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Chapter 5 Study Guide

1. Population size stabilizes at the \_\_\_\_\_, the maximum number of individuals of a given species
  - a. Density
  - b. Logistic growth
  - c. Distribution
  - d. Carrying capacity
2. \_\_\_\_\_ occurs when population growth slows and then stops after a period of exponential growth has occurred.
  - a. Density
  - b. Logistic growth
  - c. Distribution
  - d. Carrying capacity
3. \_\_\_\_\_ is the movement of individuals into an area.
  - a. Growth rate
  - b. Exponential growth
  - c. Emigration
  - d. Immigration
4. \_\_\_\_\_ is the movement of individuals out of an area.
  - a. Growth rate
  - b. Exponential growth
  - c. Emigration
  - d. Immigration
5. Which of the following tells you population density?
  - a. The number of births per year
  - b. The number of frogs in a pond
  - c. The number of deaths per year
  - d. The number of bacteria per square millimeter
6. Which of the following is NOT one of the factors that pay a role in population growth rate?
  - a. Immigration
  - b. Death rate
  - c. Emigration
  - d. Demography
7. Water lilies do not grow in desert sand because water availability to these plants in the desert is
  - a. limiting factor
  - b. The carrying capacity
  - c. A competition factor
  - d. The logistic growth curve
8. Which would be least likely to be affected by a density-dependent limiting factor?
  - a. A small, scattered population
  - b. A population with a high birthrate
  - c. A population with a high immigration rate.
  - d. A large, dense population
9. Which of the following is a density-independent limiting factor?
  - a. Struggle for food or water
  - b. Predator/prey relationships
  - c. The eruption of a volcano
  - d. Parasitism and disease
10. There are 150 Saguaro cactus plants per square kilometer in a certain area of an Arizona desert. Which population characteristic it this?
  - a. Growth rate
  - b. Geographic range
  - c. Age structure
  - d. Population density
11. Which are 2 ways population can decrease in size?
  - a. Immigration and emigration
  - b. Increased death rate and emigration
  - c. decreased birth rate and emigration
  - d. emigration and increased birth rate
12. During some kinds of population growth, the size of each generation of offspring is larger than the generation before it. So, as the population gets larger, it grows more quickly. This situation is called
  - a. Logistic growth
  - b. Growth density
  - c. Exponential growth
  - d. Multiple growth
13. Sea otters live in the ocean. Which of the following is NOT likely to be a limiting factor on the sea otter population?
  - a. Disease
  - b. Competition
  - c. Drought
  - d. Predation
14. Which will reduce competition within a species' population?
  - a. Fewer individuals
  - b. Higher birthrate
  - c. Fewer resources
  - d. High population density
15. Which of the following is a density-independent limiting factor?
  - a. Earthquake
  - b. Disease
  - c. Emigration
  - d. Parasitism
16. Demography is the scientific study of
  - a. Parasitism and disease
  - b. Modernized countries
  - c. Human populations
  - d. None of the above
17. Demographic transition is change from high birthrates and high death rates to
  - a. Exponential growth
  - b. Low birthrates and low death rates
  - c. Low birthrates and high death rates
  - d. Indefinite growth
18. The human population grew slowly from the beginning, and then began to grow exponentially during the second half of what century?
  - a. Eighteenth
  - b. Nineteenth
  - c. Twentieth
  - d. Twenty-first

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19. The area inhabited by a population is known as its
- a. Growth rate
  - b. Geographic range
  - c. Age structure
  - d. Population density
20. The demographic transition is considered complete when
- a. Population growth stops
  - b. The birthrate is greater than the death rate
  - c. The death rate begins to fall
  - d. The death rate is greater than the birthrate

**Fill in the blank**

21. \_\_\_\_\_ is the area in which a population lives.
22. \_\_\_\_\_ is the number of individuals per unit.
23. \_\_\_\_\_ determines whether a population grows, shrinks, or stays the same size.
24. \_\_\_\_\_ is the number of males and females of each age in a population.
25. How the individuals are spaced in their range is a population's \_\_\_\_\_.
26. What data does an age structure diagram show? \_\_\_\_\_
27. The various growth phases through which most populations go are represented on a \_\_\_\_\_.
28. A \_\_\_\_\_ controls the growth of a population.
29. Examples of \_\_\_\_\_ limiting factors include competition, predation, herbivory, parasitism, and disease.
30. Examples of \_\_\_\_\_ limiting factors include unusual weather and natural disasters.

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