

Questions are for separate science science students only

Q1.

Some farmers keep cows indoors in large sheds.

Other farmers keep cows outdoors in fields of grass.

Figure 1 shows cows being kept indoors and outdoors.

Figure 1



The table below shows the energy inputs and energy outputs for keeping cows.

	Energy in kJ/m ² /year	
	Indoors	Outdoors
Input as food	10 000	5 950
Input as fossil fuel	6 000	50
Output as meat and milk	40	2

(a) Calculate the total energy input for keeping cows **outdoors**.

Use data from the table above. (biology only)

Total energy input = _____ kJ/m²/year

(1)

- (b) The total energy input for keeping cows **indoors** is 16 000 kJ/m²/year.

Calculate the percentage efficiency of keeping cows **indoors**. **(biology only)**

Use the equation:

$$\text{percentage efficiency} = \frac{\text{energy output}}{\text{total energy input}} \times 100$$

Percentage efficiency = _____ %

(2)

- (c) The percentage efficiency of keeping cows outdoors is 0.03%.

Why is it more energy efficient to keep cows indoors than to keep cows outdoors? **(biology only)**

Tick (✓) **two** boxes.

Cows are more stressed indoors.

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Cows move less indoors.

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It is noisier indoors.

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It is warmer indoors.

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There is less light indoors.

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(2)

Diseases in cows can cause problems for farmers.

- (d) Suggest why diseases spread more quickly when the cows are kept indoors. **(biology only)**

(1)

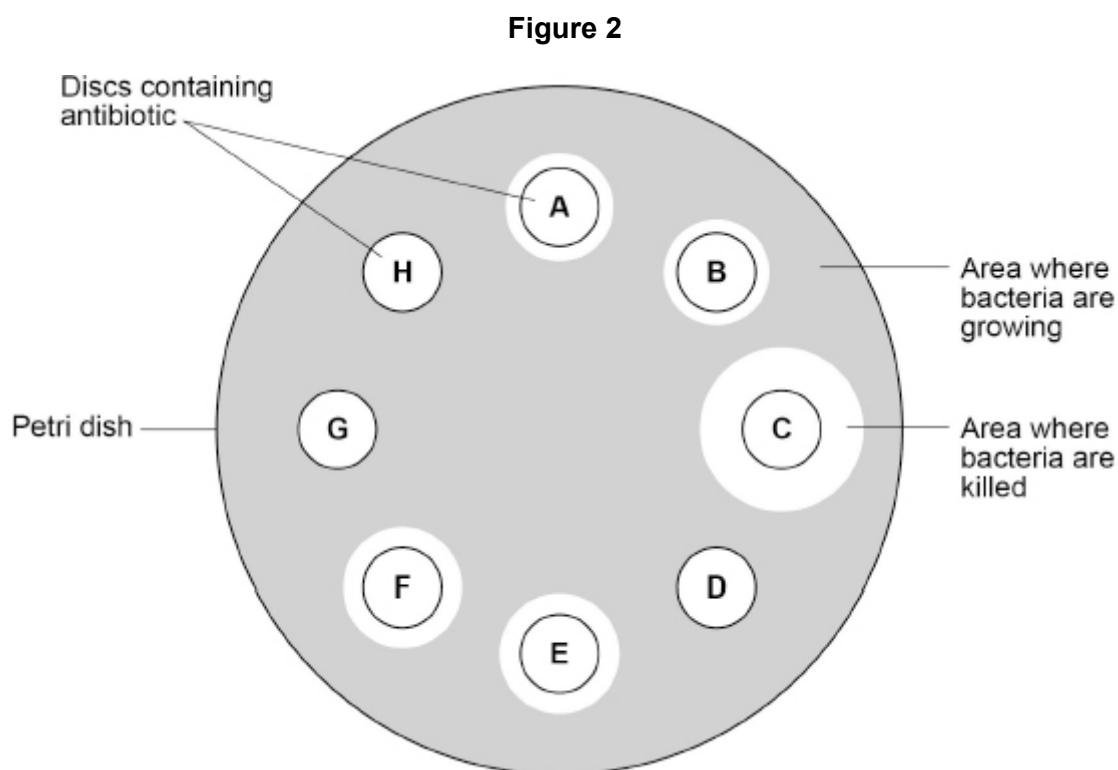
One species of bacterium causes a disease in cows.

Scientists investigated the effect of eight different antibiotics on the growth of this species of bacterium.

The scientists put discs containing the different antibiotics onto a Petri dish containing the bacteria.

Antibiotics **A** to **H** were used in the investigation.

Figure 2 shows what the Petri dish looked like after 2 days.



- (e) This species of bacterium is resistant to some of the antibiotics.

Give the letter of **one** antibiotic the bacterium is resistant to.

(1)

- (f) Complete the sentence.

Choose the answer from the box.

carbohydrate	DNA	lipid
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Antibiotic resistance in a single bacterium is caused by a change in the bacterium's _____.

(1)

- (g) Complete the sentence.

Choose the answer from the box.

excretion	feeding	reproduction
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A change in one bacterium can cause millions of bacteria to become resistant to the antibiotic.

This is because bacteria have a high rate of _____.

(1)

- (h) Suggest why the production of millions of antibiotic-resistant bacteria is a problem for farmers.

(2)

(Total 11 marks)