

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
3(a)(i)	label line and X pointing to any part of the 'star' in the centre of the root section ;	1	
3(a)(ii)	composed of (group of) cells with similar structures ; working together to perform shared functions ;	2	
3(b)	<u>xylem</u> supplies water ; air spaces ; large (internal) surface area ; water evaporates from surface of mesophyll cells ; guard cells, open / close, stomata ; water vapour, diffuses / moves, out through stomata ;	3	

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5(a)	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6 + 6\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 6\text{CO}_2 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$ (+ energy released) ;;	2	one mark for correct symbols one mark for correct balancing
5(b)	150(%) ;;	2	one mark for correct working if answer wrong
5(c)	demand for, energy / oxygen, increases ; (rate of) respiration increases ; limited supply of oxygen to <u>muscle</u> (tissue) ; <i>idea that</i> heart / pulse / breathing, rate not increased enough ; muscles respire <u>anaerobically</u> ; lactic acid is produced ;	3	
5(d)	horses continue to breathe, at high rate / deeper ; continue with a high, heart / pulse, rate ; to provide, enough / AW, oxygen (to 'pay-off' the debt) ; lactic acid, moves / diffuses / AW, (from muscle) into blood ; lactic acid transported to the liver ; (in the liver) lactic acid is, broken down / oxidised / respired (aerobically) ;	4	

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1(a)(i)	A dentine B cement C incisors D canine(s) E premolars F molars	3	6 / 5 correct = 3 marks 3 / 4 = 2 marks 1 / 2 = 1 mark
1(a)(ii)	<u>mechanical</u> ;	1	
1(b)(i)	acid ;	1	A carbon dioxide
1(b)(ii)	enamel ; dentine ;	2	
1(c)	(named) sugar ;	1	

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3(a)(i)	sucrose / sugar ; amino acids ;	2	
3(a)(ii)	<u>translocation</u> ; (phloem) allows bidirectional movement / AW ; movement (of food / sap) from <u>source</u> to <u>sink</u> ; sucrose / amino acids / food, are produced / taken from storage, at a <u>source</u> ; region of respiration / storage / growth, is a <u>sink</u> ; named example of a, source / sink (in the correct context) ; some organs can be both a source or a sink at different times ;	4	

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3(b)	<p><i>functions</i> conduct / transport, water (and mineral ions) ; <i>ref to transpiration</i> ; reduced resistance to water flow / AW ; structural support (for plant) ; prevents (inward) collapse (of xylem vessels) ; (spirals) allows (some) flexibility / bending, of stems (to prevent breaking) ;</p> <p><i>adaptations</i> long / elongated (cells / vessels / tubes) ; <i>ref to lignin</i> (in walls) ; (cell walls) are water impermeable / waterproof / AW ; (secondary) thickening of cell walls ; hollow / no cytoplasm / no (named) organelles ; no, end / cross, walls (between cells) ; end plates to connect vessels (end to end) ; pits in walls (for water movement between vessels) ;</p>	6	<p>max 5 from one section</p> <p>A rings / spirals / AW</p>
3(c)	<p>reduced / no, damage to crops ; ora increased, yield / quality (of the crop) ; ora more, income / profit ; ora because more, sugar / amino acids, available for growth ; ora reduced disease transmission / AW ; ora</p>	2	A not / less, eaten by pests

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5(a)	three pairs of legs ; three (named) body segments ; wings ; (pair of) antennae ; <u>compound</u> eyes ;	3	
5(b)	$C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6O_2 \rightarrow 6CO_2 + 6H_2O$ (+ energy released) ;;	2	one mark for correct symbols one mark for correct balancing
5(c)(i)	volume ; distance / length ; control / maintain / regulate / stabilise / keep / constant / sustain ;	3	
5(c)(ii)	carbon dioxide will affect, results / volume of gas (in respirometer) / carbon dioxide could kill the larvae ;	1	A to measure (changes in) oxygen only
5(c)(iii)	growth / development ; active transport ; protein synthesis ; cell division / mitosis ; passage of nerve impulses ; muscle contraction ; AVP ; e.g. metabolism / (description of) metamorphosis	2	A movement / breathe / egestion / digestion / excretion

