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1. In which Indian city selected by UNESCO as World Heritage Cities ?
(A) Ahmadabad (B) Mumbai (C) Kolkata (D) Hyderabad
2. The largest river in India :
(A) Yamuna (B) Brahmaputra (C) Ganga (D) Sindhu
3. The first Bullet Train Project of India connects :
(A) Mumbai - Pune (B) Ahmadabad - Mumbai
(C) Delhi - Patna (D) Delhi - Amritsar
4. Kerala State Law Reform Commission Chairman :
(A) Dr. N.K. Jayakumar (B) Sasidharan Nair
(C) Adv. M.K. Damodaran (D) Justice. K.T. Thomas
5. Azad Hind Fauj was founded by :
(A) Ras Behari Bose (B) Subash Chandra Bose
(C) Liaqat Ali (D) Maulana Azad
6. Who was regarded as the father of Indian unrest ?
(A) Mahatma Gandhi (B) Subash Chandra Bose
(C) Bal Gangadhar Tilak (D) Mohammed Ali Jinnah
7. Who is the newly elected Chief Minister of Goa ?
(A) Manohar Pareekar (B) Beeran Singh
(C) Amareendar Singh (D) Trivendra Singh Ravath
8. Who is the author of the Book 'A Brief History of Time' ?
(A) Roger Penrose (B) Jawaharlal Nehru
(C) Alan H Guth (D) Stephen Hawking
9. Which country gives citizenship to 'Sofia' Humanoid Robot ?
(A) Japan (B) Saudi Arabia (C) Israel (D) Qatar
10. The hero in of Quit India Movement :
(A) Sarojini Naidu (B) Beegam Hazrath Mahal
(C) Aruna Asafali (D) Sujetha Kripalani

11. Who is the second vice-chairman of NITI Aayog ?
(A) Dr. Rajiv Kumar (B) Aravind Panagaria
(C) Dr. Bibek Debroy (D) Dr. Bimal Jalan
12. Who was the leader of Paik Rebellion of 1817 ?
(A) Rani Laksmibai (B) Bakshi Jagabandhu
(C) Asadulla Khan (D) Tantia Tope
13. "Katora Kudaram" a notable work of :
(A) Vaikom Muhammad Basheer (B) Dr. C.K. Kareem
(C) Makthi Thangal (D) Ali Musliar
14. The leader of Ezhava Memorial of 1896 :
(A) Ayyankali (B) Dr. Vasudev
(C) K. Kelappan (D) Dr. Palpu
15. The King who proclaimed Temple entry ?
(A) Ayillyam Thirunnaal (B) Swathi Thirunnaal
(C) Sremulam Thirunnaal (D) Sree Chithira Thirunnaal
16. The Swachh Bharath Abhiyan announced the cleanest city in India in 2017 is :
(A) Indore (B) Mysore (C) Mumbai (D) Chandigarh
17. Who bagged the Ezhuthachan award of the year 2017 ?
(A) Sukathakumari (B) K. Sachidanandan
(C) T.D. Ramakrishnan (D) K.R. Meera
18. The Founder of "Sadhu Jana Paripalana Yogam" :
(A) Sree Narayana Guru (B) Vakkom Abdul Khader Moulavi
(C) Ayyankali (D) Sahodaran Ayyappan
19. The first Governor of Reserve Bank of India :
(A) James Braid Taylor (B) Dr. Manmohan Singh
(C) Bimal Jalan (D) Osborne Smith
20. Who is the Minister for Sports in Kerala ?
(A) A.C. Moideen (B) K.T. Jaleel
(C) A.K. Balan (D) T.P. Ramakrishnan

