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1. Tissue from a pig. Which of the following is true of the toxin that causes this disease?
 - a. Affected vessels show no pathologic signs of damage.
 - b. Causes apoptosis of endothelial and smooth muscle cells in blood vessels.
 - c. Lesion distribution is directly proportional to the presence of receptors on endothelium in various portions of the body.
 - d. Induces production of IL-6, which attracts neutrophils to disseminate toxin throughout the body.

2. Tissue from a dog. Which is the most likely morphologic diagnosis?
 - a. Cutaneous histiocytosis
 - b. Mast cell tumor
 - c. T-cell epitheliotropic lymphoma
 - d. Erythema multiforme

3. Tissue from a trout. Name the cause.
 - a. *Yersinia ruckeri*
 - b. *Aeromonas salmonicida*
 - c. Koi herpesvirus-1
 - d. *Aeromonas hydrophila*

4. Tissue from a rat. Which of the following is true about this neoplasm?
 - a. It is usually associated with pituitary tumors
 - b. Metastasis occurs readily, often to the lungs.
 - c. Sprague-Dawley rats commonly develop these neoplasms.
 - d. Food restriction increases their frequency in the rat.

5. Tissue from a rabbit. Name the cause.
 - a. Primary goniodysgenesis
 - b. Duchenne muscular dystrophy
 - c. Retroorbital lymphoma
 - d. Thymoma

6. Tissue from a rat. Which of the following glands are usually NOT affected in this disease?
 - a. Harderian glands
 - b. Sublingual
 - c. Parotid
 - d. Submandibular

7. Tissue from a cat. Which of the following does NOT describe this cat?
 - a. Old

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- b. Male
 - c. Overweight
 - d. Likely a Siamese
8. Tissue from an ox. Name the agent.
- a. *Dicrocoelium dendriticum*
 - b. *Heterobiliarzia americanum*
 - c. *Fasciola hepatica*
 - d. *Fascioloides magna*
9. Tissue from a pig. Which of the following is not a plausible cause of this lesion?
- a. Vitamin E – selenium imbalance
 - b. Porcine asfarvirus
 - c. Enterotoxigenic *E. coli*
 - d. Fumonisin B1
10. Tissue from a pig. Name the agent.
- a. *Brachyspira hyodysenteriae*
 - b. *Brachyspira hamptonii*
 - c. Either *Brachyspira hyodysenteriae* or *Brachyspira hamptonii*
 - d. Neither *Brachyspira hyodysenteriae* nor *Brachyspira hamptonii*
11. Tissue from an ox. Which of the following is not an appropriate differential diagnosis?
- a. *Babesia bovis*
 - b. *Amaranthus retroflexus* toxicity
 - c. Leptospirosis
 - d. Copper toxicosis
12. Tissue from a calf. Which of the following is most likely not true in this case?
- a. This lesion is an acute infection.
 - b. This lesion represents chronic infection.
 - c. Multiple joints are affected in this individual.
 - d. An infected umbilicus is the most likely portal of entry.
13. Tissue from a calf. Which of the following has not been identified in this disease?
- a. *Clostridium septicum*
 - b. *Clostridium sordelli*
 - c. *Clostridium perfringens* type A
 - d. *Clostridium perfringens* type C
14. Tissue from a naked mole rat. Give the most appropriate morphologic diagnosis.

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- a. Cutaneous lymphoma
 - b. Calcinosis cutis
 - c. Dermal histiocytosis
 - d. Calcinosis circumscripta
15. Tissue from an ox. The most likely cause of these lesions is:
- a. *Clostridium septicum*
 - b. *Clostridium perfringens*
 - c. *Clostridium novyi*
 - d. *Clostridium haemolyticum*
16. Tissue from a cheetah. What is the most likely morphologic diagnosis?
- a. Renal amyloidosis
 - b. Chronic interstitial nephritis
 - c. NSAID toxicity
 - d. Bilateral renal cortical atrophy
17. Tissue from a horse. The most appropriate etiologic diagnosis is:
- a. Enteric strongyliasis
 - b. Colonic strongyliasis
 - c. Enteric cyathostomiasis
 - d. Colonic cyathostomiasis
18. Tissue from a horse. Which of the following is not true concerning this condition?
- a. Glaucoma is an uncommon finding in affected horses.
 - b. Cross reaction between *Listeria* antigens and corneal antigens is thought to play a key role in the development of this condition.
 - c. Cataracts are commonly seen.
 - d. This condition cannot be diagnosed after a single incident of intraocular inflammation.
19. Tissue from a Boxer puppy. Give the most appropriate morphologic diagnosis and cause.
- a. Pyogranulomatous myocarditis due to *Bartonella henselae*
 - b. Pyogranulomatous myocarditis due to *Borrelia burgdorferi*
 - c. Myocardial fibrosis and loss due to Vitamin E deficiency
 - d. Suppurative myocarditis due to *Pseudomonas fluorescens*
20. Tissue from a seal. Which of the following is the most likely cause?
- a. Aphthovirus
 - b. Parapoxvirus
 - c. *Mycobacterium marinum*
 - d. *Lachazia loboi*

