



**4.4 Bioenergetics
Foundation / Higher**

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Q1.

In this question you will be assessed on using good English, organising information clearly and using specialist terms where appropriate.

Deforestation affects the environment.

Deforestation is causing a change in the amounts of different gases in the atmosphere. This change causes global warming and climate change.

The image below shows an area of deforestation.



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Give the reasons why deforestation is taking place.

Describe how deforestation is causing the change in the amounts of different gases in the atmosphere.

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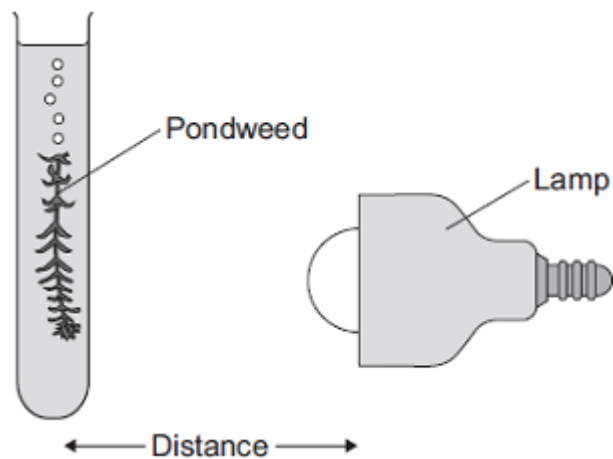
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Q2.

Some students investigated the effect of light intensity on the rate of photosynthesis.

They used the apparatus shown in **Diagram 1**.

Diagram 1



The students:

- placed the lamp 10 cm from the pondweed
- counted the number of bubbles of gas released from the pondweed in 1 minute
- repeated this for different distances between the lamp and the pondweed.

(a) The lamp gives out heat as well as light.

What could the students do to make sure that heat from the lamp did **not** affect the rate of photosynthesis?

(1)

(b) The table shows the students' results.

Distance in cm	Number of bubbles per minute
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10	84
15	84
20	76
40	52
50	26

- (i) At distances between 15 cm and 50 cm, light was a limiting factor for photosynthesis.

What evidence is there for this in the table?

(1)

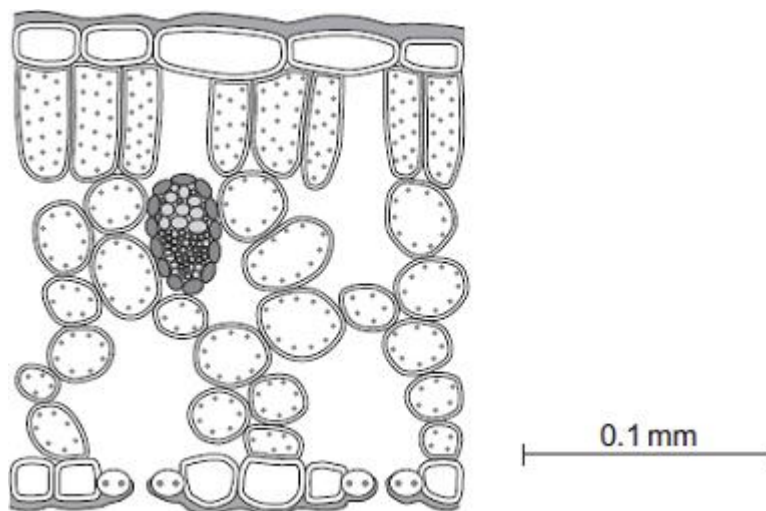
- (ii) Give **one** factor that could have limited the rate of photosynthesis when the distance was between 10 cm and 15 cm.

(1)

- (c) *In this question you will be assessed on using good English, organising information clearly and using specialist terms where appropriate.*

Diagram 2 shows a section through a plant leaf.

Diagram 2



Describe the structure of the leaf and the functions of the tissues in the leaf.

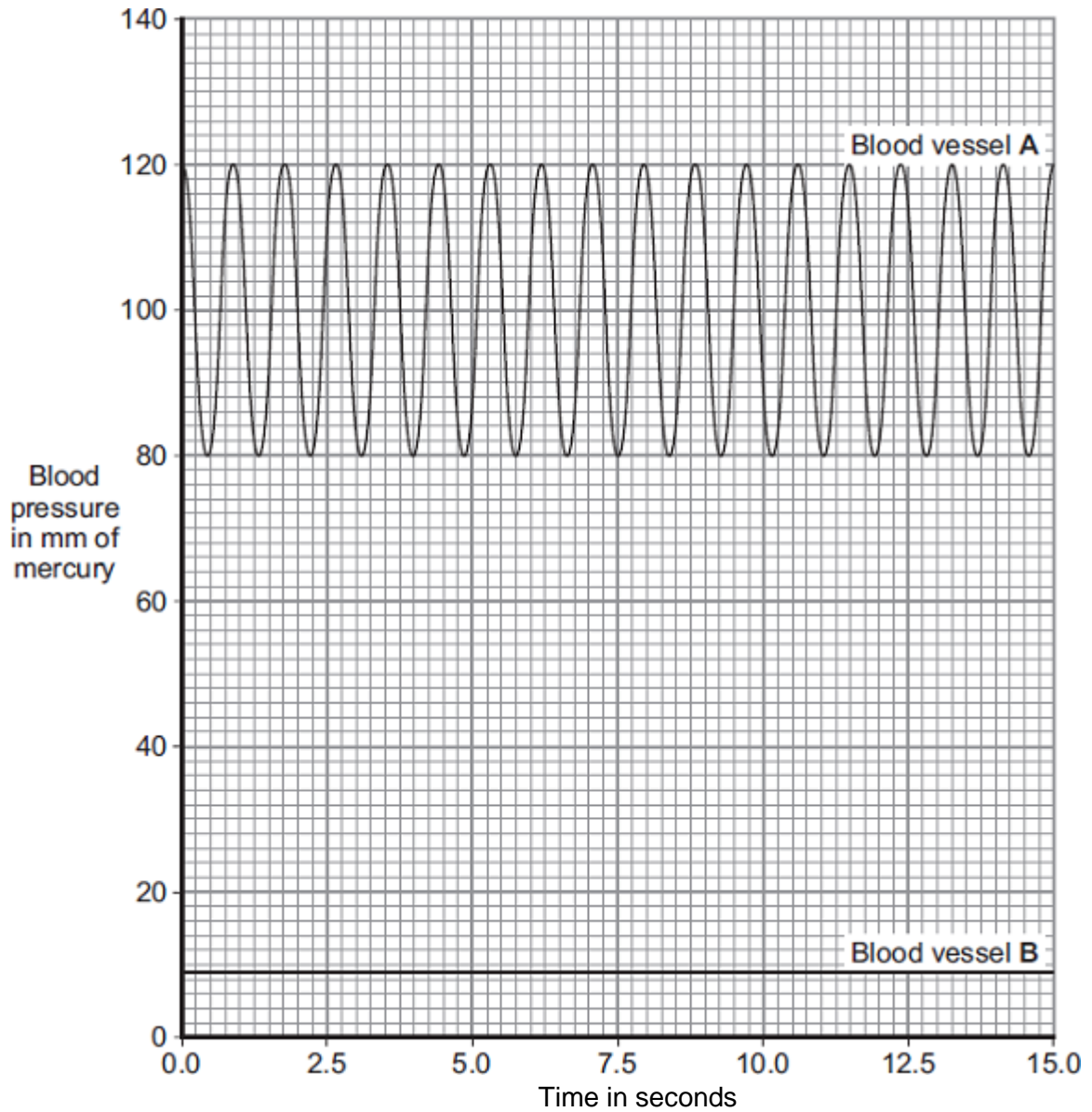
You should use the names of the tissues in your answer.

(6)
(Total 9 marks)

Q3.

The heart pumps the blood around the body. This causes blood to leave the heart at high pressure.

The graph shows blood pressure measurements for a person at rest.
The blood pressure was measured in an artery and in a vein.



(a) Which blood vessel, **A** or **B**, is the artery?

Blood vessel _____

Give **two** reasons for your answer.

Reason 1 _____

Reason 2 _____

(2)

(b) Use information from the graph to answer these questions.

(i) How many times did the heart beat in 15 seconds? _____

(1)

(ii) Use your answer from part (b)(i) to calculate the person's heart rate per minute.

Heart rate = _____ beats per minute

(1)

- (c) During exercise, the heart rate increases.

The increased heart rate supplies useful substances to the muscles at a faster rate.

Name **two** useful substances that must be supplied to the muscles at a faster rate during exercise.

1. _____
2. _____

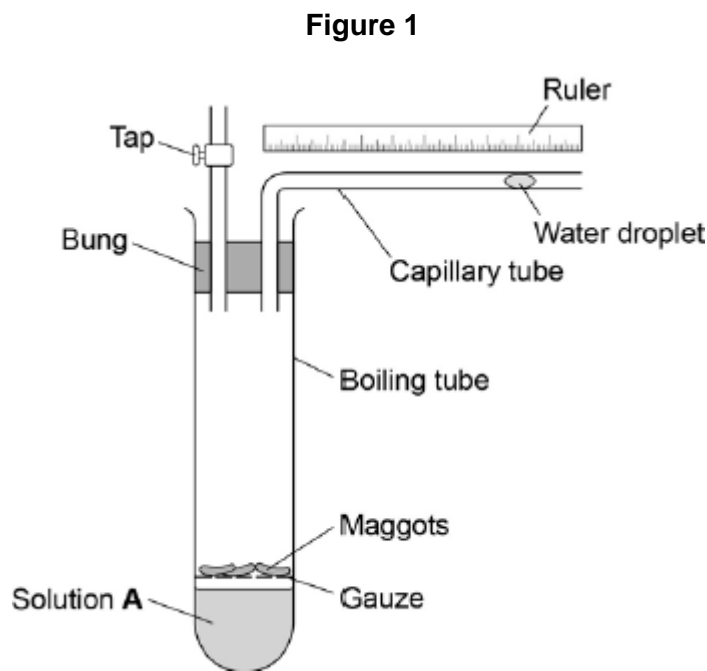
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Q4.

A student investigates the rate of respiration in maggots.

Figure 1 shows the equipment he uses.



- (a) Why does the student put the maggots on gauze?

(1)

- (b) When maggots respire they take in a gas from the air and release a different gas.

Solution **A** absorbs the gas released.

At the start of the investigation the student records the distance of the water droplet from the bend in the capillary tube.

Explain what happens to the water droplet as the maggots respire.

(4)

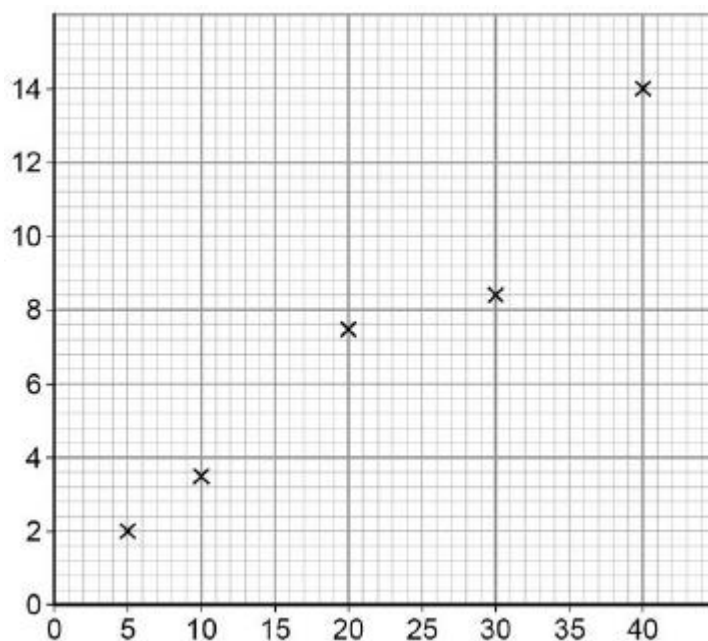
(c) The table below shows the results the student calculated.

Temperature in °C	Rate of respiration in units
5	2.2
10	3.5
20	7.5
30	8.4
40	14.0

The student uses his results to plot the graph in **Figure 2**.

Label the x and y axis.

Figure 2



(1)

(d) How could the student find out if the result at 30 °C is anomalous?

(1)

(e) Suggest what the value at 30 °C should be to fit the pattern of the graph.

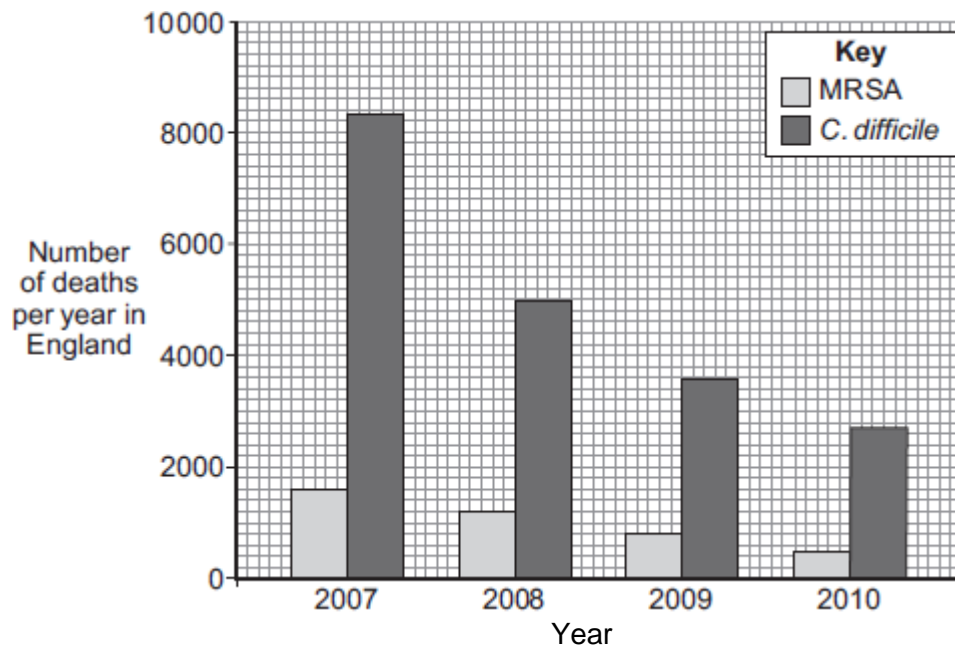
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Q5.

Infections by antibiotic resistant bacteria cause many deaths.

The bar chart below shows information about the number of deaths per year in England from *Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus* (MRSA) and from *Clostridium difficile* (*C.difficile*) over 4 years.



(a) (i) Describe the trend for deaths caused by *C.difficile*.

(2)

(ii) Suggest a reason for the trend you have described in part (a)(i).

Explain your answer.

(2)

- (iii) Calculate the percentage change in deaths caused by MRSA from 2009 to 2010.

Percentage change in deaths caused by MRSA = _____ %

(2)

- (iv) Numbers have not yet been published for 2011.

When the numbers are published, scientists do **not** expect to see such a large percentage change from 2010 to 2011 as the one you have calculated for 2009 to 2010.

Suggest **one** reason why.

(1)

- (b) Before 2007 there was a rapid increase in the number of deaths caused by MRSA.

Describe how the overuse of the antibiotic methicillin led to this increase.

(3)

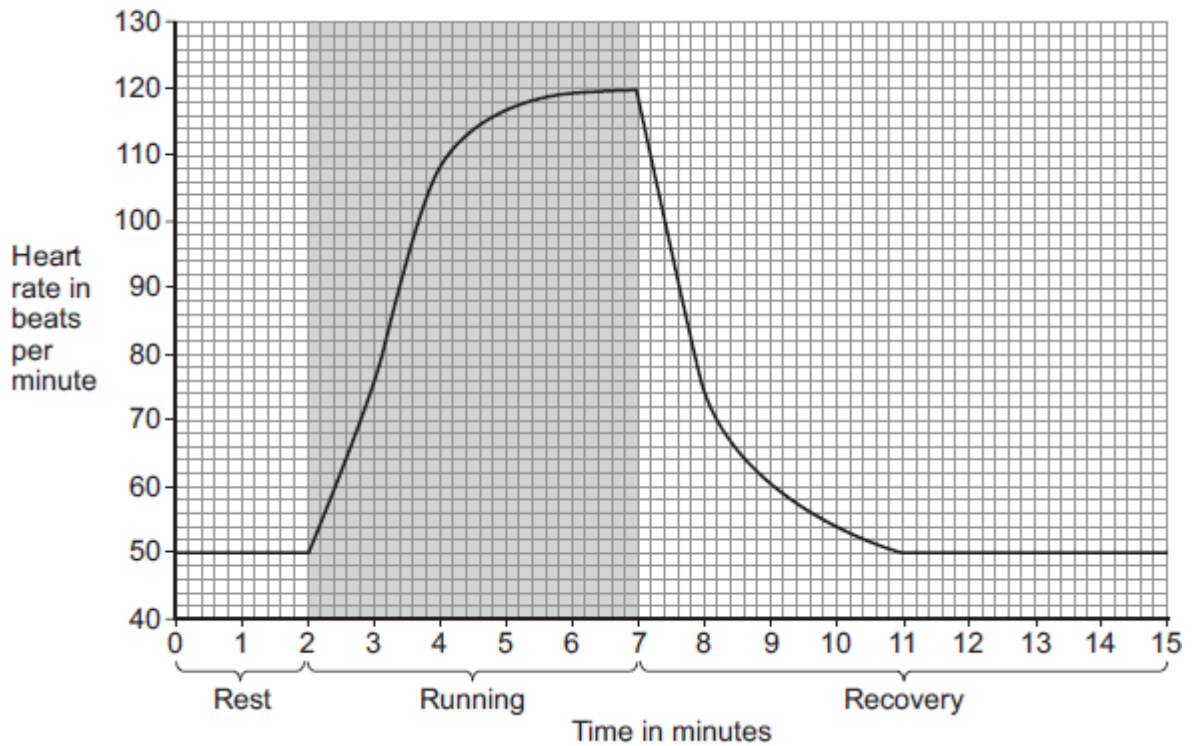
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Q6.

A student ran on a treadmill for 5 minutes.

The speed of the treadmill was set at 12 km per hour.

The graph below shows the effect of the run on the student's heart rate.



(a) (i) What was the student's heart rate at rest?
 _____ beats per minute (1)

(ii) After the end of the run, how long did it take for the student's heart rate to return to the resting heart rate?
 _____ minutes (1)

(b) During the run, the student's muscles needed larger amounts of some substances than they needed at rest.

(i) Which **two** of the following substances were needed in larger amounts during the run?

Tick (✓) **two** boxes.

- carbon dioxide
- glucose
- lactic acid
- oxygen

protein

(2)

- (ii) Why are the two substances you chose in part **(b)(i)** needed in larger amounts during the run?

Tick (✓) **one** box.

To help make more muscle fibres

To release more energy

To help the muscles to cool down

(1)

- (c) After exercise, a fit person recovers faster than an unfit person.

Let the student's heart rate at the end of exercise = **a**.

Let the student's heart rate after 2 minutes of recovery = **b**.

The table below shows how the difference between **a** and **b**, (**a - b**), is related to a person's level of fitness.

(a - b)	Level of fitness
< 22	Unfit
22 to 52	Normal fitness
53 to 58	Fit
59 to 65	Very fit
> 65	Top athlete

What is the student's level of fitness?

Use information from the graph and the table.

a = _____ beats per minute

b = _____ beats per minute

(a - b) = _____ beats per minute

Level of fitness = _____

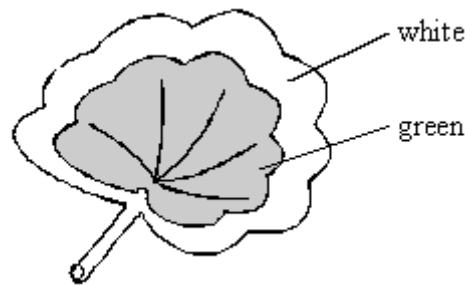
(3)



Draw a line on the graph to show how the concentration of oxygen changes in the glasshouse.

(3)

(b)



Some plants have variegated leaves with white parts which contain no chlorophyll.

How do you think a variegated geranium would grow compared to a similar sized geranium with all green leaves?

Explain your answer _____

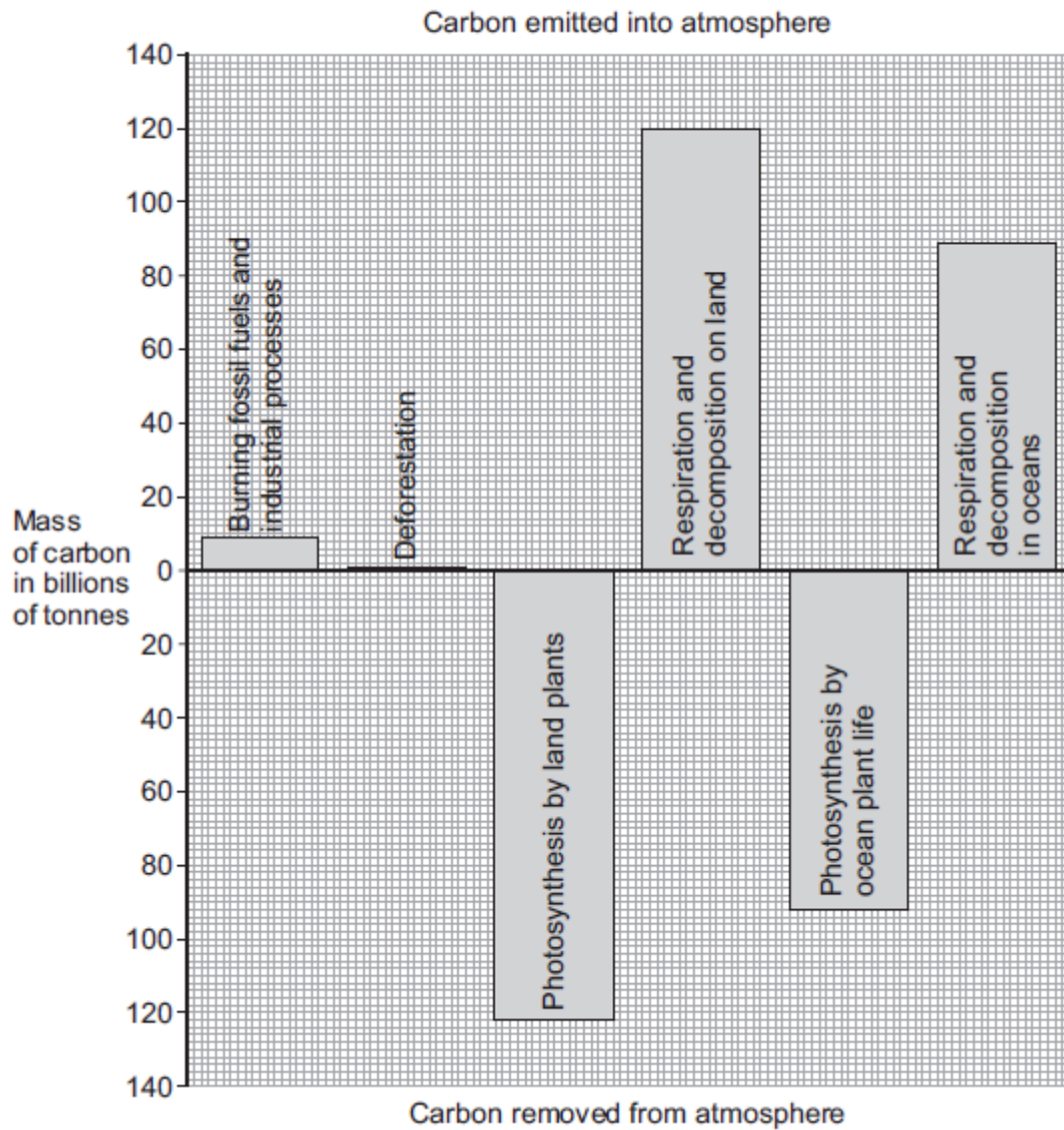
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Q8.

The amount of carbon in the atmosphere is increasing.

The graph shows the mass of carbon in billions of tonnes involved in some processes in the carbon cycle each year.



- (a) (i) Use information from the graph to calculate the total mass of carbon removed from the atmosphere each year.

_____ billions of tonnes

(2)

- (ii) The mass of carbon in the atmosphere is increasing by 5 billion tonnes each year.

One tonne of carbon is equivalent to 3.67 tonnes of carbon dioxide.

Calculate the increase in the mass of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere each year.

_____ billion tonnes

(1)

- (b) (i) Many scientists think the burning of fuels is the main cause of the increasing amount of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere. Other scientists disagree.

Use information from the graph to suggest why some scientists do **not** think that burning fuels is the main cause of the increase in carbon dioxide in the atmosphere.

(1)

- (ii) Some scientists think we should eat less meat and eat more food from plants.

Suggest how eating less meat and eating more food from plants could reduce the amount of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere.

(2)

(Total 6 marks)

Q9.

The table below shows a wheat farmer's calendar.