21. N - Acetyl galactosamine sulphate is present in :
(A) Hyaluronic acid (B) Heparin
(C) Chondroitin sulphate (D) None of the above
22. Respiratory distress syndrome occurs due to deficiency of :
(A) Plasmalogen (B) Spingomyelin
(C) Diphosphatidyl serine (D) Dipalmitoyl lecithin
23. Some of the calcium phosphate of blood is held in colloidal suspension by the protective action of :
(A) Carbohydrate (B) Lipids
(C) Proteins (D) Minerals
24. If the pH of blood is 7.4, the ratio of $\text{NaHCO}_3/\text{H}_2\text{CO}_3$ will be :
(A) 5 : 1 (B) 10 : 1 (C) 25 : 1 (D) 20 : 1
25. When eggs are cooked :
(A) Biotin is destroyed but avidin remains unaffected
(B) Avidin is inactivated but biotin remains unaffected
(C) Both avidin and biotin are inactivated
(D) Both avidin and biotin remain unaffected
26. Bacterial genomes is prevented by its own endonucleases by :
(A) Methylation at restriction sites
(B) Immune mechanism
(C) Nuclease resistant genome
(D) Are not much effective on bacterial genome
27. The difference which distinguish prokaryotic cell from eukaryotic is :
(A) Endoplasmic reticulum (B) Mesosome
(C) Plasma membrane (D) Nuclear membrane
28. The DNA molecule to which the gene of interest is integrated for cloning is called :
(A) Carrier (B) Transformer
(C) Vector (D) None of the above

29. HIV is the causative agent of AIDS and is a member of the Lentivirus genus of the family Retroviridae. Which of the following features of HIV makes it different from other members of this family ?
- (A) HIV virus uses reverse transcriptase to convert its RNA genome into cDNA
 (B) HIV infects human cells that are CD4+
 (C) HIV is enveloped
 (D) The genomic RNA of HIV is 5' capped and 3' polyadenylated
30. Which cellular organelles are involved in the initiation of the intrinsic pathway of apoptosis ?
- (A) Lysosome (B) Mitochondria
 (C) Endoplasmic reticulum (D) Peroxisome
31. Which would be best to separate a protein that binds strongly to its substrate ?
- (A) Gel filtration (B) Affinity chromatography
 (C) Cation exchange (D) Anion exchange
32. Which of the following is not an IR vibrational mode ?
- (A) Stretching (B) Scissoring (C) Rocking (D) Rolling
33. In rocket immunodiffusion, the length of the rocket is :
- (A) Proportional to the amount of antibody placed in each well
 (B) Inversely proportional to the amount of antibody placed in each well
 (C) Inversely proportional to the amount of antigen placed in each well
 (D) Proportional to the amount of antigen placed in each well
34. The following techniques provides method for locating H - atom in a protein structure :
- (A) X - ray crystallography (B) NMR studies
 (C) ESR spectroscopy (D) Circular dichroism
35. In mass spectrometer, the ions are sorted out in which of the following ways ?
- (A) By accelerating them through electric field
 (B) By accelerating them through magnetic field
 (C) By accelerating them through electric and magnetic field
 (D) By applying high voltage
36. The X - ray diffraction studies conducted by _____ were key to the discovery of the structure of DNA.
- (A) Mc Clintok (B) Frankin
 (C) Meselson and Stahl (D) Chargaff

37. Enzymes which are always present in an organism are known as :
(A) Inducible enzymes (B) Constitutive enzymes
(C) Functional enzymes (D) Apoenzymes
38. Enzymes which catalyze binding of two substrate by covalent bonds known as :
(A) Lyases (B) Hydrolases (C) Ligases (D) Oxidoreductases
39. The enzyme used to treat myocardial infarction is :
(A) Streptokinase (B) LDH (C) Creatine kinase (D) Lysozyme
40. The enzyme used in the food industry to flavour cheese production ?
(A) Amylase (B) Protease (C) Lipase (D) Catalase
41. Which one of the following is not protein ?
(A) DNase (B) Abzyme (C) Eco R1 (D) Ribozyme
42. The phosphate oxygen (P:O) ratio is defined as :
(A) The moles of phosphate consumed divided by moles of oxygen consumed
(B) The moles of ATP produced divided by the milligrams of protein
(C) The moles of CO₂ produced divided by moles of O₂ consumed
(D) The moles of ATP synthesized divided by the atom equivalents of O₂ consumed
43. Inherited deficiency of β -glucosidase causes :
(A) Tay - Sach's disease (B) Meta chromatic leukodystrophy
(C) Gaucher's disease (D) Multiple sclerosis
44. In glyoxylate cycle :
(A) Fat is converted into carbohydrate
(B) Acetyl CoA is converted into carbohydrate
(C) Oxalic acid is converted into carbohydrate
(D) Fatty acid is converted into carbohydrate
45. Ammonia is oxidized to nitrite by :
(A) Nitrobacter (B) Nitrosomonas
(C) Bacillus denitrificans (D) Azotobacter
46. Esterification of cholesterol in plasma is catalyzed by :
(A) Lecithin : Cholesterol acyl transferase
(B) Acyl CoA : Cholesterol acyl transferase
(C) Succinyl CoA : Cholesterol acyl transferase
(D) Malonyl CoA : Cholesterol acyl transferase