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21. Tissue from a sheep. Which of the following clinicopathologic findings is not seen in this disease?
- Achlorhydria
 - Hypoproteinemia
 - Hypergastrinemia
 - Hypoepsinogenemia
22. Tissue from a marmoset. Which of the following is the most likely agent?
- Streptococcus pneumoniae*
 - Klebsiella pneumoniae*
 - Callitrichid arenavirus*
 - Yersinia enterocolitica*
23. Tissue from a sheep. Name the most likely cause.
- Staphylococcus aureus*
 - Streptococcus uberis*
 - E. coli*
 - Mannheimia hemolytica*
24. Tissue from a dog. Name a likely breed.
- Yorkshire Terrier
 - Cavalier King Charles Spaniel
 - Maltese
 - Pug
25. Tissue from an ox. Which of the following is not TRUE concerning this disease in ruminants?
- Liver biopsies were found to be as effective as ileal biopsies in affected sheep.
 - The reaction to this agent in the ox is generally considered to be a lepromatous reaction, whereas either lepromatous or tuberculoid responses may be seen in sheep and goats.
 - Overt diarrhea is rarely seen in sheep and goats.
 - Resistance to Johne's disease in small ruminants, unlike cattle, is primarily mediated through cell-mediated immunity.
26. Tissue from a pet rabbit. Which form of lymphoma was the most common?
- T cell-rich B cell
 - Diffuse B-cell, centroblastic/centrocytic subtype
 - T-cell epitheliotropic
 - Plasmacytic

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27. Tissue from a juvenile American alligator. Name the most likely agent.
- Salmonella enterica v. typhimurium*
 - Brachyspira pilosicoli*
 - Samonella enterica v. pomona*
 - Salmonella enterica v. hardjo*
28. Tissue from a duck. Name the disease.
- Visceral velogenic Newcastle disease
 - Duck plague – anatis herpesvirus-1
 - Fowl cholera
 - Highly pathogenic avian influenza
29. Tissue from a gorilla. Which of the following is not described in this condition in aging apes?
- Arteriosclerosis
 - Atherosclerosis
 - Cardiomyocyte polypoidy
 - Left ventricular hypertrophy
30. Tissue from a western fox snake. Which of the following stains is most appropriate for the diagnosis of this pigmented neoplasm?
- Melan A and HMB-45
 - S-100 and Melan A
 - S-100 and PNL-2
 - PNL-2 and Melan A
31. Tissue from a goat. Which of the following is the most likely etiologic agent?
- Attaching and effacing *E.coli*
 - Yersinia pseudotuberculosis*
 - Mycobacterium avium paratuberculosis*
 - Eimeria ninakohlayakimovae*