October	Winter Wheat is sown and germinates. Phosphate/potash fertiliser is applied.
March	Wheat plants resume growth. Nitrate fertiliser is applied.
April	Ammonium nitrate, the main fertiliser, is applied. Fungicide may be sprayed to control mildew or rust on wheat.
May	Extra ammonium nitrate fertiliser may be applied. A second spraying of fungicide may be needed. Dwarfing hormone sprayed to keep wheat straw (stalks) short.
June	Insecticide spray against aphids may be needed. Extra spraying of fungicide may be needed.
August	Wheat is harvested.
August/ September	Ground sprayed with weedkiller. Stubble (remains of wheat plants) is ploughed in ready for the next crop.

This process uses expensive fertilisers and pesticides to grow pest free crops which may be produced in excess.

What are the reasons for and against growing wheat in this way?

For _____

(3)

Against _____

(4)

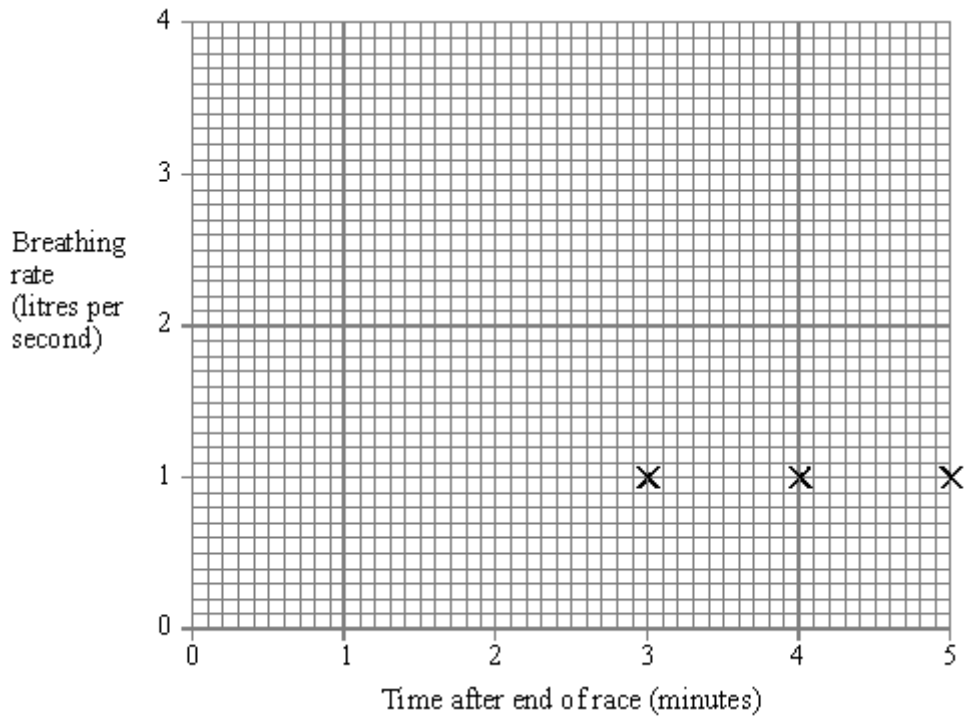
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Q10.

- (a) (i) The table shows an athlete's breathing rate after the end of a race.

The results can be put onto a graph.
Three of the points are already plotted.
Plot the other points shown in the table.
Then draw the graph.

Time after end of race (minutes)	Breathing rate (litres per second)
0	4
1	2
2	1
3	1
4	1
5	1



(4)

(ii) What is the athlete's breathing rate $\frac{1}{2}$ (half) a minute after the end of the race?

(2)

(b) One of the reasons for breathing is to get rid of carbon dioxide from your body. Choose words from the list to complete the sentences below about how your body does this.

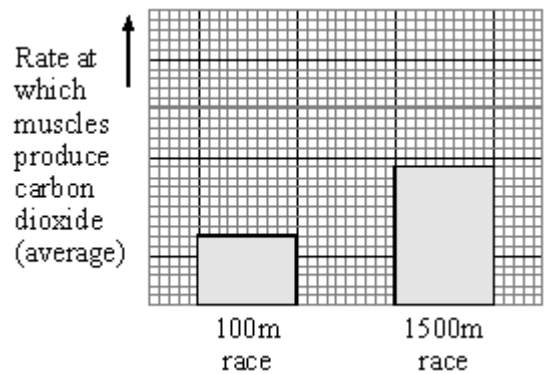
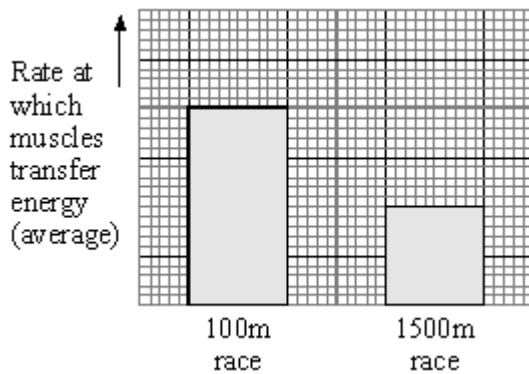
blood heart kidneys lungs urine

Carbon dioxide gets out of your body from your _____

The carbon dioxide is carried to this part of your body by your _____

(2)

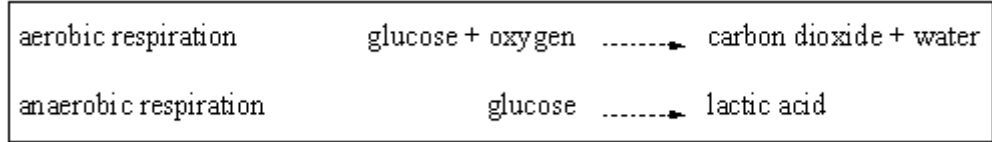
(c) The bar charts show what happens in an athlete's muscles when running in two races of different distances.



(i) Compare what happens in the athlete's muscles when running in the two races.

(3)

(ii) Use the information in the box to explain your answer to (i).

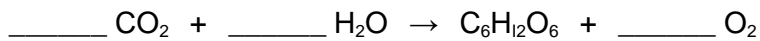


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Q11.

(a) Balance the following equation for photosynthesis.



(1)

(b) Give **two** conditions necessary for photosynthesis apart from a suitable temperature range and the availability of water and carbon dioxide.

1. _____

2. _____

(2)

(a) Plants have leaves which contain guard cells and palisade cells. Explain how **each** of these kinds of cell assists photosynthesis.

Guard cells _____

(2)

Palisade cells _____

(2)

(d) Glucose is a product of photosynthesis. Give **three** uses which green plants make of glucose.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

(3)

(Total 10 marks)

Q12.

A young athlete trains and this makes her heart work harder. The table shows part of her training record.

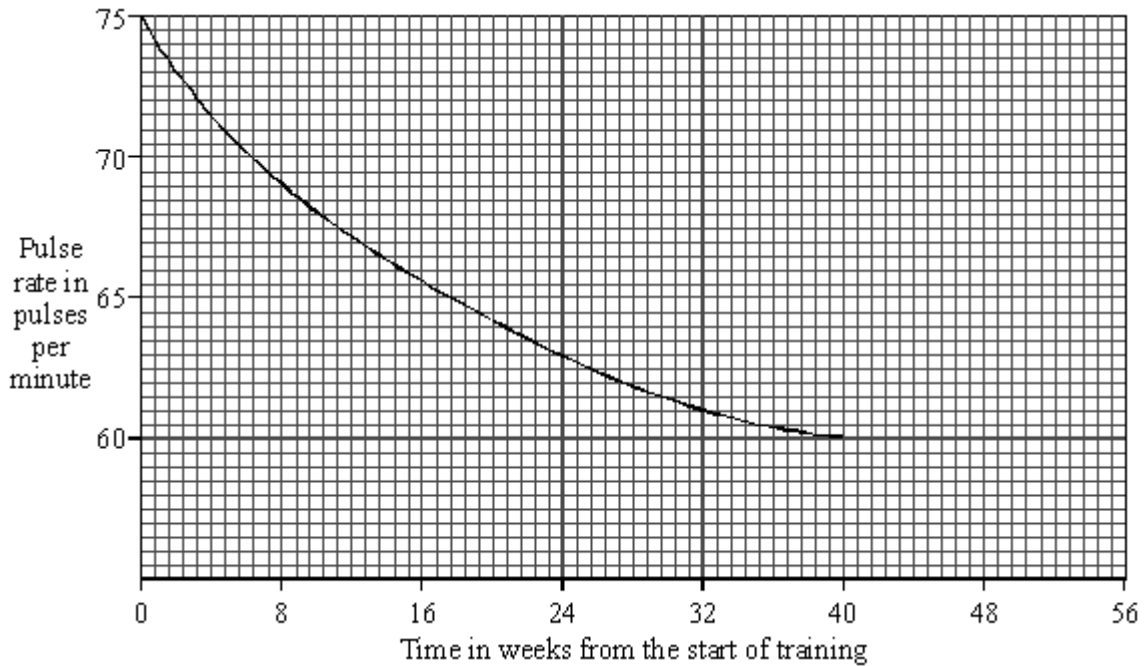
Time measured in weeks from the start of training	0	8	16	24	32	40
Resting pulse rate measured in pulses per minute	75	69	66	63	61	60

- (i) Give **two** changes to her heart resulting from this training.

1. _____
- _____
2. _____
- _____

(2)

- (ii) The graph shows a smooth curve drawn to match the data from her training record.



Use the graph:

- (A) to estimate her resting pulse rate, in pulses per minute, after 18 weeks of training;

(1)

- (B) to predict her resting pulse rate, in pulses per minute, if she continues her training until the end of the year.
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(1)

(Total 4 marks)

Q13.

As they go higher up a mountain, mountaineers take less oxygen into their bodies with each breath.



This is shown in the table below.

	MILLIGRAMS OF OXYGEN TAKEN INTO LUNGS WITH EACH NORMAL BREATH	MILLIGRAMS OF OXYGEN TAKEN INTO BLOOD WITH EACH NORMAL BREATH
At bottom of mountain	300	60
At top of mountain	150	30

- (a) At the top of the mountain, they only take half as much oxygen into their lungs with each breath as they did at the bottom.

How does this affect the amount of oxygen that gets into their blood with each breath?

(2)

- (b) Why do the cells in the mountaineers' bodies need oxygen?

(1)

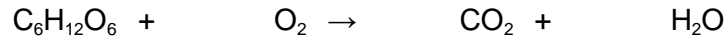
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Q14.

- (a) Respiration is a process which takes place in living cells. What is the purpose of *respiration*?

(1)

- (b) (i) Balance the equation for the process of respiration when oxygen is available.



(1)

- (ii) What is the name of the substance in the equation with the formula $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6$?

(1)

- (c) Oxygen is absorbed through the alveoli in the lungs.

- (i) How are the alveoli adapted for this function?

(2)

- (ii) Name the gas which is excreted through the alveoli.

(1)

- (d) (i) What is the name of the process of respiration when oxygen is **not** available?

(1)

- (ii) Describe the process of respiration which takes place in human beings when oxygen is **not** available and give an effect.

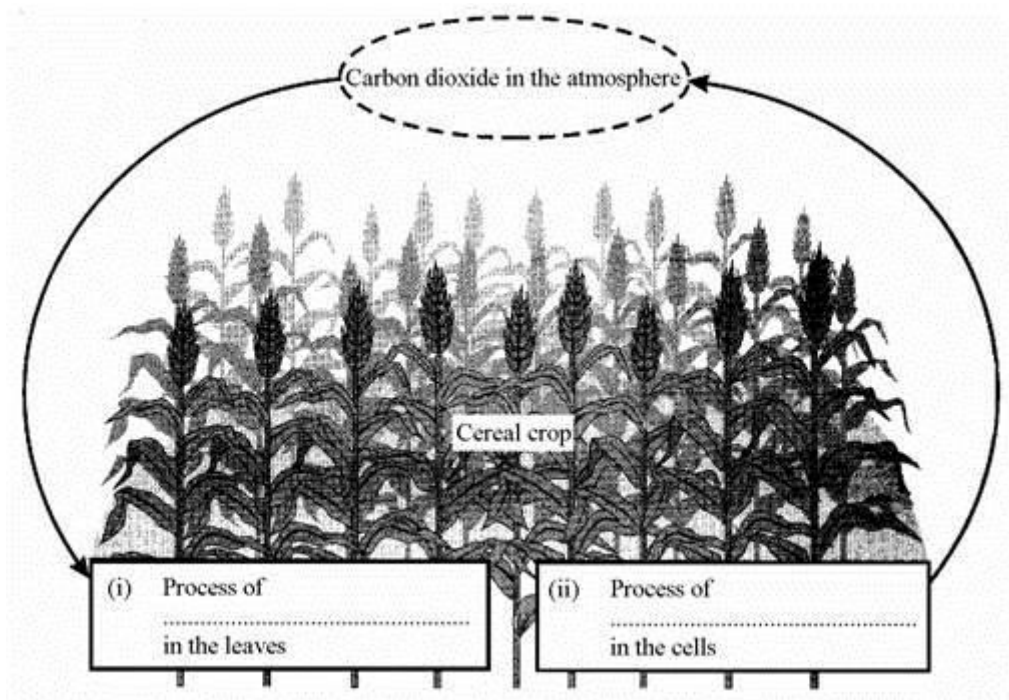
(3)

(Total 10 marks)

Q15.

(a) The diagram shows a cereal crop.

Complete spaces (i) and (ii).



(2)

(iii) What sort of weather may cause the cereal crop to wilt?

(1)

(b) Describe the process of transpiration in plants.

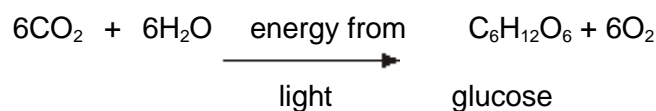
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Q16.

Plants are grown in glasshouses to protect them from the weather or extend the growing season.

Plants make food by photosynthesis.



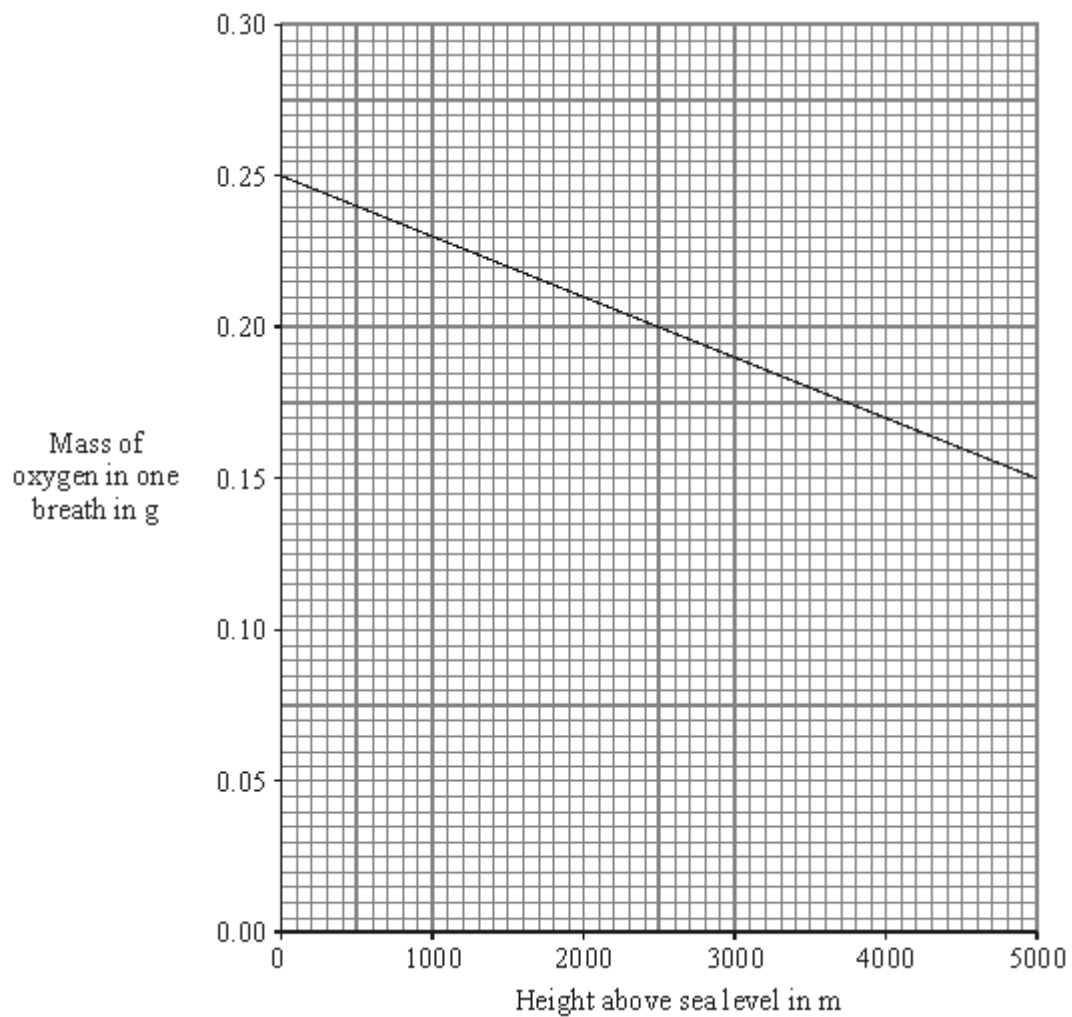
In winter, when days are shorter, glasshouses are heated to keep the enzyme reactions in plants at optimum rates.

What else should a grower do to make sure that the plants are photosynthesising at the optimum rate? Give a reason for your answer.

(Total 3 marks)

Q17.

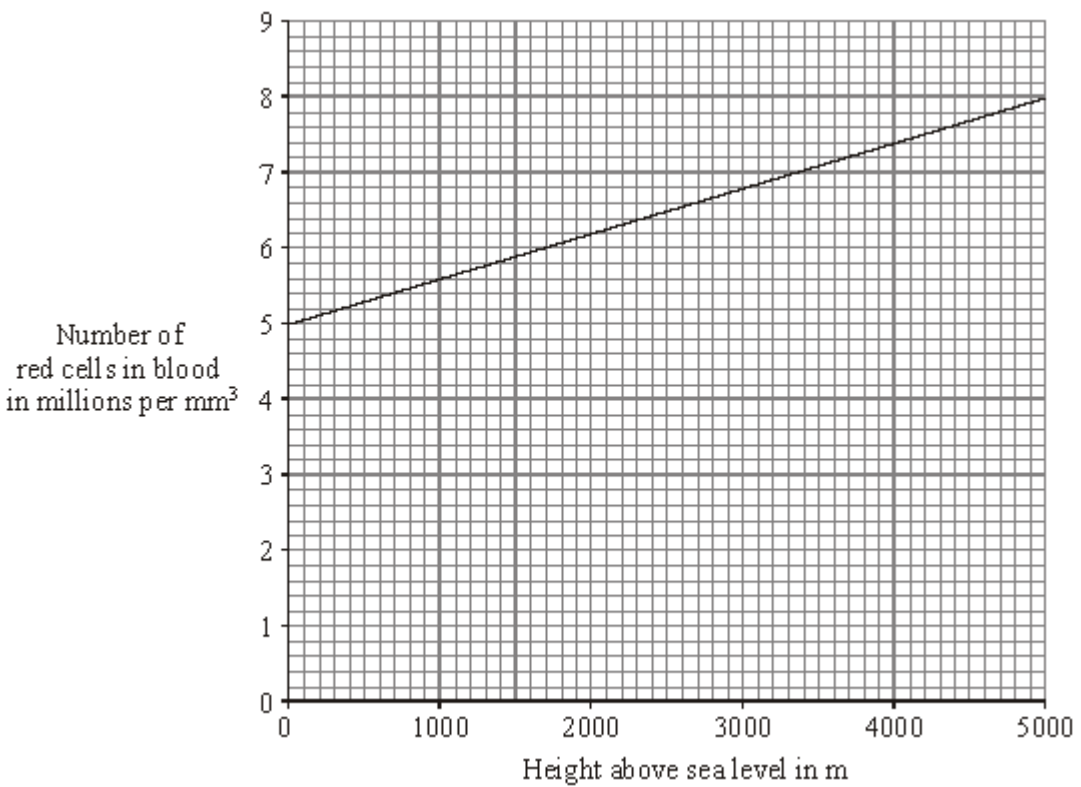
- (a) The graph shows how the mass of oxygen you breathe in changes as you climb up a mountain.



Describe, in as much detail as you can, how the mass of oxygen in one breath changes as you climb from sea level to 3000 m.

(3)

(b) People who live high up in mountainous areas have more red blood cells than people who live at sea level. The graph below shows how the number of red blood cells changes with height above sea level.



(i) How many more red blood cells does a person living at 3000 m above sea level have than someone living at sea level? Show clearly how you work out your answer.

Increase in number of red blood cells = _____ millions per m³

(2)

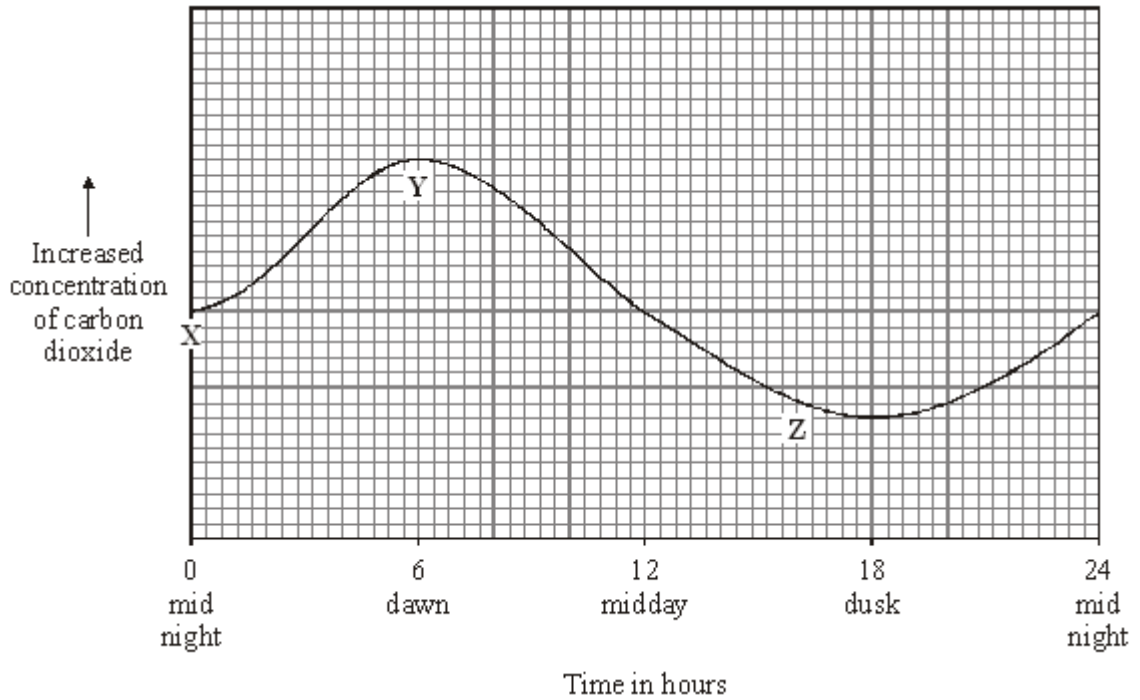
(ii) What is the advantage of having more red blood cells?

(1)

(Total 6 marks)

Q18.

The graph shows the concentration of carbon dioxide in the air in a greenhouse full of tomato plants, measured over a period of 24 hours.



- (a) Explain why the concentration of carbon dioxide in the air in the greenhouse increased between **X** and **Y**.

(2)

- (b) Explain why the concentration of carbon dioxide in the air in the greenhouse decreased between **Y** and **Z**.

(2)

(Total 4 marks)

Q19.

Oxygen from our lungs is carried, by our blood, to cells in our body where aerobic respiration takes place.

- (i) Complete the **two** spaces to balance the chemical reaction for aerobic respiration.



(1)

- (ii) Name the substance with the formula $C_6H_{12}O_6$.

(1)

- (iii) Name the structures in the cytoplasm of our cells where aerobic respiration takes place.

(1)

(Total 3 marks)

Q20.

- (a) During respiration, sugar is oxidised to release energy. Complete the equation for respiration.

Sugar + _____ = _____ + _____ + energy

(3)

- (b) The photograph below shows an athlete using an exercise machine. The machine can be adjusted to vary the rate at which the athlete is required to work.



