Common P.G. Entrance Test 2021 Bioinformatics

Total Questions: 70

Time: 90 Minutes

There will be no negative marks

- 1. Which of the following is the most abundant protein in leaves?
 - a) Chlorophyll a/b binding protein
 - b) ATP synthase
 - c) Ribulose-1,5 bisphosphate carboxylase
 - d) Globulins
- **2.** Which of the following proteins in the photosynthetic electron-transport chain is not a transmembrane protein?
 - a) ATP Synthase
 - b) LHC
 - c) PSII
 - d) Ferrodoxin
- **3.** The reaction of the Krebs cycle:
 - a) Take place in the cytosol of eukaryotic cells.
 - b) Generate ATP also by the substrate phosphorylation
 - c) Are important for the metabolism of carbohydrates but no other molecules.
 - d) Both a and b
- **4.** Development of embryo from gametophyte without the intervention of the gamete is known as:
 - a) Apospory
 - b) Apogamy
 - c) Apomixis
 - d) Aposporogamy
- 5. Which one of the following can be considered to be dead mechanical tissue?
 - a) Aerenchyma
 - b) Collenchyma
 - c) Parenchyma
 - d) Sclerenchyma
- **6.** Which of the following information would tell whether a cell is prokaryotic or eukaryotic?
 - a) The presence or absence of a rigid wall
 - b) Whether or not the cell is partitioned by internal membranes
 - c) The presence or absence of ribosomes
 - d) Whether or not the cell carries out cellular metabolism

- **7.** In ciliates, the process that produces genetic variation through the exchange of nuclei is:
 - a) Mixotrophy
 - b) Endosymbiosis
 - c) Meiosis
 - d) Conjugation
- 8. The Protozoans that cause malaria in humans are:
 - a) Radiolarians
 - b) Trichosomes
 - c) Spozozoans
 - d) Dinoflagellates
- 9. The very first vertebrates were:
 - a) Cartilaginous fish
 - b) Fishes with jaws
 - c) Amphibians
 - d) Jawless fish
- **10.** The development of adult characteristics in a molting insect is promoted by:
 - a) Thyroxine
 - b) Ecdysone
 - c) Juvenile hormone
 - d) A pheromone
- **11.** Rapid but non-antigen specific immune responses are produced by the:
 - a) Adaptive Immune system
 - b) Innate Immune system
 - c) Leukocytes
 - d) Lymphatic System
- **12.** Mostly the antibodies are synthesized by:
 - a) Central lymphoid organs
 - b) Peripheral lymphoid organs
 - c) Primary lymphoid organs
 - d) Macrophages
- **13.** There are five classes of the antibodies (IgM, IgD, IgG, IgE, IgA). What determines the class to which and antibody belongs?
 - a) Structure of the light chain
 - b) Variable region of the antibody
 - c) Structure of the heavy chain constant region
 - d) Stage of the infection

14. All humans start producing antibodies only after they are:

- a) Infected with pathogen
- b) Immunized with an antigen
- c) Exposed to an antigen
- d) None of the above

15. The Oral Polio Vaccine (OPV) administered to children in India, is:

- a) Inactivated polio vaccine
- b) Live attenuated poliovirus
- c) Subunit vaccine specific for oral route
- d) Recombinant subunit vaccine

16. Transcription is the transfer of genetic information from:

- a) DNA to RNA
- b) tRNA to mRNA
- c) DNA to mRNA
- d) mRNA to tRNA

17. Meiosis II is similar to mitosis in which way:

- a) Sister Chromatids separates during anaphase
- b) The daughter cells are diploid
- c) Homologous chromosomes synapse
- d) DNA replicates before the division
- **18.** Hershey and Chase experiment proving DNA as the genetic material was based on the principle:
 - a) Transduction
 - b) Transformation
 - c) Transcription
 - d) Translation

19. Genes whose products are constantly needed by the cell for cellular activity are called:

- a) Structural genes
- b) Metabolic genes
- c) Constitutive genes
- d) Smart Genes

20. A DNA molecule that has the ability to replicate autonomously is called:

- a) Plasmid
- b) Chromosome
- c) Genome
- d) Replicon
- **21.** The bacterial enzyme that changes positively supercoiled DNA into negatively supercoiled DNA is:

- a) DNA helicase
- b) DNA Gyrase
- c) Single Strand binding protein
- d) Polymerase

22. Satellite DNA consists of:

- a) Extrachromosomal DNA
- b) Short repetitive nucleotide sequences
- c) Ribosomal RNA genes
- d) Single gene regions

