

1. Why does silk have different varieties? [2]

2. Why caterpillars should not be collected with bare hands? [2]

3. What do you mean by the white fleece of the lamb? [2]

4. Differentiate between natural and man-made fibers. [3]

5. Write a note on rearing silkworm. [3]

6. What do you mean by reeling of silk? [3]

7. Why wool yielding animals have a thick coat of hair? [3]

8. Explain the process of obtaining silk from cocoon. [5]

9. Explain various steps involved in the process of making wool? [5]

10. Explain the process of making yarn from fiber. [5]

1. Fill in the blanks: [5]

- (a) Wool is obtained from _____ of the sheep.
(b) Angora wool is obtained from _____
(c) Wool from the Kashmiri goat is used to prepare _____
(d) Silk is obtained from the silk moth _____
(e) Silk fibres are found in _____ stage of the silk moth.

2. What are silk fibres made up of? [2]

3. What stage of silk moth produces the silk fibres? [2]

4. What is the purpose of sorting the different fibres of wool? [2]

5. What are different sources of wool. [2]

6. Write down the names of the animals which are used for wool. [2]

7. What is sericulture? [3]

8. Why is scouring important? [3]

9. What is the occupational hazard for the workers in the wool industry? [3]

10. Explain selective breeding. [4]
