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## Advanced Subsidiary GCE

Unit F212: Molecules, Biodiversity, Food and Health

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| Question |  |  | Expected Answers | Mark | Additional Guidance |
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| 2 | (a) |  | (enzymes are) proteins / used in metabolism / used in named metabolic pathway ; <br> alter rate of (chemical) reaction / lowers activation energy / provides alternative route for reaction / is not changed / is not used up ; | 2 | ACCEPT 'used in reactions, in organisms / in the body' IGNORE 'biological / enzyme / in nature' <br> ACCEPT does not take part in reaction <br> Note 'speed up metabolic reactions' = 2 marks |
| 2 | (b) | (i) | time ; | 1 | Mark the first answer. If the answer is correct and an additional answer is given that is incorrect or contradicts the correct answer then = $\mathbf{0}$ marks <br> IGNORE 'how long' <br> IGNORE correct units |
| 2 | (b) | (ii) | P1 idea of different samples have different concentrations of, catalase / enzyme ; <br> One of source the extract for the whole experiment from a single source ; thorough , mixing , required before use ; filter / purify , extract ; idea of using , known / standard , concentration of enzyme; | 2 | The M mark can be awarded without a correct P mark <br> P1 Look for the idea of variation within the sample (e.g. different amounts) <br> CREDIT examples of lack of uniformity such as: breakage of cells / surface area / mixing / disruption of lysosomes / changes to enzyme shape (caused by blending process) / presence of other substances interfering with reaction <br> IGNORE refs to celery being a poor source of catalase <br> M1 ACCEPT 'from same plant' |

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\hline \multicolumn{3}{|r|}{Question} \& Expected Answers \& Mark \& Additional Guidance \\
\hline 2 \& (b) \& (iii) \& repeat / replicate ; compare replicate values / identify anomalous results ; mean / range / standard deviation / error bars / \% error ; compare results with , others / book / internet , values / results ; \& 2 max \& \begin{tabular}{l}
e.g compare replicates with Table 2.1 \\
IGNORE average \\
Must contain the idea of other investigators ACCEPT 'look up normal values on the internet'
\end{tabular} \\
\hline 2 \& (c) \& (i)
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rate , rises / increases, initially; <br>
peak at / maximum at / highest at / decrease after, $\underline{40}\left({ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$; <br>
(overall) fall more rapid than rise ; <br>
idea that before peak / after peak, temperature increase has increasing effect on rate ; <br>
comparative figures to support any point ; <br>
no , reaction / oxygen produced , at $60\left({ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$;

 \& 4 max \& 

IGNORE explanations <br>
1 DO NOT CREDIT if 'rate' not stated for this mp only <br>
2 ACCEPT optimum <br>
3 Look for a comparative statement <br>
4 ACCEPT, e.g., line is steeper between 30 and 40 than between 10 and 20. <br>
5 Two temperatures and two rates, with units. Or calculated difference with appropriate units, e.g. rate doubles between 10 and $20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ or $\mathrm{Q}_{10}=2$ <br>
6 ACCEPT rate is 0 at 60
\end{tabular} <br>

\hline 2 \& (c) \& (ii) \& 2; \& 1 \& IGNORE units <br>

\hline 2 \& (c) \& (iii) \& | temperature ; |
| :--- |
| maximum / peak / $\mathrm{V}_{\text {max }}$; |
| denatured ; |
| active; | \& 4 \& | Mark the first answer for each letter. If the answer is correct and an additional answer is given that is incorrect or contradicts the correct answer then = $\mathbf{0}$ marks |
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| ACCEPT kinetic energy / KE |
| ACCEPT optimum / optimum temperature IGNORE descriptions | <br>

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| 3 | (a) | (i) | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{D} ; \\ & \mathrm{A} ; \\ & \mathrm{F} ; \end{aligned}$ |  | 3 | Mark the first answer for each letter. If an additional answer is given then = 0 mark |
| 3 | (a) | (ii) | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{B} \\ & \mathrm{E} ; \\ & \mathrm{F} ; \\ & \mathrm{F} ; \end{aligned}$ |  | 4 | Mark the first answer for each letter If an additional answer is given then = 0 marks |
| 3 | (b) |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 2 \\ & 3 \\ & \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | ```insoluble ; does not , change / affect , water potential / }\Psi\mathrm{ , of cell ; can be , broken down / hydrolysed / built up , quickly / easily ; lots of branches for enzymes to attach ; compact ; (therefore) high energy content for mass / energy dense / AW ;``` | 3 max | 2 ACCEPT osmotically inactive / AW <br> 3 Answers must contain the idea of ease or speed of breakdown <br> IGNORE broken up <br> Answers must imply density, e.g. 'it is compact and so stores a lot of energy' $=2$ marks |


