GCSE Science - Biology

B3

Question			Marking details		Marks Available
1	(a)	(i)	Scientific term	Description	2
			ureter	fluid leaving the kidney	
			urethra	tube carrying waste solution out of the body	
			urine	tube carrying waste solution to the bladder	
			2 (3) correct lines;;		
			1 correct = 1 mark, 2 correct = 2	marks	
		(ii)	Excretion;		1
	(b)	(i)	Ref to same tissue types/ blood t	types/ family {donor/ member}	
			relative/ same tissue; NOT kidne	y that is similar	1
		(ii)	(Immune suppressant) drugs/ O\	NTTE;	1
			NOT drugs unqualified/ anti supp	pressant	
	(c)	(i)	Dialysis;		1
		(ii)	Regular {hospitalisation/treatmer	nt} / diet restrictions/	1
			temporary/ every time they have	{dialysis/ treatment} several	
			times a week/ not a cure;		
			Question 1 total		[7]

Question			Marking details	Marks Available
2	(a)	(i)	Cholera + 8 years;	1
		(ii)	I 5 000; II (<i>E coli</i>) (very) common in humans/ causes serious {illness/ death};	2
	(b)	(i)	Resistant/ resistance; NOT immune	1
		(ii)	Over prescription/ overuse/ giving too many antibiotics/ doctors transferring from patient to patient;	1
	(c)		(Antibiotics) do not kill viruses/ only kill bacteria/ to kill an antiviral drug; Accept destroy for kill NOT do not effect/ do not work on bacteria	1
			Question 2 total	[6]

Question			Marking details	Marks Available
3	(a)	(i)	(seen to be) red (hot)/ glows red;	1
			NOT hot unqualified/ orange/ white	
		(ii)	(Sterilisation) kills all bacteria/ no bacteria in agar; NOT stops other bacteria getting in	1
			No r stops other baotena getting in	
		(iii)	Count colonies (in D);	1
	(b)	(i)	7;	2
			2100; (ecf)	
		(ii)	I UHT	1
		(iii)	Raw;	1
		(iv)	Prevent bacterial growth in pasteurised/ UHT contains no	1
			bacteria;	
			must refer to one or other of the milks	
			Question 3 Total	[8]

Que	estion		Marking details	Marks Available
4	(a)		Cuticle; Xylem; Stoma(ta);	3
	(b)	(i)	Guard (cells);	1
		(ii)	Open and close/ change pore size/ control how much water passes out;	1
			Question 4 Total	[5]

Question			Marking details	Marks Available
5	(a)		Retina;	2
			<u>Optic</u> nerve;	
	(b)	(i)	I suitable scale;	1
			0 at origin, linear scale	
			II all plots correct;	2
			1/2 small square tolerance	
			1 error = 1 mark, 2 errors = 0 marks	
			Extrapolation (treat as plotting error – 1)	
			III line quality;	1
			Must use a ruler through centre of plots	
		(ii)	I (level then steady) decrease/ gets smaller;	1
			II 5.9 (from graph);	1
			allow ecf from graph	
	(c)	(i)	Reflex;	1
		(ii)	Protective/ protection/ prevents damage/ prevent hurting the	
			body;	1
			Outputien 5 Total	[40]
			Question 5 Total	[10]

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Question			Marking details	Marks Available
6/1	(a)		Phloem;	1
	(b)	(i)	100/ 100.5;	2
			Litres/I/dm ³ ;	
			Allow	
			100 000/ 100 500/ 1 x 10 ⁵ ;	
			cm³/ ml;	
			Unit mark can only be given if value mark given	
		(ii)	any two from;	2
			same	
			 volumes {water/ Topgrow} light intensity/duration temperature NOT heat length of growing time harvest time {variety/ type} of tomato type of soil pH height/ mass/age/ stage of growth of plant NOT size 	
			NOT 'amount'/ same {place/ environment}/ CO ₂ / 'level'	
		(iii)	I 80;	1
			II {lower /smaller} mean mass/{smaller/ lighter} tomatoes;	1
	(C)		any two from;	2
			phosphate; NOT phosphorus potassium; magnesium; calcium; iron; named trace element	

Question 6/1 Total

Question Marking details

Marks Available

4

7/2 *(a)* (i)

name of cell	function
given	carry oxygen;
lymphocyte;	given
NOT white blood cell	
given	Ingest/ take in/ digest/
	engulf; NOT eat/ destroy
	• bacteria/microorganisms/
	pathogen/ microbes; NOT
	disease
given	(blood) clotting;

(ii)	no nucleus/thin in centre/ (bi)concave; NOT doughnut
	more light passes through (centre);

accept less stain

NOT less haemoglobin in the middle

Question 7/2 Total

[6]

2

Question	Marking details	Marks Available
8/3	Any 3 from:	3
	 Less space required (for a given mass of product); The product is more predictable; The product is more reliable; it is made under controlled conditions (cf farming); It uses waste from other processes; It produces less waste/methane; Not {weather/ climate} dependent; Continuous production/ produced on demand; 	
	 Disease free; Responses must refer to production, not consumption, eg. 	

Suitable for vegetarians

NOT quick/ cheap

Question 8/3 Total

[3]

Question Marking details

9/4 Indicative content

The muscle of the right ventricle contracts and pumps blood through the valves of the pulmonary artery into the lungs. Blood then leaves the lungs, passing into the pulmonary vein, re-entering the heart in the left atrium.

5-6 marks

The candidate constructs an articulate, integrated account correctly linking relevant points, such as those in the indicative content, which shows sequential reasoning. The answer fully addresses the question with no irrelevant inclusions or significant omissions. The candidate uses appropriate scientific terminology and accurate spelling, punctuation and grammar.

3-4 marks

The candidate constructs an account correctly linking some relevant points, such as those in the indicative content, showing some reasoning. The answer addresses the question with some omissions. The candidate uses mainly appropriate scientific terminology and some accurate spelling, punctuation and grammar.

1-2 marks

The candidate makes some relevant points, such as those in the indicative content, showing limited reasoning. The answer addresses the question with significant omissions. The candidate uses limited scientific terminology and inaccuracies in spelling, punctuation and grammar.

0 marks

The candidate does not make any attempt or give a relevant answer worthy of credit

Question 9/4 Total

[6]

Available 6

Marks