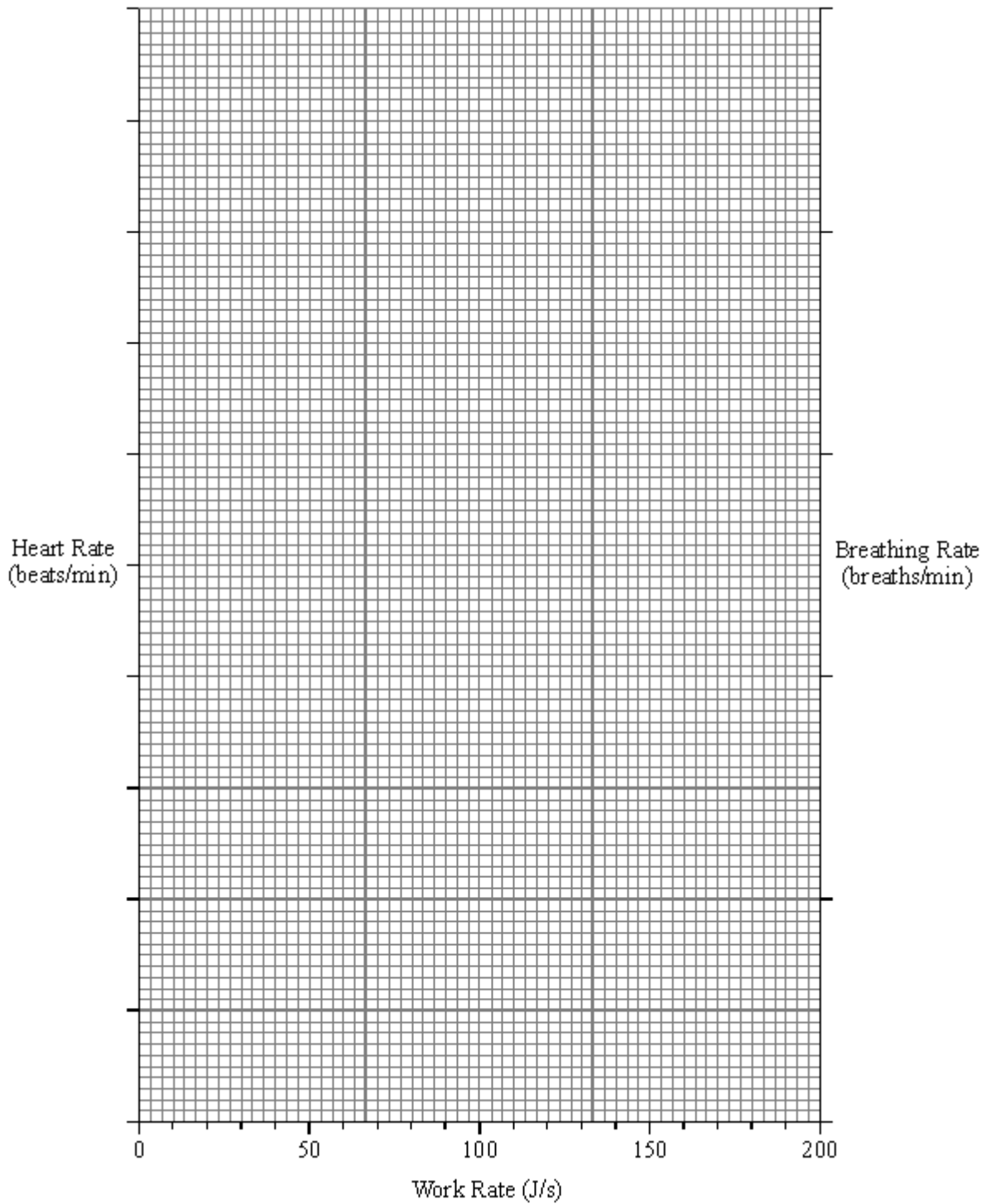
The athlete's heart rate and breathing rate were measured at different work rates.

The table below shows the results which were obtained.

WORK RATE (J/s)	HEART RATE (beats/min.)	BREATHING RATE (breaths/min.)
0	86	9.6
60	106	10.0
80	112	10.4
100	122	10.4
120	135	11.4
140	143	14.5

160	156	15.8
200	174	30.5

Plot the data on the graph paper below.



(3)

- (c) Explain, as fully as you can, the advantages to the body in the change in breathing and heart rates.

GROUP OF ATHLETES	MAXIMUM RATE OF OXYGEN CONSUMPTION (cm ³ per kg per min)	BEST TIME IN 10 MILE RACE (minutes)
A	78.6	48.9
B	67.5	55.1
C	63.0	58.7
D	57.4	64.6

- (i) What is the relationship between maximum rate of oxygen consumption and time for a 10 mile race?

(1)

- (ii) Suggest an explanation for this relationship.

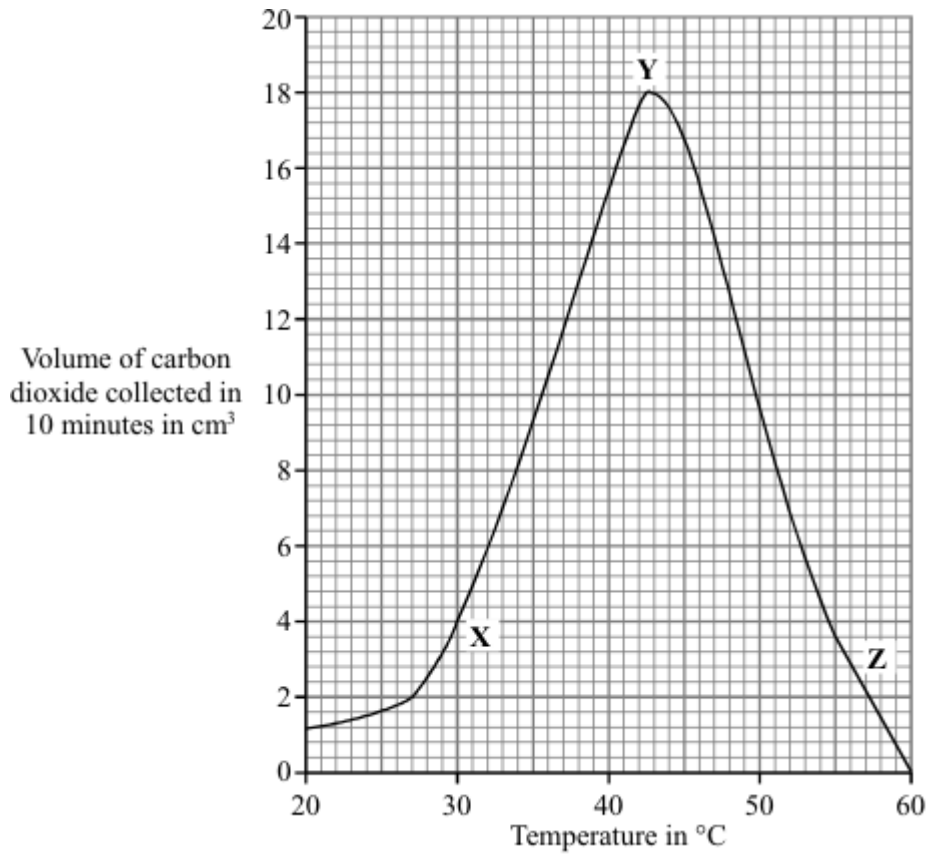
(3)

(Total 4 marks)

Q22.

Fermentation of sugar by yeast produces carbon dioxide.

The graph shows the effect of temperature on the production of carbon dioxide by fermentation.



- (a) By how much did the volume of carbon dioxide collected change when the temperature was raised from 30°C to 40°C?

_____ cm³

(1)

- (b) Complete the sentences to explain the shape of the curve between X and Y.

Raising the temperature _____ the speed of the reacting particles.

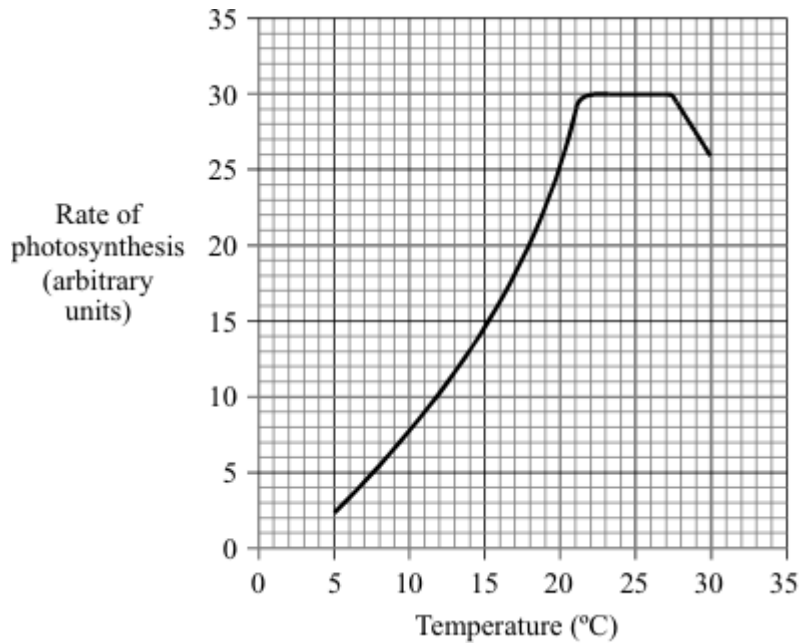
These particles collide more _____ and more _____ .

(3)

(Total 4 marks)

Q23.

The graph shows the effect of temperature on photosynthesis.



(a) Between which temperatures is the rate of photosynthesis fastest?

_____ and _____ °C

(1)

(b) Suggest why the rate of photosynthesis stays the same between these two temperatures.

(2)

(c) A greenhouse owner wants to grow lettuces as quickly and cheaply as possible in winter.

At what temperature should he keep his greenhouse in order to grow the lettuces as quickly and cheaply as possible?

_____ °C

Explain your answer.

(3)

(Total 6 marks)

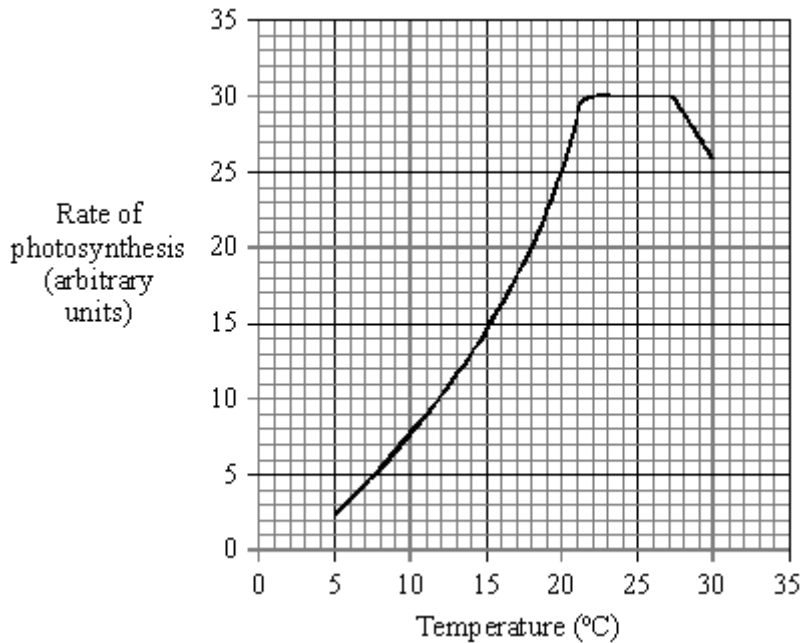
Q24.

Green plants make food in their leaves.

- (a) From where do the leaves get the energy that they need to make food?

(1)

- (b) The graph shows the effect of temperature on the rate of photosynthesis.



- (i) Between which temperatures is the rate of photosynthesis fastest?

_____ and _____ °C

(1)

- (ii) Suggest why the rate of photosynthesis stays the same between these two temperatures.

(2)

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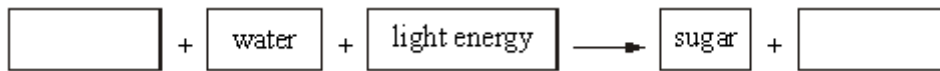
_____ °C

Explain your answer.

(3)
(Total 7 marks)

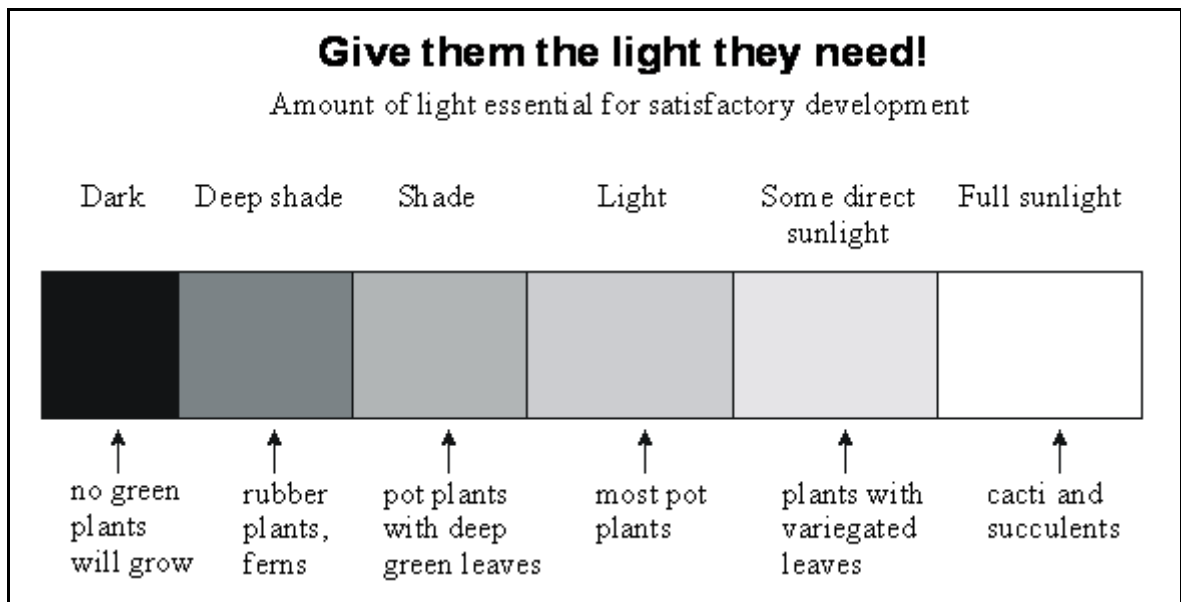
Q25.

(a) Complete the equation for photosynthesis.



(2)

(b) The diagram below is printed in a plant care manual.



Use information from the diagram to answer the following questions.

(i) Name **one** type of plant which could live on the floor of a dense forest in the middle of summer.

(1)

(ii) Explain the reason for your answer to (i) above.

(1)

(iii) The drawing shows one type of plant with variegated leaves.

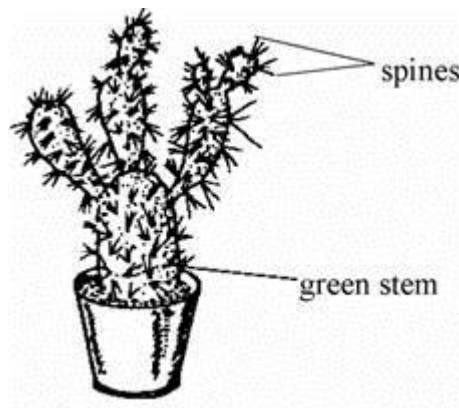


The manual says that these plants need direct sunlight.

Suggest and explain why this plant needs 'some direct sunlight' in order to develop satisfactorily.

(2)

(iv) The drawing shows a cactus.



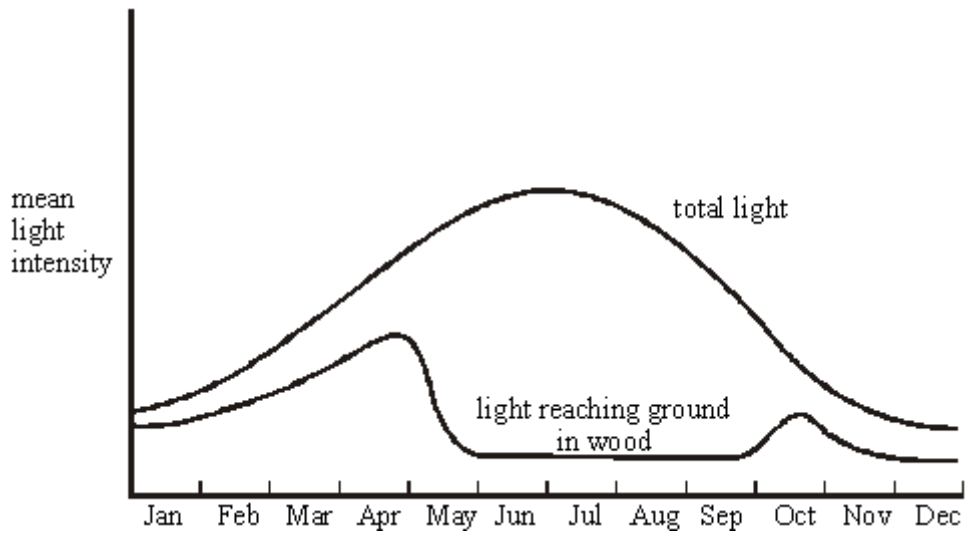
Suggest and explain why cacti can only develop satisfactorily if they receive full sunlight.

(2)

(Total 8 marks)

Q26.

The graph shows the mean light intensity at different times of the year in an oak wood.



- (a) (i) In which month would you expect the rate of photosynthesis in the oak trees to be greatest?

(1)

- (ii) There are plants living on the ground in the wood. In which month would you expect their rate of growth to be fastest?

Explain your answer.

(3)

- (b) Name **two** factors, other than light intensity, that would affect the rate of photosynthesis in the oak trees.

1. _____

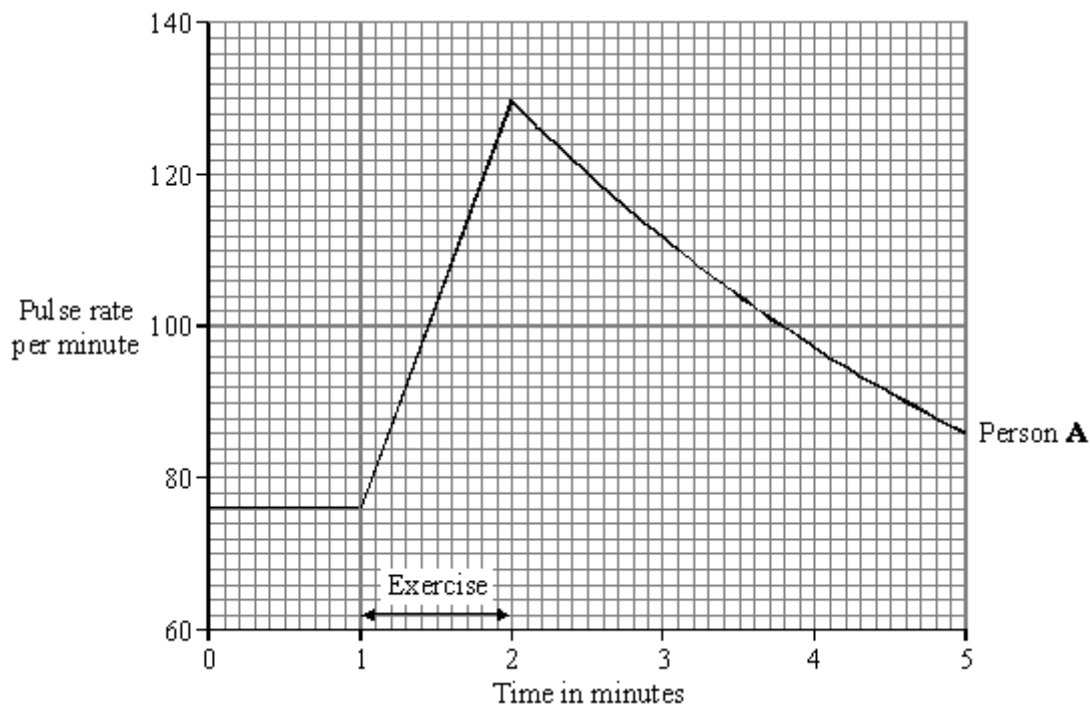
2. _____

(2)

(Total 6 marks)

Q27.

Person A and **Person B** measured their pulse rates over a period of five minutes. For one minute of this time they exercised by stepping on and off a box. At other times they sat still. The graph shows the results for **Person A**.



- (i) What does the graph tell you about the changes in the pulse rate of **Person A** within the five minute period?

(3)

- (ii) What was the pulse rate of **Person A** at the end of the five minute period?

(1)

- (iii) The table shows the results obtained for **Person B**.

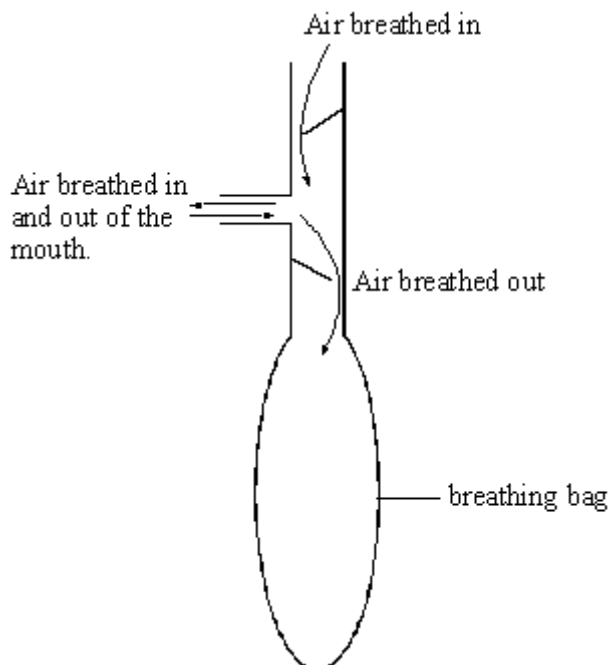
Time in minutes	Pulse rate per minute
0	68
1	68
2	110
3	96
4	80
5	68

Plot these results on the graph.

(2)
(Total 6 marks)

Q28.

A student breathed out into an empty breathing bag five times.



After breathing out five times the volume of air in the bag was measured. The volume was 3000 cm^3 .

(a) Complete the following sentences.

The air the student breathed in would contain more _____ than the air the student breathed out.

The air the student breathed out would contain more _____ than the air the student breathed in.

(2)

(b) The student then did some exercise for two minutes. The volume breathed out in five breaths was again measured. This time there was 9000 cm^3 of air in the bag.

What does this tell you about the effect of exercise on breathing?

(1)

(c) (i) Name the chemical process that releases energy when it takes place in the cells of the body.

(1)

(ii) Name the substances produced by this process.

_____ and _____

(2)

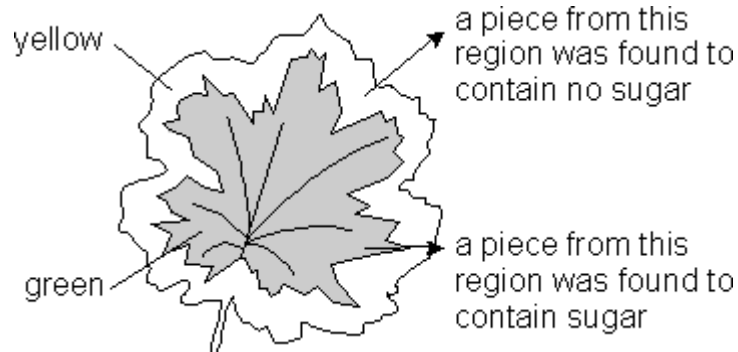
(iii) Explain as fully as you can why this process has to take place more rapidly during exercise.

(2)

(Total 8 marks)

Q29.

A plant with variegated (two-coloured) leaves was left in sunlight for several hours. Pieces of one of its leaves were then detached (removed) and tested for sugar. The diagram below shows the results.

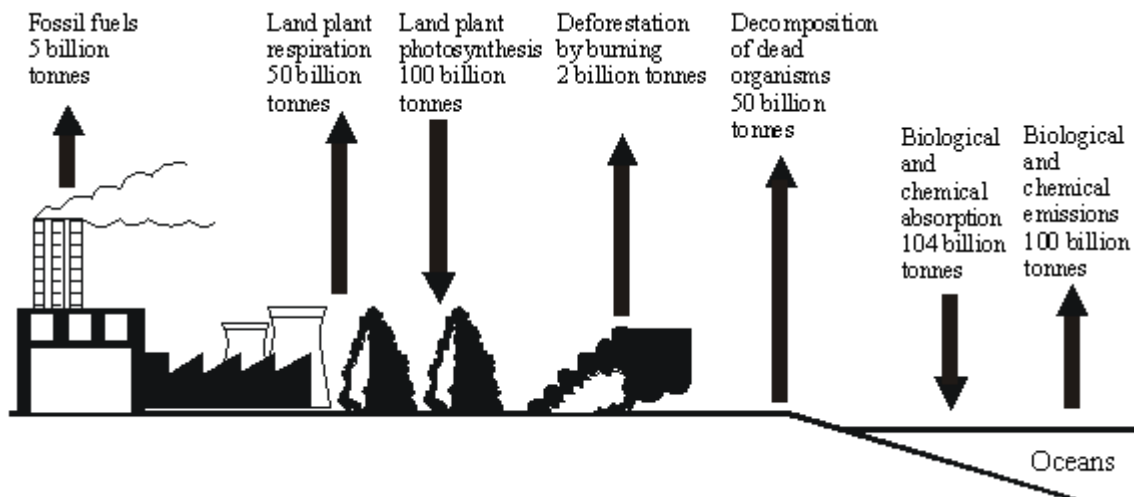


Explain, as fully as you can, why the yellow region of the leaf had not produced sugar.

