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If $x = \alpha$, $y = \beta$, $z = \gamma$ is a positive integral solution of the equation x + y + z = 12, the probability that it is such that $\alpha < \beta < \gamma$ is

Options:

$$\frac{7}{1. \checkmark 55}$$

$$\frac{12}{55}$$

Question Number : 2 Question Id : 3838235162 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : Yes

Display Question Number: Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which of the following pairs of numbers is possible to be the regression coefficients for a data of two variables

$$3. \checkmark (0.85, 0.9)$$

Question Number: 3 Question Id: 3838235163 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

The order of convergence of the Newton's Raphson's method is

Options:

1 × linear

2. v quadratic

3. * biquadratic

4. * cubic

Question Number : 4 Question Id : 3838235164 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which of the following numerical method is a multistep method to solve IVP or BVP's

Options:

1. * Successive approximation method

2. Adams - Bashforth method

3. Runge - Kutta method

4. * Euler's method

Question Number : 5 Question Id : 3838235165 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

If the Laplace transform of
$$\int_{0}^{t} \frac{\left(\left(1+2t\right)^{2}-1\right)e^{3t}}{t} dt = \frac{A}{S} + \frac{B}{\left(S-3\right)^{2}} + \frac{C}{\left(S-3\right)}, \text{ then}$$

$$3(A+B+C) =$$

Options:

1. * 8

3. * 12

4. * 15

Question Number : 6 Question Id : 3838235166 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : Yes Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Consider the following problem of vibration of a string. A tightly stretched string with fixed end points x = 0 and x = L is initially in a position given by y(x,0) = f(x). It is released from this rest position and allowed to vibrate. The mathematical representation of this problem which depicts the displacement of the string y(x,t) at different times for different values of x, $0 \le x \le L$ is

Options:

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = C^2 \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x^2}, \ y(x,0) = f(x), \ y(0,t) = 0, \ y(L,t) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial t} = C^2 \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x^2}, \ y(0,t) = f(x), \ y(0,L) = 0, \ y(L,0) = 0, \ \left(\frac{\partial y}{\partial t}\right)_{t=0} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x^2} = C^2 \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial t^2}, \ y(x,0) = f(x), \ \left(\frac{\partial y}{\partial x}\right)_{x=0} = 0, \ y(0,L) = 0$$

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Question Number : 7 Question Id : 3838235167 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : Yes Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

If x = f(t) changes the interval $\alpha \le t \le \alpha + 2C$ to $\beta \le x \le \beta + 2\pi$, then $\frac{f(t)}{\beta} =$

1.
$$\times t + \alpha$$

$$\frac{t}{\alpha}$$

 $4. \times t - \alpha$

Question Number: 8 Question Id: 3838235168 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number: Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which of the following is a convergent series?

Options:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{3n^2 + 5n + 6}{5n^2 + 6n + 3}$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{2n+3}{2n}$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{2^n - 2}{2^n + 1}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{1}{\log(n+1)}$$

Question Number: 9 Question Id: 3838235169 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number: Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

A and B are two nonsingular matrices. If the characteristic equation of A is

$$a_0x^3 + a_1x^2 + a_2x + a_3 = 0$$
 and characteristic equation of B⁻¹A⁻¹B is

$$b_0 x^3 + b_1 x^2 + b_2 x + b_3 = 0$$
, then

$$\frac{a_0}{b_0} = \frac{a_1}{b_1} = \frac{a_2}{b_2} = \frac{a_3}{b_3}$$

$$\frac{a_0}{b_3} = \frac{a_1}{b_2} = \frac{a_2}{b_1} = \frac{a_3}{b_0}$$

3.
$$* a_0 + a_1 + a_2 + a_3 = b_0 + b_1 + b_2 + b_3$$

$$a_0 a_1 a_2 a_3 = b_0 b_1 b_2 b_3$$

Question Number: 10 Question Id: 3838235170 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Consider the linear system of non homogeneous equation in three variables AX = B.

 $\rho(A)$ and $\rho([A:B])$ are roots of the equation $x^2 + bx + c = 0$. AX = B has infinite

number of solutions, then the option containing two possible pairs of values of (b, c) is

Options:

$$(1,-2)$$
 $(4,-4)$

$$(-4,4)$$

Bio Technology

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Question Number: 11 Question Id: 3838235171 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Spontaneous generation or Abiogenesis was disproved by

Options:

1 * Antony van Leeuwenhoek

- 2 * Aristotle
- 3. Louis Pasteur
- 4. * Ferdinand Cohn

Question Number: 12 Question Id: 3838235172 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Endoplasmic reticulum and Golgi bodies are present in

Options:

