COURSE TITLE: PRINCIPLES OF SEED TECHNOLOGY COURSE: 243

Seed Science One Liner

- Q1. Seed is- Fertilized and developed ovule
- Q2. The smallest and the lightest seed is that of-Orchis
- Q3. The largest and heaviest seed is that of-Lodoicea
- Q4. The seed bearing plants belong to the group of-Phanerogam
- O5. Outer seed coat is- Testa
- O6. Seed bud is- Ovule
- Q7. Tegmen is the name of-Inner seed coat
- **Q8.** Hilum of seed is- Scar of funiculus
- **Q9.** Tigellum is- Embryonic axis
- Q10. Seed leaf is- Cotyledon
- Q11. Which one is the reproductive unit having an embryo, reserve food and protective covering- Seed
- Q12. In exalbuminous seeds, there is- Consumption of endosperm during development of seed
- Q13. In exalbuminous seed the food is generally stored in-Cotyledons
- Q14. The seed in which reserve food is present in the perisperm-Nymphaea
- Q15. An endospermic seed is- Castor
- Q16. Endosperm of Areca/Betel Nut is-Ruminate

Q17. Integumentary outgrowth present over the micropyle of Castor is-Caruncle Q18. Hair of cotton are-Outgrowth of testa **Q19.** Which is an albuminous seed- Castor, Maize Q20. The remnants of nucellus present in the seed constitute- Perisperm Q21. Cotyledon is absent in- Cuscuta Q22. The plant in which hypocotyls stores food is-Bertholettia **Q23.** A dicot albuminous seed is- Castor **O24.** A dicot exalbuminous seed is-**Pea** Q25. In Maize, a tubular sheath covers the plumule. It is-Papery Q26. In Maize, a tubuler sheath covers the plumule. It is-Coleoptiles Q27. Aleurone is- Layer present on the outside of endosperm and having protein grains **Q28.** Seed of Black Pepper is- Perispermic **Q29.** Coleorhizae is- Covering of radicle Q30. Aleurone layer takes part in-Enzyme synthesis Q31. Which one is a monocotyledonous seed- Triticum aestivum Q32. A spongy white bilobed structures present at the narrow tip of Castor seed is- Caruncle Q33. The function of caruncle is to- Absorb water and its inward transfer through micropyle Q34. Seeds are required for fruit growth- Early phase Q35. A seed which does not possess micropyle and hilum is-Maize

- Q36. In Ricinus, the outer white papery covering of endosperm is-Perisperm/tegmen
- Q37. Cotyledonary node of embryo lies between- Epicotyls and hypocotyls
- Q38. Seed having the longest viability is- Nelumbo
- Q39. Viability of the seed is tested with- Triphenyl tetrazolium chloride
- Q40. A seed cut into two halves and immersed in 0.1% triphenyl tetrazolium chloride solution. Its viability is indicated by development of colouration- Pink
- Q41. Freshly liberated seeds of Erianthus hiemalis do not germinate due to-Immaturity of embryo
- Q42. Freshly shed seeds can germinate immediately under favourable conditions in- Pisum sativum, Zea mays
- Q43. Common cause of seed and bud dormancy is presence of- Abscisic acid
- Q44. Seeds of tomato do not germinate in its pulp due to- Presence of ferulic acid
- Q45. Seed dormancy may be due to- Hard impermeable seed coat
- Q46. Wheat germ is- Embryo
- Q47. The hormone which can break seed dormancy is- GA
- Q48. Mechanical injuring of seed coat to break dormancy is called-Scarification
- Q49. Thiourea is used in overcoming seed dormancy by- Counteracting inhibitors
- Q50. The most important external factor for seed germination is-Water
- Q51. The first process which occurs when the seed is placed in the soil is-Imbibitions

- Q52. Seeds placed deep in the soil do not germinate because they are-Unable to get sufficient oxygen
- Q53. During germination, micropyle of seed takes part in- Absorption of water
- Q54.which are the external conditions required for seed germination-Oxygen, moisture and suitable temperature
- Q55. A seed which does not require oxygen for germination is-Rice, Typha
- Q56. A seed which is unable to germinate in the presence of light is-Onion
- Q57. The seed in which dormancy can be broken by red light is-Lettuce
- Q58. Part of the embryo which comes out first during seed germination is-Radicle
- Q59. Which is not essential for seed germination in most cases-Light
- Q60. Part of the seed which forms the shoot at the time of germination is-Plumule
- Q61. Germination is hypogeal in-Pea
- Q62. Vivipary is seed germination- While contained inside the fruit
- Q63. Cotyledons constitute the first pair of leaves in-Castor
- Q64. Epigeal germination occurs in- Castor
- Q65. Vivipary occurs in- Mangrove plants