

Select most appropriate answer from the following

[1] Aims and objectives of Plant Breeding; History and development of plant breeding.

- 1 **Norin-10 is a dwarfing gene of**
(a) *Triticum aestivum* (b) *Zea mays*
(c) *Oryza sativa* (d) *Secale cereal*
- 2 **Plant breeding deals with the improvement in**
(a) Yield (c) Quality
(b) Stress resistance (d) **All of these**
- 3 **The father of green revolution is**
(a) (B)P.Pal (c) **N.E.Borlaug**
(b) M.S.Swaminathan (d) (C)T.Patel
- 4 **Which of the following is prerequisite for crop improvement?**
(a) Hybridization (c) Mutation
(b) **Genetic variation** (d) Male sterility
- 5 **The first artificial plant hybrid was produced by crossing between**
(a) **Carnation X Sweet William** (c) Varieties of wheat
(b) Carnation X Sweet Potato (d) Carnation X Sweet corn
- 6 **C. A. Barber and T.S.Venkataraman are famous for their work on**
(a) Sorghum (c) **Sugarcane**
(b) Soybean (d) Spices
- 7 **Which are prime requirement for initiation of plant breeding work**
(a) **Variation in population** (c) Large population
(b) Stable population (d) Healthy population
- 8 **Brassica oil cake contain the anti-nutritional factor**
(a) **Erucic acid** (c) Glucosinolate
(b) Cynogenic glycoside (d) Saponin
- 9 **Among which of the following scientist was developed first cotton hybrid?**
(a) M.S.Swaminathan (c) **C.T.Patel**
(b) C.H.Patel (d) D. S. Athwal
- 10 **Plant breeding can improve _____ of plant**
(a) Phenotype (c) Dormancy
(b) **Heredity** (d) Susceptibility
- 11 **Resistance to shattering is an important objective among which of the following crop?**
(a) Pea (c) Wheat
(b) Cotton (d) **Green gram**

12 Among which of the following is pre requisite for selection?

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| (a) Hybridization | (c) Variation |
| (b) Domestication | (d) Introduction |

[2] Modes of reproduction

13 Development of embryo from synergids or antipodal cells without fertilization

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| (a) Apospory | (b) Apogamy |
| (c) Diplospory | (d) Apomixis |

14 Each anther has

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| (a) One pollen sac | (b) Two pollen sacs |
| (c) Four pollen sacs | (d) Three pollen sacs |

15 Genetic variation in progeny produced due to which of the following?

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| (a) Segregation | (c) Recombination |
| (b) Segregation and recombination | (d) None of these |

16 When sexual reproduction occurs along with apomixis is known as

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| (a) Apogamy | (c) Apospory |
| (b) Facultative Apomixis | (d) Obligate Apomixis |

17 Origin of embryo from egg cells of another embryo sac developed from diploid tissue is known as

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| (a) Parthenogenesis | (c) Apogamy |
| (b) Apospory | (d) All of these |

18 A process of formation of pollen grain is known as

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| (a) Micro sporogenesis | (c) Mega sporogenesis |
| (b) Micro gametogenesis | (d) Mega gametogenesis |

19 The triple fusion leads to development of

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| (a) Synergids | (c) Embryo |
| (b) Apogamy | (d) Endosperm |

20 The embryo develop from embryo sac without pollination is known as

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| (a) Diplospory | (c) Parthenogenesis |
| (b) Apogamy | (d) Apospory |

[3] Modes of pollination

21 The process of dehiscence of an anther is known as

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| (a) Pollination | (c) Anthesis |
| (b) Fertilization | (d) Hybridization |

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- 22 Protogyny is found in the case of
(a) Rice (c) Wheat
(b) Maize (d) **Pearl millet**
- 23 A crop showing less than 5 % cross pollination is considered as
(a) Cross pollinated crop (c) Often cross pollinated crop
(b) **Self pollinated crop** (d) Often self pollinated crop
- 24 Herkogamy condition occurs in which crop
(a) *Calotropis* (b) **Lucern**
(c) tobacco (d) Sugarcane
- 25 The situation when pollen from a flower of one plant falls onto the stigmas of other flower of the same plant
(a) Often cross pollination (b) Allogamy
(c) Pollination (d) **Geitonogamy**
- 26 Cleistogamy promotes
(a) Cross pollination (c) **Self pollination**
(b) Geitonogamy (d) All of the above
- 27 Protandry is found in which of the following crop?
(a) **Maize** (b) Bajra
(c) Wheat (d) chickpea
- 28 In alfalfa allogamy condition is due to
(a) Heterostyly (c) Cleistogamy
(b) Male sterility (d) **Herkogamy**
- 29 A condition in which opening of flower after fertilization is called
(a) **Chasmogamy** (c) Cleistogamy
(b) Dichogamy (d) Herkogamy
- 30 The geitonogamy condition is found among which of the following crop?
(a) **Maize** (c) Wheat
(b) Pigeonpea (d) Papaya