47. A drug which prevents uric acid synthesis by inhibiting the enzyme Xanthine oxidase :
 (A) Rifampine (B) Aspirin (C) Allopurinol (D) Digitonin
48. Which is considered the gold standard of existing vaccines ?
 (A) Purified proteins (B) Whole organism
 (C) Inactivated exotoxins (D) Capsular polysaccharides
49. Which one is a metabolic data base ?
 (A) KEGG (B) OMIM (C) PDB (D) PIR
50. Sterilization is done by autoclave that consists of exposure to steam at about :
 (A) 120°C (B) 170°C (C) 121°C (D) 116°C
51. In protein ligand docking _____ ligand are often _____ in adopting a shape to fit the receptor binding cocket.
 (A) Small molecule and highly flexible
 (B) Large molecule and highly flexible
 (C) Large molecule and more flexible
 (D) Small molecule and less flexible
52. Correlation coefficient between x and y lies in the interval :
 (A) $[0, 1]$ (B) $[-1, 0]$ (C) $[1, 00]$ (D) $[-1, 1]$
53. Find the empirical relation between the mean, median and mode :
 (A) Mode = 3 median - 2 mean (B) Median = 3 mean - 2 mode
 (C) Mode = 2 median - 3 mean (D) Mean = 3 median - 2 mode
54. Which of the following spectrometer techniques is the sample introduces as a solution which is nebulized under an applied electrical potential ?
 (A) Fast atom bombardment (B) Electrospray ionization
 (C) Electron ionization (D) Matrix assisted laser desorption ionization
55. Which of the following should be in position to split the effluent ?
 (A) Interface (B) Ion source
 (C) Make up gas (D) Microhore
56. The drug delivery systems with the longest duration of action is :
 (A) Buccal preparations (B) Depot injections
 (C) Implants (D) Transdermal patches

57. The term nanotechnology was coined by :
 (A) Sumio Tjima (B) Richard Feynmann
 (C) Richard Smalley (D) Eric Drexler
58. Which of the following is the most commonly used interface ?
 (A) Chopper (B) Nebulizer
 (C) Filter (D) Vapourizing chamber
59. Which of the following statement regarding epigenetic inheritance is false ?
 (A) Epigenetic inheritance can be reset during gametogenesis
 (B) Epigenetic inheritance can temporarily affect an individual
 (C) Epigenetic inheritance does not involve a change in DNA sequence
 (D) None of the above
60. Xeroderma pigmentosum results from a defect in :
 (A) Exonuclease that removes pyrimidine dimers
 (B) DNA polymerase β
 (C) DNA ligase
 (D) Any of the above
61. The number of degrees of freedom at the triple point of water system is :
 (A) 1 (B) 2 (C) 3 (D) 0
62. Transport property associated with diffusion is :
 (A) Concentration (B) Velocity (C) Momentum (D) Pressure
63. Which of the following is true if the wave function $\psi(x)$ is normalized ?
 (A) $\psi^*(x) \psi(x) = 0$ (B) $\int_{-\alpha}^{+\alpha} \psi^*(x) \psi(x) dx = 1$
 (C) $\int_{-\alpha}^{+\alpha} \psi^*(x) \psi(x) = 0$ (D) $\psi^*(x) \psi(x) = 1$
64. Charge carriers in conducting polymers are :
 (A) Free electrons (B) Polarons
 (C) Solitons (D) Both (B) and (C)

