

Re NEET Practise Paper 2026

ZOOLOGY & BOTANY

Q1 How many species of fishes are known

- A. 15000
- B. 20,000
- C. 22000
- D. 28,000

Q2 Vascular plant species diversity is about 10 times higher in which forest biome compared to others?

- A. Tropical region
- B. Temperate region
- C. Castle region
- D. Sub temperate region

Q3 Approximately how many bacterial strains have been screened so far to obtain restriction enzymes?

- A. 230 strain
- B. 240 strain
- C. 50 strain
- D. 900 strain

Q 4 Compared to which Scandinavian country does India show much greater species diversity?

- A. Sri lanka
- B. Germany
- C. America
- D. Norway

Q5 Which organization and year reported that ~1.5 million plant and animal species have been described till now?

- A ICUN (2004)
- B IUCN (2004)
- C IFN (2006)
- D IARI (2004)

Q6 Fill the blank: "Nature's biological library is burning even before we catalogued the titles of —."

- A. All the books stocked there
- B. All the books burned
- C. All the books lost
- D. None of the above

Q Which ecologist proved through long-term experiments that more species diversity leads to greater ecosystem productivity?

- A. David Tilman's
- B. David hook
- C. Nicolus
- D. Andrew son

Q8 The anti-hypertensive drug reserpine is obtained from which medicinal plant?

- A. Aloe barbadensis
- B. Withania somnifera
- C. Azadirachta indica
- D. Rauwolfia vomitoria

Q9 Conventional taxonomy fails to identify which group of organisms due to culturing difficulty?

- A. Fungal species
- B. Algae species
- C. Microbial species
- D. Insect species

Q10 Who proposed the 'rivet popper hypothesis' to explain the importance of each species in an ecosystem?

- A. Francis
- B. Watson
- C. Paul Ehrlich
- D. None of the above

Q11 For any species, the total number of individuals in a given area at a given time is considered as what type of parameter?

- A. Valid method of identification
- B. Not a valid method of identification
- C. Static parameter
- D. Physical method

Q12 Which of the following organisms feeds on dead organic matter and helps in decomposition?

- A. Rats
- B. Cockroach
- C. Lizard
- D. Earthworm

Q13 The dead organic matter that serves as the starting material for the process of decomposition is termed as

- A. Detritus
- B. Organic waste
- C. Died plants
- D. Died animals

Q 14 In an ecosystem, the food chain that begins with producers and transfers energy through herbivores to carnivores is known as

- A. Growth for cultivation
- B. Growing farming committee
- C. Good for climate
- D. Grazing food chain

Q 15 While studying populations in ecology, ecologists often use which measure instead of exact count of individuals?

- A. Relative Densities
- B. Distribution
- C. Mass ratio
- D. Counting of individual

Q 16 Some animals produces a large number of small-sized offspring

- A. Oysters
- B. Pelagic fishes
- C. Snails
- D. Both A & B

Q 17 Which of the following is NOT considered a biotechnological approach to increase agricultural food production?

- A. Agro-chemical based agriculture
- B. Organic agriculture
- C. Genetically engineered crop-based agriculture
- D. Chemical based agriculture

Q 18 Plantlets produced through Plant Tissue Culture from a single explant are genetically uniform copies of the parent plant. What are they called?

- A. Identical plants
- B. Similar gene plants
- C. Cloned
- D. Somaclones

Q 19 Vertical distribution of different species occupying different levels is called

- A. Trophic level
- B. Stratification
- C. Mapping
- D. Energy distribution

Q 20 What prevents Bt toxin produced by *Bacillus thuringiensis* from harming the bacterium itself?

- A. It present in inactive form in bacteria
- B. It present in less active form in bacteria
- C. Due to mutation of gene
- D. For activation it require high Ph

Q21 What is the biochemical nature of Bt toxin produced by *Bacillus thuringiensis*?

- A. Lipids
- B. Protein
- C. Toxic substance
- D. Element

Q22 Which gene is responsible for coding the Bt toxin in *Bacillus thuringiensis*?

- A. cry gene
- B. D1 gene
- C. Trp geen
- D. tryIIAc

Q23 The cryIAb gene provides resistance against which insect pest?

- A. Corn borer
- B. Wheet borer
- C. Legume borer
- D. Both A & C

Q24 Which organization formally defined biotechnology

- A. EFB
- B. TTC
- C. FDA
- D. WHO

Q25 Who isolated the plasmid containing antibiotic resistance gene and showed it could confer resistance to *E. coli*?

