

Natural Resources

Question 1.

What is the constitution of nitrogen in our atmosphere?

- (a) 28
- (b) 78
- (c) 55
- (d) 92

▼ Answer

Answer: (b) 78

Question 2.

Which of the following bacteria is responsible for nitrogen fixation?

- (a) Pseudomonas
- (b) Nitrosomonas
- (c) Rhizobium
- (d) None of these

▼ Answer

Answer: (c) Rhizobium

Ouestion 3.

One of the following factors does not lead to soil formation in nature.

- (a) The sun
- (b) Water
- (c) Wind
- (d) Polythene bags

▼ Answer

Answer: (d) Polythene bags

Question 4.

Which step is not involved in the carbon cycle?

- (a) Photosynthesis
- (b) Transpiration
- (c) Respiration
- (d) Burning of fossil fuels

▼ Answer

Answer: (b) Transpiration

Question 5.

The main function of the Rhizobium bacteria is:

- (a) To convert free nitrogen into nitrates
- (b) To convert the nitrates into nitrogen
- (c) Decomposition of ammonium salts
- (d) Denitrification

▼ Answer

Answer: (a) To convert free nitrogen into nitrates

Question 6.

Soil pollution mostly occurs by:

- (a) Water
- (b) Fertilizers and insecticides
- (c) Mining
- (d) Crops

▼ Answer

Answer: (b) Fertilizers and insecticides

Question 7.

What is the percentage constitution of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere of Venus and Mars?

- (a) 95 97%
- (b) 20 22%
- (c) 35 40%
- (d) 70 72%

▼ Answer

Answer: (a) 95 - 97%

Question 8.

Oxygen is found in the elemental form in the atmosphere to the extent of:

- (a) 78%
- (b) 38%
- (c) 21%
- (d) 95%

▼ Answer

Answer: (c) 21%

Fill in the Blanks.

Question 9.

In Venus and Mars, the major component of the atmosphere is found to be _____

▼ Answer
Answer: carbon dioxide
Question 10. Air, water, and soil are the component of the biosphere.
▼ Answer
Answer: abiotic
Question 11. Biogeochemical cycles always in nature.
▼ Answer
Answer: run/operate
Question 12. Carbon dioxide is one of the
▼ Answer
Answer: greenhouse gas
Question 13. Oxygen is returned to the atmosphere through only one major process, that is
▼ Answer
Answer: photosynthesis
Question 14. Elemental oxygen is normally found in the form of a molecule.
▼ Answer
Answer: diatomic
Question 15. Uneven heating of air over land and water bodies causes
▼ Answer
Answer: winds

Question 16. The most important green house gas is
▼ Answer
Answer: CO ₂
Question 17. Chlorofluorocarbon is destroying layer.
▼ Answer
Answer: ozone
Question 18. Apart from microbes are helpful in the humus formation.
▼ Answer
Answer: earthworms
True/False.
Question 19. Freshwater is found frozen in the ice-caps at the two poles and on snowcovered mountains.
▼ Answer
Answer: True
Question 20. Rainfall patterns depend on the prevailing wind patterns in an area.
▼ Answer
Answer: True
Question 21. The total momentum of an isolated system is not conserved.
▼ Answer
Answer: False
Ouestion 22.

The ozone layer protects us from ultraviolet radiation.

▼ Answer

Answer: True

Question 23.

The decomposition of organic substances causes air pollution.

▼ Answer

Answer: False

Question 24.

During the day, the direction of the wind would be from the sea to the land.

▼ Answer

Answer: True

Question 25.

Organisms called lichens are found to be very sensitive to the levels of contaminants like sulphur dioxide in the air.

▼ Answer

Answer: True

Match the Column.

Question 26.

Α	В
1. Ozone layer	(i) 21%
	(ii) Rhizobium
3. Amount of ${\rm CO_2}$ in atmosphere	(iii) O ₃
4. Nitrogen Fixation	(iv) 0.03%
5. Amount of oxygen	(v) 78%

▼ Answer

Answer:

Α	B
1. Ozone layer	(iii) O ₃
2. Nitrogen	(v) 78%
3. Amount of CO_2 in	(iv) 0.03%

atmosphere	
4. Nitrogen Fixation	(ii) Rhizobium
5. Amount of	(i) 21%
oxygen	

Answer in one Word/Sentence.

Question 27.

What is the full name of C.F.C.?

▼ Answer

Answer: Chlorofluorocarbon

Question 28.

Write the chemical (molecular) formula of chlorofluorocarbon (C.F.C.)?

▼ Answer

Answer: CCl₂F₂

Question 29.

What name is given to increase in general temperature of the atmosphere globally due to the activities of mankind?

▼ Answer

Answer: Global warming

Question 30.

What is the chemical formula of ozone?

▼ Answer

Answer: 03

Question 31.

What is the major factor in deciding the soil structure?

▼ Answer

Answer: Humus

Question 32.

What is the surface temperature of the Moon?

▼ Answer

Answer: -190°C to 110°C