

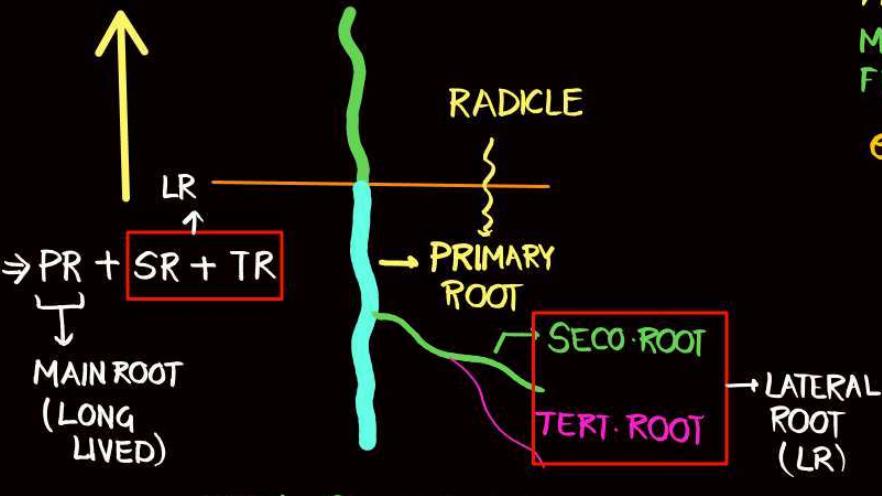


Perianth
Tepal

SOLITARY
FLOWER
(inflorescence)

ROOT

TAP ROOT



FIBROUS ROOT

PRIMAR ROOT: SHORT LIVED.

MANY FINE ROOT ARISE FROM BASE OF STEM.

eg: wheat (monocot)

ADVENTITIOUS ROOT

ARISE FROM ANYWHERE EXCEPT RADICLE

eg: GRASS (M)
MONSTERA (M)
BANYAN (D) } → ARISE (NODE)
TREE

ROOT CHANGE : STRUCTURE, SHAPE.
PERFORM OTHER FUNN.

→ SUPPORT

eg: PROPRoot ^{advent.}
vertical ^{Hanging} ROOT.
structure arise
from node of
Branch, provide
support to

main stem/ trunk.

eg: Banyan

→ STORAGE ROOT

eg: RESPIRATORY ROOT ^{RHIZOPHORA}.
NEGATIVELY GEOTROPIC,
COMES UPWARD,
TO GET O₂ FROM ATMOSPHERE
(Pneumatophore)

eg: STILT ROOT

arise from
lower Node
of stem &
enter into
soil.

eg: Sugarcane
maize.

Function of Root

- Absorption of water and mineral from soil (main)
- Anchorage to plant parts. (STORAGE ROOT) TAPROOT
CARROT, TURNIP : FOOD STORED
- Stored food material SWEET POTATO : ADVEN. ROOT
- Synthesis of plant growth regulators. (AUXIN ETC).

ADVENTITIOUS ROOT



Monocot



Monocot

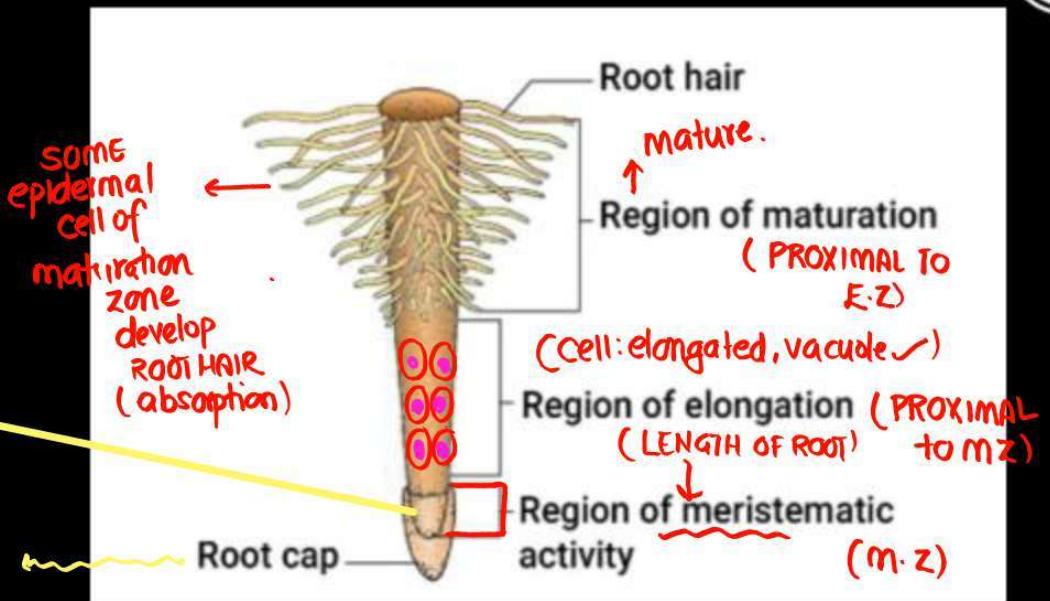


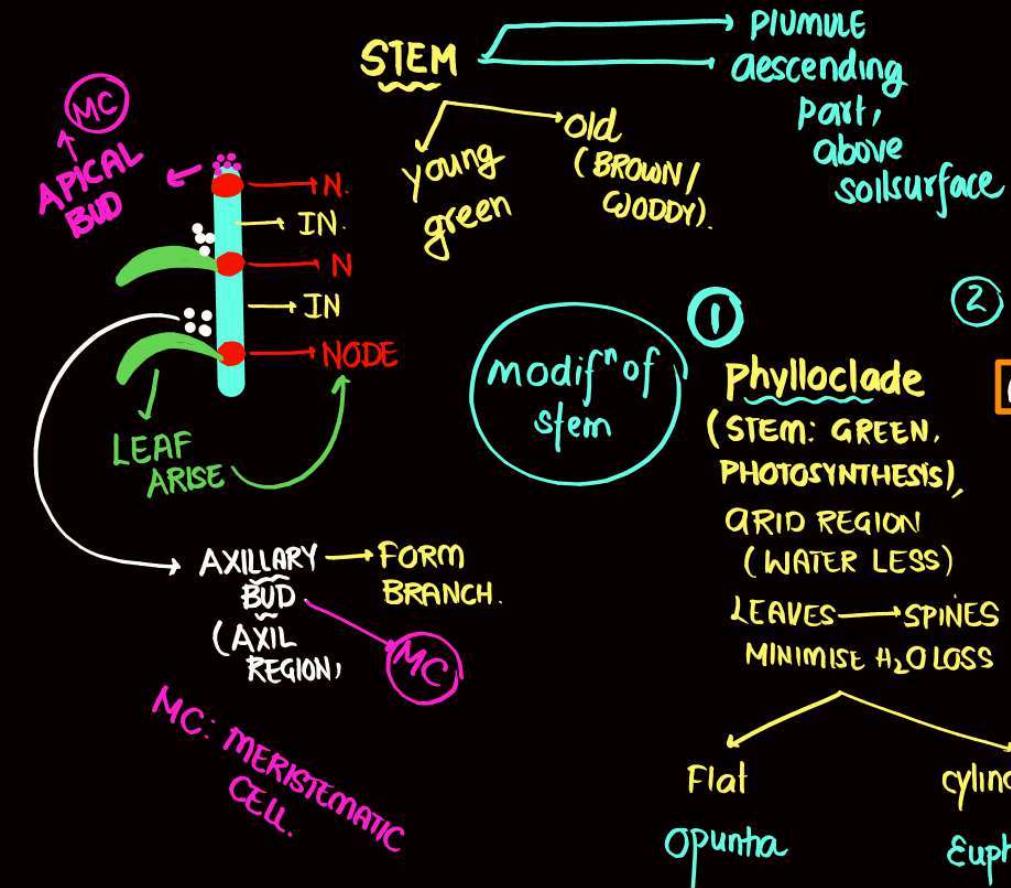
Dicot

Origin _____

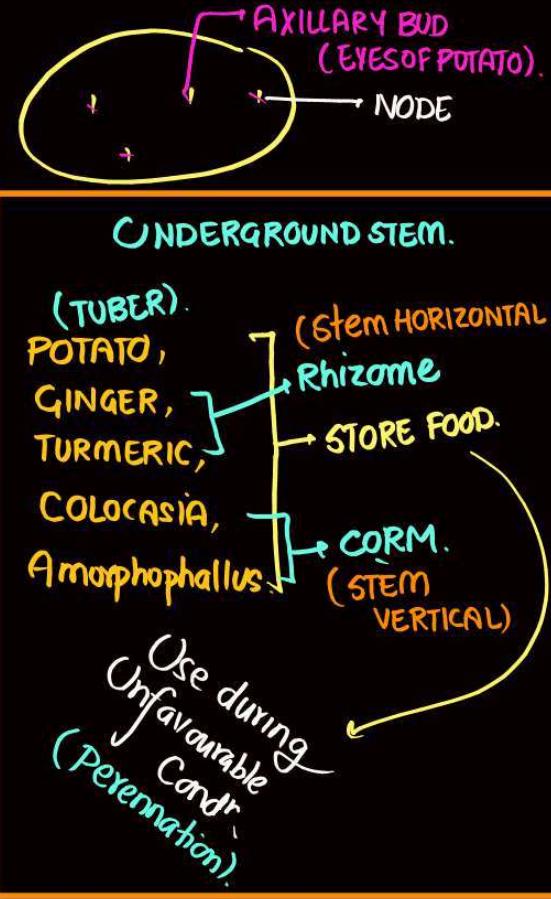
Region of Root

Actively divide
Cells
→ small (Vacuole X)
THIN WALL
dense Protoplasm
→ Thimble like protect
Soft ROOT TIP / APEX.
CREATE EASY PASSAGE
FOR ROOT INTO SOIL





- 2 STEM TENDRIL**
- AXILLARY BUD → MODIFY INTO HARD, WOODY, POINTED.
 PROTECTION (BROWSING ANIMAL)
- MODIFY ↓ THIN, SPIRALY COILED STRUCT. (CLIMBING, SUPPORT)
- e.g.: GOURDS (Cucumber, Pumpkin, Watermelon)
 Grapewine
- 3 STEM THORN**



Vegetative
Propagation/
REPN

Sucker

e.g.: Chrysanthemum
: Pineapple
Banana.

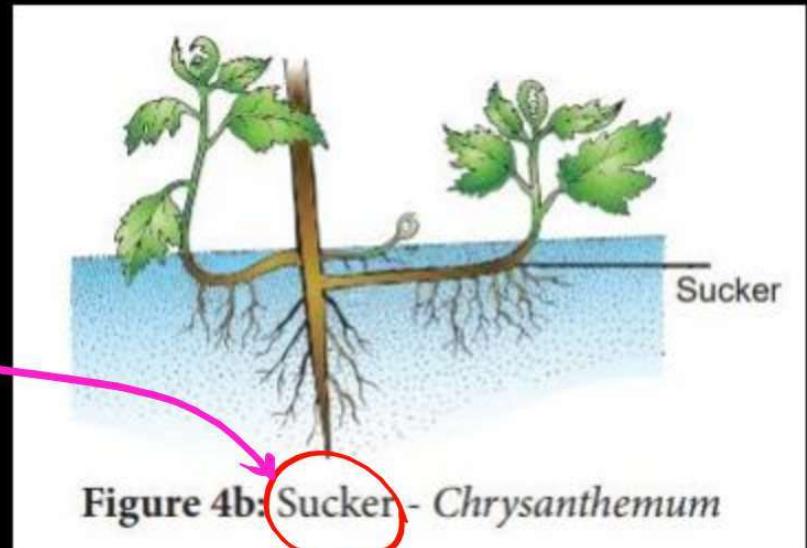
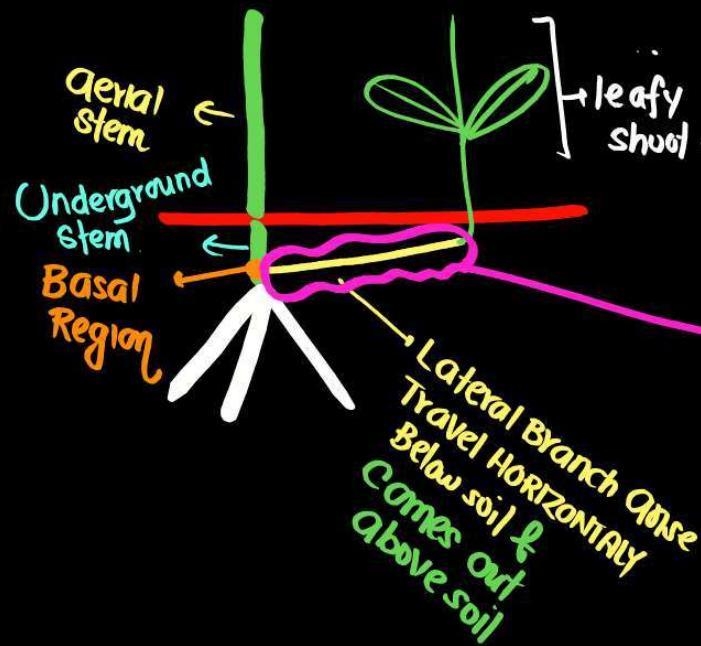
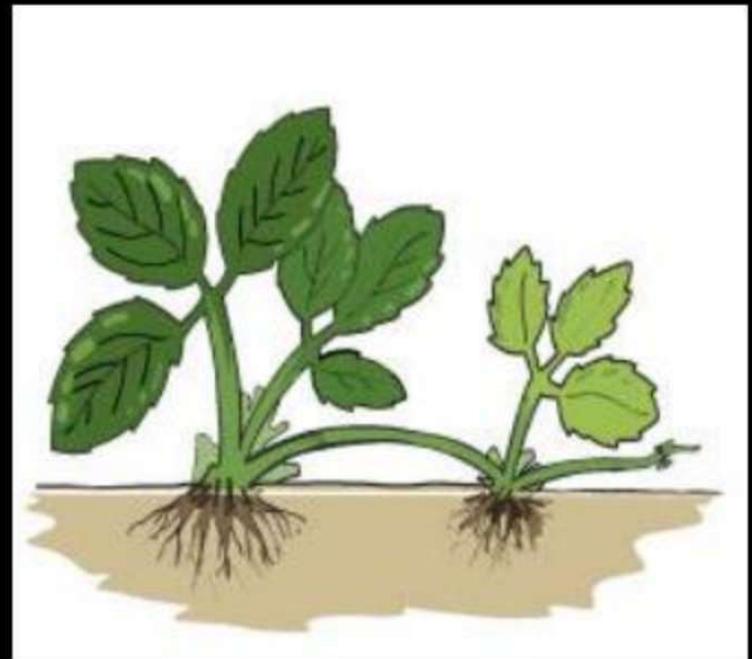
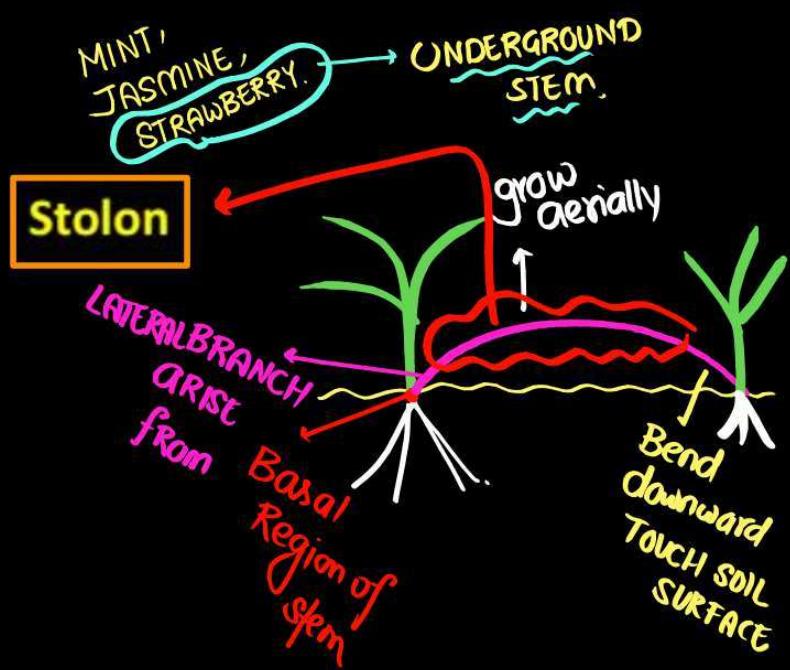
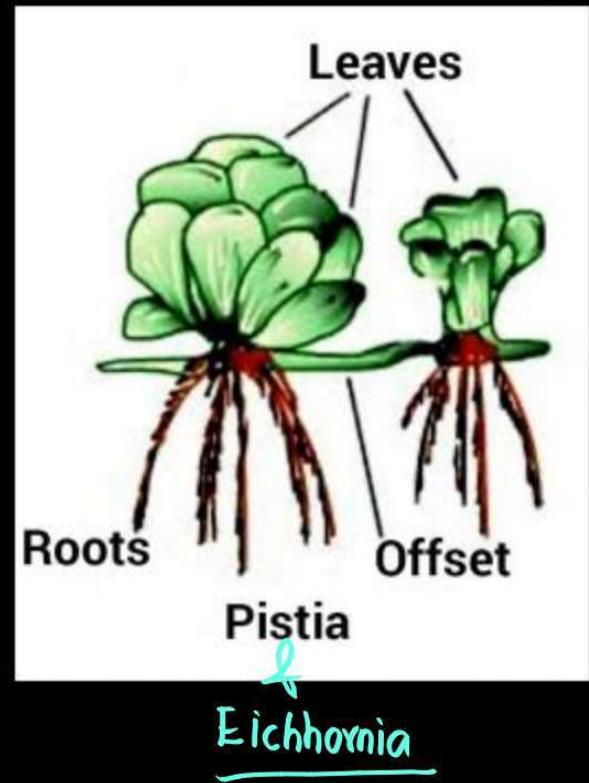
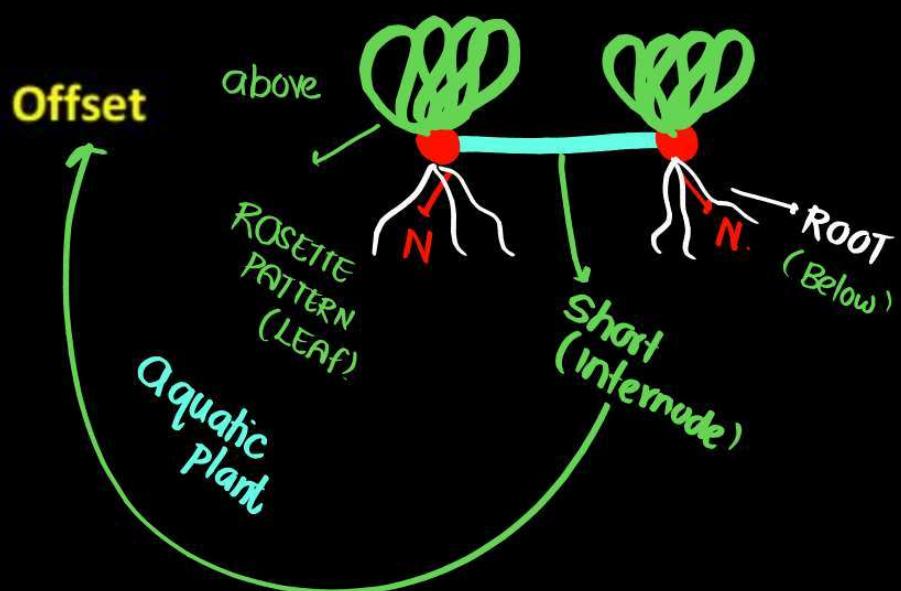


