

ANIMALS WITH PLANTLIKE NAMES

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1. This gastropod (*Pila globosa*), which is moderately amphibious and a popular aquarium pet, is also called:

- a) Apple snail
- b) Mango snail
- c) Orange snail
- d) Pumpkin snail



4. Crab spiders of the genus *Misumena* can change their colour between white and yellow to match the flower they are sitting on and are commonly known as:

- a) Nectar crab spider
- b) Flower crab spiders
- c) Fruit crab spider
- d) Inflorescence crab spider



5. True leaf insects that belong to the family Phylliidae are some of the most remarkable leaf mimics in the entire animal kingdom. These leaf insects are also called:

- a) Jumping leaves
- b) Climbing leaves
- c) Walking leaves
- d) Flying leaves



2. This crab (*Birgus latro*), the largest land-living arthropod in the world, is also called:

- a) Coconut crab
- b) Palm thief
- c) Robber crab
- d) All the above



3. The Peacock flounder (*Bothus mancus*) is a species of fish in the family Bothidae (lefteye flounders) also known as:

- a) The Flowery flounder
- b) The fruity flounder
- c) The seedling flounder
- d) The leafy flounder



6. *Litoria chloris* is a species of tree frog native to eastern Australia and is also commonly known as:

- a) The Red-eyed Tree Frog
- b) The Golden-eyed Grass Frog
- c) The Red-eyed Pine Frog
- d) The Golden-eyed Banana Frog



7. The Ectoprocta (also known as Bryozoa) are commonly known as:

- a) Mushroom animals
- b) Root hair animals
- c) Moss animals
- d) None



8. The Sipuncula or Sipunculida is a bilaterally symmetrical, unsegmented marine worm also known as:

- a) Peanut worm
- b) Jamun worm
- c) Creamy ladies finger worm
- d) Rock gardener



9. Littorina is a genus of small sea snails that live in the tidal zone of rocky shores. Littorina is commonly known as:

- a) Plum
- b) Rambutan
- c) Apricot
- d) Periwinkle



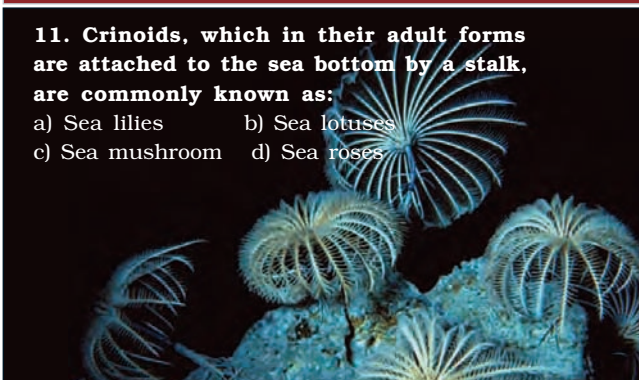
10. Echinoderms belonging to the class Holothuroidea are commonly referred to as:

- a) Sea brinjals
- b) Sea bottle gourds
- c) Sea cucumbers
- d) Sea eggplants



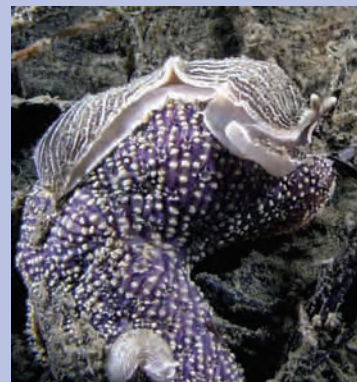
11. Crinoids, which in their adult forms are attached to the sea bottom by a stalk, are commonly known as:

- a) Sea lilies
- b) Sea lotuses
- c) Sea mushroom
- d) Sea roses



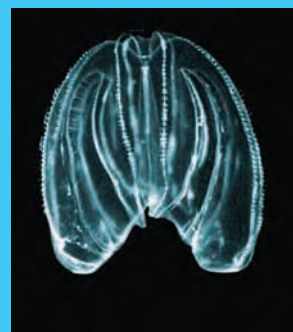
12. Renilla is an anthozoan that is strikingly bioluminescent when disturbed, due to Green Fluorescent Protein. The common name of Renilla is:

- a) The sea cucumber
- b) The Sea fichus
- c) The Sea Pansy
- d) The Sea gourd



13. The warty comb jelly (Mnemiopsis leidyi) is a species of tentaculate ctenophore (comb jelly), originally native to the western Atlantic coastwaters and is also called:

- a) Sea walnut
- b) Sea Peanut
- c) Sea Hazelnuts
- d) Sea chestnut



14. Euplectella aspergillum in the phylum Porifera in a dead, dry state is given as a wedding gift because the sponge symbiotically houses two small shrimps, a male and a female, who live out their lives inside the sponge. It is also called:

- a) The Mar's Flower basket
- b) The Venus' Flower basket
- c) The Earth's flower basket
- d) The Jupiter's Flower basket



15. A loosely-applied common name for a group of medium-sized to large shell-less colorful sea slugs or nudibranchs, specifically dorid nudibranchs in the family Dorididae, is:

- a) Sea Papaya
- b) Sea Banana
- c) Sea Lemon
- d) Sea Orange



ANSWERS:

1. a 2. d 3. a 4. b 5. c 6. a 7. c 8. a 9. d 10. c
11. a 12. c 13. a 14. b 15. c

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