65. Inversion temperature is the temperature :
- at which Joule-Thomson coefficient changes its sign.
 - above which a liquid cannot be liquified.
 - at which a real gas behaves ideally.
 - at which two enantiomers interchange their rotation.
66. The clausius inequality is given by :
- $ds \neq \frac{dq}{T}$
 - $ds \geq \frac{dq}{T}$
 - $ds \leq \frac{dq}{T}$
 - $\frac{ds}{dT} \geq 0$
67. Variation of chemical potential with pressure and temperature can be given as :
- $\left(\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial P}\right)_T = V_m$ and $\left(\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial T}\right)_P = -S_m$
 - $\left(\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial P}\right)_T = -V_m$ and $\left(\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial T}\right)_P = S_m$
 - $\left(\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial P}\right)_T = -G$ and $\left(\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial T}\right)_P = -S_m$
 - $\left(\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial P}\right)_S = -G$ and $\left(\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial T}\right)_P = S_m$
68. In cyclic voltammogram :
- current is monitored as a function of charge.
 - current is monitored as a function of potential.
 - potential is monitored as a function of time.
 - current is monitored as a function of time.
69. Bosons have :
- Integral spins
 - Half integral spins
 - Spins always equal to zero
 - Spins always equal to $\frac{1}{2}$
70. First Nobel Prize in chemistry was awarded to :
- Arrhenius
 - Grignard
 - Van't Hoff
 - Ostwald
71. Fermi energy level of an intrinsic semiconductor lies :
- Close to the conduction band
 - Close to the valence band
 - Intrinsic semiconductors have no fermi levels
 - At the middle of the band gap

72. Which of the following statements is incorrect ?
- (A) Metal excess defects due to anion vacancies can generate F-centers.
 (B) Phonons refers to quantum of energy absorbed or emitted by a crystal.
 (C) Absorption of phonons by crystals can produce atomic imperfections and displacements.
 (D) Total energy of a phonon is usually higher than that of an electron.
73. For a non - linear activated complex, the number of vibrational degrees of freedom is :
- (A) $3N$ (B) $3N+5$ (C) $3N-6$ (D) $3N-7$
74. The molecule active in rotational microwave, infrared as well as rotational - Raman is :
- (A) HCl (B) CO₂ (C) SF₆ (D) O₂
75. Which of the following is used to express the dose in dosimetry ?
- (A) Exposure (B) Absorbed dose
 (C) Equivalent dose (D) All the above
76. Half life of a zero order reaction is :
- (A) $\frac{[A_0]}{k}$ (B) $\frac{k}{[A_0]}$ (C) $\frac{[A_0]}{2k}$ (D) $\frac{2k}{[A_0]}$
77. Binding energy per nuclear of ${}^4_2\text{He}$ nucleus is :
- (A) 8.2 MeV (B) 7.1 MeV (C) 6.5 MeV (D) 8.9 MeV
78. Reaction of phenol with chloroform in presence of sodium hydroxide to introduce aldehydic group in the benzene ring is :
- (A) Kolbe's reaction (B) Reimer - Tiemann reaction
 (C) Williamson's synthesis (D) Wilkinson's synthesis
79. Monomer of Nylon 6, 6 is :
- (A) Caprolacton
 (B) Caprolacton and hexamethylene diamine
 (C) Adipic acid and hexamethylene diamine
 (D) Acrylonitrile and adipic acid
80. Pyrimidine base present in DNA are :
- (A) Adenine and Thyamine (B) Guanine and Thyamine
 (C) Cytocine and Guanine (D) Cytocine and Thyamine

81. Ribose is a :
- (A) Aldopentose sugar (B) Aldohexose sugar
(C) Ketopentose sugar (D) Ketohexose sugar
82. Which of the following is less reactive ?
- (A) Haloalkanes (B) Haloarenes
(C) Haloalkenes (D) Haloalkynes
83. When acyl chlorides react with alcohols and phenoles we get :
- (A) Esters (B) Ketones (C) Aldehydes (D) Acetyl alcohols
84. Lactose on hydrolysis produces :
- (A) β -D-Galactose and β -D-Glucose
(B) α -D-Galactose and D-(-)-Fructose
(C) α -D-Glucose and α -D-Galactose
(D) D-(+) Glucose and β -D-Galactose
85. When 1-methyl cyclohexene is reacted with hydrogen Iodide, the major product formed is :
- (A) 1-iodo 1-methyl cyclohexane
(B) 2-iodo 1-methyl cyclohexane
(C) Both the above products are formed to an equal extent
(D) Hydrogen Iodide will not react with cyclohexane
86. Which of the following statements is wrong ?
- (A) Starch contain amylose and amylopectin
(B) Amylopectin is made up of D(+) glucose units
(C) C-O-C bond between the rings of polysaccharide molecules is called glycoside linkage
(D) Amylose is a highly branched polymer of α -glucose where as amylopectin is a straight chain polymer
87. pH of a solution containing 0.25 M ammonia and 0.4 M ammonium chloride solution is (given that K_b for NH_3 is 1.8×10^{-5}) :
- (A) 8.70 (B) 9.05 (C) 9.6 (D) 9.95
88. The geometry of PCl_4^+ ion is :
- (A) trigonal bipyramid (B) planar trigonal
(C) tetrahedral (D) square planar

