

M1. (a) light is trapped / absorbed / used  
*extra answers cancel mark*  
*ignore solar / sunshine* 1

by chlorophyll / chloroplasts  
*if no other marks awarded, allow 1 mark for photosynthesis / equation for photosynthesis* 1

(b) (to make) starch (for storage)  
*ignore 'for growth' unqualified*  
*ignore respiration* 1

(to make) fat / oil (for storage) 1

(to make) amino acids / proteins / enzymes 1

(to make) cellulose / cell walls  
*allow for active transport*  
*allow any other correct, named organic substances (eg DNA / ATP / chlorophyll / hormone)*  
*if no named examples, allow 'to make **named** cell structures' for max. 1 mark* 1

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**M2.** (a) (i) oxygen produced

1

(ii) any **one** from:

- average / mean / median  
*ignore reliable / precise / accurate*
- some may be anomalous  
*allow some may not float*

1

(b) (i) *do **not** allow answers in terms of time only  
if candidate answers in terms of comparing rate of change  
then the rate of change of photosynthesis must be in the  
correct direction for **1** mark*

any **two** from:

- low intensity / below 12.5 / 2.5 - 12.5 (units of light) flat wrack / it, rate of photosynthesis faster **or** saw wrack rate of photosynthesis slower  
*allow any value in range*
- high intensity / above 12.5 / 12.5 - 15 (units of light) flat wrack / it, rate of photosynthesis slower **or** saw wrack rate of photosynthesis faster  
*allow any value in range*
- same (rate) at 12.5 units

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(ii) any **two** from:

- saw wrack receives less light  
*accept converse if clear reference to bladder wrack*
- less photosynthesis  
*if first and second responses, 'less' needed only once*  
**or**  
less carbohydrate / sugar / starch production
- when tide is in **or** at high tide **or** any tide above low tide  
*accept saw wrack covered by water / submerged longer /*

*more  
reference to position on shore is insufficient*

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**M3.** (a) (i) increase (and then level off) **and** max / up to at 0.15 (%) (carbon dioxide)  
*ignore references to oxygen concentration only*  
*ignore mention of 23*

1

(ii) CO<sub>2</sub> is limiting at low CO<sub>2</sub> / at first  
*ignore specific numbers*

1

light is limiting at high CO<sub>2</sub> / at end

1

(b) ***mark both parts together***

effect: (oxygen) falls

1

explanation: (oxygen) used for respiration

***if no other marks awarded allow (effect) no change and  
(explanation) no photosynthesis for 1 mark***

1

(c) more chlorophyll / chloroplasts

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allows more photosynthesis / description

*for both marks must refer to more at least once*

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**M4.** (a) 7.15 to 7.45 am **and** 7.15 to 7.45 pm  
*both required, either order*  
*accept in 24 hr clock mode* 1

(b) (i) 11 1

(ii) 32.5 to 33  
*allow answer to (b)(i) + 21.5 to 22* 1

(c) any **two** from:

- more photosynthesis than respiration
- more biomass / carbohydrate made than used  
*allow more food made than used*
- so plant able to grow / flower  
*accept plant able to store food*

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**M5.** (a) LHS: carbon dioxide **AND** water

*in either order*

*accept  $\text{CO}_2$  **and**  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$*

*allow  $\text{CO}_2$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$*

*if names given ignore symbols*

*do **not** accept  $\text{CO}^2$  /  $\text{H}^2\text{O}$  /  $\text{Co}$  /  $\text{CO}$*

*ignore balancing*

1

RHS: sugar(s) / glucose / starch / carbohydrate(s)

*accept  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6$*

*allow  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6$*

*do **not** accept  $\text{C}^6\text{H}^{12}\text{O}^6$*

1

(b) (i) light is needed for photosynthesis

**or**

no photosynthesis occurred (so no oxygen produced)

1

(ii) oxygen is needed / used for (aerobic) respiration

*full statement*

*respiration occurs **or** oxygen is needed for anaerobic  
respiration gains **1** mark*

2

(c) (i) (with increasing temperature) rise then fall in rate

1

use of figures, ie

max. production at  $40^\circ\text{C}$

**or** maximum rate of 37.5 to 38

1

(ii) 25 – 35 °C

**either** faster movement of particles / molecules / more collisions **or** particles have more energy / enzymes have more energy

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**or** temperature is a limiting factor over this range

40 – 50 °C

denaturation of proteins / enzymes

*ignore denaturation of cells*

*ignore stomata*

1

(d) above 35 °C (to 40 °C) – little increase in rate  
**or** > 40 °C – causes decrease in rate

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so waste of money **or** less profit / expensive

1

because respiration rate is higher at > 35 °C

**or**

respiration reduces the effect of photosynthesis

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- M6.** (a) use of quadrat / point frame  
*allow description* 1
- randomly placed / random sampling  
*ignore reference to transects* 1
- (b) (i) 6 1
- (ii) more light in A / in field / where sunny  
*ignore sun* 1
- more / better / faster photosynthesis in A / with more light  
*allow converse* 1
- (iii) use light meter / measure light intensity in both habitats 1
- take many measurements at same time of the day 1
- or**
- laboratory / field investigation with 2 batches high light and low light (1)
- count or number of flowers in each (1)  
*counting point is dependent on investigation point*
- (c) more glucose / energy available



*allow other named product eg protein*  
*allow if more energy produced*

1

for growth

*dependent on 1<sup>st</sup> mark*

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**M7.** (a) LHS – carbon dioxide / CO<sub>2</sub>  
*allow CO2*  
*ignore CO<sup>2</sup>*

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RHS

*in either order*

glucose / carbohydrate / sugar  
*allow starch*  
*allow C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>12</sub>O<sub>6</sub> / C6H12O6*  
*ignore C<sup>6</sup>H<sup>12</sup>O<sup>6</sup>*

1

oxygen

*allow O<sub>2</sub> / O2*  
*ignore O<sup>2</sup> / O*

1

(b) any **five** from:

- factor 1: CO<sub>2</sub> (concentration)
- effect - as CO<sub>2</sub> increases so does rate and then it levels off or shown in a graph
- explanation:(graph increases) because CO<sub>2</sub> is the raw material or used in photosynthesis / converted to organic substance / named eg **or**(graph levels off) when another factor limits the rate.  
*accept points made via an annotated / labelled graph*
- factor 2: temperature  
*allow warmth / heat*
- effect – as temperature increases, so does the rate and then it decreases or shown in a graph  
*allow 'it peaks' for description of both phases*
- explanation:(rise in temp) increases rate of chemical reactions / more kinetic energy  
*allow molecules move faster / more collisions*

**or**(decreases) because the enzyme is denatured.

*context must be clear = high temperature*

*allow other factor plus effect plus explanation:*

*eg light wavelength / colour / pigments / chlorophyll / pH /  
minerals / ions / nutrients / size of leaves*

*2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> mark can be gained from correct description and  
explanation*

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