- Prokaryotic cell
- 2 * Animal cell only
- 3. * Plant cell only

Question Number: 13 Question Id: 3838235173 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0 Fimbriae in prokaryotes is used for

Options:

- Motility
- 2. Attachment or adhesion
- 3. Conjugation
- 4. * Motility, attachment and conjugation

Question Number: 14 Question Id: 3838235174 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Transduction is a process of

Options:

- 1 * Uptake of exogenous DNA by microbe
- 2. Sexual transfer of DNA from two microbes
- 3. Transfer of genetic material through a bacteriophage or a virus
- 4. Uptake of exogenous DNA by microbe and Sexual transfer of DNA from two microbes

Question Number: 15 Question Id: 3838235175 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number: Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Axenic culture means

Options:

- 1 * Study of characteristics of a culture, in an environment of other living organisms
- 2. Study of characteristics of a culture, in an environment free of other living organisms
- 3 * Study of characteristics of a culture, of living organisms without environment effect
- △ Study of characteristics of a culture, in absence of nutrients

Question Number: 16 Question Id: 3838235176 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Photo lithotrophic autotroph organisms use

Options:

1. Light energy, inorganic electron source and CO2 as its carbon source

2. * Chemical energy, organic electron source and CO2 as its carbon source

3. * Light energy, organic electron source and organic compounds as its carbon source

4 * Chemical energy, inorganic electron source and CO₂ as its carbon source

Question Number: 17 Question Id: 3838235177 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Electron transport chain mechanism for generation of ATP is carried out in

Options:

- 1 * Outer membrane of Endoplasmic reticulum
- 2. * Mitochondrial Matrix
- 3. Mitochondrial folded inner membrane cristae
- 4. In Golgi bodies

Question Number: 18 Question Id: 3838235178 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Microbes at exponential growth phase will have

Options:

- 1 * Rate of growth is inversely proportional to division
- 2 Rate of growth and division is constant and maximal
- 3. Population is not uniform in terms of chemical and physical properties during this phase
- 4. Population is uniform but not in terms of chemical and physical properties during this phase

Question Number: 19 Question Id: 3838235179 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Chemoorganotrophic heterotroph organisms use

- 1. Organic compounds as sources of energy, hydrogen, electrons and carbon
- 2. * Light energy, organic electron source and organic compounds as its carbon source
- 3. * Chemical energy, inorganic electron source and CO2 as its carbon source
- 4. **

Organic compounds as sources of energy, hydrogen, inorganic compounds for electrons and carbon

Question Number: 20 Question Id: 3838235180 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0 Fermentation is a process where

Options:

- Glucose is converted into pyruvate in the presence of oxygen
- 2. * Glucose is converted into pyruvate in the absence of oxygen
- 3 Glucose is converted into lactate and / or alcohol in the absence of oxygen
- 4. Clucose is converted into lactate and / or alcohol in the presence of oxygen

Question Number: 21 Question Id: 3838235181 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Lyophilization or freeze-drying involves

Options:

- 1. * Freezing the cells in liquid nitrogen
- 2 Sublimation of cells water by its drying under vacuum
- 3 * Making into powder by dry heat
- Wet heat and freezing of cells

Question Number: 22 Question Id: 3838235182 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

The following is not an inhibitor of protein synthesis

Options:

1. * Streptomycin

2 ✓ Penicillin 3. * Tetracyclin 4. * Erythromycin Question Number: 23 Question Id: 3838235183 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes **Display Question Number: Yes** Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0 Which among the following is a compound lipid **Options:** 1 * Fats 2. * Oils Phospholipids 4. Waxes Question Number: 24 Question Id: 3838235184 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes **Display Question Number: Yes** Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0 Select a conjugated protein **Options:** Collagen 2 * Albumin

3. * Keratin

4. Hemoglobin

Question Number: 25 Question Id: 3838235185 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which one is incorrect with regard to pKa?

- 1 * In pKa, Ka is acid dissociation constant
- 2. pKa is measurement of the concentration of hydrogen ions in a solution
- 3. * Higher the Ka the stronger the acid
- 4. * pKa is used to show the strength of an acid

Question Number: 26 Question Id: 3838235186 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which is correct for bisubstrate reactions?

Options:

- 1 They are classified into sequential and double displacement reactions
- The most widely used rate expression for them is Michaelis- Menten kinetics
- Enzyme concentration is in excess of the substrate in the medium
- The rate is mainly limited by the substrate concentration

Question Number: 27 Question Id: 3838235187 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number: Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Select the wrong option regarding enthalpy

Options:

Enthalpy is the measure of total heat in a thermodynamic system where pressure is

- 1. * constant
- 2. It is represented as $\Delta H = \Delta E + P \Delta V$
- 3. It is a measure of disorder in a thermodynamic system
- 4 * It represents the heat constant of a system

Question Number: 28 Question Id: 3838235188 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Mitochondria known as the "powerhouse" of the cell, generates ATP *via* oxidative phosphorylation complexes. Which among the following is known as complex I?

