



NEET 2024

Biology (Zoology)

Section - A (Compulsory)

151. Given below are two statements: one is labelled as Assertion A and the other is labelled as Reason R:

Assertion A: FSH acts upon ovarian follicles in female and Leydig cells in male.

Reason R: Growing ovarian follicles secrete estrogen in female while interstitial cells secrete androgen in male human being.

In the light of the above statements, choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) Both A and R are true but R is NOT the correct explanation of A.
- (2) A is true but R is false
- (3) A is false but R is true
- (4) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A.

152. Match List I with List II:

	List-I		List-II
A	Lipase	I	Peptide bond
В	Nuclease	II	Ester bond
C	Protease	III	Glycosidic
			bond
D	Amylase	IV	Phosphodiest
			er bond

Choose the correct answer from the options give below:

- (1) A-III, B-II, C-I, D-IV
- (2) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III
- (3) A-IV, B-I, C-III, D-II
- (4) A-IV, B-II, C-III, D-I

- 153. Following are the stages of pathway for conduction of an action potential through the heart:
 - A. AV bundle
 - **B.** Purkinje fibres
 - C. AV node
 - D. Bundle branches
 - E. SA node

Choose the correct sequence of pathway from the options given below:

- (1) A-E-C-B-D
- (2) B-D-E-C-A
- (3) E-A-D-B-C
- (4) E-C-A-D-B

154. Match List I with List II:

		List-I		List-II		
ſ	A	Pons	I	Provides additional		
				space for Neurons,		
				regulates posture		
				and balance		
Ī	В	Hypothala	II	Controls respiration		
		mus		and gastric		
				secretions		
	C	Medulla	III	Connects different		
				regions of the brain		
	D	Cerebellum	IV	Neuro secretory cells		

- (1) A-III, B-IV, C-II, D-I
- (2) A-I, B-III, C-II, D-IV
- (3) A-II, B-I, C-III, D-IV
- (4) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV
- 155. Which one of the following factors will (not/affect the Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium?
 - (1) Genetic drift
 - (2) Gene migration
 - (3) Constant gene pool
 - (4) Genetic recombination



- 156. In both sexes of cockroach, a pair of jointed filamentous structures called anal cerci are present on:
 - (1) 10th segment
 - (2) 8th and 9th segment
 - (3) 11th segment
 - (4) 5th segment

	List-I		List-II
A	Expiratory	I	Expiratory
	capacity		reserve volume +
			Tidal volume +
			Inspiratory
			reserve volume
В	Functional	II	Tidal volume +
	residual		Expiratory
	capacity		reserve volume
С	Vital	III	Tidal volume +
	capacity		Inspiratory
			reserve volume
D	Inspiratory	IV	Expiratory
	capacity		reserve volume +
			Residual volume

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I
- (2) A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III.
- (3) A-I, B-III, C-II, D-IV
- (4) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III.
- 158. The flippers of the Penguins and Dolphins are the example of the example of the
 - (1) Natural selection
 - (2) Convergent evolution
 - (3) Divergent evolution
 - (4) Adaptive radiation

159. Match List I with List II

	List-I		List-II
A	α -1 antitrypsin.	I	Cotton
			bollworm
В	Cry IAb	II	ADA
			deficiency
C	Cry IAc	III	Emphysema
D	Enzyme	IV	Corn borer
	replacement		
	therapy		

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) A-III, B-I, C-II, D-IV
- (2) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- (3) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III
- (4) A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III

160. Match List I with List II:

	List-I		List-II
A	Down's	I	11th chromosome
	syndrome		
В	α-	II	'X' chromosome
	Thalassemia		
С	β-	III	21st chromosome
	Thalassemia		
D	Klinefelter's	IV	16th chromosome
	syndrome		

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I
- (2) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- (3) A-IV, B-I, C-I, D-III
- (4) A-I, B-II, C-I, D-IV
- **161.** Given below are twee statements:

Statement I: The presence or absence of hymen is not a reliable indicator of virginity.

Statement II: The hymen is torn during the first coitus only.