Figure 4b: Sucker - Chrysanthemum

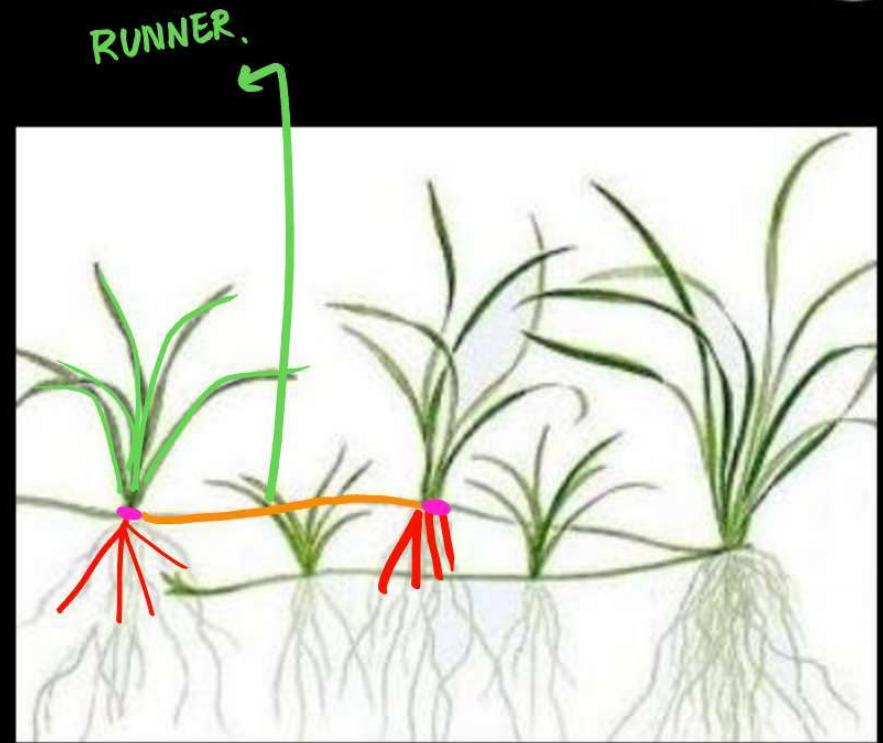


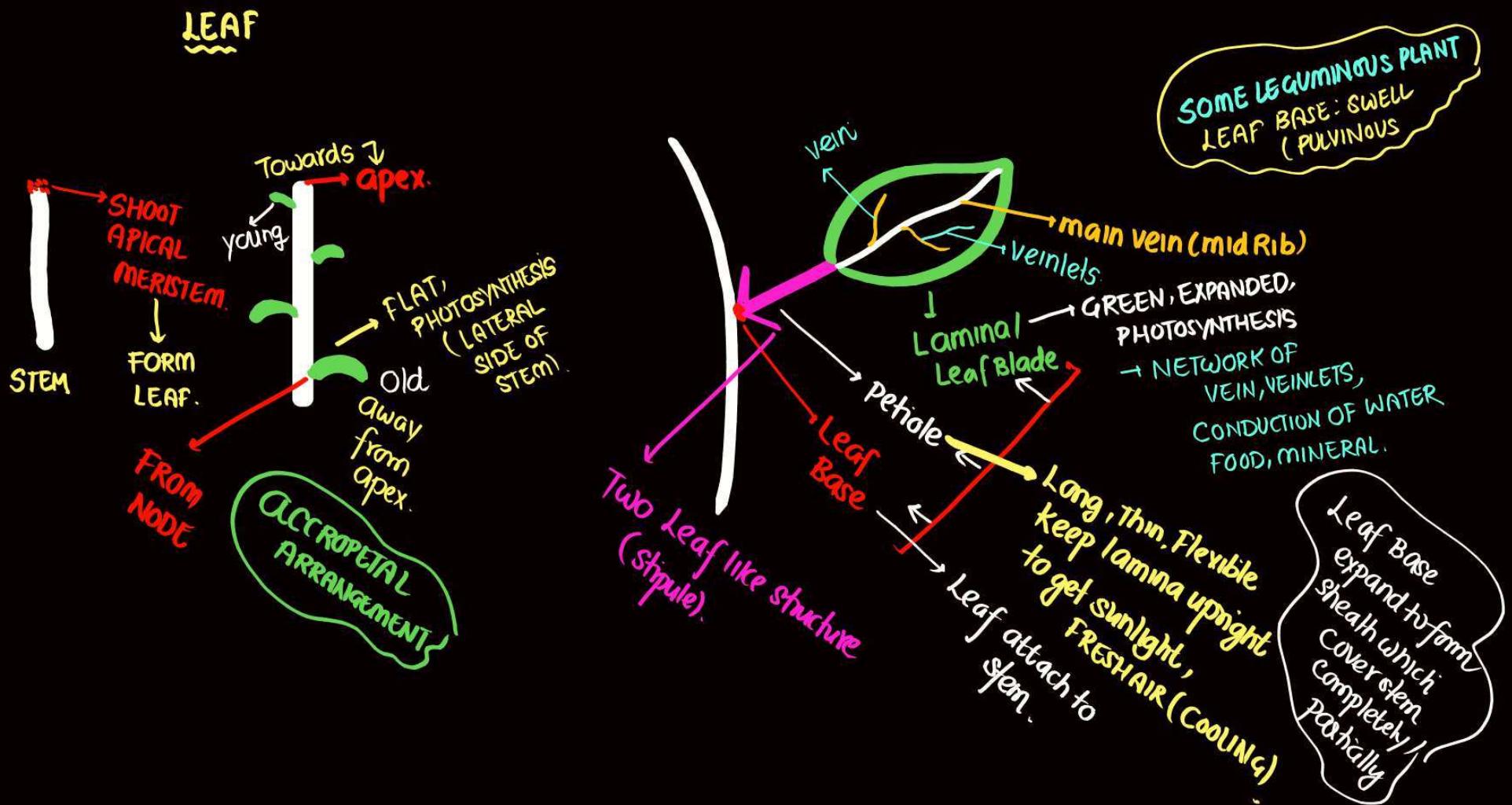
P
W

niche



Runner : LONG INTERNODES
GRASS, OXALIS





venation

⇒ Arrangement of vein, veinlets in lamina/leaf.

Reticulate

Parallel

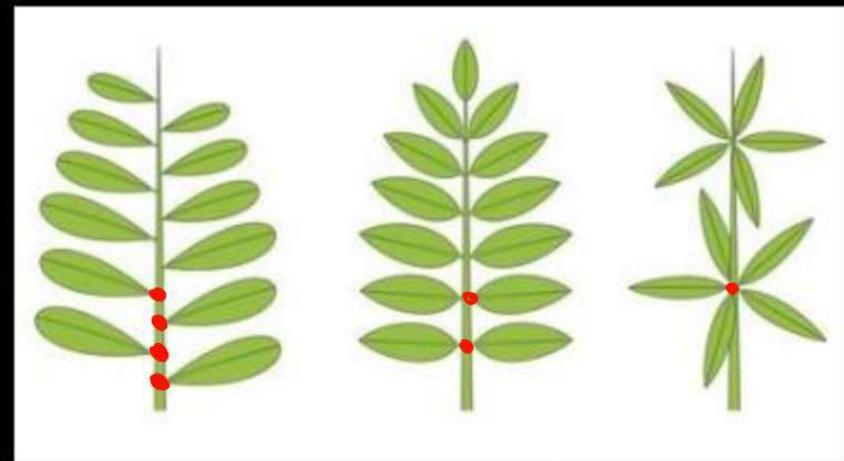
⇒ Vein, veinlets:
FORM NETWORK

most of
dicot.

Veins
parallel to
each other
most of
monocot.

Phyllotaxy

Definition arrangement of leaf on plant



Alternate

At one node One leaf
alternate order

Example : Sunflower

Mustard

China Rose

Opposite

Two leaf at one node

Example : Guava

Catotropis

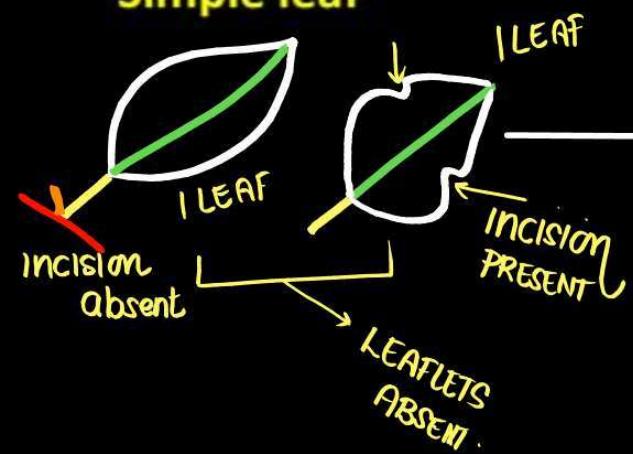
Whorled

group more than Two leaf

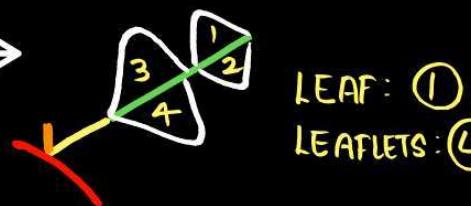
Example : Alstonia

Types of Leaf

Simple leaf



Compound leaf



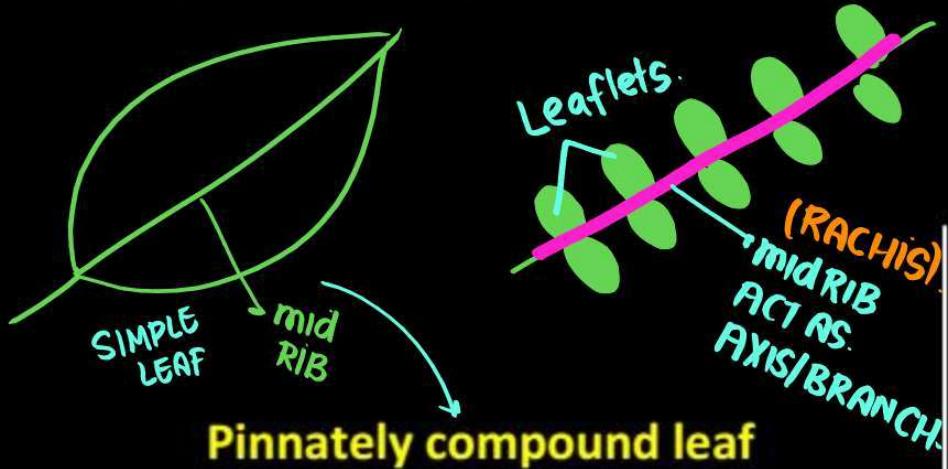
Leaf is entire

Generally incision absent

If incision present, it doesn't touch the mid RIB

Incision ✓ & it touches Mid RIB
So leaf divided into 4 leaflets

Types of compound leaf

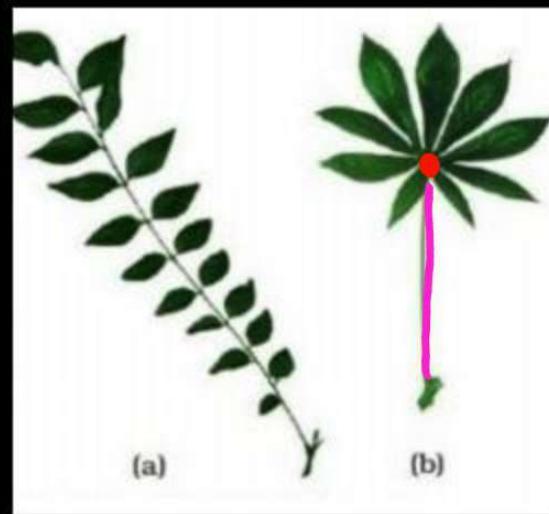


Pinnately compound leaf

No. of leaf lets present on Rachis

which represent the mid RIB

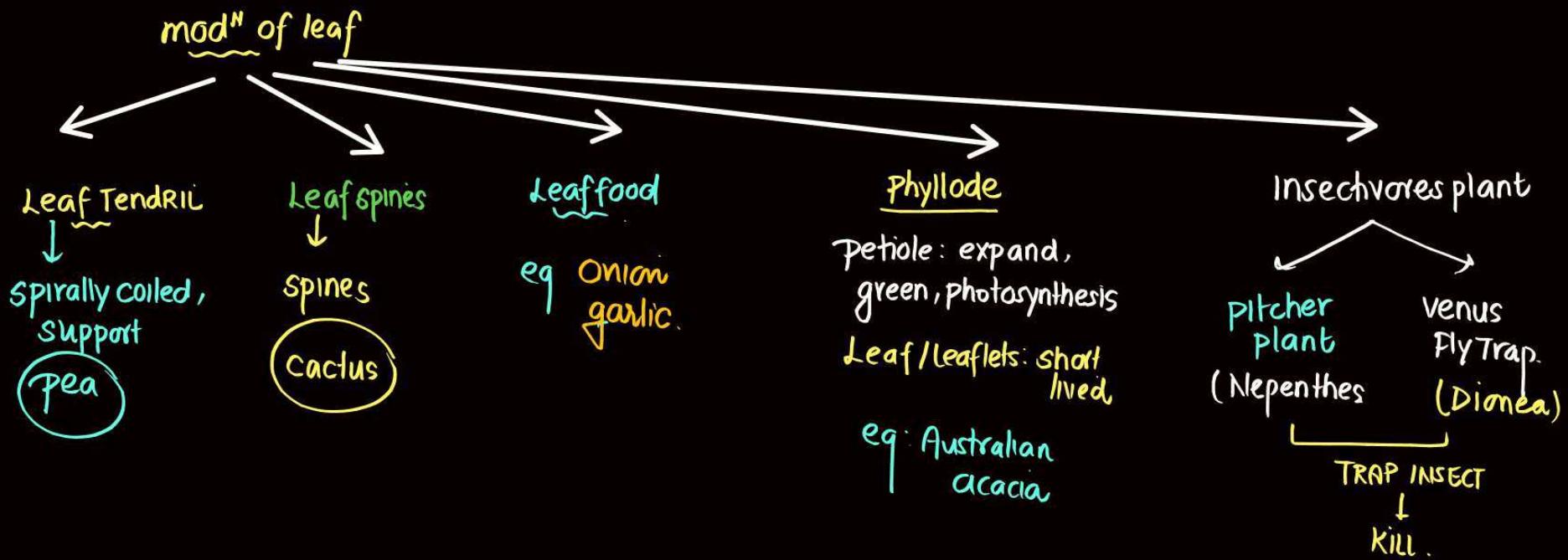
Example : Neem.



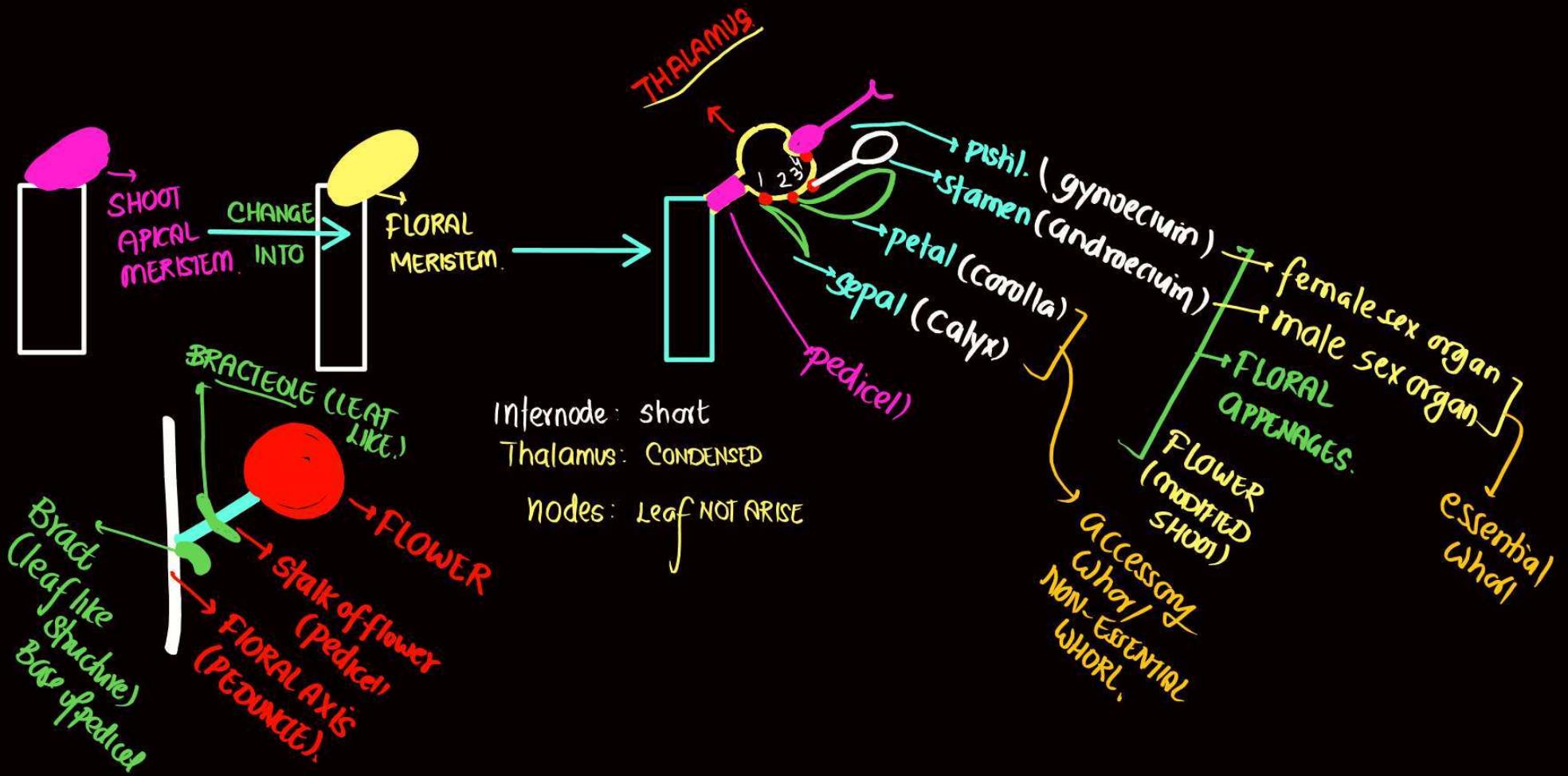
Palmately compound leaf

Leaflet present at Tip of petiole

Example Silk Cotton



INFLORESCENCE : Arrangement of flower on floral axis / peduncle.