- A. Stanley Cohen
- B. Ernst hackle
- C. Herbert Boyer
- D. Both A & C

Q26 Name of the first restriction endonuclease

- A. Hind II
- B. Hind I
- C. Ori
- D. EcoR1

Q27 First restriction endonuclease recognizing how many base pair

- A. Specific five-base pair sequence
- B. Specific four-base pair sequence
- C. Specific six-base pair sequenc
- D. Specific two-base pair sequence

Q28 How many restriction enzyme have been isolated

- A. 60
- B. 70
- C. 500
- D. 900

Q 29 Microbes are traditionally used to ferment and produce which food items?

- A. ferment fish,
- B. soyabean
- C. bambooshoots
- D. All of the above

Q 30 The process of growing microbes/eukaryotic cells on a large scale for manufacturing antibiotics, vaccines, enzymes, etc is called

- A. Bioprocess engineering
- B. Recombinant DNA
- C. Gene cloning
- D. Gene transfer

Q31 Which bacterium is primarily responsible for forming the characteristic “eyes” or holes in Swiss cheese during ripening?

- A. Lactobacillus acidophilus
- B. Propioni bacterium sharmanii
- C. Streptococcus thermophilus
- D. Leuconostoc mesenteroides

Q32 Roquefort cheese’ are ripened by growing a specific

- A. Bacteria
- B. Fungi
- C. Parasite
- D. Algae

Q34 Which one is produce without a distillation process

- A. Wine
- B. Whisky
- C. Brandy
- D. Rum

Q35 Which one is used in detergent formulations that are helpful in removing oily stains from the laundry

- A. Nuclease
- B. Alcohol
- C. Formaldehyde
- D. Lipases

Q 36 Where the School of Cytogenetics and Radiation Research established

- A. IARI
- B. CDRI
- C. NBRI
- D. CIMAP

Q 37 A persons with ‘blackbile’ belonged to hot personality and would have

- A. Asthama
- B. High Blood Pressure
- C. Fever
- D. Lung Infection

Q38 The discovery of blood circulation by

- A. William Harvey
- B. Ernst Hackel
- C. Karl Ernst Von Bear
- D. Morgan

Q39 Which infection a healthy person acquires the infection by inhaling the droplets/aerosols released by an infected person or even by sharing glasses and utensils with an infected person

- A. Pneumonia

- B. TB
- C. Cancer
- D. AIDS

Q 40 Malignant malaria caused by

- A. *P. vivax*,
- B. *P. malaria*
- C. *P. falciparum*
- D. All of the above

Q41 In malaria which toxic substance released by a rupture of RBCs and this toxin substance is responsible for the chill and high fever recurring every three to four days.

- A. Haemozoin,
- B. Pus
- C. Sepsis
- D. Nemonatic substance

Q42 *Entamoeba histolytica* is a protozoan parasite which causes infection in which part of human body

- A. Large intestine
- B. Small intestine
- C. Liver
- D. Lung

Q43 Allergy is due to the release of chemicals like

- A. Melatonin
- B. Albumin
- C. Histamine and serotonin
- D. Electrolytes

Q44 In 1938 which fish caught off the coast of South Africa which was thought to be extinct

- A Coelacanth
- B Salamander
- C Nurocanth
- D None of the above

Q45 First amphibians that lived on both land and water

- A Cat fish
- B Cane fish
- C Lobefins
- D Frog

Q46 The first mammals were like

- A Dinosaur
- B Chimpanzee
- C Monkey
- D Shrews

Q 47 Few fossils of man like bones have discovered in Ethiopia and others

- A Tanzania
- B Northern America
- C Eastern Africa
- D Northern Africa

Q48 which primates are more man like

- A Dryopithecus
- B Ramapithecus
- C Treripithecus
- D Dardothecus

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Q 50 Who observed this features that “ embryonic stages common to all vertebrates that are absent in adult

- A. Darwin
- B. Mendel
- C. Karl Ernst Von Bear
- D. Ernst Hackel

Q51 The famous Double Helix model for the structure of DNA. Given by Watson and crick in 1953 which is based on

- A X-ray diffraction data provided by Friedrich Meischer
- B X-ray diffraction data provided by Maurice Wilkins
- C X-ray diffraction data provided by Rosalind Franklin
- D X-ray diffraction data provided by Wilkins

Q 52 How much a single human cell contains a approximately DNA

- A 2.4 metres
- B 2.2 metres
- C 4.2 metres
- D 3.2 metres

Q53 Darwin went to which Islands

- A. Rise Island
- B. Dry Islands
- C. Arnatic Island

D. Galapagos Island

Q54 Beads-on-string' structure when viewed under electron microscope ,this observed in which structure

- A Cytosine
- B Nucleosome
- C Histones
- D Adenine

Q 55 The honours to Watson with Crick

- A John Collins Warren Prize
- B Lasker Award
- C Research Corporation Prize
- D All of the above