Options:

- 1 * Succinate dehydrogenase
- 2. * Ubiquinol-cytochrome c oxidoreductase
- 3 * Cytochrome c oxidase
- 4. NADH: ubiquinone oxidoreductase

Question Number: 29 Question Id: 3838235189 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of the following is not a transport protein?

Options:

- 1 * Sodium-potassium pump
- ✓ Mechano-Sensitive Ion Channels
- 3. * The sodium-calcium exchanger
- 4. * Lactose permease

Question Number: 30 Question Id: 3838235190 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which of the following are positive regulators of cell cycle?

- 1. Cyclin and cyclin dependent kinases
- 2. * Retinoblastoma protein
- 3. * P53

Question Number: 31 Question Id: 3838235191 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number: Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which among the following belongs to the class of second messengers?

Options:

1 * Hormones, neurotransmitters

2. * Pharmacological agonists

3 cAMP, cGMP, DNA binding

4. * Ions, protein kinases

Question Number: 32 Question Id: 3838235192 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

What are Alleles?

Options:

two genes that occupy the different position on non-homologous chromosomes and

1 * that cover the same trait

two genes that occupy the same position on homologous chromosomes and that cover

2. \the same trait

two genes that occupy the same position on non-homologous chromosomes and that

cover different trait

two genes that occupy the same position on homologous chromosomes and that cover

4 * different trait

Question Number: 33 Question Id: 3838235193 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

In Mendel's dihybrid cross study mating that involve parents that differ in two genes (two independent traits) the F2 generation phenotype ratio would be

Options:

- 1 * 1:2:1
- 2. * 9:3:1:3
- 3. \$\square\$ 9:3:3:1
- 4. * 9:1:3:3

Question Number: 34 Question Id: 3838235194 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number: Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Polygenic Trait means

Options:

Several genes influence different traits; genes for a polygenic trait may be scattered

1 * along the same chromosome

Several genes influence a trait; genes for a polygenic trait are not scattered along the

2. * same chromosome or different chromosomes

Several genes influence different traits; genes for a polygenic trait are not scattered

3. * along the same chromosome or on different chromosomes

Several genes influence a trait; genes for a polygenic trait may be scattered along the

4. same chromosome or located on different chromosomes

Question Number: 35 Question Id: 3838235195 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Frequency of crossing-over between linked genes is

- 1. * Inversely proportional to the distance between them
- 2. Proportional to the distance between them
- 3. * Inversely proportional to the square of the distance between them
- 4. * Proportional to the square of the distance between them

Question Number: 36 Question Id: 3838235196 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Epistasis refers to

Options:

- No variation resulting from the interaction of alleles at different loci
- 2. * Variation resulting from the interaction of alleles at same loci
- No variation resulting from the interaction of alleles at different chromosomes

Question Number: 37 Question Id: 3838235197 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number: Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

What is transition and transversion mutations respectively means?

Options:

- Purine is replaced by pyrimidine in transition and purine is replaced by purine in transversion
- 2. Purine is replaced by purine in transition and purine is replaced by pyrimidine in transversion
- 3. Purine is replaced by purine in transition and transversion
- 4 * Pyrimidine is replaced by pyrimidine in transition and in transversion

Question Number: 38 Question Id: 3838235198 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

In structural chromosome mutations pericentric inversion mutation means

Options:

A portion in the chromosome is reversed and gets inserted back into the other arm of

- 2. * Some part of the chromosome is deleted and new is added

A portion in the chromosome is reversed and gets inserted back into the same arm of

- 3. * the chromosome
- A portion in the chromosome is reversed and gets inserted back into the other chromosome

Question Number: 39 Question Id: 3838235199 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0
UV light effect the DNA by causing

Options:

- 1. * G-G dimerization
- 2. * G-C dimerization
- 3. V T-T dimerization
- 4. * A-T dimerization

Question Number: 40 Question Id: 3838235200 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Smaller subunit of ribosomes binds to what for initiation of translation

Options:

- 1 × DNA
- 2. w mRNA
- 3. ***** tRNA
- 4. * microsatellite RNA

Question Number: 41 Question Id: 3838235201 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number: Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Promotor and operator are cis sites on DNA for binding of

- 1. RNA polymerase binds to promotor and repressor binds to operator
- 2. * Repressor binds to promotor and RNA polymerase binds to operator
- 3 * DNA polymerase binds to promotor and repressor binds to operator
- 4. * DNA polymerase binds to promotor and RNA polymerase binds to operator

