#### **EXEMPLAR PROBLEMS IN BIOLOGY - CLASS XII**

(Corrections in the questions)

# Chapter 1

# Reproduction in Organisms

**Multiple Choice Questions** 

- 3. Asexual method of reproduction by binary fission is common to which of the following?
- i. Some eukaryotes
- ii. All eukaryotes
- iii. Some prokaryotes
- iv. All prokaryotes

# **Options**

- a. i and ii
- b. ii and iii
- c. i and iii
- d. iii and iv

#### 11.

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- a. i, ii and iii;
- b. i, iii and iv
- c. i, ii and iv
- d. ii, iii and iv

## Chapter 3

# **Human Reproduction**

**Multiple Choice Questions** 

1.

- c. Polyspermy in mammals is prevented by the chemical changes in the egg surface
- 2. Identify the correct statement from the following:
  - a. High levels of estrogen triggers the ovulatory surge.
  - b. Oogonial cells start to proliferate and give rise to functional ova in regular cycles from puberty onwards.
  - c. Sperms released from seminiferous tubules are highly motile.
  - d. Progesterone level is high during the post ovulatory phase of menstrual cycle.

#### Chapter 5

#### Principle of Inheritance and Variation

**Multiple Choice Questions** 

- 15. It is said that Mendel proposed that the factor controlling any character is discrete and independent. His proposition was based on the
  - a. results of F, generation of a cross.
  - b. observations that the offspring of a cross made between the plants having two contrasting characters shows only one character without any blending.
  - c. self pollination of F₁ offsprings.
  - d. cross pollination of F<sub>1</sub> generation with recessive parent.

#### Chapter 6

# Molecular Basis of Inheritance

**Multiple Choice Questions** 

- 24. The RNA polymerase holoenzyme transcribes
  - a. the promoter, structural gene and the terminator region.
  - b. the promoter and the terminator region.
  - c. the structural gene and the terminator region.
  - d. the structural gene only.

## Chapter 7

#### **Evolution**

**Multiple Choice Questions** 

15.

d. Chimpanzee

# Chapter 8

#### **Human Health and Diseases**

**Multiple Choice Questions** 

- 5. The sporozoites that cause infection, when a female *Anopheles* mosquito bites a person, are formed in
  - a. liver of the person
  - b. RBCs of mosquito
  - c. salivary glands of mosquito
  - d. intestine of mosquito

11.

- i. the ability to differentiate pathogens or foreign molecules from self cells increases.
- 19. Which of the following is not a lymphoid tissue?
  - a. Spleen
  - b. Tonsils
  - c. Pancreas
  - d. Thymus
- 21. Haemozoin is a
  - a. precursor of hemoglobin
  - b. toxin released from Streptococcus infected cells
  - c. toxin released from *Plasmodium* infected cells
  - d. toxin released from Haemophilus infected cells

#### Chapter 9

# Strategies for Enhancement in Food

#### Production

**Multiple Choice Questions** 

1.

a. Relation of heterogenous populations to its environment.

- 13.
  - a. i and iii
- b. i and ii
- c. i and iv
- d. ii and iii

- 16.
  - d. aromatic amino acids
- 20.
  - a. Bamboo
- 23. The agriculture sector of India employs about
  - a. 50 per cent of the population
  - b. 70 per cent of the population
  - c. 30 per cent of the population
  - d. 60 per cent of the population

#### Chapter 10

#### Microbes in Human Welfare

**Multiple Choice Questions** 

- 2.
- a. anaerobic digesters
- b. floc
- 19. Delete the question

# Chapter 11

# Biotechnology: Principles and Processes

**Multiple Choice Questions** 

- 6. Which of the following is not required in the preparation of a recombinant DNA molecules?
  - a. Restriction endonuclease
  - b. DNA ligase
  - c. DNA fragments
  - d. E. coli
- 14. Which of the following is not a source of restriction endonuclease?
  - a. Haemophilus influenza
  - b. Escherichia coli
  - c. Entamoeba coli
  - d. Bacillus amyloliquifaciens

#### Chapter 12

# Biotechnology and its Applications

**Multiple Choice Questions** 

- 7. The site of production of ADA in the body is
  - a. Erythrocytes
  - b. Lymphocytes

- c. Blood plasma
- d. Osteocytes
- 15. Silencing of a gene could be achieved through the use of
  - a. RNAi only
  - b. antisense RNA only
  - c. both RNAi and antisense RNA
  - d. none of the above

# Chapter 15

## **Biodiversity and Conservation**

**Multiple Choice Questions** 

- 5. Which of the following is not a feature of biodiversity hotspots?
  - a. Large number of species
  - b. Abundance of endemic species
  - c. Mostly located in the polar regions
  - d. Mostly located in the tropics
- 17. Which of the following group exhibit more species diversity?
  - a. Gymnosperms
  - b. Algae
  - c. Bryophytes
  - d. Fungi

#### Chapter 17

Answers to Multiple-choice Questions (Corrections in the answers)

Chapter 3: Human Reproduction

2-d

Chapter 5: Principle of Inheritance and Variation

3-a; 16-d

Chapter 8: Human Health and Diseases

5-d

Chapter 9: Strategies in Enhancement of Food Production

15-a

Chapter 10: Microbes in Human Welfare

2-a

Chapter 13: Organisms and Populations

5-d; 17-b; 20-a

Chapter 15: Biodiversity and Conservation 13-c

Chapter 16: Environmental Issues 10-a