Q 56 The honours to Watson with Crick with a Noble Prize in which year

- A 1963
- B 1962
- C 1965
- D 1966

Q 57 Gene which code for a pair of contrasting traits are known as

- A Tall
- B Dwarf
- C Alleles
- D Nucleus

Q58 Who worked first time on gene mapping

- A De Vries
- B Correns
- C Von Tschermak
- D Alfred Sturtevant

Q59 Family planning' programmes initiated in

- A 1951
- B 1967
- C 1956
- D 2000

Q60 Saheli'—a new oral contraceptive for the females—was developed by scientists of which institute of lucknow

- A CDRI
- B NBRI
- C CMAP
- D IITR

Q 61 What are the natural methods work on the principle of avoiding chances of ovum and sperms meeting

- A Lactational amenorrhea
- B Periodic abstinence
- C Withdrawal or coitus interruptus
- D All of the above

Q62 MTPs are considered relatively safe upto which week of pregnancy

- A 12 Weeks of pregnancy
- B 13 Weeks of pregnancy
- C 15 Weeks of pregnancy
- D 20 Weeks of pregnancy

Q 63 What are sexually transmitted infections that are curable with medication

- A Chlamydia,
- B Gonorrhea,
- C Syphilis
- D All of the above

Q64 What are the sexually transmitted infections that are treatable but not cured

- A Chlamydia,
- B Gonorrhea,
- C Syphilis
- D Genital herpes

Q65 Which male sex accessory ducts leads to vas deferens that ascends to the abdomen and loops over the urinary bladder

- A Rete testis
- B Vasa efferentia
- C Epididymis
- D All of the above

Q 66 The secretions of which glands also helps in the lubrication of the penis.

- A Mammary glands
- B Bulbourethral gland
- C Leydig cells
- D None of the above

Q 67 What is the length of Each ovary

- A Is about 2 to 4 cm in length
- B Is about 3 to 6 cm in length
- C Is about 4 to 8 cm in length
- D Is about 8 to 10 cm in length

Q 68 A few flowering plants such as some species of Asteraceae and grasses, have evolved a special mechanism, to produce seeds without fertilisation, called

- A Parthenocarpic
- B Polyembryony
- C Apomixis.
- D Perisperm

Q69 Which specialised cells in our body exhibit amoeboid movement in blood

- A. Macrophages
- B. Leucocytes
- C. Neutrophils
- D. Both A & B

Q70 Sarcoplasmic reticulum of the muscle fibres is the store house of

- A. Calcium ions
- B. Sodium ion
- C. Zinc ions
- D. None of the above

Q71 What is the name of a large triangular flat bone

- A. Cupsid
- B. Retela
- C. Ring bone
- D. Scapula

Q72 What is the shape of patella bone

- A. Cup shaped bone
- B. V- shaped bone
- C. T- shaped bone
- D. C- shaped bone

Q 73 Flame cells are the excretory structures in

- A. Platyhelminthes
- B. cockroaches
- C. Birds
- D. Snail

Q74 The process of release of urine is called

- A. Parturation
- B. Ureic
- C. Ureotelic
- D. Micturition

Q75 How much urea is excreted out per day in human being

- A. 5-10gm
- B. 10-15gm
- C. 25-30 gm
- D. 35-40 gm

Q76 Which protein are primarily involved in defense mechanisms of the body

- A. Fibrinogen
- B. Globulins
- C. Albumins

D. All of the above

Q77 Which one is having 3-chambered heart

- A. Crocodiles
- B. Birds
- C. Fishes
- D. Amphibians

Q78 Which part of heart allows the flow of blood only in one direction

- A. Atria
- B. Valves in the heart
- C. Atrio-ventricular septum
- D. Interatrial septum

Q79 The maximum volume of air a person can breathe in after a forced expiration. This includes

- A. ERV
- B. TV
- C. IRV
- D All of the above

Q80 Every 100 ml of oxygenated blood can deliver how much O_2 to the tissues under normal physiological conditions

- A. 5 ml
- B. 8 ml
- C. 10 ml
- D. 12 ml

Q 81 Respiratory rhythm is maintained by the respiratory centre in the medulla region of

- A. Heart
- B. Brain
- C. Lung
- D. None of the above

Q82 The phenomenon of heterophylly is an example of

- A. Plasticity
- B. Cell enlargement
- C. Growth
- D. Weight increase

Q83 Assertion: The plant growth regulators (PGRs) are large, complex molecules of diverse chemical composition.