Question Number: 42 Question Id: 3838235202 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Post transcriptional modification includes

Options:

- 1 RNA editing
- 2 * Phosphorylation, Acetylation
- 3 \sqrt{5}' capping, 3' poly adenylating and intron removal by splicing

Question Number: 43 Question Id: 3838235203 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Function of signal sequences in translation

Options:

- 1 Protein modifications
- 2. Protein targeting to other organelles for further protein synthesis
- 3 × Protein degradation
- 4. * Protein transport to target specific sites for function

Question Number: 44 Question Id: 3838235204 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number: Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Mismatch repair mechanism in DNA deals with

Options:

- 1 * Deamination
- Adducts and cross-links
- 3 * Double stranded breaks
- ∠ ✓ Replication errors

Question Number: 45 Question Id: 3838235205 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Hardy-Weinberg Law / equilibrium model in population genetics means

Options:

Allele and genotype frequencies in a population do not remain constant in the absence

1 * of other evolutionary influences

Allele and genotype frequencies in a population remain constant in the absence of other 2. veloutionary influences

Allele and genotype frequencies in a population remain constant in the presence of other evolutionary influences

Allele and genotype frequencies in a population defer in the absence of other evolutionary influences

Question Number: 46 Question Id: 3838235206 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which of the following is a primary metabolite?

- 1 * Antibiotics
- 2. V Ethanol
- 3 * Penicillin

4. * Taxol

Question Number: 47 Question Id: 3838235207 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Antibiotics are substances produced by microorganisms to

Options:

- Inhibit the growth of other microorganisms
- 2 * Enhance the growth of other microorganisms
- Act as nutrients for other microorganisms
- 4 * Regulate microbial metabolism

Question Number: 48 Question Id: 3838235208 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of the following is an example of a microbial pigment used in industrial applications?

Options:

- Chlorophyll
- 2. Melanin
- 3. V Carotene
- ₄ * Hemoglobin

Question Number: 49 Question Id: 3838235209 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Membrane-based bio separation methods rely on the principle of

Options:

1. Centrifugation

- 2. Filtration
- 3. * Precipitation
- 4. * Sedimentation

Question Number: 50 Question Id: 3838235210 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

In immobilization of enzymes, the term "carrier" refers to

Options:

1 * The substrate of the enzyme

- 7 The support material for enzyme attachment
- The product of enzyme catalysis
- 4. * The cofactor of the enzyme

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Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Recombinant proteins are often produced on a large scale using

Options:

- Conventional chemical methods
- 2. * Plant cells
- ✓ Microbial systems
- 4 * Inorganic catalysts

Question Number: 52 Question Id: 3838235212 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Citric acid is widely used in the food and beverage industry. It is primarily produced by

Options: 1 * Bacteria 2. * Yeast 3. V Fungi 4. * Algae Question Number: 53 Question Id: 3838235213 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes **Display Question Number: Yes** Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0 What is the purpose of a fed-batch culture in bioprocess technology? **Options:** To feed the cells with nutrients continuously To maintain a constant volume of the culture 3 * To induce stress on the cells △ * To stop the bioprocess abruptly Question Number: 54 Question Id: 3838235214 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes **Display Question Number: Yes** Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0 Which of the following is a common aerobic process for the stabilization of solid wastes? **Options:** 1 * Incineration Composting 3 * Landfilling ∠ ∠ ∠ Pyrolysis

Question Number : 55 Question Id : 3838235215 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : Yes Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0 Bioremediation can be applied to clean up contaminants in **Options:** 1. X Air only 2. Water only 3 Soil, water, and air 4. * Metals only Question Number: 56 Question Id: 3838235216 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes **Display Question Number: Yes** Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0 Reverse-phase chromatography involves the use of a stationary phase that is **Options:** 1. Nonpolar 2. * Polar 3 * Neutral 4 * Electrically charged Question Number: 57 Question Id: 3838235217 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes **Display Question Number: Yes** Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0 Penicillin belongs to which class of antibiotics? **Options:** 1 * Aminoglycosides

Cephalosporins

3

✓ Beta-lactams

4. * Tetracyclines

Question Number: 58 Question Id: 3838235218 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Exopolysaccharides are often produced by microorganisms in response to

Options:

- 1. Low nutrient availability
- 2. * High temperatures
- Presence of antibiotics
- 4. Sunlight exposure

Question Number: 59 Question Id: 3838235219 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which phase of microbial growth is characterized by a balance between cell division and cell death?

