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Plasmodium Vivax



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⇒ It is the ~~common~~ most common malaria parasite in man.

⇒ It is the positive organism of being tertian or vivax malaria.

⇒ Four species of ~~malaria~~ plasmodium are known to cause different type of malaria fever.

(1) Plasmodium ovale (2)

(2) Plasmodium malariae

(3) Plasmodium vivax

(4) Plasmodium falciparum.

→ The parasites was ^{1st} discovered in the human blood (patient) by Charles Laveran in ~~1880~~ 1890

→ The oocyst of the parasites found in the stomach of female Anopheles mosquito. It was discovered by Sir Ronald Ross in ~~1898~~ 1899

Life cycle:

→ Plasmodium is diagenetic, completes its own life cycle in 2 hosts.

→ The primary host is female Anopheles mosquito in which the parasites completes its sexual phase of life cycle.

→ The secondary host is the human being in which the parasites completes its asexual phase of life cycle.

(1) Asexual Reproduction:

→ ~~This~~ This phase is complete in human being. It is divided into 3 stages.

(1) Pre-erythrocytic stage

(2) Exo-erythrocytic stage

(3) Erythrocytic stage

(i) The pre-erythrocytic and exo-erythrocytic stages are completed in RBC.

(ii) When an infected female Anopheles mosquito bites a person a large no. of sporozoites enters into the body along with saliva.

(iii) The sporozoites enters the liver for pre-erythrocytic ~~stage~~ stage and ~~exo-erythrocytic~~ exo-erythrocytic stage.

(iv) Through these 2 cycles, large no. of ~~merozoites~~ merozoites are formed.

(v) They enters the RBC for ~~exo~~ erythrocytic stage which is repeated in every 48 hours.

(vi) In this stage, the appearance of symptoms of malaria takes place. So the incubation period is 14 days. ③

(2) Sexual Reproduction:

(i) Some of the merozoites transfer into male gametocytes and female gametocytes.

(ii) The healthy mosquito when bites an infected person, these gametocytes enter into the mosquito body.

(iii) Inside the mosquito stomach, the male and female gametes are produced.

(iv) Both the gametes fuse to form the zygote.

(v) The zygote transforms into ~~ookinete~~ ookinete

(vi) The ookinets in the stomach wall are surrounded by cyst and transferred into ~~oocysts~~ oocysts fusion

(vii) The oocysts undergoes multiple ~~fission~~ fission and sporozoites are formed.

(viii) When the infected mosquito bites a healthy person, the sporozoites are entered into the human body.

Types of Malaria:

(1) Benign of malaria:

(i) It is caused by Plasmodium vivax.

(ii) The incubation period is 14 days.

(iii) The recurrence of fever is after every 48 hours.

(2) Quartan Tertian malaria:-

(i) It is caused by Plasmodium malariae.

(ii) The incubation period is 28 days.

(iii) The recurrence of fever takes place every 72 hours.

(3) Mild Tertian Malaria:

(i) It is caused by Plasmodium ovale.

(ii) The incubation period is 14 days.

(iii) The recurrence of fever takes place every 48 hours.

(4) Malignant Tertian Malaria :-

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(i) It is caused by Plasmodium falciparum

(ii) The incubation period is : 12 days.

(iii) The recurrence of fever occurs every 48 hours

(iv) In this malaria, the death rate is high.

(5) Quotidian Malaria :

(i) such kind of malaria occurs when infected by more than one species of plasmodium.

(ii) The fever recurs almost daily.

Treatment :

→ Malaria can be treated by using drugs like chloroquine, paledrine, plasmochine etc.

→ Malaria can be prevented by adopting following measures.

(i) using of mosquito net.

(ii) using antimosquito cream, mosquito repellent, mustard oil etc.

(iii) The adult anopheles mosquitoes are destroyed by using insecticides like DDT, gamma-xene flit etc.

