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Preface

Thanks to Allah s.w.t for His grace, this book can be completed within the stipulated time frame. This book is a reference to students taking the Biological Science course at Polytechnic. For the first series we provide the first topic which is Introduction to Biological Sciences while the second topic is Agricultural Botany.

During the preparation of this book, there are many challenges and obstacles that need to be faced before it can produce a book that is very robust in terms of its delivery content. The book explains the concept and reality of human relations, animals, and plants in life. Biology is a field of knowledge that studies life, environment, and the interaction of life with the environment.

The study of biology allows the human being to understand oneself and the relationship between man and other organisms as well as the phenomena that occur because of such relationships. The application of biological knowledge and biological research has brought many benefits to human life. Rapid developments in the field of biotechnology, genetic engineering and food technology have brought many advances in medicine, agriculture, and industry.

Hopefully, writing about biology will benefit the students and if there are many flaws and shortcomings in this book, I accept with an open heart if there are any constructive views and comments on this book.

Wallahu'alam.

Thank you

Nor Azlan bin Ali Editor

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1.1 Definition of Biological Science



1.2 Characteristic of living thing

The characteristics of living things?

- Cell is basic unit of life.
- They are <u>highly organized</u>.
- They response to stimuli.
- Nutrition they <u>feed to obtain energy</u>.
- Respiration they break down food to obtain energy.
- Metabolism they are <u>capable of increasing in size and</u> <u>number.</u>
- Reproduction they produce offspring.
- Excretion they <u>expelled wastes</u>.
- They are <u>able to adapt to different environments</u>.

1.3 Importance of biological science knowledge

What is the importance of Biological Science in LIFE ??

- Improved understanding on functions of organisms.
- Improved understanding on causes of disease.
- Finding treatment for diseases.
- Improved understanding on ecology.
- Better management on environment problems.
- Improved quality and production of food.

The importance of Biological Science in AGRICULTURE

- Increase high quality agricultural products.
- Increase nutritional qualities.
- Produce high yielding varieties of crops plant such as paddy, oil palm, etc.
- Disease resistant and pest resistant in crops.
- Biological control.
- Reduce the usage of pesticides.
- Reduce vulnerability of crops to environmental stress .
- Less cost
- Increase country's income





1.4 Jobs related to Biology

Job or Careers Rela The following are all biol	ted to Biology logist in different ways:
Doctors	Biotechnologists
Nurses	Forensic Scientists
Dentists	Nutritionists
Physiotherapists	Farmers
Veterinarians	Horticulturalists & Foresters

CHAPTER 2: AGRICULTURAL BOTANY



2.1 Definition of Agricultural Botany

What is Agricultural Botany??

• The study of plants to improve the production of agriculture product.



2.2 Cytology

Cytology

- A cell is a **basic unit of life**.
- All living organism are composed of cells and begin life from a single cell
- New cells are formed by the division of pre-existing cells



CELL MEASUREMENT



- All metabolic reaction take part in cells
- Unicellular organism made up of just one cells, example?
- Multicellular organism consist of many cells, example?









- A **tissue** consist of a group of **cells** and carry out a particular common function
- An **organ** consist of a number of different tissues working together as a functional unit
- Different organ work together as organ systems





TYPES OF CELL



Comparison Between Prokaryotes and Eukaryotes

PROKARYOTES

'Before Nucleus

EUKARYOTES

• 'True Nucleus'

- No Internal Membrane bound structure
- Examples : only BACTERIA
- Have internal membrane bound structures
- **Examples** : protozoans fungi, algae, animals, plants.

