

MONTHLY TEST - QUESTION PAPER

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SUB: SCIENCE (UNIT-5, 10, 19, 20)

TIME: 1.30hrs

PART-I

Choose the most suitable answer and write the code with corresponding answer (5×1=5)

- The frequency, which is audible to the human ear is _____
a) 50kHz b) 20kHz c) 15000kHz d) 10000kHz
- The persistence of hearing for human ears is _____ second.
a) 1 b) 0.1 c) 100 d) 0
- The chemical equation $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4(\text{aq}) + \text{BaCl}_2(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{BaSO}_4(\text{s}) \downarrow + 2\text{NaCl}(\text{aq})$ represents which of the following types of reaction?
a) Neutralization b) Combustion c) Precipitation d) Single displacement
- The 'use and disuse theory' was proposed by _____
a) Ernst Haeckel b) Lamarck c) Mendel d) Charles Darwin
- Pusa komal is a disease resistant variety of _____
a) sugarcane b) Rice c) Chilli d) Wheat

PART-II

Answer Any Four of the following:

(4×2=8)

(Question number 11 is compulsory)

- (i). What is a longitudinal wave?
(ii). Name three animals, which can hear ultrasonic vibrations.
- Differentiate reversible and irreversible reactions.
- Can a nickel spatula be used to stir copper sulphate solution? Justify your answer.
- (i). Name two maize hybrids rich in amino acid lysine.
(ii). Name the types of stem cells
- Define Genetic engineering.
- A sound wave has a frequency of 200Hz and a speed of 400m/s in a medium. Find the wavelength of the sound wave.

PART- III

iii. Answer any Four of the following:

(Question number 17 is compulsory)

(4×4=16)

12. a. What do you understand by the term 'ultrasonic vibration'?
- b. State three uses of ultrasonic vibrations.
13. (i). Write the differences between the sound and light waves.
- (ii). Mention two cases in which there is no Doppler effect in sound.
14. What are called thermolysis reactions?
15. a. How can you determine the age of the fossils?
- b. Why is Archaeopteryx considered to be a connecting link?
16. Distinguish between
- (i). Somatic gene therapy
- (ii). Undifferentiated cells and differentiated cells.
17. (i). The hydroxyl ion concentration of a solution is $1 \times 10^{-9} \text{M}$. What is the P^{OH} of the solution?
- (ii). Define combination reaction. Give one example for an exothermic combination reaction.

PART-IV

Note. (i) Answer all the questions:

(3×7=21)

18. a. (i). What are the factors that affect the speed of sound in gases?
- (ii). Define Doppler Effect.

(OR)

- b. (i). What is an echo?
- (ii). State two conditions necessary for hearing an echo.
- (iii). What are the medical applications of echo?
- (iv). How can you calculate the speed of sound using echo?
19. a. (i). What is a chemical equilibrium? What are its characteristics?
- (ii). A solid compound 'A' decomposes on heating into 'B' and a gas 'C' on passing the gas 'C' through the water, it becomes acidic. Identify A, B and C.

(OR)

- b. How does P^{H} play an important role in everyday life?
20. a. (i). How do you differentiate homologous organs from analogous organs?
- (ii). Imprints of fossils tell us about evolution – How?

(OR)

- b. Describe mutation breeding with an example.

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