

Question Bank.

Biology and Diversity of Fungi, Algae and Bryophytes

Questions carrying 16 marks each

- Q.1. Describe in brief general characters of fungi.
- Q.2. Give the classification of fungi as elaborated by Hawksworth et al (1995).
- Q.3. Describe the life cycle of *Taphrina*.
- Q.4. Write in detail on general characters of *Uredinales*.
- Q.5. Describe the general characters of *Ustilaginales*.
- Q.6. Describe the general characters of Saprolegniales.
- Q.7. Describe the morphology of Sporangiohores in Peronosporales.
- Q.8. Describe the life cycle of *Dictyostelium discoideum*.
- Q.9. Write in detail on life cycle of *Plasmodiophora brassicae*.
- Q.10. Describe general characters of *Stemonitales*.
- Q.11. Explain the classification of algae up to division level.
- Q.12. Describe the role of algae in human warfare.
- Q.13. Describe the class Chlorophyceae with suitable example.
- Q.14. Explain the culture technique in algae.
- Q.15. What are the industrial applications of algae.
- Q.16. Describe the reproduction in algae with example and diagram.
- Q.17. Explain thallus organization in algae with suitable example and diagram.
- Q.18. Write in detail on distribution, habit, morphology and reproduction of Sphaerocarpaceae
- Q.19. Describe distribution, habit, morphology and reproduction of Takakiales
- Q.20. Write in detail on distribution, habit, morphology and reproduction of Jungermanniales
- Q.21. Describe distribution, habit, morphology and reproduction of Metzgeriales
- Q.22. Write in detail on distribution, habit, morphology and reproduction of Polytrichales

Questions carrying 8 marks each.

- Q.11. General characters of Glomales.
- Q.12. Life cycle of Chytridiales.
- Q.13. General characters of Xylariales.
- Q.14. Fruiting bodies in Pezizales.
- Q.15. General characters of Aphyllorphales.
- Q.16. General features of Hypochytriales.
- Q.17. General characters of Labyrinthulales.
- Q.18. Polyplanetism.
- Q.19. Morphology of fructification in Stemonitales.
- Q.20. Life cycle of white rust of Crucifers.
- Q.21. Occurrence and distribution of algae.
- Q.22. Algae as a source of Food.
- Q.23. Vegetative reproduction in algae with suitable diagrams.
- Q.24. Sexual reproduction in algae with suitable diagrams.
- Q.25. Explain the general characteristics of Cyanophyceae.
- Q.26. Define the conjugation and explain their type with neat labelled diagram.
- Q.27. Cultivation of algae.
- Q.28. What are key characteristics of Sphagnales
- Q.29 Explain external feature of gametophyte of funariales
- Q.30. Explain reproduction in Anthocerotales
- Q.31. Classification of Bryophytes
- Q.32. Salient features of Andreaeales

Questions carrying 4 marks each.

- Q.21. Plectenchyma.
- Q.22. Lomasomes.
- Q.23. Spitzenkorper.
- Q.24. Karyochorisis.

- Q.25. Mycorrhiza.
- Q.26. Stroma.
- Q.27. Bird Nest Fungi.
- Q.28. Stink horn.
- Q.29. Proliferation of Sporangium.
- Q.30. Bothrasomes.
- Q.31. Grex.
- Q.32. Cruciform nuclear division.
- Q.33. Capillitium.
- Q.34. Plasmodiocarp.
- Q.35. Aethalia.
- Q.36. Alginate.
- Q.37. Kelp.
- Q.38. Structure of diatom.
- Q.39. Describe the genus *Volvox*.
- Q.40. Diatomite.
- Q.41. Algae as source of fodder.
- Q.42. Write a note on Buxbaumiales
- Q.43. Explain reproduction in *Funaria*.
- Q.44. Write a short note on spore germination in *Frullania*
- Q.45. Explain origin of bryophytes from alga
- Q.46. Bryophytes as reliable indicators of air pollution
- Q.47. Economic importance of bryophytes