Reason : They could be indole compounds

- A) Both assertion and reason are true, and reason is the correct explanation for assertion.
- B) Both assertion and reason are true, but reason is not the correct explanation for assertion.
- C) Assertion is true, but reason is false
- D) Assertion is false, but reason is true

Q84 The breaking of the C-C bonds of complex compounds through oxidation within the cells, leading to release of considerable amount of energy is called

- A. Respiration
- B. Photosynthesis

- C. ATP
- D. RUBISCO

Q85 Sucrose is converted into glucose and fructose by the enzyme,

- A. Ligase
- B. Kinase
- C. Protease
- D. Invertase

Q86 Assertion : In glycolysis the conversion of BPGA to 3-phosphoglyceric acid (PGA)
Reason : ATP produced at the end of this process

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Q87 How many carbon compound of RuBP.

- A. 2
- B. 3
- C. 4
- D. 5

Q88 Which is utilised for the carboxylation of RuBP

- A. CO₂
- B. Co
- C. O₂
- D. NO₂

Q89 Some cells in the adult animals do not appear to exhibit division

- A. Lung cells
- B. Heart cells
- C. Bone cells
- D. Brain cells

Q90 In which phase of the cell cycle DNA replication begins in the nucleus

- A. During the S phase
- B. During the M phase
- C. During the G₀ phase
- D. During the G₁ phase

Q91 Each centrosome radiates out microtubules called

- A. Eysester
- B. Asters
- C. Axis
- D. Median

Q92 Inulin is a polymer of

- A. Fructose
- B. Glucose
- C. Carbohydrate
- D. Protein

Q93 Polysaccharide chain (say glycogen), the right end is called

- A. Non-reducing end
- B. The reducing end
- C. No change
- D. None of the above

Q94 What are Prosthetic groups

- A. Inorganic compound
- B. Acid
- C. Ions
- D. Organic compounds

Q95 Which one is not the example of prokaryotic cells Bacteria,

- A. Bacteria
- B. Blue-green algae,
- C. Mycoplasma
- D. Amoeba

Q96 The middle lamella is a layer mainly of

- A. Calcium pectate
- B. Calcium carbonate
- C. Iron
- D. Albumin

Q97 what are leucoplasts

- A. Protein
- B. Fats
- C. Plastids
- D. Carbohydrate

Q98 Which organ consist all the four types of tissues, i.e., epithelial, connective, muscular and neural

- A. Lung
- B. Heart
- C. Kidney
- D. Brain

Q99 Which one is the stretchable organ in human body

- A. Stomach
- B. Liver
- C. Heart
- D. Kidney

Q100 Which type of vascular bundles, the xylem and phloem are jointly situated along the same radius of vascular bundles

- A. Radial
- B. Conjoint
- C. Open
- D. Closed

Q101 Anacardiaceae family of

- A. Man
- B. Housefly
- C. Mango
- D. Wheat

Q102 What is the function of bulliform cells

- A. Transport water
- B. Transport sunlight
- C. Absorbed water
- D. Absorbed sunlight

Q103 The Mycoplasma are organisms that completely lack a

- A. Cell membrane
- B. Cell wall
- C. Nuclear membrane
- D. Nucleus

Q104 What is *Pila*

- A. Apple snail
- B. Pearl oyster
- C. Cuttlefish
- D. Squid

Q105 In which algae cell wall is made up of cellulose and algin

- A. Chlorophyceae
- B. Phaeophyceae
- C. Rhodophyceae
- D. Both A & C

Q106 Example of imbricate aestivation

- A. *Cassia*
- B. Gulmohur
- C. Rose
- D. Both A & B

Q107 The family Hominidae refers to

- A. Man
- B. Housefly
- C. Mango
- D. Wheat

Q108 In dicotyledonous root cortex consists of several layers of thin-walled

- A. Collenchyma cells
- B. Parenchyma cells
- C. epidermal cells
- D. endodermal cells

Q109 Sexes are not separate hermaphrodite example

- A. Porifera
- B. Protista
- C. Fungi
- D. Algae

Q110 The male or female cones or strobili may be borne on the same tree

- A. Pinus
- B. Cycas
- C. Funaria
- D. Sphagnum
- E.

Q111 Example of hypogynous flower

- A. Mustard,
- B. China rose
- C. Brinjal
- D. All of the above

Q112 Which isotope of phosphorous is used in Hershey-Chase experiment

A ^{34}P

B ^{32}P

C ^{16}P

D ^{15}P

Q113. Katherine Esau was born in

- A. Ukraine
- B. Germany
- C. America
- D. Finland

Q114 Which one is the example of Ascomycetes

- A. Aspergillus
- B. Claviceps
- C. Neurospora
- D. All of the above

Q115 Which types of aestivation seen in *Calotropis*

- A. Twisted
- B. Valvate
- C. Imbricate
- D. Vexillary

Q116 The packaging of chromatin at higher level requires additional set of what ?

A (NHC) proteins

B Lipids

C Histones

D Fats

