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Solutions – 29

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Topic: Chapter 7 (Part 7) Mechanism of Evolution – Hardy Weinberg's principle of Equilibrium

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Choose the correct option:

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1. According to the modern synthetic theory of Evolution, what is the unit of Evolution?
a) Single individual b) Population c) Community d) Biome
Answer : Population (b)
2. A Mendelian population has the following characteristic :-
a) Similar genetic constitution b) Random Mating c) No preferential mating d) All of these
Answer : All of these (d)
3. In population genetics gene pool represents the sum total of all the genes present in a /an :-
a) Individual b) Two mating individual c) Mendelian population d) All of these
Answer : Mendelian population (c)
4. Random mating in a Mendelian population results in :-
a) Genetic drift b) Free gene flow c) More variations d) Both (b) and (c)
Answer : Both (b) and (c) (d)
5. Hardy and Weinberg proposed the principle of Equilibrium in the year :-
a) 1908 b) 1901 c) 1933 d) 1809
Answer : 1908 (a)
6. The proportion of an allele in relation to the total number of alleles of a gene present in a panmictic population is called :-
a) Gene frequency b) Allele frequency c) Genotype frequency d) Both (a) and (b)
Answer : Both (a) and (b) (d)
7. According to Hardy Weinberg's principle if no evolutionary forces operate on a population then the following remains constant :-
a) Gene frequency b) Genome c) Genotype frequency d) Both gene frequency and genotype frequency
Answer : Both gene frequency and genotype frequency (d)
8. The equation for Hardy Weinberg can be mathematically written as (p and q are alleles of one another):-
a) $p-q=1$ b) $p^2+2pq+q^2=1$ c) $pxq=1$ d) $p/q=1$
Answer : $p^2+2pq+q^2=1$ (b)

9. The proportion of one type of genotype of a particular locus with respect to the total number of individual is :-
a) Genotype frequency b) Genotype occurrence c) Genotype count d) All of these
Answer : Genotype frequency (a)
10. Variation in a panmictic population can be due to :-
a) Point mutation b) Chromosomal aberrations c) Genomic mutation d) All of these
Answer : All of these (d)
11. The process of immigration in a population under study results in :-
a) Inflow of genes b) Exit of gene flow c) Genetic drift d) None of these
Answer : Inflow of genes (a)
12. The moving out of individuals from one population is called :-
a) Immigration b) Emigration c) Divergence d) Convergence
Answer : Emigration (b)
13. The mechanisms which reduce the chances of interbreeding in a population of species:-
a) Isolation b) Adaptation c) Immigration d) All of these
Answer : Isolation (a)
14. Isolation can be in the form of :-
a) Reproductive b) Geographical c) Ethological d) All of these
Answer : All of these (d)
15. Hardy-Weinberg's principle operates only on _____ type of population.
a) Small b) Large and randomly mating c) Large with preferential mating d) Small and randomly mating
Answer : Large with randomly mating (b)

