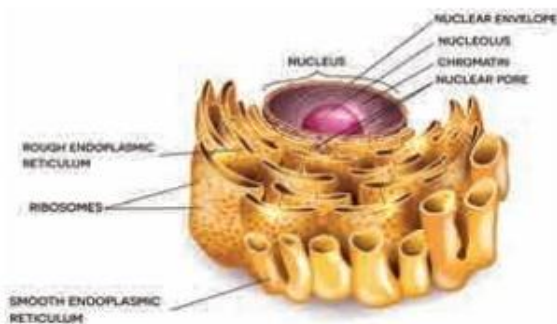


18. **Differences between Classical and Modern Taxonomy: (Any 2 points)**

Classical Taxonomy	Modern Taxonomy
It is called old systematics or Alpha (α) taxonomy or Taxonomy	It is called Neosystematics or Biosystematics or Omega (Ω) taxonomy
It is pre Darwinean	It is post Darwinean
Species is considered as basic unit and is static	species is considered as dynamic entity and ever changing
Classification is mainly based on morphological characters	Classification is based on morphological, reproductive characters and phylogenetic (evolutionary) relationship of the organism
This system is based on the observation of a few samples/ individuals	This system is based on the observation of large number of samples/individuals

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19. **Draw the structure of endoplasmic reticulum**



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20. **Reasons for arresting of cells in G₁ phase:**

1. Nutrient deprivation
2. Lack of growth factors or density dependant inhibition
3. Undergo metabolic changes and enter into G₀ state.

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21. **Competitive inhibitors :**

Molecules that resemble the shape of the substrate and may compete to occupy the active site of enzyme are known as **competitive inhibitors**.

For Example: the enzyme that catalyses the reaction between carbon di oxide and the CO₂ acceptor molecule in photosynthesis, known as **ribulose biphosphate carboxylase oxygenase (RUBISCO)** is competitively inhibited by **oxygen/carbon-di-oxide** in the chloroplast. The competitive inhibitor is **malonate** for **succinic dehydrogenase**

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22. **Select good quality of timber:**

Timber is derived from wood logs through the process of sawing. There are many methods of sawing. Among them, rib sawing is the most common method in making timber. Timber is mainly used for carpentry and building houses. In order to enrich the quality of timber, seasoning of wood is done. Timber is the most important tissue that sequestrates atmospheric carbon and this reduces global warming.

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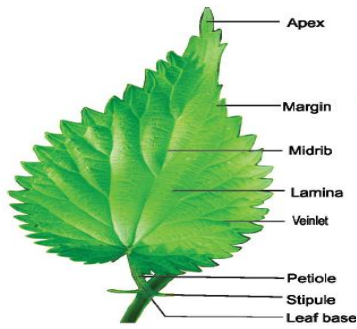
23. **Significance of plasmolysis:**

Plasmolysis is exhibited only by living cells and so it is used to test whether the cell is living or dead.

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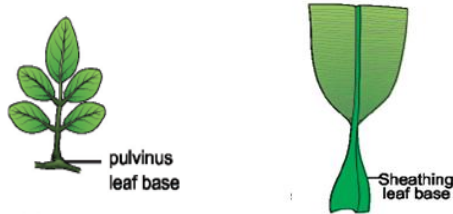
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28.	Three Binomial names of Ornamental plants in Fabaceae family: (Any 3) <i>Butea frondosa</i> (Flame of the forest), <i>Clitoria ternatea</i> , <i>Lathyrus odoratus</i> (Sweet pea) and <i>Lupinus hirsutus</i> (Lupin)		3								
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31. a) Structure of leaf and its parts:



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b) Structure of pulvinus leaf base and sheathing leaf base:



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32. a) Significance of photorespiration:

1. Glycine and Serine synthesised during this process are precursors of many biomolecules like chlorophyll, proteins, nucleotides.
2. It consumes excess $\text{NADH} + \text{H}^+$ generated.
3. Glycolate protects cells from Photo oxidation.