23. The synthesis of mRNA on DNA template is:

- a) Bidirectional with the help of primer
- b) Unidirectional with the help of primer
- c) Unidirectional
- d) Bidirectional

24. Full expression of *lac operon* requires:

- a) Lacotose and cAMP
- b) Allolactose and cAMP
- c) Lactose
- d) Allolactose

25. A DNA mutation that results in no change in protein product produced is termed as:

- a) Missense mutation
- b) Nonsense mutation
- c) Silent Mutation
- d) Frameshift Mutation

26. Which of the following is an imino acid?

- a) Histidine
- b) Glycine
- c) Cysteine
- d) Proline

27. The high solubility of amino acids in water is due to:

- a) Presence of side chain
- b) Dipolar ion structure
- c) Unipolarity
- d) The hydrophilic nature of the amino group
- **28.** On a Ramchandran plot the entries for hemoglobin would be clustered around
 - a) All four corners

- b) The extended chain confirmation
- c) The left handed α -helix conformation
- d) The right handed α -helix conformation
- **29.** The forces that maintain the three dimensional structure of a protein is mainly:
 - a) Non-covalent
 - b) Covalent
 - c) Coordinate
 - d) Covalent and non-covalent

30. Most abundant protein in the human body?

- a) Hemoglobin
- b) Myosin
- c) Trypsin
- d) Troponin
- **31.** A double stranded DNA has 30% Thymine. The percentage of cytosine is:
 - a) 30%
 - b) 20%
 - c) 60%
 - d) 15%

32. Melting temperature of DNA is the temperature at which:

- a) DNA melts completely
- b) 50% of the DNA is denatured
- c) 80% of the DNA is denatured
- d) None of the above
- **33.** DNA is a genetic material can be evidenced by the fact that:
 - a) Chromosomes are made up of DNA
 - b) DNA is not present in cytoplasm
 - c) Transformation and transduction in bacteria are caused by DNA only
 - d) DNA is concentrated in nucleus
- **34.** DNA sequencing by Sanger's method involves the use of:
 - a) Ribonucleotide
 - b) 3'- deoxyribonucleotide
 - c) 2', 3'-dideoxyribonucleotide
 - d) Fluorodinitrobenzene
- **35.** Chargaff's rule state that:
 - a) in RNA, A=U, and in DNA, A=T

- b) G=C in both RNA and DNA
- c) (A+T)/(G+C) is always 1
- d) A+G/T+C=1

36. Which of the following genotype represents heterozygous condition?

- a) TT
- b) tt
- c) Tt
- d) RR

37. How many types of gametes are possible from a diploid organism having genotype AaBBCC?

- a) 2
- b) 6
- c) 3
- d) 10

38. A gene which hides the action of another gene is termed as:

- a) Co-dominant gene
- b) Epistatic gene
- c) Hypostatic gene
- d) Lethal gene
- **39.** If a man of blood group AB marries a woman if blood group A whose father was of blood group O, to what different blood groups can this man and woman expect their children to belong?
 - a) A, AB, B
 - b) A, AB
 - c) AB, O
 - d) A, O, B

40. A cross between F_1 hybrid and its homozygous recessive parent is called:

- a) Out cross
- b) Monohybrid Cross
- c) Test cross
- d) Dihybrid Cross
- **41.** A virion is a:
 - a) Naked, infectious piece of RNA
 - b) Complete, Infectious virus particle
 - c) Nucleic acid without a capsid
 - d) A naked, infectious piece of DNA
- **42.** Which of the following is an example of chemolithoautotroph?
 - a) Sulphur-oxidizing bacteria

- b) Hydrogen bacteria
- c) Nitrifying bacteria
- d) All of these
- **43.** Which of the following sequence has helped in identifying euaryotes, eubacteria and archaebacterial cell types?
 - a) Signature Sequence
 - b) Signal Sequence
 - c) Shine-Dalgarno Sequence
 - d) Amino Acid Sequence
- **44.** Which of the following has its antiviral action attributed to the interference of protein synthesis?
 - a) Amantadine
 - b) Interferons
 - c) Acycloguanosine
 - d) 5'-iododeoxyuridine
- **45.** Which of the following is not the biofertilisers producing bacteria?
 - a) Nostoc
 - b) Anabaena
 - c) Clostridium
 - d) Both (a) and (b)
- 46. Proteins are separated in SDS –electrophoresis on the basis of their:
 - a) Size
 - b) Charge
 - c) Amino acid composition
 - d) Charge and Shape
- **47.** Molecular weight of an unknown protein can be found out by:
 - a) Electrophoresis
 - b) Ion-Exchange chromatography
 - c) Affinity chromatography
 - d) None of the above
- **48.** A reporter gene is used to:
 - a) Identify regulatory sequences from the upstream regions of other genes
 - b) Determine if a protein binds to a given sequence element.
 - c) Determine if a gene contains introns.
 - d) Determine the stability of a protein
- **49.** The polymerase enzyme used in PCR is:
 - a) DNA polymerase I

