Questions

Q1.

Yeast is a single-celled organism that can respire aerobically.

Mitochondria are the sites of aerobic respiration in yeast cells.

(i) Name two molecules needed for aerobic respiration that can move into the mitochond	
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(ii) The outer mitochondrial membrane is not permeable to hydrogen ions (H+).	
Explain the importance of this feature of the membrane.	(4)
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(Total for question = 6 marks)

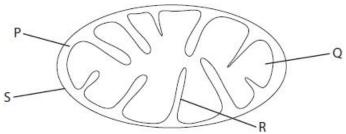
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The diagram shows a mitochondrion.



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i) Which labelled component in the diagram is the site of the Krebs cycle?	
 □ A P □ B Q □ C R □ D S 	(1)
ii) Which labelled component in the diagram is the site of oxidative phosphorylation?	
 □ A P □ B Q □ C R □ D S 	(1)
iii) Yeast cells can have many small mitochondria.	
Calculate the magnification of the diagram if the maximum length of the mitochondrion i	is
0.5 μm. ((2)
Answer	

(Total for question = 4 marks)

Q3.

Answer the questions with a cross in the boxes you think are correct \boxtimes . If you change your mind about an answer, put a line through the box \boxtimes and then mark your new answer with a cross \boxtimes .

Moving a limb involves the interaction of muscles, tendons and ligaments.

Tendons and ligaments are important structures in elbow and knee joints.

(i	Which of the following	a identifies t	the structures tha	t join bones	to bones in	an elbow	ioint?
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(1)

	Α	ligaments	only
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- **B** ligaments and tendons
- C tendons only
- D neither ligaments nor tendons

(ii) One type of joint injury is a torn ligament. This may be treated by adding a piece of tendon to the ligament. This is because after a period of time, the tendon tissue changes and responds in the same way as a ligament.

Which of the rows in the table correctly describe the changes in this piece of tendon?

(1)

Row	Piece of tendon shows a change in its	The change is
1	genotype	an anatomical adaptation
2	genotype	a physiological adaptation
3	phenotype	an anatomical adaptation
4	phenotype	a physiological adaptation

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*(iii) The photograph shows athletes competing in the modern triathlon.



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The modern triathlon involves three sports: swimming, cycling and running. An investigation was carried out to compare the level of demand on the body of these

[■] B row 3 only

C rows 1 and 2

D rows 3 and 4

three sports during a triathlon.

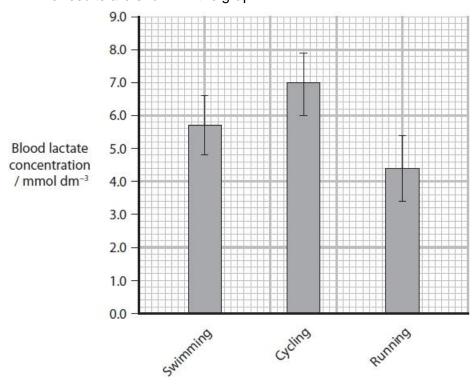
The investigation involved 12 athletes who were all males of the same age. Each athlete carried out the triathlon as shown in the flow diagram. There was no rest period between each sport.



The heart rate for each athlete was measured as they completed each sport. The mean heart rate for each sport was then calculated and is shown in the table.

Sport	Mean heart rate / bpm
Swimming	163
Cycling	165
Running	159

The blood lactate level for each athlete was also measured as they completed each sport. Means for lactate level after each sport were calculated. The results are shown in the graph.



It was concluded that cycling was the most demanding of the three triathlon sports. This was followed by swimming and then running. Evaluate the validity of this conclusion.

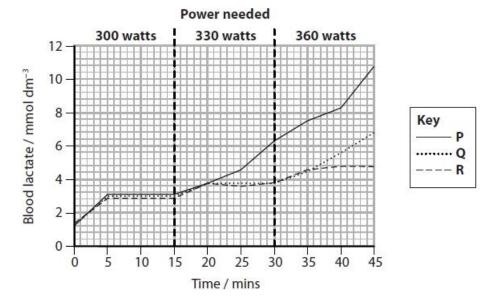
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Q4.

Athletes monitor the effect of different levels of exercise on their blood lactate concentration. This helps them to train effectively.