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32. Tissue from a dog. Give the most likely morphologic diagnosis?
- Renal cell carcinoma
 - Adrenocortical carcinoma
 - Pheochromocytoma
 - Hepatocellular carcinoma
33. Tissue from a cat. Which of the following is most likely diagnosis?
- Chronic renal failure
 - Hyperadrenocorticism
 - Arsenic toxicity
 - Ollanus tricuspis* infection
34. Tissue from a cat. Tissue from a dog. What is the most likely cause?
- Amanita* toxicosis
 - Xylitol toxicosis
 - Aflatoxin toxicosis
 - Sago palm toxicosis
35. Tissue from a sheep. Which of the following is not true about this condition?
- Bronchopneumonia and mastitis may be seen in affected animals.
 - Lamellations are rarely seen in goats.
 - A toxic cell wall lipid, corynomycolic acids, results in lysis of erythrocyte membranes.
 - The organism is a gram-positive, facultative intracellular coccobacillus that can survive for long periods in the soil.
36. Tissue from a horse. Name the most likely etiology.
- Rhinosporidium seeberi*
 - Aspergillus fumigatus*
 - Candida albicans*
 - Pythium insidiosum*
37. Tissue from a koala. Microscopic examination of this kidney will disclose what?
- Granulomatous pyelonephritis due to *Chlamydia pecorum*
 - Gamonts of *Sarcocystis phascolarctos*
 - Sulfa crystals in distal tubules
 - Oxalate crystals in distal tubules and collecting ducts
38. Tissue from a dog. What is the likely cause of this lesion?
- Chronic renal failure
 - Gram-negative sepsis
 - NSAID toxicity
 - Electrocution

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39. Tissue from a turkey. Which of the following is not true concerning this agent?
- The agent is passed by the intermediate host, *Ascaridia galli*.
 - The agent achieves its full pathogenic potential with co-infection by *E.coli*.
 - The agent may be spread by retrograde peristalsis of contaminated feces from the vent into the bursa and ceca.
 - The agent is easier to identify in tissue section in acute infections.
40. Tissue from a dog. Give two appropriate morphologic diagnoses.
- Hepatocellular carcinoma and marked cystic mucinous gallbladder hyperplasia
 - Macronodular hepatocellular regeneration and gallbladder adenoma
 - Post-necrotic hepatic fibrosis and gallbladder mucocele
 - Macronodular hepatocellular regeneration and marked cystic mucinous gallbladder hyperplasia
41. Tissue from a rat. Which of the following types of collagen are present in developing in these lesions as they develop?
- I and III
 - I and IV
 - I and II
 - II and III
42. Tissue from an ox. Which of the following is not true concerning this condition?
- Areas of granulomatous inflammation contain few bacilli.
 - The environmental and antimicrobial resistance of this agent is generally conferred by a hydrophobic cell wall.
 - Organisms stain strongly gram-positive in tissue section.
 - Gross and histologic lesions are absent in the majority of animals that are positive on skin tests.
43. Tissue from a macaque. Name the most likely cause.
- Mycobacterium tuberculosis*
 - Streptococcus pneumoniae*
 - Hypermucoviscous *Klebsiella pneumoniae*
 - Burkholderia pseudomallei*
44. Tissue from an African Grey Parrot. Name the condition.
- Arteriosclerosis
 - Dilatative cardiomyopathy
 - Vascular mineralization
 - Atherosclerosis

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45. Tissue from a cat. Which of the following is not true concerning this lesion?
- Metastasis is more common than in the dog.
 - These tumors arise from melanocytes adjacent to the ciliary body.
 - Often results in glaucoma.
 - Predictors of metastasis include invasion of the sclera and posterior iris, as well as overall tumor size.
46. Tissue from an ox. Name the cause.
- Bovine papillomavirus-4
 - Bovine papillomavirus-5
 - Bovine papillomavirus-9
 - Bovine papillomavirus-2
47. Tissue from a calf. Which of the following is the most likely cause?
- Bovine pestivirus
 - Pithomyces chartarum*
 - Salmonella dublin*
 - Bracken fern ingestion
48. Tissue from a dog. Which of the following is the most likely cause?
- Chronic passive congestion
 - Portal vein hypoplasia
 - Familial amyloidosis
 - Hyperadrenocorticism
49. Tissue from an ox. Which of the following is not a potential cause for this lesion?
- Bacterial sepsis
 - Dehorning
 - Nose ringing
 - Otitis interna
50. Tissue from a calf. What is the most likely etiologic agent?
- Aspergillus flavus*
 - Moraxella bovis*
 - E. coli* sepsis
 - Bovine herpesvirus-1
51. Tissue from a cat. What is the most likely cause?
- Hypophosphatemia
 - FeLV
 - Hypervitaminosis D
 - Hypervitaminosis A

