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0610 BIOLOGY

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Paper 3 (Extended Theory), maximum raw mark 80

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Ques	stion	Expected Answe	rs		Marks	Additional Guidance
1	(a)	segmented body / jointed, limbs / leg exoskeleton / oute	s;		3	
	(b)	5 / 6 RIGHT = 4 4 RIGHT = 3 3 RIGHT = 2	Abaliella dicranotarsalis	Е		
		1 / 2 RIGHT =1 0 RIGHT = 0	go to 2			
			go to 3			
			go to 4			
			Tegenaria domestica	Α		
			Odielus spinosus	G		
			Chelifer tuberculatus	D		
			go to 5			
			Poecilotheria regalis	F		
			go to 6			
			Tyroglyphus longior	С		
			Ixodes hexagonus	В	4	
					[Total: 7]	

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2 (a)	(has been through) capillaries (in organs/named		
	organ(s));		
	(has been through) an organ / named organ		
	(beforehand);		
	lost oxygen to, (named respiring) tissues / (named)		
	organs / cells / AW ;	2	
(b)	oesophagus;		
(0)	stomach;		
	gall bladder ;		
	duodenum ;		Accept small intestine as alternative to duodenum and ileum
	ileum;		Accept small intestine as alternative to duodenam and lieum
	pancreas;		
	colon / large intestine / rectum ;	4	
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(c)	glucose, amino acids ;		
	(named) vitamin(s) / (named) mineral(s) ;		
	in solution / soluble / in the plasma;		
	transported from, small intestine / duodenum / ileum		
	site of absorption ;		
	to liver ;	max 3	
(d)	to max 4		
	(when a) high glucose concentration , glucose		
	converted to <u>glycogen</u> ;		
	low glucose concentration, <u>glycogen</u> converted to		
	glucose ;		
	ref to correct role of, insulin / glucagon ;		
	makes plasma proteins ;		
	excess amino acids , deaminated / described ;		
	to max 3		
	alcohol, broken down / respired / metabolised ;		
	named toxin, broken down; R toxin unqualified	max 5	

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(e)	phagocytes to max 3		
	ingest / engulf , bacteria / pathogens / viruses ; R 'eat'		
	lymphocytes to max 3		
	make / produce / secrete / release, antibodies ;		
1			
	AVP;		AVP for either cell type, could be additional point about
		max 4	antibodies
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3	(a)	lowered / flattened / AW ; increases / AW ; decreases / AW ; higher / greater / more ; into / inside;			
		alveoli ;	6		
	(b)	<pre>(A / goblet cell) secretes / produces, mucus ; sticky ; collects / traps, particles (in the air) ; cilia, move / beat / waft;</pre>		<i>ignore</i> hairs	
		mucus moves / removes, away from alveoli / out of trachea / towards larynx / towards mouth / AW ;	max 4	direction needed	
I			[Total: 10]		

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4	(a)	CO ₂	+ H ₂ O;		marks for:
		→ C ₆ H	₁₂ O ₆ + O ₂ ;		correct formulae for carbon dioxide and water correct formulae for glucose and oxygen balancing the equation
		6O ₂ ,	, 6CO ₂ , 6H ₂ O ;	3	ignore word equation
	(b)	4.98	;	1	
		(1)	1		
	(c)	(i)	constant light <u>intensity</u> / ora; <i>idea that</i> light intensity is not the factor that is varied / not the independent variable / only carbon dioxide is varied / it is a control(led) variable ;	2	accept : if changed, would change rate of photosynthesis itself / AW R simply 'makes results invalid'
		1			T
		(ii)	gas / oxygen / air, collects at top of syringe / from plant or photosynthesis ;		R CO ₂
			creates pressure to force water down the tube ;	2	A push
	(d)	per o poin	centration of (sodium) hydrogen carbonate / mol dm ³ + rate of photosynthesis (1000 / t) ; t plotted correctly ;		
			of best fit ;	3	A ecf from (b)

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(e)	rate of photosynthesis incl carbon dioxide increases (dm ³); data quote ; carbon dioxide (concentra <u>after 0.07 mol per dm³</u> :- rate of photosynthesis rem data quote ; carbon dioxide (concentra factor ; light intensity / temperatur	(up to 0.07 mol per tion) is limiting factor ; nains (near) constant ; tion) is not the limiting	max 5	A increases	very little		
			[Total: 16]				

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5	(a)	carb	on	on dioxide CO ₂ ;		
				ds / cattle / land fill / rotting rubbish / oil on / coal mines / gas fracking sites / AW ;	2	
	(b)	trap radi nea AW	/ al ateo r su ;	I) greenhouse gases ; bsorb, heat / (infra red / IR) radiation ; d back towards the Earth's surface / heat kept irface / prevents heat escaping (to space) /		R UV radiation
		ref to long wavelength cannot 'escape' Earth's atmosphere / AW ;				
	(c)		2 3 4 5 6 7	increases until 1975 ; decreases from 1980 ; to levels in 1930s / less than 1940; <i>idea that</i> slow rate of increase to 1940 ; faster rate of increase from 1945 ; decrease between 1940–1945 ; comparative data quotes ;	max 4	Accept reaches a peak in 1975-1980 year and emission must be given for each point, units mentioned once
		(ii)	2 3 4 5	lowers pH of, soil / water; kills / damages, leaves / plants / trees ; salts / minerals / ions, lost from soils ; toxic to / kills, fish / animals in waters / lakes / rivers ; damages, limestone buildings / bronze statues ;	max 3	 A acidifies lakes A marble, gravestones, etc.

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waste gases with lime catalytic converters ; (named) international emissions ;	ewable / green / AW , A example(s) ORA; on / 'use scrubbers' / precipitators / neutralise e ;				ransport / cycle	paths / AW
		max 3				
		[Total: 15]				

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6	(a)	self-pollination, occurs within same flower / between flowers of same plant ; cross-pollination, occurs between flowers on different			
		plants ;	2		
	(b)	<pre>wastage of pollen ; wastage of energy ; explanation ; depends on presence of pollinator ; need a pollinating / other, plant (nearby) ; long time for next generation to develop ; seeds scattered to places where they cannot grow ; variation leads to plants that are not adapted to place</pre>		A idea of pollen does not reach a stigma	
		where parents grow / seeds end up ;	max 4		
<u> </u>	(-)				
	(c)	round RR wrinkled rr :	1		

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(d)		cross	nhenotyr	e of seeds	in the seed pods	ratio of round to
			round se		wrinkled seeds	wrinkled seeds
	1	pure bred for round seeds x pure bred for wrinkled seeds	✓		×	1:0
	2	offspring of cross 1 self pollinated	~		√	3:1 ;
	3	offspring of cross 1 x pure bred for round seeds	~		×	1:0 ;
	4	offspring of cross 1 x pure bred for wrinkled seeds	~		\checkmark	1:1 ;
				3		
limite	ed nur	by (a) gene alone; nber / two, (pheno)types; diates;		max 1	A (just) two type	s / round & wrinkled
1						
2 wh 3 bet 4 less	ere m ter (na s com	tion / spread to new areas ; ight be able to grow better ; amed) condition(s) ; ipetition ;			light / water / mir	nerals / CO_2 / space
	a that s;	ance of) disease ; allows breeding with wider varie	ty of	max 3		pool / more alleles / AW /e a localized disaster / A
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