In a study, three athletes, **P**, **Q** and **R**, used an exercise bicycle for 45 minutes. The power needed to maintain a constant speed was increased every 15 minutes. Their blood lactate concentration was measured at 5-minute intervals.

The results are shown in the graph.



The most effective training involves the greatest power requirement over longer periods of time. Therefore, it is important to avoid high concentrations of blood lactate, which causes muscle fatigue, for as long as possible.

Analyse the data to deduce how each of these three athletes should plan their training.

(4)

(Total for question = 4 marks)

Q5.

Nandrolone is an anabolic steroid, it is a molecule with a similar shape to testosterone. Nandrolone has been used as a performance-enhancing substance by athletes in the past.

A number of investigations with mice have been carried out to study the effect of nandrolone on the structure and function of the aorta.

In these investigations, all the mice were of one type and were all supplied with the same amount of food and water. These mice were placed into four groups.

Each group was treated differently for eight weeks. The treatments are shown in the table.

Group	Treatment		
	Allowed to exercise	Given nandrolone	
Р	No	No	
Q	No	Yes	
R	Yes	No	
S	Yes	Yes	

After eight weeks, the aorta of each mouse was studied.

In investigation 1, samples of aorta were put under tension to test elastic recoil.

The tension was removed and the mean maximum percentage recoil for each group was found.

The results are shown in the table.

Group	Mean maximum percentage recoil (%)
P	57
Q	38
R	80
S	53

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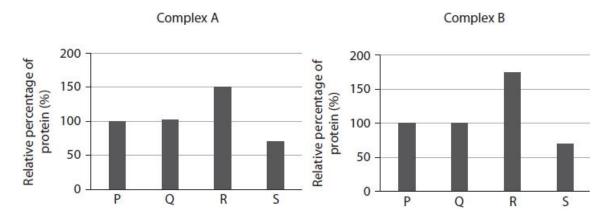
mice were removed.

Two protein complexes, A and B, are found in the cells of the middle layer.

These protein complexes are involved in the electron transport chain.

The graphs show the relative percentage of these two protein complexes in each group of mice.

(C)



The transcription factor Tfam is involved in the production of mitochondria.

In investigation 3, some of the cells from the middle layer of the aortas of the mice were removed. The quantity of mRNA per cell coding for Tfam was measured. The results are shown in the table.

Group	Quantity of mRNA per cell coding for Tfam / a.u.
Р	100 ± 20
Q	75 ± 10
R	170 ± 25
S	85 ± 15

Analyse the data from these three investigations to discuss the advantages of an exercise programme without nandrolone.

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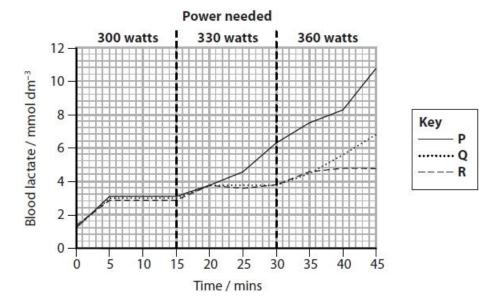
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Explain the increase in blood lactate concentration observed between 0 and 5 minutes.

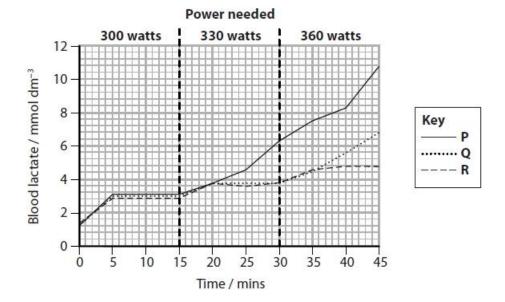
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Give reasons why blood lactate concentration remains constant between 5 and 15 minutes.

(Total for question = 3 marks)

(Total for question = 6 marks)

Q8.

Answer the question with a cross in the box you think is correct \boxtimes . If you change your mind about an answer, put a line through the box \boxtimes and then mark your new answer with a cross \boxtimes .

Each liver cell carries out respiration.