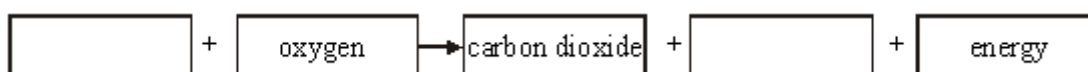
(Total 2 marks)

Q30.

The diagram below shows the mass of carbon involved each year in some of the processes in the carbon cycle.



(a) Complete the equation for plant respiration.



(2)

(b) (i) Calculate the mass of carbon removed from the atmosphere each year. (Show your working.)

Answer _____ billion tonnes

(1)

(ii) Calculate the percentage of this total which is removed by the photosynthesis of land plants. (Show your working.)

Answer _____ %

(2)

(iii) Calculate the net gain of carbon by the atmosphere in one year. (Show your working.)

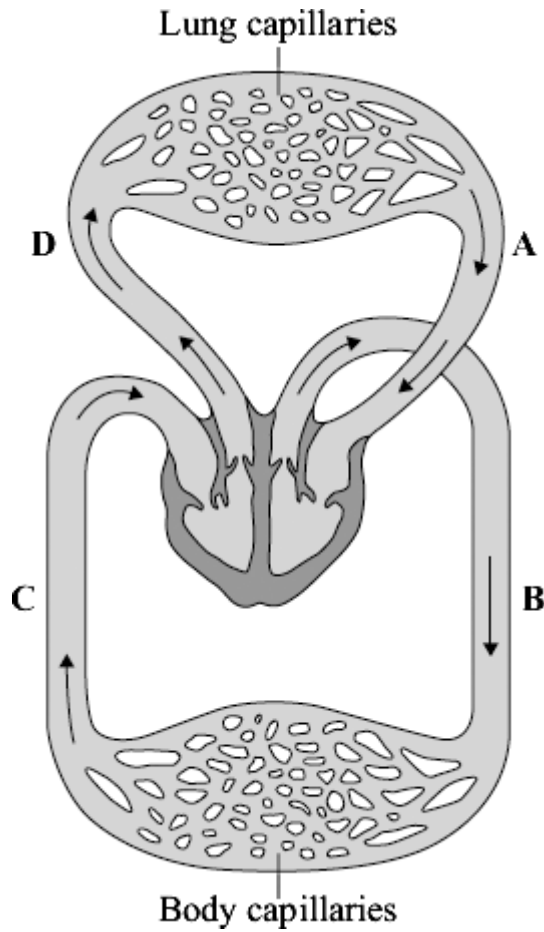
Answer _____ billion tonnes

(2)

(Total 7 marks)

Q31.

The diagram shows the human circulation system.



(a) (i) Give the letter of **one** blood vessel that is an artery.

(1)

(ii) Give the letter of **one** blood vessel that carries oxygenated blood.

(1)

(b) During exercise, the heart rate increases.

Explain, as fully as you can, why this increase is necessary.

(4)
(Total 6 marks)

Q32.

Photosynthesis takes place the leaves of green plants.

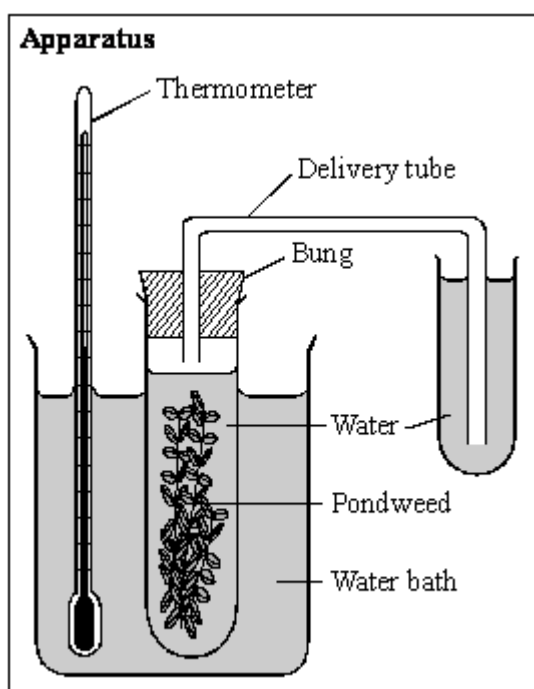
- (a) Write a balanced chemical equation for the formation of glucose by photosynthesis.

(3)

- (b) Describe **two** ways that the rate of photosynthesis can be decreased without lowering the temperature.

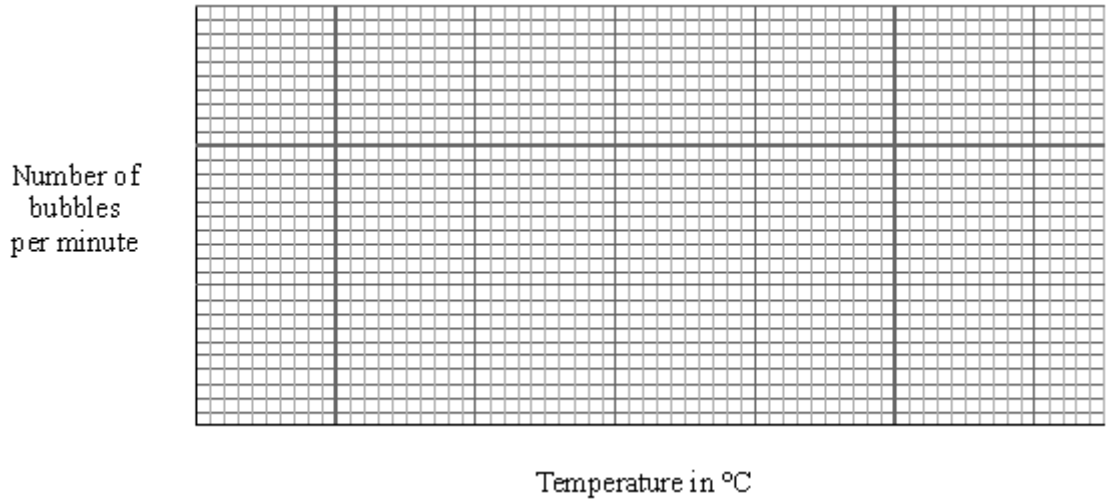
(2)

- (c) Some students decided to investigate the effect of temperature on the rate of photosynthesis in pond weed. They set up the apparatus and altered the temperature using ice and hot water. They counted the number of bubbles given off in a minute at different temperatures. They obtained the following results.



Results	
Temperature in °C	Number of bubbles per minute
10	6
20	15
30	21
40	23
50	19

- (i) Plot the points on the graph.



(3)

- (ii) Use your graph to predict the number of bubbles per minute at 25 °C.

(1)

- (iii) Suggest a reason why the rate of photosynthesis seems to decrease in this pondweed after 40 °C.

(1)

(Total 10 marks)

Q33.

Figure 1 shows an athlete running on a treadmill.

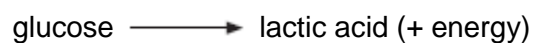
Figure 1



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After running for several minutes, the athlete's leg muscles began to ache. This ache was caused by a high concentration of lactic acid in the muscles.

- (a) The equation shows how lactic acid is made.



Name the process that makes lactic acid in the athlete's muscles.

(1)

- (b) Scientists investigated the production of lactic acid by an athlete running at different speeds.

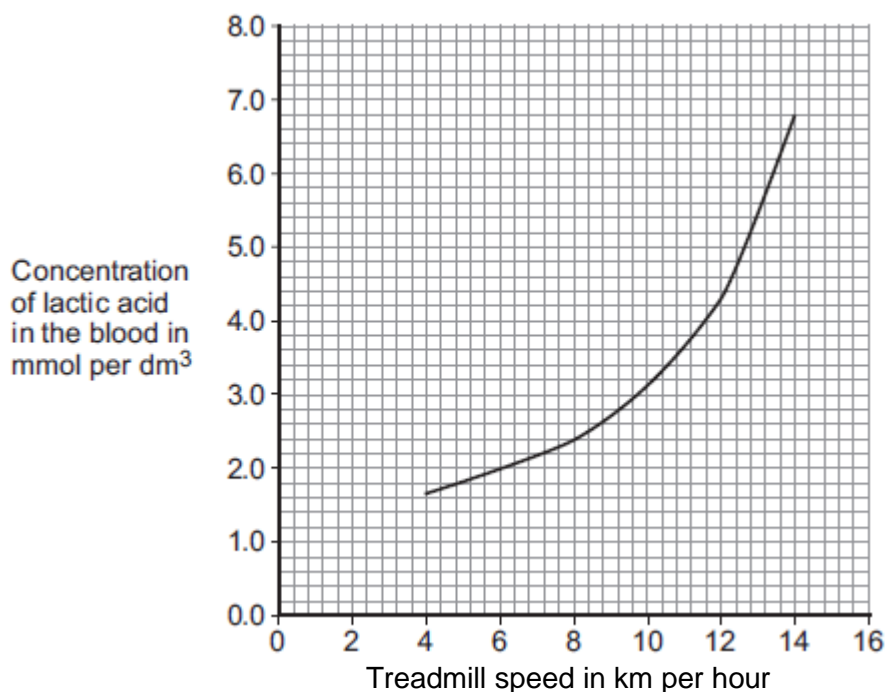
In the investigation:

- the athlete ran on the treadmill at 4 km per hour
- the scientists measured the concentration of lactic acid in the athlete's blood after 2 minutes of running.

The investigation was repeated for different running speeds.

Figure 2 shows the scientists' results.

Figure 2



- (i) How much more lactic acid was there in the athlete's blood when he ran at 14 km per hour than when he ran at 8 km per hour?

Answer = _____ mmol per dm³

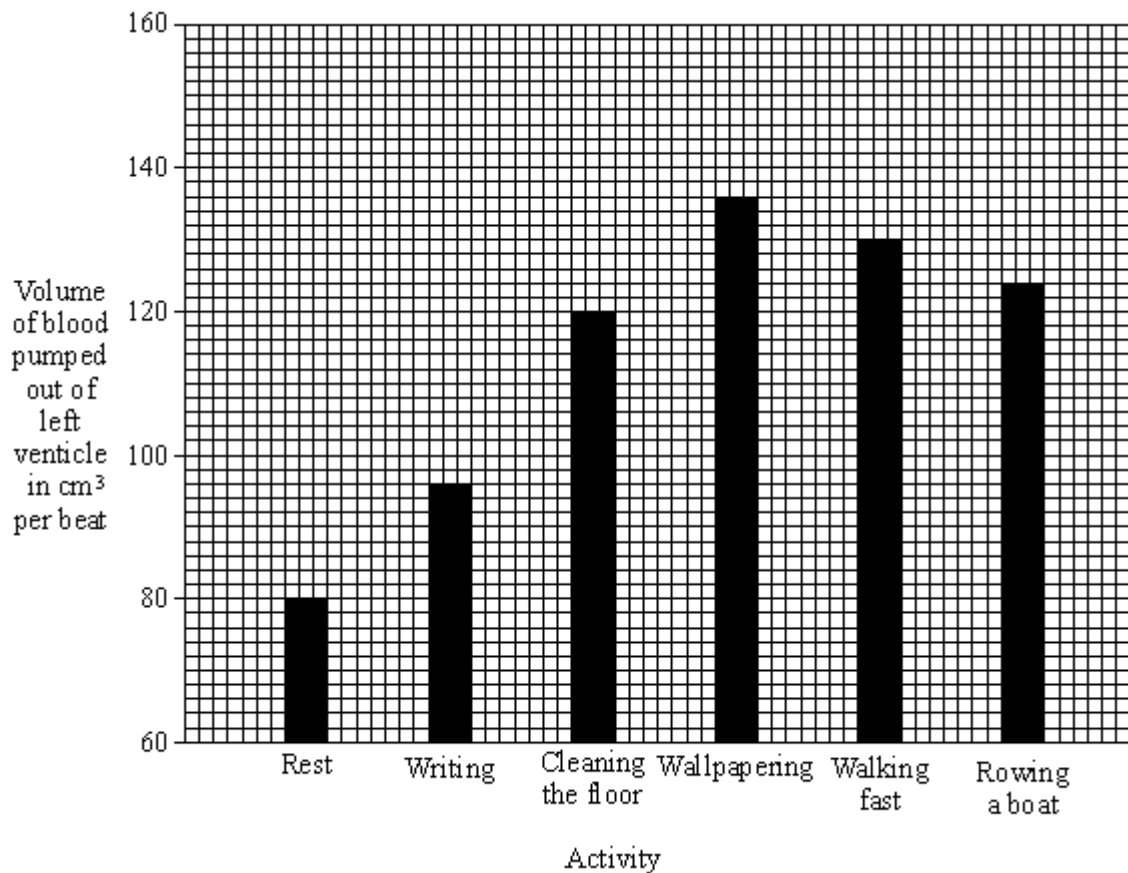
(2)

- (ii) Why is more lactic acid made in the muscles when running at 14 km per hour than when running at 8 km per hour?

(3)
(Total 6 marks)

Q34.

- (a) The volume of blood pumped out of the left ventricle at each beat was measured for a person during six different activities. These activities showed an increasing energy demand, with rest requiring the least energy and rowing a boat the most. The results of these measurements are shown on the bar chart.

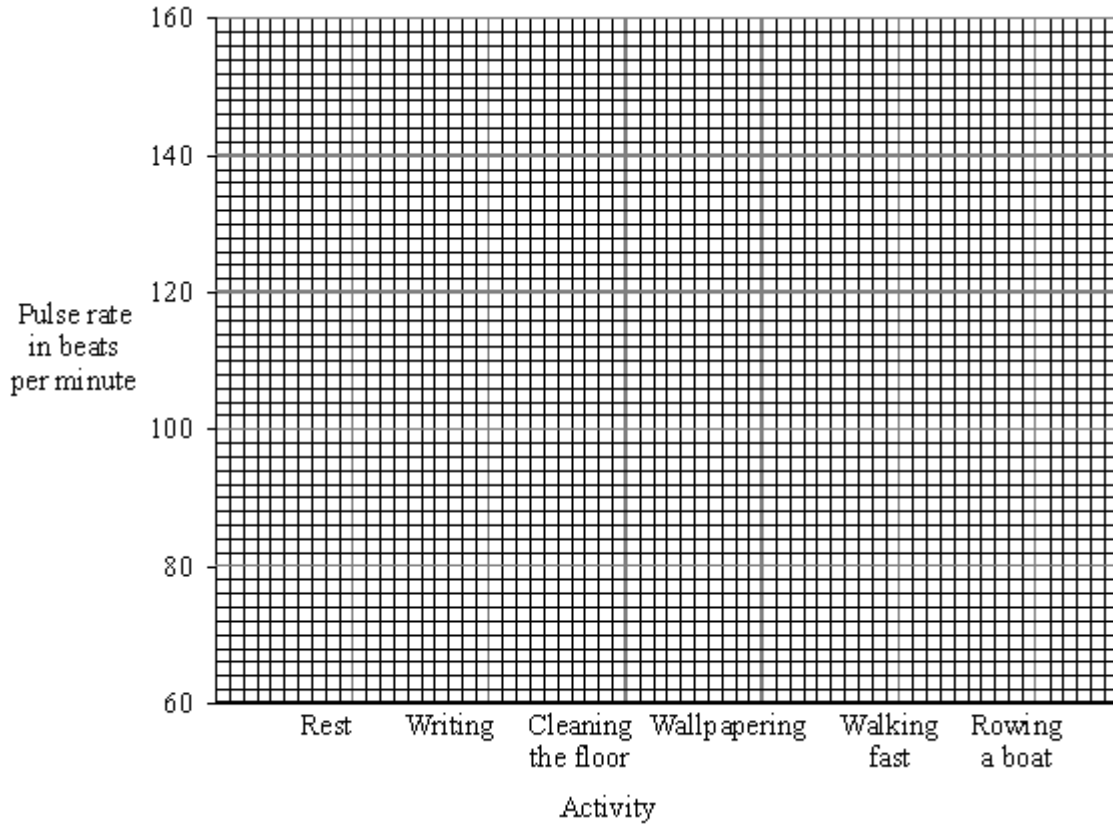


- (i) The pulse rate was also measured for the person during the same activities. The table shows the results that were obtained.

Activity	Pulse rate in beats per minute
Rest	70
Writing	85
Cleaning the floor	100
Wallpapering	120

Walking fast	132
Rowing a boat	153

On the graph paper below draw a bar chart of the results obtained for the measurements of the pulse rate.



(2)

- (ii) Undertaking activities with increasing energy demand has an effect on the volume of blood pumped from the left ventricle (per beat) and on the pulse rate. What do the bar charts show these effects to be? Use only information shown in the bar charts in your answer.

(2)

- (b) The pulse rate changed when the activity changed. Explain the reason for this.

(2)

(Total 6 marks)

(a) Photosynthesis is a process that takes place in green plants.

(i) What type of energy is needed for this process?

_____ (1)

(ii) What substance in the plant absorbs this energy?

_____ (1)

(iii) In which part of the plant cell does photosynthesis take place?

_____ (1)

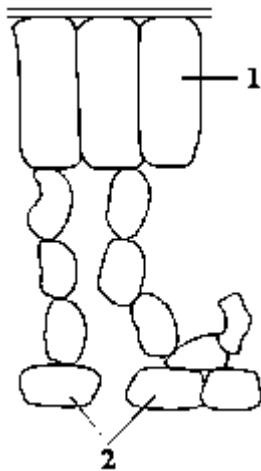
(iv) Write a balanced chemical equation for photosynthesis.

_____ → _____ (3)

(b) Describe **two** ways you could speed up photosynthesis.

_____ (2)

(c) The diagram shows the outline of a cross-section of a leaf. Name cells 1 and 2 and describe how they are involved in photosynthesis.



_____ (4)

(4)
(Total 12 marks)

Q36.

Regular exercise is important, as it helps to maintain an efficient supply of blood to the muscles, the heart and the lungs. This is helped by an increase in the heart rate during exercise.

Explain why it is necessary for the heart rate to increase during exercise.

(Total 4 marks)

Q37.

(a) Complete the following sentences.

Green plants produce their own food by a process called photosynthesis. In this process the raw materials are _____ and carbon dioxide. Glucose and _____ are produced. _____ energy is absorbed by the green substance called _____ .

(4)

(b) Name **two** things that can happen in the plant to the glucose produced in photosynthesis.

- 1. _____
- 2. _____

(2)

(c) Plants need mineral salts.

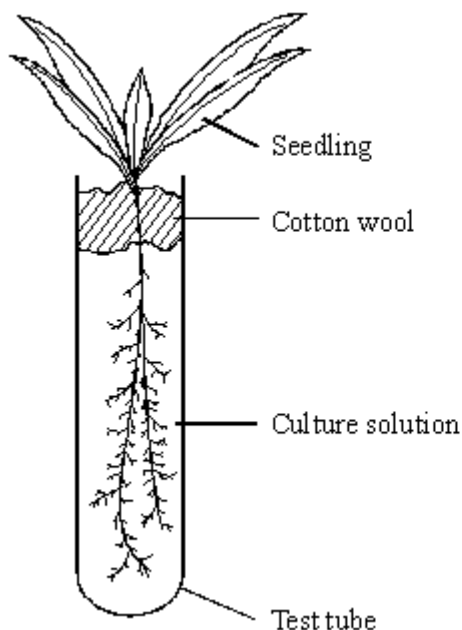
(i) Through which part do mineral salts get into the plant?

(1)

(ii) Explain why water is important in this process.

(2)

Some students set up water cultures to find out how plants use nitrates. They had two sets of nutrient solutions. A full solution provided the plant with all the required nutrients. The results table shows the average mass of the seedlings after 28 days of growth.



Culture solution	Average mass of seedling in g
distilled water	0.14
full solution with no nitrates	0.29
full solution	0.43

(d) (i) Give a conclusion you could make from these results.

(1)

(ii) Calculate the difference in average mass caused by the addition of nitrates to the culture solution.

(1)

(iii) What are nitrates used for in the seedling?

(1)

(iv) Some factors need to be controlled to keep this test fair. Name **two** of them.

1. _____

2. _____

(2)

(v) Suggest **one** way you could improve the experiment.

(1)

(Total 15 marks)

Q38.

(a) The equation describes the process of photosynthesis.

carbon dioxide + _____ + light energy \longrightarrow glucose + _____

(i) Write in the names of the **two** missing substances.

(2)

(ii) Name the green substance which absorbs the light energy.

(1)

(b) (i) In bright sunlight, the concentration of carbon dioxide in the air can limit the rate of photosynthesis. Explain what this means.

(2)

(ii) Give **one** environmental factor, other than light intensity and carbon dioxide concentration, which can limit the rate of photosynthesis.

(1)

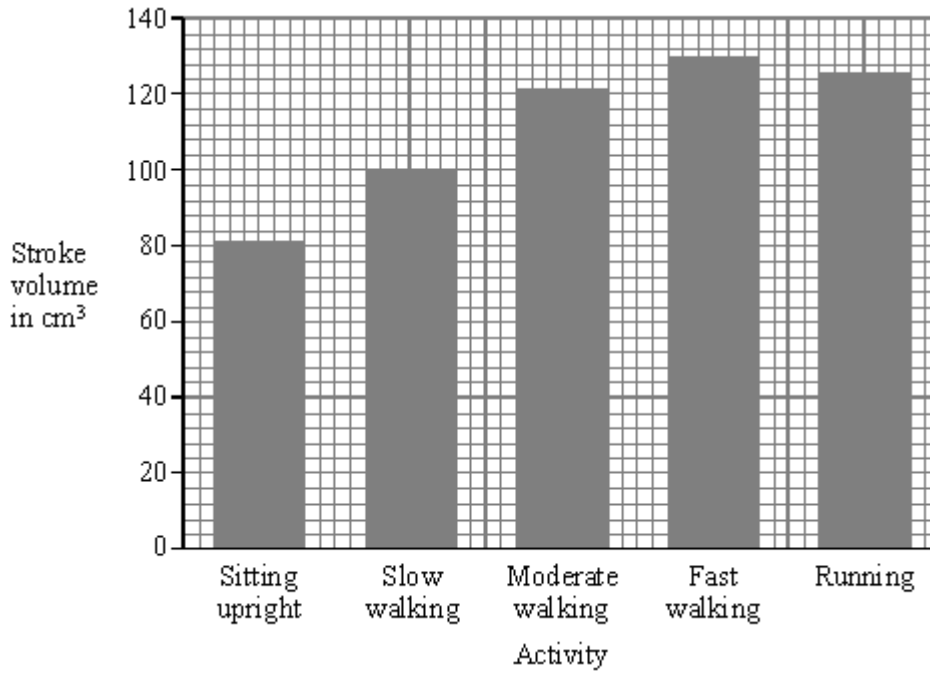
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Q39.

A person did five different activities in turn. These activities needed increasing amounts of energy. For each activity two measurements were made. These were the rate of contraction of the left ventricle and its stroke volume (the volume of blood pumped at each beat). From these measurements the cardiac volume was calculated.

Some of these results are shown in the table and the bar chart.

Activity	Rate of contraction of left ventricle in beats per minute	Cardiac output in cm ³ per minute
Sitting upright	68	5 500
Slow walking		8 000
Moderate walking	98	12 000
Fast walking	130	17 500
Running	150	19 000



(a) (i) Describe how a person can count the rate of beating of the left ventricle.

(1)

(ii) Calculate the rate of ventricle contraction in beats per minute when the person was walking slowly. Show clearly how you work out your final answer.

Rate of ventricle contraction _____ beats per minute.

(2)

(iii) The pattern of results for stroke volume shows an anomalous result when the person is running. In what way is it anomalous?

(1)

(iv) There was a change in cardiac output when the person's movement changed from fast walking to running. How did the heart produce this change?

(1)

(b) Over a period of time, regular exercise can strengthen the heart muscle. This

change in the heart muscle enables a person to run for longer before lactic acid build up occurs. Explain the reason for this.

(2)
(Total 7 marks)

Q40.

This question is about photosynthesis.

- (a) Plants make glucose during photosynthesis. Some of the glucose is changed into insoluble starch.

What happens to this starch?

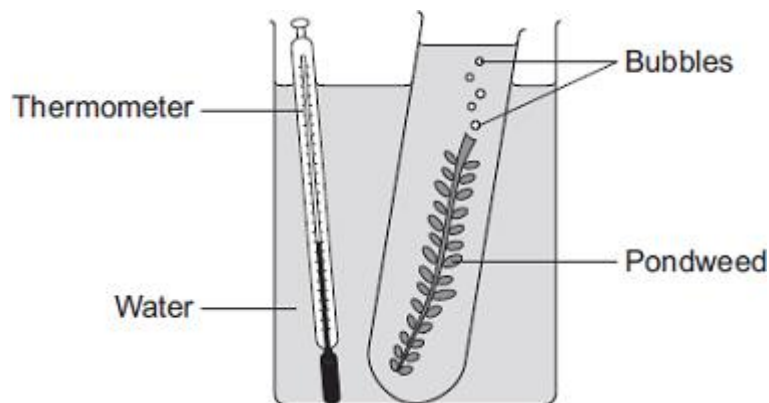
Tick (✓) **one** box.

