AP Biology

Period _____

REVIEW UNIT 7: BIODIVERSITY — SAMPLE QUESTIONS

A. Sample Multiple Choice Questions

Complete the multiple choice questions to review this unit.

- 1. A microscopic, unicellular organism that has a cell wall impregnated with silicon and is important as plankton in a food chain belongs to which of the following groups? (90:06)
 - A. mosses
 - B. diatoms
 - C. cyanobacteria (blue-green algae)
 - D. ferns
 - E. brown algae
- 2. A plant that has a stem with scattered vascular bundles, leaves with parallel venation, and seeds with a single cotyledon is probably a (90:20)
 - A. pine
 - B. moss
 - C. corn plant
 - D. bean plant
 - E. liverwort
- 3. All members of which of the following groups have the greatest number of characteristics in common? (90:29)
 - A. Class
 - B. Order
 - C. Family
 - D. Genus
 - E. Phylum
- 4. An organism that is eukaryotic, multicellular, heterotrophic, and lacks cell walls belongs to which of the following? (90:30)
 - A. Eubacteria

C. Plantae

B. Protista

D. Animalia

C. Fungi

- 5. Mosses are characterized by which of the following? (90:59)
 - A. A dominant gametophyte with dependent sporophyte
 - B. A dominant gametophyte with independent sporophyte
 - C. A dominant sporophyte with independent gametophyte
 - D. A dominant sporophyte with large dependent gametophyte
 - E. A dominant sporophyte with gametophyte reduced to a few cells
- 6. Vascular plants with spores borne in sporangia on the underside of leaves are characteristic of which of the following plant groups? (94:05)
 - A. Bryophyta (mosses)
 - B. Chrysophyta (golden algae)
 - C. Anthrophyta (flowering plants)
 - D. Pteridophyta (ferns)
 - E. Coniferophyta (conifers)
- 7. If an invertebrate possesses nephridia as an excretory system, skin as a gas exchange system, and a closed circulatory system, the animal is most likely to be (94:06)
 - A. a snail
 - B. a planarian
 - C. an earthworm
 - D. a grasshopper
 - E. a jellyfish
- 8. Members of the kingdom Fungi generally differ from members of the kingdom Plantae in that fungi (94:15)
 - A. have cell walls
 - B. are multicellular
 - C. are heterotrophic
 - D. are both aquatic and terrestrial
 - E. are eukaryotic

Questions 9 & 10 refer to the data below concerning a newly discovered organism.

Usual mode of reproduction:	Sexual
Type of fertilization:	External
Embryology:	Blastopore contributes to the formation of anus; cleavage is radial
Symmetry:	Immature form is bilateral; mature form is five-part radial
Body cavity:	Lined with tissue derived from mesoderm
Segmentation:	not evident
Skeleton	spiny exoskeleton secreted by the dermis and covered with a thin epidermis
Habitat:	marine

D. Pseudocoelomate .. segmented

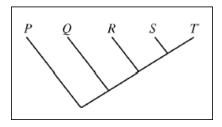
E. Protostome .. unsegmented

- 9. Which of the following pairs of terms best describes this organism? (94:113)
 - A. Coelomate .. deuterostome
 - B. Acoelomate .. metazoan
 - C. Diploblastic .. parazoan
- 10. Into what phylum should this organism be placed? (94:114)
 - A. Chordata D. Mollusca
 - B. Nematoda E. Annelida
 - C. Echinodermata

Questions 11–15. The following questions refer to the list below. (99:87.91)

- A. Annelida
- B. Mollusca
- C. Arthropoda
- D. Echinodermata
- E. Chordata
- 11. Bilaterally symmetrical; deuterostome; dorsal hollow nerve cord (99:87)
- 12. Coelomate; exoskeleton; jointed appendages (99:88)
- 13. Pharyngeal slits; endoskeleton derived from mesoderm; ventral heart (99:89)
- 14. Internal calcareous skeleton, deuterostome; water-vascular system (99:90)

15. Closed circulatory system; protostome; many body segments (99:91)



16. Which of the following conclusions is best supported by the cladogram above?

- A. Species Q and R make up a monophyletic group.
- B. Species P and Q are equally related to species T.
- C. Species P and T do not share a common ancestor.
- D. Species S evolved from species R.
- E. Species S is more closely related to species T than to species R.

The table shows selected characters used to determine relationships among four species of mammals.

SPECIES					
Character	Spermocyon	Castoropsis	Pseudofelis	Neomysticena	
3 toes on hindfeet	X	X		Х	
Naked tail (hairless)	x	х	X	Х	
Incisors greatly enlarged		Х		Х	
Hair tuffs protrude from ears				Х	

- 17. Which of the following characters is unique to Neomysticena?
 - A. Naked (hairless) tail
 - B. Three toes on hindfeet
 - C. Enlarged incisors
 - D. Hair tufts protruding from ears
 - E. Body hair