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| 3 | (c) | (i) | $\underline{\text { a }}$ / alpha , glucose ; | 1 | Mark the first answer. If the answer is correct and an additional answer is given that is incorrect or contradicts the correct answer then = $\mathbf{0}$ marks <br> ACCEPT ' $a$ ' |
| 3 | (c) | (ii) | 1 respiratory substrate / used for respiration ; <br> 2 source of / releases / provides, energy; <br> 3 formation of ATP ; <br> 4 conversion into named compound ; | 1 max | Mark the first answer. If the answer is correct and an additional answer is given that is incorrect or contradicts the correct answer then = 0 marks <br> DO NOT CREDIT any answer that clearly states that glucose is energy, makes energy, produces energy or creates energy <br> 1 ACCEPT used in respiration <br> ACCEPT 'releases energy for respiration' <br> 2 IGNORE used for energy <br> 4 e.g. starch / cellulose / polysaccharide / disaccharide / glycogen / protein / lipid / sucrose / maltose / fructose / fat |
| 3 | (c) | (iii) | D; | 1 | Mark the first answer. If the answer is correct and an additional answer is given that is incorrect or contradicts the correct answer then = $\mathbf{0}$ marks <br> ACCEPT F <br> IGNORE triglyceride / fat / lipid / haemoglobin |



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| 4 | (a) | (i) | 1 2 3 4 5 | the elderly / older people ; <br> 'at risk' children / young people ; <br> pregnant women ; <br> those with compromised immune systems ; <br> those with chronic diseases; <br> health workers ; <br> poultry workers / pig farmers ; | 2 max | Mark the first answer on each numbered line. <br> 1 ACCEPT ref to any age over 50 <br> 2 ACCEPT the young / infants / babies IGNORE refs to age <br> 4 ACCEPT weak <br> ACCEPT e.g. with AIDS / HIV / on immunosuppressant drugs / ref cancer <br> 5 ACCEPT e.g. heart conditions / lung conditions / asthma / diabetes <br> 7 ACCEPT other professions working with animals, e.g. vets |
| 4 | (a) | (ii) |  | ent strains of the virus / virus mutates (each year) ; <br> strains have) different antigens ; <br> that antibody produced, needs to match new strain / antigen ; ora | 2 max | IGNORE 'different types' or 'virus changes' or 'different strands' <br> ACCEPT (influenza) pathogen <br> CREDIT antigenic shift / drift ora original antibody does not match new antigen |


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| 4 | (a) | (iii) |  | ondary response , starts earlier / has shorter delay before response ; ora ondary response , more rapid / faster ; ora ondary response, higher / produces more antibodies ; ora | 2 max | Mark the first two differences <br> IGNORE answers, e.g. 'size of response' or 'response is faster' that do not refer to a feature of the secondary or primary response <br> CREDIT 'shorter lag time' <br> ACCEPT steeper ACCEPT bigger <br> IGNORE 'secondary response lasts longer' as this is not clear from graph |
| 4 | (a) | (iv) | 1 2 3 4 5 6 | recognise, virus / antigen / pathogen ; <br> produce a clone ; <br> can , change to / form , plasma cells (on infection) ; make antibodies (against influenza, virus / antigen) ; <br> responsible for secondary response / destroy virus before symptoms appear ; <br> can , change to / form , named T-cell ; | 3 max | 1 ACCEPT description of recognition IGNORE find/ detect <br> 2 ACCEPT ref to clonal expansion ACCEPT 'divide by mitosis to produce large numbers' <br> 4 IGNORE 'reproduce antibodies' IGNORE 'release antibodies' <br> 5 IGNORE refs to speed of response unqualified |


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| 4 | (b) | (i) | (antibiotics) are, not effective against viruses / effective (only) against bacteria (and fungi / protozoa ); |  | 1 | ACCEPT antibiotics do not kill viruses IGNORE viruses are resistant to antibiotics ACCEPT correct ref to detail of antibiotic action, e.g. 'antibiotics attack cell wall which is not present in influenza (virus)' |
| 4 | (b) | (ii) |  | Tamiflu $^{\circledR}$ is , competitive / non-competitive inhibitor ; <br> correct detail of inhibition method that does not contradict stated type of inhibition ; <br> prevents, substrate binding to active site / formation of enzyme-substrate complex / formation of ESC ; | 2 max | 2 e.g. fits or binds to active site / complementary shape to active site / competes for the active site <br> OR <br> fits into allosteric site or site other than active site I changes shape of active site <br> 3 IGNORE substrate binding to enzyme |
| 4 | (b) | (iii) |  | , viruses / pathogens , produced ; <br> $r$, viruses / pathogens, (in droplets) when , sneezing / coughing; <br> viruses / pathogens, cannot leave cell ; cannot , infect / spread to , other cells ; of treating , large / proximate , population; | 2 max | IGNORE herd immunity / ring vaccination |
| 4 | (c) |  |  | ts) already identified as likely to have , medicinal properties / few side effects / AW ; , time / effort, in finding, plants / active chemicals ; sibly) reduces cost ; | 2 max | ACCEPT 'known / proven to work' ACCEPT reduced time for testing |
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| Question |  |  | Expected Answers | Mark | Additional Guidance |
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| 5 | (a) | (i) | both rise (between 1920 and 1960) ; <br> men started smoking before, ca. 1900 / <br> women's smoking started increasing after 1920-1925; <br> similar levels of smoking (in men and women) by 1990 ; <br> smoking in men, levelled off / plateaued <br> OR <br> smoking in women continues to rise ; | 2 max | Needs direct comparison in single statement <br> ACCEPT comparative statement, e.g. 'women started smoking later than men' <br> ACCEPT 5000 in both by the end of the 1980s <br> DO NOT CREDIT if plateau described before 1940 |
| 5 | (a) | (ii) | (positive) correlation / similar pattern, between smoking and lung cancer ; <br> idea that increase in incidence of lung cancer lags behind increase in smoking; <br> idea of once smoking has levelled off there is a corresponding levelling off in incidence of lung cancer ; <br> idea of men always smoking more and men having higher rates of cancer ; ora | 2 | ACCEPT similar shaped graphs IGNORE 'as smoking increases, so does lung cancer' ACCEPT followed by <br> ACCEPT if answer implies levelling off at same time |