- b) Taq polymerase
- c) Reverse Transcriptase
- d) DNA polymerase II

50. Which of the following technique is used to inactive a gene by altering the DNA?

- a) Homologous recombination
- b) Antisense nucleic acid blocks
- c) Antibody microinjection
- d) Introduction of dominant inhibitory mutants
- **51.** Chi square is zero when:
 - a) Expected frequency is lesser than the observed frequency
 - b) Expected frequency is equal to the observed frequency
 - c) Expected frequency is double that of the observed frequency
 - d) Expected frequency is greater than the observed frequency
- **52.** For drawing a frequency polygon of a continuous frequency distribution, we plot the points whose ordinates are the frequency of the respective classes and abscissa are respectively:
 - a) Upper limits of the classes
 - b) Lower limits of the classes
 - c) Class marks of the classes
 - d) Upper limits of preceding clases
- **53.** In a survey of 278 women, 195 were found to be working. If a women is selected at random, the probability that she is not working is:
 - a) 83/278
 - b) 195/278
 - c) 112/278
 - d) 1

54. Which of the following is not an event?

- a) Getting no head when two coins are tossed simultaneously
- b) Getting an even number when a die is rolled
- c) Drawing a ball from an urn containing balls of different colours
- d) Selecting a student having less than 40% marks in Mathematics
- **55.** Mode is the:
 - a) Least frequent value
 - b) Middle most value
 - c) Most frequent value
 - d) None of these
- 56. Which of the following tools used to compare two sequence?
 - a) EMBOSS

- b) Rasmol
- c) BLAST
- d) FASTA

57. Who created the first bioinformatics database?

- a) Pearson
- b) Dayhoff
- c) Richard Durbin
- d) Needleman-Wunsch
- **58.** The computational method that try to find the best matching between two molecules, a receptor and ligand is known as:
 - a) Molecular docking
 - b) Molecular matching
 - c) Molecular fitting
 - d) Molecular affinity check

59. Which of the following is a structural database?

- a) EMBL
- b) Genebank
- c) PDB
- d) DDBJ

60. Which of the following is the first molecular biology server?

- a) NCBI
- b) ExPASy
- c) EBI
- d) RCSB
- **61.** If $125^x = \frac{25}{5^x}$ then x is equal to:
 - a) ½
 - b) 2
 - c) 3
 - d) 1

62. The angles of a triangle are in the ratio 3:5:4. The smallest angle of the triangle is:

- a) 60°
- b) 30°
- c) 50°
- d) 45°
- **63.** A chord is at a distance of 8 cm from the centre of a circle of radius 17 cm. The length of the chord is:
 - a) 25 cm
 - b) 12.5 cm
 - c) 30 cm
 - d) 9 cm

64. The length of altitude of an equilateral triangle having side 8 cm is:

a) $4\sqrt{3}$ cm

- b) $4\sqrt{2}$ cm
- c) $4\sqrt{5}$ cm
- d) 8 cm

65. The ratio of radii of two spheres is 4:3. The ratio of their volumes is:

- a) 64:27
- b) 27:64
- c) 16:9
- d) 9:16

66. A gas can be converted into liquid state by applying:

- a) High pressure and high temperature
- b) Low pressure and low temperature
- c) Low pressure and high temperature
- d) High pressure and low temperature

67. Which of the following will show Tyndall effect?

- a) Salt solution
- b) Copper sulphate solution
- c) Starch solution
- d) Sugar Solution

68. The gases exert more pressure on the walls of the container because:

- a) Particles in gaseous state move randomly at high speed
- b) Particles in gaseous state are tightly packed
- c) Particles have low kinetic energy
- d) Particles have large mass
- **69.** A girl is carrying a school bag of 3 kg mass on her back and moves 200 m on a leveled road. The work done against the gravitational force will be $(g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2)$:
 - a) $6 \times 10^3 \text{ J}$
 - b) 6 J
 - c) 0.6 J
 - d) Zero

70. The value of acceleration due to gravity:

- a) is same on equator and poles
- b) is least on poles
- c) is least on equator
- d) increases form pole to equator