DIAGRAM



EUKARYOTIC CELL

Nucleus

Nuclear ores

Plasma Membrane

Nucleolus

Nuclear Envelope

Chromatin

Rough Endoplasmic Reticulum

Figure 1

DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PROKARYOTIC AND EUKARYOTIC CELL

FEATURES	PROKARYOTIC CELL	EUKARYOTIC CELL
NUCLEUS	NO NUCLEUS	HAS NUCLEUS
STRUCTURE	SIMPLE STRUCTURE	COMPLEX STRUCTURE,
SHAPE	APPEAR FLAT SHAPE	APPPEAR CIRCULAR SHAPE
DNA	DNA WITHOUT PROTEIN	DNA WITH PROTEINS
RIBOSOMES	• SMALL (70 S)	• LARGE (80 S)
S = Svedberg un	it	

ANIMAL CELL

- All animal cells are **multicellular**.
- They are eukaryotic cells.
- Animal cells are <u>surrounded by plasma</u> <u>membrane</u> and it <u>contains the nucleus</u> and <u>organelles</u> that are <u>membrane bound</u>.





PLANT CELL

- Plant cells are <u>eukaryotic cells</u>, or cells with a membrane-bound nucleus.
- Plant cells are similar to animal cells in that they are both eukaryotic cells and have similar organelles.
- Plant cells are generally larger than animal cells.
- A plant cell also contains structures not found in an animal cell:
 - Cell wall
 - Chloroplast





COMPARISON BETWEEN ANIMAL CELLS & PLANTS CELLS

ANIMAL CELL	Similarities	PLANT CELL		
□ Both have a nucleus, cytoplasm, plasma membrane, Golgi apparatus, mitochondria, endoplasmic reticulum and ribosomes				
ANIMAL CELL	Differences	PLANT CELL		
Do not have fixed shape	<u>Shape</u>	Have fixed shape		
Do not have cell wall	Cell wall	Have cell wall		
Do not have vacuoles (or small)	Vacuoles	Large vacuoles		
Do not have chloroplast	<u>Chloroplasts</u>	Have chloroplasts		
Glycogen	Food storage	Starch		
Have centrioles	<u>Centrioles</u>	Do not have centrioles		
	0	00		

COMPARISON BETWEEN ANIMAL CELL AND PLANT CELL





NUCLEUS

- The largest most easily seen organelle in eukaryote cell
- All living cells have nucleus except : blood cell and sieve cell
- Compose of several elements : nuclear membrane/envelope, nucleoplasm, chromosome/DNA& nucleolus
- Usually round or oval shape



FUNCTIONS OF NUCLEUS:

- Control the cell activities
- Keep the genetic information
- Production of ribosome
- Sites for cell division

ENDOPLASMIC RETICULUM

- There are <u>two types of ER</u> that differ in structure and functions:
 - Rough ER
 - Smooth ER



ROUGH ENDOPLASMIC RETICULUM

- Has RIBOSOMES that attach to the outer membrane of RER
- Function;
 - Synthesis, packing and transport of protein



SMOOTH ENDOPLASMIC RETICULUM

- Its outer space
 LACKS or NO
 ribosomes
- Functions:
 - Synthesis and transport lipid
 - Metabolism of carbohydrates
 - Detoxification of drugs and poisons



MITOCHONDRIA

- Generally are rod shapes
- Functions:
 - Synthesis of ATP
 - Site of cellular aerobic respiration



LYSOSOMES

- A membranous sac of hydrolytic enzymes
- Function:
 - Digest all kinds of
 - macromolecules



GOLGI BODIES/GOLGI APPARATUS

- Consist of a stack of flattened, membranebound sacs called cisternae (look like pita kebab)
- Functions:
 - Receives vesicles from ER
 - Stores and modified the protein
 - Transport their final destination inside and outside the cell



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RIBOSOMES

- Small, dense granules
- There are two types of ribosomes 70S & 80S
 - 70S are found in prokaryotic cells
 - Larger 80S are found in eukaryotic cells

- Function:
 - Sites of proteins synthesis



CYTOPLASM

- the entire region between the nucleus and the plasma membrane.
- Functions;
 - Site for biochemical reactions, for example glycolysis
 - The place where the organelles scattered out



CHLOROPLAST

- Green coloured plastids containing green pigment chlorophyll
- Thylakoid interconnected sacs
- Grana (Granum) The stack that bound the thylakoid
- Stroma Fluid outside the thylakoid

 Function:

 Sites of Photosynthesis



VACUOLES

- Prominent organelle in older plant cells
- Functions:
 - storage/hold organic compound
 - disposal sites
 - contain pigments that colour cell
 - enlarge the plants cell as vacuole absorb water

