

# Excretory Products and their Elimination

- Assertion (A):** The wall of atria release ANF in response to high B.P. and blood volume.

**Reason (R):** ANF acts as vasodilator and inhibits the release of renin to lower the blood pressure.

  - Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
  - Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
  - (A) is true but (R) is false
  - Both (A) and (R) are false
- Assertion (A):** Mostly aquatic animals are ammonotelic.

**Reason (R):** Ammonia is the most toxic form and requires large amount of water for its elimination.

  - Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
  - Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
  - (A) is true but (R) is false
  - Both (A) and (R) are false
- Assertion (A):** Uricotelism is terrestrial adaptation.

**Reason (R):** Uric acid is least toxic and can be removed with a minimum loss of water.

  - Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
  - Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
  - (A) is true but (R) is false
  - Both (A) and (R) are false
- Assertion (A):** In PCT all of the essential nutrient and 70–80 percent of electrolytes and water are reabsorbed.

**Reason (R):** PCT is lined by simple cuboidal brush border epithelium which increases the surface area for reabsorption.

  - Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
  - Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
  - (A) is true but (R) is false
  - Both (A) and (R) are false
- Assertion (A):** When filtrate pass through descending limb of loop of Henle it becomes concentrate.

**Reason (R):** Descending limb allows transport of electrolytes actively or passively.

  - Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
  - Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
  - (A) is true but (R) is false
  - Both (A) and (R) are false
- Assertion (A):** Mammals have the ability to produce a concentrated urine.

**Reason (R):** Counter current mechanism occurs in vasa recta and Henle's loop.

  - Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
  - Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
  - (A) is true but (R) is false
  - Both (A) and (R) are false
- Assertion (A):** An increase in glomerular blood pressure can activate the JG cells of kidney to release renin.

**Reason (R):** Angiotensin I is a powerful vaso constrictor.

  - Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
  - Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
  - (A) is true but (R) is false
  - Both (A) and (R) are false



**8. Assertion (A):** An increase in body fluid volume activate osmoreceptors, which stimulate the hypothalamus to release ADH.

**Reason (R):** ADH facilitates water reabsorption from later parts of the tubule.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**9. Assertion (A):** Nearly 99 percent of the filtrate has to be reabsorbed by the renal tubules.

**Reason (R):** Glucose is reabsorbed by active mechanism in PCT.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**10. Assertion (A):** The primary function of sweat is to facilitate a cooling effect on the body surface.

**Reason (R):** Small amount of nitrogenous wastes could be eliminated through saliva.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**11. Assertion (A):** The descending limb of loop of Henle is permeable to water but almost impermeable to electrolytes.

**Reason (R):** Henle's loop plays a significant role in the maintenance of high osmolarity of medullary interstitial fluid.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**12. Assertion (A):** In cortical nephrons, the loop of Henle is too short and extends only very little into medulla.

**Reason (R):** Vasa recta is absent or highly reduced in cortical nephrons.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**13. Assertion (A):** ADH prevents diuresis.

**Reason (R):** ADH also affect the kidney function by its constrictory effects on blood vessels.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**14. Assertion (A):** The JGA plays a complex regulatory role.

**Reason (R):** An increase in glomerular blood flow/GFR can activate JG cells to release renin.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**15. Assertion (A):** An increase in blood flow to the atria of heart can cause the release of ANF.

**Reason (R):** ANF can cause vasodilation and decrease the Blood pressure.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**16. Assertion (A):** Haemodialysis method is used in case of kidney failure.

**Reason (R):** Malfunctioning of kidney leads to uremia.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**17. Assertion (A):** Proximal convoluted tubule is lined by brush-bordered cuboidal epithelium.

**Reason (R):** PCT is main site of selective reabsorption of useful materials from nephric filtrate.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**18. Assertion (A):** Diabetes insipidus is marked by excessive urination and too much thirst for water.

**Reason (R):** Anti-diuretic hormone is secreted by the posterior lobe of pituitary gland.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**19. Assertion (A):** Antidiuretic hormone, increases the water permeability of distal convoluted tubule.

**Reason (R):** In the absence of ADH, water re-absorption is considerably increases.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**20. Assertion (A):** Rate of glomerular filtration is directly proportional to secretion of renin from juxta-glomerular cells.

**Reason (R):** Renin converts angiotenin-I into angiotenins II, which causes constriction of efferent arteriole.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**21. Assertion (A):** Human heart is myogenic.

**Reason (R):** Right atrium of human heart has SA node.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
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- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**22. Assertion (A):** Counter current mechanism operates in juxta-medullary nephrons.

