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5090 BIOLOGY

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Paper 2 (Theory), maximum raw mark 80

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Mark schemes will use these abbreviations:

| 0 0 | ; / | separates marking points alternatives |
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| 0 | 0 | contents of brackets are not required but should be implied |
| 0 | R | reject |
| 0 | Α | accept (for answers correctly cued by the question, or guidance for examiners) |
| 0 | AW | alternative wording (where responses vary more than usual) |
| 0 | AVP | alternative valid point (where a greater than usual variety of responses is expected) |
| 0 | ORA | or reverse argument |

- **<u>underline</u>** actual word underlined must be used by candidate (grammatical variants excepted)
- **max** indicates the maximum number of marks that can be given
- + statements on both sides of the + are needed for that mark

| | Expected Answer | Mark | Clarification |
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| 1 (a) (i) | epidermal / epidermis; | | |
| (ii) | (ii) arrow shown clearly pointing to / or passing through stoma; | | A arrow head on either end |
| (b) stoma shown clearly more closed than in Fig. 1.1; | | 1 | R any view other than surface view |
| | any 3 correctly identified and labelled features from: nucleus; vacuole / cell sap; cytoplasm; chloroplast; cell wall; cell membrane; vacuolar membrane / tonoplast; | Max 3 | Ignore mitochondrion / ribosome |