Plant Cell Central Vacuole



Figure 1

PLASMA MEMBRANE

- A thin layer separates cell contents from extracellular environment
- Consist of phospholipid bilayer (PB) – hydrophobic region & hydrophilic region
- Functions:
 - Separates
 cytoplasm from
 environment
 - Control traffic of molecules into and out of cells-it is selective permeable
 - Give shape, strength and protection of cells



CELL WALL

- Found only in Plant Cell
- Functions:
 - Provide protection from physical injury
 - Support and mechanical strength
 - Maintaining/deter mining cell shape
 - Prevents the cell membrane from bursting in a hypotonic medium



2.3 PLANT ANATOMY

✤ PLANT ANATOMY

- PLANT TISSUE
- PLANT ORGAN





GROUND TISSUE



Ground Tissue - Parenchyma

- Parenchyma is the most common plant tissue.
- It is relatively unspecialized and makes up a substantial part of the volume of a herbaceous plant and of the leaves, flowers and the fruits of woody plants
- Characteristics thinwalled, large vacuoles and distinct intercellular spaces.

- Functions:
 - Storage of food and water
 - Gases exchange



(I) transverse section, (II) longitudinal section;

Ground Tissue - Collenchyma

- Collenchyma cells have a primary wall that remains thin in some areas but becomes thickened in other areas
- Characteristics:
 - thick cellulose cell walls which thickened at the corners.
 - Intercellular air spaces are absent or very small.
 - contain living protoplasm.
 - sometimes contain chloroplasts

- Function:
- provide support in young parts of plant



Ground Tissue - Sclerenchyma

- Function :
- supporting and protection tissue in plants.
- Characteristics:
 - Dead cells with extremely thick cell walls
 - Cell walls consists of cellulose, hemicellulose and lignin.

- Consist TWO types:
 - Sclereids
 - Fibers

SCLEREIDS

- Shorter and irregular shape
- Have very thick, lignified secondary walls
- Impart the hardness to nutshells and seed coat
- And the gritty texture to pear fruits

FIBERS

- Arranged in threads
- Long, slender and tapered
- Used as hemp fibers for making rope and flax fibers for weaving into linen



VASCULAR TISSUE

- Function :
- the distribution of nutrients, water and the product of photosynthesis
- Consist:
 - -Phloem
 - -Xylem



Vascular Tissue - Phloem

- Function:
 - Transport organic nutrients to other parts of plant
- Parts of phloem:
 - Sieve tube
 - Transport nutrient
 - Companion Cell
 - Provide support to sieve tube



Vascular Tissue - Xylem

- Function :
- Conveys water and dissolved minerals from roots into the shoots
- Parts of xylem:
 - Vessels
 - Enables water to flow freely
 - Tracheids
 - Water moves from cell to cell through pits



DERMAL TISSUE

- Function:
- Outer protective covering
- In non woody plants

 consists single layer of tightly packed cells called EPIDERMIS
- Woody Plants protective tissues called PERIDERM



MERISTEMATIC TISSUE

STRUCTURE

- The cell are small, thinwalled, have a central large nucleus and dense cytoplasm with small vacuole.
- The cells are rectangular and closely packed with no intercellular air spaces.

FUNCTION

 Retain the ability to divide by mitosis to produce new cells.

Apical Meristems

- Location : Shoot apical meristem
 - : Root apical meristem
- Functions: Responsible for primary growth
 - :Responsible for producing new buds and leaves

Shoot apical meristems also produces epidermis,
 cortex, primary xylem and phloem and the central pith

 Root apical meristems located at the various terminal of the root are the growing points for the root system.





Lateral Meristems

- Location : surrounding stem parts of the plant
- Functions: Responsible for the secondary growth of dicotyledon plants.
 - : Add birth of the root and stem .
- Two types of lateral meristem :
 - vascular cambium (produce new xylem and phloem).
 - **cork cambium** (produce bark @ epidermis).