Options:

- Lag phase
- 2 * Exponential phase
- 3. Stationary phase
- △ * Death phase

Question Number: 60 Question Id: 3838235220 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

The Monod equation describes the relationship between

- 1. * Substrate concentration and product formation rate
- Specific growth rate and substrate concentration

- 3. * Biomass concentration and time
- 4. * Product formation rate and biomass concentration

Question Number: 61 Question Id: 3838235221 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

The specific growth rate (μ) is defined as

Options:

- 1 The rate of biomass production per unit time
- The rate of substrate utilization per unit biomass
- 3. * The rate of product formation per unit substrate
- 4 * The rate of nutrient consumption per unit volume

Question Number: 62 Question Id: 3838235222 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Agitation in a bioreactor is essential for

Options:

- Mixing nutrients and maintaining uniform conditions
- 2 Sterilizing the medium
- 3. * Reducing oxygen concentration
- ▲ Minimizing microbial contamination

Question Number: 63 Question Id: 3838235223 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number: Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which sterilization method is suitable for heat-sensitive media and is commonly used in the pharmaceutical industry?

- 1. * Autoclaving
- ✓ Membrane filtration
- 3 * Pasteurization
- 4. * Dry heat sterilization

Question Number: 64 Question Id: 3838235224 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Rheology of fermentation fluids refers to the study of

Options:

- 1 * Heat transfer properties
- 2. Flow and deformation characteristics
- 3 X Oxygen transfer rates
- 4. # pH variations

Question Number: 65 Question Id: 3838235225 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

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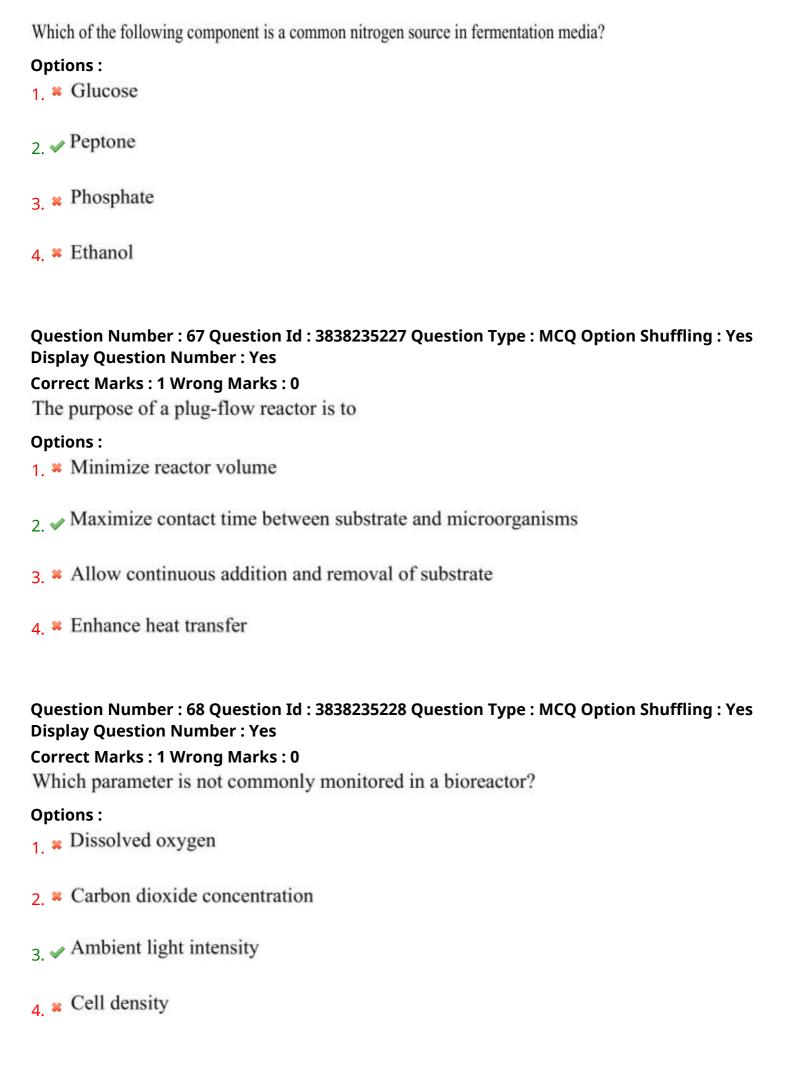
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Biot number is associated with

Options:

- Rheology of fluids
- 2 Mass transfer
- 3 * Conduction
- 4. Heat transfer

Question Number: 66 Question Id: 3838235226 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0



Question Number: 69 Question Id: 3838235229 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

The concept of totipotency in plants was given by

Options:

- 1. * Schwan
- 2. Morgan
- 3. Murashige
- 4. W Haberlandt

Question Number: 70 Question Id: 3838235230 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which group of phytohormone in plants is used for shoot multiplication under *in vitro* Conditions?