- The starch is converted into oxygen.
- The starch is stored for use later.
- The starch is used to make the leaf green.

(1)

- (b) A student investigated the effect of temperature on the rate of photosynthesis in pondweed.

The diagram shows the way the experiment was set up.



- (i) The student needed to control some variables to make the investigation fair.

State **two** variables the student needed to control in this investigation.

1. _____

2. _____ (2)

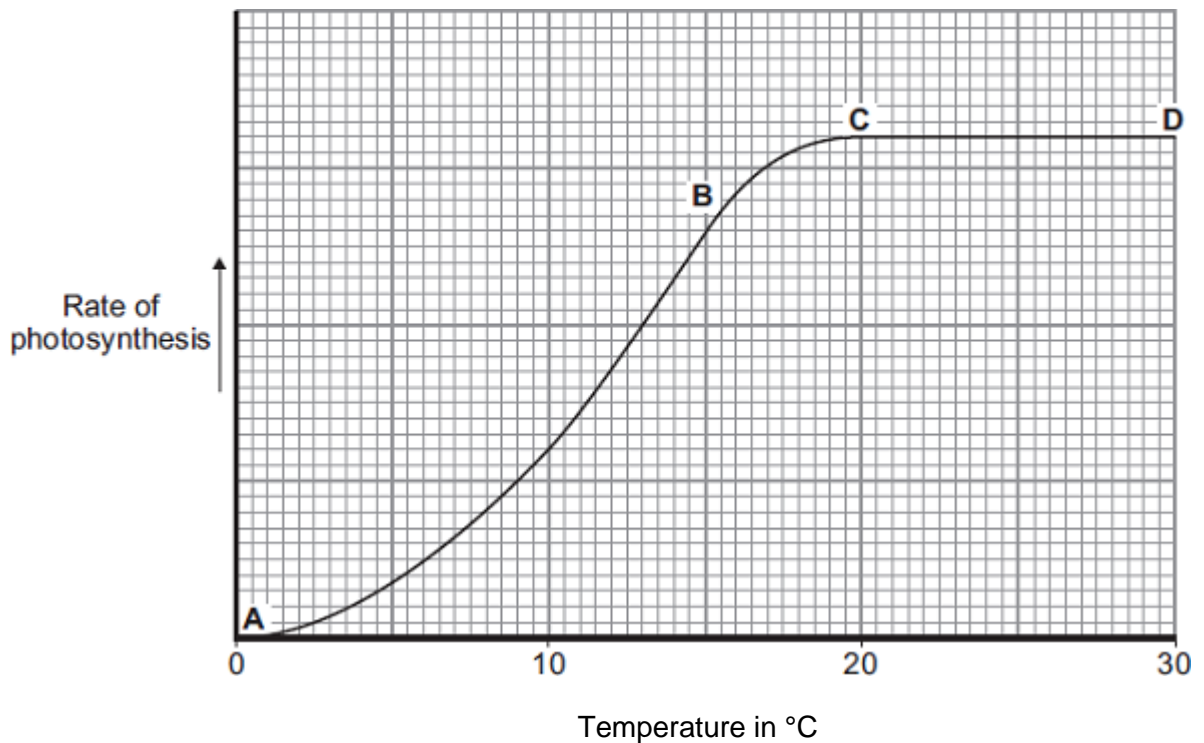
(ii) The bubbles of gas are only produced while photosynthesis is taking place.

What **two** measurements would the student make to calculate the rate of photosynthesis?

1. _____

2. _____ (2)

(c) The graph shows the effect of temperature on the rate of photosynthesis in the pondweed.



(i) Name the factor that limits the rate of photosynthesis between the points labelled **A** and **B** on the graph.

(1)

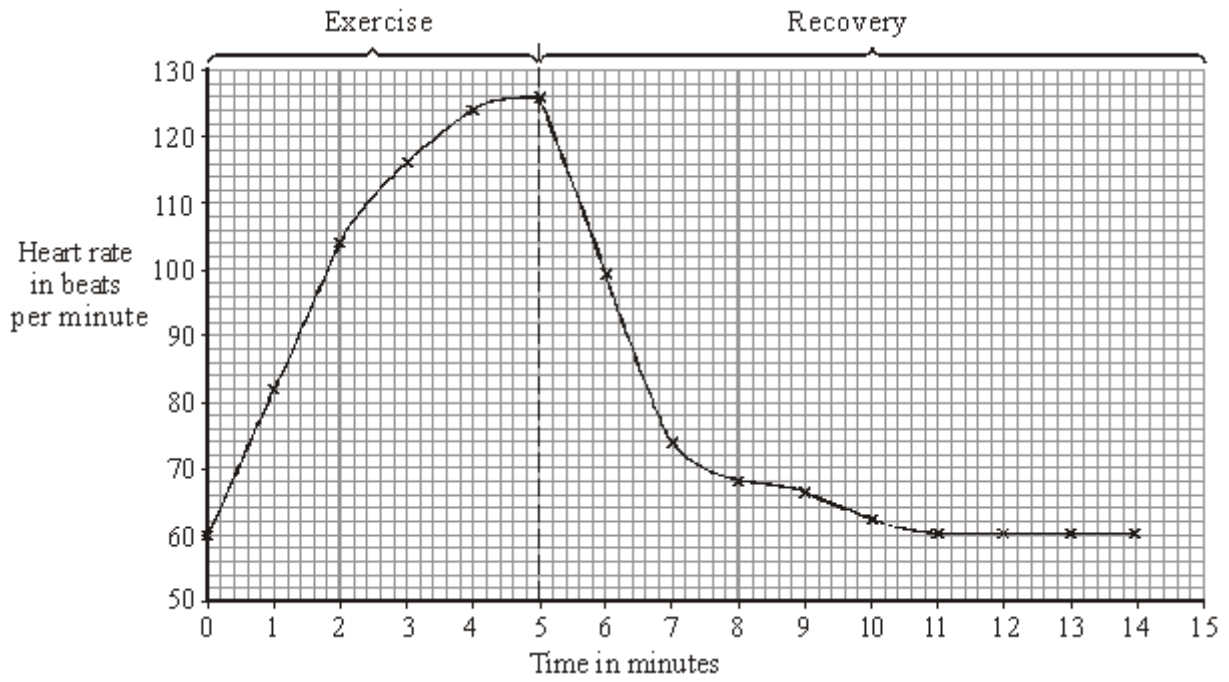
(ii) Suggest which factor, carbon dioxide, oxygen or water, might limit the rate of photosynthesis between the points labelled **C** and **D** on the graph.

(1)
(Total 7 marks)

Q41.

A student pedalled an exercise cycle at constant speed for 5 minutes. The student's heart rate was recorded at one-minute intervals during the exercise and also during recovery.

The results are shown in the graph.



- (a) Describe, in as much detail as you can, the changes in heart rate between 0 and 14 minutes.

(3)

- (b) How do arteries supplying the leg muscles alter the rate of blood flow through them during exercise?

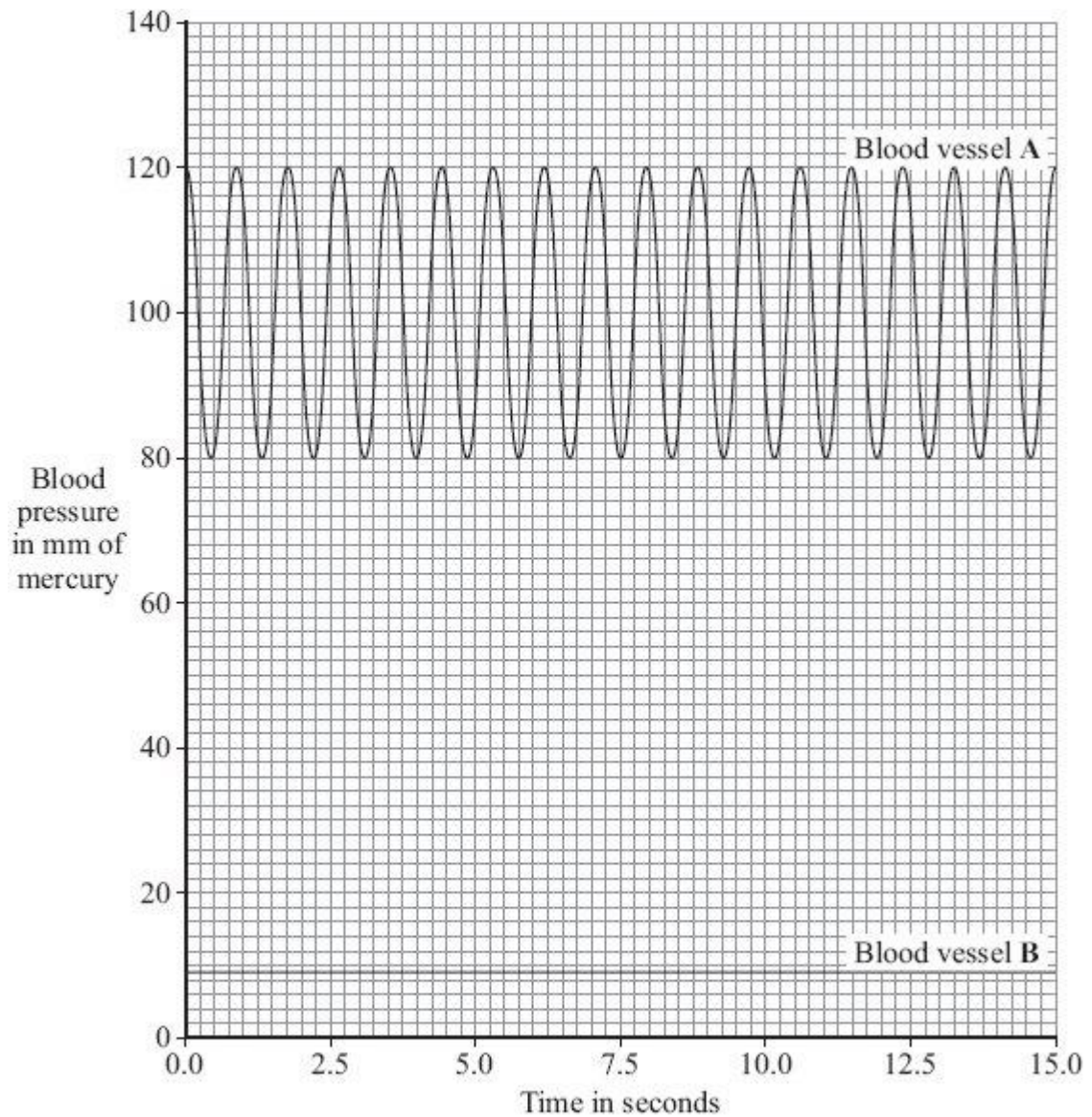
(1)

- (c) Explain how an increase in heart rate helped the student during exercise.

Q42.

The heart pumps blood around the body. This causes blood to leave the heart at high pressure.

The graph shows blood pressure measurements for a person at rest. The blood pressure was measured in an artery and in a vein.



(a) Which blood vessel, **A** or **B**, is the artery?

Blood vessel _____

Give **two** reasons for your answer.

Reason 1 _____

Reason 2 _____

_____ (2)

(b) Use information from the graph to answer these questions.

(i) How many times did the heart beat in 15 seconds? _____

(1)

(ii) Use your answer from part (b)(i) to calculate the person's heart rate per minute.

Heart rate = _____ beats per minute

(1)

(c) During exercise, the heart rate increases. This supplies useful substances to the muscles and removes waste materials from the muscles at a faster rate.

(i) Name **two** useful substances that must be supplied to the muscles at a faster rate during exercise.

1. _____

2. _____

(2)

(ii) Name **one** waste substance that must be removed from the muscles at a faster rate during exercise.

(1)

(Total 7 marks)

Q43.

The table shows the amounts of energy used in running and in walking at different speeds by people of different body masses.

Activity	Energy used in kilojoules per hour			
	34 kg person	50 kg person	70 kg person	90 kg person
Running, 9 km per hour	1530	1850	2770	3700
Running, 11 km per hour	2140	2560	3860	5120
Running, 16 km per hour	2980	3570	5380	7140
Walking, 3 km per hour	530	670	1010	1340
Walking, 5 km per hour	740	880	1340	1760

Walking, 7 km per hour	1030	1240	1850	2480
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(a) Describe **two** patterns you can see in the data.

1. _____

2. _____

(2)

(b) Our breathing rate is much higher when running than when walking.

Explain the advantage of this to the body.

(3)

(Total 5 marks)

Q44.

(a) (i) Complete the word equation for photosynthesis.

carbon dioxide + _____ (+ light energy) → glucose + _____

(2)

(ii) Most of the carbon dioxide that a plant uses during photosynthesis is absorbed from the air.

Give **one** other source of carbon dioxide for a plant.

Draw a ring around your answer.

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(1)

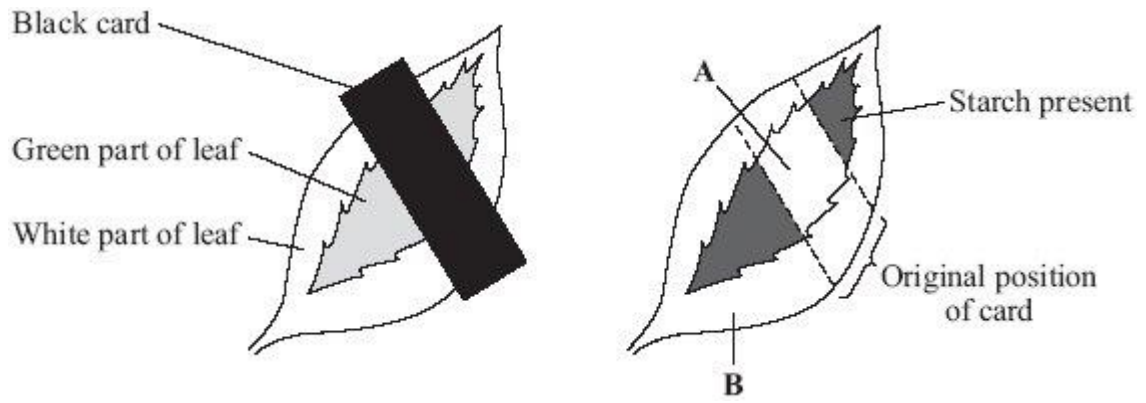
A student investigated the conditions that plants need for photosynthesis. The leaves of the plant he used had green and white parts.

Diagram 1 shows how part of one leaf was covered in black (opaque) card. The plant was placed in a warm, sunny area and was watered well. Eight hours later the leaf was removed from the plant and was tested for starch.

The results of the test are shown in **Diagram 2**, the shaded parts show where starch was present.

Diagram 1

Diagram 2



(b) Name the **two** independent variables in this investigation.

1. _____

2. _____

(2)

(c) Why was no starch found in:

(i) the part of the leaf labelled **A**

(1)

(ii) the part of the leaf labelled **B**?

(1)

(Total 7 marks)

Q45.

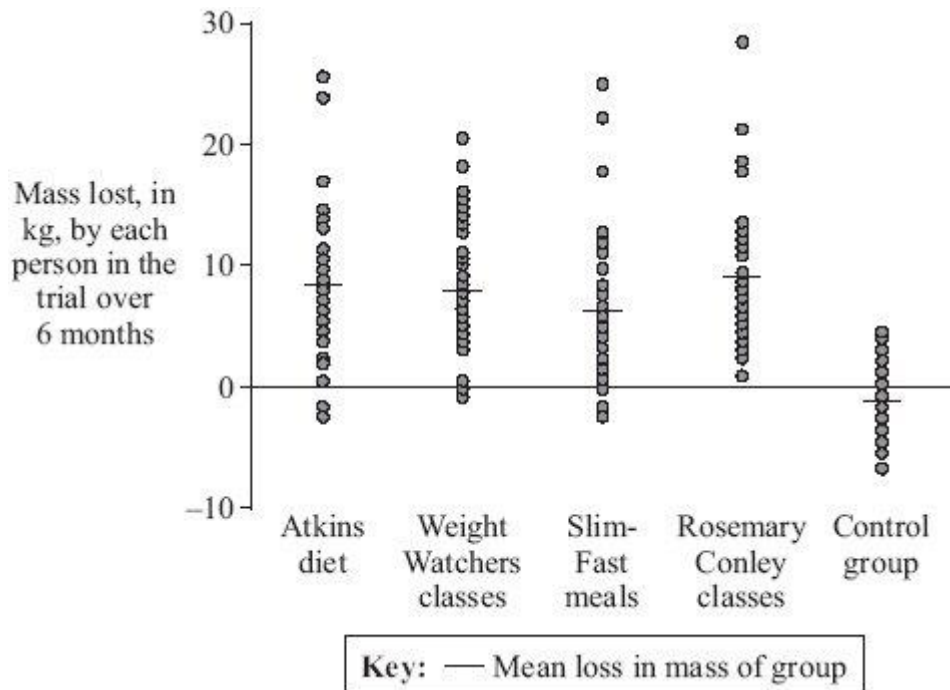
Many people who are overweight try slimming programmes.

A research study evaluated four different slimming programmes over 6 months.

Scientists selected a group of 40 people for each slimming programme and a control group.

Each of the five groups was matched for age, gender and mass.

The graph shows the results of the study.



Adapted from British Medical Journal, 2006, volume 332, pages 1309 –1314.

(a) Give **two** control variables that were used in this study.

1. _____
2. _____

(2)

(b) Give **two** conclusions that can be drawn from the results of this study.

1. _____
- _____
2. _____
- _____

(2)

(c) The costs of the four programmes were:

- Atkins book cost £3
- Rosemary Conley classes cost £140 for 6 months
- Weight Watchers classes cost £170 for 6 months
- Twice-daily Slim-Fast meal replacements cost £240 for 6 months.

Use this information and the graph to answer this question.

Which is the most cost effective of the four programmes?

Explain the reason for your answer.

(2)

(d) Some slimming programmes include daily exercise.

Explain how daily exercise helps a person to lose mass.

(2)

(Total 8 marks)

Q46.

This question is about photosynthesis.

(a) Plants make glucose during photosynthesis. Some of the glucose is changed into insoluble starch.

What happens to this starch?

Tick (✓) **one** box.

The starch is converted into oxygen.

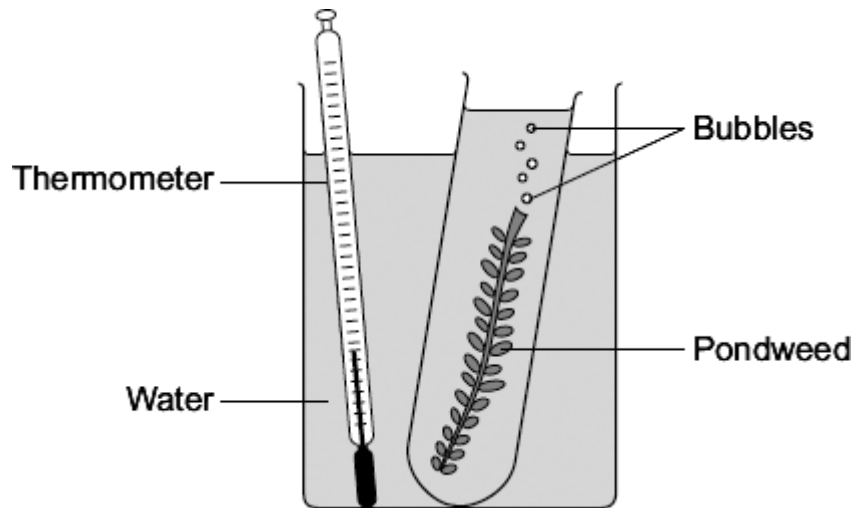
The starch is stored for later use.

The starch is used to make the leaf green.

(1)

(b) A student investigated the effect of temperature on the rate of photosynthesis in pondweed.

The diagram shows the way the experiment was set up.



- (i) The student needed to control some variables to make the investigation fair. State **two** of these variables.

1. _____
 2. _____

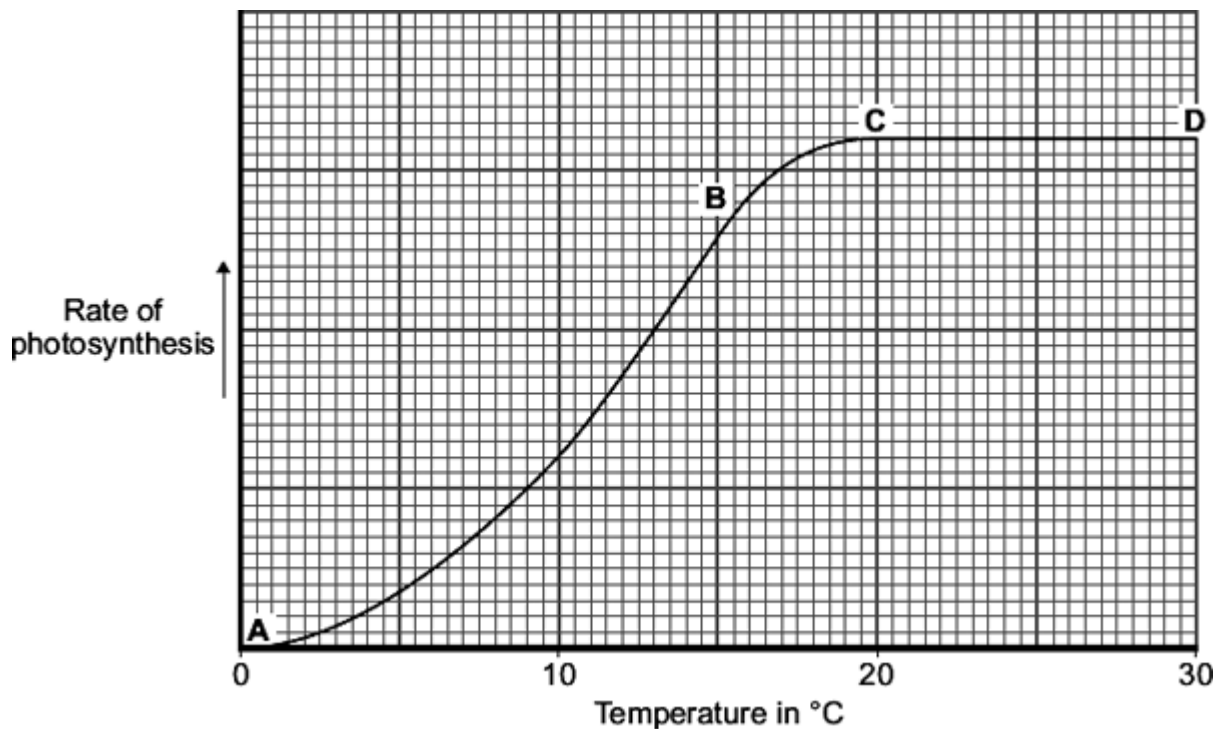
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- (ii) The bubbles of gas are produced only while photosynthesis is taking place. What **two** measurements would the student make to calculate the rate of photosynthesis?

1. _____
 2. _____

(2)

- (c) The graph shows the effect of temperature on the rate of photosynthesis.



- (i) Name the factor that limits the rate of photosynthesis between the points labelled **A** and **B** on the graph.

(1)

- (ii) Suggest which factor, carbon dioxide, oxygen or water, might limit the rate of photosynthesis between the points labelled **C** and **D** on the graph.

(1)

(Total 7 marks)

Q47.

The table shows the volume of blood flowing through different organs at three levels of exercise.

Organ(s)	Volume of blood flowing through organ(s) in cm ³ per minute		
	Light exercise	Moderate exercise	Heavy exercise
Gut	1 100	600	300
Kidneys	900	600	250
Brain	750	750	750
Heart muscles	350	750	1 000
Skeletal muscles	4 500	12 500	22 000
Skin	1 500	1 900	600
Other	400	500	100
Total	9 500	17 600	25 000

- (a) (i) Which organ has a constant flow of blood through it?

(1)

- (ii) Which organ has the greatest reduction in the volume of blood supplied during heavy exercise compared with light exercise?

(1)

- (iii) What proportion of the blood flows through the heart muscle during heavy exercise?

(1)

- (b) The volume of blood flowing through the skeletal muscles increases greatly during exercise.

Give **two** ways in which the body brings about this increase.

1. _____

2. _____

(2)

- (c) During exercise, the concentration of carbon dioxide in the blood increases.

Explain what causes this increase.

(3)

(Total 8 marks)

Q48.

- (a) The table shows the effect of exercise on the action of one person's heart.

	At rest	During exercise
Heart rate in beats per minute	72	165
Volume of blood leaving the heart in each beat in cm ³	75	120
Heart output in cm ³ per minute	5400	

- (i) Calculate the heart output for this person during exercise.

Show clearly how you work out your answer.