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- e. Lead toxicity
52. Tissue from an aging rat. What is a commonly associated lesion?
- a. Polyarteritis nodosa
 - b. Renal Papillary hyperplasia
 - c. Degenerative osteoarthritis
 - d. Auricular chondropathy
 - e. Radiculoneuropathy
53. Concentrated pleural fluid from a mare. How could you confirm the diagnosis?
- a. Culture/sensitivity
 - b. PNL-2 immunocytochemistry
 - c. Biopsy the thyroid gland
 - d. Prussian blue stain
54. Rectal scrape from a dog. A virulence factor for this organism is?
- a. BAD-1
 - b. glucuronoxylomannin in capsule
 - c. lipophosphoglycan
 - d. Gal/GalNAC-specific lectin
55. Tissue from an ox. What is an associated clinical pathology finding?
- a. myoglobinuria
 - b. waxy urinary casts
 - c. decreased MCHC
 - d. hemoglobinuria
56. Fine needle aspirate from a dog. What is the stain used in panel C?
- a. Fontana Masson
 - b. Grimelius
 - c. Alkaline phosphatase
 - d. Chloracetate esterase
57. Canine liver aspirate. Name an associated clinical pathology finding:
- a. Eosinophilia
 - b. Hemoglobinemia
 - c. Hypercalcemia
 - d. Pancytopenia
58. Concentrated coelomic fluid from a bird. What is the diagnosis?
- a. Egg yolk peritonitis
 - b. Alphaviral serositis

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- c. Polyomavirus infection
 - d. Large granular lymphoma
 - e. Carboxymethylcellulose ("jelly belly")
59. Impression smear from a snake spleen, taken at necropsy. Which of the following is the *LEAST* likely cause?
- a. Low protein diet
 - b. Dehydration
 - c. Renal insufficiency
 - d. Tissue ischemia/necrosis
60. Blood smear from an Alaskan malamute. What is an associated abnormality?
- a. Chondrodysplasia
 - b. Vogt-Koyanagi-Harada-like syndrome
 - c. Cone dysplasia
 - d. Factor VII deficiency
 - e. Necrotizing meningoencephalitis
61. Blood smear from a capybara. What is the arrow pointing to?
- a. Kurloff body
 - b. Alpha granule
 - c. A large morula
 - d. Russell body
62. Skin scrape from a white catfish with numerous 1-2 mm white nodules from gill to caudal fin. Which of the following is a pathognomonic ultrastructural feature?
- a. Polar capsule
 - b. Thalli with injection papillae
 - c. Conoid with rhoptries
 - d. Stichosome with bacillary bands
 - e. Flagella and undulating membrane
63. Tissue from a horse, including fine needle aspirate and histology. The pathogenesis of this lesion involves:
- a. Antibodies against laminin
 - b. Antibodies against type XVII collagen
 - c. Antibodies against desmocollin-1
 - d. Antibodies against desmoglein-3
 - e. UV-induced mutations of the p53
64. Tissue from a cat. Which is the most likely stain in image 5?
- a. Desmin

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- b. GFAP
 - c. Sheathlin
 - d. CK10
65. Tissue from a pig. This condition is associated with all of the following *EXCEPT*?
- a. Hoof malformation
 - b. Giant cell pneumonia
 - c. Hepatic necrosis
66. Tissue from an ox. What is the most likely diagnosis?
- a. Melanosis
 - b. Hemangioma
 - c. Melanoma
 - d. Neuromelanosis due to *Phalaris* spp. toxicity
67. Tissue from a pig. What is the most likely cause?
- a. Aphthovirus
 - b. Selenium toxicosis
 - c. Vitamin E deficiency
 - d. Ergot toxicity
68. Tissue from a foal. Which of the following is a major virulence factor produced by the etiologic agent?
- a. Lkt
 - b. Apx1
 - c. PnxIIIa
 - d. Aqx
69. Tissue from a “shaggy, lame” Pribilof arctic fox. What is a likely concurrent finding?
- a. Follicular dysplasia
 - b. Otitis externa
 - c. Leukocytoclastic vasculitis
 - d. Cardiac myxomatous valvular degeneration
70. Tissue from a fish with impression smear of lesion. What stain will help with diagnosis?
- a. PAS
 - b. Ziehl-Neelsen
 - c. Sudan black B
 - d. GMS