Intercalary Meristems

- Location : nodes of the plant
- Function : Allow rapid stem elongation
- Occur only in monocot.



Classification of meristematic tissue according to position



PLANT ORGAN





MONOCOTYLEDON DICOTYLEDON

- Embryo with single cotyledon
- Embryo with two cotyledon



ANATOMY OF PLANT PARTS



ROOT

- consist of
 - epidermis
 - a protective tissue
 - cortex
 - unspecialized cells
 - endodermis
 - at innermost layer of the cortex
 - vascular cylinder
 - Xylem and phloem

- Functions:
 - Absorbing and conducting water and mineral nutrients.
 - To anchoring and supporting the plant.
 - Storage of nutrients and mineral.

CROSS SECTION OF ROOTS (Monocot vs Dicot)



Monocots Fibrous Roots



Dicots Tap Roots

STEM

- Parts of stem:
 - Vascular bundle (xylem and phloem)
 - Pith
 - Internal tissue
 - Cortex
 - located between vascular tissue and dermal tissue
 - Epidermis

- Functions:
 - To transport and storage a nutrients and water
 - Support the leaves

CROSS SECTION OF STEMS (Monocot vs Dicot)



LEAVES

- Most leaves are thin and flat.
- The epidermis is one cell layer thick, as protective layer covering the upper and lower surface of the leaf.
- It was covered by waxy layer called cuticle to reduce the loss of water.
- Cell of the epidermis may be thicker on the side exposed directly to the sun
- Function :
- Trap light in the presence of light for photosynthesis.

DIAGRAM OF LEAVES (Monocot vs Dicot)

Monocot leaves



Parallel-veined leaves

Dicot leaves



Net-veined leaves

FLOWERS

- Floral organs:
 - Sepals
 - Petals
 - Stamens
 - Carpels

• Function: – Reproduction





DIAGRAM OF FLOWERS (Monocot vs Dicot)

Monocot flower



multiples of 4 or 5

Dicot flower



Petals: multiples of 3

SUMMARY OF DICOTS VS MONOCOTS



2.4 TAXONOMY

TAXONOMY

- Taxonomy is the science of describing, classifying and naming organism.
- Taxa/taxon is the name for one category or group of organism at one level or rank in the taxonomic hierarchy scheme.



TAXONOMY

- Taxonomy has two branches, nomenclature & systematic:-
- Nomenclature (naming) refers to the naming of organisms and the taxa to which they belong. It also refers to the correct usage of scientific names used in taxonomy. It based on binomial system.
- Systematic (grouping) is the discovery and scientific study of biological diversity. Systematics place organisms in the systematic groups/classification method. (Eg : Phylogeny and Cladistics).
- Classification means arranging organisms into groups on their similarities.



Importance of Taxonomy:

- 1. To give universal name (scientific name) to organism.
- 2. To manage the **information and data** that can be kept and catalogued in a good system
- 3. To study the **diversify of biology**and the **natural connection** among the organism in the web of life.
- 4. To **support** the organic **evolution theory.**

- 5. Allow the study of other field (morphology, anatomy, physiology).
- 6. Allow to find the **connection** between individuals and other individuals with the environment efficiently and systematic
- 7. Able to distinguish between **beneficial and** harmful varieties.
- 8. To develop strategies for protection and **conservation** of endangered species.

- An activity of grouping and categorizing the organism base on the similarity characteristics that showed by the organism.



TAXONOMY

Natural Classification

✓ Showed natural relation.

 ✓ According to relationships based on descent from a common ancestor.

Example: Embryological, morphological, anatomical and physiological





HISTORY

Nomenclature

Based on Binomial System/Binomial System Nomenclature/Linnaeus System/Biological Nomenclature, devised by the Carolus Linnaeus which also known as the 'father of modern taxonomy'.