Racemose

Growth of peduncle continuous/
unlimited / indefinite

Arrangement of flower
ACROPETAL.

Old flower away from apex.

Young flower Towards apex

Eg mustard.

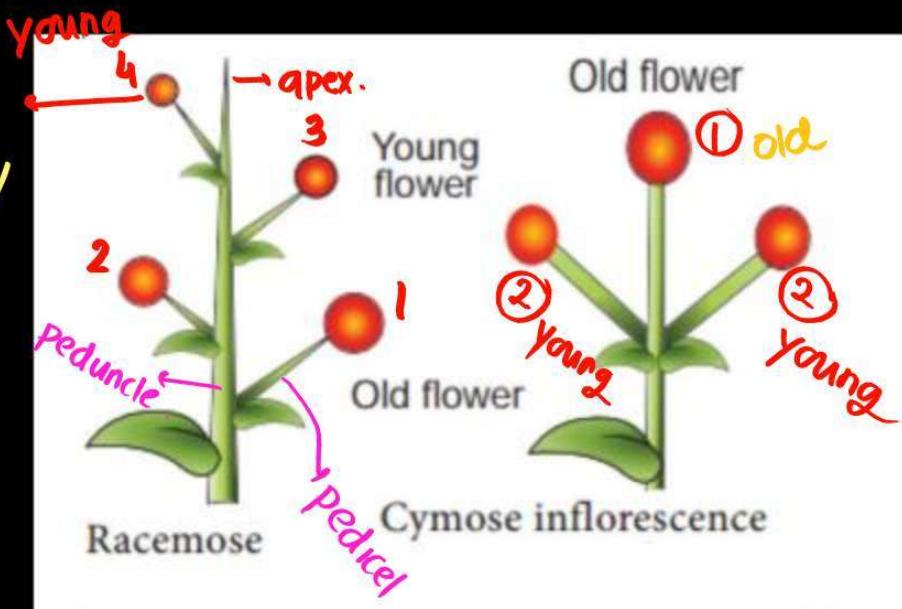
Cymose

Peduncle Terminate into
flower, Limited / discrfr /
definite.

Towards apex

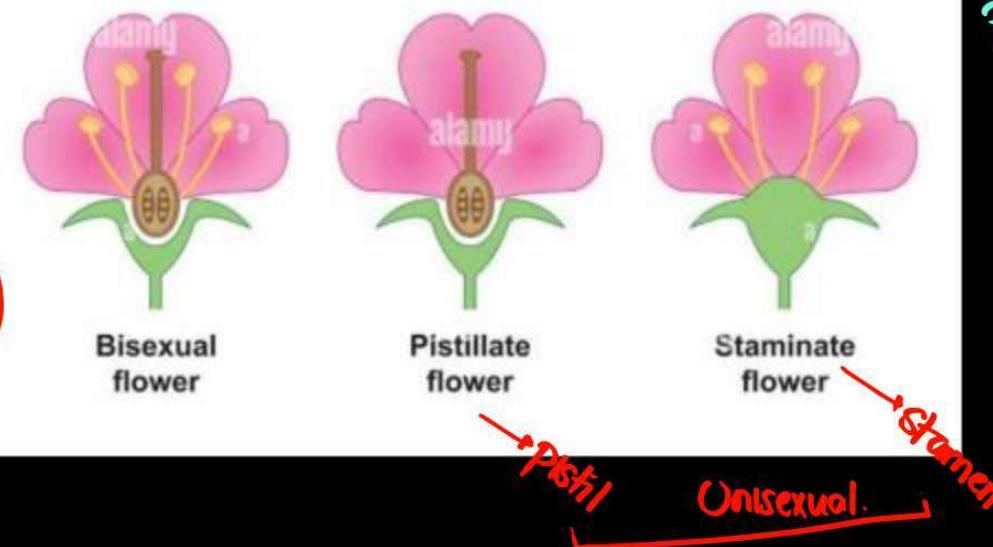
away from apex.

Eg Solanum



Flower Types

Flowers Types



Tetramerous: 4S, 4P

Pentamerous: 5S, 5P

Trimerous: 3S, 3P
(6 TEPALS)

Perianth:

Calyx & corolla
NOT DIFFERENTIATED.

Each UNIT: TEPAL.

6 Tepals

- Outer: 3
- Inner: 3

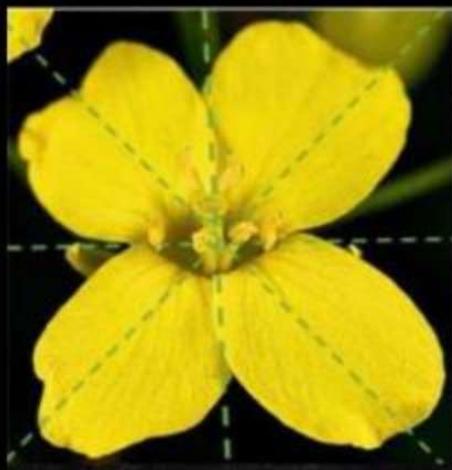
Arrange
in Two
Whorl.

Symmetry of flower

Actinomorphic Flower (Radial symmetry)

: Flowers divided into Two equal parts through many planes.

passing
Through
Centre



M ustard



D atura



C hili

Symmetry of flower

Zygomorphic flower (bilateral symmetry)

= equal part, through one plane.



Pea



Gulmohur



Bean



Cassia

Symmetry of flower

Asymmetric (irregular) : Not in equal part.



Canna _____

Trimerous, tetramerous, pentamerous flower



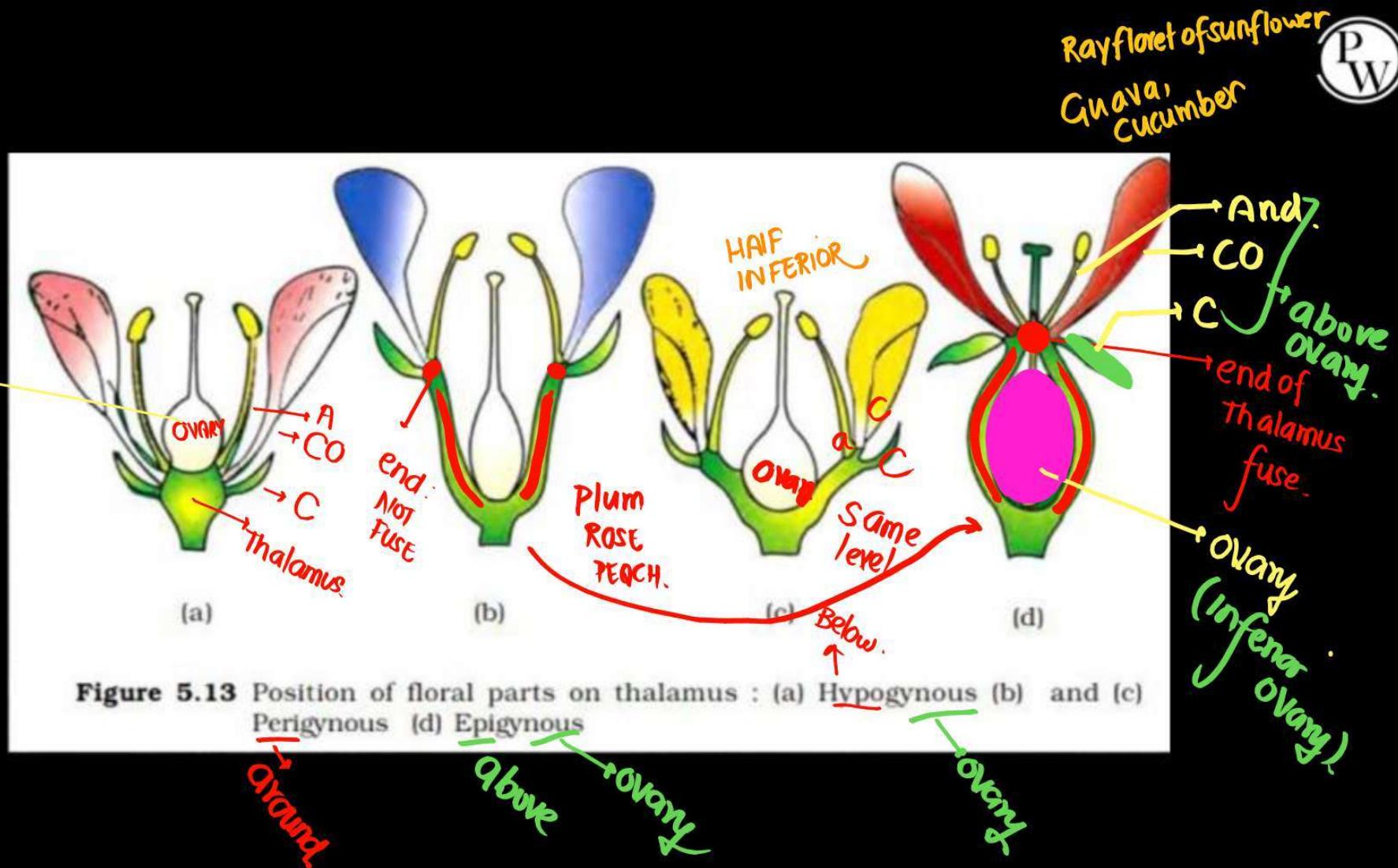
Figure 4.17: (a)
Trimerous

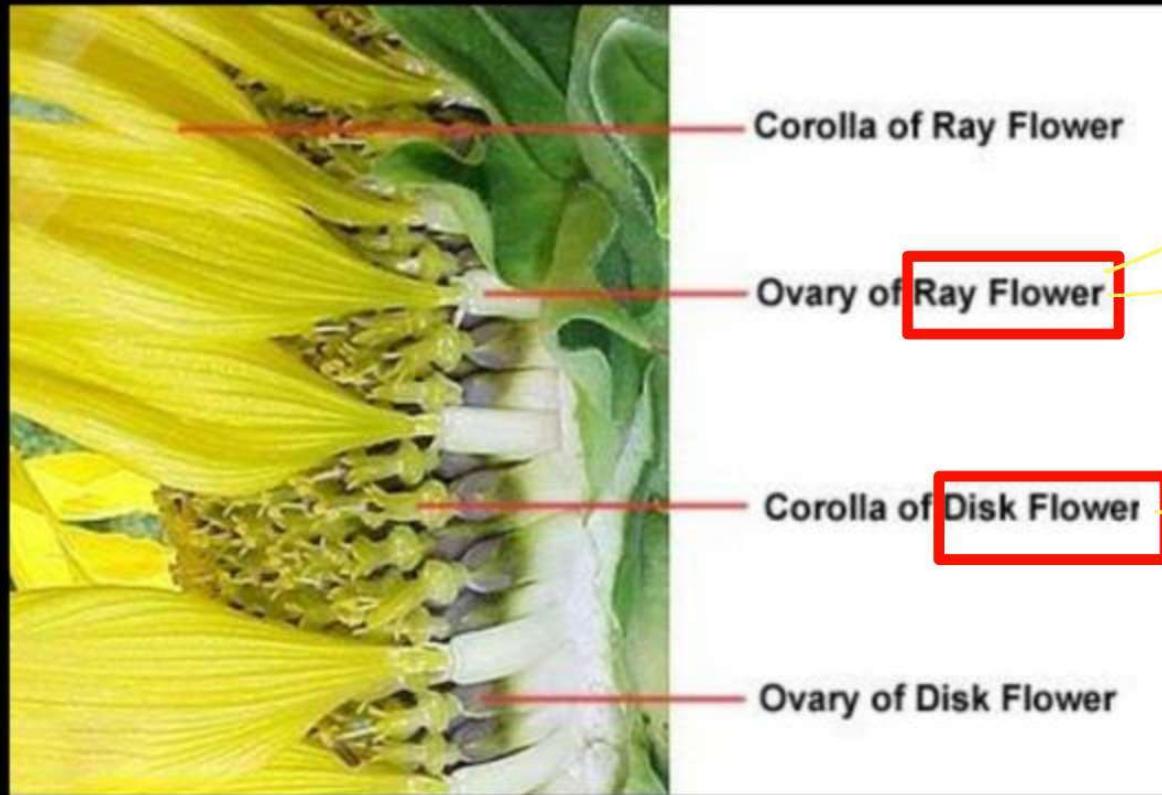


Figure 4.17: (b)
Tetramerous



Figure 4.17: (c)
Pentamerous





Corolla of Ray Flower

Ovary of Ray Flower

Corolla of Disk Flower

Ovary of Disk Flower

Ray floret → zygomorphic
Periphery

DISC floret → Actino-
morphic
Centre

Gamosepalous ←
(K) $K(5)$
Sepals fused



Calyx: UNIT: SEPAL.
Outermost whorl.
USUALLY GREEN.
→ PROTECT FLOWER IN BUDSTAGE.

Polysepalous
K K_5
Sepals free.



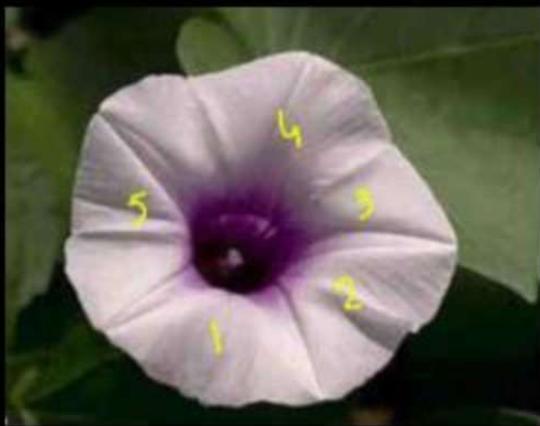
2nd whorl. ← Corolla : Large, BRIGHTLY COLOURED, ATTRACT INSECT (POLLINATION).

Gamopetalous

(C)

Petals fused

C₍₅₎



Polypetalous

C

Petals free

C₅.



Shape of corolla

Tubular



Bell



Funnel



Wheel



Aestivation → arrang of sepals (in same whorl)
of petals (" " " ")

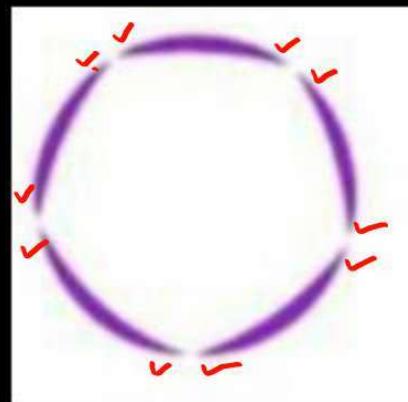
Definition _____

1. Valvate

Sepals in a whorl/petals in a whorl almost Touch each other

but no overlapping

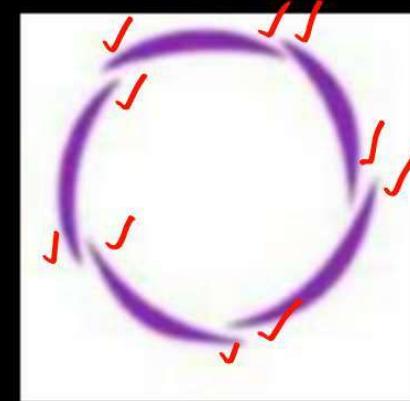
Example Calotropis



2. Twisted

If one margin of member overlap with margin of other memb.

But in particular direction



Example

China Rose

Lady finger

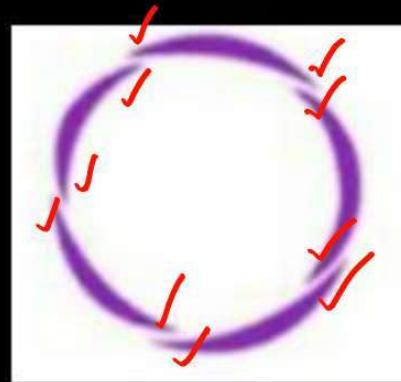
Cotton



3. Imbricate

If one margin of member Overlap with other.

But not in particular direction



Example

C Cassia

G Gulmohur

Gulmohur & Cassia



4. Vaxillary/papilionaceous

Example

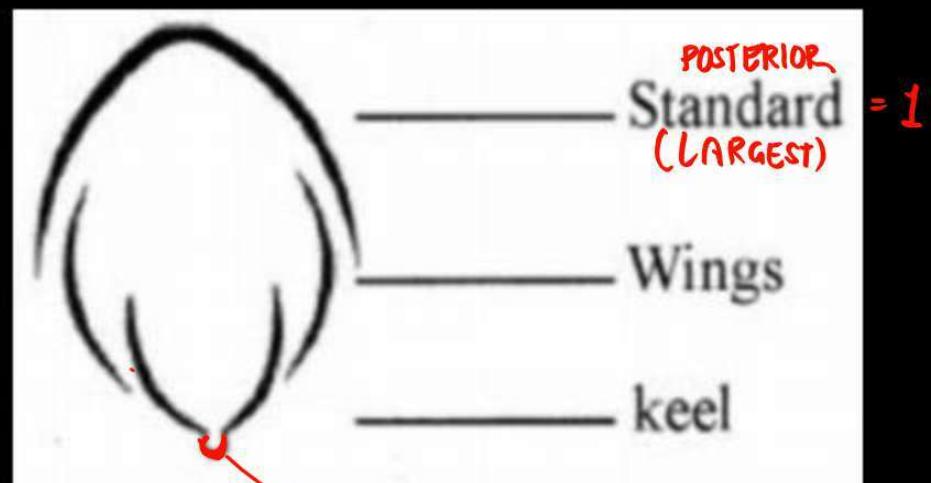
Posterior petal Standard: ①

Lateral petal wings: ②

Anterior petal keel ②
(smallest)

e.g. pea,
Bean

C 1+2+(2)



Androecium : 3rd whorl

Whorl 3rd

Member Stamen

Stamen parts Anther & filament

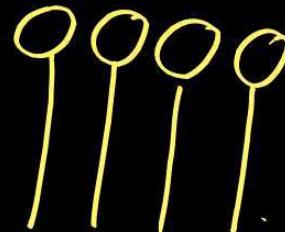
Each anther Two lobe

Each lobe has Two pollen sac

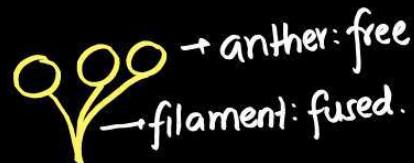
In pollen sac Pollen mother cell present which produced pollen grain

Sterile stamen Staminode

If stamen are free polyandrous.