(i)	Dui	ring v	which of the following processes is ATP formed?	
		A B C D	glycolysis and the electron transport chain only glycolysis and the Krebs cycle only glycolysis, the Krebs cycle and the electron transport chain only glycolysis, the link reaction, the Krebs cycle and the electron transport chain	(1)
(ii)	Ex	plain	why some ATP is broken down during glycolysis.	
				(2)
 (iii) Th	ne ele	ectron transport chain occurs in the cristae of mitochondria. The electron	
(iii	trar	nspoi	ectron transport chain occurs in the cristae of mitochondria. The electron to the chain involves a number of carrier molecules. The role of these carrier molecules in the electron transport chain.	(3)
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The use of nandrolone has been linked to a variety of cardiovascular conditions.

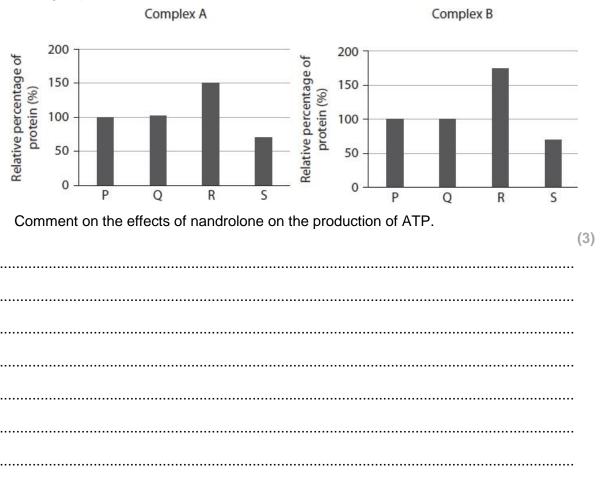
	Explain now the use of handrolone could lead to atheroscierosis.	(2)
		(3)
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Р	100 ± 20
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R	170 ± 25
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A student concluded that nandrolone affects the quantity of mRNA per cell coding for Tfam.

Explain why this conclusion is not valid for all the mice.

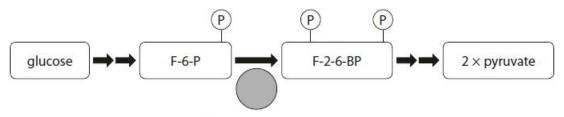
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(Total for question = 8 marks)

Q10.

Phosphofructokinase is an enzyme that uses ATP to convert fructose-6-phosphate (F-6-P) into fructose-2,6-bisphosphate (F-2,6-BP).

The conversion of F-6-P by this enzyme is a rate-determining step in glycolysis. This is shown in the diagram.



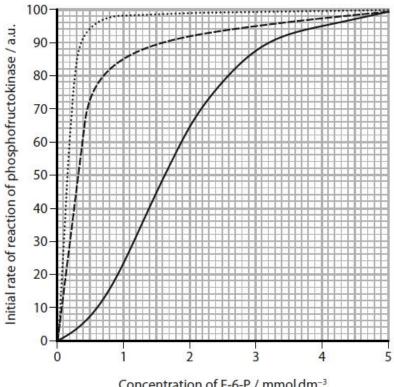
phosphofructokinase

(i) Explain why ATP is required for this reaction.	
	(3)

The effect of substrate concentration on the initial rate of reaction of phosphofructokinase was investigated.

This investigation was repeated with the addition of two concentrations of F-2,6-BP.

The graph shows the results of this investigation.



Key
Concentration of F-2,6-BP / μ mol dm ⁻³
1.0
0.1
0.0

Concentration of F-6-P / mmol dm-3

Comment on the effects of F-6-P and F-2,6-BP concentrations on the rate of glycolysis.

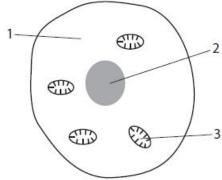
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Q11.

Answer the question with a cross in the box you think is correct \boxtimes . If you change your mind about an answer, put a line through the box \boxtimes and then mark your new answer with a cross \boxtimes .

The diagram shows some of the features of a human liver cell.



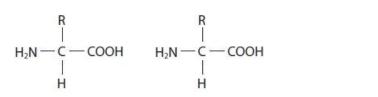
(i) Wh	ich	of the labelled features in the liver cell contain RNA?	
83	C	1 only 1 and 3 only 2 and 3 only 1, 2 and 3	(1)
(ii) Ce liver.	lls p	produce lactate during anaerobic respiration. Lactate travels in the blood to the	
		ells can absorb lactate from the blood. e what happens to the lactate in these cells.	(2)
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(2)

(iii) During protein synthesis, two amino acids are joined together to form a dipeptide.

