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General Marking Guidance

- All candidates must receive the same treatment. Examiners must mark the first candidate in exactly the same way as they mark the last.
- Mark schemes should be applied positively. Candidates must be rewarded for what they have shown they can do rather than penalised for omissions.
- Examiners should mark according to the mark scheme not according to their perception of where the grade boundaries may lie.
- There is no ceiling on achievement. All marks on the mark scheme should be used appropriately.
- All the marks on the mark scheme are designed to be awarded. Examiners should always award full marks if deserved, i.e. if the answer matches the mark scheme. Examiners should also be prepared to award zero marks if the candidate's response is not worthy of credit according to the mark scheme.
- Where some judgement is required, mark schemes will provide the principles by which marks will be awarded and exemplification may be limited.
- When examiners are in doubt regarding the application of the mark scheme to a candidate's response, the team leader must be consulted.
- Crossed out work should be marked UNLESS the candidate has replaced it with an alternative response.

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1(a)(i)	The correct answer is C - R A is incorrect because the pons controls breathing B is incorrect because the pituitary gland releases hormones D is incorrect because the cerebellum co-ordinates movement	

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1(a)(ii)	The correct answer it C - S	
	A is incorrect because the pons controls breathing B is incorrect because the pituitary gland releases hormones	
	D is incorrect because the medulla controls heart rate	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1(a)(iii)	The correct answer it D - T A is incorrect because the pons controls breathing B is incorrect because the pituitary gland releases hormones C is incorrect because the cerebellum co-ordinates movement	
		1

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
1(b)	 serotonin is a neurotransmitter / eq ; idea that { low levels / lack } of serotonin linked to depression ; 	MP1 ACCEPT correct description of a neurotransmitter	
			2

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
1 (c)	 nature involves genes / eq ; nurture involves environment / eq ; 	MP2 ACCEPT named environmental factor	2

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
2 (a)	1. pests / eq ;	MP1 ACCEPT herbivores / grazers / parasites / trampling MP1 IGNORE predators	
	2. disease / eq ;		
	3. competition ;		
	4. pollinating insects ;		2

Question Number	Answer	Mark
2 (b)	The correct answer is D – vector	
	A is incorrect because a drug is not an artificial chromosome B is incorrect because a plasmid is not an artificial chromosome C is incorrect because a transcription factor is not an artificial chromosome	1

Question	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
Number 2 (c)	 carbon dioxide { is not removed from blood / level in blood increases / level in blood is high } ; carbonic acid increases / pH decreases (due to increase in CO₂) ; (change) not detected by chemoreceptors ; idea that { medulla / ventilation centre } { is not stimulated / receives fewer impulses } ; idea of { fewer / no } impulses to muscles (involved in breathing) ; { no / decreased } { contractions / ventilation } (causes death) ; 	MP4 ACCEPT respiratory centre / inspiratory centre MP5 ACCEPT diaphragm / intercostal muscles	4

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
3 (a)	1. darkness converts Pfr to Pr / light converts Pr to Pfr ;	ACCEPT auxin for IAA	
	2. { more Pr / less Pfr } in dark ;		
	3. more IAA present in the dark ;	MP3 DNA converse	
	4. IAA { softens / eq } cell walls ;	MP4 IGNORE refs to permeability	
	5. uptake of water by osmosis ;	permeability	
	6. causes cell elongation ;	MP6 IGNORE refs to enlargement / growth / division	4

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
*3 (b)	Glycolysis:	QWC emphasis is clarity of expression.	
	1. produces phosphorylated compounds / named example ;		
	2. (substrate-level) phosphorylation of ADP ;	MP2 MP6 ACCEPT ADP + Pi \rightarrow ATP IGNORE refs to "ATP synthesis"	
	3. produces { reduced NAD / NADH / NADH ⁺ / NADH ₂ } ;	MP3 DNA NADP / NADPH / NADPH+	
	Krebs:		
	4. produces { reduced NAD / eq } and { reduced FAD / eq } ;		
	5. (reduced coenzymes) supply electrons to { ETC / electron carriers } ;		
	6. (substrate-level) phosphorylation of ADP ;		
	7. in the process of oxidative phosphorylation / chemiosmosis ;		
	8. reference to ATP synthase / stalked particles ;	MP8 ACCEPT ATPase / ATP synthetase	
			6