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5(d)	<p><i>prediction</i> as temperature increases the respiration rate will increase ; ora and then decrease ;</p> <p><i>explanation:</i> there will be an <u>optimum</u> temperature (at a particular temperature) for seed germination ; <i>ref to</i> (respiratory / germination) <u>enzymes</u> ; at high temperatures enzymes denature / described ; at low temperatures not enough (kinetic) energy for, effective collisions / biochemical reactions / respiration / digestion ; ora AVP ;</p>	4	<p>max 3 for explanation</p> <p>e.g. temperature will also affect the gas pressure in the respirometer</p>

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1(a)	<p>(food) is broken down into smaller pieces (without chemical change) ;</p> <p><i>sites of mechanical digestion:</i> mouth / buccal cavity (in context mechanical) ; stomach (in context of mechanical) ;</p> <p>chewing / mastication ; role of a named teeth ;; <i>ref to</i> involvement of tongue ; <i>ref to</i> movement of the jaw ; churning / muscular, action of the stomach ;</p>	4																	
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1(c)(ii)	<u>antibody</u> ;	1																	
1(c)(iii)	(thermal) insulation ;	1	A storage / protection																

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3(a)(i)	A (upper) <u>epidermis</u> ; B palisade (mesophyll) ;	2	
3(a)(ii)	(cell surfaces are sites of) gas exchange ; movement of gases by <u>diffusion</u> ; <i>ref. to</i> efficient / faster / AW, gas exchange / diffusion / photosynthesis ; carbon dioxide is, raw material / needed, for photosynthesis ; absorption of carbon dioxide (when light available) ; loss of oxygen (when light available) / absorption of oxygen ; oxygen is required for (aerobic) respiration ; more evaporation ; <i>idea of</i> maximising light absorption ;	3	
3(a)(iii)	allows for, movement of (named) gases / diffusion / gas exchange, throughout the whole of the leaf ; <i>ref. to</i> faster / efficient / AW, diffusion / gas exchange ; allows / AW, photosynthesis / respiration / transpiration / evaporation ; <i>ref. to</i> storage of carbon dioxide ; (air spaces) connect (to outside air) via stomata ;	2	
3(b)(i)	no / little, water ; high temperature ; low humidity / dry air ; high wind speed ; long day length / high light intensity ; high salinity / salt ; freezing ; disease ; (soil) waterlogging / low oxygen concentration / pH ; mineral / magnesium, deficiency ;	2	A drought / no, rainfall / precipitation / irrigation

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5(b)	0.42 (ppm s ⁻¹) ;	1	
5(c)	to allow oxygen to enter the chamber ; keep the crickets respiring <u>aerobically</u> ; to remove carbon dioxide ; to prevent death of crickets ; <i>ref. to ethical treatment of animals ;</i> maintaining similar conditions / resetting, for repeat readings / AW ;	2	
5(d)	heat (energy) is released by crickets ; movement / <i>ref. to</i> kinetic energy ; pressure increase ; increased carbon dioxide leading to greenhouse effect ; small closed space ;	2	
5(e)	rate of oxygen consumption increases with body mass of crickets (for each temperature) ; any suitable data quote comparing rate at different masses (at same temperature) ; rate of oxygen consumption increases with temperature ; any suitable data quote comparing rate at two temperatures (for the same body mass) ;	4	A respiration for oxygen consumption

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3(a)	no, cytoplasm / (named organelle) / hollow ; <i>ref.</i> to lignin (in walls) (cell walls) are waterproof / water impermeable / AW (secondary) thickening of cell wall ; long / elongated (cells / vessels / tubes) ; (bordered) pits (for water movement between vessels) ; no, (perforated) end / cross walls (between cells) / end plates to connect vessels (end to end) ;	3	
3(b)	(water enters) root hair (cells) / M ; by <u>osmosis</u> ; the soil has a higher <u>water potential</u> than the root (cells) ; ora water moves from an area of high(er) water potential to low(er) water potential ; active transport of ions to create a water potential gradient ; (across / through partially permeable), membrane(s) ; <i>ref to</i> root cortex / L – cortex / M to L to (K) to J ; AVP ;	5	
3(c)(i)	87 ;;	2	