The diagram shows two identical amino acids.

Complete the diagram to show how the dipeptide is formed from these two amino acids.





(Total for question = 5 marks)

(Total for question = 1 mark)

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your mind	e question with a cross in the box you think is correct \boxtimes . If you change about an answer, put a line through the box \boxtimes and then mark your new th a cross \boxtimes .	
Glycolysis	occurs during germination. One of the products is adenosine triphosphate (ATP).	
Which of th	carbon dioxide glucose oxygen pyruvate	1)

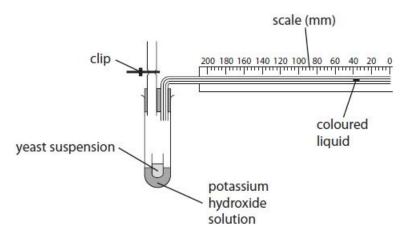
Q13.

Yeast is a single-celled organism that can respire aerobically.

Mitochondria are the sites of aerobic respiration in yeast cells.

It has been stated that if the temperature of yeast is raised by 10 °C, the rate of respiration will double.

The diagram shows some apparatus that can be used to measure the rate of respiration in yeast.



Devise an investigation using this apparatus to determine whether an increase of 10 °C doubles the rate of respiration in yeast.

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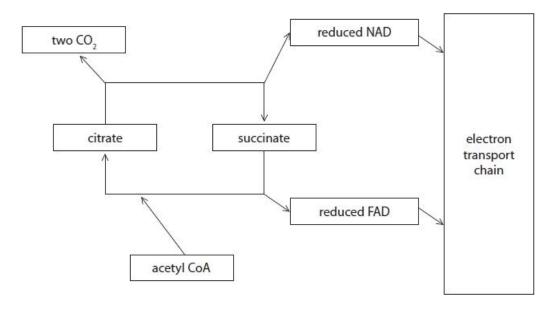
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Q14.

Answer the questions with a cross in the boxes you think are correct \boxtimes . If you change your mind about an answer, put a line through the box \boxtimes and then mark your new answer with a cross \boxtimes .

Respiration occurs in all healthy living cells.

The diagram shows part of the Krebs cycle and the electron transport chain.



(i) Which row shows the number of carbon atoms in citrate and succinate?

Number of carbon atoms in citrate succinate _ A 2 4 B 5 4 C 6 4 D 8 6

(ii)	Which	of the	following	is	transferred	to a	a molecule	of	FAD	to	form	reduced	d FA	D?
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□ A two oxygen atoms
 □ B two hydrogen atoms
 □ C one oxygen atom and one hydrogen atom
 □ D one water molecule

(iii) E	xpla	in the need for reduced N	AD to be oxidised in a mitochond	Irion.
				(2)
		_	es for the enzyme succinate deh	ydrogenase
Wł	hich		concentration of citrate and reduce	ced FAD as a result of
thi	s mı	utation?		(1)
		Concentration of citrate	Concentration of reduced FAD	
×	Α	decreases	decreases	
	В	decreases	increases	
	C	increases	decreases	
	D	increases	increases	

(Total for question = 5 marks)

Q15.

The arctic ground squirrel (*Spermophilus parryii*) lives in Alaska. It has small ears, a cylindrical body and a shorter tail than other species of ground squirrel.

The arctic ground squirrel can survive cold winters by hibernating for up to eight months per year. When hibernating, arctic ground squirrels use stored fat supplies as an energy source.



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During hibernation, the core body temperature of an arctic ground squirrel can fall from 37 $^{\circ}$ C to -3 $^{\circ}$ C.

The table shows the effect of air temperature on the metabolic rate in the arctic ground squirrel.