Options:

- 1. * Auxin
- 2. Cytokinin
- 3. * GA3
- 4. * Abscisic Acid

Question Number: 71 Question Id: 3838235231 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Hairy root cultures in plants are induced by infection with which bacterial sps

- 1. * Bacillus
- 2. Agrobacterium
- 3. X Staphylococcus
- 4. * Pseudomonas

Question Number: 72 Question Id: 3838235232 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

In the production of transgenic plants the following technique is used for DNA transfer

Options:

1. Gene Gun

2. ****** PCR

3. ***** RT PCR

4. * Electrophoresis

Question Number: 73 Question Id: 3838235233 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Cell suspension cultures are grown in

Options:

1 * Semisolid media

2. Liquid media

3. * Solid media

4. * Gaseous media

Question Number: 74 Question Id: 3838235234 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Contact Inhibition means

Options:

1 & Cells stop growing without any reason

∠ Cells stop growing once the entire surface is spread

3. W Uninhibited growth

4 * Cells keep growing without any inhibition

Question Number: 75 Question Id: 3838235235 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

L-Glutamine amino acid is added in the animal cell media because

Options:

1 x It is an energy source

2 * It is a carbon source for nucleic acid for synthesis

3. ✓ It is an energy and carbon source for cell culture

4 * Cells cannot produce it

Question Number: 76 Question Id: 3838235236 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number: Yes Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Finite cell lines are known as

Options:

1 * Fresh cell lines

2 * Immortal cell lines

3 Cell lines which grow through a limited number of cell generation

4. * Secondary cell lines

Question Number: 77 Question Id: 3838235237 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Humanized monoclonal antibodies are a combination of

Options:

1. Heavy and light chain constant domains are from human and variable from mouse

2. * Heavy chain constant domain from mouse and light chain constant domain from human

- 3. * Heavy and light chain constant domains and variable from mouse
- Heavy and light chain constant domains are from mouse and variable from human

Question Number: 78 Question Id: 3838235238 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Transgenic and knock out animal's means

Options:

- 1 & Gene knocked out and new gene added animals
- 2. * Gene knocked out but no new gene added animals
- 3. * Gene not removed but new gene added animals
- ✓ New Gene added and existing gene knocked out animals

Question Number: 79 Question Id: 3838235239 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Is Immunity hereditary?

Options:

- 1 * Yes, maternal derived
- 2 * Yes, paternal derived
- 3 Non-hereditary
- 4. * Maternal and paternal derived

Question Number: 80 Question Id: 3838235240 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

What are Haptens?

- 1 * Antigens which induce low immune response
- Antigens which are not immunogenic on their own
- 3. Antigens which induce high immune response
- 4 * Antigens which are nonspecific stimulators of immune response

Question Number: 81 Question Id: 3838235241 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0 Best antigen presenting cell is

Options:

- 1 * Mast cell
- 2. * B cell
- 3 * Neutrophils
- 4. Dendritic cells

Question Number: 82 Question Id: 3838235242 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Hypersensitivity –I is associated with what type of immune complex?

Options:

- 1. * IgM antibody + Protein antigen complex
- 2 * IgG antibody + Protein antigen complex
- 3.

 ✓ IgE antibody + Allergen complex
- ₄ ¥ IgA antibody + antigen complex

Question Number: 83 Question Id: 3838235243 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number: Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Antibody can become a killer when it is bound with

Options:

- 1. X Cytokines
- 2. * Interleukins
- 3. * Chemokines
- 4. Complement

Question Number: 84 Question Id: 3838235244 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Chronic rejection mechanism in host vs graft is caused by

Options:

- 1. ✓ CD4+ T cells
- 2. * Antibody
- 3. * CD8+ T cells
- 4. * Macrophages

Question Number: 85 Question Id: 3838235245 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Plasma treatment used for covid patients provides

- 1 # Blood
- 2. * Fibrinogen
- ✓ Antibodies for CoV-2 virus
- 4. * Immune tolerance to CoV-2 virus

Question Number: 86 Question Id: 3838235246 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which one of the following is an autoimmune disease?

Options:

- 1 * Tuberculosis
- 2. * Covid-19
- 3. * Common cold
- 4.

 ✓ Type 1 Diabetes

Question Number: 87 Question Id: 3838235247 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Covaxin, a vaccine developed by Bharat Biotech for covid-19 is

Options:

- 1 * DNA based vaccine
- 2. * Protein based Vaccine
- 3. Inactivated Virus based vaccine
- 4. * mRNA based vaccine

Question Number: 88 Question Id: 3838235248 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which type of restriction enzymes are used in genetic engineering work

- 1. X Type I
- 2. V Type II
- 3. * Type III
- 4. * Type IV

Question Number: 89 Question Id: 3838235249 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Identify the vector which is not a phage vector among the following?

