## **Biomolecules - Food**

- 1. What is a disaccharide?
- 2. Name the nutrient medium that you used.
- 3. Name a monosaccharide and state a role for it in living organisms.
- 4. What is the ratio of hydrogen atoms to oxygen atoms in a carbohydrate?
- 5. Name the chemical elements present in carbohydrates.
- 6. When two monosaccharides unite they form a ...
- 7. Describe a test for a named polysaccharide.
- 8. Name the reagents used to test for a reducing sugar.
- 9. State one way in which carbohydrates differ from fats.
- 10. Name the reagents used to test for a protein.
- 11. Cellulose is a polysaccharide. What is it formed from?
- 12. Name an important group of biomolecules that plants make from nitrates.
- 13. Fats are composed of fatty acids and ...
- 14. What name is given to fats that are liquid at room temperature?
- 15. Name a chemical element found in proteins that is not found in carbohydrates.
- 16. Fats are composed of oxygen, hydrogen and ...
- 17. When an iodine solution is added to a food sample and remains red-brown in colour ...... is absent.
- 18. State a use of each of the following in the biology laboratory. Biuret test (copper sulphate and sodium hydroxide solutions).
- 19. State a use of each of the following in the biology laboratory. Benedict's (or Fehling's) test.
- 20. Name the four elements that are always present in protein.
- 21. To what group of biomolecules do the main products of the dark stage belong?
- 22. Name a test or the solution(s) that is (are) used to detect protein in a food source.
- 23. A reducing sugar. E.g. ...
- 24. A polysaccharide. E.g. ...
- 25. A carbohydrate is composed of carbon, hydrogen and ...
- 26. A chemical that is used to show the presence of starch is ...
- 27. Fats are made from fatty acids and ...
- 28. Name the element, other than carbon, hydrogen and oxygen, which is always found in protein.

- 29. What reagent or chemicals did you use to test for protein?
- 30. What is saprophytic nutrition?
- 31. Biomolecules of the general formula Cx(H2O)y are examples of ...
- 32. Name the test or give the chemicals used to detect the presence of protein in a food sample.
- 33. Name a structural polysaccharide.
- 34. Name a group of biomolecules in the blood which are too large to pass through the filtration system of the nephron.
- 35. State a role for cellulose in living organisms.
- 36. Name a polysaccharide that has a different role to cellulose. What is the role of the polysaccharide that you have named?
- 37. An example of a protein that has a structural role is
- 38. State two functions of fats in the human body
- 39. Give an example of a carbohydrate that has a structural role. Where would you expect to find this carbohydrate in a living organism?
- 40. State a role of carbohydrates other than a structural one.
- 41. Cellulose is an example of a structural ...
- 42. Name a carbohydrate found in the cell wall of plant cells.
- 43. Give an example of a protein that has a structural role.
- 44. Give two functions of water in a living organism.
- 45. How do fats differ from oils at room temperature?
- 46. Name a fat-soluble vitamin, a good source of it and a deficiency disease caused by it.
- 47. An example of a fat-soluble vitamin is ... A source is ... A lack causes ...
- 48. Vitamins are either water-soluble or .....-soluble
- 49. Vitamin ... is an example of a water-soluble vitamin.
- 50. Name a disorder associated with a deficiency of a named vitamin in the human diet.
- 51. A fat-soluble vitamin. E.g. ...
- 52. A trace element in the human diet. E.g. ...
- 53. An example of a water-soluble vitamin is ...
- 54. Name two minerals required by the human body and give their functions
- 55. In the human diet zinc, iron and copper are examples of ...
- 56. In carbohydrates, which two elements are in the ratio 2:1?
- 57. Cellulose is a polysaccharide. Explain the term *polysaccharide*.
- 58. Name a polysaccharide other than cellulose.
- 59. Where precisely in a plant cell would you expect to find cellulose?

- 60. Name a test or give the chemicals used to demonstrate the presence of a reducing sugar.
- 61. When using Fehling's or Benedict's solution which of the following is correct?
  - 1. No heat needed.
  - 2. Heat but do not boil.
  - 3. Boil
- 62. Name the chemical elements present in carbohydrates.
- 63. Which two of these elements always occur in a 2:1 ratio in carbohydrates?
- 64. Name a structural carbohydrate.
- 65. Give a function of carbohydrates other than a structural one.
- 66. Name a chemical element always present in proteins but not in carbohydrates.
- 67. Give one reason why the body needs water.
- 68. Give **one** way in which water is lost from the body.
- 69. Name the test **or** name the chemical used to test the sports drink for the presence of glucose (reducing sugar).
- 70. Name the test **or** give the chemicals used to test a sports drink for the presence of protein.
- 71. Name the small biomolecules that are joined together to make a protein.
- 72. Give **one** function of proteins in living organisms.
- 73. True or False. Glucose is a monosaccharide.
- 74. True or False. Nitrogen is a trace element.
- 75. True or False. Eggs are a good source of fat in the diet.
- 76. True or False. All vitamins are fat soluble.
- 77. True or False. Lipids are made of amino acids.
- 78. True or False. Iodine turns starch to a blue-black colour.
- 79. True or False. Cellulose is a protein.
- 80. True or False. Polysaccharide molecules contain many sugar units.
- 81. What is a plant growth regulator?
- 82. For which purpose did you use Biuret solution or alkaline copper sulphate in food testing?
- 83. What is a triglyceride?
- 84. Vitamins may be divided into two groups depending upon their solubility. Name these **two** groups.
- 85. State one way in which an oil differs from a fat.
- 86. Give an example of a trace element.
- 87. In relation to the human diet, what is meant by a trace element?
- 88. Carbohydrates always contain the elements carbon, hydrogen and ......

- 89. Lipids are made up of fatty acids and ......
- 90. Name a fat-soluble vitamin.
- 91. Name a structural carbohydrate found in plants.
- 92. For what purpose in an experiment did you use Biuret or Fehling's solution?
- 93. Which food type may be identified in the laboratory by the use of Sudan III or brown paper?
- 94. Give one role for a named mineral in plants.
- 95. What colour indicates a strong positive result of the Fehling's or Benedict's test for reducing sugar?
- 96. Give a role of lipids in cells.
- 97. Give a role of water in the human body other than as a component of cytoplasm and body fluids.
- 98. How many common amino acids are found in proteins?
- 99. State a use for the Biuret test in the biology laboratory
- 100. State two different uses of the iodine solution in biological investigations.
- 101. State two different uses of a water bath in biological investigations.