

Question	E	Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
1	(a)	self-pollination, occurs within same flower / between flowers of same plant ; cross-pollination, occurs between flowers on different plants ;	2	
	(b)	wastage of pollen ; wastage of energy ; explanation ; depends on presence of pollinator ; need a pollinating / other, plant (nearby) ; long time for next generation to develop ; seeds scattered to places where they cannot grow ; variation leads to plants that are not adapted to place where parents grow / seeds end up ;	max 4	<b>A</b> idea of pollen does not reach a stigma
	(c)	<i>round RR</i> <i>wrinkled rr</i> ;	1	

1	(d)	cross		phenotype of seeds in the seed pods		ratio of round to wrinkled seeds
				round seeds	wrinkled seeds	
		1	pure bred for round seeds x pure bred for wrinkled seeds	✓	✗	1:0
		2	offspring of cross 1 self pollinated	✓	✓	3:1 ;
		3	offspring of cross 1 x pure bred for round seeds	✓	✗	1:0 ;
4	offspring of cross 1 x pure bred for wrinkled seeds	✓	✓	1:1 ;		
			3			
	(e)	controlled by (a) gene alone ; limited number / two, (pheno)types ; no intermediates ;		max 1	A (just) two types / round & wrinkled	
	(f)	1 colonisation / spread to new areas ; 2 where might be able to grow better ; 3 better (named) condition(s) ; 4 less competition ; 5 less (chance of) disease ; 6 <i>idea that</i> allows breeding with wider variety of plants ; 7 AVP ;		max 3	light / water / minerals / CO <sub>2</sub> / space  e.g. bigger gene pool / more alleles /  e.g. Some survive a localized disaster /	
				<b>[Total: 14]</b>		

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2	(a)	loss of water <u>vapour</u> ; from, leaves / stems / aerial parts / through stomata ;	[2]	<b>accept</b> evaporation <b>accept</b> diffusion through stomata
	(b)	water moves from high(er) water potential to low(er) water potential ; by osmosis ; through partially permeable membrane ; ref to protein pores ;	[max 3]	
	(c)	<i>feature plus explanation</i>  no leaves ; less surface for / reduce, transpiration / loss of water ;  swollen / AW, stem ; stores water ;  spines ; protect against, herbivores / being eaten ;  ridged stem ; allows stem to swell when water available ;  upright shape ; reduce surface area for absorption of heat (at mid day)	[2 + 2]	<i>a mark can be awarded if the feature is not linked to an explanation or the explanation is incomplete or incorrect</i>  <i>each explanation must be linked to a feature, no mark for an explanation alone</i>

2	<p><b>(d)</b> <i>allowing to survive</i></p> <p>no / less, water (vapour) lost ;  by transpiration / diffusion ;  can survive, in dry areas / with shortage of water from  the soil / with little rainfall ;  open at night when cool without much loss of water ;</p> <p><i>limits growth</i></p> <p>cannot absorb carbon dioxide during the day ;  carbon dioxide diffuses through stomata ;  needed / raw material, for photosynthesis ;  only happens when light available ;  therefore little food (for growth) ;</p> <p>transpiration cools plants ;  may overheat (during the day) ;  ref to denaturation of, proteins / enzymes ;  slower, reactions / metabolism / AW ;</p> <p>AVP ;</p>	[max 4]	
		<b>[Total: 13]</b>	

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3	(a)	(gives) variation / diversity ; <b>R</b> 'varied species' (plural) ref to, alleles / genes / DNA, from different, plants / <i>idea that</i> increased chance for mutations to be expressed ; allows adaptation to, new conditions / changed environment / AW ; allows evolution to occur ; prevents inbreeding ; ref to disease resistance ;	[max 3]	
	(b)	(i) <b>A</b> – ovary / ovary wall ; <b>R</b> pod <b>B</b> – pollen tube ; <b>C</b> – zygote ; <b>D</b> – radicle / embryonic root ; <b>E</b> – cotyledon / seed leaf ;	[5]	<b>accept</b> embryo once only for <b>D</b> or <b>E</b>
		(ii) <u>mitosis</u> ;	[1]	
	(c)	(male / female) gametes are not all identical ; female gametes are not fertilised by identical male nuclei ; gametes are produced by meiosis ; meiosis gives rise to variation ; pollen grains come from different plants ;	[max 2]	

3	<b>(d)</b>	some seeds not, viable / AW ; some remain dormant ; no water available ; no soil ; no minerals / no nutrients ; too cold / too hot ; <b>A</b> extremes of temperature not enough light ; ref to competition with other plants ; eaten by animals ;	[max 3]	
	<b>[Total: 14]</b>			

4	(a)	(i)	transport of oxygen	[1]	
		(ii)	amino acids	[1]	<b>A</b> polypeptides, haem
		(iii)	iron / Fe / Fe <sup>2+</sup>	[1]	
	(b)	<p>fewer red blood cells</p> <p>2 less elastic / less flexible / sickle-shaped, red blood cells</p> <p>3 haemoglobin is abnormal shape</p> <p>4 haemoglobin / blood, less efficient at transporting oxygen</p> <p>5 less respiration</p> <p>6 less energy / fatigues / exhaustion / less active / feeling faint / breathlessness</p> <p>7 death of tissues linked to oxygen supply</p> <p>8 <u>capillaries</u> are blocked</p> <p>9 pain</p> <p>10 'sickle cell crisis'</p> <p>11 slow / poor, growth</p> <p>12 susceptible to infections</p> <p>13 reduced life span</p> <p>14 AVP e.g. problems in pregnancy, kidney disease</p>		[max 3]	<b>Ig</b> ref to malaria
	(c)	<p>1 malaria is common in Africa</p> <p>2 people who are, heterozygous / <b>Hb<sup>A</sup>Hb<sup>S</sup></b></p> <p>3 have, sickle cell trait / mild sickle cell</p> <p>4 protected / AW, against malaria</p> <p>5 description of sickle cells are less prone to infection</p> <p>6 <b>Hb<sup>S</sup></b> continues to appear due to selective advantage / AW</p>		[max 3]	Mpt 4 <b>R</b> immune  <b>A</b> description of selection

4	(d)	<p><b>Hb<sup>A</sup></b> is dominant / <b>Hb<sup>S</sup></b> is recessive / (both) parents are, carriers / heterozygous</p> <p><math>Hb^A Hb^S \times Hb^A Hb^S</math></p> <p><math>Hb^A, Hb^S + Hb^A, Hb^S</math></p> <p><math>(Hb^A Hb^A, Hb^A Hb^S, Hb^A Hb^S) Hb^S Hb^S</math></p>	[max 3]	<p><b>Note:</b>  <b>Ig</b> incorrect text if genetic diagram is correct</p> <p><b>ECF</b> for Mpt 2 and 3 in diagram key.</p> <p>Mpt 3 linked to correct derivation in Mpt 2</p> <p><i>do not allow genotypes for parents or children that are single alleles</i></p>
	(e)	<p><b>1</b> ref to (ionising) radiation</p> <p><b>2</b> causes / increased risk, mutation</p> <p><b>3</b> change to DNA / genes</p>	[max 2]	<p><b>A</b> e.g. of radiation e.g. gamma rays</p>
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