Air temperature / °C	Metabolic rate / cm³ oxygen g-1 hour-1
-16	0.18
-8	0.08
-4	0.04
0	0.02
4	0.02
8	0.02
12	0.02

□ C lipid and protein

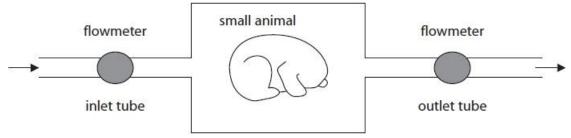
protein only

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	uirrel	was calculated as 0	re was −4 °C 0.77.		dm³ oxygen day⁻¹ (RQ) for the arctic ground in the table.
			RQ value	Respiratory substrate	
			1.0	Carbohydrate	
			0.9	Protein	
			0.7	Lipid	
	Whic		spiratory su	re of respiratory substrate bstrates were used by the?	
Š	Α	carbohydrate and p	orotein		
	В	lipid only			

(iii) The data for calculating metabolic rate are collected using a respirometer.

The rate of respiration for small mammals can be measured using a continuous flow respirometer. A continuous flow respirometer circulates air through a chamber containing the animal. The rate of air flow can be measured using flowmeters on the inlet and outlet tubes.



Devise a procedure using a continuous flow respirometer to collect the data required to calculate the metabolic rate of an arctic ground squirrel.

(4)

(Total for question = 8 marks)

Mark Scheme

Q1.

Question	Answer	Additional	Mark
Number		Guidance	
(i)	An answer that makes reference to two of the following:		
	pyruvate (1)		
	oxygen (1)		****
S. S	reduced NAD / ADP (1)		(2)
Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
(ii)	An explanation that makes reference to fou the following:	rof	
	 to stop H⁺ diffusing out (of mitochondrion) / into cytoplasm (1) 	ALLOW moves out for diffuses out	
	 (therefore) maintaining a high concentration (of H⁺) in the intermembrane space (1) 	ALLOW enabling/allowing/establishi ng formaintaining	
	 so {hydrogen ions / protons / H⁺} car move down 	1	
	{concentration / electrochemical} gradient (1)		(4)
	(by) chemiosmosis (1)		
	to synthesise ATP (1)		

Q2.

Question Number	Answer	Mark
(i)	The only correct answer is B Q – the Krebs cycle occurs in the matrix	
	A is not correct because the Krebs cycle does not occur in the intermembrane space	
	$oldsymbol{c}$ is not correct because the Krebs cycle does not occur on the crista	(1)
	D is not correct because the Krebs cycle does not occur at the outer mitochondrial membrane	

Question Number	Answer	Mark
(ii)	The only correct answer is C – R which labels a crista	
	A is not correct because oxidative phosphorylation does not occur in the intermembrane space	
	B is not correct because oxidative phosphorylation does not occur in the matrix	(1)
	D is not correct because oxidative phosphorylation does not occur at the outer mitochondrialmembrane	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
(iii)	An answer that makes reference to the following:	Example of calculation	
	length measured and units	e.g. 70mm – 70 000 µm	
	(converted correctly)(1)	e.g. 70 000 ÷ 0.5 = 140 000	
	 image size divided by actual size to calculate 	x 140 000	
	magnification (1)	Correct answer with no working gains full marks	(2)

Q3.

Question Number	Answer	Mark
(i)	The only correct answer is A - ligaments only B is not correct because the tendons do not join bones to bones in the elbow joint C is not correct because the tendons do not join bones to bones in the elbow joint D is not correct because the ligaments do join bones to bones in the elbow joint	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
(ii)	The only correct answer is D rows 3 and 4	
	A is not correct because the tendons showing a change is not a change in genotype	
	B is not correct because the tendons also show a physiological adaptation	(1)
	C is not correct because the tendons showing a change is not a change in genotype	

Question		
Number		
* (iii)	Answers will be credited according to candidates' deployment of knowledge and understanding of materialin relation to the qualities and skills outlined in the generic mark scheme.	
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	Indicative content Valid because: • {sufficient replicates / 12 individuals} used and a mean calculated • All same gender • Means of both heart rate and blood lactate agree with conclusion • Spread of data (standard deviation / error bars) between cycling and running does not overlap	
	Not valid because: Insufficient / only 12 individuals involved Insufficient detail relating to the athletes e.g. they maybe athletes that focus on different sports/have done more than one previous triathlon / more experienced The three disciplines are always done in the same order / different distances covered	
	 Spread of cycling data (standard deviation / error bars) for blood lactate overlaps with swimming As no time allowed to recover between sports, some of blood lactate shown for cycling could havebeen produced during swimming 	(6)
	Agree or not agree with conclusion	