In the light of the above statements, choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) Both Statement I and Statement II are false
- (2) Statement I is true but Statement II is false
- (3) Statement I is false but Statement II is true
- (4) Both Statement I and Statement II are true

	List-I		List-II
A	Common cold	I	Plasmodium
В	Haemozoin	II	Typhoid
C	Widal test	III	Rhinoviruses
D	Allergy	IV	Dust mites

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) A-I, B-III, C-II, D-IV
- (2) A-III, B-I, C-II, ID-IV
- (3) A-IV, B-II, C-III, D-I
- (4) A-II, B-IV, C-III, D-I

163. Which of the following is not a component of Fallopian tube?

- (1) Isthmus
- (2) Infundibulum
- (3) Ampulla
- (4) Uterine fundus

164. Following are the stages of cell division:

- A. Gap 2 phase
- **B.** Cytokinesis
- C. Synthesis phase
- D. Karyokinesis
- E. Gap 1 phase

Choose the correct sequence of stages from the options given below:

- (1) E-B-D-A-C
- (2) B-D-E-A-C
- (3) E-C-A-D-B
- (4) C-E-D-A-B

165. Match List I with List II:

	List-I		List-II
A	Axoneme	I	Centriole
В	Cartwheel	II	Cilia and
	pattern		flagella
C	Crista	III	Chromosome
D	Satellite	IV	Mitochondria

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) A-IV, B-II, C-III, D-I
- (2) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III
- (3) A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III
- (4) A-IV, B-III, C-II, D-I
- **166.** Given below are two statements: one is labelled as Assertion A and the other is labelled as Reason R:

Assertion A: Breast-feeding during initial period of infant growth is recommended by doctors for bringing a healthy baby.

Reason R: Colostrum contains several antibodies absolutely essential to develop resistance for the new born baby,

In the light of the above statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

- (1) Both A and R are correct but R is NOT the correct explanation of A.
- (2) A is correct but R is not correct.
- (3) A is not correct but R is correct.
- (4) Both A and R are correct and R is the correct explanation of A.



	List-I		List-II
	(Sub		(Specific
	Phases of		characters)
	Prophase		
	I)		
A	Diakinesis	I	Synaptonemal
			complex
			formation
В	Pachytene	II	Completion of
			terminalisation of
			chiasmata
C	Zygotene	III	Chromosomes
			look like thin
			threads
D	Leptotene	IV	Appearance of
			recombination
			nodules

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) A-I, B-II, C-IV, D-III
- (2) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III
- (3) A-IV, B-III, C-II, D-I
- (4) A-IV, B-II, C-III, D-I

168. Match List I with List II:

	List-I		List-II
A	Fibrous joints	I	Adjacent
			Vertebrae,
			limited
			movement
В	Cartilaginous	II	Humerus and
	joints		Pectoral
			girdle,
			rotational
			movement
С	Hinge joints	III	Skull, don't
			allow any
			movement
D	Ball and socket	IV	Knee, help in
	joints		locomotion

- (1) A-I, B-III, C-II, D-IV
- (2) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV
- (3) A-III, B-I, C-IV, D-II
- (4) A-IV, B-II, C-III, D-I
- 169. Which of the following factors are favourable for the formation of oxyhaemoglobin in alveoli?
 - (1) High pO₂ and Lesser H⁺ concentration
 - (2) Low pCO₂ and High H⁺ concentration
 - (3) Low pCO₂ and High temperature
 - (4) High pO₂ and High pCO₂
- 170. Which of the following is not a contraceptive method?
 natural/traditional contraceptive method
 - (1) Periodic abstinence
 - (2) Lactational amenorrhea
 - (3) Vaults
 - (4) Coitus interruptus
- 171. Which of the following are Autoimmune disorders?
 - A. Myasthenia gravis
 - B. Rheumatoid arthritis
 - C. Gout
 - D. Muscular dystrophy
 - E. Systemic Lupus Erythematosus (SLE) Choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below
 - (1) B & E only
 - (2) B, C & E only
 - (3) C, D & E only
 - (4) A, B & D only
- 172. The "Ti plasmid" of Agrobacterium tumefaciens stands for
 - (1) Tumor independent plasmid
 - (2) Tumor inducing plasmid
 - (3) Temperature independent plasmid
 - (4) Tumour inhibiting plasmid