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| 6 | (a) | (i) | ```3 parts to body; head + thorax + tail ; segmented; lateral spines / spines from both sides of head; thorax / tail, similar shape ;``` | 3 max | Mark the first answer on each numbered line. <br> ACCEPT wherever seen <br> ACCEPT 'a lateral spine' <br> ACCEPT description of thorax / tail shape |
| 6 | (a) | (ii) | anterior spine (from head) on A ; longer lateral spines on B ; less rounded / AW , head on B ; any other reasonable difference; ; | 2 max | Mark the first answer on each numbered line. Answers must state either species A or species B ACCEPT ora throughout <br> e.g. (greater) fusion of tail segments in $B$ grooves around edge of head in B outline of tail section (more) curved in A A has more segments CREDIT any clear description of a difference |
| 6 | (b) |  | 1 idea of fossils show changes over time; <br> idea that there are methods to date fossils; <br> idea of simplest / most different from modern , species / <br> AW , in oldest rocks ; <br> 4 idea of showing, links / relationships, between, groups / species / organisms / taxa; <br> 5 many fossils organisms no longer exist ; <br> 6 idea of compare DNA extracted from some fossils; | 2 max | 2 ACCEPT it is possible to date fossils <br> 4 ACCEPT ref to common ancestor of two species Answers could refer to links between species $A$ and species B |
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| 7 | (a) | X phosphate ; <br> Y deoxyribose; <br> Z thymine; | 3 | Mark the first answer for each letter. If the answer is correct and an additional answer is given that is incorrect or contradicts the correct answer then = $\mathbf{0}$ marks <br> DO NOT CREDIT $\mathrm{PO}_{4}$ or 'phosphate, molecule / backbone' IGNORE group <br> DO NOT CREDIT deoxyribulose IGNORE (pentose) sugar <br> DO NOT CREDIT incorrect spelling IGNORE (nitrogenous) base / T |



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different species; different genus; genetically incompatible ; <br>
(may have) different number of chromosomes ; physical / behavioural, reason for reproductive incompatibility ;

 \& 2 max \& 

3 ACCEPT 'DNA sufficiently different' IGNORE refs to meiosis <br>
4 IGNORE refs to meiosis <br>
5 e.g. eggs remain unfertilised / different incubation patterns <br>
IGNORE refs to fertility of offspring
\end{tabular} <br>

\hline 8 \& (b) \& (i) \& \& vention (on) International Trade (in) Endangered Species ; \& 1 \& | ACCEPT Commission / Conference / Congress ACCEPT Trading |
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| DO NOT CREDIT Conservation / Countries | <br>

\hline 8 \& (b) \& (ii) \& 1
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regulate / monitor , trade in selected, species / animals / plants / animal products ; <br>
idea of ensuring trade does not put wild populations at risk; idea of prohibiting commercial trade in wild plants ; idea of allowing trade in artificially propagated plants ; idea of allowing trade in less endangered species subject to permit ;

 \& 2 max \& 

Mark the first two answers only. <br>
IGNORE trafficking throughout (as in stem) <br>
1 ACCEPT idea of species being on a list ACCEPT endangered <br>
ACCEPT prevent <br>
IGNORE illegal <br>
IGNORE animals / plants unqualified <br>
3 ACCEPT endangered plants
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| Question |  | Expected Answers <br> unrelated / AW, individuals ; <br> health ; of reproductive age ; selecting individuals of opposite sex (for breeding) ; select higher proportion of females ; |  | Mark | Additional Guidance |
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| 8 | (c) |  |  | 2 max | ACCEPT idea of individuals with sufficiently different genes <br> ACCEPT 'whether they are healthy (or not)' ACCEPT fertility of individuals |
| 8 | (d) | 1 2 3 4 5 6 | bird(s) healthy / quarantine before release ; adequate (natural) food supply / <br> provide food (if necessary) ; protected reserve / no hunting / no poaching / legal protection ; method to monitor population ; <br> raise public awareness / educate local population / educate collectors ; method to prepare animals for survival in wild ; <br> idea of gradual introduction, e.g via semi-wild habitat ; | 3 max | 1 IGNORE refs to ongoing health monitoring <br> 3 ACCEPT ref to controlling predators <br> 4 e.g. tag birds <br> 5 ACCEPT involve local population <br> 6 e.g. raise with minimal human contact, predator awareness training ACCEPT teaching it to find food |
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