Each type of organism is given a **two-part** of Latin name:

✓ The firstword is the generic/genus mame and begins with capital letter
 ✓ The second word is the species name and begins with small letter.
 The biological or scientific name is printed in italicized or underlined when it is handwritten.
 Eg: Zea mays or Zea mays

TAXONOMY HIERARCHY





















- Even though there are no fixed rules for naming taxa other than genera and species, certain conventions are followed. These rules are not fixed and have many exceptions.
- The phylum/division name for PLANTS usually ends with 'phyta'.
- The order name for **PLANTS** usually ends with 'ales'.
- The familyname for PLANTS ends with 'ceae'.
- The order name for INSECTS usually ends with 'tera'.
- The familyname for ANIMALS ends with 'dae'.

TAXONOMY - example

DOMAIN : EUKARYA KINGDOM : Plantae PHYLUM : Magnoliophyta CLASS : Liliopsida ORDER : Arecales FAMILY : Arecaceae GENUS : Elaeis SPECIES : guineensis





DOMAIN : EUKARYA KINGDOM : Plantae PHYLUM : Magnoliophyta CLASS : Liliopsida ORDER : Pooles FAMILY : Poaceae GENUS : Oryza SPECIES : sativa

TAXONOMY - example

DOMAIN : EUKARYA KINGDOM : Plantae PHYLUM : Magnoliophyta CLASS : Magnoliopsida ORDER : Malpighiales FAMILY : Euphorbiaceae GENUS : Hevea SPECIES : brasiliensis





DOMAINM : EUKARYA KINGDOM : Plantae PHYLUM : Magnoliophyta CLASS : Liliopsida ORDER : Arecales FAMILY : Arecaceae GENUS : Cocos SPECIES : nucifera



DOMAIN : EUKARYA KINGDOM : Animalia PHYLUM : Chordata CLASS : Actinopterygii ORDER : Perciformes FAMILY : Latidae GENUS : Lates SPECIES : calcarifer DOMAIN : EUKARYA KINGDOM : Animalia PHYLUM : Chordata CLASS : Actinopterygii ORDER : Siluriformes FAMILY : Clariidae GENUS : Clarias SPECIES : gariepinus



DOMAIN : EUKARYA KINGDOM : Animalia PHYLUM : Chordata CLASS : Actinopterygii ORDER : Cypriniformes FAMILY : Cyprinidae GENUS : Carassius SPECIES : auratus DOMAIN : EUKARYA KINGDOM : Animalia PHYLUM : Chordata CLASS : Actinopterygii ORDER : Cypriniformes FAMILY : Cyprinidae GENUS : Danio SPECIES : rerio



TAXONOMY

Classification of Plant KingdomPlantae

- is a group of organisms which multicellular, eukaryote, autotrophic and contain chlorophyll.
- Plants are highly organized, take in and use energy, respond to stimuli, grow and develop, reproduce, plant DNA transmits information from one generation to the next, and plants population undergo genetic changes over time.



We focus on the important Phylum that is Angiospermatophyta which divided into 2 main class : Monocotyledones and Dicotyledons.

The main characteristic of Angiosperm :

- ✓ Flowering and fruiting
- \checkmark Seed produce in ovary that develop to fruit
- ✓ Complex vascular tissues (xylem and phloem)



EXERCISE

Exercises

1. Draw a plant cell and animal cell. Name eight important organelles found in it.





- 2. The cell wall is present only in plants, fungi and bacteria. The image above represents a plant cell wall. The cell wall is the outermost covering of plant cells. It is present outside the cell membrane and is tough, flexible and sometimes rigid in its texture. The main functions of the cell wall are:
- Protecting the cell against physical damage and invading pathogens.
- Regulates and controls the direction of cell growth.
- Providing the strength, structural support and maintaining the shape of the cell.
- Functions as a storage unit by storing carbohydrates for use in plant growth, especially in seeds.
- It allows entry of smaller molecules through it freely.

Explain the main functions of Nucleus, Mitochondria, Vacule, Chloroplast and Cytoplasm.



3. In the following quiz, we're going to be looking at monocotyledons and dicotyledons. Monocots are flowering plants whose seeds usually only contain one embryonic leaf, hence the name. In a similar vein, dicotyledons only possess seeds with two embryonic leaves or cotyledons. Don't worry; you don't need to answer any questions. All we need is for you to identify monocots and dicots based solely on their pictures! Good luck!







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