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3(c)(ii)	the nearer the tip / zone 1, the lower flow rate ; ora flow rate increases (from tip to bulb) in both treated and healthy roots ; flow rate is greater in zone 1 in the treated roots ; flow rate is lower in zones 2 and 3 in the treated roots ; ora comparative data quote with units ;	3	
3(c)(iii)	xylem vessels are dead, so toxins / treatment have no effect ; osmosis / water flow into root, does not rely on living cells / energy / is passive / AW ; AVP ;	2	

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6(b)(i)	<table><tr><td>enzyme</td><td>substrate</td><td>product(s)</td></tr><tr><td>amylase</td><td>starch</td><td>glucose / maltose ;</td></tr><tr><td>maltase</td><td>maltose</td><td>glucose ;</td></tr><tr><td>protease</td><td>protein</td><td>amino acids ;</td></tr></table>	enzyme	substrate	product(s)	amylase	starch	glucose / maltose ;	maltase	maltose	glucose ;	protease	protein	amino acids ;	3	
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6(b)(ii)	high temperatures denature enzymes / AW ; low temperatures result in low energy / fewer collisions / slower reactions / AW ; enzymes work best / most efficient at optimum temperature ;	2													
6(b)(iii)	pH ; enzyme concentration ; substrate concentration ;	1													

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3(a)(ii)	evaporation from (cell walls) in mesophyll ; <u>diffusion</u> of water vapour through stomata ; reduction of, pressure / water potential, at top (of plant) resulting in water moving upwards ; continuous column of water (in the xylem) ; <u>cohesion</u> of water (molecules) ; A if described incorrectly cohesion described as, forces / attraction, between water molecules ; <u>transpiration pull</u> ; water enters <i>or</i> leaves xylem, by osmosis / down water potential gradient ; AVP ;	4	
3(a)(iii)	support / described ;	1	
3(b)	increase / decrease (in rate of transpiration) ; more / less, evaporation ; increase / decrease, rate of diffusion (of water vapour) ; <i>ref. to</i> (kinetic) energy of (molecules of) water ; stomatal pores become, wider / narrower ; guard cells become, turgid / flaccid ;	3	A stomata close

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5(a)	<p>red blood cell: <i>feature:</i> red blood cells smaller than (named) white blood cell(s) / ora ; biconcave (disc / shape) / no nucleus ; <i>role:</i> contains haemoglobin / transports oxygen / transports carbon dioxide ;</p> <p>lymphocyte: <i>feature:</i> little cytoplasm / large(r) nucleus / nucleus fills most of the cell ; <i>role:</i> ref. to <u>active immunity</u> / responds to, antigen(s) or vaccine(s) / produce, antibodies or antitoxins / ref. to memory cells ;</p> <p>phagocyte: <i>feature:</i> lobed / irregular-shaped / C-shaped / AW, nucleus ; <i>role:</i> engulf pathogens / phagocytosis / AW ;</p>	6	
5(b)(i)	fibrinogen \longrightarrow fibrin ;	1	
5(b)(ii)	prevent blood loss ; prevent entry of (named), pathogens / microbes ; ref. to wound healing / tissue repair ;	2	

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6(a)(i)	dry scaly skin ; leathery / soft-shelled, eggs ;	2	
6(a)(ii)	cellulose / cell wall ; chloroplast / chlorophyll ; starch grains ; (large / permanent / central) vacuole ;	2	
6(b)(i)	amylase ;	1	
6(b)(ii)	mouth ; small intestine ;	2	

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3(a)(i)	cell membrane / cell wall / cytoplasm / vacuole / nucleus ;;	2	
3(a)(ii)	epidermis ;	1	
3(a)(iii)	allows light through ; (light) reaches chloroplasts / chlorophyll ; in mesophyll / palisade cells ; (palisade / mesophyll / chloroplasts / chlorophyll) need light for photosynthesis / trap energy from light ;	3	
3(b)	for gas exchange / diffusion of gases ; for, photosynthesis / respiration / transpiration ;; correct gas with direction for named process ;; controls the rate of, diffusion / transpiration / photosynthesis ; ref. to transpiration <u>pull</u> ;	3	A ref. to prevent, wilting / water loss
3(c)(i)	move against the concentration gradient ; proteins (in membrane) ; using energy ; from respiration ;	2	

