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## **CHAPTER 2: CLASSIFICATION**

## **TOPIC 2.1: CHARACTERISTICS OF LIVING THINGS**

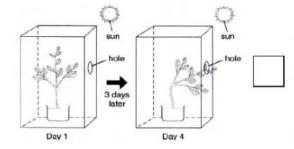
Figure below shows a Mimosa plant. The Mimosa plant closes its leaves when touched.
 This is an example of a characteristic of living things. Which of the following characteristics is correct for the above example?



- B. Living things grow and develop.
- C. Living things respires all the time.
- D. Living things responds to stimuli.



- 2. Study the diagram in figure below. Which of the following best describes the characteristics of the living things shown in figure above?
  - A. Living things can move.
  - B. Living things reproduce.
  - C. Living things grow from young to adult stage.
  - D. Living things need water to stay alive.



- 3. Figure below shows how a pupil of the eye dilates when a person steps into a dark cinema. Which of the following characteristics of living things does this shows?
  - A. Living things are made of cells.
  - B. Living things reproduce.
  - C. Living things grow and develop.
  - D. Living things respond to stimuli.



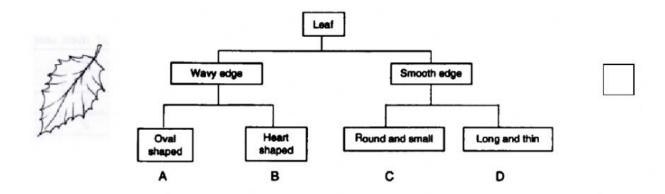
- 4. Which one of the following processes involves getting rid of toxic products from the body?
  - A. Absorption
  - B. Digestion
  - C. Excretion
  - D. Nutrition
- 5. Respiration is one of the seven characteristics of living things. Which of the following best describes respiration?



- A. Ability to produce new individuals.
- B. Reaction to changes in the environment.
- C. The way living things get energy from food.
- D. The way that all ling things are of cells.

## TOPIC 2.2: DIVERSITY AND CLASSIFICATION OF PLANTS AND ANIMALS

- Which of the following features cannot be used for classifying animals? (SPE/2011/Q15)
  - A. The body temperature of the animal.
  - B. The nature of the animal's skin.
  - C. The eating habits of the animal.
  - D. The number of animals in the group.
- Study the chart below. In which group (A, B, C or D) does the leaf in figure above belong to?



- 3. Diagram below shows three types of extinct animals. Which of the animals could have been warm-blooded?
  - A. Dodo only.
  - B. Mammoth only.
  - C. Dodo and mammoth.
  - D. Mammoth and dinosaur.



4. A group of animals are shown in Figure below. Which animals are mammals?



	A. Q, T and U. B. R, T and W. C. R, S and V. D. S and V only.			M	2	· Ca	*		
		Q	R	S	T	U	٧	W	
5.	A newly discovered breathe. What is Tipi					dy and use	s ONLY	its lungs to	)
	<ul><li>A. An amphibian.</li><li>B. A fish.</li><li>C. A mammal.</li><li>D. A reptile.</li></ul>								
6.	Figure below shows group of animal clas			nimals. W	hich two	vertebrate	e belong	g to the so	ıme
	A. P and Q. B. P and S. C. Q and R.	P	a l				(izvi	S	

7. Table below describes the physical features of four different animals.

Animal	Legs (/or×)	Fur (/or×)	Feathers (/or×)
Р	/	/	×
Q	/	×	X
R	×	×	1
S	×	×	×

Which of the following charts best represent the animals in Table above?



