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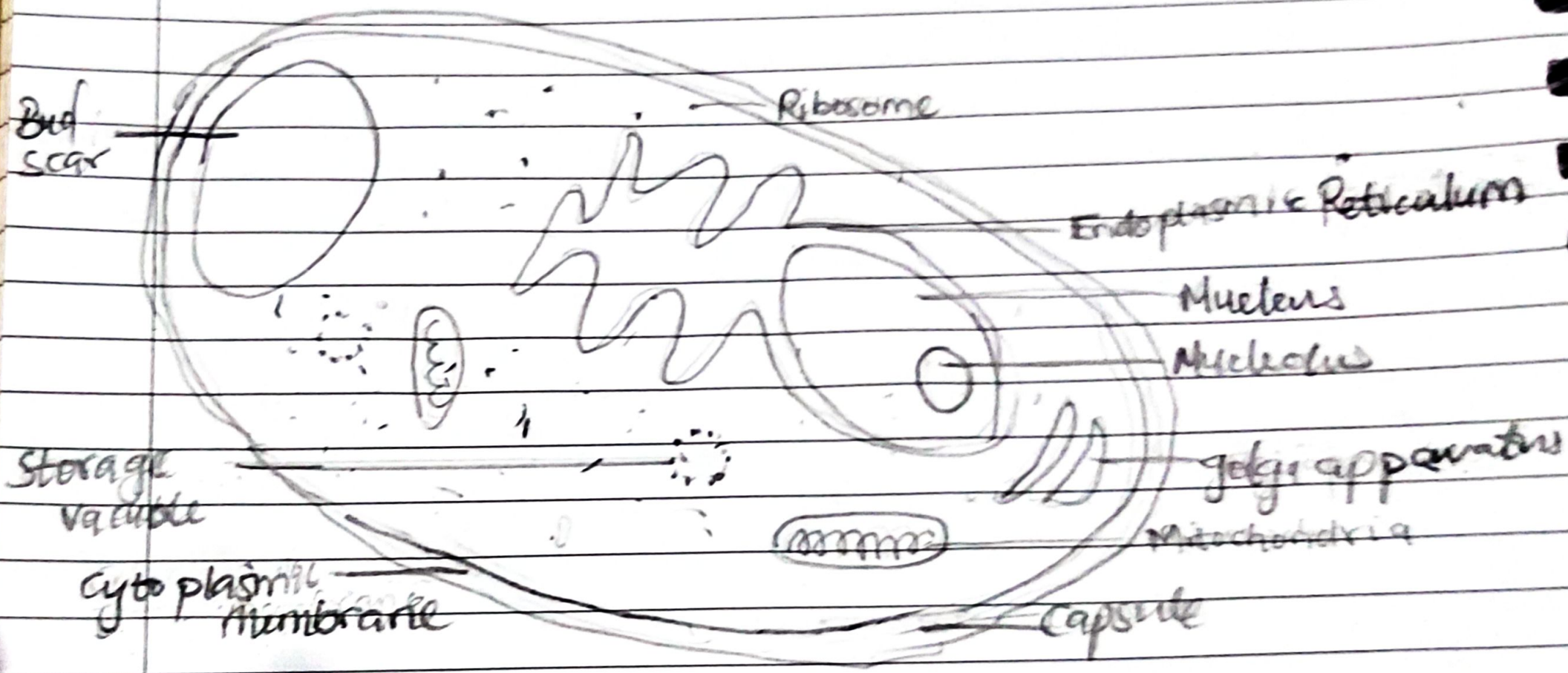
Bio 102

1 How are fungi important to mankind?

Fungi is ~~not~~ important in the food industry; they (mushrooms) are eaten by many human societies.

Also, *Penicillium notatum* is used to produce important antibiotics.