Options:

- 1. v pBR322
- 2. * MP13MP2
- 3. × λgt 10
- 4. * λZAP11

Question Number: 90 Question Id: 3838235250 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number: Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

pBluscript II KS is a

Options:

- 1 * Plasmid
- 2. * Cosmid
- 3. Phagemid
- 4 * Artificial chromosome

Question Number: 91 Question Id: 3838235251 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which among the following is incorrect with reference to Yeast Artificial Chromosomes?

- 1 * YACs have ORS, Telomere and Centromere
- 2. * They are used for physical mapping of complex genomes
- They can be used to express eukaryotic proteins that require post translational modifications

△ YAC do not favor cloning of large fragments of DNA

Question Number: 92 Question Id: 3838235252 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

For expression of eukaryotic gene in a prokaryotic system, which sequence has to be inserted from its first codon?

Options:

Kozak sequence

2. Shine Dalgarno sequence

3. * Enhancers

4. * Silencers

Question Number: 93 Question Id: 3838235253 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

The correct sequence of enzymes used for cDNA library preparation is

Options:

Reverse transcriptase, RNAs H, DNA polymerase, Terminal transferase

2 * RNAs H, DNA polymerase, Reverse transcriptase, Terminal transferase

3 * DNA polymerase, Terminal transferase, Reverse transcriptase, RNAs H

Reverse transcriptase, Terminal transferase, RNAs H, DNA polymerase

Question Number: 94 Question Id: 3838235254 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number: Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which vector is not suitable for Genomic DNA library construction?

Options:

1 * λ replacement vector

- 2. * Yeast Artificial Chromosomes
- 3. * Bacterial Artificial Chromosomes
- 4. V Plasmids

Question Number: 95 Question Id: 3838235255 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Match the following

X	Ribosome binding site	1	Enhance transcription
Y	Promoter	2	Shine Dalgarno Sequence
Z	Enhancer	3	Molecular Switches to turn on transcription

Options:

Question Number: 96 Question Id: 3838235256 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0
Which is incorrect with reference to transposon?

- 1 * It is known as jumping genes
- 2 * It was first discovered by Barbara Mclintock
- 3. * Retrotransposons can move through RNA intermediates
- 4. 2/3 of human genome is made up of transposons

Question Number: 97 Question Id: 3838235257 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which one makes correct components of a PCR reaction?

Options:

- 1 NA template, Primers, DNTPs
- 2 * DNA polymerase, DNTPs, Primers, DNA template
- 3 / DNA template, Taq DNA polymerase, Primers, DNTPs
- ▲ DNA template, DNTPs, Taq DNA polymerase

Question Number: 98 Question Id: 3838235258 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which technique is not used for site directed mutagenesis?

Options:

- 1 * Oligonucleotide directed mutagenesis
- 2 * Cassette mutagenesis
- 4. SDM with PCR

Question Number: 99 Question Id: 3838235259 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which is an endonuclease in CRISPR Cas9 Technique?

- 1. * gRNA
- 2. V Cas 9
- 3. ***** PAM
- 4 * Cr RNA

Question Number: 100 Question Id: 3838235260 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which is correct regarding ex vivo gene therapy?

Options:

- 1 * Therapeutic Genes are transferred to germ line cells
- 2. Cells are modified outside body and transferred back to the body
- 3 & Genes are changed in cells when cells are inside the body
- 4. Luxturna is an example of ex vivo gene therapy

Question Number: 101 Question Id: 3838235261 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which blotting technique is used for detection of proteins?

Options:

- Southern blotting
- 2. Northern blotting
- Western blotting
- 4. * Eastern blotting

Question Number: 102 Question Id: 3838235262 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which of the following is not a variant of BLAST?

- BLASTX
- 2. V TBLASTNX

- 3 * BLASTP
- 4. * BLASTN

Question Number: 103 Question Id: 3838235263 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0 Proteomics refers to the study of

Options:

- 1 * Set of proteins in a specific region of the cell
- 2. * Biomolecules
- 3. * Set of proteins
- 4. The entire set of expressed proteins in the cell

Question Number: 104 Question Id: 3838235264 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

The term Bioinformatics was coined by

Options:

- J.D Watson
- ∠ Pauline Hogeweg
- 3. Margaret Dayhoff
- 4 * Frederic Sanger

Question Number: 105 Question Id: 3838235265 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which of the alignment does not assume that the two sequences in question have similarity over the entire length?

