

# Botanical Modifications

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**1. Petiole modified to tendril**

- a) *Clematis gouriana*
- b) *Passiflora indica*
- c) *Pisum sativum*
- d) None of the above

**2. Phyllodes commonly occur in the plant**

- a) *Pithecellobium dulce*
- b) *Mimosa pudica*
- c) *Acacia auriculiformis*
- d) None of the above

**3. Inflorescence modified to tendril**

- a) *Polygonum barbatum*
- b) *Antigonon leptopus*
- c) *Anisomeles ovata*
- d) None of the above

**4. The stem modified to spine**

- a) *Amaranthus spinosus*
- b) *Acanthus ilicifolius*
- c) *Ulex europaeus*
- d) None of the above

**5. The stem modified to cladode**

- a) *Asparagus racemosus*
- b) *Agave americana*
- c) *Achyranthes aspera*
- d) None of the above

**6. The stem modified to thorn**

- a) *Duranta repens*
- b) *Caesalpinia decapetala*
- c) *Bombax ceiba*
- d) None of the above

**7. The tendril modified to lateral branches**

- a) *Passiflora foetida*
- b) *Cucurbita maxima*
- c) *Momordica charantia*
- d) None of the above

**8. The tip of the stem modified to tendril**

- a) *Coccinia cordifolia*
- b) *Luffa echinata*
- c) *Cissus quadrangularis*
- d) None of the above

**9. Embryonic leaves are called**

- a) Embryo leaves
- b) Cataphylls
- c) Embryophylls
- d) None of the above

**10. Entire leaf is modified into tendril**

- a) *Lathyrus sativus*
- b) *Cuscuta reflexa*
- c) *Citrullus vulgaris*
- d) None of the above



## FUNQUIZ

**11. The tip of the lamina is modified to tendril**

- a) *Gloriosa superba*
- b) *Smilax aspera*
- c) *Asparagus racemosus*
- d) None of the above



**12. The entire leaves are modified to spines**

- a) *Argemone mexicana*
- b) *Pandanus fascicularis*
- c) *Opuntia dillenii*
- d) None of the above



**13. Leaves are actually modification of sporophylls**

- a) *Brassica juncea*
- b) *Typha angustifolia*
- c) *Echhornia crassipes*
- d) None of the above



**14. Calyx modified to Spines**

- a) *Solanum xanthocarpum*
- b) *Hygrophila spinosa*
- c) *Trapa bispinosa*
- d) None of the above



**15. Calyx modified to pappus**

- a) *Vernonia cinerea*
- b) *Calotropis procera*
- c) *Bombax ceiba*
- d) None of the above



**16. Calyx modified to petals**

- a) *Mussaenda frondosa*
- b) *Canna indica*
- c) *Ludwigia adscendens*
- d) *Hibiscus sabdariffa*



**17. Stamens are modified to Corona**

- a) *Costus speciosus*
- b) *Calotropis gigantea*
- c) *Aristolochia indica*
- d) None of the above



**18. Stamens are modified to staminode**

- a) *Cannabis indica*
- b) *Maranta* sp
- c) *Allium sativum*
- d) None of the above



**19. Calyx modified to spurred**

- a) *Impatiens balsamina*
- b) *Mirabilis jalapa*
- c) *Neptunia oleracea*
- d) None of the above



**20. Root modified into taproots**

- a) *Daucus carota*
- b) *Lemna minor*
- c) *Spirodela polyrhiza*
- d) None of the above



**Answers:**

- 1. a, 2. c, 3. b, 4. c, 5. a, 6. c, 7. a, .8. c, 9. b, 10. a, 11. a, 12. c, 13. a, 14. c, 15. a, 16. a, 17. b, 18. a, 19. b and 20. a

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