[4]. Plant Genetic Resources, their conservation and Genetic diversity

- 31 Land races refers to
(a) **Primitive cultivars** (c) Obsolate cultivars
(b) Modern cultivars (d) Mutant lines
- 32 In the full form of NBPGR, B stands for
(a) Board (c) **Bureau**
(b) Botanical (d) Breeding

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- 33 In India, the indigenous germplasm collection of cultivated species carry prefix**
- (a) EC (c) IC
(b) IW (d) IG
- 34 Germplasm is also called**
- (a) Gene pool (b) Genetic resources
(c) Gene bank (d) All of these
- 35 The primitive cultivars which were selected and cultivated by farmers is ?**
- (a) Modern cultivars (c) Wild relatives
(b) Obsolete cultivars (d) Land races
- 36 Head quarter of NBPGR located at**
- (a) Hyderabad (c) New Delhi
(b) Chennai (d) Bangalore
- 37 Which of the following substation of NBPGR represent arid zone ?**
- (a) Jaipur, Rajasthan (c) Jodhpur, Rajasthan
(b) Katch, Gujarat (d) Akola, Maharastra
- 38 Which of the following substation of NBPGR represent mixed climate zone?**
- (a) Jaipur, Rajasthan (c) Jodhpur, Rajasthan
(b) Katch, Gujarat (d) Amravati, Maharashtra
- 39 Law of homologous series of variation was proposed by**
- (a) Vavilov (1951) (c) Jensen (1901)
(b) Hull (1945) (d) Jenkis (1927)
- 40 A specific place or area or region where crop plant where maximum variability is found is called**
- (a) Center of diversity (c) Genetic origin
(b) Center of origin (d) Both (a) and (b)

[5]. **Methods of breeding- A Brief outlines**

- 41 The method is often used to correct some specific weakness of an established variety**
- (a) Heterosis breeding (c) Combination breeding
(b) Transgressive breeding (d) selection
- 42 The new genotype cannot create incase of**
- (a) Pedigree method (c) Backcross method
(b) Mass selection (d) SSD method
- 43 Breeding behavior of a plant can be determine through**
- (a) Progeny test (c) Back cross
(b) Mass selection (d) Pure line selection

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- 44 Which of the following method of plant breeding is not used for asexually propagated crops?
- (a) Plant introduction (c) Clonal selection
(b) Mutation breeding (d) **Pure line selection**
- 45 Variety is not uniform incase of
- (a) **Mass selection** (c) Pureline selection
(b) Heterosis breeding (d) Progeny selection
- 46 Most basic method of crop improvement is
- (a) **Domestication** (c) Plant introduction
(b) Selection (d) Pedifree methods
- 47 Recurrent selection method of crop improvement can be grouped into
- (a) General method (c) Special method
(b) **Population improvement** (d) Non hybridization

[6] Domestication, acclimatization and genetic erosion of plant

- 48 The first step in genetic improvement of a plant species is
- (a) **Domestication** (c) selection
(b) Germplasm collection (d) hybridization
- 49 The adjutant of a variety or population in new environment is known as
- (a) Adaptation (c) Buffering
(b) **Acclimatization** (d) Both A and B
- 50 Who explained the origin of tetraploid species of *Brassica*
- (a) East (b) Kanpenchenko
(c) **Nagaharu** (d) Richey
- 51 Which of the following undesirable consequences related with plant breeding?
- (a) Genetic erosion (c) Narrow genetic base
(b) Susceptibility to minor pest and disease (d) **All of these**
- 52 Variety developed through mass selection is
- (a) Homozygous & Homogeneous (c) Heterozygous & Homogeneous
(b) Homozygous & Heterogeneous (d) **Heterozygous & Heterogeneous**
- 53 Gradual loss of genetic variability in a crop is known as
- (a) Genetic drift (c) **Genetic erosion**
(b) Acclimatization (d) All of these