173. Which one is the correct product of DNA dependent RNA polymerase to the given template?

3'TACATGGCAAATATCCATTCA5'

- (1) 5'AUGUAAAGUUUAUAGGUAAGU3'
- (2) 5'AUGUACCQUUUAUAGGGAAGU3
- (3) 5'ATGTACCGTTTATAGGTAAGT3
- (4) 5'AUGUACCGUUUAUAGGAAGU3

174. Which of the following statements is incorrect?

- (1) Most commonly used bio-reactors are of stirring type.
- (2) Bio-reactors are used to produce small scale bacterial cultures.
- (3) Bio-reactors have an agitator system, an oxygen delivery system and foam control system.
- (4) A bio-reactor provides optimal growth conditions for achieving the desired product.

175. Match List I with List II:

	List-I		List-II
A	Cocaine	I	Effective sedative
			in surgery
В	Heroin	II	Cannabis sativa
С	Morphine	III	Erythroxylum
D	Marijuana	IV	Papaver
			somniferum

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) A-I, B-III, C-II, D-IV
- (2) A-II, B-I, C-III, D-IV
- (3) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- (4) A-IV, B-III, C-I, D-II

176. Which of the following is not a steroid hormone?

- (1) Testosterone (2) Progesterone
- (3) Glucagon (4) Cortisol

177. Match List I with List II:

	List-I		List-II
A	Non-	I	Multiload 375
	medicated		
	IUD.		
В	Copper	II	Progestogens
	releasing IUD		
С	Hormone	III	Lippes loop
	releasing IUD		
D	Implants	IV	LNG-20

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) A-I, B-III, C-IV, D-II
- (2) A-IV, B-I, C-II, D-III
- (3) A-III, B-I, C-IV, D-II
- (4) A-III, B-I, C-II, D-IV

178. Given below are two statements:

Statement I: In the nephron, the descending limb of loop of Henle is impermeable to water and permeable to electrolytes.

Statement II: The proximal convoluted tubule is lined by simple columnar brush border epithelium and increases the surface area for reabsorption.

In the light of the above statements, choose the correct answer from the options given below:

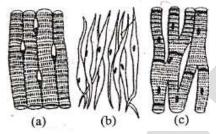
- (1) Both Statement I and Statement II are false
- (2) Statement I is true but Statement II is false
- (3) Statement I is false but Statement II is true
- (4) Both Statement I and Statement II are true



- 179. Given below are some stages of human evolution. Arrange them in correct sequence. (Past to Recent)
 - A. Homo habilis
 - B. Homo sapiens
 - C. Homo neanderthalensis
 - D. Homo erectus

Choose the correct sequence of human evolution from the options given below:

- (1) B-A-D-C
- (2) C-B-D-A
- (3) A-D-C-B
- (4) D-A-C-B
- 180. Three types of muscles are given as a, b and c. Identify the correct matching pair along with their location in human body



Name of muscle/location

- (1) (a) Skeletal Triceps
 - (b) Smooth Stomach
 - (c) Cardiac Heart.
- (2) (a) Skeletal Biceps
 - (b) Involuntary Intestine
 - (c) Smooth Heart.
- (3) (a) Involuntary Nose tip
 - (b) Skeletal Bone
 - (c) Cardiac Heart.
- (4) (a) Smooth Toes
 - (b) Skeletal Legs
 - (c) Cardiac Heart.
- 181. Match List I with List II:

	List-I		List-II
A	Pleurobrachia	I	Mollusca
В	Radula	II	Ctenophora
С	Stomochord	III	Osteichthyes
D	Air bladder	IV	Hemichordata

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III
- (2) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III
- (3) A-IV, B-III, C-II, D-I
- (4) A-IV, B-II, C-III, D-I

182. Match List I with List II:

	List-I		List-II
A	Pterophyllum	I	Hag fish
В	Myxine	II	Saw fish
С	Pristis	III	Angel fish
D	Exocoetus	IV	Flying fish

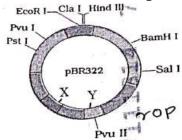
Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) A-III, B-I, C-II, D-IV
- (2) A-IV, B-I, C-II, D-III
- (3) A-III, B-II, CHI, D-IV
- (4) A-II, B-I, C-III, D-IV