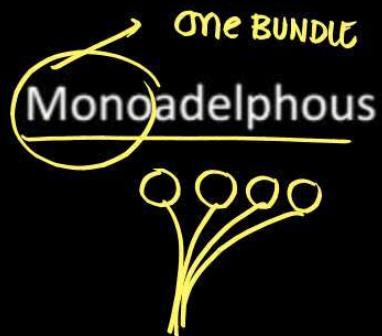


Androecium

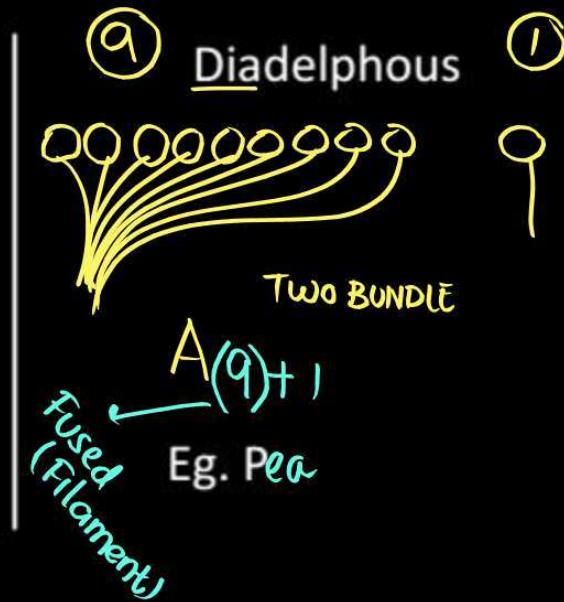


If stamen are united with the help of filament Called Adelphous.

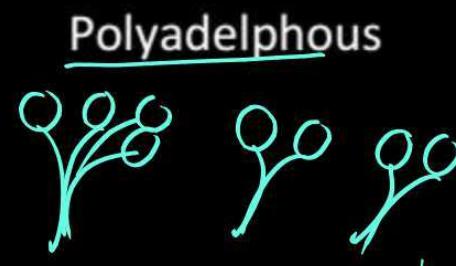
Types of Adelphous (Cohesion) $S+S$ \Rightarrow same cohⁿ



Eg. China Rose



Eg. Pea



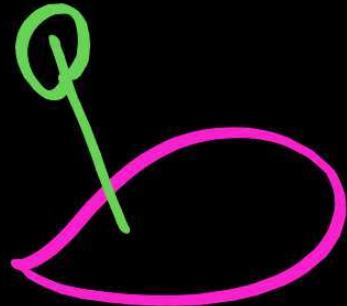
Eg. Citrus

(DIFFERENT MFG).

Adhesion of stamen

1. Epipetalous : STAMEN + PETAL

Example : Solanaceae
Tomato, BRINJAL

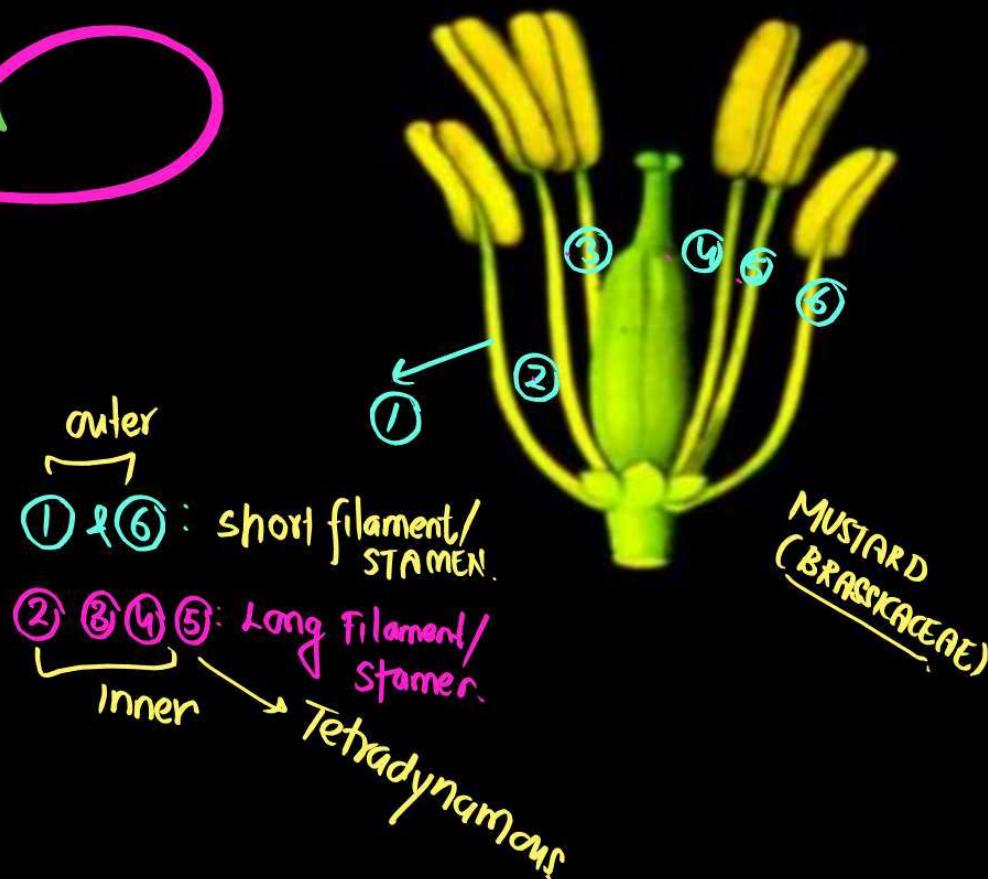


2. Epiphyllous/epitepalous

Example : Stamen + Perianth/Tepal
e.g. Liliaceae

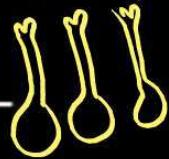
Variation in length of filament

Example Salvia and mustard



Gynoecium 4th whorl → Unit: pistil.

Apocarpous FREE

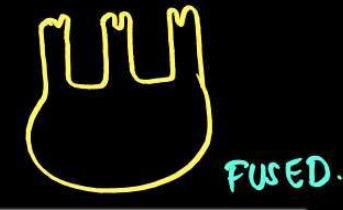


Example :

Rose

Lotus

Syncarpous

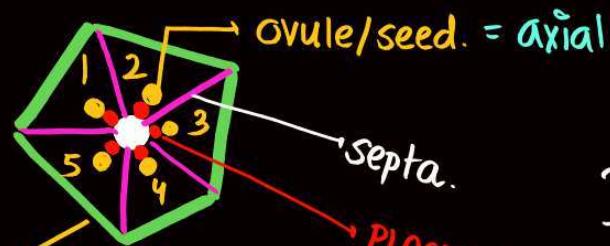
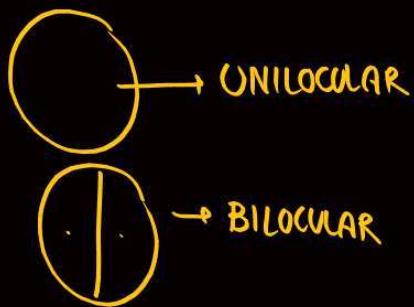
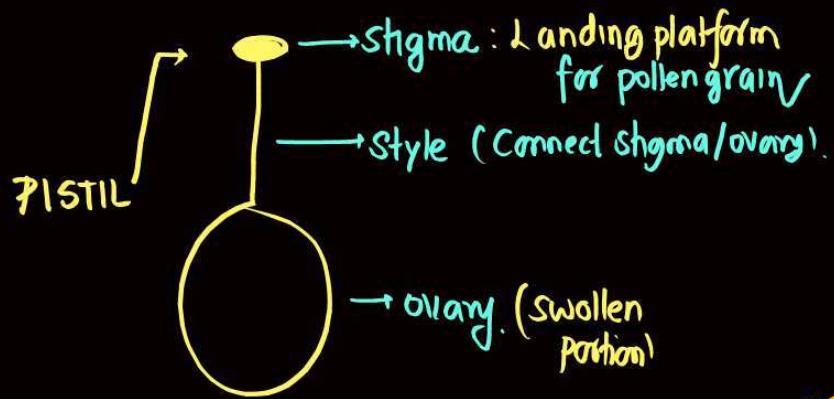


Example :

Mustard

Tomato

→ Ovary → Ovarian Cavity / Locule → Placenta → on Seed/Ovule.



Placentation
Arrang. of
Ovule/seed
in ovary/fruit

Position
Axial

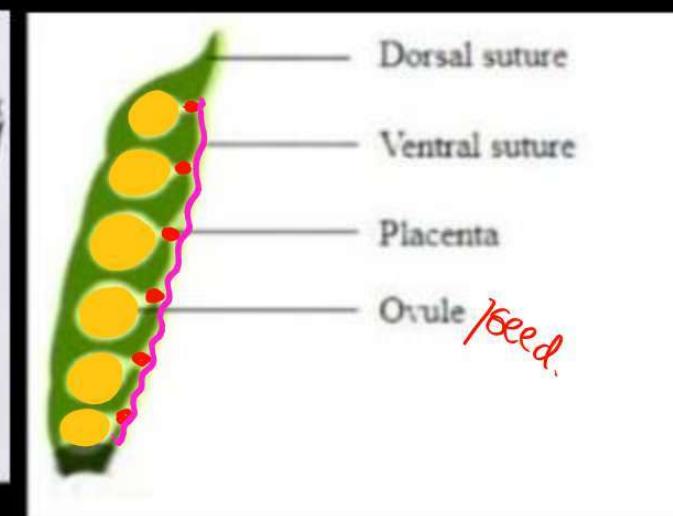
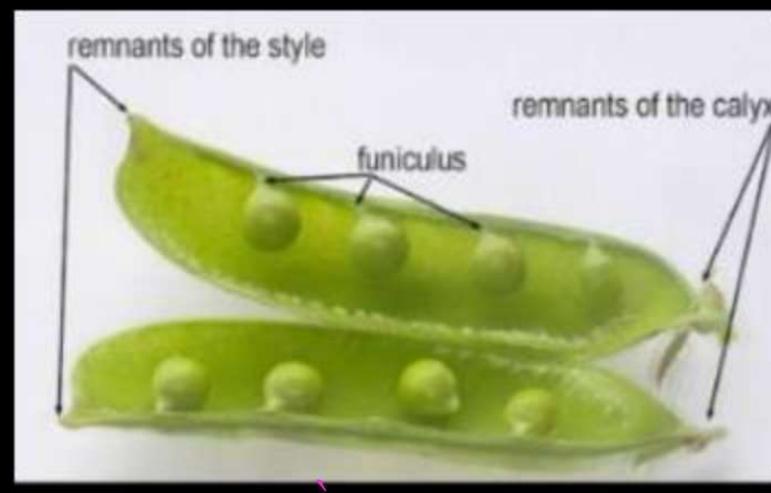
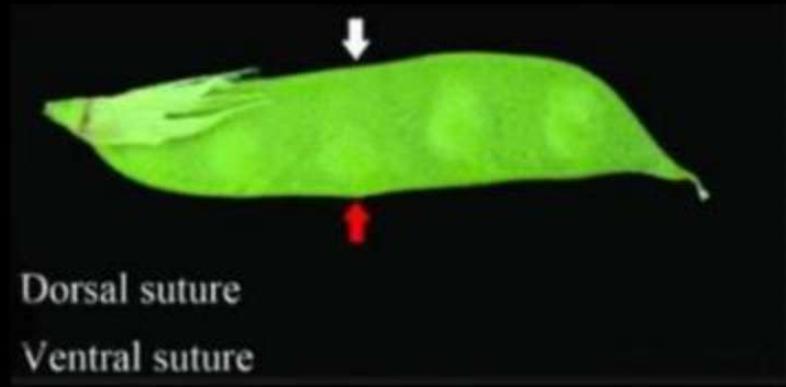
Placentation

Definition

1. Marginal : Placenta on margin , ventral (ovule) Two Rows. SUTURE

Example :

pea.



2. Axile

Example :

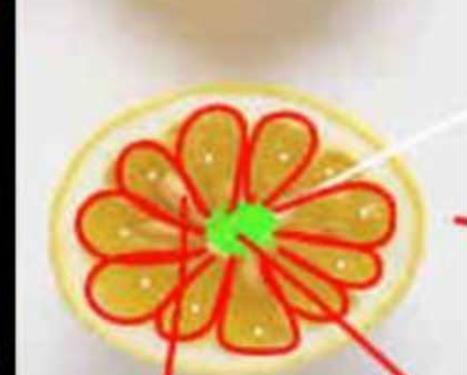
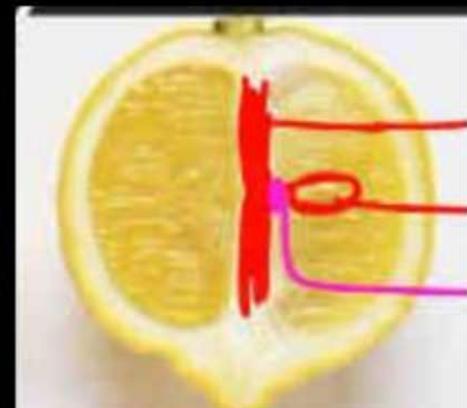
China Rose



Tomato



Lemon:



3. Parietal (outer/peripheral).

Ovary is one chambered but BECOMES BILOCULAR DUE TO FALSE SEPTA.

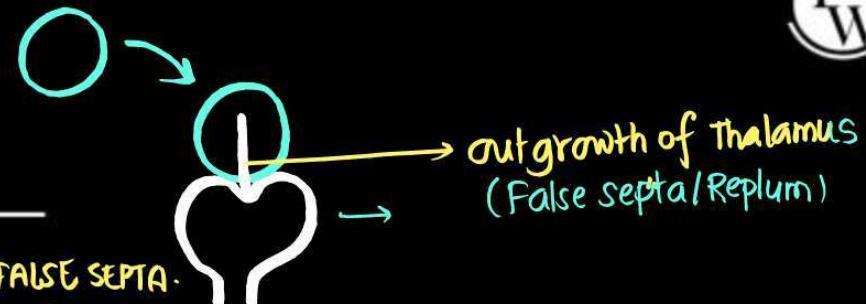
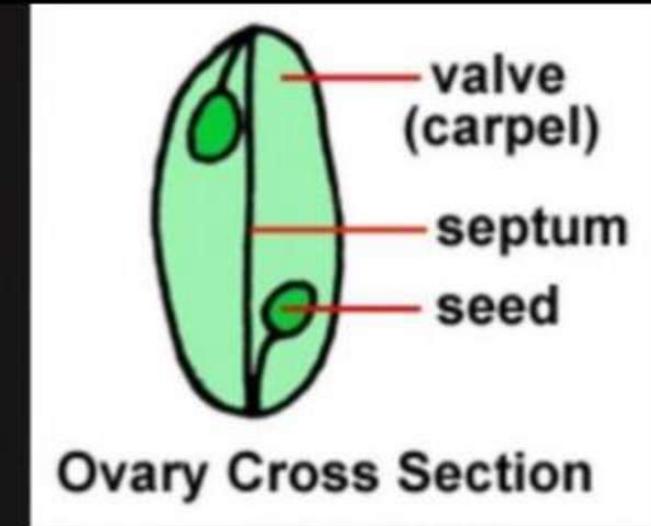
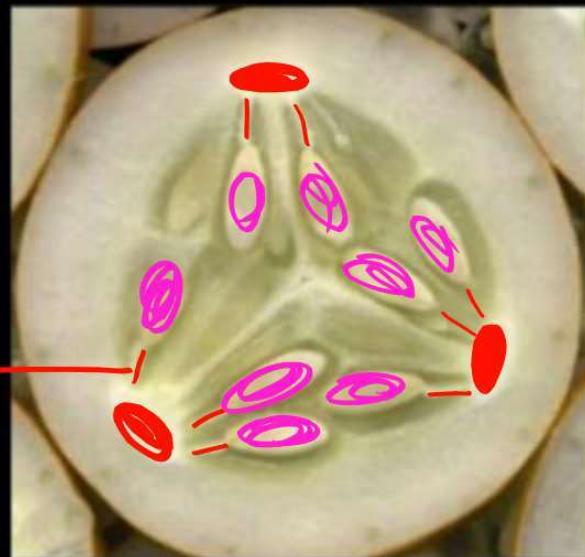
(UNILOCULAR)

Example :

MUSTARD

ARGEMONE

Placenta
(outer
parietal)



4. Free Central

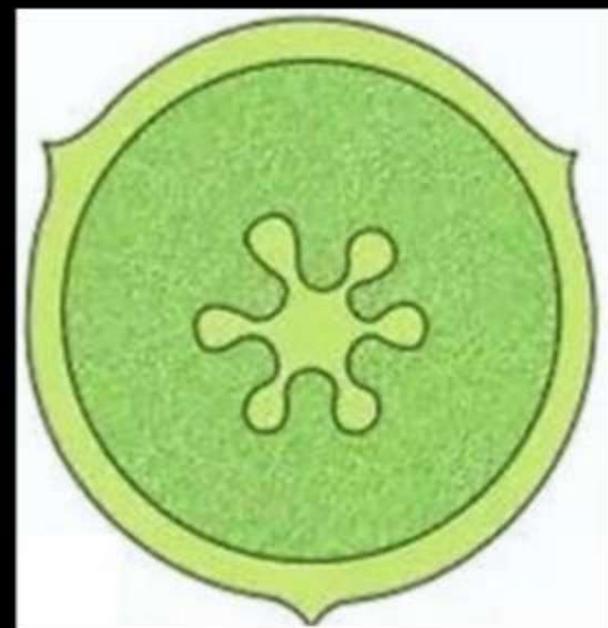
Septa absent

Placenta/ovule: centre.