Question Number	Answer		Mark
4 (a) (i)	 The correct answer is C - high concentration of myoglobin myoglobin A is incorrect because the converse is correct B is incorrect because the converse is correct D is incorrect because the converse is correct 	low concentration of	1

Question Number	Answer	Mark
4 (a) (ii)	The correct answer is B - calcium ions are released from the sarcoplasmic reticulum A is incorrect because calcium ions do not form cross bridges C is incorrect because sodium ions do not form cross bridges	
	D is incorrect because sodium ions are not released from the sarcoplasmic reticulum	
		1

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
4 (b) (i)	1. both increase in volume / have a lower percentage decrease (between 4 to 19 days) ;		
	2. both muscles change by { same / similar } percentage ;		
	3. error bars suggest difference in S and G not significant ;		
	4. credit correct manipulation of figures ;	MP4 "both change by 6%" MP2 and MP4	
			2

Questi	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
on			
4 (b) (ii)	1. gene for actin switched on ;		
	 2. increased { transcription / synthesis of mRNA } ; 3. (increased) { translation / synthesis of actin } ; 		2

Questi on	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
4 (b) (iii)	line for actin correctly labelled ;		1

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
4(b) (iv)	Two from: myosin ;	Any other response negates mark.	
	troponin ;		
	tropomyosin ;		1

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
4(c)	1. idea that astronauts { fatigue quickly / cannot exercise for long periods } ;		
	Two from:		
	2. { less aerobic / more anaerobic } respiration ;		
	3. less ATP produced ;		
	4. fewer mitochondria ;		
	5. lactic acid produced ;	MP5 ACCEPT lactate	3

Total 11 marks

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
5 (a)	 reference to { pump / active transport } ; idea that sodium ions move out of cell and potassium ions move into cell ; 	MP2 DNA refs to diffusion MP2 ACCEPT Na ⁺ K ⁺ MP2 IGNORE refs to numbers of ions	
	3. membrane is permeable to potassium ions / eq ;		
	4. membrane is not permeable to sodium ions / eq ;		
	5. membrane is not permeable to organic anions / eq ;		3

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
5(b)(i)	1. metaflumizone { closes / blocks } sodium (ion) channels ;	MP1 ACCEPT channels do not open	
	2. no influx of sodium ions ;		
	3. no { depolarisation / action potential / impulses } ;	MP3 IGNORE signals	
	4. no { stimulation / contraction } of muscles ;		3

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
5(b) (ii)		IGNORE any reference to ethics	
	1. use a range of five concentrations ;	MP1 minimum of 5	
	2. standardisation of the ant ;	MP2 eg size, age, gender, species.	
	3. method to assess mobility ;	MP3 eg observation	
	4. large sample size ;	MP4 minimum 10 if number stated	
	5. named variable controlled ;	MP5 eg time, temperature, volume / pH of solution,	
	6. repeat with a narrower range of concentrations ;		4

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
5(b)(iii)	 mutation in the { DNA / gene / allele } ; idea that different protein produced ; enzyme that breaks down metaflumizone ; idea that metaflumizone no longer { blocks / binds to} channel; 		3

Question Number	Answer	Mark
6 (a)	The correct answer is C - hypothalamus	
	A is incorrect because the cerebellum is involved in the co-ordination of movement	
	B is incorrect because the cerebrum is involved in thinking/learning D is incorrect because the medulla oblongata is involved in the control of heart rate	
		1

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
6 (b) (i)	1. core body temperature higher (than skin temperature) before eating ice / eq ;	MP1 ACCEPT converse	
	 core body temperature falls and skin temperature rises after eating ice ; 		2

