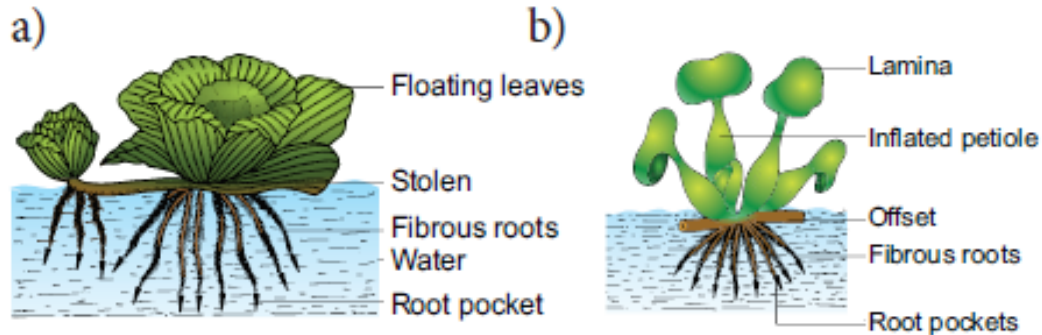


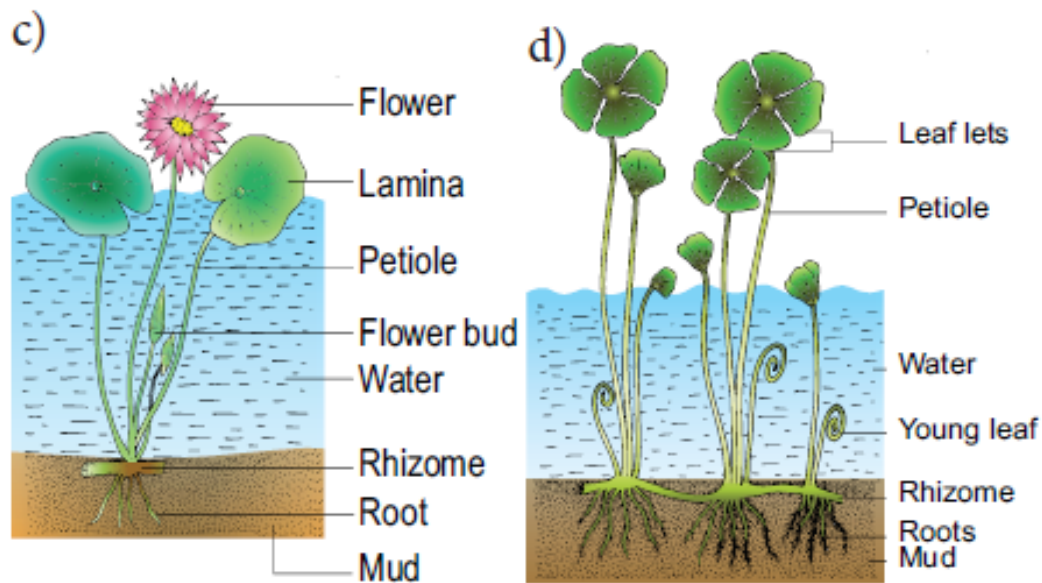
Hydrophytes

The plants which are living in water or wet places are called hydrophytes. According to their relation to water and air, they are subdivided into following categories: i) Free floating hydrophytes, ii) Rooted-floating hydrophytes, iii) Submerged floating hydrophytes, iv) Rooted - submerged hydrophytes, v) Amphibious hydrophytes.



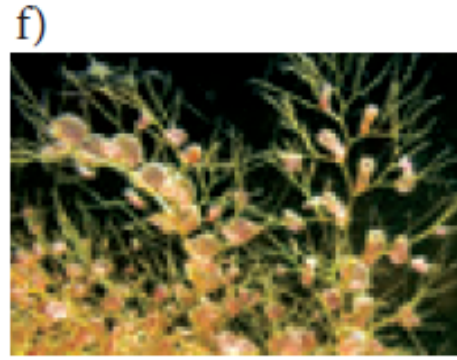
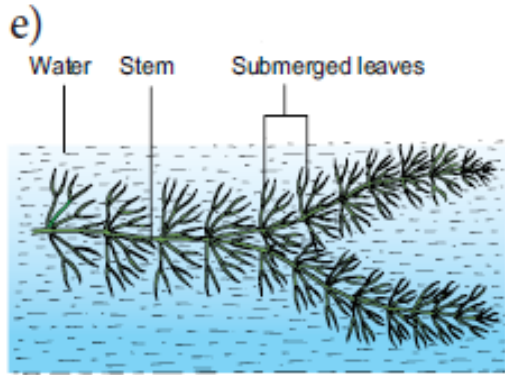
i) Free floating hydrophyte