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3(c)(ii)	<p>high(er) ion concentration results in large(r) (guard cell) volume ; ora comparative data quote with units to support any description ;</p> <p>high(er) ion concentration causes low(er) <u>water potential</u> ; ora (high ion concentration causes) water to move into (guard) cells ;</p> <p>across partially / AW, permeable membrane ;</p> <p>by <u>osmosis</u> ;</p> <p>large cell volume correlates with high turgor pressure ; ora because cell water / membrane / cytoplasm / vacuole, pushes more on cell wall ;</p>	5	
3(c)(iii)	<p>lack of water ;</p> <p>high temperature ;</p> <p>low humidity / dry air ;</p> <p>wind ;</p> <p>AVP ;;</p>	2	

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6(a)(i)	diffusion ;	1	
6(a)(ii)	blood (in capillaries / A) is under (high) pressure ; (liquid) forced out (of capillaries / A) ; <i>ref. to</i> thin walls / pores / holes, in capillary (walls / bed) ; <i>ref. to</i> osmosis (through capillary walls / membranes) ; to form <u>tissue fluid</u> (in B / outside of cells) ;	2	
6(a)(iii)	red blood cells ; (large / named) proteins ; platelets ; AVP ;	1	
6(b)(i)	(semi-lunar) valves ; large, lumen / AW ; thin(ner) walls (than arteries) ; (thin) elastic, tissue / layer / wall ; (thin) muscle, tissue / layer / wall ; AVP ;	2	
6(b)(ii)	transports lymph ; transports, named component of lymph ; (lymphatic vessel) absorbs excess (tissue) fluid (from B) ; returns fluid to, blood / circulatory system ; AVP ;	2	
6(c)	<i>location:</i> in villi / small intestine ; <i>function:</i> absorbs / transports, fats / fatty acids ;	2	
6(d)(i)	lymph node ;	1	

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6(d)(ii)	(lymphocytes) provide (active) immunity ; produce antibodies ; (antibodies) lock-on to antigens ; (antibodies mark) pathogen / antigen, for destruction / AW ; (lymphocytes) produce memory cells ;	2	A protect against, infection / pathogen A <i>ref. to specificity</i> A kill pathogen A <i>ref. to long-term immunity</i>

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4(a)	one loop to lungs / pulmonary circulation, and one loop to rest of the body / systemic circulation ; blood flows through heart twice, for one (complete) circuit / to get back to the same point ;	1	
4(b)	lymphocyte / AW ; engulf/ digest / kill / destroy, bacteria / pathogens ; platelet ; red blood cell ;	4	
4(c)	wall of artery thicker than wall of vein ; lumen labelled in both drawings ;	2	
4(d)(i)	arrow(s) start in right-hand side of heart in correct direction ; arrow(s) point upwards inside pulmonary artery ;	2	

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4(d)(ii)				5	one mark per row
	statement	name of structure	letter from Fig. 4.1		
	chamber that creates the highest blood pressure	left ventricle	F ;		
	blood vessel containing blood with the highest concentration of oxygen	pulmonary vein / aorta	C / A ;		
	structure that prevents blood going from ventricle to atrium	atrioventricular valve	E ;		
	structure that prevents backflow of blood from artery to ventricle	semilunar valve	K ;		
	chamber that receives blood from vena cava	right atrium	J ;		

TABLE 1

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6(a)(i)	stores / contains, DNA / chromosomes / genes ; controls the cell ; AVP ;	1	
6(a)(ii)	P – endoplasmic reticulum / (rough) ER / ribosome ; R – mitochondrion / mitochondria ;	2	
6(b)	catalysts ; starch ; maltose / glucose ; pepsin ; liver ; neutralises ; <u>emulsification</u> ;	7	

TABLE 1

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance Notes										
1(a)	many (body) segments ; head and, body (segments) / AW ; many legs / many pairs of legs; elongated bodies ;	2											
1(b)	crustaceans ; arachnids ; insects ;	2											
1(c)	<table><tr><th>class</th><th>letter(s) of species from Fig. 1.3 in each class</th></tr><tr><td>1</td><td>J</td></tr><tr><td>2</td><td>L</td></tr><tr><td>3</td><td>M,</td></tr><tr><td>4</td><td>K,N,O</td></tr></table> <div>...</div>	class	letter(s) of species from Fig. 1.3 in each class	1	J	2	L	3	M,	4	K,N,O	3	4 rows correct = 3 2 or 3 rows correct = 2 1 row correct = 1
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1(d)(i)	(genus) <i>Apheloria</i> ; (kingdom) animal ;	2											
1(d)(ii)	no (aerobic) respiration ; ora cannot release energy ; ora	1											