89. In IR spectra, the benzene C=C bond vibrations occur around :
(A) 1300 cm^{-1} and 1400 cm^{-1} (B) 1500 cm^{-1} and 1600 cm^{-1}
(C) 1700 cm^{-1} and 1800 cm^{-1} (D) 2900 cm^{-1} and 3000 cm^{-1}
90. In polarography the current observed in absence of an electroactive species is :
(A) Limiting current (B) Diffusion current
(C) Residual current (D) Half wave current
91. In UV spectroscopy, the $n \rightarrow \pi^*$ transition is characteristic of :
(A) Unsaturated carbonyl compounds
(B) Aromatic hydrocarbons
(C) Non conjugated polyenes
(D) All the above
92. Which of the following statements regarding ^1H nmr spectra is true ?
(A) Arene C-H signals are always singlets.
(B) Arene C-H signals are always multiplets.
(C) Arene C-H chemical shifts values are greater than simple alkane C-H chemical shift values because of aromatic ring current.
(D) Arene C-H chemical shift values are smaller than simple alkane C-H chemical shift values because of aromatic ring current.
93. Karl Fischer titration is used to determine :
(A) Concentration of Cl_2 in a water sample
(B) pH of an aqueous solution
(C) Alcohol content in a water sample
(D) The water content of the sample
94. In reversed phase HPLC :
(A) a hydrophilic stationary phase is combined with a non polar mobile phase
(B) a hydrophobic stationary phase is combined with a polar mobile phase
(C) a hydrophilic stationary phase is combined with a polar mobile phase
(D) a hydrophobic stationary phase is combined with a non polar mobile phase
95. Langmuir adsorption isotherm at high pressure can be represented as :
(A) $\frac{x}{m} = \frac{a}{b}$ (B) $\frac{x}{m} = \frac{ab}{1 + bp}$ (C) $\frac{x}{m} = ap$ (D) $\frac{x}{m} = \frac{1 + b}{a}$

96. The correct order of coagulating ions for the coagulation of colloidal Ferric hydroxide is :
- (A) $\text{Cl}^- > \text{SO}_4^{2-} > \text{PO}_4^{3-}$ (B) $\text{PO}_4^{3-} > \text{SO}_4^{2-} > \text{Cl}^-$
 (C) $\text{Al}^{3+} > \text{Mg}^{2+} > \text{Na}^+$ (D) $\text{Na}^+ > \text{Mg}^{2+} > \text{Al}^{3+}$
97. A potential of -0.822 V was applied to a cell potential of -0.734 V. The internal resistance of the cell was 20.0Ω and an initial current of 1.80 mA was measured. The over potential for this cell is :
- (A) 0.076 V (B) 0.042 V (C) 0.062 V (D) 0.018 V
98. The titrant used in the diazotization method employed to assay sulpho drugs is :
- (A) Potassium Nitrate (B) Silver Nitrite
 (C) Sodium Nitrate (D) Sodium Nitrite
99. The initial step in the experimental procedure for mass spectrometry is :
- (A) bombardment of sample by electron beam
 (B) converting the sample into gaseous state
 (C) separating the ions by passing them through electric and magnetic field
 (D) splitting of the ions
100. Internal energy in terms of partition function (Q) can be given as :
- (A) $E = -kT^2 \ln Q$ (B) $E = -kT \ln Q$
 (C) $E = kT^2 \left(\frac{\partial \ln Q}{\partial T} \right)_V$ (D) $E = kT^2 \left(\frac{\partial \ln Q}{\partial V} \right)_T \cdot V$

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