

1 (a)	the allele that is expressed (if it is present)/AW; always seen in the phenotype; masks (effect of) recessive allele;	max 1	I 'powerful' defines the phenotype defines characteristic(s)
(b) (i)	<i>Parent genotype:</i> Ff , Ff; <i>Parent phenotype:</i> (with) flecks × (with) flecks; <i>Gametes:</i> F , f, F , f; Working shown to derive genotype; <i>Offspring genotype:</i> FF , Ff , ff; linked to correct phenotype	5	<b>ECF</b> on incorrect key usage <b>ECF</b> from each line <b>A</b> Punnett square / criss-cross lines
(ii)	ff × ff;  parents may be implied as first part of the question asks for parental genotype  both parents must have a recessive <u>allele</u> /  (if ff × ff) no dominant or F <u>allele</u> , in either parent /  (if ff × ff) both parents must be homozygous, recessive / without flecks  no parent must be homozygous dominant /  presence of (even) one dominant allele in parents could result in flecks;	2	<b>A</b> Ff × Ff and Ff × ff <b>ECF</b> on incorrect key usage from (i)  <b>A</b> gene for allele
		<b>[Total: 8]</b>	

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	<p><b>(ii)</b> malaria, is severe disease / may be fatal;</p> <p>idea that it is the selective agent / ref to (natural) selection;</p> <p>people with sickle cell anaemia / <math>Hb^S</math> are resistant to malaria;</p> <p><math>Hb^N Hb^N</math> / homozygous dominant, susceptible to malaria;</p> <p><math>Hb^N Hb^N</math> more likely to die (of malaria) before have children (to pass on genes);</p> <p><math>Hb^N Hb^S</math> / sickle cell carriers, do not die from sickle cell anaemia;</p> <p><math>Hb^N Hb^S</math> / sickle cell carriers, have children (and pass on genes);</p> <p>and pass on the (<math>Hb^S</math>) <u>allele</u>;</p> <p>description of sickle cells are less prone to infection;</p> <p>idea that no advantage of <math>Hb^S</math> in areas where no malaria;</p> <p>AVP;</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>max 5</b></p>	<p><b>A reference to selective advantage for MP2</b></p> <p><b>R immune for resistance (but ECF after first time)</b></p> <p><b>A carrier for sickle cell trait</b></p> <p>AVPs:  2 in 4 / 1/2 , have advantage of resistance to malaria;  (if <math>Hb^N Hb^S \times Hb^N Hb^S</math>) 1 in 4 chance of, <math>Hb^S Hb^S</math> / homozygous recessive;</p>										

2	<b>(b)</b> (chromosome) mutation; an extra chromosome; non-disjunction / failure during meiosis / translocation;	<b>max 1</b>	<b>A</b> trisomy 21 <b>R</b> more than one chromosome <b>I</b> older mothers, inherited
	<b>(c)</b> discontinuous variation – influenced by genes alone; <b>ORA</b>  discontinuous variation – no effect of the environment / does not change over (life)time; <b>ORA</b>  discontinuous variation, is discrete / has no intermediates / is qualitative / AW; <b>ORA</b>  limited number of <u>phenotypes</u> ;	<b>max 3</b>	assume answer is about discontinuous unless stated otherwise continuous variation influenced by gene and environment = 2 marks ( <b>MP1</b> and <b>MP2</b> )  <b>A</b> continuous is measurable
		<b>[Total: 13]</b>	

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3 (a)	<p>1 (red blood cells) get stuck in capillaries / do not flow smoothly / capillaries blocked;</p> <p>2 reduce , supply of, oxygen / nutrients ( to tissues / cells / muscles) ;</p> <p>3 reduce , removal of, carbon dioxide / wastes, (from tissues / cells / muscles) ;</p> <p>4 ref to respiration (in tissues) ;</p> <p>5 cause sickle cell crises ;</p> <p>6 pain ;</p> <p>7 increased chance of, thrombosis / blood clotting ;</p> <p>8 death of tissues / cells ;</p> <p>9 AVP ;</p>	[max 4]	<p><b>ignore</b> less haemoglobin</p> <p><b>A</b> carries <u>less</u> oxygen / nutrients...</p> <p><b>A</b> carries <u>less</u> carbon dioxide...</p> <p><b>I</b> reduced life expectancy</p>
(b) (i)	allele(s) ;	[1]	
(ii)	$H^A, H^S + H^A, H^S$ ; $(H^A H^A, H^A H^S, H^A H^S) \underline{H^S H^S}$ ;	[2]	<p>Could be in Punnett square</p> <p><b>A</b> just A and S</p> <p><b>A</b> just S and S</p>
(iii)	0.25 / 25% / 1/4 / 1 in 4 ;	[1]	<b>I</b> ratios

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(ii)	<p>1 malaria not very serious / not a severe strain of malaria ;</p> <p>2 people have other genetic protection from malaria ;</p> <p>3 malaria has only recently spread to these areas / no malaria before;</p> <p>4 mutation not occurred in populations of these areas ;</p> <p>5 people with mutation / have sickle cell allele , have not migrated here ;</p> <p>6 (majority of) population in Australia has not lived there for long ;</p> <p>7 came from areas where no malaria, is / was, present ;</p> <p>8 AVP ;</p> <p>9 AVP ;</p>	[max 2]	<p>E.g. Thalassaemia</p> <p><b>A</b> mutation described I gene, for allele</p>
		[Total:14]	

Question	Answers	Mark	Additional Guidance
4 (a)	halves the number of chromosomes / diploid to haploid ; <b>ignore</b> halves the genetic material  produces variation / AW ;	[2]	<b>accept</b> produces haploid, nuclei / cells / gametes <b>ignore</b> prevents doubling of chromosome number
(b) (i)	question is discounted	[2]	
(ii) 1 2 3 4	(only) one fertilisation / one zygote / one fertilised egg ; zygote / fertilised egg / (cells in) embryo, divides / splits in two ; by <u>mitosis</u> ; into two (groups of) genetically identical cells ;	[2]	<b>R</b> 'from a single cell' but allow ecf for other MPs <b>R</b> egg divides  <b>A</b> same , genetic material / genetic make-up / genome <b>R</b> similar
(c)	increase in, complexity / AW ; ref to specialisation / differentiation ; ref to different types of cells ; ref to, tissues / organs ;	[max 2]	<b>ignore</b> (rapid) growth / change in shape <b>A</b> 'legs / arms / AW, start to grow'
(d)	1. $hY$ ; 2. $HX^h$ ; 3. $HX^H$ ;	[3]	<b>do not accept</b> male genotypes for <b>MP2</b> and <b>MP3</b>

Question	E answers	Mark	Additional Guidance
4 (e) 1 2 3 4 5 6	mutation / change in DNA ; in the gene, for blood clotting protein / on X chromosome ; in the mother / mother is a carrier / mother is heterozygous ; R parent(s) is / are heterozygous haemophilia is <u>sex linked</u> / shows <u>sex linkage</u> ; <i>idea that</i> the mother's egg with the mutant allele fuses with a Y bearing sperm ; e.g. cause of mutation ; ionising radiation / chemical(s)	          [max 2]	<b>MP2</b> can only be awarded if <b>MP1</b> is awarded  <b>MP3 A</b> in context of allele passing down the female line for several / many generations (without being expressed in a male)  <b>ignore</b> carried on the X chromosome as this is in the question