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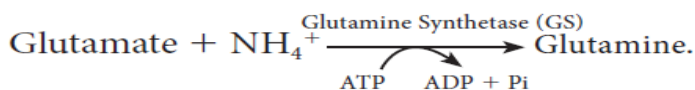
b) Carotenes:

Orange, Red, Yellow and Brownish pigments, hydrocarbons (Lipids) and most of them are tetraterpenes ($\text{C}_{40}\text{H}_{56}$). Carotene is the most abundant Carotene in plants and it is a precursor of Vitamin A. Lycopene is the red pigment found in the fruits of tomato, red peppers and roses.

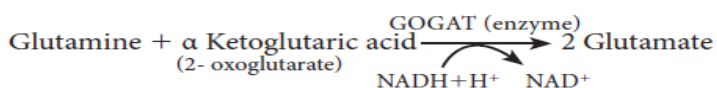
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33. GS / GOGAT Pathway:

Glutamate amino acid combines with ammonia to form the amide glutamine.



Glutamine reacts with α ketoglutaric acid to form two molecules of glutamate.



(GOGAT- Glutamine-2-Oxoglutarate aminotransferase)

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Section-IV
(Answer the following questions)

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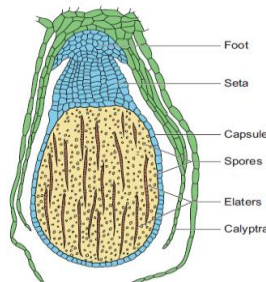
34. a) **Structure of marchantia Sporophyte:**

- ❖ The sporophyte is not free-living but attached to the photosynthetic gametophyte and derives nutrition from it.
- ❖ Sporophyte is differentiated into foot, seta and capsule. The foot is bulbous and is embedded in the gametophyte.
- ❖ It derives nutrition from the gametophyte and transfers to the sporophyte. Seta is short and connects foot and capsule.
- ❖ The capsule consists of single layered jacket layer and encloses numerous haploid spores and elaters.
- ❖ The capsule is covered by protective covering called calyptra. On maturation the capsule dehisces and spores are released. Elaters helps in the dispersal of spores.

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b) **Placentation and their types:**



Marginal
It is with the placentae along the margin of a unilocular ovary.
Example: Fabaceae.



Axile
The placentae arises from the column in a compound ovary with septa.
Example: Hibiscus, tomato, lemon



Superficial
Ovules arise from the surface of the septa.
Example: Nymphaeaceae



Parietal
It is the placentae on the ovary walls or upon intruding partitions of a unilocular, compound Ovary.
Example: Mustard, Argemone, cucumber.



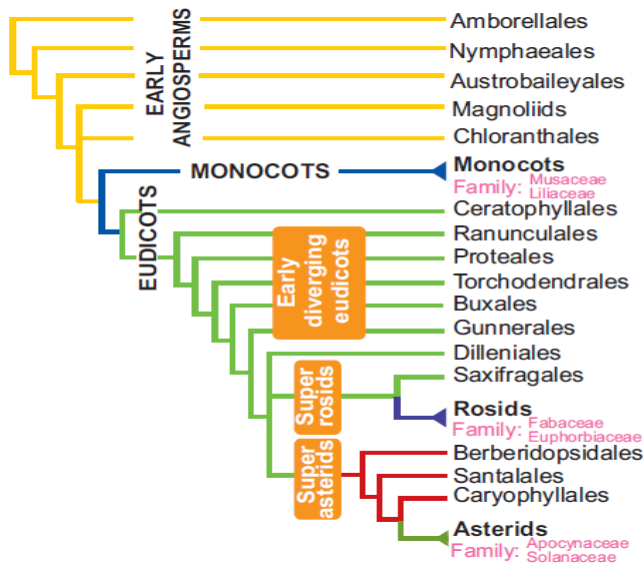
Free-central
It is with the placentae along the column in a compound ovary without septa.
Example: Caryophyllaceae, Dianthus, Primrose