[7] Plant introduction

- 54 The plant introduction method is used for_____ plant species**
 (a) Self pollinated (c) Cross pollinated
 (b) Vegetative propagated (d) **All of these**
- 55 Sonara-64 and Lerma Rojo wheat varieties are examples of**
 (a) Secondary introduction (c) Acclimatization
 (b) **Primary introduction** (d) Domestication
- 56 Jaya and Ratna rice variety contain dwarfing gene from**
 (a) Dee-woo-gen-geo (c) Dee-woo-gen
 (b) **Dee-geo-woo-gen** (d) Dee-gen-woo
- 57 Which of the following variety good example of primary introduction?**
 (a) TN 1 (b) IR 8
 (c) IR 28 (d) **All of these**
- 58 Oldest method of crop improvement is**
 (a) Mass selection (c) **Plant introduction**
 (b) Pureline selection (d) Pedigree selection

[8] Selection, Johansson's pure line theory, genetic basis, pure line selection, progeny selection and mass selection

- 59 Genetic variation in pureline may arise due to**
 (a) Mechanical mixture (c) Mutation
 (b) Out crossing (d) **All of these**
- 60 Mass selection is always based on**
 (a) **Phenotype** (c) Progeny test
 (b) Genotype (d) Heritability
- 61 Purity of existing pureline varieties can be maintain by regular**
 (a) Pure line selection (b) Pedigree selection
 (c) **Mass selection** (d) Recurrent selection
- 62 The differential rate of reproduction is**
 (a) **Selection** (c) Introduction
 (b) Domestication (d) Mutation
- 63 The maximum variability is found in**
 (a) F₁ generation (c) **F₂ generation**
 (b) F₃ generation (d) F₄ generation
- 64 Vilmorin practiced individual plant selection in sugarbeet to improve**
 (a) Root yield (c) Sugar yield
 (b) **Sugar content** (d) Root colour

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- 65 Selection provides an opportunity to isolate the most desirable genotype from
- (a) Homogeneous population (c) Homozygous population
(b) **Heterogeneous population** (d) Heterozygous population
- 66 Among which of the following always done based on phenotypic performance?
- (a) Pure line selection (c) **Mass selection**
(b) Progeny selection (d) Pedigree selection
- 67 Pure line is
- (a) **Homozygous & Homogeneous** (c) Heterozygous & Homogeneous
(b) Homozygous & Heterogeneous (d) Heterozygous & Heterogeneous
- 68 Among which of the following method is not appropriate for cross pollinated crops?
- (a) Mass selection (c) **Pureline selection**
(b) Bulk method (d) heterosis breeding

[9] Definition of biometrics, assessment of variability, component of genetic variance and Genotype x Environment interaction

- 69 The performance is almost same in F_1 and F_2 indicate presence of
- (a) Non additive genes (b) **Additive genes**
(c) Dominance (d) Epistatic gene
- 70 The differential response of varying genotype under changes in the environment is known as
- (a) Genetic variation (b) **G x E interaction**
(c) Correlation (d) Genetic diversity
- 71 Wright (1935) classified genetic variance into
- (a) **Additive & Non-additive variance** (b) Heritable fixable variance
(c) Heritable-Fixable & Epistasis (d) Heritable –Non fixable variance
- 72 Mather (1949) classified genetic variance into
- (a) Additive & Non-additive (b) Heritable fixable variance
(c) Heritable-Fixable & Epistasis (d) **Heritable fixable – Heritable non fixable variance**
- 73 A variance due to average effects of gene on all segregating loci is called
- (a) Dominance variance (b) **Additive variance**
(c) Epistasis (d) Non fixable

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- 74 A variance due to the deviation of heterozygote (Aa) from the average of two homozygotes
- (a) Dominance variance (b) Additive variance
(c) Epistasis (d) Non fixable

[10] Self incompatibility and male sterility and their utilization in crop improvement

- 75 The self incompatibility system arise due to difference in flower morphology
- (a) Gametophytic (c) Homomorphic
(b) Heteromorphic (d) Sporophytic
- 76 In CGMS system B line used as
- (a) Female line (b) Male sterile line
(c) Maintainer line (d) Restorer line
- 77 In male sterile system, which of two lines are isogenic in nature?
- (a) A and R lines (b) A and B lines
(c) A and D lines (d) B and R lines
- 78 Which following are a compatible matting?
- (a) Pin x pin (c) Pin x thrum
(b) Thrum x thrum (d) Both A and B
- 79 Which of the following male sterility system is generally used without depend on types of crop species
- (a) Genetic (b) Chemically induced male sterility
(c) CMS (d) CGMS
- 80 The term self incompatibility was coined by
- (a) Harrington (c) Lewis
(b) Stout (d) East
- 81 Which of the following is not compatible matting?
- (a) Pin x pin (c) Pin x thrum
(b) Thrum x Thrum (d) All of these
- 82 Which of the following male sterility system is the mostly applicable in vegetatively propagated crop?
- (a) GMS (b) Chemically induced male sterility
(c) CMS (d) CGMS
- 83 In case of gametophytic system which of the following is partial compatible matting?
- (a) $S_1S_2 \times S_1S_2$ (c) $S_1S_2 \times S_2S_3$
(b) $S_1S_2 \times S_3S_4$ (d) $S_1S_3 \times S_2S_4$