Answer = _____ cm³ per minute

(2)

(ii) During exercise, more oxygen is carried to the working muscles.

Explain why this is helpful during exercise.

(2)

(b) Give **two** other changes in the body that help to increase the amount of oxygen delivered to the working muscles during exercise.

1. _____

2. _____

(2)

(Total 6 marks)

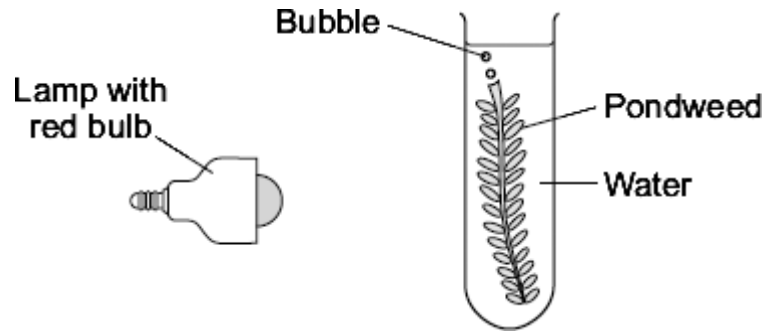
Q49.

A group of pupils investigated the way in which the colour of light affects photosynthesis.

The pupils:

- put a piece of pondweed into a test tube of water
- shone light from a lamp with a red light bulb onto the pondweed
- counted the bubbles of gas produced by the pondweed every minute for three minutes.

The diagram shows the experiment.



The pupils repeated their experiment using a yellow light bulb, a green light bulb and a blue light bulb.

- (a) (i) What was the independent variable in the investigation?

_____ (1)

- (ii) To make the investigation fair the pupils needed to control some variables.

Suggest **one** variable that the pupils should have controlled during their investigation.

_____ (1)

- (iii) It is better to count the bubbles every minute for three minutes than to count all the bubbles in three minutes.

Why?

 _____ (1)

- (b) The table shows the pupils' results.

Colour of bulb	Number of bubbles produced in one minute			
	1st minute	2nd minute	3rd minute	Mean
Red	24	19	21	21
Yellow	18	14	15	16
Green	6	4	3	4
Blue	32	34	32	33

Algae are tiny organisms that photosynthesise.
 In natural light algae grow very quickly on the sides of a fish tank.
 The algae make it difficult to see the fish.

- (i) What would be the best colour of light bulb to illuminate the fish tank to reduce the growth of algae?

Use the results in the table to help you to decide.

Draw a ring around **one** answer.

red

yellow

green

blue

(1)

- (ii) Explain why the colour you have chosen is the best.

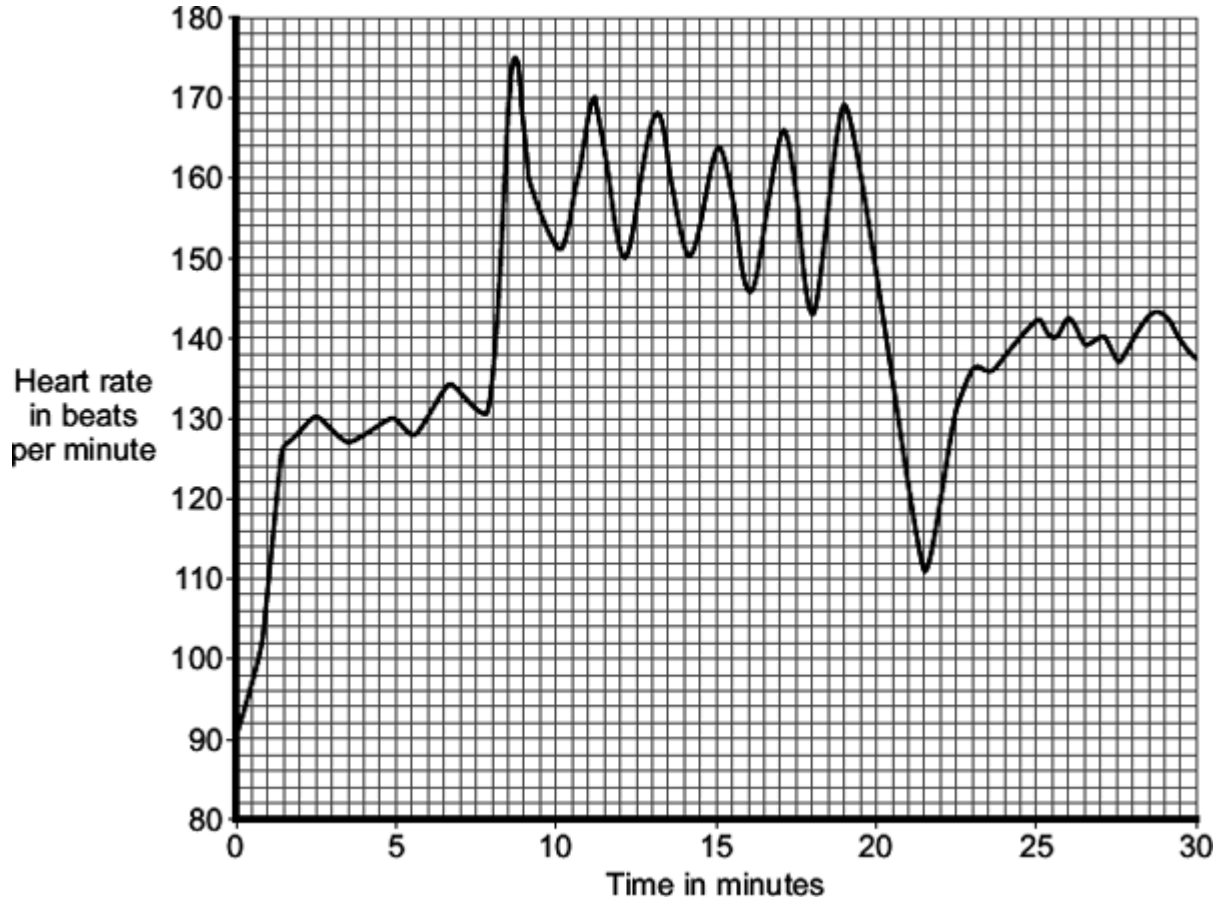
(2)

(Total 6 marks)

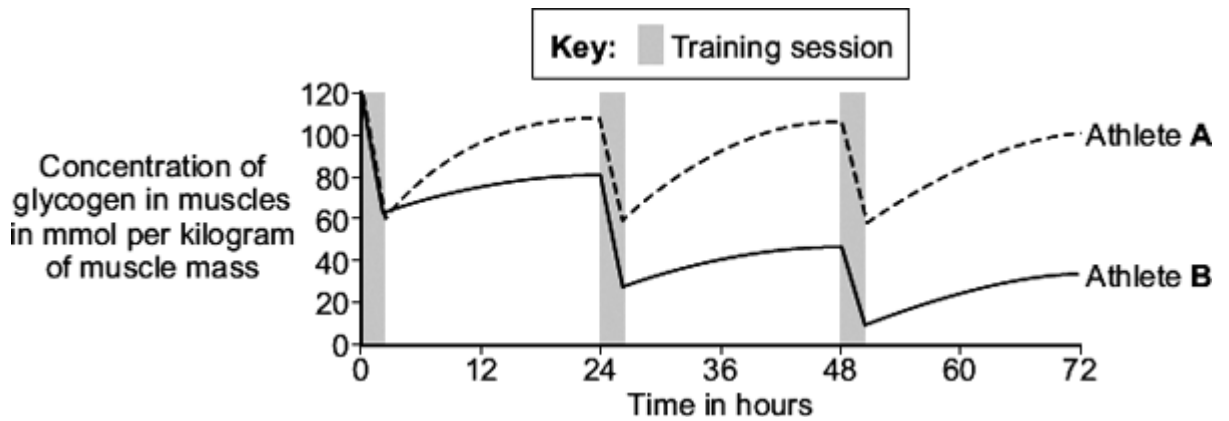
Q50.

One type of training exercise involves alternating periods of walking and running.

The graph shows how an athlete's heart rate changed during one 30-minute training session.



- (a) (i) The athlete ran 6 times during the 30-minute training session.



(a) (i) Give **three** variables that the scientists controlled in this investigation.

(3)

(ii) Suggest **two** variables that would be difficult to control in this investigation.

(2)

(iii) Describe **one** way in which the results of Athlete **B** were different from the results of Athlete **A**.

(1)

(b) Both athletes were training to run a marathon.

Which athlete, **A** or **B**, would be more likely to complete the marathon?

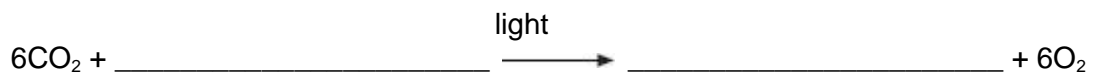
Use information from the graph to explain your answer.

(4)
(Total 10 marks)

Q52.

Photosynthesis needs light.

- (a) Complete the **balanced symbol** equation for photosynthesis.



(2)

- (b) A green chemical indicator shows changes in the concentration of carbon dioxide (CO₂) in a solution.

The indicator solution is **green** when the concentration of CO₂ is normal.

The indicator solution turns **yellow** when the concentration of CO₂ is high.





The indicator solution turns **blue** when the concentration of CO₂ is very low or when there is no CO₂.

The indicator solution does not harm aquatic organisms.

Students investigated the balance of respiration and photosynthesis using an aquatic snail and some pondweed.

The students set up four tubes, **A**, **B**, **C** and **D**, as shown in the table below.

The colour change in each tube, after 24 hours in the light, is recorded.

Tube A	Tube B	Tube C	Tube D
			
Indicator solution only	Indicator solution + pondweed	Indicator solution + snail	Indicator solution + pondweed

			+ snail
Stays green	Turns blue	Turns yellow	Stays green

(i) What is the purpose of **Tube A**?

(1)

(ii) Explain why the indicator solution in **Tube C** turns yellow.

(2)

(iii) Predict the result for **Tube D** if it had been placed in the dark for 24 hours and **not** in the light.

Explain your prediction.

Prediction _____

Explanation _____

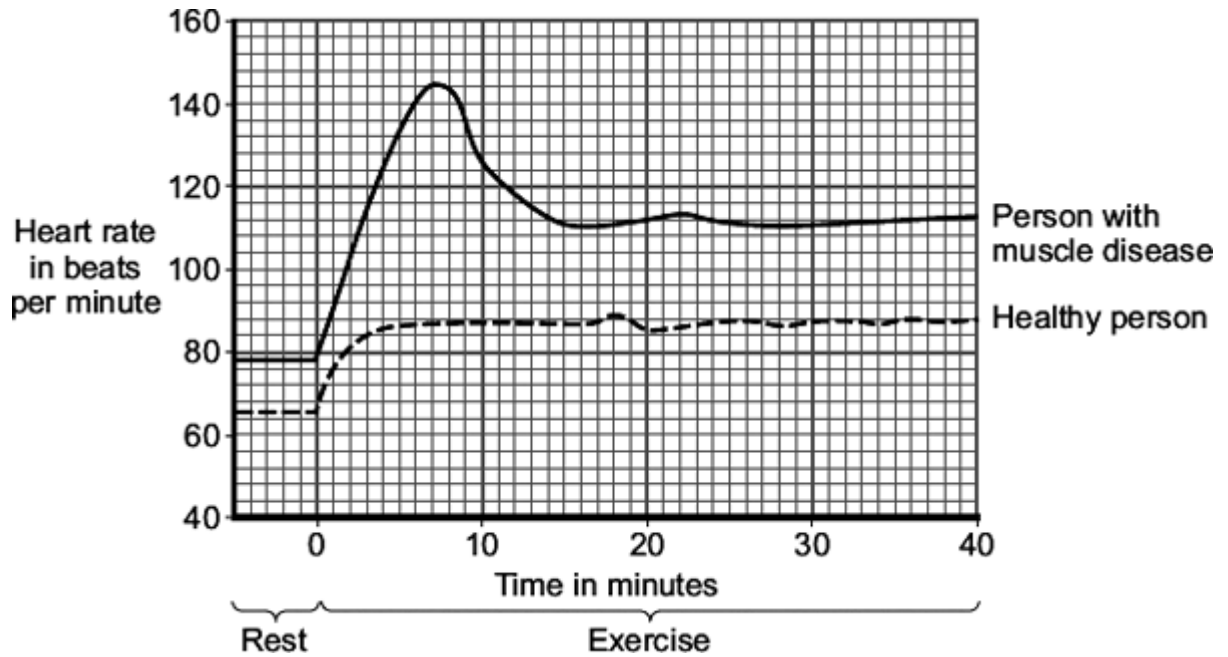
(3)

(Total 8 marks)

Q53.

Two people did the same amount of gentle exercise on an exercise cycle. One person had a muscle disease and the other had healthy muscles.

The graph shows the effect of the exercise on the heart rates of these two people.



- (a) Describe **three** ways in which the results for the person with the muscle disease are different from the results for the healthy person.

To gain full marks in this question you need to include data from the graph in your answer.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

(3)

- (b) The blood transports glucose to the muscles at a faster rate during exercise than when a person is at rest.

- (i) Name **one** other substance that the blood transports to the muscles at a faster rate during exercise.

(1)

- (ii) People with the muscle disease are not able to store glycogen in their muscles.

The results shown in the graph for the person with the muscle disease are different from the results for the healthy person.

Suggest an explanation for the difference in the results.

(3)
(Total 7 marks)

Q54.

Plants absorb light to photosynthesise.

- (a) What is the correct word equation for photosynthesis?

Tick **one** box.

carbon dioxide + glucose \longrightarrow oxygen + water

glucose + oxygen \longrightarrow carbon dioxide + water

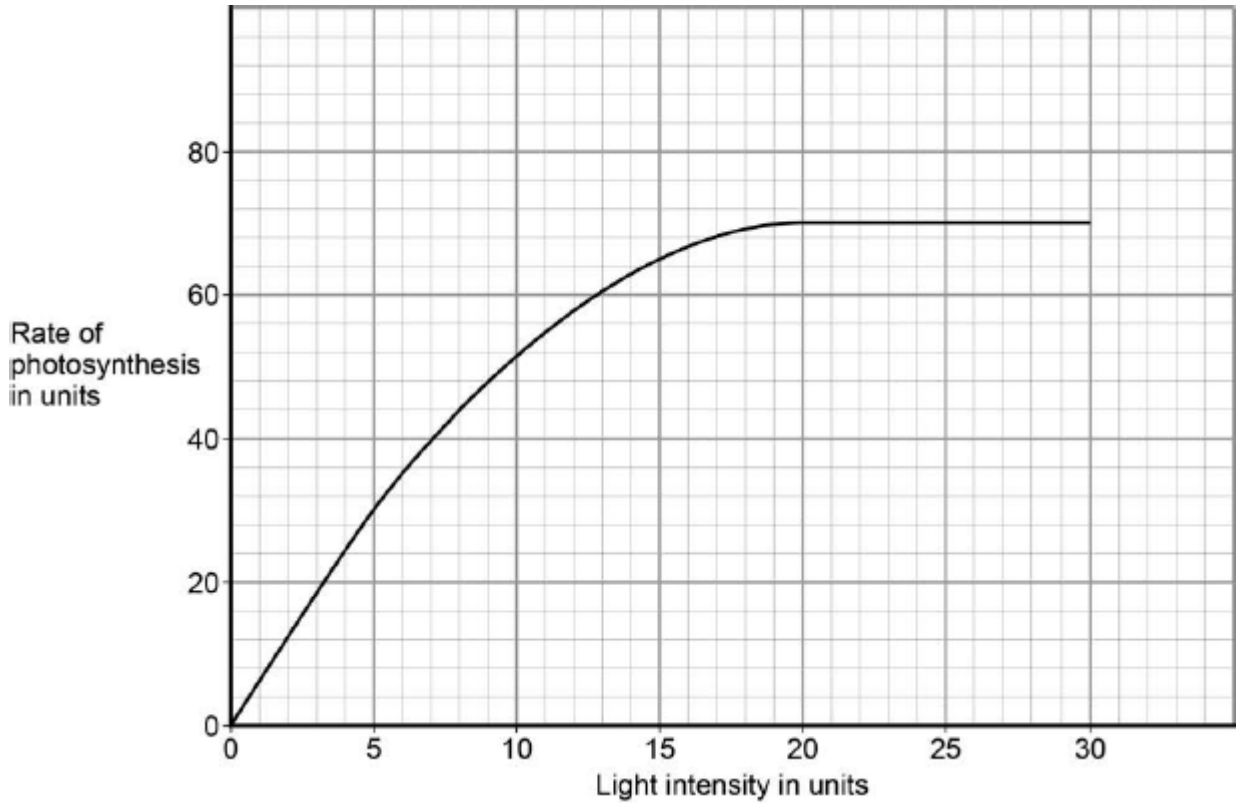
oxygen + water \longrightarrow carbon dioxide + glucose

water + carbon dioxide \longrightarrow oxygen + glucose

(1)

- (b) **Figure 1** shows some of the apparatus that can be used to measure the rate of photosynthesis.

Figure 1



The scientist said:

‘Light stops being a limiting factor at a light intensity of 20 units.’

Give evidence from **Figure 2** to support this statement.

(1)

(d) What could be limiting the rate of photosynthesis at a light intensity of 25 units?

Give **one** factor.

(1)

(Total 9 marks)

Q55.

One factor that may affect body mass is *metabolic rate*.

(a) (i) What is meant by *metabolic rate* ?

(1)

(ii) Metabolic rate is affected by the amount of activity a person does.

Give **two** other factors that may affect a person’s metabolic rate.

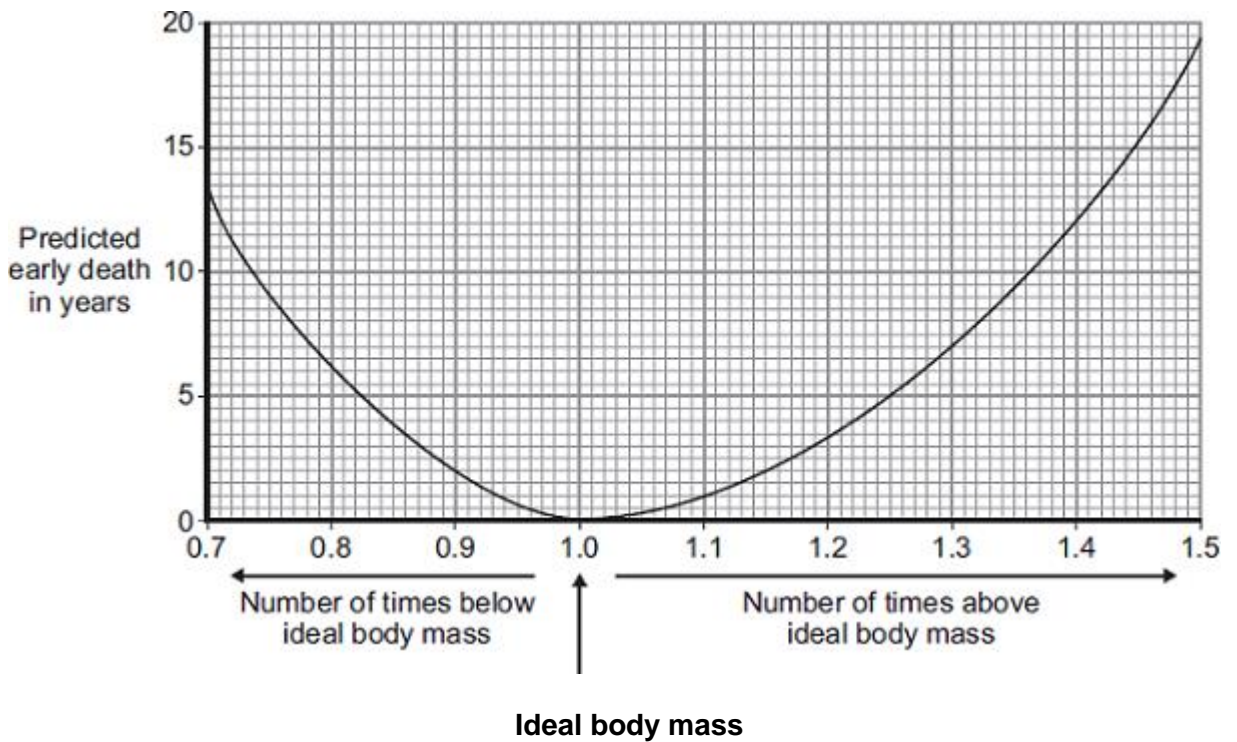
1. _____
- _____
2. _____
- _____

(2)

- (b) Predicted early death is the number of years that a person will die before the mean age of death for the whole population. The predicted early death of a person is affected by their body mass.

Scientists have calculated the effect of body mass on predicted early death.

The graph shows the results of the scientists' calculations.



The number of times above or below ideal body mass is given by the equation:

$$\frac{\text{Actual body mass}}{\text{Ideal body mass}}$$

In the UK the mean age of death for women is 82.

A woman has a body mass of 70 kg. The woman's ideal body mass is 56 kg.

- (i) Use the information from the graph to predict the age of this woman when she dies.

Age at death = _____ years

(2)

- (ii) The woman could live longer by changing her lifestyle.

Give **two** changes she should make.

1. _____

2. _____

(2)
(Total 7 marks)

Q56.

Freshwater streams may have different levels of pollution. The level of pollution affects which species of invertebrate will live in the water.

Table 1 shows the biomass of different invertebrate species found in two different streams, **X** and **Y**.

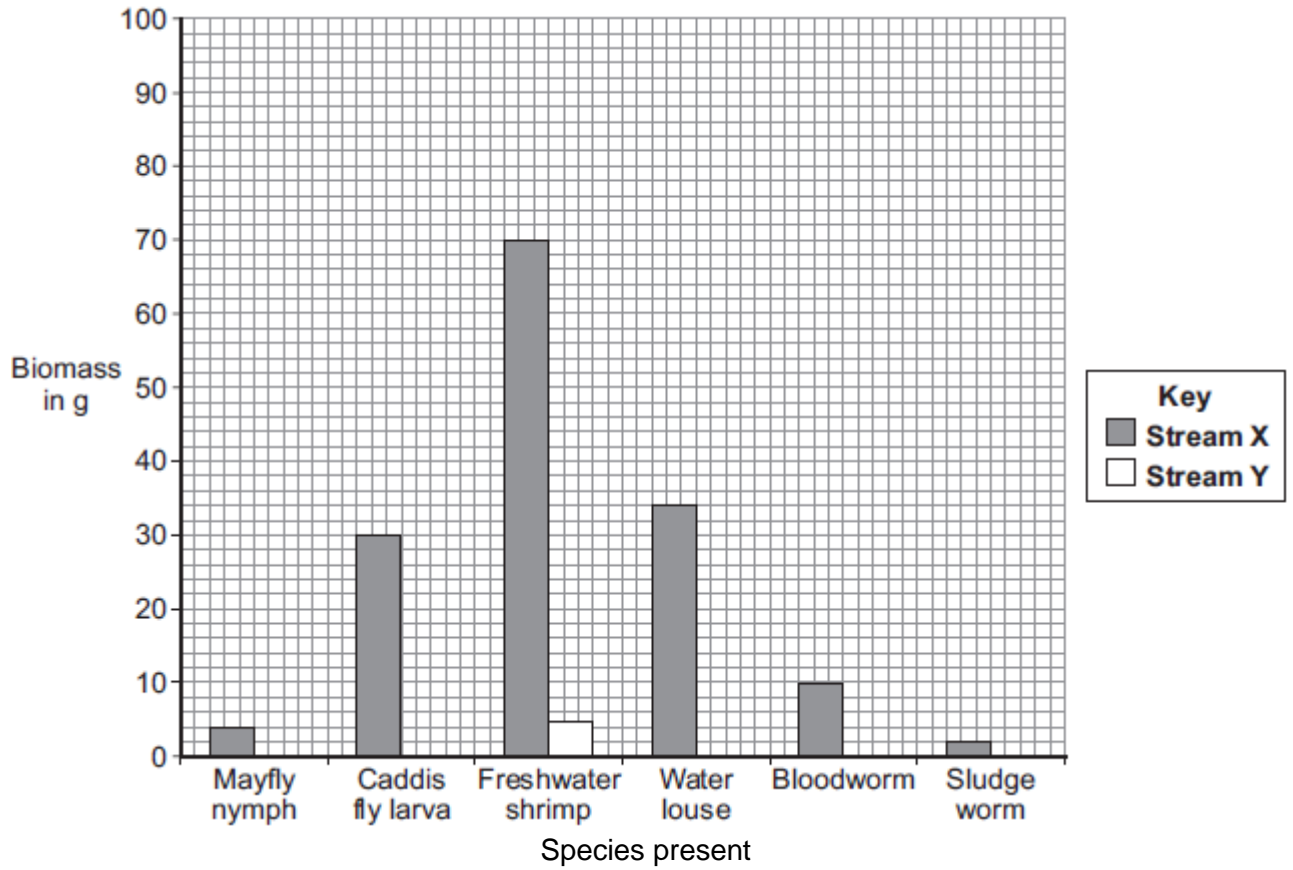
Table 1

Invertebrate species	Biomass in g	
	Stream X	Stream Y
Mayfly nymph	4	0
Caddis fly larva	30	0
Freshwater shrimp	70	5
Water louse	34	10
Bloodworm	10	45
Sludge worm	2	90
Total	150	150

- (a) The bar chart below shows the biomass of invertebrate species found in **Stream X**.