Basal
It is the placenta at the base of the ovary.
Example: Sunflower (asteraceae) Marigold

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35. a) Angiosperm phylogeny group classification :



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(OR)

b) Functions of Lysosome: (Any 5 points)

- ❖ **Intracellular digestion:** They digest carbohydrates, proteins and lipids present in cytoplasm. 1
- ❖ **Autophagy:** During adverse condition they digest their own cell organelles like mitochondria and endoplasmic reticulum 1
- ❖ **Autolysis:** Lysosome causes self destruction of cell on insight of disease they destroy the cells. 1
- ❖ **Ageing:** Lysosomes have autolytic enzymes that disrupts intracellular molecules. 1
- ❖ **Phagocytosis:** Large cells or contents are engulfed and digested by macrophages, thus forming a phagosome in cytoplasm. These phagosome fuse with lysosome for further digestion. 1
- ❖ **Exocytosis:** Lysosomes release their enzymes outside the cell to digest other cells 1

36. a) Characteristic features of DNA: (Any 5 points)

- ❖ If one strand runs in the 5'-3' direction, the other runs in 3'-5' direction and thus are antiparallel (they run in opposite direction). The 5' end has the phosphate group and 3' end has the OH group. 1
- ❖ The angle at which the two sugars protrude from the base pairs is about 120°, for the narrow angle and 240° for the wide angle. The narrow angle between the sugars generates a **minor groove** and the large angle on the other edge generates **major groove**. 1

- ❖ Each base is 0.34 nm apart and a complete turn of the helix comprises 3.4 nm or 10 base pairs per turn in the predominant B form of DNA.
- ❖ DNA helical structure has a diameter of 20 Å and a pitch of about 34 Å. X-ray crystal study of DNA takes a stack of about 10 bp to go completely around the helix (360°).
- ❖ Thermodynamic stability of the helix and specificity of base pairing includes
 - (i) the hydrogen bonds between the complementary bases of the double helix
 - (ii) stacking interaction between bases tend to stack about each other perpendicular to the direction of helical axis. Electron cloud interactions ($\Pi - \Pi$) between the bases in the helical stacks contribute to the stability of the double helix.
- ❖ The phosphodiester linkages gives an inherent polarity to the DNA helix. They form strong covalent bonds, gives the strength and stability to the polynucleotide chain
- ❖ Plectonemic coiling - the two strands of the DNA are wrapped around each other in a helix, making it impossible to simply move them apart without breaking the entire structure. Where as in paranemic coiling the two strands simply lie alongside one another, making them easier to pull apart.
- ❖ Based on the helix and the distance between each turns, the DNA is of three forms – **A DNA, B DNA and Z DNA**

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(OR)

b) Types of Collenchyma:

1. Angular collenchyma

It is the most common type of collenchyma with irregular arrangement and thickening at the angles where cells meets.

Example: Hypodermis of *Datura* and *Nicotiana*

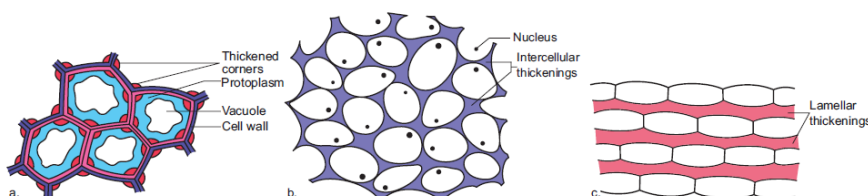
2. Lacunar collenchyma

The collenchyma cells are irregularly arranged. Cell wall is thickening on the walls bordering intercellular spaces. **Example:** Hypodermis of *Ipomoea*

3. Lamellar collenchyma

The collenchyma cells are arranged compactly in layers(rows). The Cell wall is thickening is at tangential walls. These thickening appear as successive tangential layers.