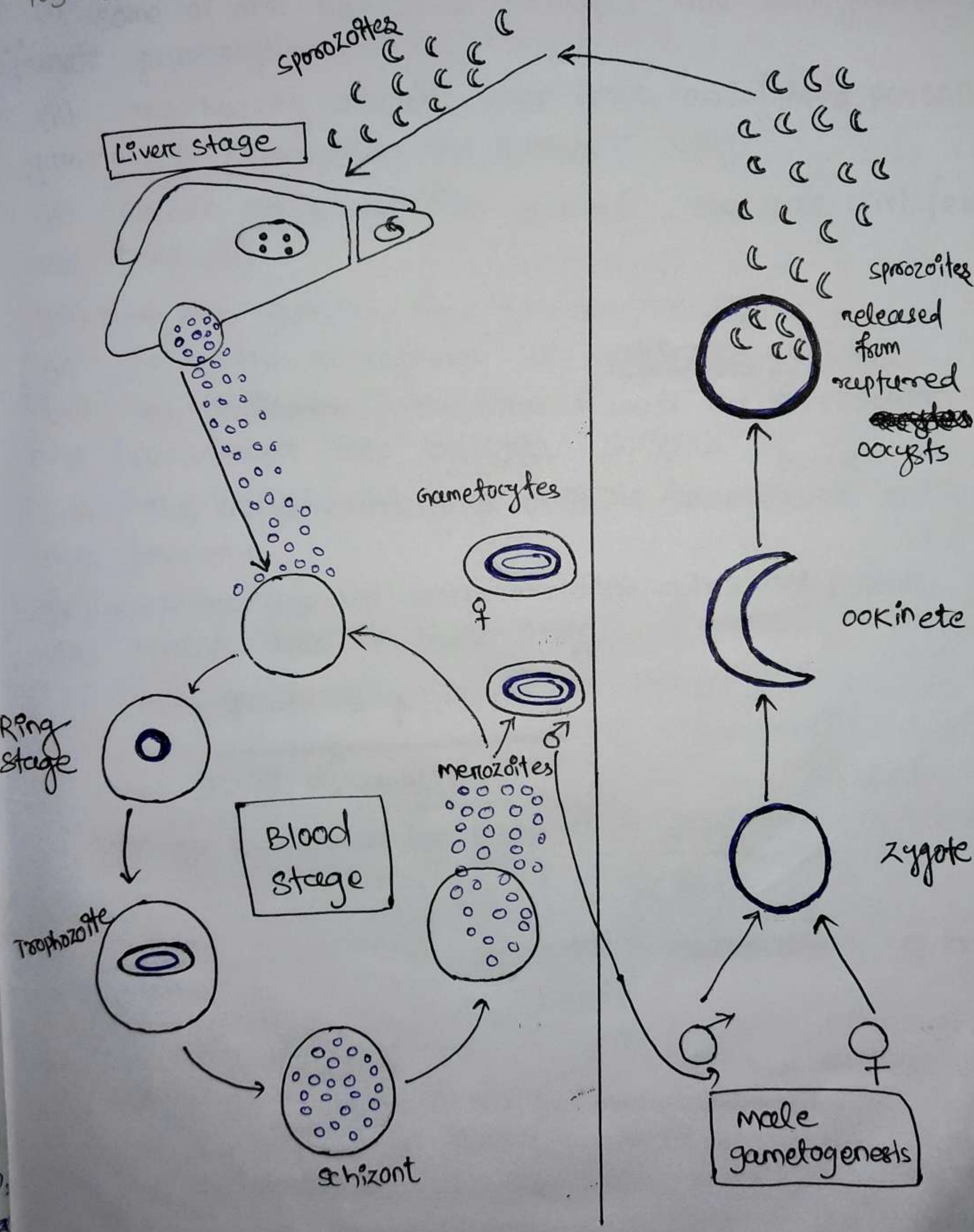
(iv) Mosquito can be killed by fumigation sulphur, turcomphor ~~etc~~, poisonous fumes etc.

(v) Mosquitoes larvae ~~can be~~ are killed by introducing fishes like gambusia, gold fishes, minnows etc.

(vi) The swampy areas, stagnant water should be drained off to eliminate breeding grounds (place)

Host

Vector



(Life cycle of Plasmodium)