183. Match List I with List II:

	List-I		List-II
A	Typhoid	I	Fungus
В	Leishmaniasis	II	Nematode
C	Ringworm	III	Protozoa
D	Filariasis	IV	Bacteria

- (1) A-IV, B-III, C-I, D-II
- (2) A-III, B-I, C-IV, D-II
- (3) A-II, B-IV, C-III, D-I
- (4) A-I, B-III, C-II, D-IV
- **184.** The following diagram showing restriction sites in E.coli cloning vector pBR322. Find the role of 'X' and 'Y' genes:





- (1) The gene 'X' is for protein involved in replication of Plasmid and 'Y' for resistance to antibiotics.
- (2) Gene 'X' is responsible for recognition sites and 'Y' is responsible for antibiotic resistance.
- (3) The gene 'X' is responsible for resistance to antibiotics and 'Y' for protein involved in the replication of Plasmid.
- (4) The gene 'X' is responsible for controlling the copy number of the linked DNA and 'Y' for protein involved in the replication of Plasmid.
- 185. Consider the following statements:
 - A. Annelids are true coelomates
 - B. Poriferans are pseudocoelomates
 - C. Aschelminthes are acoelomates
 - D. Platyhelminthes are pseudocoelomates

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) A only
- (2) Conly
- (3) Bonly
- (4) B only

Section – B (Attempt Any 10)

- 186. Choose the correct statement given below regarding juxta medullary nephron.
 - (1) Renal corpuscle of juxta medullary nephron _lies in the outer portion of the renal medulla.
 - (2) Loop of Henle of juxta medullary nephron runs deep into medulla.
 - (3) Juxta medullary nephrons outnumber the cortical nephrons.
 - (4) Juxta medullary nephrons are located in the columns of Bertini.

187. Given below are two statements:

Statement I: Bone marrow is the main lymphoid organ where all blood cells including lymphocytes are produced.

Statement II: Both bone marrow and thymus provide micro environments for the development and maturation of T-lymphocytes.

In the light of the above statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

- (1) Both Statement I and Statement II are incorrect.
- (2) Statement I is correct but Statement II is incorrect.
- (3) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is correct.
- (4) Both Statement I and Statement II are correct.

188. Match List I with List II related to digestive system of cockroach.

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	List-I		List-II
A	The structures used	I	Gizzard
	for storing of food.		
В	Ring of 6-8 blind	II	Gastric
	tubules at junction of		Caeca
	foregut and midgut		
C	Ring of 100-150	III	Malpighia
	yellow coloured thin		n tubules
	filaments at junction		
	of midgut and hindgut		
D	The structures used	IV	Crop
	for grinding the food		

- (1) A-I, B-II, C-III, D-IV
- (2) A-IV, B-III, C-II, D-I
- (3) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I
- (4) A-IV, B-II, C-III, D-I



	List-I		List-II
A	P wave	I	Heart muscles are
			electrically silent.
В	QRS	II	Depolarisation of
	complex		ventricles
С	T wave	III	Depolarisation of
			atria
D	T-P gap	IV	Repolarisation of
			ventricles

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I
- (2) A-II, B-III, C-I, D-IV
- (3) A-IV, B-II. C-I, D-III
- (4) A-I, B-III, C-IV, D-II
- 190. As per ABO blood grouping system, the blood group of father is B+ + mother is A+ + and child is O+. Their respective genotype can be
 - A. I^Bi / I^Ai / ii
 - B. IBIB / IAIA / ii
 - C. IAIB / iIA / IBi
 - D. $I^{A}i / I^{B}i / I^{A}i$
 - E. $iI^B/iI^A/iI^A/I^AI^B$

Choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

- (1) B only
- (2) C & B only
- (3) D & E only
- (4) A only

191. Match List I with List II:

	List-I		List-II
A	RNA	I	snRNPs
	polymerase III		
В	Termination of	II	Promotor
	transcription		
C	Splicing of	III	Rho factor
	Exons		
D	TATA box	IV	SnRNAs, tRNA

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I
- (2) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- (3) A-IV, B-III, C-I, D-II
- (4) A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III

192. Given below are two statements:

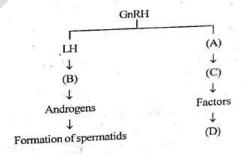
Statement I: Mitochondria and chloroplasts are both double membrane bound organelles.