2 Illustrate the cell structure of a unicellular fungus with a well labelled diagram



LABELLED DIAGRAM OF A UNICELLULAR FUNGUS

3 Outline the sexual reproduction in a typical filamentous form of fungi.

- It occurs when two mating types of hyphae grow in the same medium
- There is a growth perpendicular to the hyphae in opposite directions due to a chemical reaction
- The growth is then limited by a wall in such a way that many nuclei are isolated in the "gametangium"
- Plasmogamy (fusing of two gametangi) take place and a zygote is formed.
- The zygote may undergo prolonged dormancy / resting stage
- The nuclei in the zygote fuse in twos and undergo meiosis independently.
- The zygote germinates under favourable conditions to produce a fruiting which @ maturity liberates the haploid spores.

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4 How do Bryophytes adapt to their environment

- Their body is divided into two (aerial portion & subterranean) and they have definite structures for water & nutrient absorption from the soil

- The aerial portion which is exposed to the atmosphere demands adaptations which prevent excess loss of water.

- Some other adaptations that permit exchange of gases between the internal

152 ~~Describe with illustrations~~ parts of the plants and the atmosphere.

Therefore opening are available on the aerial parts.

5 Describe with illustration the following terminologies :

a eusteles

b atactostele

c siphonostele

d ~~di~~ angustostele dictostele

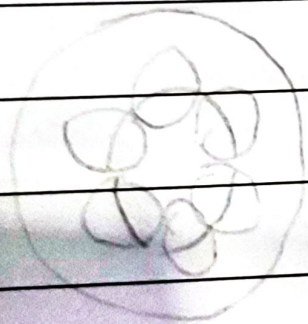
a Eusteles

Their vascular bundles are discrete, concentric collateral bundles of xylem and phloem.

d ~~poly~~astere dictostele

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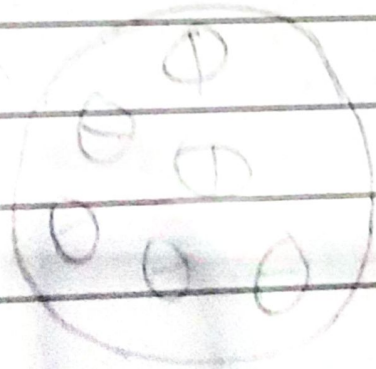
b Atactostele

They are in masses and many monocotyledones. They



b Antralestele

They are found in grasses and many monocotyledons. They have scattered vascular bundles.

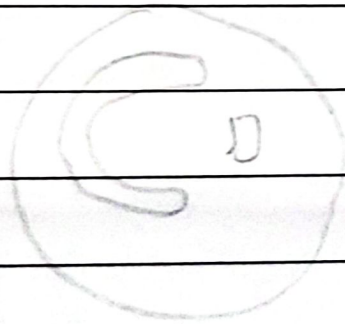


c Scattered stele

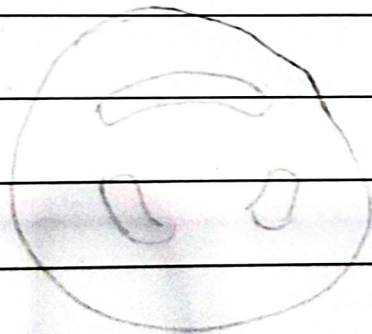


c Siphonostele

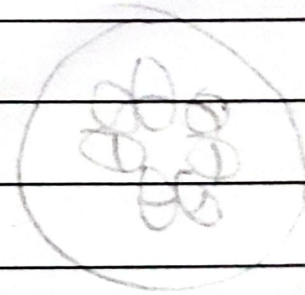
Tree stele is a cylinder ~~endo~~ enclosing a parenchymatous pith. They are of 3 three types; solenostele, dictyostele, eustele