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- 84 Causes of male sterility are
- (a) Genetic (c) Interaction of cytoplasm and genetic
(b) Cytoplasm (d) **All of these**
- 85 Among which of the following type of self-incompatibility not arise due to difference in flower morphology?
- (a) Gametophytic (c) Homomorphic
(b) Sporophytic (d) **Both A and B**
- 86 In CGMS system B line used as _____
- (a) Female line (c) Male sterile line
(b) **Maintainer line** (d) Restorer line
- 87 Tift-23A is male sterile line of
- (a) Sorghum (c) **Pearlmillet**
(b) Rice (d) Wheat
- 88 CGMS system does not have
- (a) A-line (c) B-line
(b) R-line (d) **C-line**
- 89 The concept of male sterility was given by
- (a) **Jones and Davis** (c) Shull
(b) Nilsson and Ehle (d) Jenson

[11] Hybridization, Aims and objectives, types of hybridization;

- 90 A cross between two genetically dissimilar homozygous parents is called
- (a) Testcross (c) Variety
(b) Backcross (d) **Hybrid**
- 91 In cross pollinated species, a true breeding line developed by continuous selfing is known as
- (a) Pureline (c) Hybrid
(b) Variety (d) **Inbred**
- 92 The numbers of possible single crosses excluding reciprocals is calculated by
- (a) $n(n-1)/2$ (c) $n(n-1)$
(b) $n(n-1)(n-2)(n-3)/8$ (d) $n(n-1)/3$
- 93 Most commonly used hybridization method in crop improvement program is
- (a) Distant hybridization (c) Inter specific hybridization
(b) **Intra specific hybridization** (d) Inter-genetic hybridization
- 94 For accurate genetic studies which emasculation method is most suitable?
- (a) Self incompatibility (c) **Hand emasculation**
(b) Male sterility (d) Use of gametocides

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- 95 Selfing reduces heterozygosity in each generation by the factor**
(a) 1/3 (c) 1/2
(b) 1/4 (d) 1/8
- 96 The proportion of completely homozygous plant is equal to**
(a) $[(2^n-1)/2^m]^n$ (b) $[(2^m-1)/2^n]^m$
(c) $[(2^n-1)/2^n]^n$ (d) $[(2^n-1)/2^n]^m$
- 97 A hybrid between genetically different genotypes of the species is known as**
(a) Inter specific (c) **Intra specific**
(b) Inter generic (d) Intra generic
- 98 Fresh seed need to be produce every year in case of**
(a) **Hybrid variety** (c) Synthetic variety
(b) Composite variety (d) Both B and C

[12] Methods of handling of segregating generations, pedigree method, bulk method, back cross method and various modified form of methods i.e SSD.

- 99 Which parent is used only once in back cross breeding method?**
(a) Recurrent (c) Female
(b) **Donor** (d) Male
- 100 Which of the following methods provide information about the mode of inheritance of various qualitative characters?**
(a) **Pedigree breeding** (c) Mass selection
(b) Backcross breeding (d) Heterosis breeding
- 101 Which method is generally used to improve specific character of a well adapted variety?**
(a) Single seed decent (c) **Backcross breeding**
(b) Heterosis breeding (d) Pedigree breeding
- 102 Which of the following method is modified form of bulk breeding?**
(a) **Single seed decent method** (c) Recurrent selection
(b) Heterosis breeding (d) Pedigree breeding
- 103 The main weakness of SSD method is**
(a) Early generation selection (c) **Plant loss**
(b) High demand on resources (d) None of these
- 104 Segregating generations in self pollinated crops can be handled with**
(a) Pedigree method (c) Backcross method
(b) SSD method (d) **All of these**