Example: Hypodermis of *Helianthus*



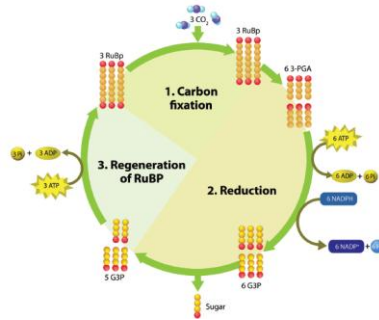
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37.	a) Differentiate between Active Absorption and Passive Absorption:		
	Active absorption	Passive absorption	1
	Active absorption takes place by the activity of root and root hairs	The pressure for absorption is not developed in roots and hence roots play passive role	1
	Transpiration has no effect on active absorption	Absorption regulated by transpiration	1
	The root hairs have high DPD as compared to soil solution and therefore water is taken by tension	The absorption occurs due to tension created in xylem sap by transpiration pull, thus water is sucked in by the tension	1
	Respiratory energy needed	Respiratory energy not required	1
	It involves symplastic movement of water	Both symplast and apoplast movement of water involved	1

(OR)

b) Photosynthetic Carbon Reduction Cycle:

Biosynthetic phase of photosynthesis utilises assimilatory powers (ATP and NADPH + H⁺) produced during light reaction are used to fix and reduce carbon dioxide into carbohydrates. This reaction does not require light. Therefore, it is named Dark reaction. Ribulose 1,5 bisphosphate (RuBP) act as acceptor molecule of carbon dioxide and fix the CO₂ by RUBISCO enzyme. The first product of the pathway is a 3- carbon compound (Phospho Glyceric Acid) and so it is also called as C₃ Cycle. It takes place in the stroma of the chloroplast. **M. Melvin Calvin, A.A. Benson** and their co-workers in the year 1957 found this path way of carbon fixation. Melvin Calvin was awarded Nobel Prize for this in 1961 and this pathway named after the discoverers as **Calvin-Benson** Cycle. Dark reaction is temperature dependent and so it is also called thermo-chemical reaction.



38	a) Significance of pentose phosphate pathway:		
	❖ HMP shunt is associated with the generation of two important products, NADPH and pentose sugars, which play a vital role in anabolic reactions.		5
	❖ Coenzyme NADPH generated is used for reductive biosynthesis and counter damaging the effects of oxygen free radicals		
	❖ Ribose-5-phosphate and its derivatives are used in the synthesis of DNA, RNA, ATP, NAD1, FAD and Coenzyme A.		
	❖ Erythrose is used for synthesis of anthocyanin, lignin and other aromatic compounds.		

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b) Physiological effects of Auxin and their role in Agriculture:

- ❖ They promote cell elongation in stem and coleoptile.
- ❖ At higher concentrations auxins inhibit the elongation of roots but induce more lateral roots. Promotes growth of root only at extremely low concentrations.
- ❖ Suppression of growth in lateral bud by apical bud due to auxin produced by apical bud is termed as **apical dominance**.
- ❖ Auxin prevents abscission.
- ❖ It is responsible for initiation and promotion of cell division in cambium, which is responsible for the secondary growth and tumor. This property of induction of cell division has been exploited for tissue culture techniques and for the formation of callus.
- ❖ Auxin stimulates respiration.
- ❖ Auxin induces vascular differentiation.

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Agricultural role

- ❖ It is used to eradicate weeds. Example: 2,4-D and 2,4,5-T.
- ❖ Synthetic auxins are used in the formation of seedless fruits (Parthenocarpic fruit).
- ❖ It is used to break the dormancy in seeds.
- ❖ Induce flowering in Pineapple by NAA & 2,4-D.
- ❖ Increase the number of female flowers and fruits in cucurbits.

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