**Reason (R):** In juxta-medullary nephrons loop of Henle is present only in cortex region and in close proximity with vasa recta

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
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- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**23. Assertion (A):** Aldosterone is the main mineralocorticoid of the human body

**Reason (R):** Aldosterone is a type of corticoid which regulates the balance of water and electrolytes.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**24. Assertion (A):** Diabetes insipidus is marked by excessive urination and too much thirst.

**Reason (R):** Anti-Diuretic hormone (ADH) is released from posterior lobe of pituitary gland

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**25. Assertion (A):** In the descending limb of loop of Henle, the urine is hypertonic while in ascending limb of loop of Henle, the urine is hypotonic

**Reason (R):** Descending limb of loop of Henle is permeable to water, and ascending limb is impermeable to salts.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**26. Assertion (A):** Atrial Natriuretic Factor is released by wall of atria.

**Reason (R):** It inhibits the release of renin from juxtaglomerular apparatus.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**27. Assertion (A):** Glomerular filtration is considered as a process of ultra-filtration.

**Reason (R):** The glomerular capillary blood pressure causes filtration through three layers.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**28. Assertion (A):** Tubular secretion helps in the maintenance of ionic and acid base balance of body fluids.

**Reason (R):** During urine formation, the tubular cells secrete substances like H<sup>+</sup>, K<sup>+</sup> and ammonia into the filtrate.

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- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**29. Assertion (A):** Terrestrial adaptation in animals necessitated the production of lesser toxic nitrogenous metabolic wastes.

**Reason (R):** Terrestrial animals must conserve water.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
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- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false

**30. Assertion (A):** ADH prevents diuresis.

**Reason (R):** ADH facilitates water reabsorption from the latter parts of the tubule.

- (1) Both (A) & (R) are true and the (R) is the correct explanation of the (A)
- (2) Both (A) & (R) are true but the (R) is not the correct explanation of the (A)
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false



**Directions:** In the following questions, a statement of assertion is followed by a statement of reason.

Mark the correct choice as:

- (a) If both Assertion and Reason are true and Reason is the correct explanation of Assertion.
- (b) If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not the correct explanation of Assertion.
- (c) If Assertion is true but Reason is false.
- (d) If both Assertion and Reason are false.

31. **Assertion:** Ammonia should be removed from the body as rapidly as it is formed.  
**Reason:** In water, ammonia is insoluble.

32. **Assertion:** Comparative to uric acid, urea is a more toxic excretory substance.  
**Reason:** Birds and insects are uricotelic animals.

33. **Assertion :** If human urine is allowed to stand for some time, it smells strongly of ammonia.  
**Reason :** Main constituent of human urine is ammonia.

34. **Assertion:** In cortical nephrons, vasa recta is absent or highly reduced.  
**Reason:** Cortical nephrons are mainly concerned with concentration of urine.

35. **Assertion:** Ultrafiltration takes place in presence of effective filtration pressure.  
**Reason:** In ultrafiltration process, blood is filtered in Bowman's capsule, filtered fluid contain protein & blood corpuscles also.

36. **Assertion:** Angiotensin II increases the glomerular blood pressure thereby GFR.  
**Reason:** To release renin, angiotensin II activates the JG cells.

37. **Assertion:** Vasopressin increases the water permeability of distal convoluted tubule.  
**Reason:** In absence of ADH, water re-absorption is considerably reduced.

38. **Assertion :** Renal threshold of glucose is said to be 180 mg per 100 ml.

**Reason :** Glucose starts appearing in the urine when its blood level exceed 180 mg per 100 ml of blood.

39. **Assertion :** Kidneys maintain the osmotic concentration of the blood.

**Reason:** Kidneys eliminate either hypotonic or hypertonic urine according to the need of the body.

40. **Assertion :** Secreting hypotonic urine is effective in reducing urinary loss of water.

**Reason:** Hypotonic urine is more concentrated and higher in osmotic pressure than the blood.

41. **Assertion:** For the regulation of glomerular filtration rate (GFR), the kidneys have built in mechanisms.

**Reason:** ANF mechanism is one such efficient mechanism.

42. **Assertion:** Deamination take place in liver cells, during the physiology of excretion.

**Reason:** Deamination is a process to make use of excess of amino acids that cannot be incorporated into the protoplasm.

43. **Assertion (A):** When the urine moves through the descending limb, it become hypertonic and as it passes through the ascending limb of Henle's loop it becomes hypotonic.

**Reason (R):** The descending limb is permeable to sodium ions, while the ascending limb is impermeable to sodium ions.

44. **Assertion:** In producing a concentrated urine the Henle's loop and vasa recta play a significant role.

**Reason:** Henle's loop and vasa recta helps in the counter current arrangement.



### ANSWER KEY

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Ans.	2	3	2	3	3	2	1	1	1	1										

31.	32.	33.	34.	35.	36.	37.	38.	39.	40.	41.	42.	43.	44.			
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