

**GCSE Biology B (Twenty First Century Science)**  
**J257/01** Breadth in Biology (Foundation)

**Question Set 25**

Multiple Choice Questions

1. Fig. 5.1 shows the life cycle of a male chicken.

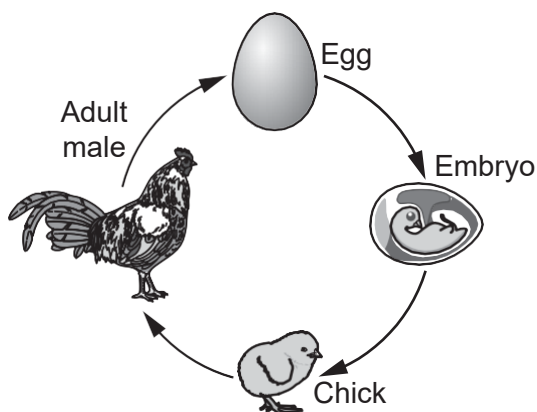


Fig. 5.1

- (a) An adult male chicken has 78 chromosomes in a body cell.

The adult male chicken makes sperm cells.

How many chromosomes will there be in one sperm cell?

[1]

- (b) As a chick grows, the number of cells that make up its body increases

What is the name given to the type of cell division involved in growth?

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Meiosis

Mitosis

Replication

[1]

- (c) Chickens reproduce sexually.

Give **one** biological advantage of sexual reproduction.

[1]

- (d) A chicken's sex is determined by genes located on the sex chromosomes.

Chickens have two different sex chromosomes, Z and W.

Male chickens are ZZ and female chickens are ZW.

Describe how sex determination in chickens is different to that of humans.

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**Total Marks for Question Set 25: 5**

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