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2(a)	<p><i>carbohydrates</i> cellulose ; for cell walls ; starch ; for energy/respiration ; to attract insects to flowers / nectar / fruits ;</p> <p><i>amino acids</i> to make (named) proteins ; for enzymes ; for growth ;</p> <p>AVP ;</p>	4	
2(b)	<p>correct position labelled on the leaf ; correct position labelled on the stem ; correct position labelled on the root ;</p>	3	
2(c)(i)	<p>higher concentration in the stem / aphid D is nearer the root / is before the branching of the plant ; (sucrose moves by) <u>translocation</u> ; sucrose moves up the plant ; root / tuber, is a source ; (leaves / stems / AW) are a sink ; no photosynthesis (in the dark) ; no / less, glucose/sucrose (made in the leaves) ; plant uses stored starch (from root) / AW ;</p>	3	
2(c)(ii)	<p>insert gene / ref. to genetic engineering / ref. to genetic modification ; gene, for insect / aphid resistance ; ref. to insecticide / described ; AVP ; description of how insecticide applied / biological control / grow in glasshouses / netting</p>	3	

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5(a)(i)	coronary artery ;	1	
5(a)(ii)	ref. to platelets ; fibrinogen converted to fibrin ; soluble to insoluble ; forms a mesh ; traps, (red blood) cells ;	3	
5(a)(iii)	aspirin / AVP ;	1	
5(b)(i)	98 (%) ;;;	3	one mark for correct readings from graph one mark for correct calculation one mark for correctly rounding to a whole number

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5(b)(ii)	<p><i>argument for:</i> as exercise increased CHD deaths decreased ; ora comparative data quote with units ; the same group of people were studied ; regular measurements were taken ; large benefit for doing only a small amount of exercise (therefore easy to do) ; even if there are some doubts about the benefits no harm will be done / AW ;</p> <p><i>argument against:</i> only women in the study ; ora none younger than 35 (at the start of the study) ; ora actual number of deaths per 10 000 is very small even for those that do not exercise ; other risk factors not considered ; named examples of other risk factors ;; e.g. diet / smoking / alcohol / genetics some women may have forgotten / not answered correctly about how much exercise they did / AW ; some women may have been successfully treated for CHD / not died from the condition / AW ; other variables not considered ; e.g. pre-existing conditions / medication / type of exercise / length of exercise</p>	5	
5(c)	<p>more <u>blood</u>, to muscles ; to deliver more, oxygen / glucose ; for muscle <u>contraction</u> ; for (aerobic) respiration ; more <u>energy</u> required ; ref. to adrenaline ;</p>	3	

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1(a)(i)	exoskeleton / AW ; jointed / segmented, limbs / legs / appendages / AW ; pairs of, limbs / legs / appendages / AW ; segmented (body) / AW ; bilateral body symmetry ;	2	
1(a)(ii)	Box 2: <i>any one from:</i> animal has, 3 pairs of legs / 6 legs / less 4 pairs of legs / less than 8 legs ; wings ; head, thorax, abdomen / body in three sections ; no, pincers / claws / carapace ; Box 3: <i>any one from:</i> (animal has) claws / pincers, of different sizes / AW ; eyes on stalks ; smooth, carapace / body / 'shell' ; body, has five sides / is angular ; hairs / bristles / AW, on, legs / claws ;	2	

2(a)	any shape drawn that includes one whole vascular bundle including all of the xylem and phloem with or without sclerenchyma ; label line from X to xylem in any of the vascular bundles ;	2	
2(b)	cell vacuoles / cells, contain (much) water / have high water potential ; water absorbed, by osmosis / down water potential gradient ; cells, are turgid / have a turgor pressure ; cell contents / vacuole / cell membrane, pushes out (against cell wall) ; <u>cell wall</u> , does not stretch / is inelastic / is rigid ; AVP ; e.g. cells are tightly packed / AW	3	