- (i) Complete the bar chart by drawing the bars for water louse, bloodworm and sludge worm in **Stream Y**.

Use the data in **Table 1**.



(2)

(ii) **Table 2** shows which invertebrates can live in different levels of water pollution.

Table 2

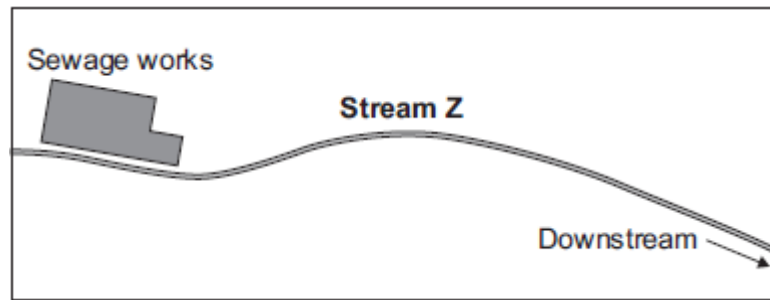
Pollution level	Invertebrate species likely to be present
Clean water	Mayfly nymph
Low pollution	Caddis fly larva, Freshwater shrimp
Medium pollution	Water louse, Bloodworm
High pollution	Sludge worm

Which stream, **X** or **Y**, is more polluted?

Use the information from **Table 1** and **Table 2** to justify your answer.

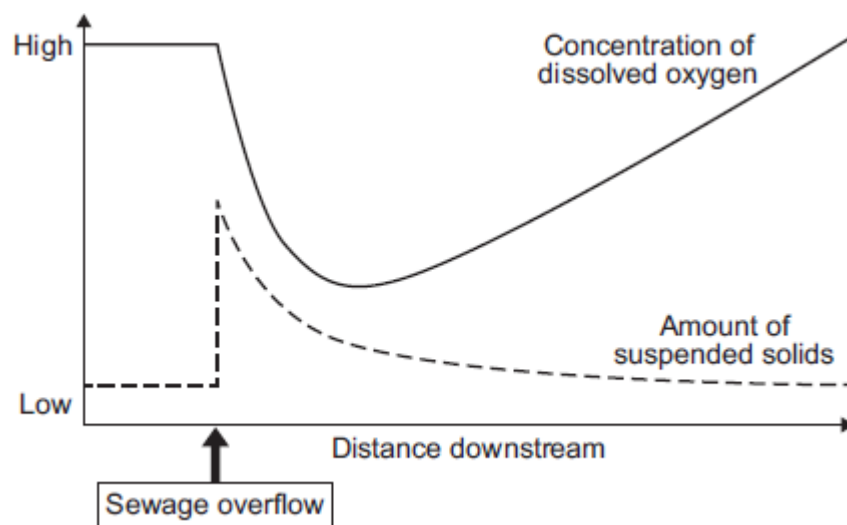
(2)

(b) There is a sewage works near another stream, **Z**.

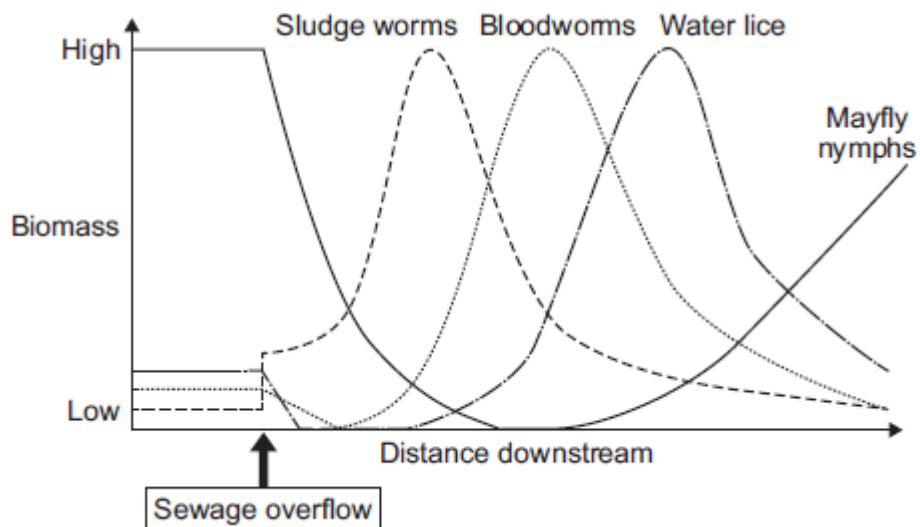


An accident caused sewage to overflow into **Stream Z**. Two weeks later scientists took samples of water and invertebrates from the stream. They took samples at different distances downstream from where the sewage overflowed. The scientists plotted the results shown in **Graphs P** and **Q**.

Graph P: change in water quality downstream of sewage overflow



Graph Q: change in invertebrates found downstream of sewage overflow



(i) Describe the patterns shown in **Graph P**.

(4)

- (ii) Describe the relationship between dissolved oxygen and the survival of mayfly nymphs in **Stream Z**. Suggest a reason for the pattern you have described.

(3)

- (c) Many microorganisms are present in the sewage overflow.

Explain why microorganisms cause the level of oxygen in the water to decrease.

(2)

(Total 13 marks)

Q57.

- (a) Use words from the box to complete the equation for aerobic respiration.

alcohol	glucose	lactic acid	water
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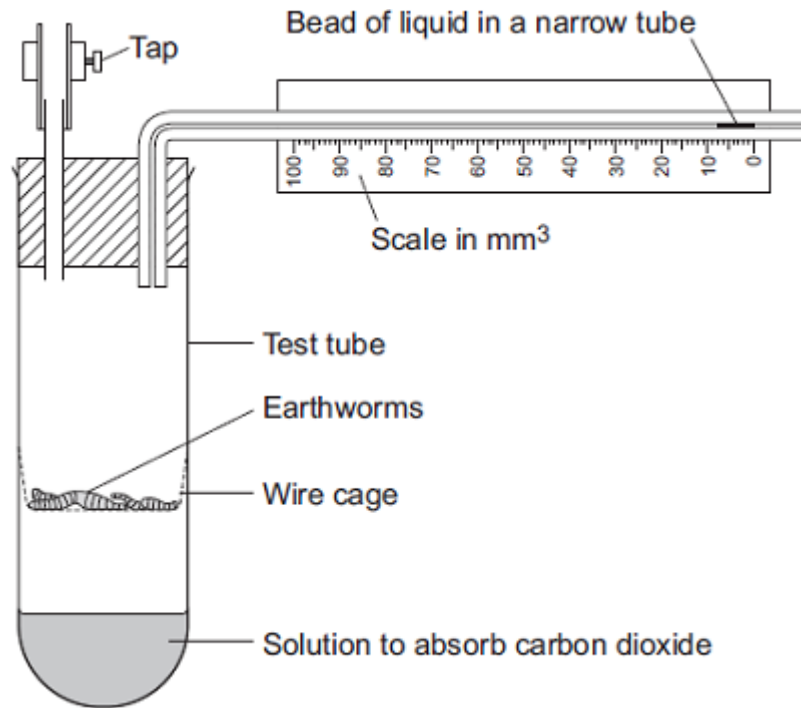
_____ + oxygen \longrightarrow carbon dioxide + _____ (+ energy)

(2)

- (b) Some students investigated the effect of temperature on the rate of aerobic respiration in earthworms.

The diagram shows the apparatus the students used.

When the tap is closed, the bead of liquid moves to the left as the earthworms take in oxygen.



The students put the test tube into a water bath at 20°C for 10 minutes. They left the tap open during this time.

Why did the students put the test tube in the water bath at 20°C for 10 minutes?

Tick (✓) **one** box.

Because the air contains more oxygen at 20°C.

Because the air contains less carbon dioxide at 20°C.

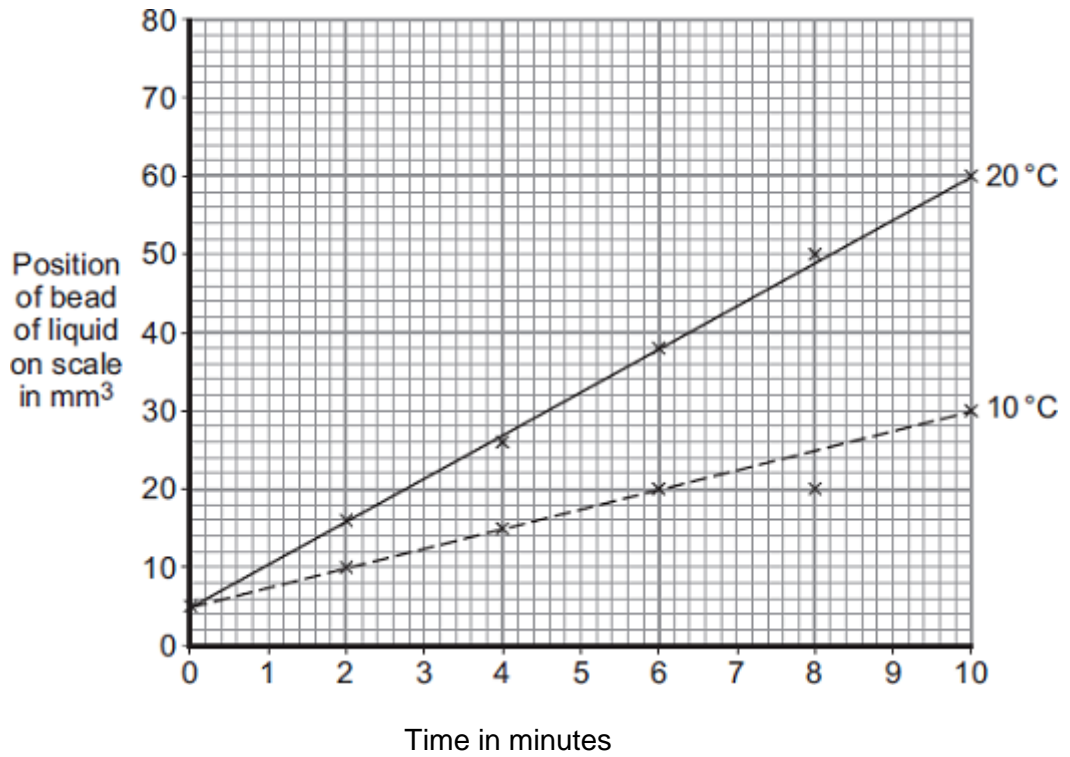
So the earthworms' body temperature would change to 20°C.

(1)

(c) The students then:

- closed the tap
- started a stopwatch
- recorded the position of the bead of liquid every 2 minutes for 10 minutes
- repeated the experiment at 10°C.

The graph shows the students' results.



- (i) How much oxygen did the earthworms take in during the 10 minutes at 20°C?
Use information from the graph to work out your answer.

Volume of oxygen taken in = _____ mm³

(2)

- (ii) The earthworms took in this volume of oxygen in 10 minutes.

Use your answer from part (c)(i) to calculate how much oxygen the earthworms took in each minute.

Volume of oxygen taken in = _____ mm³ per minute

(1)

- (iii) The earthworms took in less oxygen each minute at 10°C than they took in at 20°C.

Explain why.

(2)

(d) When drawing the line on the graph for the experiment at 10°C, the students ignored the reading at 8 minutes.

(i) Suggest why they ignored the reading at 8 minutes.

(1)

(ii) One student suggested they should repeat the experiment twice more at each temperature.

How would repeating the experiment improve the investigation?

(1)

(Total 10 marks)

Q58.

Students used quadrats to estimate the population of dandelion plants on a field.

(a) Describe how quadrats should be used to estimate the number of dandelion plants in a field.

(4)

(b) The field measured 40 m by 145 m.

The students used 0.25 m² quadrats.

The students found a mean of 0.42 dandelions per quadrat.

Estimate the population of dandelions on the field.

Estimated population of dandelions = _____

(2)

- (c) In one area of the field there is a lot of grass growing in the same area as dandelions.

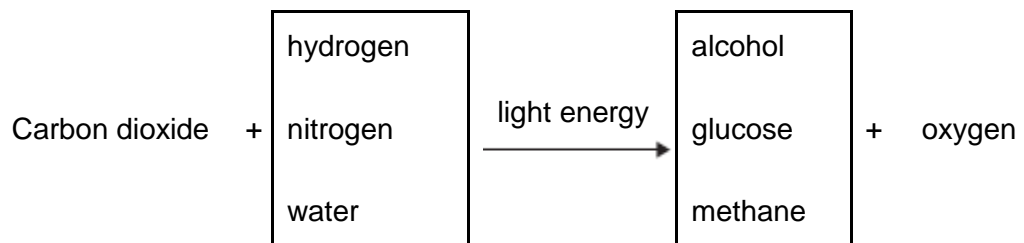
Suggest why the dandelions may **not** grow well in this area.

(4)

(Total 10 marks)

Q59.

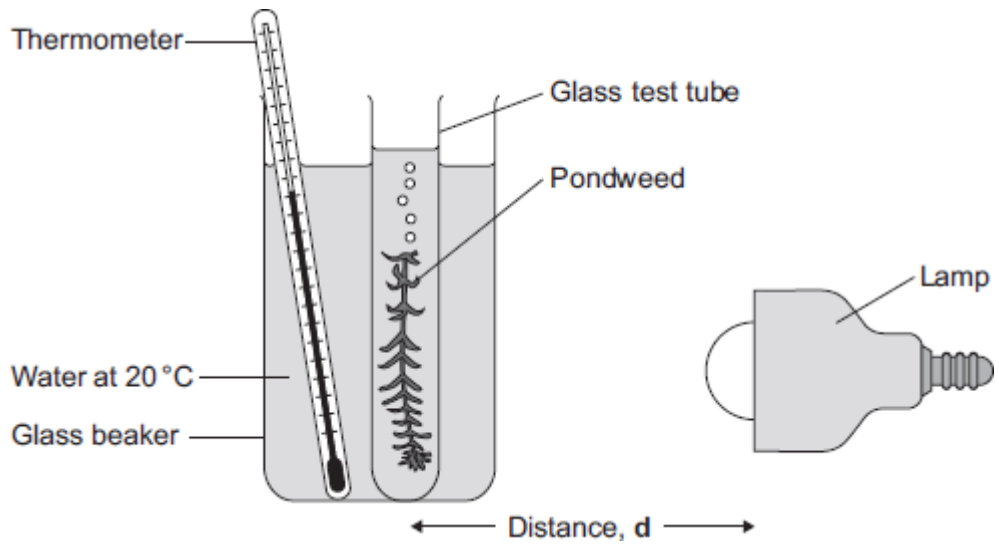
- (a) Complete the equation for photosynthesis. Draw a ring around each correct answer.



(2)

Some students investigated the effect of light intensity on the rate of photosynthesis in pondweed.

The diagram shows the apparatus the students used.



The closer the lamp is to the pondweed, the more light the pondweed receives.

The students placed the lamp at different distances, d , from the pondweed.

They counted the number of bubbles of gas released from the pondweed in 1 minute for each distance.

- (b) A thermometer was placed in the glass beaker.

Why was it important to use a thermometer in this investigation?

(3)

- (c) The students counted the bubbles four times at each distance and calculated the correct mean value of their results.

The table shows the students' results.

Distance d in cm	Number of bubbles per minute				
	1	2	3	4	Mean
10	52	52	54	54	53
20	49	51	48	52	50
30	32	30	27	31	30
40	30	10	9	11	

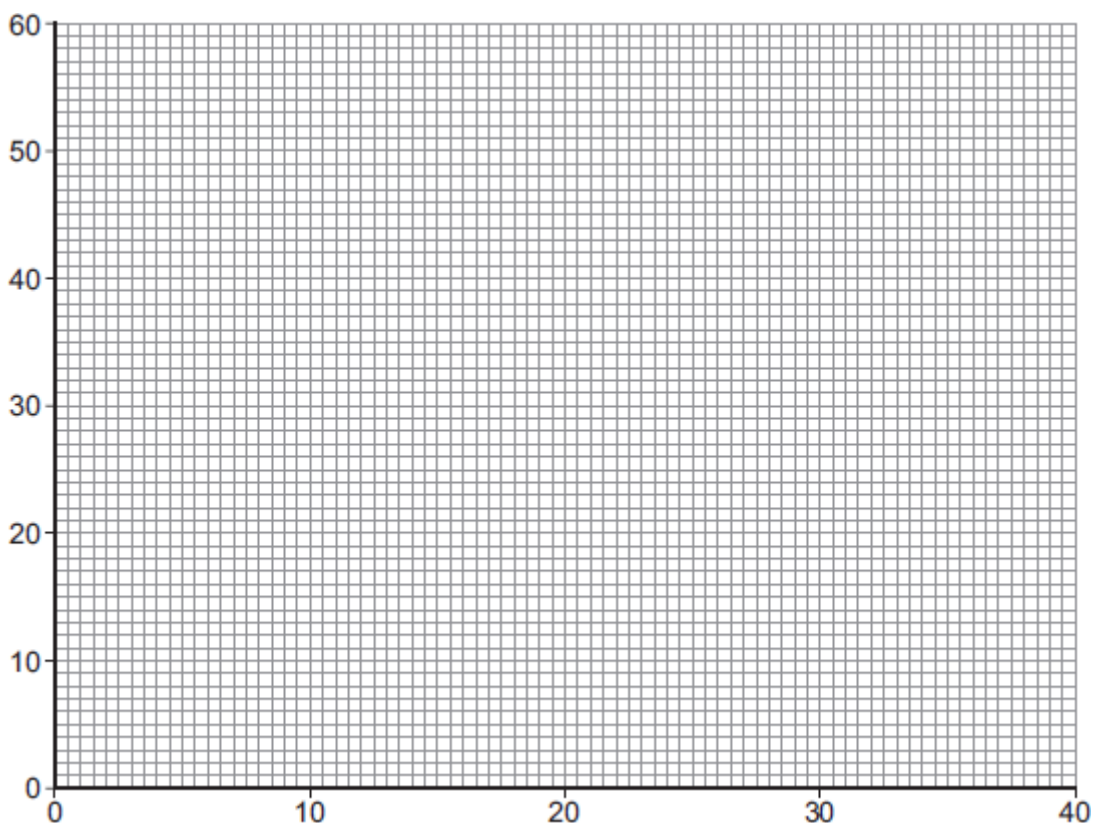
- (i) Calculate the mean number of bubbles released per minute when the lamp was 40 cm from the pondweed.

Mean number of bubbles at 40 cm = _____

(2)

- (ii) On the graph paper below, draw a graph to show the students' results:

- add a label to the vertical axis
- plot the **mean values** of the number of bubbles
- draw a line of best fit.



Distance **d** in cm

(4)

- (iii) One student concluded that the rate of photosynthesis was inversely proportional to the distance of the lamp from the plant.

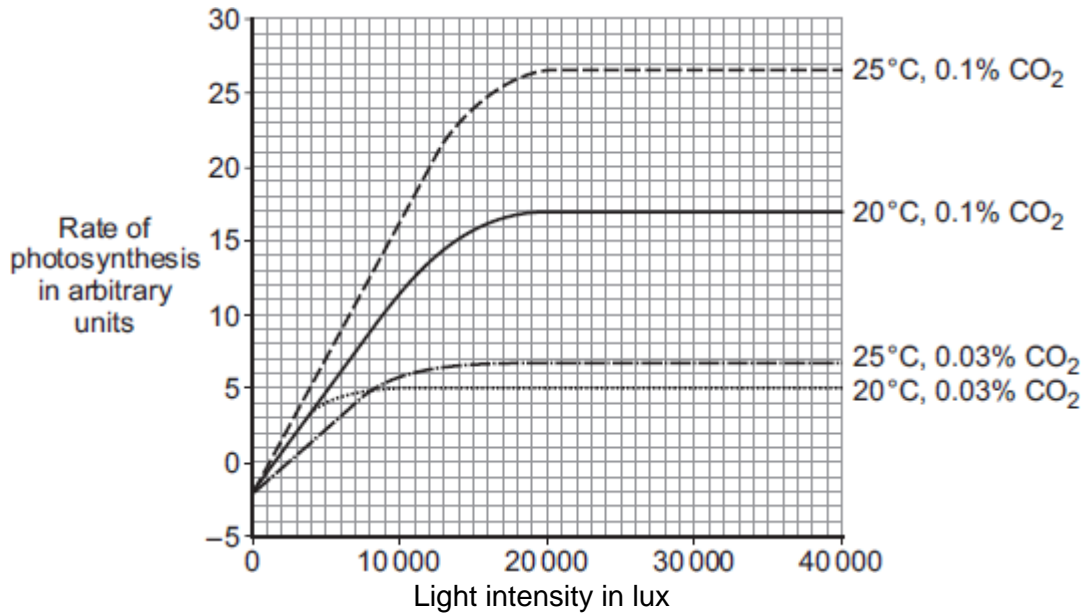
Does the data support this conclusion?

Explain your answer.

- (d) Light intensity, temperature and concentration of carbon dioxide are factors that affect the rate of photosynthesis.

Scientists investigated the effects of these three factors on the rate of photosynthesis in tomato plants growing in a greenhouse.

The graph below shows the scientists' results.



A farmer in the UK wants to grow tomatoes commercially in a greenhouse.

The farmer read about the scientists' investigation.

During the growing season for tomatoes in the UK, natural daylight has an intensity higher than 30 000 lux.

The farmer therefore decided to use the following conditions in his greenhouse during the day:

- 20°C
- 0.1% CO₂
- no extra lighting.

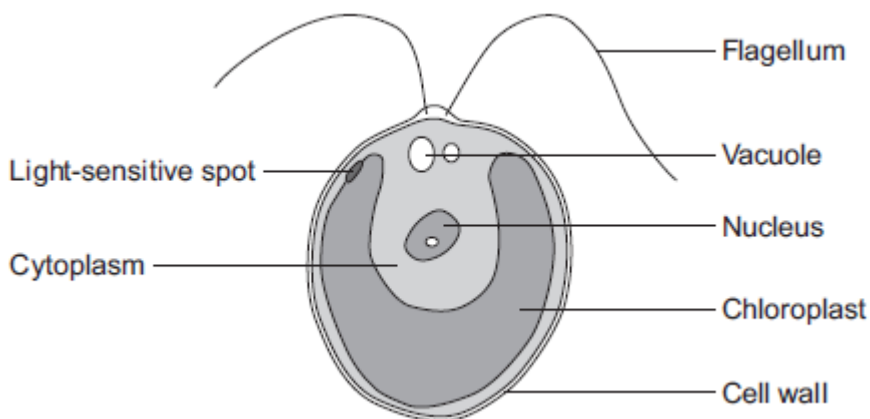
Suggest why the farmer decided to use these conditions for growing the tomatoes.

You should use information from the scientists' graph in your answer.

(4)
(Total 17 marks)

Q60.

The diagram below shows a single-celled alga which lives in fresh water.



(a) Which part of the cell labelled above:

(i) traps light for photosynthesis

(1)

(ii) is made of cellulose?

(1)

(b) In the freshwater environment water enters the algal cell.

(i) What is the name of the process by which water moves into cells?

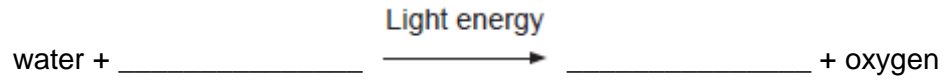
(1)

(ii) Give the reason why the algal cell does not burst.

(1)

(c) (i) The alga can photosynthesise.

Complete the **word** equation for photosynthesis.



(2)

(ii) The flagellum helps the cell to move through water. Scientists think that the flagellum and the light-sensitive spot work together to increase photosynthesis.

Suggest how this might happen.

(2)

(d) Multicellular organisms often have complex structures, such as lungs, for gas exchange.

Explain why single-celled organisms, like algae, do **not** need complex structures for gas exchange.

(3)

(Total 11 marks)

Mark schemes

Q1.

Marks awarded for this answer will be determined by the Quality of Written Communication (QWC) as well as the standard of the scientific response. Examiners should also apply a 'best-fit' approach to the marking.

0 marks

No relevant content

Level 1 (1 – 2 marks)

There is at least one reason for deforestation

or

an attempt at a description of at least one way deforestation is affecting the atmosphere.

Level 2 (3 – 4 marks)

There is at least one reason for deforestation

and

a description of the way deforestation is affecting one gas in the atmosphere

or

the process that causes an effect.