a) *Eichhornia* b) *Pistia*



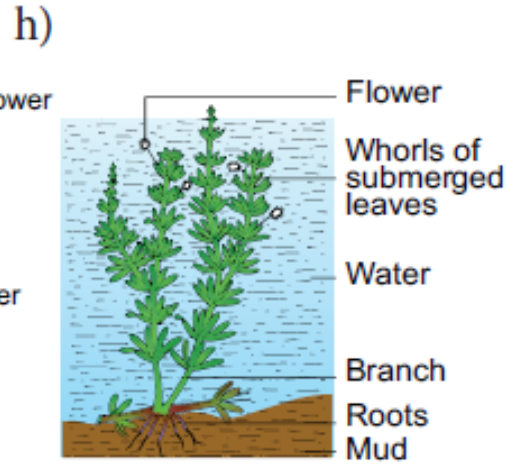
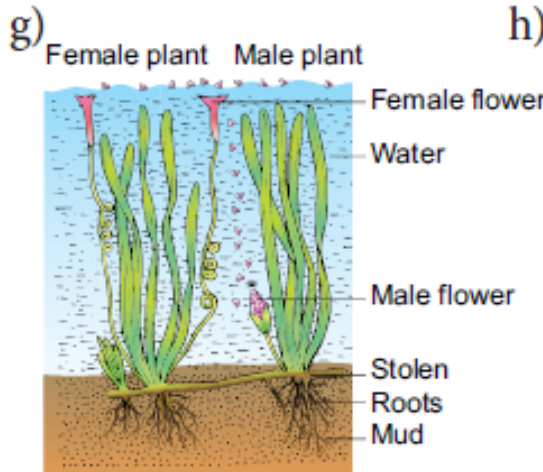
ii) Rooted floating hydrophyte

c) *Nymphaea* d) *Marsilea*



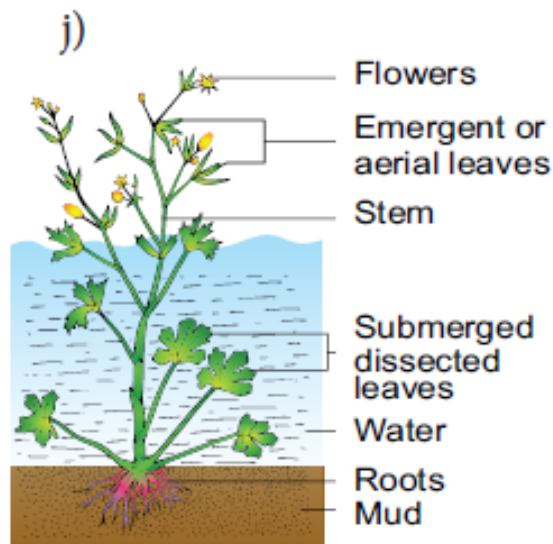
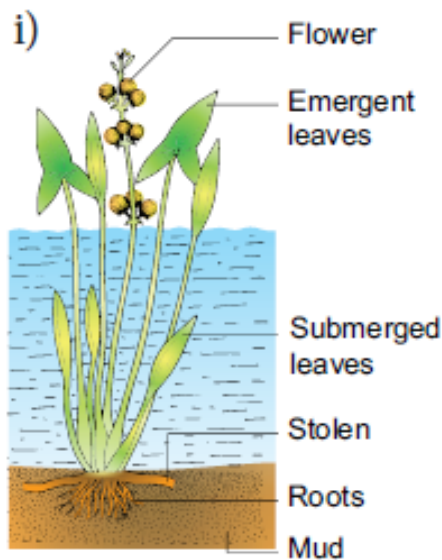
iii) Submerged floating hydrophyte

e) *Ceratophyllum* f) *Utricularia*



iv) Rooted - submerged hydrophyte

g) *Vallisneria* h) *Hydrilla*



v) Rooted emergent hydrophyte-Heterophylly

i) *Sagittaria* j) *Ranunculus*