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- 105 Population produced by which selection method has heterogeneity and wider adaptation**
- (a) Progeny selection (b) Mass selection
(c) **Bulk method** (d) Pedigree selection
- 106 Which method known as evolutionary methods of breeding**
- (a) Pedigree methods (b) **Bulk methods**
(c) Mass-pedigree methods (d) Mass selection
- 107 Modified pedigree method was given by**
- (a) **Harrington** (b) Brim
(c) Goulden (d) Harlan
- 108 A cross between hybrid with either of its parent is known as**
- a) Top cross (c) Test cross
(b) Double cross (d) **Back cross**
- 109 Basic requirement of back cross programme is/are**
- (a) Recurrent parent (c) High heritability of character
(b) Donor parent (d) **All of these**
- 110 Which of the following method is used for handling segregation generating?**
- (a) Recurrent selection (c) **Pedigree selection**
(b) Pureline selection (d) Mass selection
- 111 Modified form of bulk method is**
- (a) Bulk method (c) Mass selection
(b) **SSD method** (d) Pedigree selection
- 112 Which of the following methods takes longer time for varietal development?**
- (a) Mass selection (c) **Bulk method**
(b) Pedigree method (d) Back cross method
- 113 In pedigree breeding after F_8 , homozygous plants are known as**
- (a) Variety (c) **Strain**
(b) Genotype (d) Segregants

[13] Heterosis, inbreeding depression, various theories of Heterosis, exploitation of hybrid vigour development of inbred lines and different types of hybrids.

- 114 A cross between an inbred line and an open pollinated variety is known as**
- (a) Back cross (c) Test cross
(b) **Top cross** (d) wide cross
- 115 A cross between two inbred lines is called**
- (a) Poly cross (c) **Single cross**
(b) Test cross (d) Top cross

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- 116 Inbreeding depression is maximum in_____
- (a) Self pollinated crops (c) Often cross pollinated crop
(b) **Cross pollinated crops** (d) Both A and B
- 117 The term heterosis was first used by
- (a) Bruce (1908) (c) Jones (1917)
(b) **Shull (1914)** (d) Hull (1945)
- 118 The method applicable in both self- and cross-pollinated crops is
- (a) SSD (c) Pedigree selection
(b) **Heterosis breeding** (d) Synthetic varieties
- 119 Which variance is associated with heterosis?
- (a) GCA (c) Both GCA and SCA
(b) **SCA** (d) None
- 120 Which estimates of heterosis is of commercial or practical value?
- (a) Relative heterosis (c) **Economic heterosis**
(b) Heterobeltiosis (d) Luxuriance
- 121 The hybrid is superior to the mid-parent value is called
- (a) Reduced heterosis (c) Heterobeltiosis
(b) Standard heterosis (d) **Relative heterosis**
- 122 The hybrid GCH-7 of castor among which type of hybrid?
- (a) **Single cross** (b) Double cross
(c) Poly cross (d) Three way cross
- 123 The hybrid superior to better parent value is called
- (a) **Heterobeltiosis** (c) Reduced heterosis
(b) Standard heterosis (d) Relative heterosis
- 124 If 10 inbreds are crossed in all possible combination, then total number of direct cross will be?
- (a) **45** (c) 55
(b) 90 (d) 105
- 125 Which of the following are genetic causes of heterosis?
- (A) Dominance (c) Over-dominance
(B) Epistasis (d) **All of these**
- 126 Mating between closely related individual is known as
- (a) Hybridization (c) Heterosis
(b) **Inbreeding** (d) Standard heterosis
- 127 The magnitude of heterosis is associated with
- (a) Homozygosity (c) Homogeneous
(b) Heterogeneous (d) **Heterozygosity**
- 128 Heterobeltiosis can be computed by mean value of the following formulae
- (a) $F_1 - F_2 / F_1 \times 100$ (c) $BP - F_1 / BP \times 100$
(b) **$F_1 - BP / BP \times 100$** (d) $MP - F_1 / F_1 \times 100$

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- 129 The formulae $F_1-SC/SC \times 100$ can be used to compute which of the following
- (a) **Standard heterosis**
 - (b) Heterobeltiosis
 - (c) Relative heterosis
 - (d) inbreeding depression
- 130 Inbreeding depression is very less in case of
- (a) **Self pollinated crops**
 - (b) Cross pollinated
 - (c) Often cross pollinated
 - (d) Both A and B
- 131 Which of the following is known as father of hybrid rice
- (a) Harlen
 - (b) G.W.Burton
 - (c) E.E. Hartwig
 - (d) **Y.L.Ping**

[14] Hardy-Weinberg law and population improvement approaches.

