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Question number	Answer		Notes	Marks	
1 (a)	Feature	Plants	Animals	4 marks all correct	4
	can move from place to place	(X)	(√)	3 marks for 6 or 7 2 marks for 4 or	
	can carry out photosynthesis	√	X;	5 1 marks for 2 or 3	
	are multicellular	√	√;	0 marks for 0 or 1	
	have cells with cell walls	√	X;	blank squares = wrong	
	store carbohydrate as glycogen	Х	√;	tick cross combined =	
				wrong	
(b)	fungi; bacteria / prokar protoctists / prot viruses;	•		allow singular or plural ignore parasites / microorganisms / specific names eg cholera / amoeba	Max 2

Total 6 marks

Question number		Answer	Notes	Marks	
2 (a)				2 for all 3	2
	Name of blood vessel	Diameter of the lumen in mm	Thickness of the wall in mm	correct 1 for 1 or 2 correct	
	vena cava;	30.0	1.5		
	<u>capillary;</u>	0.006	0.001		
	aorta;	25.0	2.0		
(b) (i)	aorta;				1
(ii)	<u>vena cava</u> ;				1
(iii)	-	thin (wall/mem	•	ignore 0.001mm thick / small / ref to surface area to volume reject ref to thin cell wall	2
				wrong named blood vessel = 0 for whole item	

Total 6 marks

Question	Answer	Notes	Marks
3 (a)	keep out oxygen; anaerobic / prevent aerobic idea / eq;	respiration alone gets no credit	2
(b) (i	rate of carbon dioxide production in bubbles per minute temperature in °C		3
	starts low and rises; peak / level / rise less steep; down;	inverted = 0	
(ii	carbon dioxide / CO ₂ (production);		1
(ii	temperature;		1
(c)	volume of glucose; concentration / mass of glucose;	allow amount / quantity	2
	mass / volume / number / of yeast; species / type of yeast; pH of solution;	ignore volume of water in bath ignore room temperature ignore ref to oxygen ignore ref to oil	
(d)	repeat / eq;		1
(e)	volume of gas / measuring cylinder / syringe / eq;		1

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
3 (f)	glucose; → ethanol/alcohol; + carbon dioxide;	ignore yeast on left hand side of equation but reject if any other substance used ignore energy / heat allow symbols only if correct eg CO2 = 0 CO2 = 1	3

Total 14 marks

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4 (a) (i)	Structure	Organ		3
	Spongy mesophyll	leaf		
	Alveolus	lung(s);		
	Nephron	kidney(s);		
	Villus	small intestine / duodenum / ileum;		
(b) (i)	movement of molecules/particles molecule;	molecules/particles/gases/named		Max 2
	high conc. to low conc. / down concentration gradient / eq; passive / eq;		allow along concentration gradient	
(c)	ultrafiltration / pre- glomerulus / Bown renal capsule;		ignore filtered alone	2

Total 7 marks

Questi		Answer	Notes	Marks
5 (a)	(i)	enzymes; kinetic energy / more collisions / molecules move faster / eq;	ignore reactions alone ignore ref to transpiration / diffusion	Max 3
		(more) photosynthesis; (more) carbohydrate / glucose / eq; energy / respiration;	ignore food	
	(ii)	minerals / ions / salts / nutrients / eq; named mineral 1; function of named mineral 1; named mineral 2; function of named mineral 2;	eg. nitrate (ignore nitrogen) /ammonium for; amino acids / protein; if nitrogen ignored still allow function mark magnesium; for chlorophyll/chloroplast; phosphate for; ATP / DNA / eq; ignore NPK	Max 3
(b)	(i)	ladybird / eq; aphid / eq;	accept any predator prey eg birds eating caterpillars ignore 'predator' eats a 'pest'	2
	(ii)	 lasts longer / no need to reapply / eq; specific / no harm to other species; no bioaccumulation / no biomagnification / eq; no resistance; ignore immunity no harm/affect to food chain(s) / eq; 	accept converse answers that refer to chemical pesticide ignore ref to eutrophication ignore pollution / harm to habitat / eq ignore cost ignore ref to not harming crops/safer for humans	3

	uest numb		Answer	Notes	Marks
6	(a)	(i)	respiration / energy;		1
		(ii)	active transport / active uptake; low to high conc. / against conc. gradient / eq;	ignore across concentration gradient	2
		(iii)	chlorophyll / chloroplasts; photosynthesis / absorb light / eq;		2
	(b)		1. variation (in Ash borers) / eq;		Max 4
			 mutation / mutate(s) / mutated; not eaten / not attacked / avoided / eq; survive(s) / survival /survived; reproduce / breed / mated / multiply / eq; pass on gene(s) / allele(s) / eq; process continues over time / eq; 		

Total 9 marks

Question number		Answe	er		Notes	Marks
7 (a) (i)	parents:	Aa		Aa;	allow parent, gamete and	4
	gametes: a;	Α	а	A	offspring marks in Punnett square	
	offspring: aa;	AA	Aa	Aa	if parent genotypes wrong allow ecf to max of 3 for	
	phenotypes: average;	short	short	short	gametes, offspring and phenotypes	
					allow if other symbols used	
					allow other terms for short and average eg achondroplasia and tall	
					only give phenotype mark if it is clear that candidate knows there are three short and one average a statement that the phenotypes are short and average = 0	
(b)	1/4 / 25% / 0	.25 / 1 i	in 4 / e	q;	ecf	1