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| (c) | (1300 hrs) *allows C *allows O ₂ to be rel (* allow ONE for ref. ref. to water loss / tr minerals (to the leaf | eased; gaseous exchange); anspiration + cooling / bringing water or ions or) / from the soil; / reduces / stops + transpiration / loss of water; | Max 5 | R water loss for control | r temperature regulation / |
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| 2 (a) | any 2 from: #duodenum / small intestine*; #ileum / small intestine*; #colon / large intestine; (# OR intestine for one mark) kidney; pancreas; liver; gall bladder; spleen; named blood vessel; bacteria / virus / fungus / microoganism / pathogen; (stomach contents) acid(ic) / ref. HCl; (and/or) enzyme / protease; destroys / kills / ref. wrong pH for growth (of microorganism or colony implied); | | Max 2 | *credit (small in | testine) once only. |
| (b) | | | Max 3 | Ignore germs | |
| (c) | diaphragm (damage correct volume / pre air drawn in / out thr lungs / alveoli dama | les (damage or action); or action); essure reference; ough hole; | Max 5 | | |
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| 3 (a) (i) | bacteria / Rhizobium; | 1 | |
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| (ii) | nitrogen <u>from the air</u> / <u>atmosphere;</u> converts / changes / fixes; (into) ammonium ions / salts / compounds; (into) amino acids / proteins; | Max 3 | R first two marks with incorrect bacteria R oxidised R ammonia |
| (b) | artificial selection / selective breeding; over many years / generations / repetition; selecting plants with <u>largest</u> flower spikes; and <u>most colourful</u> flowers; cross (breeding/ pollinating/ fertilising) / hybridisation; genetic engineering; | 5 | Ignore refs self- R if between species |
| (c) | any two from: temperature; oxygen; carbon dioxide; water; soil fertility / lack of nutrients / nutrition; different genetic makeup / mutation; wind; | Max 2 | R any reference to 'high' AW for first 5 points Ignore light Ignore any additional (numbered) lines |
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| 4 (a) | <u>kidney;</u> | | 1 | |
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| (b) (i) | C – renal artery / aorta; E – <u>pulmonary artery</u> ; | | 2 | No e.c.f. in this instance |
| (ii) | right atrium/auricle; right ventricle; | | 2 | |
| (c) | C F | | | Ignore refs. to O_2/CO_2 waste products |
| | blood + | urine; | | |
| | (a named) cells / platelets / + plasma | no cells / platelets / plasma; | | |
| | protein/antibodies + / amino acids / fats | none; | | |
| | lower urea concentration / | higher urea concentration; | | |
| | glucose + | no glucose; | | |
| | fewer salts / ions / less water / | more / salts or ions / water; | | Ignore minerals |
| | more hormones / vitamins / fewer hormones / vitamins; | | Max 4 | |
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| 5 | (a) | biotechnology / fermentation / culturing; | 1 | |
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| | (b) | to control / lower / the temperature; | 1 | A maintain |
| | (c) <u>enzymes;</u> prevention of denaturation / destruction / prevents death of fungus / microorganism / bacterium; optimum / best / better / + for growth / reproduction; high(er) yield; | | 2 | |
| (d) | | any ref. sterile; (H) for introduction of microorganism or named; and food / nutrients / culture medium; e.g. amino acids / protein / carbohydrates or named; (J) for introduction of air / oxygen; bubbles / large surface area (as O₂ passes through grille) / sparger; for respiration; | Max 5 | Ignore refs to stirring |
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| 6 (a) | addition / availability of carbon dioxide; controlled / optimum AW temperature (or any reasonable stated temperature); ref. light (intensity); ref. blinds during day / artificial lights (at night time); keep well supplied with water / ref. irrigation / humidity control; addition of fertiliser / any named ion / pH control / hydroponic techniques; nitrate + protein manufacture / magnesium + chlorophyll production; photosynthesis (A anywhere relevant); growth; maximum rate / day and night / 24 hrs per day; pest control; protection from (adverse) climatic factors or any named AW; | | Max 7 | Ignore refs. to o A any named io R chloroplasts Must be ref. P/ | on + function |
| (b) | (b) isolation from other varieties of the species; limited <u>genetic</u> variation; can pollinate only with plants in the building / ca with plants outside; exclusion from agents of pollination / wind / inse seeds less viable; | | Max 3 | R isolation fron A fertilisation fo | |
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| 7 | protein + for growth / repair / production of protoplasm or antibodies or enzymes or hormones; carbohydrates (ignore names) + for energy; fats + for energy / insulation / solvent (e.g. for some vitamins); named mineral / ion + function*; named vitamin + function*; fibre / roughage + effective digestive transit AW; water + solvent / other correct use; | | Max 6 | Ignore refs. energy do not penalise for refs to energy production *Disallow if function is incorrect for named component. | |
| | (diabetic) reduced carbohydrate / sugar or named ; digestion / breakdown to glucose; lack of insulin / cells do not take up glucose / no glucose to glycogen; high <u>blood</u> sugar / glucose; | | | Ignore ref. fats | |
| | (heart patient) reduc animal/saturated (fat deposition on / in art of heart / coronary; increased blood pres |); ery / atheroma / atherosclerosis; | Max 2 | R no fat Ignore refs. to o Deposition may Ignore refs. to I | / be of cholesterol |
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| 8 (a) | a <u>chemical</u> ; released into / carried to affect a <u>target orgar</u> destroyed in the liver; | Max 3 | | | |
| (b) | (male)testosterone for sperm / male ga 2ndry sexual charace (female) oestrogen development / releat 2ndry sexual charace 2ndry sexual charace 2ndry sexual charace repairs uterus lining progesterone + procession maintenance of uter inhibition of ovulation LH / luteinising how triggers ovulation / FSH / follicle stimute | Max 7 | (male) Max 2 A production Function must be linked to correct hormone Ignore refs. uterine wall (x2) (female) Max 5 | | |
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| 9 (a) | 1. join arteries to veins; 2. <u>walls</u> + thin / one-cell thick / elastic; 3. allow passage of (tissue) fluid / plasma / permeable; 4. microscopic / pass easily between cells / large surface area / narrow lumen; 5. pressure reduction (along capillary); 6. ref. diffusion; 7. to / from + cells / tissues; 8. any 2 of the following: (may be carried, passed in / out) glucose, amino acids, oxygen, CO₂, hormones, urea, ions / salts, | | Max 5 | | are one cell thick') |
| (b) (i) | antibodies / antitox | es / dead cells / pathogens / microorganisms / | Max 3 | Ignore germs A ref. immune | e system / immunity |
| (ii) | (platelets) plug dan fibrinogen; to fibrin; <u>clot</u> ting; ref. antithrombin / p thrombokinase; | naged vessels; prothrombin / thrombin / thromboplastin / | Max 2 | R fibres | |
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