- 132 Diallel selective mating system is used for genetic improvement among which of the following crop?
- (a) Cross pollinated
 - (b) Often cross pollinated
 - (c) **Self pollinated**
 - (d) Vegetatively propagated crop
- 133 Method used for population improvement is
- (a) Pedigree
 - (b) **Recurrent selection**
 - (c) Bulk
 - (d) SSD
- 134 Among which of the following method is not appropriate for population improvement?
- (a) **Pureline selection**
 - (b) Recurrent selection
 - (c) Biparental mating
 - (d) Disruptive selection
- 135 A population in which each individual plant having equal chance to mating with other individual of that population
- (a) Random mating population
 - (b) Panmictic population
 - (c) Mendelian population
 - (d) **All of these**
- 136 A fundamental law of population genetics was developed by
- (a) Hardy & Fisher
 - (b) Weinberg & Flor
 - (c) **Hardy & Weinberg**
 - (d) Hardy & Mather
- 137 Among which of the following evolutionary forces change gene frequency?
- (a) **Mutation, Migration, Selection and Genetic drift**
 - (b) Mutation, selection and Genetic drift
 - (c) Migration, Mutation and Genetic drift
 - (d) Selection, Genetic drift and Mutation

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- 138 Repeated selection generation to generation simultaneously intermating of selected plant to provide genetic recombination is known as
(a) Disruptive selection (c) Biparental selection
(b) **Recurrent selection** (d) Progeny selection
- 139 Recurrent selection is more commonly used in
(a) Autogamous species (c) **Allogamous species**
(b) Often self pollinated crops (d) Often cross pollinated crops
- 140 Which of the following is base material for recurrent selection?
(a) **Open pollinated variety** (c) Self pollinated variety
(b) Pureline (d) Wild species
- 141 Which of the following is/are basic assumption of recurrent selection?
(a) Absence of epistasis (c) Absence of linkage disequilibrium
(b) Absence of multiple alleles (d) **All of these**
- 142 In case of simple recurrent selection, selection is made on _____ basis
(a) **Phenotype** (c) Genotype
(b) Progeny (d) Yield
- 143 Recurrent selection in which heterozygous tester is used?
(a) Simple recurrent selection (c) **Recurrent selection for GCA**
(b) Recurrent selection for SCA (d) Reciprocal recurrent selection
- 144 Recurrent selection in which homozygous tester is used
(a) Simple recurrent selection (c) Recurrent selection for GCA
(b) **Recurrent selection for SCA** (d) Reciprocal recurrent selection
- 145 End product of recurrent selection is
(a) Top cross (c) Pureline
(b) Clone (d) **Inbred**
- 146 Among which of the following efficient breeding method used for breaking undesirable linkages?
(a) Pedigree method (c) Pureline selection
(b) **Disruptive selection** (d) SSD method

[15] Synthetics and composites varieties

- 147 Yield prediction and reconstitution is possible in case of
(a) Hybrid variety (c) **Synthetic variety**
(b) Composite variety (d) Pureline variety
- 148 Synthetic and composite varieties mostly relevant to
(a) Self pollinated (c) Both self and cross pollinated
(b) **Cross pollinated** (d) None of these

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- 149 Base material used to produce synthetic varieties are**
- (a) Open pollinated variety (c) clones
(b) Inbred (d) **All of these**
- 150 A variety which is produced by crossing between number of lines in all possible combination which combine well with each other is known as**
- (a) Composite variety (c) **Synthetic variety**
(b) Germplasm complexes (d) All of these
- [16] Methods of breeding for vegetatively propagated crops; Clonal selection.**
- 151 In case of clonal/vegetatively propagated crop which type of cell division occurred?**
- (a) **Mitosis** (c) Both A and B
(b) Meiosis (d) Uncertain
- 152 Origin of genetic variation within clones is due to**
- (A) Bud mutation (c) Mechanical mixer
(B) Occasional sexual reproduction (d) **All of these**
- 153 Cell of an individual that consist two or more different genotypes is known as**
- (a) **Chimera** (c) Clone
(b) Mericlinal (d) Periclinal
- 154 Genetic constitution of clone is**
- (a) **Heterozygous & homogeneous** (c) Homozygous & heterogeneous
(b) Homozygous & homogeneous (d) Heterozygous & heterogeneous
- 155 Clone is maintained by**
- (a) Sexual reproduction (c) **Asexual reproduction**
(b) Self pollination (d) Cross pollination
- 156 Asexually propagated crops differ from sexual propagated with respect to**
- (a) Heterozygosity (c) Identical with each other
(b) **Breeding material** (d) Homozygosity
- 157 Clone is degeneration leads to**
- (a) **Increase vigour & productivity** (c) heterozygosity
(b) homozygosity (d) **Decrease vigour & productivity**

[17] Special breeding approaches: Mutation breeding; Ploidy breeding; Wide hybridization, significance in crop improvement.