Example :

Primula

Dianthus



5. Basal

Basal.
ovule/placenta in ovary

Single ovule _____

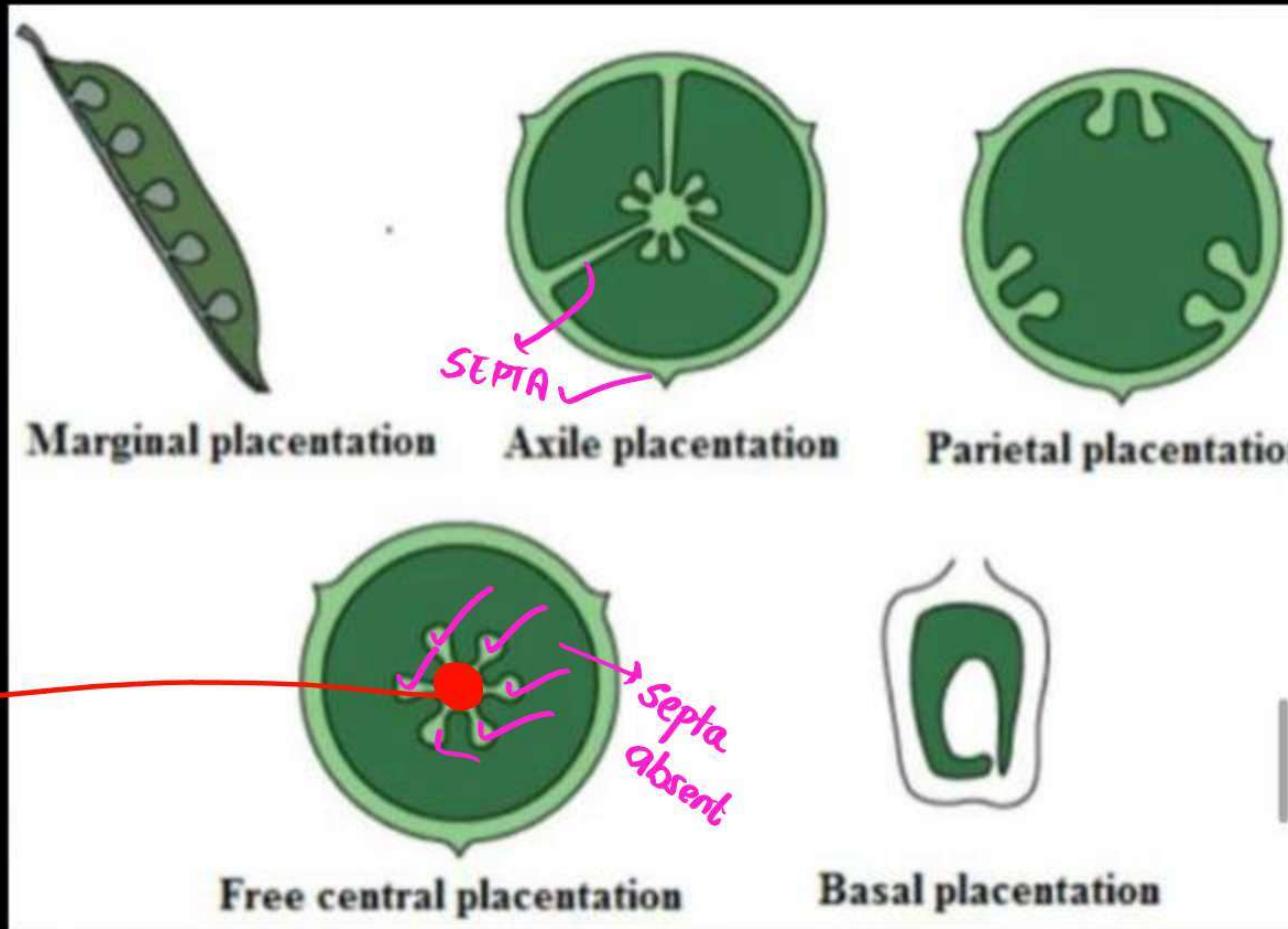
Advanced Type _____

Example :

SUNFLOWER _____

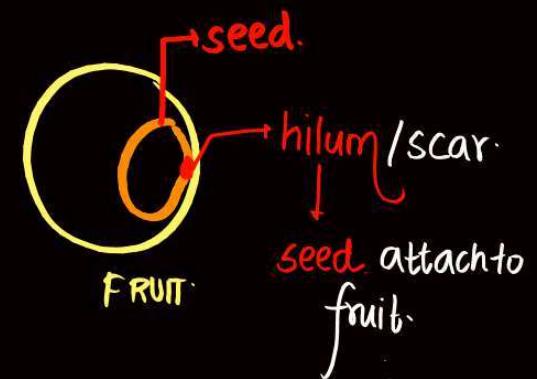
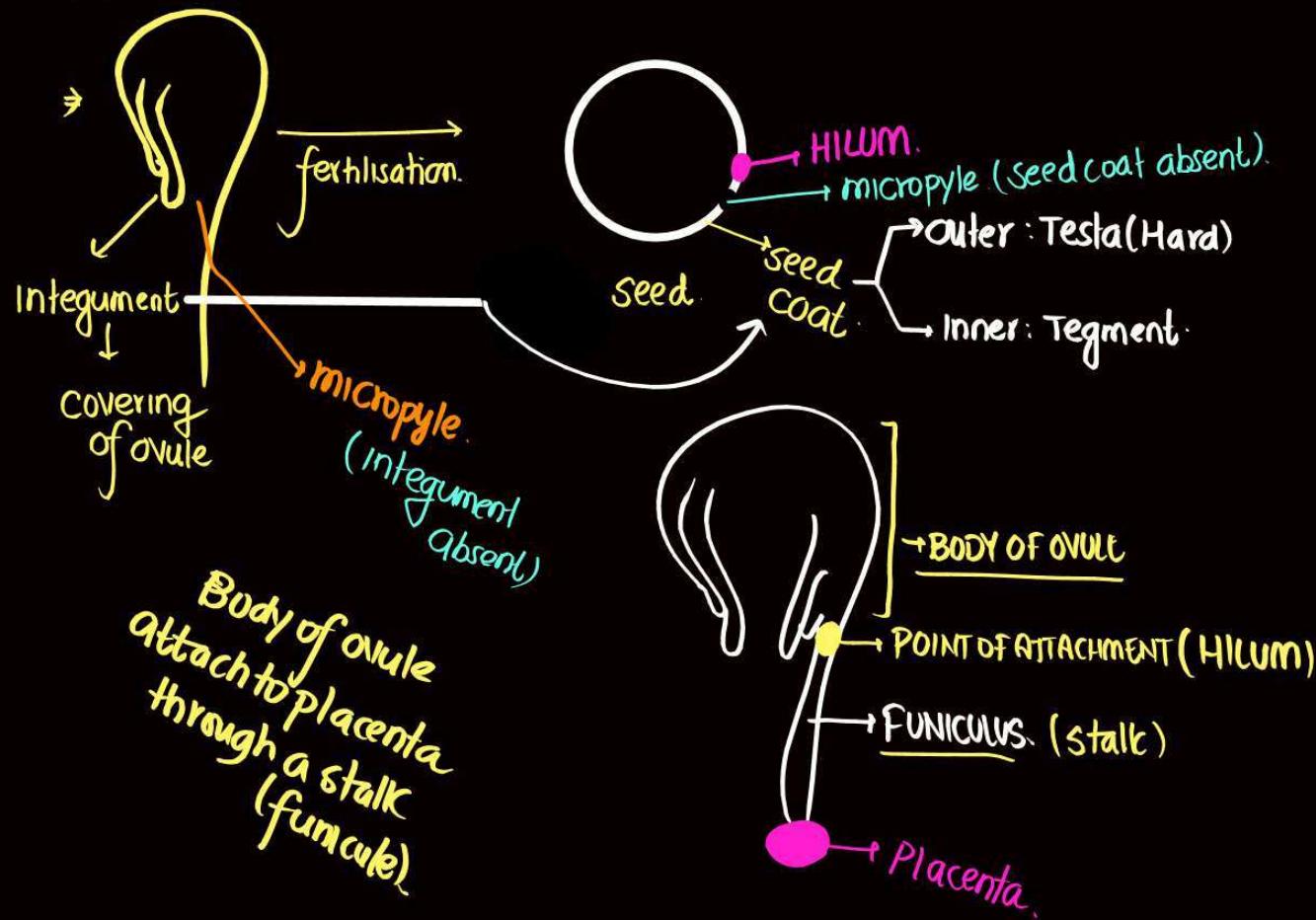
MARIGOLD _____

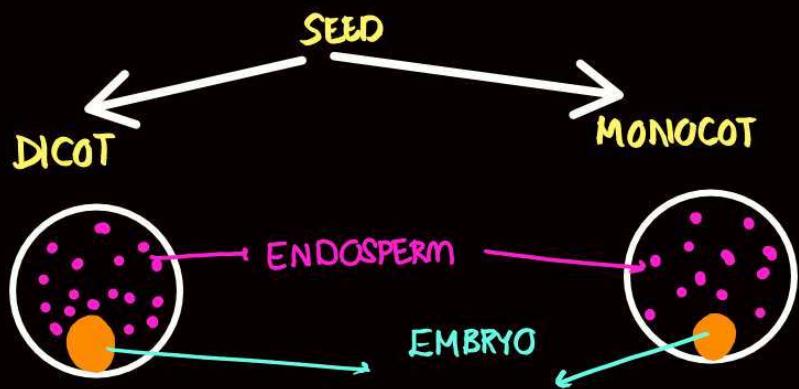




SEED

⇒ Fertilised ovule: seed.





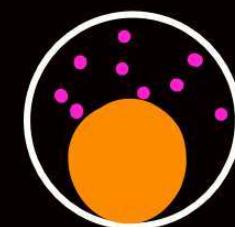
CASTOR → ENDOSPERMIC

BUT

↑
most of
dicot.
(pea,
Bean)

NON-
Endospermic/
Ex-albuminous

embryo
consume all
endosperm
during its
development



embryo do not
consume all
endosperm
during its
development

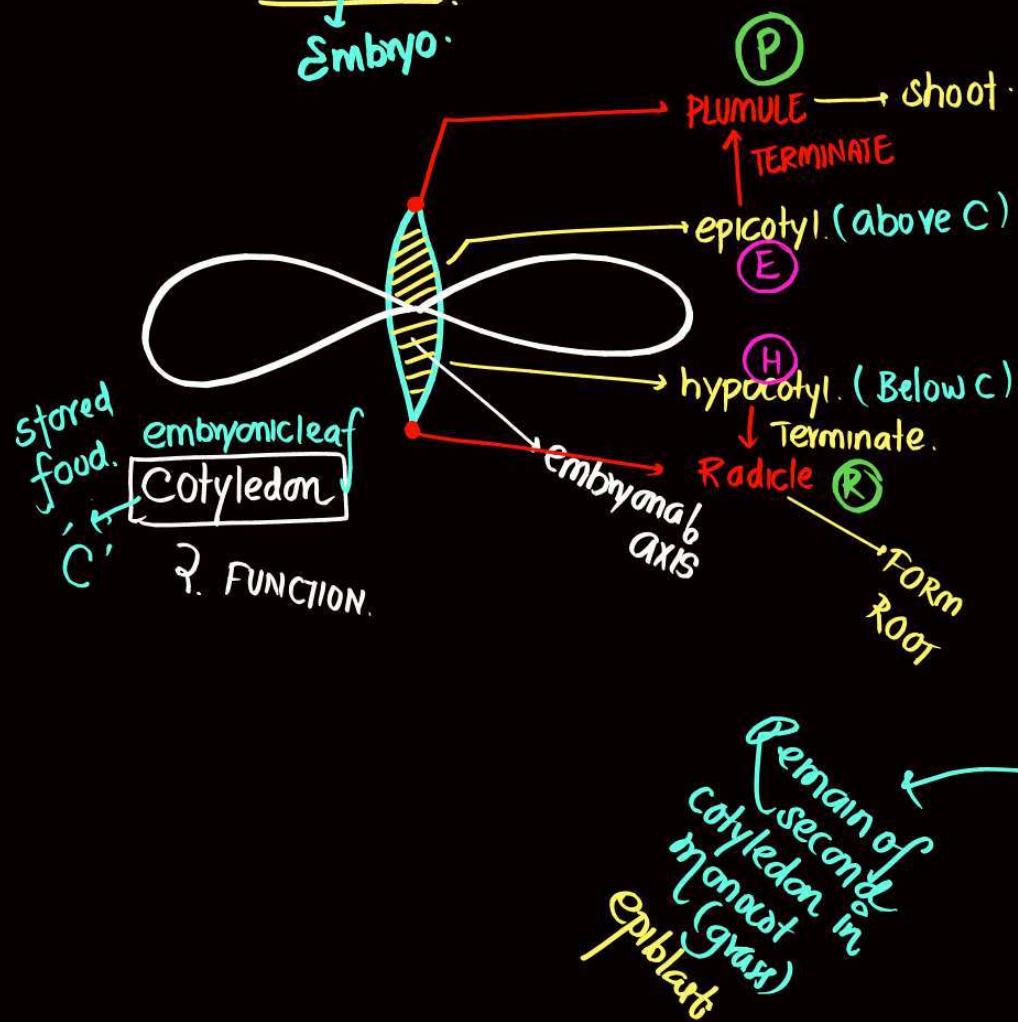
↑
most of monocot
wheat,
maize/Rice

Endospermic seed

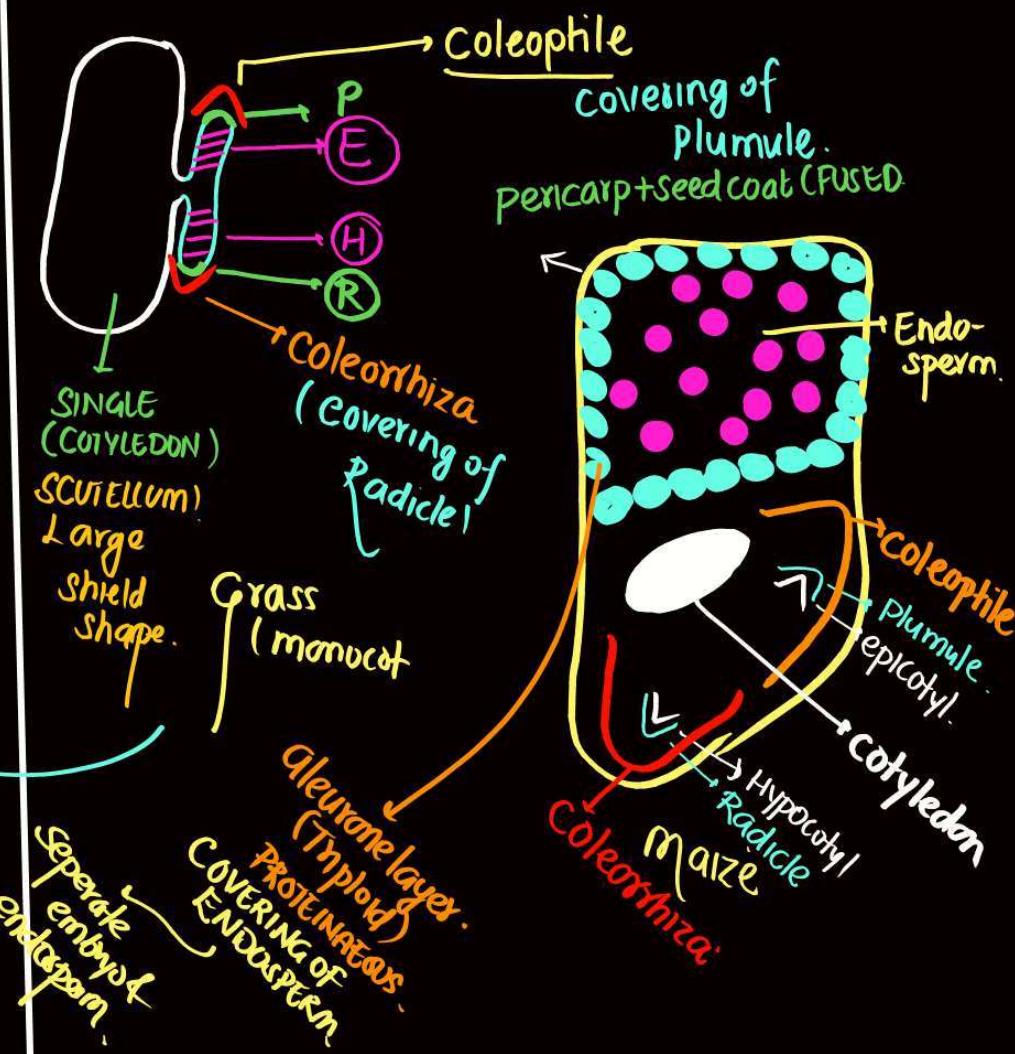
ORCHID: NON ENDOSPERMIC

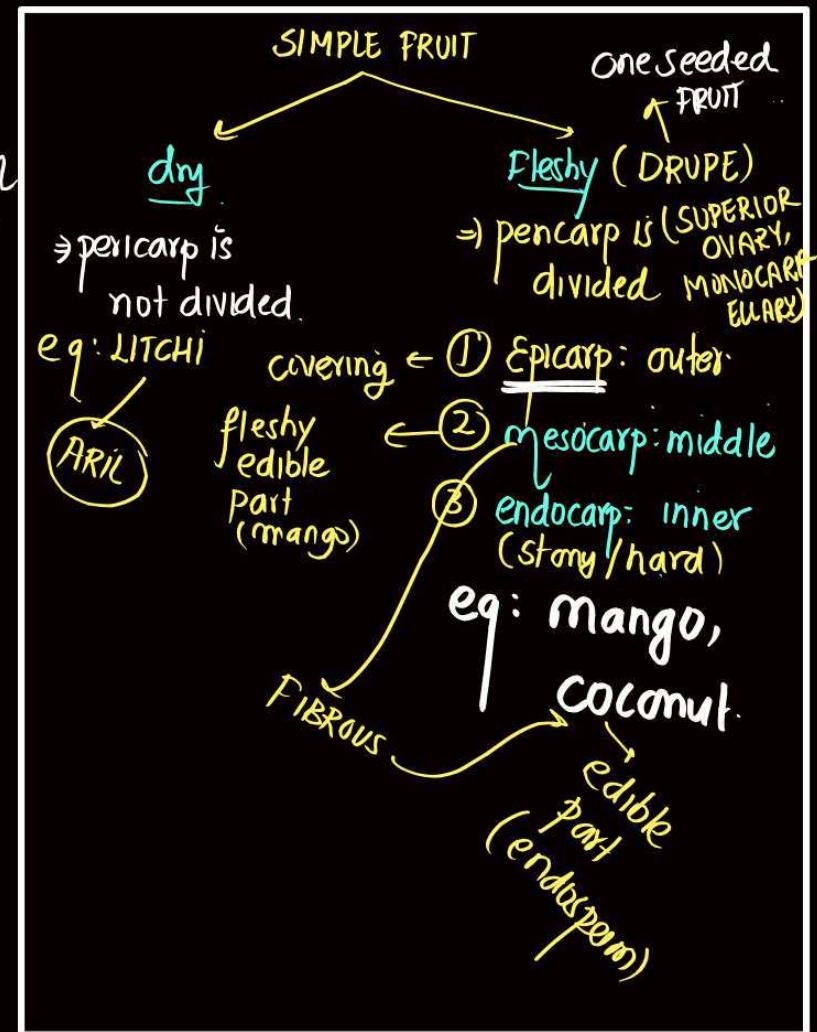
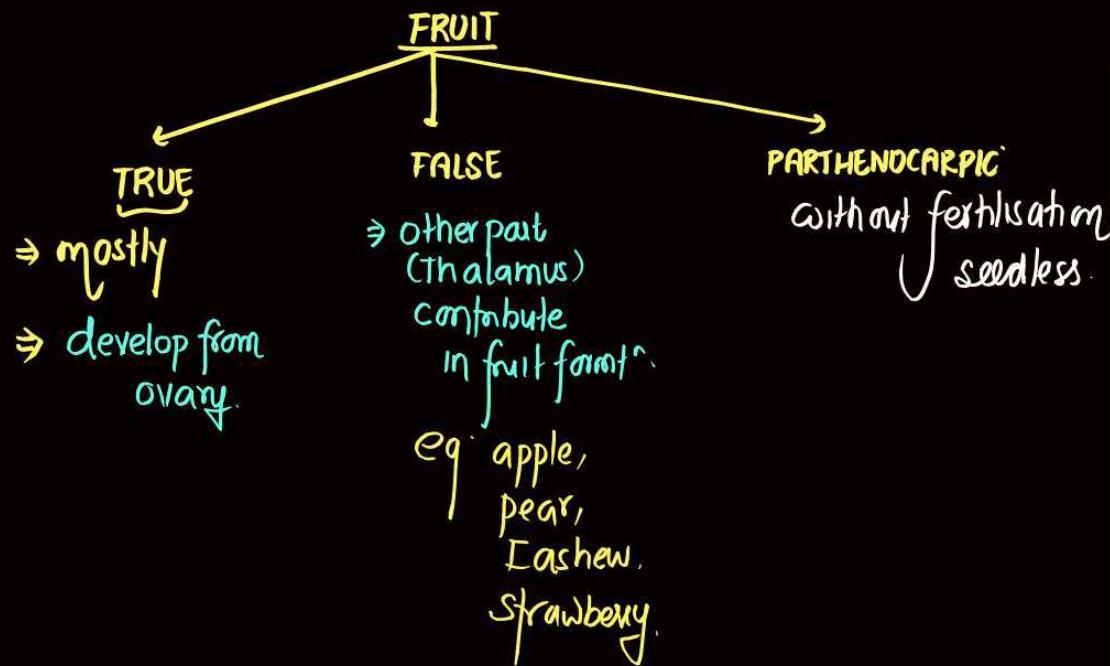
DICOT SEED

Embryo



MONOCOT SEED



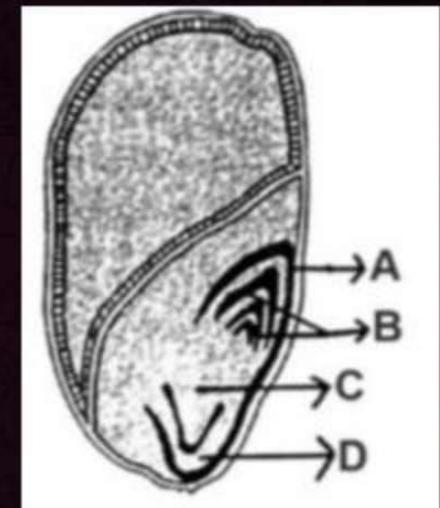


QUESTION

Identify the part of the seed from the given figure which is destined to form root when the seed germinates.

