become relatively dry (10-15% moisture by mass)
 (b) The seed dormancy is the internal or innate inhibition of germination of normal or viable seeds
 (c) Embryo in dormant seed shows higher rate of general metabolic rate
 (d) Because of dormancy seeds remain viable for longer period and can be stored
170. Seed dormancy allows the plant to -
 (a) Overcome unfavourable climatic conditions
 (b) Develop healthy seeds
 (c) Reduce viability
 (d) Prevent deterioration of seeds

171.



The above diagrams are related to castor seeds. Identify A, B, C and D respectively -

- (a) Endosperm, seed coat, cotyledon and caruncle (b) Seed coat, endosperm, caruncle and cotyledon
 (c) Seed coat, cotyledon, endosperm and caruncle (d) Seed coat, endosperm, cotyledon and caruncle

172. What is the function of germ pore?
 (a) Emergence of radicle (b) Absorption of water for seed germination
 (c) Initiation of pollen tube (d) Release of male gametes
173. The gynoecium consists of many free pistils in flowers of
 (a) Aloe (b) Tomato (c) Papaver (d) Michelia
174. Which of the sequences is correct for embryogenesis in dicots?
 (a) Zygote → Globular stage → Proembryo → Heart shaped stage → Matured embryo
 (b) Zygote → Heart shaped stage → Globular stage → Matured embryo

(c) Zygote → Proembryo → Heart shaped stage → Globular stage → Matured embryo
 (b) Zygote → Proembryo → Globular stage → Heart shaped stage → Matured embryo

175. Nuclear or cellular nature of endosperm can be known at a -
 (a) Matur[^]stage (b) Cordate stage of embryo[^]
 (c) First and subsequent divisions of PEN (d) beginning of divisions in embryo

176. An ovule has generally how many embryo sac?
 (a) 1 (b) 3 (c) 4 (d) 8

177. Go through the above figure showing a dissected flower of *Hibiscus* showing pistil. Identify A, B, C and D respectively-
 (a) Hilum, Carpel, Ovary and thalamus
 (b) Stigma, Style, Ovary and thalamus
 (c) Stigma, style, ovary and placenta
 (d) Stigma, style, Gynophore, anthopore



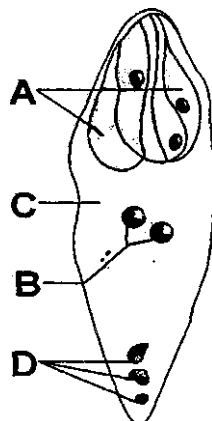
178. Micropyle is found in
 (a) Seed (b) Ovule (c) Both ovule and seed (d) Fruit

179. Microspore → Mitosis → Vegetative Cell
 Microspore → Mitosis → Generative Cell → Mitosis → 2 male gametes

Which of the following cells has more food and a large irregular shaped nucleus?

- (a) Vegetative cell (b) Generative cell
 (c) Microspore (d) Either Vegetative cell or Generative cell
180. The inner wall of pollen grain -
 (a) Is thin, continuous and pecto cellulosic and is called intine
 (b) Comes out in the form of pollen tube through gempore
 (c) Is thick and consists of sporopollenin
 (d) a and b
181. The first division in a pollen grain results in formation of - ^ - '
 (a) a larger vegetative cell and smaller generative cell (b) a larger generative cell and smaller vegetative cell
 (c) 2 equal cells (d) 4 male gametes
182. Pollen grain has prominent apertures called where sporopollenin is
 (a) intine, gempore, absent (b) exine, gempore, absent
 (c) exine, gempore, present (d) exine, foramen ovale, absent
183. Pollen grains of different species show characteristic difference in -
 (a) Shapes, size and colours only (b) Shapes, sizes, colours and ploidy only
 (c) Shapes, sizes, colour and design only (d) Ploidy only

184.



Identify A, B, C and D structures shown in above diagram of female gametophyte -

	A	B	C	D
(a)	Synergid	Polar nuclei	Central cell	Antipodal cells
(b)	Antipodal cells	Polar nuclei	Central cell	Synergids
(c)	Antipodal cells	Polar nuclei	Megaspore mother cell	Synergids
(d)	Filiform	Polar nuclei	Central cell	Arrtipodal cell

185. Which of the following statements is false about filiform apparatus?
- (a) The synergids have special cellular thickenings at the micropylar tip called filiform apparatus
 - (b) It plays an important role in guiding the pollen tubes into the synergid
 - (c) Both
 - (d) Pollen tube stimulates the formation of filliform apparatus
186. In an angiosperm, male plant is diploid and the female plant in tetraploid, endosperm will be-
- (a) Haploid
 - (b) Triploid
 - (c) Tetraploid
 - (d) Pentaploid