- 158 An allopolyploids which arise by combining genomes of two diploids species is known as**
- (a) Diploidization (b) Autosyndesis
(c) Autosyndesis (d) **Amphidiploid**
- 159 Which of the following method considered as a special breeding method?**
- (a) Back cross breeding (c) Pedigree breeding
(b) **Ploidy breeding** (d) All of these
- 160 Triticale was developed from cross between**
- (a) Wheat and Barley (c) Wheat and Rice
(b) Wheat and Maize (d) **Wheat and Rye**
- 161 The *Raphanobrassica* result due to combination of**
- (a) Radish and Cauliflower (c) Radish and mustard
(b) **Radish and Cabbage** (d) Radish and turnip
- 162 A mutation arise due to treatment of mutagenic agents**
- (a) Spontaneous mutation (c) Somatic mutation
(b) **Induced mutation** (d) None of these
- 163 The process of shifting hydrozen atom from one position to another in purine or in pyrimiding base is called**
- (a) Base analogues (c) Ionization
(b) Radiation (d) **Tautamerization**
- 164 Sharbati sonara is mutant variety of**
- (a) Rice (b) Maize
(c) Barley (d) **Wheat**
- 165 A numerical change in entire genome is called**
- (a) Haploid (b) **Euploidy**
(c) Heteroploidy (d) Hypoploidy
- 166 Change of one or few chromosome in entire genome is called?**
- (a) Haploidy (c) Euploidy
(b) **Aneuploidy** (d) Allopolyploid
- 167 An individual having more than two basic set of chromosomes**
- (a) Haploidy (b) Aneuploidy
(c) Heteroploidy (d) **Polyploidy**
- 168 Polyploids which originate by multiplication of chromosome of a single species**
- (a) Amphidiploid (c) Diploidization
(b) **Autopolyploidy** (d) Allopolyploids

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- 169 A polyploid individual which combines complete genome from two or more species
- (a) Amphidiploid (c) Diploidization
(b) Autopolyploidy (d) **Allopolyploids**
- 170 The process by which a polyploidy species behaves like a diploid species is called
- (a) Disomic (c) **Diploidization**
(b) Autopolyploidy (d) Allopolyploids
- 171 Which of the following is an example of artificial allopolyploids
- (a) Rice (c) Bananas
(b) **Triticale** (d) Grapes
- 172 Which of the following are types of distant hybridization?
- (a) Interspecific and Intervarietal hybridization
(b) **Interspecific & Intergeneric hybridization**
(c) Intraspecific and Intrageneric hybridization
(d) interspecific and intraspecific hybridization
- 173 Intra generic hybridization give rise to _____ type of hybrid
- (a) Fully fertile (c) Partially fertile
(b) fully sterile (d) **All of these**
- 174 The first intergeneric cross between wheat and rye was made by
- (a) **Rimpu (1890)** (c) Karpenchenko (1928)
(b) Shull (1914) (d) Kolreuter (1617)
- 175 Intergeneric cross between radish and cabbage was made by
- (a) Rimpu (1890) (c) **Karpenchenko (1928)**
(b) Shull (1914) (d) Kolreuter (1617)
- 176 Which of the following crop has evolved through wide hybridization
- (a) Sugarcane (c) **Triticale**
(b) Wheat (d) Mustard

[18] Ideotype concept in crop improvement

- 177 The concept of plant ideotype was given by
- (a) **Donald** (c) Peterson
(b) Muller (d) Stadler
- 178 A method of crop improvement which is used to increase genetic yield potential through genetic manipulation of specific plant trait?
- (a) Mutation breeding (c) **Ideotype breeding**
(b) Polyploidy breeding (d) Heterosis breeding