Options:

1 ✓ Local

2. * Global
3. * Heuristic
4. * Clustal
Question Number : 106 Question Id : 3838235266 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : Yes Display Question Number : Yes
Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0
Clustal W is a multiple alignment program available either as a stand-
alone or on-line program.
Options:
1. * exhaustive
2. * block based
3. ✓ progressive
4. * iterative
Question Number: 107 Question Id: 3838235267 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes Display Question Number: Yes Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0 Which of the following is not a sequence alignment tool
Options:
1. * BLAST
2. * FASTA
3. * CLUSTAL
4. ✓ ROSMAL
Question Number : 108 Question Id : 3838235268 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0
Which of the following is a data bank exclusively for proteins?

Display Question Number : Yes

Options: 1. * DDBJ

- 2. * EMBL
- 3. * Genbank
- 4. **PDB**

Question Number: 109 Question Id: 3838235269 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which method is commonly employed for predicting the energetically favorable binding pose of a ligand with a target protein?

Options:

- 1. * Molecular dynamics simulation
- 2. * Quantum mechanics
- 4. * Monte Carlo simulation

Question Number: 110 Question Id: 3838235270 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which type of molecular modeling method is particularly suitable for studying large

biomolecular systems, such as proteins and nucleic acids?

- 2 W Quantum mechanics
- ✓ Molecular dynamics simulation
- 3. * Docking simulation
- 4. * Energy minimization

Question Number: 111 Question Id: 3838235271 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

What type of controller is commonly used to regulate temperature in a bioreactor?

Options:

- 1 ✓ PID controller
- 2. ** ON/OFF controller
- 3 * Bang-bang controller
- 4. * Proportional controller

Question Number: 112 Question Id: 3838235272 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number: Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

In a bioreactor, what is the term used to describe the resistance to mass transfer across the gas-liquid interface?

Options:

- 1. * Interfacial tension
- 2 * Gas holdup
- 3. * Mass transfer coefficient
- 4. Film thickness

Question Number: 113 Question Id: 3838235273 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which of the following is an example of in-situ bioremediation?

- Pumping contaminated groundwater to the surface for treatment
- 2. * Excavating contaminated soil and treating it in a bioreactor
- 3. Injecting microorganisms directly into the contaminated site

▲ Spraying chemical agents onto polluted surfaces

Question Number: 114 Question Id: 3838235274 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of the following is an example of a primary metabolite?

Options:

- 1. * Antibiotics
- Alkaloids
- 3 Amino acids
- 4. * Flavonoids

Question Number: 115 Question Id: 3838235275 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which NCBI database is used for searching and retrieving biomedical literature?

Options:

- GenBank
 GenBank
- 2. PubMed
- 3. W UniProt
- 4. * BLAST

Question Number: 116 Question Id: 3838235276 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Nucleosome a repeating structural unit within eukaryotic chromatin is made up of

Options:

140 bp of DNA making 1.65 negative super helical turn wrapped around a hexamer of

1 * histones

2. **

146 bp of DNA making 1.65 negative super helical turn wrapped around a dimer of histones

140 bp of DNA making 1.65 negative super helical turn wrapped around an octamer

3. * of histones

146 bp of DNA making 1.65 negative super helical turn wrapped around an octamer 4. ✓ of histones

 $Question\ Number: 117\ Question\ Id: 3838235277\ Question\ Type: MCQ\ Option\ Shuffling: Yes$

Display Question Number : Yes Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which sequencing technique relies on the synthesis of complementary strands in the presence of chain-terminating dideoxynucleotides?

Options:

- ✓ Sanger sequencing
- 2. * Next-generation sequencing
- 3. * Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR)
- 4. * Pyrosequencing

Question Number: 118 Question Id: 3838235278 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number : Yes

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which among the following is true for RFLP?

Options:

1. * It cannot be used as a genetic marker

It refers to differences (or variations) in the DNA sequences at sites

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recognized by restriction enzymes

- 3. Restriction enzymes are not used for digesting DNA in this process
- 4. * It is a PCR based marker

Question Number: 119 Question Id: 3838235279 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number: Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Which among the following is not a transgenic plant?

Options:

- 1. * Bt Cotton
- 2. * Golden Rice
- 3. Samba Mahsuri
- 4. * FLAVR SAVR

Question Number: 120 Question Id: 3838235280 Question Type: MCQ Option Shuffling: Yes

Display Question Number: Yes

Correct Marks: 1 Wrong Marks: 0

Cells signalling between distant cells mediated by hormones released from specific cells that travel to target cells, producing a slower, long-lasting response is known as

- 2 Paracrine signalling
- 2. Endocrine signalling
- 3. * Autocrine signalling
- 4. Direct signalling