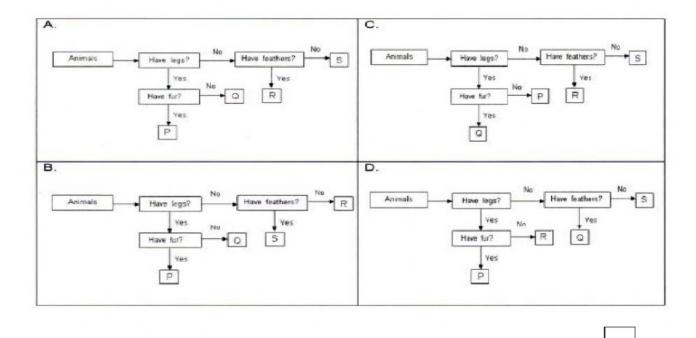
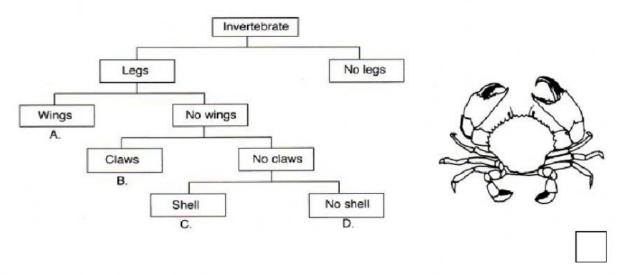
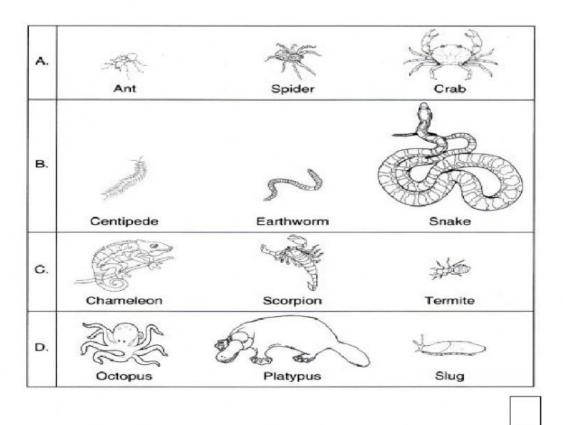


 Figure below shows an invertebrate. Identify the invertebrate in figure below by using the classification key below. (SPE/2012/Q10)

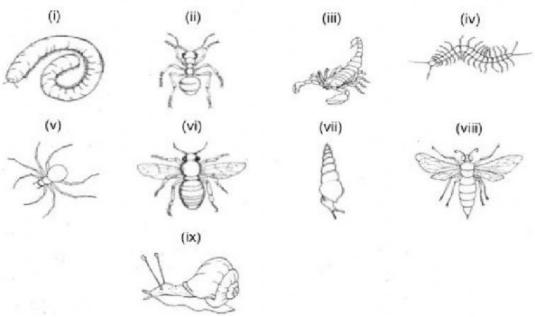


9. Which of the following consists of invertebrates only?





10. Figure below shows organisms collected in a forest.



The organisms are grouped according to the same common characteristics listed in Table below.

Organisms Characteris
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Group P	<ul><li>has a muscular foot</li><li>1 pair of antennae</li><li>body covered by shell</li></ul>
Group Q	<ul><li>- 6 legs</li><li>- 1 pair of antennae</li><li>- Has 3 parts (head, thorax, abdomen)</li></ul>
Group R	- 8 legs - no antennae - has segmented body
Group \$	<ul><li>- more than 8 legs</li><li>- 1 pair of antennae</li><li>- has segmented body</li></ul>

Which of the following organisms are classified in Group S?

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B. (iii), (v)

C. (vii), (ix)

D. (ii), (vi), (vii)

11. Aida observed organisms X, Y and Y found in her garden. She recorded her observations in table below.

Organism	Observation
X	<ul><li>6 legs</li><li>Body has 3 parts</li><li>1 pair of antennae</li></ul>
Y	<ul><li>8 legs</li><li>Body has 2 parts</li><li>No antennae</li></ul>
Z	<ul><li>Many legs</li><li>Body has many segmented parts</li><li>1 pair of antennae</li></ul>

Which of the following is the correct classification group for organisms X, Y and Z? (SPE/2016/Q11)  $\,$ 

	Х	Y	Z
Α.	Annelid	Insect	Molluscs
В.	Arachnid	Insect	Myriapod
C.	Insect	Arachnid	Myriapod
D.	Insect	Arachnid	Annelid

12. Yanti saw an Organism X and recorded her observations below.



- The body is divided into two parts.
- It has no wings.
- It has 4 fairs of legs.

Based on the observations, what is animal X likely to be?

Centipede

Bee

D.

Spider