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- 179 Which of the following steps of Ideotype breeding are in correct sequences?
- (a) Development of theoretical model → selection of base materials → Inclusion of desirable traits → Phenotypic selection
 - (b) Development of theoretical model → Phenotypic selection → Inclusion of desirable traits → Selection of base materials
 - (c) Phenotypic selection → Development of theoretical model → Selection of base materials → Inclusion of desirable traits
 - (d) Inclusion of desirable traits → Development of theoretical model → Selection of base materials → Phenotypic selection
- 180 Total dry matter production per plant is called
- (a) Economical
 - (b) Biological
 - (c) Harvest index
 - (d) All of these
- 181 Harvest index refers to
- (a) Ratio of economic yield to biological yield
 - (b) Ratio of biological yield to economic yield
 - (c) Sum of biological yield to economic yield
 - (d) Sum of economic yield to biological yield

[19] Breeding resistance to biotic and abiotic stresses

- 182 Which of the following is the cheapest and best method for stress resistance?
- (a) Biological
 - (b) Genetic resistance
 - (c) Chemical
 - (d) Physical
- 183 An ability of some genotypes to give higher yields as compare to susceptible variety at same level of infection
- (a) Non-preference
 - (b) Genetic resistance
 - (c) Antibiosis
 - (d) Avoidance
- 184 Various characteristics of plant which make the host unattractive to insect pest for hibernation, food or even reproduction
- (a) Non-preference
 - (b) Non acceptance
 - (c) Antixenosis
 - (d) All of these
- 185 Source of stress resistance in crop plant is /are
- (a) Cultivated varieties
 - (b) Germplasm collections
 - (c) Wild species
 - (d) All of these
- 186 Mechanism of crop plant which cause adverse of insect-pest on feeding, growth and even reproduction?
- (a) Antibiosis
 - (b) Avoidance
 - (c) Genetic resistance
 - (d) Antixenosis

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- 187 Sturdy resistance is also refers to
(a) Tolerance (c) Long enduring resistance
(b) Only escape (d) Temporary resistance
- 188 _____ is heritable feature of a host plant that suppress or retard the development of pathogen or insect-pest
(a) Physical resistance (c) Genetic resistance
(b) Biochemical resistance (d) Non-genetic resistance
- 189 Genetic resistance is governed by one or few genes is known as
(a) Specific resistance (b) Minor gene resistance
(c) General resistance (d) Horizontal resistance
- 190 Genetic resistance is provide protection against all race of pathogen is called
(a) Specific resistance (b) Oligogenic resistance
(c) Vertical resistance (d) Horizontal resistance
- 191 Gene for gene hypothesis was first developed by
(a) Vavilov (c) Flor
(b) Plank (d) Shull
- 192 Under moisture stress condition, plant having ability to maintain internal water balance is called
(a) Drought tolerance (c) Drought escape
(b) Drought avoidance (d) Drought resistance
- 193 Plant withstand against low tissue water content is called
(a) Drought tolerance (c) Drought escape
(b) Drought avoidance (d) Drought resistance

[20] IPR and its related matter; PBR, PPV&FRA

- 194 The property which results from the brain of person i.e. idea/product/process which can be used on commercial purpose
(a) Intellectuals property (b) Movable property
(c) Immovable property (d) All of these
- 195 The rights associated with things with unique features is known as
(a) Primary intellectual rights (c) Copy rights
(b) Property rights (d) Suigeneris rights
- 196 Suigeneris rights includes which of the following?
(a) Plant breeders rights (b) Copy rights
(c) Patents (d) Trade secrets
- 197 Primary intellectual rights includes among which of the following?
(a) Copy rights (c) Patents
(b) Trade marks (d) All of these

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- 198 Suigeneris rights includes among which of the following?**
- (a) Data base rights (b) Plant breeders rights
(c) Farmers rights (d) **All of these**
- 199 The name of any region, a specific place or country used to describe an agricultural, natural or manufactured freight or food stuff is known as**
- (a) Trade name (c) Trade secret
(b) Patents (d) **Geographical indications**
- 200 Plant breeders' rights is also known as**
- (a) **Plant variety rights** (b) Moral rights
(c) Indigenous plant rights (d) Farmers rights
- 201 The period of protection of field crops under PPV & FRA are**
- (a) **15 years** (c) 18 years
(b) 20 years (d) 14 years
- 202 The period of protection of trees and horticultural crops under PPV & FRA are**
- (a) 15 years (c) **18 years**
(b) 20 years (d) 14 years
- 203 The basic requirements for protection of a plant variety under PPV and FRA are**
- (a) Novelty; Distinctiveness and Uniformity
(b) **Novelty; Distinctiveness; Uniformity and Stability**
(c) Distinctiveness; Uniformity and Stability
(d) Novelty; Distinctiveness and Stability