(NEET – 2024)

- 1 A
- 2 B
- 3 C
- 4 D



QUESTION



Which of the following is an example of actinomorphic flower?

(NEET – 2024)

1 *Datura* (Actino)

2 *Cassia* (Zygo)

3 *Pisum*

4 *Sesbania*

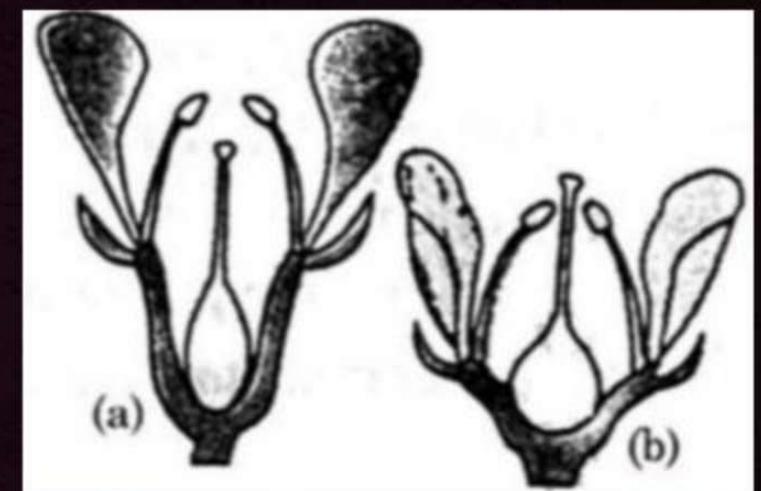
] \rightarrow Fab (zygomorp)

QUESTION

Identify the type of flowers based on the position of calyx, corolla and androecium with respect to the ovary from the given figures (a) and (b)

(NEET – 2024)

- 1** (a) Epigynous; (b) Hypogynous
- 2** (a) Hypogynous; (b) Epigynous
- 3** (a) Perigynous; (b) Epigynous
- 4** (a) Perigynous; (b) Perigynous



QUESTION

Match List I with List II

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

(NEET – 2024)

1

A-II, B-IV, C-I, D-III

2

A-I, B-II, C-III, D-IV

3

A-IV, B-III, C-II, D-I

4

A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I

	List I		List II
A.	Rose	I.	Twisted aestivation
B.	Pea	II.	Perigynous flower
C.	Cotton	III.	Drupe
D.	Mango	IV.	Marginal placentation

QUESTION

Match List I with List II

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

(NEET – 2024)

- 1** A-IV, B-II, C-I, D-III
- 2** A-IV, B-I, C-II, D-III
- 3** A-I, B-II, C-IV, D-III
- 4** A-III, B-I, C-IV, D-II

	List I (Types of Stamens)		List II (Example)
A.	Monoadelphous	I.	Citrus
B.	Diadelphous	II.	Pea
C.	Polyadelphous	III.	Lily
D.	Epiphyllous	IV.	China-rose

QUESTION



In *Calotropis*, aestivation is:

(2023-Manipur)

- 1** Imbricate
- 2** Twisted
- 3** Valvate
- 4** Vexillary



QUESTION

Match the following:

(2023-Manipur)

Select the correct option:

- 1** A-P, B-Q, C-S, D-R
- 2** A-P, B-Q, C-R, D-S
- 3** A-S, B-P, C-R, D-Q
- 4** A-R, B-P, C-Q, D-S

	List-I		List-II
A.	Zygomorphic	X	P. Mustard
B.	Hypogynous	X	Q. Plum
C.	Perigynous	X	R. <i>Cassia</i>
D.	Epigynous	→	S. Cucumber

QUESTION



In a pea flower, five petals are arranged in a specialized manner with one posterior, two lateral and two anterior. These are named as and respectively. (2023-Manipur)

- 1** Keel, Wings and Standard
- 2** Vexillum, Keel and Standard
- 3** Keel, Standard and Carina
- 4** Standard, Wings and Keel

QUESTION



(2023)

Axile placentation is observed in;

1

A M $M.$
China rose, Beans and Lupin

2

A $F.C$ M^{Fab}
Tomato, *Dianthus* and Pea

3

A A A
China rose, *Petunia* and Lemon
(soln)

4

Mustard, Cucumber and Primrose

P

P

$F.C$

QUESTION



(2022)

Identify the correct set of statements:

- A. ~~The leaflets~~ ^{AXILL. BUD} are modified into pointed hard thorns in *Citrus* and *Bougainvillea*.
- B. Axillary buds form slender and spirally coiled tendrils in cucumber and pumpkin.
- C. Stem is flattened and fleshy in *Opuntia* and modified to perform the function of leaves. ^(Phylloclad)
- D. *Rhizophora* shows vertically upward growing roots that help to get oxygen for respiration.
- E. Subaerially growing stems in grasses and strawberry help in vegetative propagation.

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- 1 A, B, D, and E only
3 A, D only

- 2 B, C only
4 B, C, D and E only

QUESTION



(2022)

The flowers are zygomorphic in:

- A. Mustard 
- B. Gulmohar 
- C. *Cassia* 
- D. *Datura* 
- E. Chilly 

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Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- 1 C, D and E only
- 2 A, B and C Only
- 3 B and C only
- 4 D and E only

QUESTION



Which one of the following plants shows vexillary aestivation and diadelphous stamens?

(2022)

- 1 *Solanum nigrum*
- 2 *Colchicum autumnale*
- 3 *Pisum sativum*
- 4 *Allium cepa*

QUESTION

Match List-I with List-II.

(2022 Phase-II)

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- 1** A-Q, B-P, C-R, D-S
- 2** A-Q, B-P, C-S, D-R
- 3** A-Q, B-S, C-R, D-P
- 4** A-P, B-R, C-S, D-Q

	List-I		List-II
A.	Imbricate	P.	<i>Calotropis</i>
B.	Valvate	Q.	<i>Cassia</i>
C.	Vexillary	R.	Cotton
D.	Twisted	S.	Bean

QUESTION



Which of the following statement is NOT correct?

(2022 Phase-II)

- 1 Rhizome is a condensed form of stem
- 2 The apical bud in rhizome always remains above the ground
- 3 The rhizome is aerial with ~~no~~^(stem) distinct nodes and internodes
- 4 The rhizome is thick, prostrate and branched

QUESTION



(2021)

Diadelphous stamens are found in:

- 1 Pea ✓
- 2 China rose and *Citrus*
- 3 China rose
- 4 *Citrus*

QUESTION



(2020)

The roots that originate from the base of the stem are:

- 1** Primary roots
- 2** Prop roots
- 3** Lateral roots
- 4** Fibrous roots



QUESTION



(2020)

Ray florets have:

- 1** Superior ovary
- 2** Hypogynous ovary
- 3** Half inferior ovary
- 4** Inferior ovary

QUESTION



(2020)

The ovary is half inferior in:

- 1** Mustard
- 2** Sunflower
- 3** Plum ✓
- 4** Brinjal

QUESTION



Correct position of floral parts over thalamus in mustard plant is-

(2020 Covid)

- 1 Margin of the thalamus grows upward, enclosing the ovary completely, and other parts arise below the ovary
- 2 Gynoecium is present in the centre and other parts cover it partially
- 3 Gynoecium is situated in the centre, and other parts of the flower are located at the rim of the thalamus, at the same level
- 4 Gynoecium occupies the highest position, while the other parts are situated below it

QUESTION



Identify the correct features of Mango and Coconut fruits.

(2020 Covid)

- (i) In both fruit is a drupe ✓
- (ii) Endocarp is edible in both ✗
- (iii) Mesocarp in Coconut is fibrous, and in Mango it is fleshy
- (iv) In both, fruit develops from monocarpellary ovary

Select the correct option from below:

- 1** (i), (ii) and (iii) only ✗
- 2** (i) and (iv) only
- 3** (i) and (ii) only ✗
- 4** (i), (iii) and (iv) only ✓

QUESTION



Placentation, in which ovules develop on the inner wall of the ovary or in peripheral part,
is:

(2019)

- 1** Free central
- 2** basal
- 3** Axile
- 4** Parietal

QUESTION



Which of the following shows whorled phyllotaxy?

(2019 Odisha)

- 1** Mustard
- 2** China rose
- 3** *Alstonia*
- 4** *Calotropis*



QUESTION

Match the placental types List-I with their examples List-II.

(2019 Odisha)

Choose the correct answer from the following options:

- 1** A-Q, B-R, C-S, D-P
- 2** A-P, B-Q, C-R, D-S
- 3** A-S, B-Q, C-P, D-R
- 4** A-R, B-S, C-P, D-Q

	List-I		List-II
A.	Basal	P.	Mustard
B.	Axile	Q.	China rose
C.	Parietal	R.	<i>Dianthus</i>
D.	Free central	S.	Sunflower

QUESTION



(2018)

Sweet potato is a modified;

- 1 Stem
- 2 Adventitious root
- 3 Tap root
- 4 Rhizome



QUESTION



(2017)

Root hairs develop from the region of:

- 1** Elongation
- 2** Root cap
- 3** Meristematic activity
- 4** Maturation

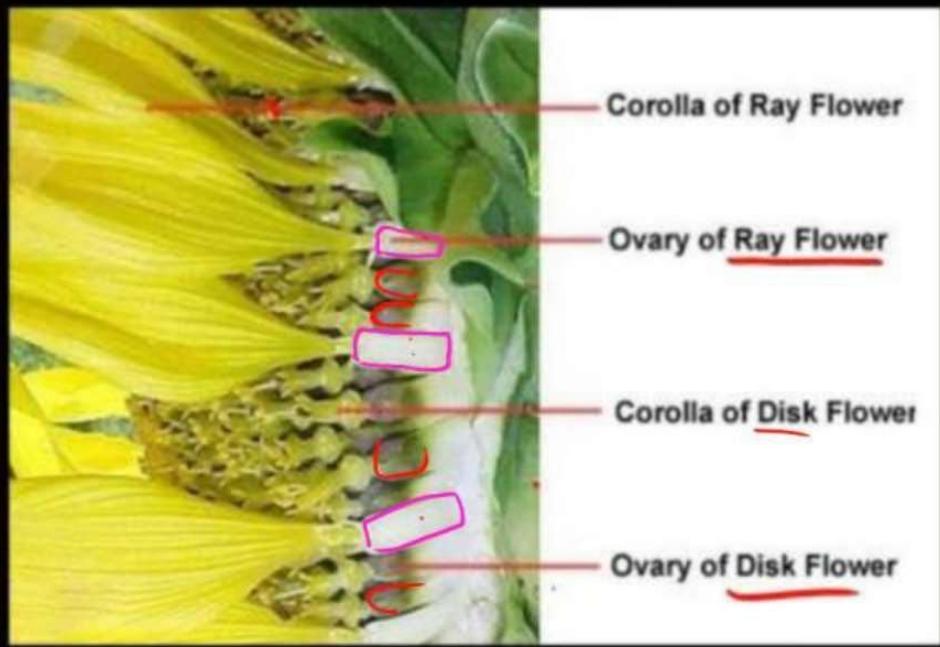
QUESTION



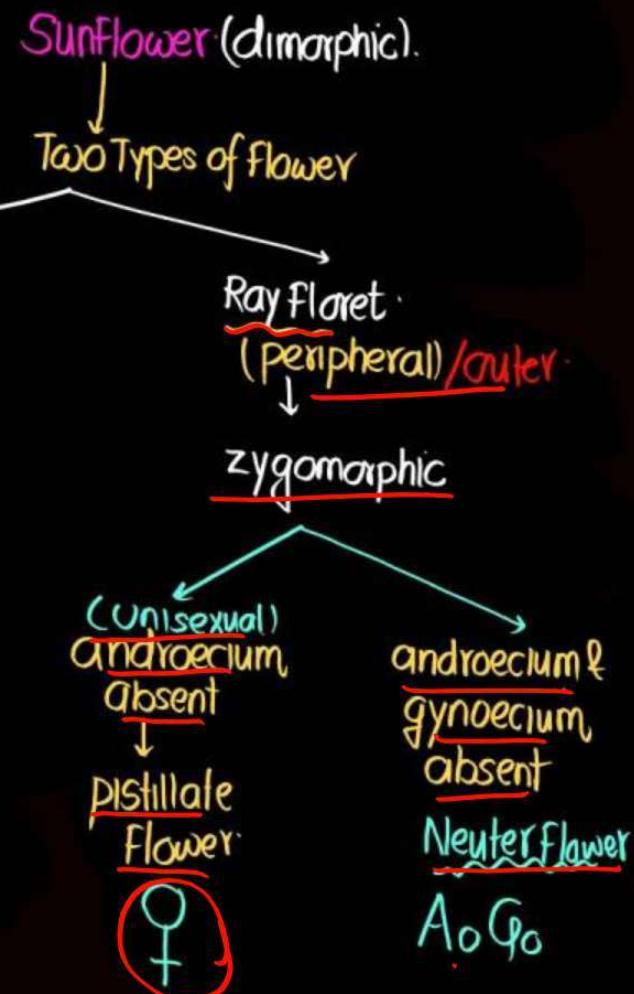
Coconut fruit is a:

(2017-Delhi)

- 1** Drupe
- 2** Berry
- 3** Nut
- 4** Capsule



- a) Stamen: ♂ (Unisex)
- b) pistil : ♀ (Unisex)
- c) stamen & pistil: Bisexual: ♂♀



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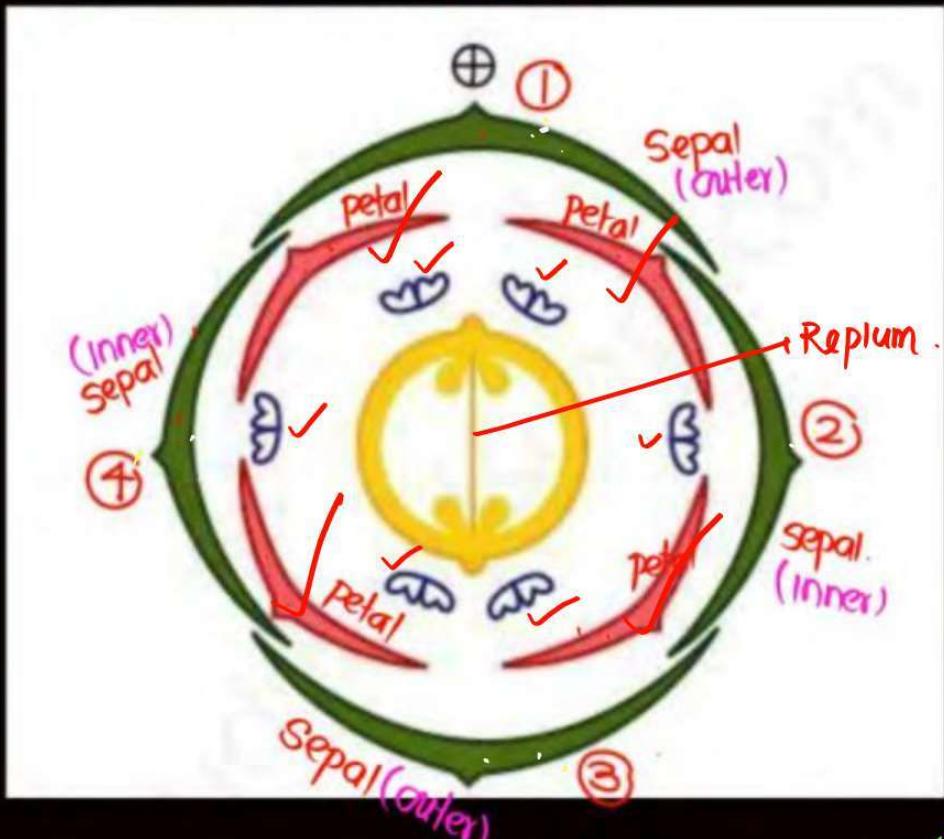
Character	CRUCIFERAE OR Brassicaceae	Fabaceae	Solanaceae	Liliaceae	GRAMINAE OR Poaceae	Malvaceae	COMPOSITAE OR Asteraceae
DICOT OR MONOCOT	(D)	(D)	(D)	M	(M) (Advanced)	(D)	(D) (Advanced).
Infl orescence	Racemose	Racemose	Solitary axillary, Cymose in Solanum.	Racemose (Umbellate Cluster). ONION	Racemose	Racemose	Racemose.
Symmetry	Act	Zygo	Act	Act	Zy	Act.	Centre. disc floret: actinom Bisexual Ray Floret: zygomorphic (Pistillate & Neuter Flower)
Bisexual/ Unisexual.	B	B	B	B	B	B.	BISEXUAL & UNISEXUAL.
OVARY	Supenor	S	S	S	S	S	Inferior ovary.