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
7 (c) (i)	always / in heterozygote / in both heterozygote and homozygote / eq; expressed / seen / shown / determines characteristic / develops the trait / (in phenotype) / eq;	ignore stronger / overpowers / masks	Max 2
(ii)	 those with achondroplasia less likely to have children / reproduce / eq; allele is rare / eq; selective advantage for aa / eq; 	allow converse for all points allow health implications for achondroplasia	Max 2

Total 9 marks

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
8 (a)	S scale linear and at least half grid; L lines neat and through points; A1 axes correct way round; A2 axes labelled temperature and midpoint/period/year; U °C; P 1795 and 1995 plotted correct;	annotate using the letters provided extrapolation loses P mark	6
(b)	1695-1720;		1
(c) (i)	water <u>vapour</u> / carbon dioxide / nitrous oxide / methane / CFCs / ozone;	allow any oxide of nitrogen	1
(ii)	traps heat / reflects infra red / reflects long wave radiation / contributes to global warming / eq;	ignore contributes to greenhouse effect	1
(iii)	 burning / combustion / eq; fossil fuels / coal / oil / gas; cars / planes / factories / trains / power stations / eq; cattle farming / rice farming; deforestation; fridges / aerosols (CFCs); 	ignore petrol	3

Total 12 marks

Question number		Answer		Notes	Marks
9 (a)	runners / corms / bulbs / tubers / rhizomes;			ignore cuttings / cloning / vegetative propagation /micropropagation /tissue culture	1
(b)	Feature	Sexual reproduction in plants	Sexual reproduction in animals		3
	male gametes	(pollen nucleus)	sperm;		
	site of fertilisation	ovule;	oviduct / fallopian tube / eq;		
(c)	difference; eg .more spe larger / more eggs + small 2. sperm: be swim easier /	tter chance of fertilisation /			2

Total 6 marks

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
10 (a)	stomata / guard cells; spongy (mesophyll) / spongy (layer) / air spaces / eq; moist; thin; large surface area;	ignore wide and flat	Max 3
(b)	$6CO_2 + 6H_2O \rightarrow C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6O_2;;$ $CO_2 + H_2O \rightarrow C_6H_{12}O_6 + O_2 = 1$	allow one mark for correct equation and correct formula and a second mark for correct balance formula wrong = 0 eg. CO2 = wrong but CO2 = correct reject word equation ignore light/chlorophyll/energy	2
(c) (i)	dark for 12 hours plus;		1
(ii)	keep in dark / no light / cover leaf surface / eq;		1
(iii)	boil/heat/warm in ethanol/alcohol; safety: water bath / no flame / eq; iodine;	tube of ethanol in water bath = 2	3
	blue black / eq;	ignore tongs / gloves etc	
		allow black / dark black / dark blue / blue	

Total 10 marks

Question number		Answer		Notes	Marks
11 (a) (i)	(-)10.62 / (-)10.6;; allow one mark for 9.76 or 1.16 in working however used		ignore minus sign ignore additional decimal places	2
(ii	i)	idea of <u>less</u> oxyg (less) respiration low yield / less g		ignore idea of high oxygen needed for growth ignore death ignore number	Max 2
(b)					3
		Method	How method increases fish production		
		adding antibiotics to the water	control disease / kill bacteria / parasites / pathogens / eq;		
		using nets to cover tanks	protect fish being eaten by predators / named predator / prevent escape;		
		feeding small quantities of food frequently	all eaten / no waste / no decay / less eutrophication / less bacterial growth / eq;	ignore competition ignore ref to energy / nutrients ignore overfeeding ignore pollution	
(c)		digested / broken down; amino acids / (poly)peptides; stomach; protease / named protease enzyme (ONCE); HCl / acid / low pH / eq; small intestine / duodenum / ileum; bile / neutralise /alkaline / eq; optimum pH (ONCE)		ignore pepsinogen / trypsinogen accept name of enzyme if in incorrect part of gut	Max 5

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
12 (a) (i) (ii)	hypothalamus / pituitary; 1. collecting duct; 2. more permeable / eq; 3. (more) water (re)absorbed (into blood) / blood more dilute / eq; 4. osmosis; 5. urine concentrated / less water in urine / less urine;	1. ignore nephron 2. ignore changes permeability 3. allow water potential concept if used correctly	3
(b)	 fast(er) (versus slow(er)); electrical/impulse (versus chemical); neurones (versus blood); short(er) lasting (versus long(er) lasting); target cells (versus all around body); 	nervous / hormone point alone = accept 'it' is faster - assume nerves discussed allow two ways if in same numbered section	Max 2
(c)	light all around: straight and taller than start; light from side: grows towards light; darkness: straight and taller than light all around after two days;		3
(d)	down / positively geotropic / toward gravity / eq; anchor / hold plant / stability / eq; (obtain) water / mineral ions / nutrients / eq;		3

Question number		Answer	Notes	Marks
13	С	indoors / outdoors / eq;		Max 6
	O bree	same species / size / age / ed / gender / eq;		
	R	repeats / groups / lots / some chickens / eq;	eg. 2 inside and 2 outside	
	M1	mass / length / eq ;	allow if at start or at end	
	M2	time period <u>stated;</u>	at least one day	
	S1	one variable controlled;	eg. mass of food / same food / area / water / light / eq	
	S2	another variable controlled;	ignore temperature ignore environment	

Total 6 marks

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