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General Marking Guidance

- All candidates must receive the same treatment. Examiners must mark the first candidate in exactly the same way as they mark the last.
- Mark schemes should be applied positively. Candidates must be rewarded for what they have shown they can do rather than penalised for omissions.
- Examiners should mark according to the mark scheme not according to their perception of where the grade boundaries may lie.
- There is no ceiling on achievement. All marks on the mark scheme should be used appropriately.
- All the marks on the mark scheme are designed to be awarded. Examiners should always award full marks if deserved, i.e. if the answer matches the mark scheme. Examiners should also be prepared to award zero marks if the candidate's response is not worthy of credit according to the mark scheme.
- Where some judgement is required, mark schemes will provide the principles by which marks will be awarded and exemplification may be limited.
- When examiners are in doubt regarding the application of the mark scheme to a candidate's response, the team leader must be consulted.
- Crossed out work should be marked UNLESS the candidate has replaced it with an alternative response.

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
1 (a) (i)	1. (food web) order correct;2. all arrows correct;	plant, hare, fox, cats and eagles need to be in correct order allow order only if in pyramid	2
(ii)	herbivore / primary consumer;		1
(b) (i)	young heather;		1
(ii)	 more food / eq; more nutritious food / eq; easier to digest / softer / less spikes / eq; fewer other animals / competition from other herbivores; camouflage / fewer predators / protection from predators / shelter from predators / hide in long grass; 	2. ignore better quality / taste4. ignore competition alone / intraspecific	
			3
(c)(i)	32;;	allow one for 224 ÷ 700	2
(ii)	bilberry;		1

(d)	1. placed at random;	ignore repeat	
	2. same sized quadrat		
			1

Total 11 marks

Question			
number	Answer	Notes	Marks
2 (a) (i)	A;	Only one letter	
	(C)	in each box	
	B;		
	A;		
			3
(ii)	1. (bile) emulsification / emulsifies;		
	2. small(er) drops / increased surface area /		
	more drops;		
	3. optimum pH / correct pH / best pH;		
	4. (lipase) is an enzyme;		
	5. digestion / breakdown;		
	6. into <u>fatty acids</u> / into <u>glycerol</u> ;		
			4
(b)(i)	villus / villi;	allow phonetic	4
		spelling	
			1

(ii)	1. large surface area;	1. ignore many	
	2. microvilli ;	villi idea	
	3. capillaries;		
	4. movement of blood / concentration gradient / eq;	4. ignore cell wall	
	5. one cell thick / thin wall / thin / short distance;	wan	
	6. diffusion;		
	7. active transport;		5

Total 13 marks

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
3 (a)	1. cell membrane;		
	2. cytoplasm;		
	3. chromosome / nucleiod;	3. ignore DNA	
	4. plasmid(s);	4. ignore circle of DNA	
	5. flagellum;	ignore incorrect structure label	
	6. pilli;		
	7. ribosome;	ignore correct structure labelled	
	8. capsule;	incorrectly or doesn't look like correct structure	
		eg plasmid going to a straight line in	
		cytoplasm	3
(b)(i)	S vertical scale linear and at least half grid;	If scale not linear lose S and P	
	L neat lines drawn for bars;	Line graph loses L	
	A axes labelled number of people and type of food / names of foods;	Line graph loses L	
	P bars at correct height for ill and dead;		
	K key to show ill and dead;		
			5

(ii)	1. cheese; 2. indication of working 22% / 21.9% / 21.97% risk of death / 78% chance of living / ratio of 4.55;		
			2
(c)	1. kill/destroy bacteria / eq;		
	2. white blood cells;		
	3. phagocytes / macrophage;	phagocytosis = 2	
	4. engulf / surround / ingest / digest / eat / eq;		
	5. <u>lymphocytes</u>;6. antibodies / antitoxins;	lymphocytes engulf = allow lymphocyte mark only	
	7. (bind to) antigens;	phagocytes produce	
	8. memory cells;	antibodies all phagocyte mark only	
		white blood cells engulf = 2	
		white blood cells produce antibodies = 2	
			5

Total 15 marks

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
4 (a)	1. parents are BB and bb;	no TE	
	2. first generation is Bb;		2
(b)	1. gametes B and b;	allow TE for 1 mark for correct offspring from incorrect gametes	
	2. second generation BB, Bb, Bb and bb;		2
(c)	1. sperm;		
	2. fertilisation / fusion;		
	3. zygote;		
	4. diploid;		
	5. mitosis;		
	6. 40 / forty / 20 pairs;		6

Total 10 marks

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
5	C ± GM / GM field and normal field / eq;		
	O same species / size / mass / length / eq;		
	R many plants / several fields / eq;		
	M1 mass / length / surface area of leaves / count fruit / count flowers / eq;	M1 ignore yield	
	M2 <u>stated</u> time period;	M2 one day plus	
	S1 and S2 same temp. / light intensity / carbon dioxide / water / mineral ions / soil / exposure to pests / eq;;		
			6

Total 6 marks

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
6 (a)	$6CO_2 + 6H_2O \longrightarrow C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6O_2;$	unbalanced but correct =1 eg CO ₂ + H ₂ O → C ₆ H ₁₂ O ₆ + O ₂ ;	
		words alone = 0	2
(b) (i)	1. turn off Bunsen / use water bath / eq;	ignoro glovos / protectivo	
	2. ethanol is flammable / eq;	ignore gloves / protective clothing	
	OR		
	3. wear goggles;		
	4. protect eye;		
	OR		
	5. use forceps / tongs;		
	6. protect fingers / skin;		
			2
(ii)	kill leaf / stop digestion / stop chemical reactions; denature enzymes;	ignore wax removal / soften leaf	
(:::)	1 remove chlorophyll / remove groom /nigrosist	ignoro romovo ablazanlasta /	1
(iii)	1. remove chlorophyll / remove green (pigment) / remove colour / to see colour of iodine;	ignore remove chloroplasts / destroy chlorophyll	
	2. allow remove waxy cuticle;		
	_		1

