Question Number	Answer	Mark
1(a)	 some people with (new) drug and some without (new) drug / eq ; 	
	 use placebo / description (e.g. sugar-coated dummy pill) /old drug ; 	
	 {doctors / eq} and {subjects / eq} do not know who is on (new) drug or who is not /eq ; 	
	 to see if new drug works better than {placebo / old drug}/eq ; 	
	5. reduces bias /eq ;	(3)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1 (b)(i)	glycosidic ;	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1(b)(ii)	{ α / alpha} glucose ;	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1(b)(iii)	 {bioplastic / starch} comes from {plants / eq} ; 	
	2. {plants / starch} are renewable ;	
	 oil-based plastic is from non-renewable resource / eq ; 	max (2)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1(b)(iv)	will not accumulate / not contribute to landfill / can be decomposed / eq ;	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1(c)	sclerenchyma ; xylem ;	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Additional Comments	Mark
2 (a)	 QWC – Spelling of technical terms must be correct and the answer must be organised in a logical sequence) 1. idea that 18 individuals is a small population / small gene pool / low genetic diversity / may have been closely related / eq ; 2. captive breeding will increase population ; 3. studbooks /records kept of breeding 	QWC emphasis is clarity of expression ACCEPT reference to 'species' instead of ferret which may arise due to the wording of question.	
	 programme / eq ; 4. (zoos) select mates ; 5. inter-zoo exchange of animals for breeding / eq ; 	 ust refer to human intervention – not just the ferrets choosing their mates 	
	6. idea of the need to prevent inbreeding ;	6. NOT 'interbreeding' in place of 'inbreeding'. ACCEPT 'encourage outbreeding' e.g. ferrets not mated with closely related ferrets	
	7. idea of avoiding genetic drift ;		
	8. use of { IVF / AI / use of surrogates } ;		
	 process for measuring genetic diversity described, e.g. DNA profiling / eq ; 		(5)

Question Number	Answer	Additional Comments	Mark
2 (b)(i)	 (captive) population not large enough / number of births is low / eq ; 		
	2. individuals not mature enough / eq ;		
	 zoos preparing ferrets for release / eq ; 		
	 idea of maintaining a population in zoos ; 		(2)

Question Number	Answer	Additional Comments	Mark
2 (b)(ii)	 number of <u>births</u> is rising / eq; increase in population : idea that more are born than are released e.g. at least 200 births each year; identification of years when number of <u>births</u> fell, i.e. 1994 or 2000; correct manipulation of data; 	3. Or som understanding that the increases outweigh the decreases, e.g. between 1991-1999 it increased by 230, but only fell by 170 to 2000 from 	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Additional Comments	Mark
2 (c)		Factors provided may either improve or reduce survival chances	
	 idea of habitat as a factor, e.g. loss of habitat / wider range of habitats / eq ; availability of { prey / food / prairie dogs /eq }; 	1. climate change n be accepted here as a factor affecting availability of suitable habitat ACCEPT description of human activity that could lead to loss or gain of habitat	
	 competition with other ferrets (for resources) ; 	3. Intrasp ific competition	
	 competition with other species (for resources) / eq ; 	4. Interspecific competiti	
	 effect of eating { poisoned prairie dogs / poison put out for prairie dogs } / eq ; 		
	presence of { predators / hunters } / eq ;		
	 preparation for living in the wild improves chance of survival / if reliant on humans would not survive ; 	7. e.g. kept in semi-wi conditions initially and hunting behaviour	
	 idea of too few to be a viable breeding population ; 	encourageu	
	9. idea of presence of disease ;		(3)

Question	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
3(a)	 reference to increase in <pre>{metabolic rate / enzyme activity / eq} as temperature rises ;</pre> 	1. Accep converse argument for mp 1 – 3	
	 reference to increase in {kinetic / eq} energy of molecules (as temperature rises) / eq ; 	2. Acce movement	
	 reference to increase in {enzyme- substrate complexes / energy of collisions / eq} (as temperature rises); 		
	 idea of {inactivation at lower temperatures/ denaturation at higher temperatures} of enzymes ; 	4.Accept the idea that enzyme-substrate complexes cannot be made if denaturing	
	5. idea that temperature affects{differentiation / growth /division/ eq};		(3)

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
3 (b)	 idea that temperature affects {survival / development / growth / metabolism / cell division / eq}; 		
	 idea that enzymes affect {development / growth / metabolism / cell division/ eq}; 		
	 idea that temperature affects enzymes ; 		
	 idea that different frogs have different enzymes ; 		(2)

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
3 (c)	sylvatica, pipiens, palustris, clamitans ; ;	if order correct but reversed = 1 mark	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
3(d)	 idea that different species are reproductively isolated ; 		
	 idea of different breeding {times / seasons / eq}; 		
	 idea of different {breeding / courtship / eq} {behaviour / rituals / displays / colour / songs / croaks / eq}; 	3. Acce idea of incompatible {genitalia / gametes}	
	 4. idea that population at {northerly / southerly} limit of range may not develop (to adulthood) ; 		
	 idea that breeding between different species results in infertile offspring ; 		(3)

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
3 (e)	 idea that global warming will increase the temperature (at the latitudes); 		
	 idea that temperatures (at these latitudes) may become too high for any of the species ; 	2.Accept become extinct	
	 idea that new temperature may be above the maximum to complete development or above the upper lethal limit ; 		
	 idea that species move {north / to cooler regions / eq}; 		
	 ref to change in {food source / predators / competition / eg}; 		(3)

Question	Answer	Mark
Number		
4(a)(i)	C – hydrolysis ;	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
4(a)(ii)	C – glucose ;	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
4(b)	 reference to { low pH / (hydrochloric) acid / HCI / eq} ; 	
	2. idea that acid destroys bacteria ;	
	3. reference to {low / no} oxygen ;	
	4. reference to using anaerobic respiration ;	
	 idea of resistant to { (stomach) enzymes / protease / named protease} ; 	
	6. idea of bacterial cell resistant to digestion ;	
	7. ref to adaptation to cow's temperature ;	(3)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
4(c)(i)	1. group A = 720 and group B = {662 / 662.4} ;	
	2. units correct = $\{dm^3 day^{-1} / dm^3 per day\}$;	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
* 4(c)(ii) QWC	Take into account quality of written communication when awarding the following points.	
	 reference to less { greenhouse gas / methane / carbon dioxide} ; 	
	2. carbon dioxide and methane are (both) { greenhouse gases / cause greenhouse effect} ;	
	3. (that can) { absorb / trap / eq} { heat / infra red / longer wavelengths} (radiation) ;	
	4. {reflected / eq} from the Earth / eq ;	
	 reference to decrease in {these gases / carbon dioxide / methane} leads to {reduced / eq} greenhouse effect ; 	
	 idea of <i>methane</i> having a greater <i>greenhouse</i> effect than <i>carbon dioxide</i>; 	
	 idea of temperature of {Earth's surface / atmosphere} less likely to rise ; 	
	8. reference to reduced possibility of <i>climate</i> change ;	
	 description of example of effect of this (e.g. ice caps melting, crop failure); 	(5)