

- M1.(a)** (140 + 240 + 380 + 450 = ) 1210 1
- (b) the local people decided to farm cattle 1
- a company starts growing plants for biofuels 1
- (c) carbon dioxide 1  
*in this order only*
- photosynthesis 1
- (d) animals and birds migrate because there is less food 1
- more habitats are destroyed 1
- (e) any **one** from: 1
- breeding programmes (for endangered species)
  - regeneration (programmes)
  - reintroduction of field margins / hedgerows
  - awareness raising with politicians / public
  - recycling

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M2. (a) water

1

oxygen

*in this order only*

*accept correct chemical symbols*

*allow H<sub>2</sub>O / OH<sub>2</sub>*

1

(b) allow light (in / through) / need light

*do **not** accept attracts light*

*ignore heat / moisture / carbon dioxide*

*ignore so the plants can be seen*

*accept the converse, ie the black plastic bag would not let light in (1)*

1

for photosynthesis / make sugar / glucose

*so there would be no photosynthesis (1)*

*do **not** allow make food unqualified*

1

(c) Increase (in leaves / new leaves)

*ignore growth unqualified*

1

(then) level off **or** number of (new) leaves (then) stays the same

1

numerical statement eg max at 3 tablets / 5 (new) leaves

*should refer to one of the first two marking points*

*for every extra tablet get 1 extra leaf = 2 marks*

*for every extra tablet get 1 extra leaf then it levels off = 3 marks*

1

**M3.** (a) xylem **and** phloem

*either order*

*allow words ringed in box*

*allow mis-spelling if unambiguous*

1

(b) (i) movement / spreading out of particles / molecules / ions / atoms

*ignore names of substances / 'gases'*

1

from high to low concentration

*accept down concentration gradient*

*ignore 'along' / 'across' gradient*

*ignore 'with' gradient*

1

(ii) oxygen / water (vapour)

*allow O<sub>2</sub> / O<sub>2</sub>*

*ignore O<sup>2</sup> / O*

*allow H<sub>2</sub>O / H<sub>2</sub>O*

*ignore H<sup>2</sup>O*

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M4. (a) protein 1

(b) (i) (more) magnesium gives more growth / more leaves / more duckweed  
*if converse must be clear that less magnesium gives less growth* 1

(ii) **A** gave highest number of leaves / plants **or** more than others  
*it equals 'A'*  
*use of numbers must compare A with at least one other*

**or**

**A** gave most growth / most duckweed **or** more than others  
*allow faster / fastest / better / best growth*  
*allow more growth with nitrate / less growth without nitrate*  
*do not allow 'no' growth without nitrate*

(c) (i) mark (c) as a whole  
sensible method:  
e.g. mass / weighing  
*ignore dry or fresh*  
*allow other sensible method involving measuring eg length of roots – ignore 'size' of roots or measure roots unqualified* 1

(ii) corresponding explanation:  
*ignore accuracy*  
e.g. includes roots / includes whole plant **or** leaves vary in size **or** (length / mass / surface area given in c(i)) is a continuous variable 1

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**M5.(a)** oxygen

*allow O<sub>2</sub> / O<sub>2</sub>*  
*do not accept O<sup>2</sup> or O*

1

(b) (i) light

1

(ii) chlorophyll

1

(iii) decrease

1

(c) any **three** from:

- for respiration / energy  
*do not accept use energy for photosynthesis*
- to make cellulose / starch  
*accept named carbohydrate other than glucose*
- to make lipid / fat / oil  
*accept fatty acid / glycerol*
- to make protein  
*accept named protein / amino acid / named amino acid*
- to build big molecules from small molecules / metabolism  
*if no other marks awarded for making molecules allow 1 mark for growth / repair / new cells*

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**M6.** (a) (i) **C and D**  
*no mark if more than one box is ticked* **1**

(ii) any **one** from:  
*do not allow if other cell parts are given in a list*

- (have) cell wall(s)
- (have) vacuole(s)

**1**

(b) (i) **A**  
*apply list principle* **1**

(ii) **D**  
*apply list principle* **1**

(c) respiration  
*apply list principle* **1**

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M7.(a) chlorophyll is needed for photosynthesis 1

light is needed for photosynthesis 1

(b) increases 1

levels off / reaches a maximum / remains constant / stays the same / plateaus  
*do not allow stops / stationary / peaks*  
*allow stops increasing* 1

goes up to / reaches a maximum / levels off at (a rate of) 200 (arbitrary units)  
**or**  
levels off at 225 – 240 (light units)  
*ignore references to other numerical values* 1

(c) (i) higher light intensity does not increase rate of photosynthesis  
*accept the graph stays level (above this value)*  
*allow stops increasing*  
*allow the rate of photosynthesis stays the same (above this value)* 1

(ii) any **two** from:  

- carbon dioxide (concentration)
- temperature / heat
- (amount of) chlorophyll / chloroplasts

*allow water*  
*allow ions / nutrients*  
*ignore ref to surface area of the leaf* 2

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**M8.(a)** (i) in the direction of the force of gravity 1

(ii) against the force of gravity 1

(b) (i) diagram completed to show stem bending / leaning towards the window  
*the bend / lean can be at / from any point above pot level*  
*ignore any leaves* 1

(ii) more light (for leaves)  
*ignore heat* 1

more photosynthesis / biomass / glucose  
*ref to 'more' needed once only, eg 'more light for*  
*photosynthesis' = 2 marks*  
*if no other marks given allow 1 mark for 'to get light for*  
*photosynthesis'* 1

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- M9.(a) (i) LHS = water  
*accept H<sub>2</sub>O*  
*do not accept H<sup>2</sup>O / H2O* 1
- RHS = oxygen  
*accept O<sub>2</sub>*  
*do not accept O / O<sup>2</sup> / O2* 1
- (ii) light / sunlight  
*ignore solar / sun / sunshine*  
*do not allow thermal / heat* 1
- (iii) chloroplasts  
*allow chlorophyll* 1
- (b) (i) 20 1
- (ii) any **one** from:  
 • light (intensity)  
 • temperature. 1
- (c) (i) To increase the rate of growth of the tomato plants 1
- (ii) Because it would cost more money than using 0.08% 1
- Because it would not increase the rate of photosynthesis of the tomato plants any further 1

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