(grass Family)

Character	Brassicaceae	Fabaceae	Solanaceae	Liliaceae	Poaceae	Malvaceae	Asteraceae
Flower	Hypog.	Hypo.	Hypo.	Hypo.	Hypo.	Hypogy.	epigynous
Floral Appendages	(4) (Tetramerous)	(5) (Penta)	(5) (Penta)	3 (Trimerous)	3 (Tri)	(5) (Penta)	(5) (Penta)
Seed.	Non-endo	Non-endo	endospermic	Endosp.	Endosp.	Non-endo	Non-endo
ebract/ Bracteate	Ebr	Br	Br	Br	Br	Br	Br
Placentation	Parietal	Marginal	Axile	Axile	Basal.	Axile	Basal.
FRUIT	<u>Siliqua</u> / <u>Silicula</u>	Legume	<u>Berry</u> (Mostly) <u>Capsule</u>	<u>Capsule</u> (Mostly) <u>Berry</u>	Caryopsis	Capsule	cypsela

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Brassicaceae / cruciferae



K.

Calyx: 4 Sepal. $\begin{cases} 2: \text{OUTER} \\ 2: \text{INNER} \end{cases}$ K₂₊₂, imbricate

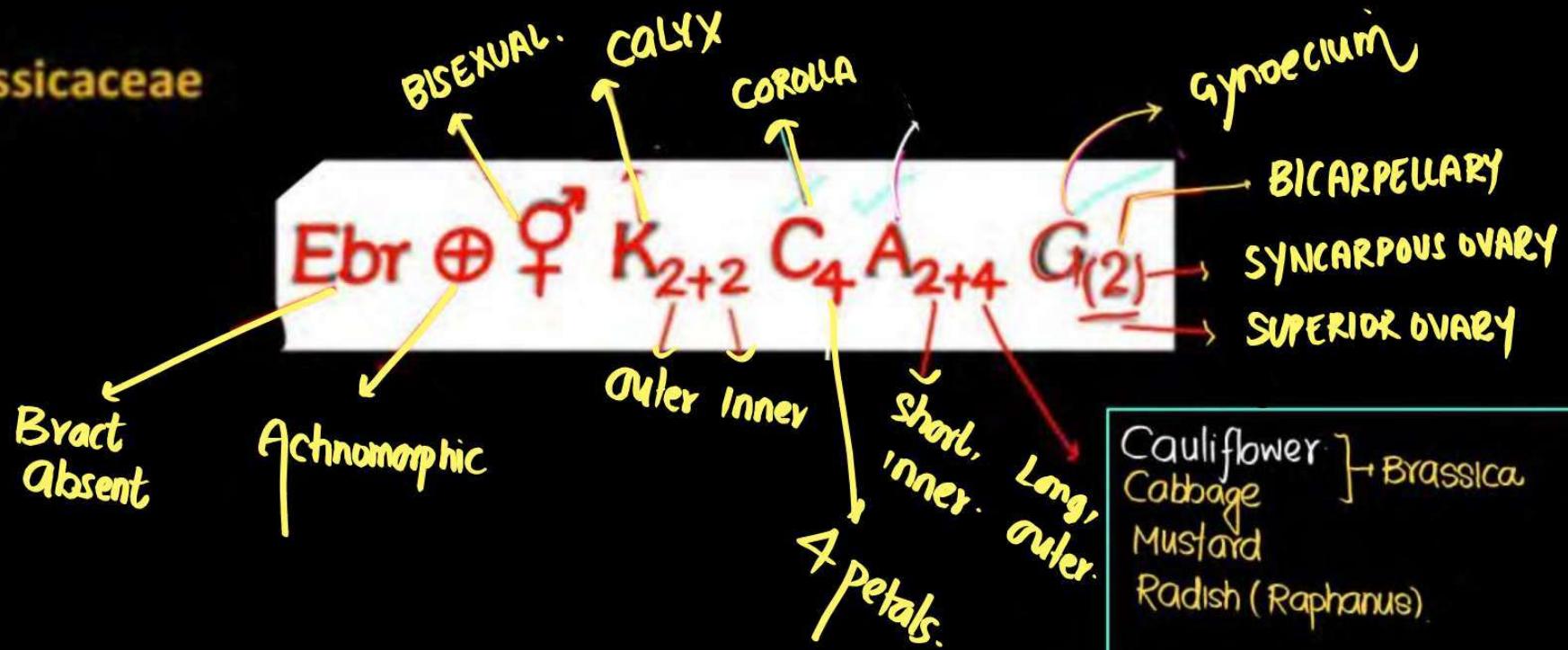
COROLLA: 4 Petals: valvate C₄.

Androecium: 6 stamen A₂₊₄.

$\begin{cases} 2 \\ 4 \end{cases}$
outer, short
(inner, long)

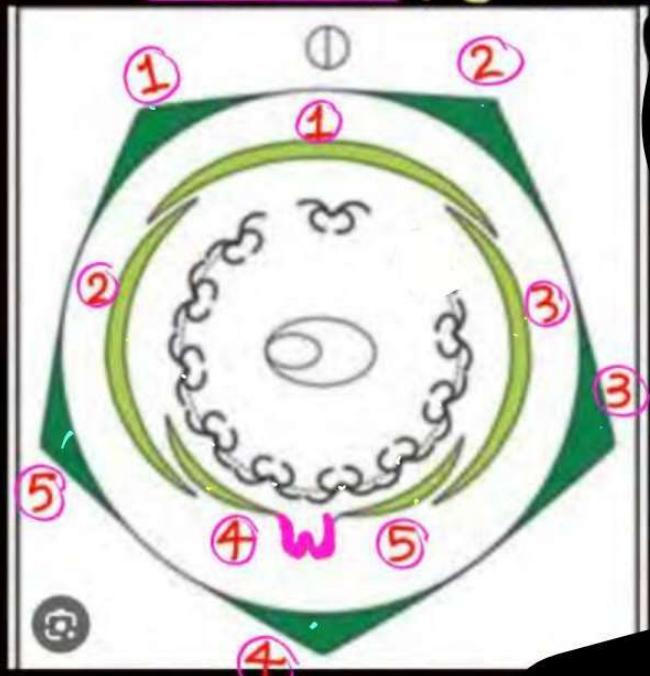
Gynoecium: Unilocular But Becomes
BILOCULAR due to false
septa (Replum)

$G_{(2)}$
Bicarpellary, Syncarpous
ovary (fused)

Brassicaceae

Cauliflower
Cabbage
Mustard
Radish (*Raphanus*) } Brassica

Fabaceae (leguminosae).



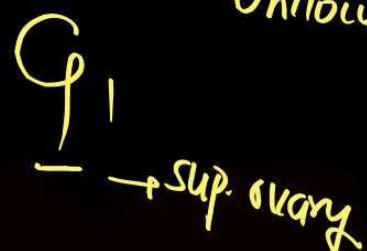
Calyx: Sepal 5, FUSED, gamosepalous, valvate. K(5)

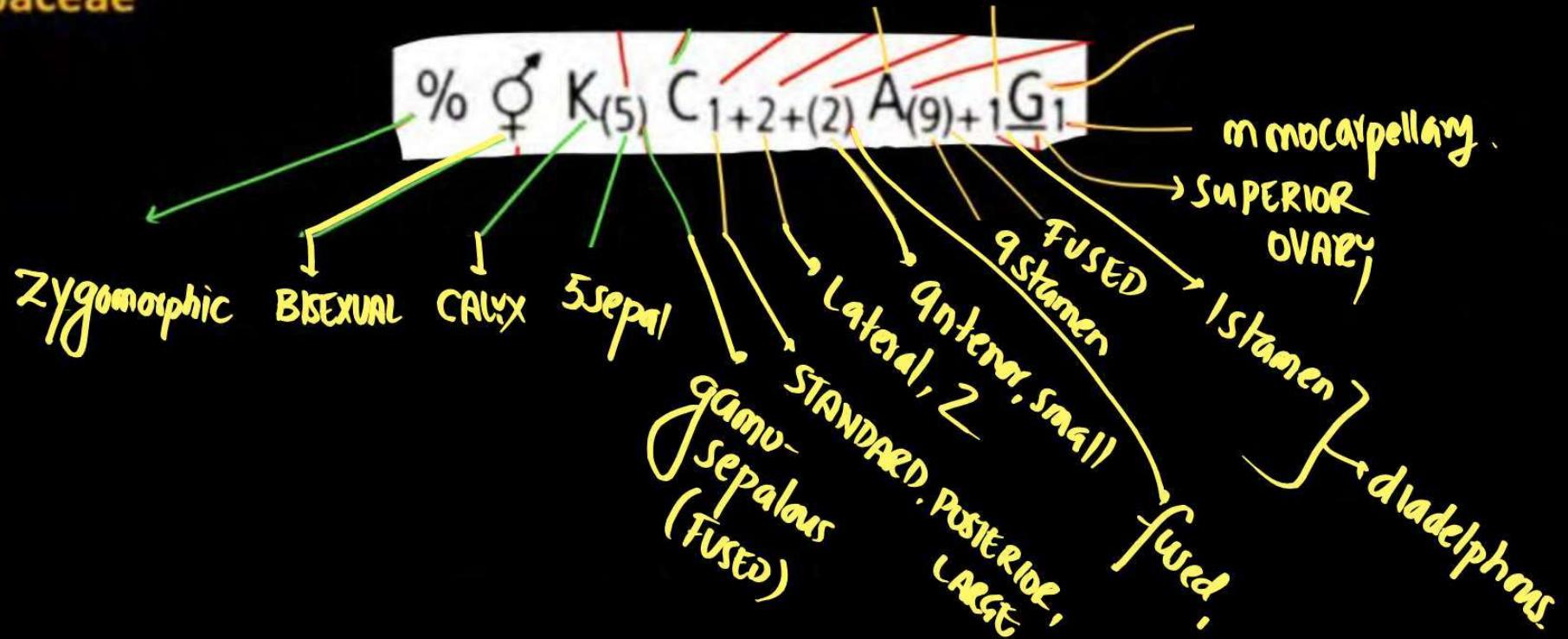
Corolla: C₁₊₂₊₍₂₎ vexillary aestivation.
Standard wings keel.



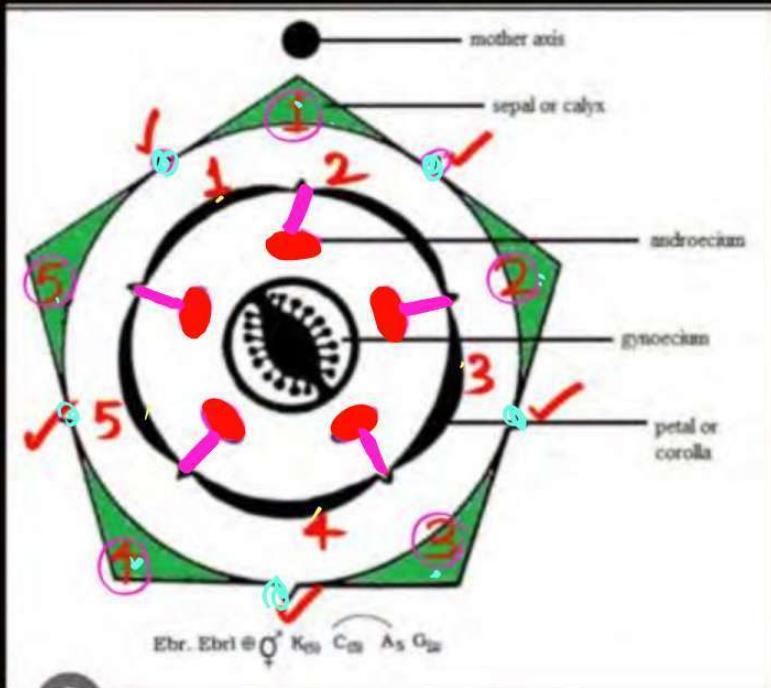
Androecium: A (9) + 1 \Rightarrow DIADELPHOUS.
One BUNDLE FUSED ONE BUNDLE

Gynoecium: monocarpellary,
Unilocular.



Fabaceae

Solanaceae



Persistent calyx

Calyx: 5 sepal, fused, gamosepalous, valvate $K(5)$

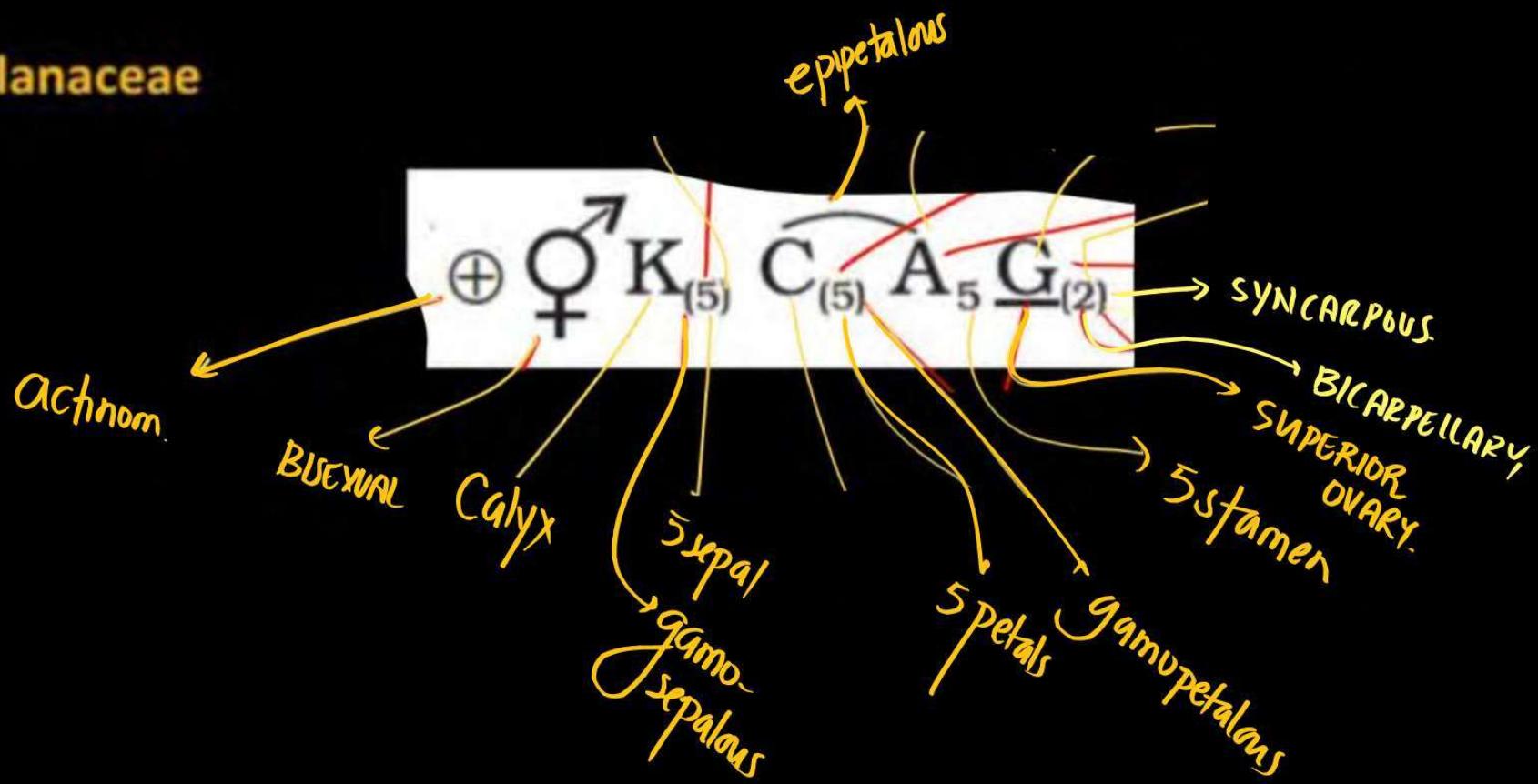
Corolla: 5 petal, Fused gamopetalous, Valvate, $C(5)$.

Androecium: 5 stamen, stamen attach to petal.
epipetalous.