(c)(i)	1. place one leaf in light / no cover of leaf;		
	2. place one leaf in dark / cover part of leaf;	2. eg use of stencil / tape	2
(ii)	1. use variegated leaf / eq;		
	2. draw pattern of chlorophyll and compare results / test white and green parts / eq;		2
(iii)	1. NaOH / soda lime / KOH;		
	2. absorb / remove carbon dioxide / eq;		2

Total 12 marks

Quest numl		Answer	Notes	Marks
7 (a)	(i)	fungi / fungus;	allow phonetic spelling eg funghi	
	/u>			1
	(ii)	no <u>oxygen;</u>	ignore no air	1
	(iii)	glucose; → ► ethanol/alcohol + carbon dioxide;	allow 1 for chemical symbols	
				2
(b)	(i)	steam / radiation / high temperature / disinfectant / ethanol / washed in hot water / eq;		
				1
	(ii)	remove pathogens / bacteria / microorganisms / eq;	ignore prevent competition / prevent contamination	
				1
(c)	(i)	<u>amylase</u> / <u>maltase</u> ;	ignore amyl <u>o</u> se / malt <u>o</u> se	1
	(ii)	maltose / glucose;		1
(d)		1. less food / less glucose / less maltose;	ignore less barley	
		2. (increase in) ethanol / alcohol;	ignore beer	2

Total 10 marks

	Questi numb		Answer	Notes	Marks
8	(a)	(i)	artery / arteries / aorta;		1
		(ii)	atrium / left or right atrium / left or right atria / left or right auricle;		1
		(iii)	 fewer chambers / two chambers / one atrium / one ventricle / eq; fewer valves / eq; 	allow converse for <u>human</u> heart	·
			3. no separation of left and right sides / no septum / no left and right atria / no left and right ventricles;	3. ignore ref to circulation / blood flow	
			4. chamber walls have similar size / eq;		
			5. fewer blood vessels / only two blood vessels / eq;		
					3

(b)	 less oxygen/deoxygenated in fish heart; more carbon dioxide in fish heart; oxygen used in respiration; carbon dioxide produced by respiration;; 	allow converse for blood in human heart	
	5. blood oxygenated in human lungs;6. carbon dioxide removed in human lungs;		4
(c)	 single circulation / no separate lung circulation / blood passes through heart once / blood in fish has to pass through two sets of capillaries / eq; fish are smaller / fish have smaller heart / fish heart has thinner walls; 	allow converse for human	·
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Total 11 marks

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
9 (a)	 larger (petals); colour; enclosed anther / enclosed stamens / shorter stamen / shorter filament; enclosed stigma / enclosed carpels / shorter style / stigma not feathery; nectary; 	ignore amount of pollen or nectar allow converse for wind-pollinated for all Mps ignore attractive / smell / sticky as not structures	
	3. Hectary,		3
(b)	A petal / petals / corolla;		1
	B anther;		1
	C filament;		1

(c)	1. stigma;	allow if shown on clearly labelled diagram	
	2. pollen tube grows (down style);	labelled diagram	
	3. into ovule / ovary;		
	4. enters via micropyle;		
	5. (male) nucleus / (pollen grain) nucleus / male gamete;		
	6. fertilisation / fuse / join / eq;		
	7. ovum / egg / (female) nucleus / female gamete;		
	8. ovule becomes seed;		
	9. ovule wall becomes seed coat / testa;		
	10. ovary becomes fruit;		5

Total 11 marks

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
10 (a)	1. housing / building / construction / eq;	ignore for logs / wood / employment	
	2. agriculture / farming / farming cattle / palm oil plantations / eq;	стрюутен	
	3. transport / roads / railways / eq;		
	4. making furniture / making paper;		
	5. for fuel / cooking / charcoal / to burn / eq;		2
(b) (i)	1. less oxygen / more carbon dioxide / eq;		
	2. (less) photosynthesis;		
	3. more burning;		
			2
(ii)	1. soil erosion / less roots to hold soil in place / loose soil;		
	2. leaching / loss of minerals / loss of nutrients / loss of fertility / eq;		
			2

(c)	laws to protect / prevent / limit deforestation / make deforestation illegal / eq;	
	2. replant / replace each tree felled / plant more trees / use sustainable wood sources / eq;	2

Total 8 marks

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
11 (a) (i)	 cannot reproduce without host; do not move; do not respire; do not respond to stimuli; do not grow / develop; do not excrete; do not feed; 		
(ii)	 do not control internal conditions; HIV / AIDS; TM(V) / tobacco mosaic disease; influenza / flu / cold / Ebola / eq; 	allow any named virus or disease caused by virus	2

(b)	1. no genetic material / DNA / RNA;	allow converse	
	2. not recognised by immune system / eq;		
	3. smaller;		
	4. always fatal;		
	5.viruses have protein coat;		
	6. viruses can be used as vectors;		2

Total 5 marks

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
12 (a)	1. before and after exercise;	allow interchangeable rows	
	2. breaths per minute;	/columns ignore breathing rate no credit for graph	2
(b)	1. muscle(s);		
	2. respiration;		
	3. oxygen required;		
	4. remove lactic acid;		
	5. oxygen debt;		
	6. remove carbon dioxide;		4
(c)	1. repeat / use more people / eq;		
	2. measure breathing rate during exercise;		
	3. somebody else / machine / data logger / spirometer count breaths / eq;		
	4. run at same speed / for same time same distance / run on treadmill / eq;		
			2

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