3			Additional Guidance
Level 0	Marks	No awardable content	
Level 1	1-2	Limited scientific judgement made with a focus on mainlyjust one method, with a few strengths/weaknesses identified.	Considers one area only e.g. comparingmean data or spread of data only
		A conclusion may be attempted, demonstrating isolatedelements of biological knowledge and understanding butwith limited evidence to support the judgement being made.	Conclusion based on only one set of data or only one sport considered e.g. cycling ismost demanding
Level 2	3-4	A scientific judgement is made through the application of relevant evidence, with strengths and weaknesses of each method identified.	Considers both a valid and an invalid aspect e.g. relevance of spread of data forlactate concentrations overlap in some cases or elements of the study
		A conclusion is made, demonstrating linkages to elements of biological knowledge and understanding, with occasionalevidence to support the judgement being made.	Conclusion given that takes both valid andinvalid aspects into account
Level 3	5-6	A scientific judgement is made which is supported throughout by sustained application of relevant evidencefrom the analysis and interpretation of the scientific information.	Considers both a range of valid and invalidaspects
		A conclusion is made, demonstrating sustained linkages tobiological knowledge and understanding with evidence to support the judgement being made.	A conclusion based on a range of considered evidence

Q4.

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
	An answer that makes reference to the following points:		
	(athlete) P should exercise at an intensity of 300 watts (1)		
	(athlete) Q should exercise at an intensity of 330 watts (1)		
	(athlete) R should exercise at an intensity of 360 watts (1)		
	as there would be an increase in lactate at the next level of intensity of exercise (1)		

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	Indicative content
	Investigation 1
	 comparison of data for no exercise/exercise without nandrolone: maximum recoil of {aorta / artery} is {higher / 23% greater}
	 discuss outcome of this difference as an advantage: so (oxygen-rich) blood can flow more rapidly (at the correct pressure) {from the heart / to the muscles}
	less likely to get atherosclerosis / CVD / strokes
	Investigation 2
	 comparison of data for P and R for both protein complexes: more present due to exercise discuss advantageous outcome: so more {oxidative phosphorylation / ATP synthesis / chemiosmosis} so more ATP for muscle contraction / breaking of the bond between actin and myosin (in aorta wall)
	Investigation 3
	 compare P and Q for mRNA coding for Tfam: more Tfam per cell so more
	mitochondria produced
	so more {respiration / ATP formed }

to muscle contraction

Level	Marks	Descriptor	Additional Guidance
0	0	No awardable content	
1	1-2	Demonstrates isolated elements of biological knowledge and understanding to the given context with generalised comments made. Vague statements related to consequences are made with limited linkage to a range of scientific	Results of one investigation described e.g. comparing P and R groups General comments about
		ideas, processes, techniques and procedures.	production of ATP or respiration
		The discussion will contain basic information with some attempt made to link knowledge and	
		understanding to the given context.	2 6 6 1
2	3-4	Demonstrates adequate knowledge and understanding by selecting and applying some relevant biological facts/concepts.	Results of at least two investigations considered
		Consequences are discussed which are occasionally supported through linkage to a range of scientific ideas, processes, techniques and procedures.	Discussion of results of one of these investigations in terms of consequences
		The discussion shows some linkages and lines of scientific reasoning with some structure.	
3	5-6	Demonstrates comprehensive knowledge and understanding by selecting and applying relevant knowledge of biological facts/concepts.	Results of all three investigations discussed
		Consequences are discussed which are supported throughout by sustained linkage to a range of scientific ideas, processes, techniques or procedures.	Discussion of the consequences of the data from the investigations in terms of respiration / ATP synthesis
		The discussion shows a well-developed and sustained line of scientific reasoning which is clear and logically structured	Links the consequences

Q6.

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
	An explanation that makes reference to the following points:		
	(muscles cells release lactate into blood) due to anaerobic respiration (1)		
	insufficient oxygen for aerobic respiration / aerobic respiration cannot meet the demand for energy (1)		(2)

and logically structured.

Q7.

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
	A description that makes reference to three of the following points:		
	• { increased / sufficient } oxygen supply (1)		
	for aerobic respiration (1)		
	because { heart rate / breathing rate } increases (1)		
	lactate is broken down by the liver / rate of lactate production is balanced by rate of lactate breakdown (1)	ALLOW lactic acid for lactate	(2)
	9		(3)

Q8.