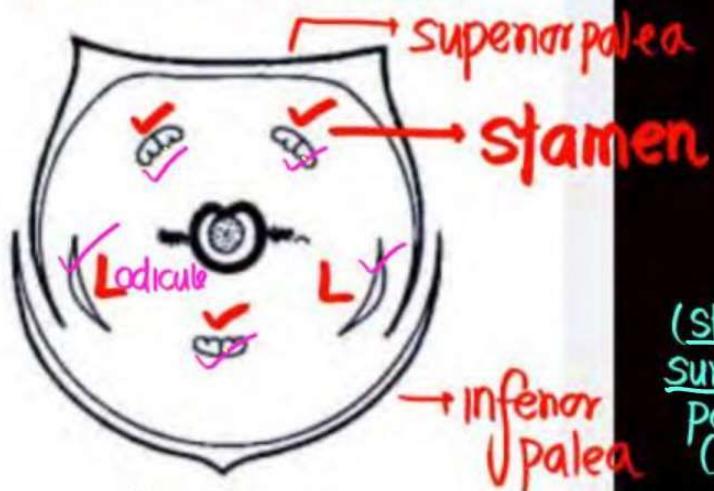
$C(5) A_5$

Gynoecium: Bicarpellary, Bilocular, Syncarpous ovary

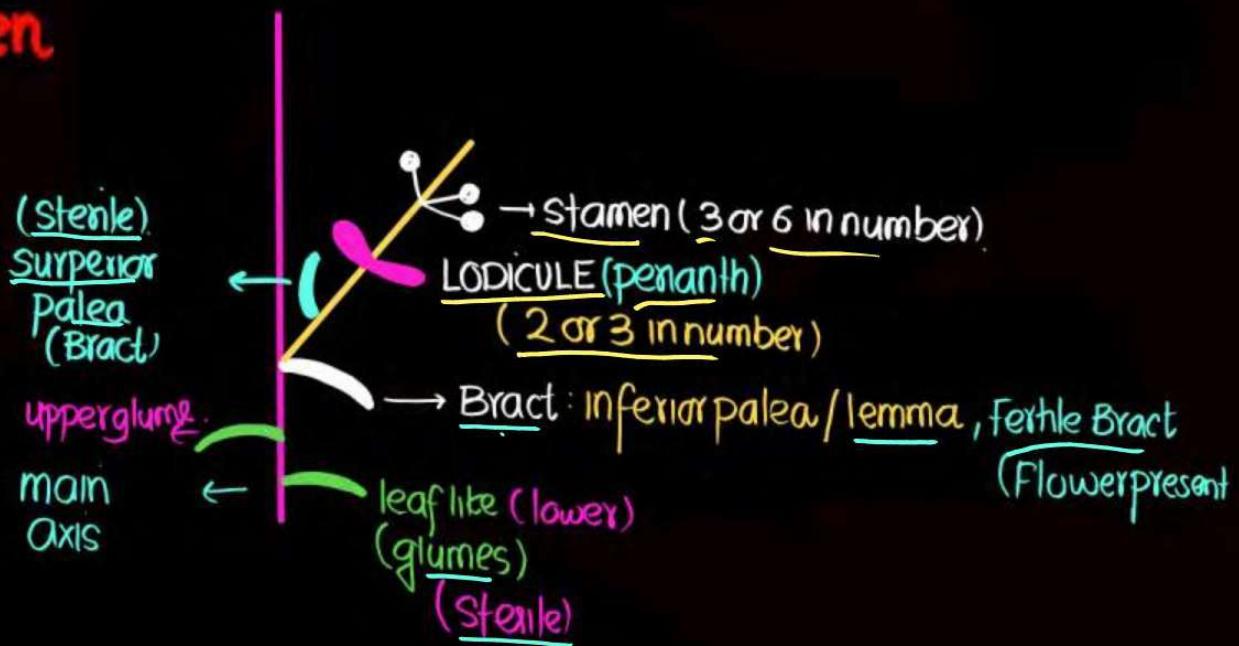
$Q(2)$
SUR Ovary

Solanaceae

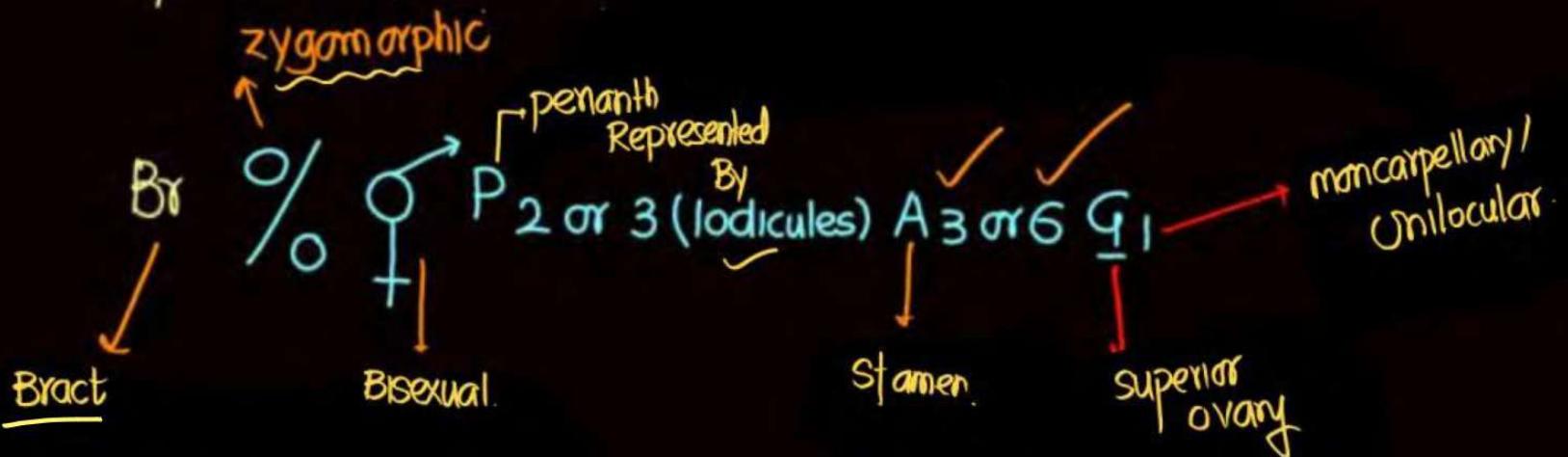
Poaceae / Gramineae



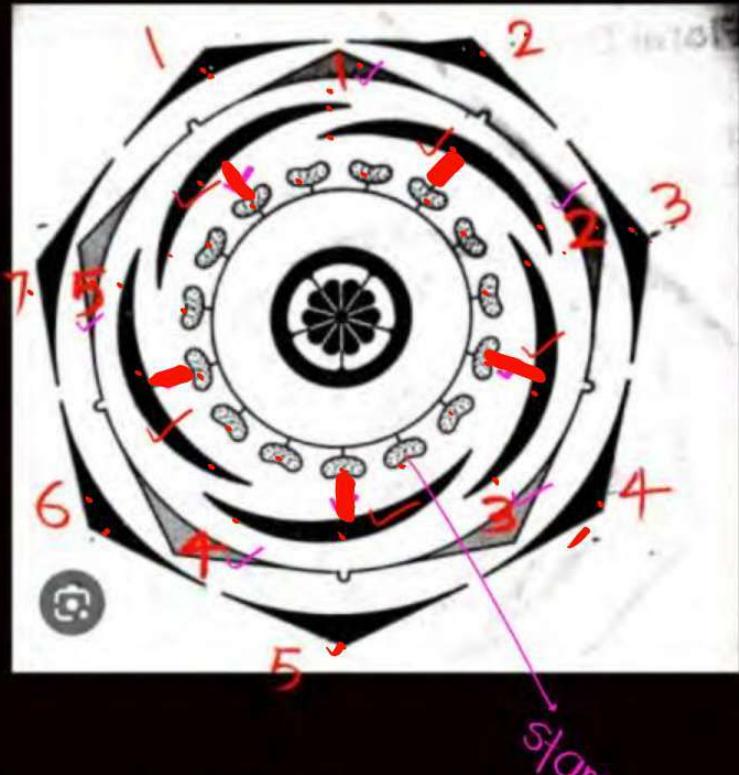
Poaceae (inflorescence)



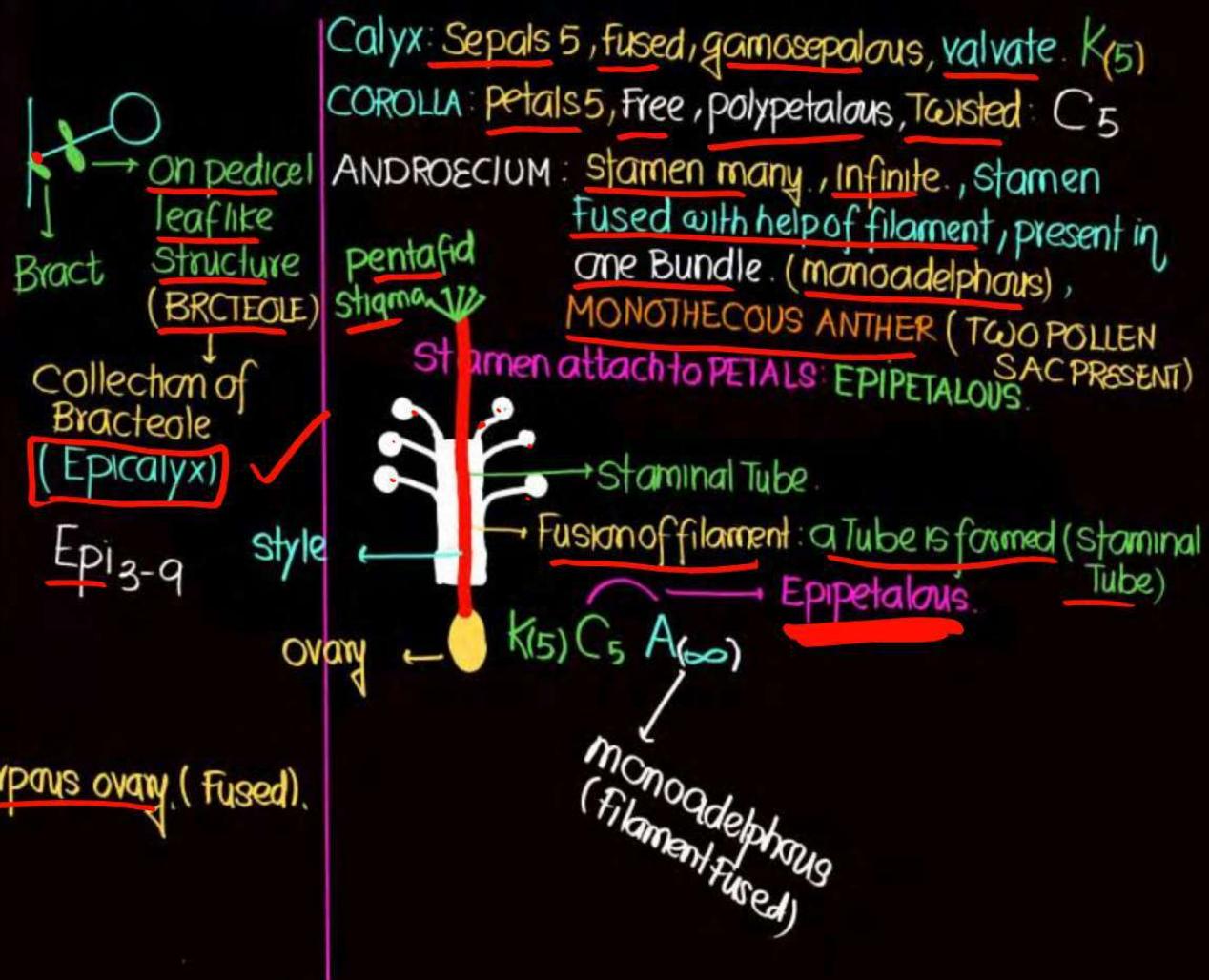
Gramineae (poaceae)



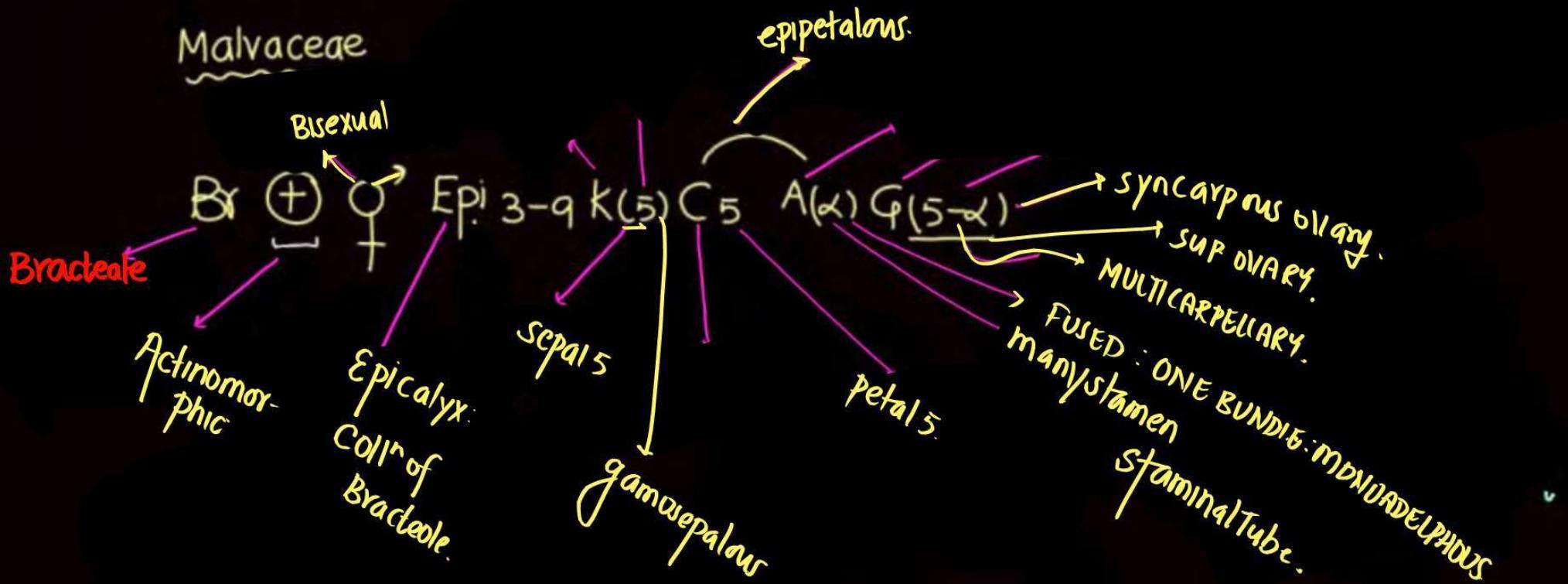
Malvaceae (China Rose (Hibiscus), Cotton, ladyfinger)

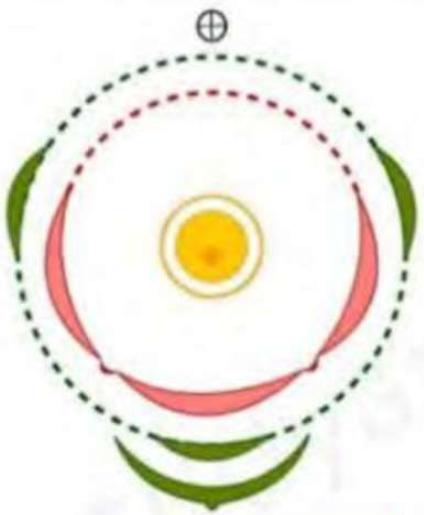


Gynoecium: Multilocular, Multicarpellary, syncarpous ovary (fused).
many ovules.



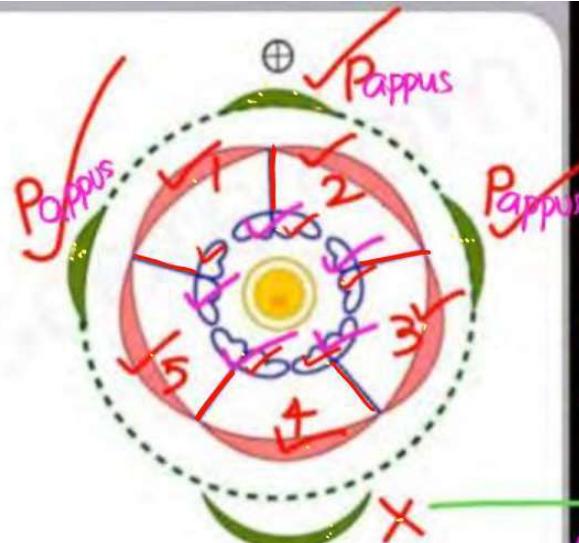
Malvaceae





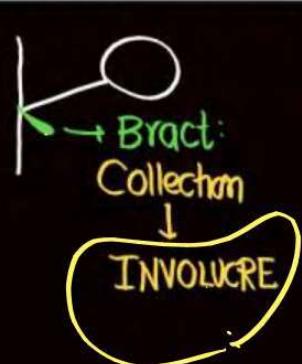
Floral Diagram of Ray floret

Floral formula: Br % ♀ K₍₂₋₃₎ C₍₃₋₅₎ A₁ G₍₂₎



Floral Diagram of Disc floret

Floral formula: Br ⊕ ♂ K₂₋₃ C₍₅₎ A₅ G₍₂₎



pappus
Calyx modify into
Hair like structure
pappus
(Helps in fruit
dispersal)
fruit
(cypsela)

Asteraceae / Composite (sunflower), mangold.
Helianthus annus.

DISC FIORET

Actinomorphic (+), Bisexual

Calyx: modify into Pappus: K pappus.

Corolla: 5 petals, fused, gamopetalous, valvate
(5)



Collection
of Bract

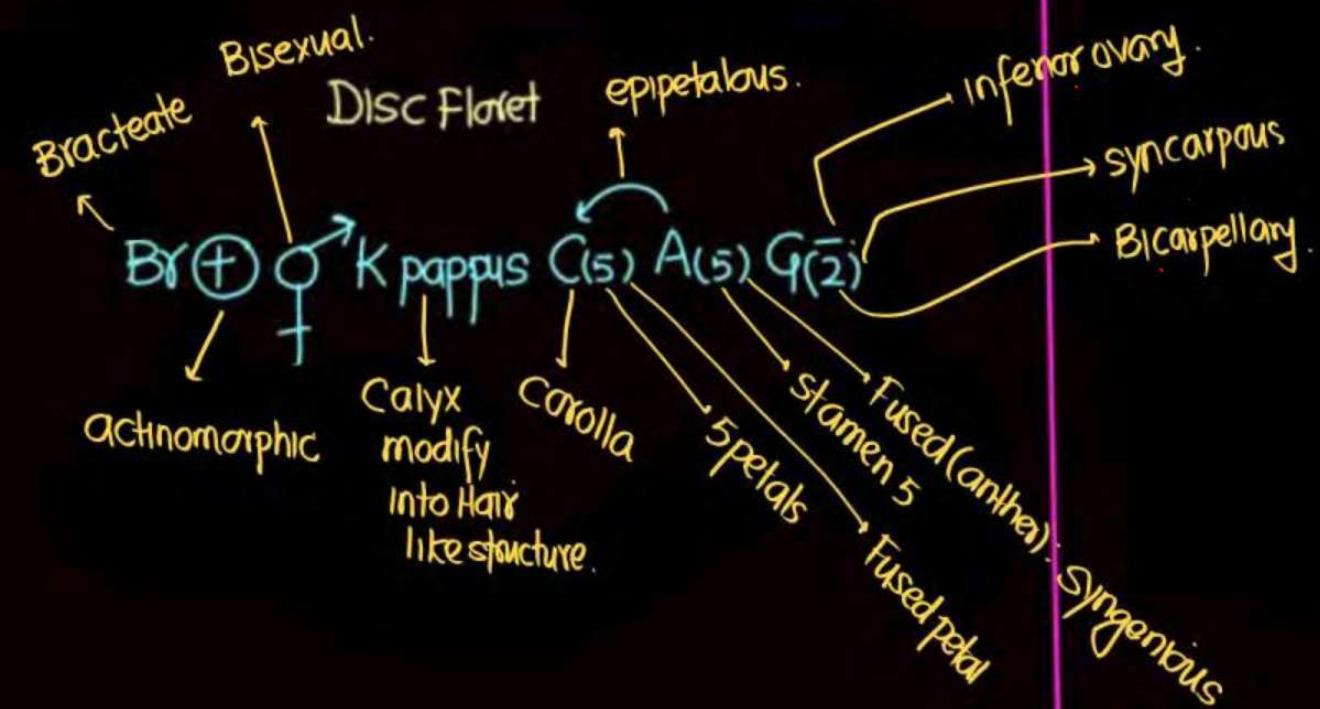
Androecium: stamen 5, fused with help of
anther (SYNGENIOUS)

Stamen attach to petals: Epipetalous.

K pappus C₍₅₎ A₍₅₎

Gynoecium: Unilocular, Bicarpellary, syncarpous
ovary, inferior ovary.

Asteraceae/Compositae



Asteraceae/Compositae (Ray Floret)

zygomorphic %

pistil present
stamen absent
(pistillate flower)
Unisexual

♀
 $\text{A} \circ \text{G}(2)$

pistil stamen absent
(Neuter flower)

$\text{A} \circ \text{G}_0$