Statement II: Inner membrane of mitochondria is relatively less permeable, as compared to chloroplast.

In the light of the above statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

- (1) Both Statement I and Statement II are incorrect.
- (2) Statement I is correct but Statement II is incorrect.
- (3) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is correct.
- (4) Both Statement I and Statement II are correct.

193. Identify the correct option (A), (B), (C), (D) with respect to spermatogenesis.



- (1) ICSH, Interstitial cells, Leydig cells, spermiogenesis.
- (2) FSH, Sertoli cells, Leydig cells, spermatogenesis.
- (3) ICSH, Leydig cells, Sertoli cells, spermatogenesis.
- (4) FSH, Leydig cells, Sertoli cells, spermiogenesis

- 194. The following are the statements about non-chordates:
 - A. Pharynx is perforated by gill slits.
 - B. Notochord is absent.
 - C. Central nervous system is dorsal.
 - D. Heart is dorsal if present.
 - E. Post anal tail is absent.

Choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

- (1) A, B & D only
- (2) B, D & E only
- (3) B, C & D only
- (4) A & C only
- **195.** Given below are two statements:

Statement I: Gause's competitive exclusion principle states that two closely related species competing for different resources cannot exist indefinitely.

Statement II: According to Gause's principle, during competition, the inferior will be eliminated. This may be true if resources are limiting.

In the light of the above statements, choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) Both Statement I and Statement II are false
- (2) Statement I is true but Statement II is false.
- (3) Statement I is false but Statement II is true.
- (4) Both Statement I and Statement II are true.

- 196. Regarding catalytic cycle of an enzyme action, select the correct sequential steps:
 - A. Substrate enzyme complex formation.
 - B. Free enzyme ready to bind with another substrate.
 - C. Release of products.
 - D. Chemical bonds of the substrate broken.
 - E. Substrate binding to active site.

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) A, E, B, D, C (2) B, A, C, D, E
- (3) E, D, C, B, A (4)
- (4) E, A, D, C, B
- 197. Given below are two statements:

Statement I: The cerebral hemispheres are connected by, nerve tract known as corpus callosum.

Statement I: The brain stem consists of the medulla oblongata, pons and cerebrum In the light of the above statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

- (1) Both Statement I and Statement II are incorrect
- (2) Statement I is correct but Statement II is incorrect.
- (3) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is correct.
- (4) Both Statement I and Statement II are correct.



	Pideen Dist I with Dist III				
	List-I		List-II		
Α	Exophthalmic	I	Excess secretion		
	goiter		of cortisol, moon		
			face &		
			hyperglycemia		
В	Acromegaly	II	Hypo-secretion of		
			thyroid hormone		
			and stunted		
			growth		
C	Cushing'	III	Hyper secretion of		
	syndrome		thyroid hormone		
			& protruding eye		
			balls		
D	Cretinism	IV	Excessive		
			secretion of		
			growth hormone		

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) A-IV, B-II, C-I, D-III
- (2) A-III, B-IV, C-II, D-I
- (3) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- (4) A-I, B-III, C-II, D-IV

199. Match List I with List II:

	List-I		List-II
A	Unicellular	I	Salivary glands
	glandular		
	epithelium		
В	Compound	II	Pancreas
	epithelium		
С	Multicellular	III	Goblet cells of
	glandular		alimentary canal
	epithelium		
D	Endocrine	IV	Moist surface of
	glandular		buccal cavity
	epithelium		

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) A-IV, B-III, C-I, D-II
- (2) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
- (3) A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III
- (4) A-II, B-I, C-III, D-DV

200. Match List I with List II:

	List-I		List-II
A	Mesozoic	I	Lower
	Era		invertebrates
В	Proterozoic	II	Fish & Amphibia
	Era		
С	Cenozoic Era	III	Birds & Reptiles
D	Paleozoic	IV	Mammals
	Era		

- (1) A-III, B-I, C-II, D-IV
- (2) A-I, B-II, C-IV, D-III
- (3) A-III, B-I, C-IV, D-II
- (4) A-II, B-I, C-III, D-IV