Question Number	Answer	Mark
(i)	The only correct answer C glycolysis, the Krebs cycle and the electron transport chain only	
	A is incorrect because ATP is also made in the Krebs cycle	
	B is incorrect because ATP is also made in the electron transport chain	
	D is incorrect because ATP is not made in the link reaction	(1)

Question Number	Answer Additional Guidance		Mark
(ii)	An explanation that makes reference to two of the following: • (because the breakdown of ATP) {donates phosphate to / phosphorylates} the glucose (1)	ALLOW 'hexose' for 'glucose'. ALLOW production of fructose diphosphate	
	(ATP) supplies energy to break down the glucose (1)	ALLOW to make the glucose more reactive, activate the glucose	
	to produce (phosphorylated) 3-carbon compounds (1)	e.g. for 3-carbon compounds: GALP / glyceraldehyde-3-phosphate / glycerate-3phosphate / GP/ PGAL / G3P / GA3P / GADP	
		/ GAP / TP / triose phosphate	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
(iii)	An explanation that makes reference to three of the following:		
	 receive hydrogen from reduced { NAD / FAD } / to allow reduced { NAD / FAD } to be oxidised (1) 	ALLOW NAD red / NADH + H ⁺ for reduced NAD and NAD or NAD ⁺ for oxidised NAD	
	 break hydrogen into { protons / H⁺/ hydrogen ions } and electrons (1) 	ALLOW e ⁻ for electrons	
	electrons transferred by a series of redox reactions (1)	ALLOW a series of reduction and oxidation reactions	
	 energy released is used to pump { hydrogen ions / protons / H⁺} into intermembranal space (1) 	ALLOW 'actively transported / moved into / moved up the concentration gradient' for	(3)
		'pump'	

Q9.

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
(i)	An explanation that makes reference to following:		
	the use of nandrolone reduces the (mean maximum percentage) recoil of the { aorta / artery } (1)		
	and		
	two		
	from:		
	increased risk of damage to the endothelium of arteries (1)		
	inflammatory response / white blood cells accumulate (1)		
	build-up of { cholesterol / calcium salts / fibrous tissue } leads to		
	formation of { atheroma / plaque } (1)		(3)

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
(ii)	An answer that makes reference to three of the following:		
	nandrolone reduces the production of (both) proteins when exercise is allowed (1)	ALLOW nandrolone has no effect on the production of the proteins in absence of exercise	
	 these proteins are involved in { ATP production / oxidative phosphorylation } (1) 		
	nandrolone has no effect on ATP production if there is no exercise (1)		
	nandrolone reduces ATP production if exercise takes place (1)		(3)

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
(iii)	An explanation that makes reference to the following:		
	without exercise the values for mRNA for Tfam overlap for groups with and without nandrolone (1)	ALLOW overlap between groups P and Q	
	as when exercise is carried out and nandrolone taken, the values for mRNA for Tfam overlap with no exercise and no nandrolone	ALLOW overlap between groups P and S	
	(1)		(2)

Q10.

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
(1)	An explanation that makes reference the following: • hydrolysis of ATP (1) • provides energy for the reaction (1) • provides phosphate group for phosphorylation of F-6-P (1)	ALLOW as the reaction requires energy ALLOW provides {phosphate / Pi} that is added to F-6-P	
			(3)

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
(ii)	An answer that makes reference to three of the followi as concentration of { F-6-P / F-2,6-BP } increases so does the (initial) rate of reaction of the phosphofructokinase (1)	ALLOW 'enzyme' for 'phosphofructokinase'	
	an increasing in the concentration of { F- / F-2,6BP } will increase the rate of glycol (1)		
	up to a maximum (rate) (1)		
	increasing the concentration of F-2,6-BP reduces the concentration of F-6-P required to achieve the maximum rate of glycolysis (1)	11 10000	
			(3)

Q11.