Solenostele



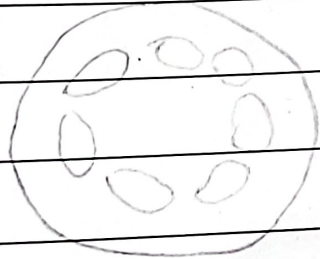
dictyostele



Eustele

d. Diactostele

Their conducting cylinder is a dissected one

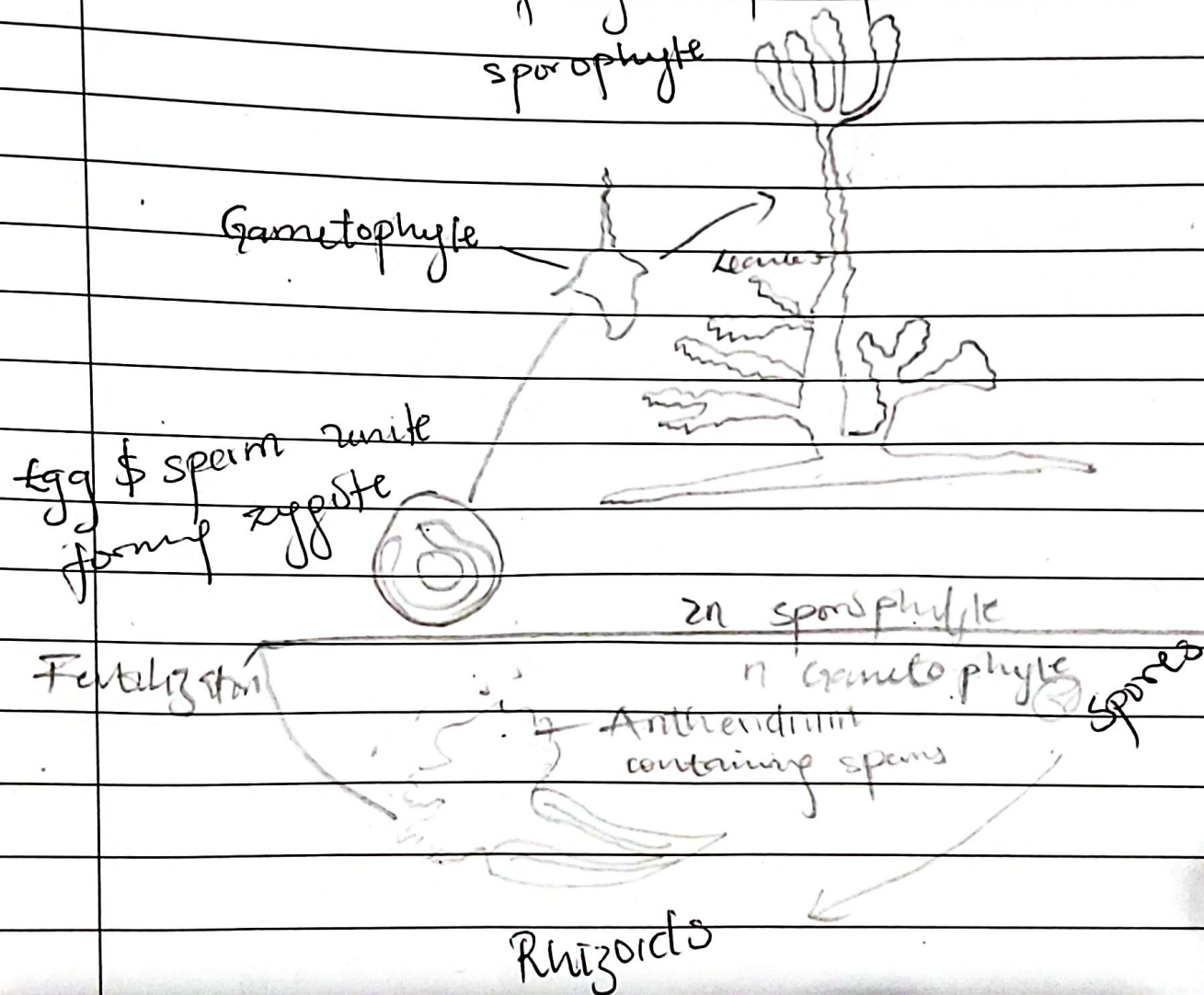


6. Illustrate the life cycle of a primitive vascular plant

sporophyte



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Rhizoids ←

Lifecycle of a primitive vascular plant

→ EMBRYO → PSILOTUM

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SYNGONIUM

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SPORANGIUM

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SPERMATOPHYTE

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SPORE MOTHER CELLS

MEIOSIS

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SPORES

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PROTHALLUS

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ARCHEGONIUM

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ANTHERIDIUM

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GAMETOPHYTE

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OSPORES

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OSPORE
EGG