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
6(b)(ii)	1. heat loss decreases (after eating ice) ;		
	2. ice reduces core body temperature ;		
	3. (reduced) temperature detected by{ hypothalamus / thermoregulatory centre / heat gain centre } ;		
	4. nerve impulses / eq (from hypothalamus / eq) ;		
	5. sweat glands { inhibited / produce less sweat } ;		
	6. less evaporation of water ;	MP6 DNA sweat	
	7. reference to latent heat of {vaporisation / evaporation } ;		4

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
-	 Answer 1. idea of reduction in { activity of enzymes / kinetic energy } ; 2. idea that hypothermia affects { active transport / pumping } of { protons / H⁺ / hydrogen ions } ; 3. out of matrix / through inner membrane / to intermembrane (space) ; 4. chemiosmosis requires a {concentration / electrochemical / pH / proton} gradient ; 5. idea that hypothermia reduces diffusion (down this gradient) ; 6. less energy released by movement of { protons / eq } ; 	Additional guidance MP4 ACCEPT eq to protons	Mark
	7. through { ATP synthase / stalked particles } ;		5

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
7(a)	there is no significant difference in the number of people who quit smoking normal cigarettes when using { e-cigarettes / nothing / NRTs / eq } ;		1

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
7(b)	 idea that health problems take a long time to show ; people chosen will represent different { ages / gender / ethnicity } ; 		
	<pre>3. placebo needed to reduce { psychological effects / bias } ;</pre>		3

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
*7(c)(i)		QWC emphasis on logical sequence	
	1. nicotine { attaches / binds } to receptors on cells of the adrenal gland ;		
	2. depolarisation of cell membrane ;		
	3. calcium ion channels open ;		
	4. influx of calcium ions ;		
	5. vesicles {move to / fuse with } (adrenal) cell membrane ;		
	6. adrenaline is released into blood ;	MP6 ACCEPT exocytosis	
	7. adrenaline travels to the heart ;		
	8. increased activity of the SAN ;		6

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
7(c) (ii)	1. {increase in / high } blood pressure ;		
	2. damage to endothelium ;		
	3. reference to inflammatory response ;		
	4. details of inflammatory response ;	MP4 eg cholesterol / WBCs / atheroma	3

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
7(d)	1. need to repeat ;		
	2. idea of peer review ;		
	3. idea that mice may respond differently from humans ;		
	4. dosage of drug might be too high in mice ;		2

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
7(e)	 idea of an increased risk of { infection / disease } ; less phagocytosis / description of phagocytosis; less antigen presentation to T-helper cells ; 	MP1 DNA illness	3

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
7(f)	Correct answer gains two marks 1. (4353 x 0.102) = 444 ;	MP1 IGNORE d.p.	
	2. (444 x 0.005) = 2 ;		2

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
7(g)	 no { MAO inhibitors / MAO activity } in e-cigarettes ; therefore reduced { adrenergic / dopaminergic } activity ; idea of less reward behaviour ; 	ACCEPT converse points for nicotine from burnt tobacco products	3

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
7(h)	 (neurotransmitter is) dopamine ; idea of { binding / attaching } to receptors in postsynaptic membrane ; depolarisation of postsynaptic membrane; generation of { action potentials / nerve impulses } 	MP2 DNA neurone	3

Question Number	Answer	Mark
7(i)(1)	The correct answer is D - tidal volume during expiration A is incorrect because the air left is the residual volume B is incorrect because FVC is a volume not a rate C is incorrect because concentration of CO2 is irrelevant to lung volumes	
	c is incorrect because concentration of CO2 is inclevant to long volumes	1

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
7(i)(2)	1. less { exhalation / air forcibly expelled } ;		
	2. narrowed { airways / bronchioles } / bronchoconstriction ;		
	3. {reduced elasticity / loss of alveoli} ;		
	4. caused by nicotine / chemicals in tobacco smoke ;		2

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
7(j)	axes labelled correctly (x-axis concentration and y-axis cytotoxicity) and line showing positive correlation ;	IGNORE units	1

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