Question Number	Answer	
(i)	The only correct answer is D because there is RNA in the cytoplasm, nucleus and mitochondria 1, 2 and 3	
	A is incorrect because there is also RNA in the nucleus and mitochondria	
	B is incorrect because there is also RNA in the nucleus	
	C is incorrect because there is also RNA in the cytoplasm (as tRNA, mRNA or in ribosomes)	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
(ii)	An answer that makes reference to two of the following: • (lactate is) { oxidized to form / converted to } pyruvate (1)		
	(pyruvate is) converted to { glucose / glycogen } (1)	ALLOW glucose produced from the lactate ALLOW correct named stage	
	(pyruvate / glucose) used in respiration (1)	e.g. glycolysis for glucose or link reaction for pyruvate	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
(iii)	An answer that makes reference to the following:		
	dipeptide correctly drawn with peptide bond (1)		
	water molecule released (1)		(2)

Q12.

Question Number	Answer	Mark
	The only correct answer is D - pyruvate	
	A is incorrect because carbon dioxide is not a product of glycolysis	
	B is incorrect because glucose is not a product of glycolysis	(4)
	C is incorrect because oxygen is not a product of glycolysis	(1)

Q13.

Question	Answ	er	Additional	Mark
Number			guidance	
	100	swer that makes reference to four of llowing:		
		selection of two temperatures that are not above theoptimum temperature (1)	ALLOW: below a temperature that causes enzyme denaturing or not above optimum tempALLOW any two temperatures between 10 and 40°C	
	•	named variable kept constant (1)	e.g. pH of solution, {sucrose/glucose} concentration, yeast {concentration / volume}	
	•	record the distance travelled by the coloured liquid ina set time (1)	ALLOW time taken for coloured liquid to travel aset distance e.g. by dividing distance travelled by	
	•	description of how to calculate rates (1)	time	
	(•)	data collected during the initial rate of reaction / before a factor (other than temperature) becomes limiting (1)		(4)

Q14.

Question Number	Answer	Mark
(i)	The only correct answer is ${\bf C}$ – number of carbon atoms in citrate is 6 and in succinate is 4	
	A is incorrect because the number of carbons is not correct for either citrate or succinate	
	B is incorrect because the number of carbons is not correct for either citrate or succinate	(1)
	D is incorrect because the number of carbons is not correct for either citrate or succinate	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
(ii)	The only correct answer is B – two hydrogen atoms	
	A is incorrect because oxygen is not transferred to FAD	
	C is incorrect because oxygen is not transferred to FAD	(1)
	D is incorrect because water is not transferred to FAD	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
(iii)	An explanation that makes reference to two of the following:		
	 so that hydrogen can be delivered to the electron transport chain (1) 	ALLOW supply of { hydrogen ions / protons / electrons } to ETC	
	to allow { ATP synthesis / chemiosmosis } (1)	ALLOW description of chemiosmosis	
	to regenerate NAD (1)	ALLOW to keep Krebs cycle going / to allow conversion of citrate to succinate	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
(iv)	The only correct answer is A – concentration of citrate and reduced FAD decreases	
	B is incorrect because the concentration of reduced FAD decreases rather than increases	
	C is incorrect because the concentration of citrate decreases rather than increases	
	D is incorrect because the concentration of citrate and reduced FAD decrease rather	
	than increase	(1)

Q15.

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
(i)	change in metabolic rate calculated for the ground squirrel difference calculated for one day value correctly converted from cm³ to dm³	Example of calculation 0.18 at -16 °C and 0.02 at 4 °C = 0.16 0.16 x 850 = 136 136 x 24 = 3264 3.264 / 3.26 / 3.3 Correct answer with no working gains full marks ALLOW 2 marks for 0.136 (if not calculated for one day)	
		15 cm - 16 cm	(3)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
(ii)	C - lipid and protein The only correct answer is C	
	A is incorrect because RQ value is too low for carbohydrate	
	B is incorrect because RQ value is too high for lipid only D is incorrect because RQ value is too low for protein only	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
(iii)	An answer that makes reference to four of the following: • use of {potassium hydroxide / sodium hydroxide / soda lime} to remove carbon dioxide • measure volumes of air entering and leaving the chamber • decrease in volume of air represents oxygen taken up (by ground squirrel for respiration)		
	control the temperature / measure mass of squirrel / measure for a stated period of time	ALLOW a sensible specified time	(4)
	 divide volume of oxygen used in a unit of time by the body mass of the ground squirrel to calculate its metabolic rate 	ALLOW volume of oxygen ÷ (mass × time)	