Level 3 (5 – 6 marks)

There are reasons for deforestation

and

a clear description of the way deforestation is affecting one gas in the atmosphere

and

the process that causes this.

examples of the points made in the response

Reasons for deforestation

- timber for construction / furniture / boat building / paper production
- growing plants for biofuels for motor fuel / aviation / lawnmowers
- use of wood as a fuel
- land for building or agriculture to provide food, such as rice fields and cattle ranching

Effects of deforestation

- increase in carbon dioxide in atmosphere
due to burning
due to activities of microbes
less carbon dioxide taken in / locked up (by trees)
less photosynthesis
- increase in methane in atmosphere
due to rice production / cattle

extra information

ignore references to oxygen

accept explanations of the effect of water (vapour)

Q2.

(a) any **one** from:

ignore 'check temperature'

- add a water bath
- heat screen
- use LED
- low energy bulb / described

1

(b) (i) rate / number of bubbles decreases

*accept converse with reference to increasing light **or** shorter distance*

or

less oxygen / gas released

ignore reference to rate of photosynthesis

1

(ii) temperature / CO₂ (concentration)

*accept 'it was too cool' **or** not enough CO₂*

accept number of chloroplasts / amount of chlorophyll

allow heat

allow CO₂

*do **not** allow CO₂*

1

(c) Marks awarded for this answer will be determined by the Quality of Written Communication (QWC) as well as the standard of the scientific response. Examiners should also refer to the information in the [Marking guidance](#), and apply a 'best-fit' approach to the marking.

0 marks

No relevant content.

Level 1 (1-2 marks)

There is a brief description of at least 1 tissue **or** at least 1 function of an indicated part of the leaf.

The account lacks clarity or detail.

Level 2 (3-4 marks)

There is a clear description which includes at least 1 named tissue and at least 1 correct function described for an indicated part of the leaf.

Level 3 (5-6 marks)

There is a detailed description of most of the structures and their functions.

Examples of responses:

- epidermis
- cover the plant
- mesophyll / palisade

- photosynthesises
- phloem
- xylem
- transport.

The following points are all acceptable but beyond the scope of the specification:

- (waxy) cuticle – reduce water loss
- epidermis – no chloroplasts so allows light to penetrate
- stomata / guard cells – allow CO₂ in (and O₂ out) **or** controls water loss
- palisade (mesophyll) – many chloroplasts to trap light
– near top of leaf for receiving more light
- spongy (mesophyll) – air spaces for rapid movement of gases

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Q3.

(a) A

*no mark - can be specified in reason part
if B given - no marks throughout
if unspecified + 2 good reasons = 1 mark*

high(er) pressure in A

*allow opposite for B
do **not** accept 'zero pressure' for B*

pulse / described in A

*accept fluctuates / 'changes'
allow reference to beats / beating
ignore reference to artery pumping*

2

(b) (i) 17

1

(ii) 68

accept correct answer from student's (b)(i) × 4

1

(c) oxygen / oxygenated blood

*allow adrenaline
ignore air*

glucose / sugar

*extra wrong answer cancels - eg sucrose / starch / glycogen
/ glucagon / water*

allow fructose
ignore energy
ignore food

2

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Q4.

- (a) (to) stop them falling in the solution

or

to stop them drowning (in the solution)

1

- (b) **Level 2 (3–4 marks):**

A detailed and coherent explanation is given of how the droplet moves, clearly and logically linked to the process of respiration.

Level 1 (1–2 marks):

Simple statements are made about movement of the water droplet, but any attempts at explaining the reason or linking the movement to the process of respiration are unclear and poorly structured.

0 marks:

No relevant content

Indicative content

- water droplet moves towards the maggots / boiling tube

Explanation:

- the oxygen in the boiling tube is used up in respiration
- (and) the carbon dioxide released from respiration is absorbed by solution **A**
- which causes a pressure difference
- so air is drawn into the tube
- bringing the water droplet with it.

4

- (c) x axis: Temperature in °C
both needed for the mark

y axis: Rate of respiration in units

1

- (d) repeat the experiment at 30 °C

1

- (e) 10.5

allow range 10.4–10.8

1

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Q5.

- (a) (i) decrease

1

rate of decrease slows

1

- (ii) any **one** from:
 - more use of disinfectant
allow any reasonable increase in hygiene or sterilisation precautions
 - more use of hand washing
 - more careful / more often cleaning of patient facilities
 - raised awareness / education about hygiene

1

Explanation:
stops / reduces the bacteria being transferred / spreading

1

(iii) $800 - 500 / 800 \times 100 =$

1

37.5 (%)

correct answer with or without working gains 2 marks

1

- (iv) any **one** from:

- numbers quite low now so hard to reduce further
- was a big campaign / much publicity (in 2009) so more people already doing it
- hygiene / cleaning now good so hard to improve
- hospitals short of money so less staff to clean

1

- (b) mutation occurred giving resistance (to methicillin)
*do **not** accept overuse caused mutation*

1

resistant bacteria not able to be treated / not killed

1

these bacteria multiplied / reproduced / spread quickly

1

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Q6.

- (a) (i) 50

1

- (ii) 4

accept 3.9 - 4.0

1

- (b) (i) glucose

1

oxygen

1

- (ii) to release more energy

1

- (c) correct readings from graph:

a = 120

b = 60

allow 60 - 61

1

calculation correct for candidate's figures:

e.g. $a - b = 60$

1

level of fitness correct for candidate's figures:

e.g. very fit

1

(d) any **four** from:

- higher heart rate (at 16 km / h) (so takes longer to slow to normal)
- more energy needed
- not enough O₂ supplied / more O₂ needed / reference to O₂-debt
- (more) anaerobic respiration
- (more) lactic acid made / to be broken down / to remove / to oxidise
- higher blood flow needed to deliver (the required amount of) oxygen.

'more' must be given at least once for full marks

do not allow more energy produced

allow higher blood flow to remove lactic acid / remove (additional) CO₂

4

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Q7.

(a) line increasing in daylight 6 – 18 (± 2 hr)

line decreasing 0 – 6 (± 2 hr)

line decreasing 18 – 24 (± 2 hr)

for 1 mark each

but

mirror image (i.e. opposite gradients)

gains 3 marks

3

(b) *idea:*

slower growth (credit even if refers only to leaves)

less photosynthesis/glucose (than if leaves fully green)

each for 1 mark

2

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Q8.

(a) (i) 214 (billion tonnes)

allow 1 mark for reading 122 and 92 correctly

allow 1 mark for the correct addition of incorrect readings

2

(ii) 18.35

allow 18.4

do **not** allow 18.3

1

- (b) (i) (only) a small mass of carbon (dioxide) is released from burning fuels (compared to other processes)

allow the carbon (dioxide) released from other processes / respiration and decomposition is (much) greater

1

- (ii) any **two** from:

- (more) plants would absorb (more) carbon (dioxide)
- (due to more) photosynthesis
- fewer animals would release less carbon (dioxide)
- (due to less) respiration (in animals).

an idea of more is needed at least once

an idea of a reduction is needed at least once

ignore references to oxygen

2

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Q9.

ideas for

- more food produced/increased yield
- cheaper food
- bigger income for farmer (allow profit)
- less loss/damage/spoilage of crop
- allow less wasted growth (of straw due to drawing)

any three for 1 mark each

3

ideas against

- chemicals harm people (do not accept "affect flavour")
 - fertiliser costly
 - fewer worms (in soil)
 - weedkillers kill valued/useful wild plants
 - insecticides/pesticides kill useful insects/other animals
- (general idea that chemicals harm plants/animals gets only 1 of these)*
- (weedkillers insecticides/pesticides/fungicides/hormones/chemicals) contaminate water
 - (increased risk) pesticide resistance over production/food mountains
 - possible eutrophication/nitrate in river/extra plant growth/
 - explanation of eutrophication

for 1 mark each to a maximum of 4 marks

4

Q10.

- (a) (i) points correctly plotted
all correct gains 2 marks
2 correct gains 1 mark
- each part of line correctly drawn (i.e. curve + straight line)
for 1 mark each part of line 4
- (ii) 3 (or according to plotted graph)
 litres per second
for 1 mark each 2
- (b) lungs
 blood
for 1 mark each 2
- (c) (i) *ideas that*
- energy transferred faster in 100m race
 - carbon dioxide produced faster during 1500m race / more
 - carbon dioxide produced
for 1 mark each 3
- correct reference to twice / half as fast in either / both cases
for a further mark 1
- (ii) • respiration during 100m race (mainly) anaerobic
 • respiration during 1500m race (mainly) aerobic
 • aerobic respiration produced carbon dioxide
 • anaerobic respiration produced / lactic acid
for 1 mark each 1

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Q11.

- (a) 6 6 6
all required
accept a '6n 6 n n 6n' version of the balanced equation
provided it is correct in every detail 1
- (b) any **two** of
- (presence of) chlorophyll **or** (amount of) chloroplasts
accept green leaves (or other green parts)

- (sufficient) light (intensity)
- (light) of a suitable wavelength
any light other than green light
do not credit Sun's energy or sunshine or Sun

2

(c) **guard cells**

any **two** of

- * control by osmosis
- * the movement of gases
accept movement of carbon dioxide or oxygen or water vapour beware movement of CO₂ out
accept a diagram or description
- * through the stoma

2

palisade cells

any **two** of

- * near the upper surface
- * contain (a great) many or more chloroplasts
- * (so) contain the most chlorophyll

2

(d) any three of

- * for respiration
- * conversion to (insoluble) starch
- or** to food store **or** to (other) carbohydrates
- * (conversion to) sucrose **or** to food store **or** to (other) carbohydrates
- or** polysaccharides
do not credit just to grow or live
or survive
accept conversion to food store
or to (other) carbohydrates once only
- * (conversion to) lipids **or** fats **or** oils
- * (conversion to) amino acids **or** (plant) proteins **or** auxins **or** (plant) hormones **or** enzymes

3

[10]

Q12.

(i) any **two** from

- * (heart) more muscular
accept bigger
- * (heart) more powerful
accept more efficient

accept stronger

2

- (ii) * pauses longer between (heart) beats
accepts beats more slowly
accept heart rate decreases

* less fast around the heart
recovers more quickly not just 'heart healthier'
do not credit pulse rate slower

2

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Q13.

- (a) less / low

gains 1 mark

but

(also) half as much **or** still one fifth of what's breathed in

gains 2 marks

2

- (b) for energy / respiration [credit for movement / to keep warm]

[Do not allow "to live"]
for 1 mark

1

[3]

Q14.

- (a) to transfer / provide / give release energy

or production of ATP / adenosine triphosphate (molecules)
accept to give heat

1

- (b) (i) $C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6O_2 \rightarrow 6CO_2 + 6H_2O$

accept any other

n : 6n : 6n : 6n ratio

do not credit if any other changes have been made

1

- (ii) glucose

do not credit sugar / sucrose

1

- (c) (i) any **two** from

large surface

thin (surface)

moist (surface)

(with a good) blood supply

2

- (ii) carbon dioxide

accept water vapour
do not credit just water

1

(d) (i) anaerobic (respiration)

1

(ii) any **three** from

in mitochondria

glucose decomposes / breaks down / reacts

or glucose → *lactic acid* for (2) marks

to give lactic acid

or breathing hard

or lactic acid → $CO_2 + water$

causing pain

(leaving an) oxygen debt

(quick) source of energy

(but) less efficient than aerobic respiration

accept less efficient than with oxygen

3

[10]

Q15.

(a) (i) photosynthesis

1

(ii) respiration

do not credit combustion

do not credit decay

1

(iii) dry

accept hot or windy or drought

1

(b) any **three** from

* evaporation (of water)

or loss of water vapour

* (mostly) from the leaf / leaves

do not credit incorrect reference to leaves

* through the stomata

accept through each stoma

accept through the stomas(sic)

* causing a pull

or causing an increase in osmotic potential (at the top of the plant)

or causing an increase in water potential (at the top of the plant) or causing a decrease in osmotic pressure (at the top of the plant)

* (so that) water moves up (through the plant)
do not credit water vapour moves up through the plant

* as the transpiration stream

* water enters through roots (and goes up plants)

3

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Q16.

idea

provide (more) light

provide (more) CO₂

provide (plenty of) water

if any one of these is low it will limit the reaction

[Do not allow answers referring to temperature, as optimum is specified in question 3)

any three for 1 mark each

[3]

Q17.

(a) falls

1

from 0.25

1

to 0.19

but by 0.06 gains two marks

if neither figure given, accept steadily / at constant rate for one mark

accept mass of oxygen inversely related / negative correlation to height above sea level for 2 marks

1

(b) (i) 1.8

accept correct readings from graph for (5 and 6.8) if subtraction incorrect for one mark

allow one mark for correct subtraction from incorrect readings

2

(ii) (blood can carry) more oxygen

1

[6]

Q18.

(a) respiration

reject start respiring / respire only at night

1

no photosynthesis because no light 1

(b) photosynthesis rate greater than respiration rate 1

reject no respiration / photosynthesis only

photosynthesis since light 1

[4]

Q19.

- (i) 6 in both spaces
do not credit if any formula has been altered 1
- (ii) glucose
allow fructose or dextrose 1
- (iii) mitochondria
accept organelles 1

[3]

Q20.

- (a) oxygen;)
carbon dioxide;) *allow symbols*
water)
each for 1 mark 3
- (b) graph with reasonable vertical scales;
accurate plotting of all points (ignore lines) and labelling lines
histogram – must be coded
gains 3 marks 3
- (c) 6 of:
during exercise the level of CO₂ (in the blood) rises;
increased breathing to remove excess CO₂;
increased oxygen supply to muscles;
or increased breathing takes in more O₂
or increased heart rate takes more O₂ to muscles;
increased supply of sugar to muscles;
increased respiration rate;
enable faster rate of energy release;
reference to lactic acid (allow even though not on syllabus)/O₂ debt;
to avoid cramp;
anaerobic reference;
reference to removal of 'heat'; 6
- (d) high carbon dioxide concentration;
brain/central nervous system;
heart muscles (both) 3

Q21.

- (i) the higher the rate of oxygen consumption, the shorter the time taken to complete

for 1 mark

1

- (ii) the faster oxygen is taken into the blood, the faster energy can be released in the muscles, and the faster the athlete can run

for 1 mark each

3

[4]

Q22.

- (a) 11

accept 10.5 – 11.5

1

- (b) ideas of

increase / rises

1

frequently / often

1

energetically / violently

1

[4]

Q23.

- (a) 21.5 – 22 **and** 27 – 27.5

for 1 mark

1

- (b) *ideas of*
limiting factor / shortage of

e.g. light / carbon dioxide / water / chlorophyll

each for 1 mark

(allow 1 for 'maximum / optimum rate of enzyme activity if no reference to limiting factors) (ignore denaturation)

2

- (c) 21.5 – 22° C

(allow first figure from answer to (i) so that no 'double-penalty but only if this first answer is 20 or greater)

maximum rate of photosynthesis / highest / fastest

but related to flat part of curve

most economical heating / cheapest related to heating

must relate to the temperature the candidate has given

each for 1 mark

3

Q24.

- (a) Sun / sunlight / light
for 1 mark 1
- (b) (i) 21.5 – 22 **and** 27 – 27.5
for 1 mark 1
- (ii) ideas of limiting factor / shortage of
e.g. light / carbon dioxide / water /chlorophyll
each for 1 mark
(allow 1 for 'maximum' rate of enzyme activity if
no reference to limiting factors)
(ignore reference to dematuring) 2
- (iii) 21.5 – 22° C
(allow first figure from answer to (i) so that no
'double-penalty' but not below 20)

maximum rate of photosynthesis
(can relate to any number on 'flat')

most economical heating (must relate to left end of 'flat')
each for 1 mark 3

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Q25.

- (a) carbon dioxide
oxygen 2
- (b) (i) e.g. rubber plant/fern 1
- (ii) because can tolerate low light levels 1
- (iii) yellow parts of leaf do not contain chlorophyll therefore more light
needed for photosynthesis 2
- (iv) no leaves/only have stem only have small area which can
photosynthesise 2

[8]

Q26.

- (a) (i) June
for 1 mark 1

- (ii) April
 max. light
 photosynthesis makes sugars/substances needed for growth
for 1 mark each

3

- (b) 2 of:
 temperature
 carbon dioxide availability
 water
 chlorophyll
any 2 for 1 mark each

2

[6]

Q27.

- (i) with exercise rate rises;
accept between 1 – 2 minutes rate rises

1

(when exercise stops) rate falls slowly;
accept gentle fall or steady fall
for answers which just describe a rise then a fall allow one mark only as an alternative to the first two points

1

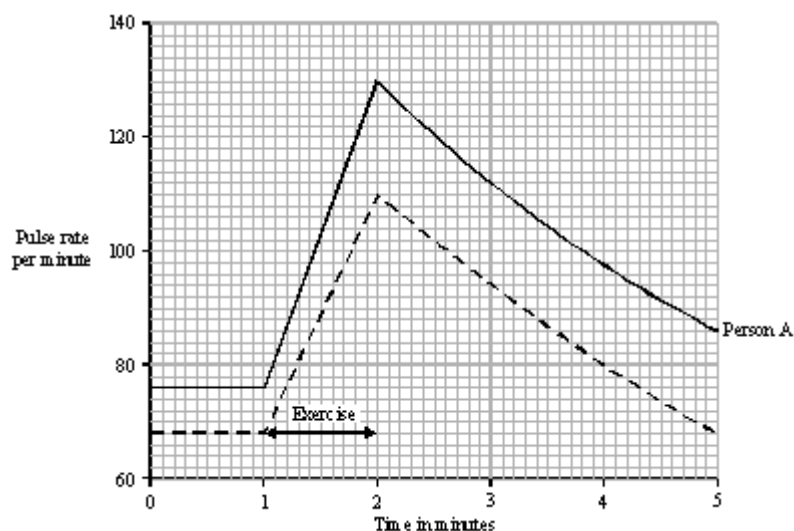
rate does not return to normal **or** to starting **or** to resting rate
accept rate returns to normal after five minutes or three minutes of rest or after recording ended

1

- (ii) 86 (per minute);

1

- (iii) plotting points;
deduct one mark for each error to max of two
if 68 wrongly plotted count as one error (ignore the quality of the line)



2

[6]

Q28.

- (a) oxygen,
carbon dioxide or water (vapour)
for 1 mark each 2
- (b) idea of more air per breath/deeper breaths
for 1 mark 1
- (c) (i) respiration
for 1 mark 1
- (ii) carbon dioxide,
water
for 1 mark each 2
- (iii) more energy required,
for increased muscular activity
for 1 mark each 2

[8]

Q29.

Does not contain chlorophyll which is needed to absorb light **or** energy
each for 1 mark

[2]

Q30.

- (a) glucose/sugar water
for 1 mark each 2
- (b) (i) 204
for 1 mark 1
- (ii) 49 **gains 2 marks**
(incorrect answer, but correct method gains 1) 2
- (iii) 3 **gains 2 marks**
(incorrect answer, but correct method gains 1) 2

[7]

Q31.

- (a) (i) B **or** D 1
- (ii) A **or** B 1

(b) any **four** from:

more / faster must be implied at least once for full marks

- increased blood (flow)
ignore reference to breathing
- (more) oxygen supplied **or** aerobic respiration
*allow less anaerobic (respiration) **or** and prevents oxygen debt*
- (more) glucose / sugar / food supplied
ignore feeding
- (higher rate of) respiration
- (more) energy needed / released
allow made
- (more) carbon dioxide removed
- (muscles) doing (more) work **or** muscles contracting
- remove heat / cooling
- remove lactic acid **or** less lactic acid formed

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Q32.

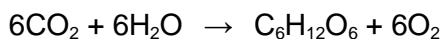
(a) reactants: $\text{CO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$

1

products: $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6 + \text{O}_2$

1

balance:



1

(b) **1** mark each for any of the following ideas:

lower CO_2 concentration

lower light intensity

decrease water availability

alter light wavelength **or** colour

accept more green light

2

(c) (i) scales correctly constructed

i.e. equal intervals along each axis

1

points plotted correctly

1

appropriate line correctly drawn
accept dot to dot or line of best fit
cancel if line extends through zero or beyond 50°C

1

(ii) 18 – 19 (bubbles per minute)

1

(iii) heat denatures enzymes **or** destroys
membranes **or** ruptures cells **or**
destroys cells

do not accept kills enzymes

1

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Q33.

(a) anaerobic respiration

allow phonetic spelling

1

(b) (i) 4.4

*4.2, 4.3, 4.5 or 4.6 with figures in tolerance (6.7 to 6.9 and
2.3 to 2.5) and correct working gains 2 marks*

*4.2, 4.3, 4.5 or 4.6 with no working shown or correct working
with one reading out of tolerance gains 1 mark*

*correct readings from graph in the ranges of 6.7 to 6.9 **and**
2.3 to 2.5 but no answer / wrong answer gains 1 mark*

2

(ii) more energy is needed / used / released

*do **not** allow energy production*

(at 14 km per hour)

ignore work

1

not enough oxygen (can be taken in / can be supplied to muscles)

allow reference to oxygen debt

*do **not** allow less / no oxygen*

1

so more anaerobic respiration (to supply the extra energy) **or** more
glucose changed to lactic acid

allow not enough aerobic respiration

1

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Q34.

(a) (i) plotting values for pulse rates;

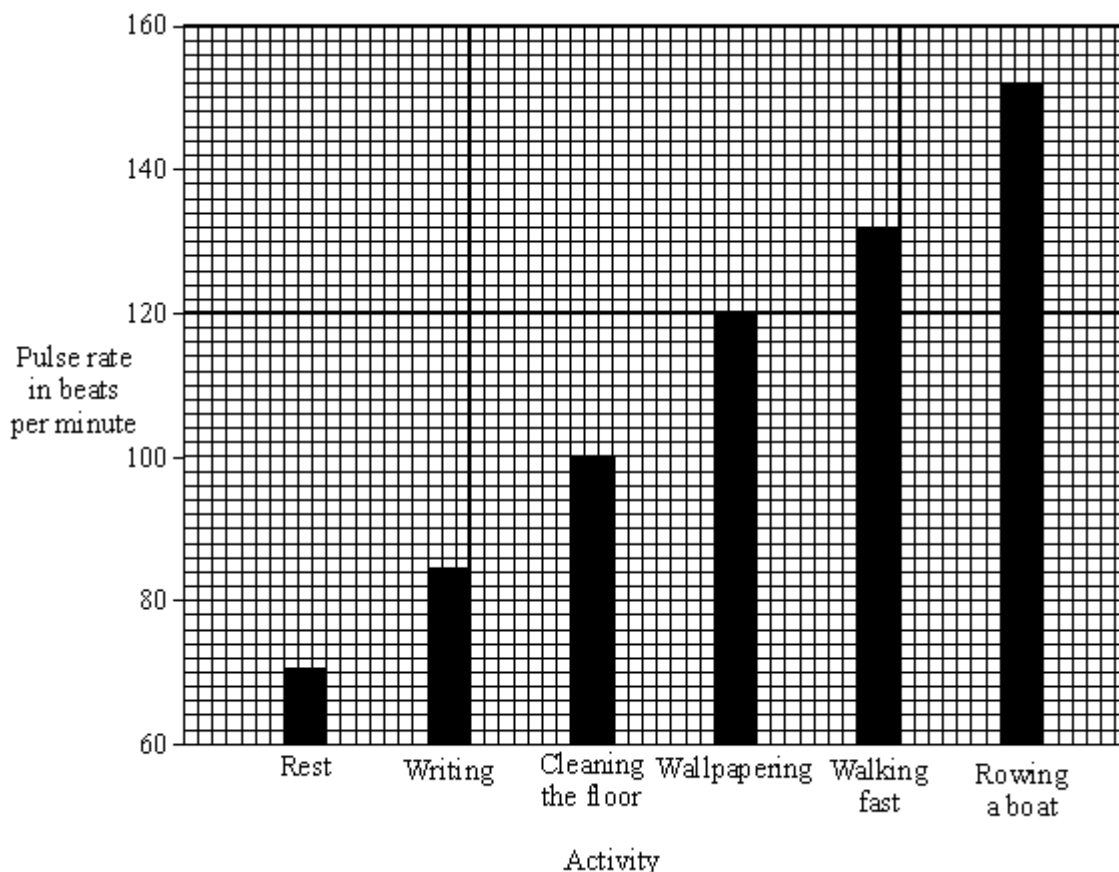
2 marks- minus 1 mark for each error to a maximum of 2

Accept values if plotted on blood volume bar chart

*Non-horizontal tops to bars producing variable values = 1
error*

If drawn as a line graph = 1 mark maximum

2



(ii) **Either**

volume of blood went up then fell;

Accept went to a maximum then fell

pulse rate increased (steadily);

Accept went up steadily or kept going up

2

Or

at first **or** with low activity **or** with moderate activity both pulse and volume increased;

Accept activity up to wall- papering

with more activity pulse continued to increase but volume fell;

(b) Any **two** of

with increased activity greater muscle use **or** greater respiration;

need more glucose **or** oxygen;

Accept more sugar

heart beat faster;

Do not accept more air

*Accept more blood needed **or** blood flows faster*

*If 'more' **or** equivalent stated once it can be accepted elsewhere by implication*

Q35.

- (a) (i) light **or** solar
do **not** credit sun's energy
do **not** credit radiant 1
- (ii) chlorophyll 1
- (iii) chloroplast 1
- (iv) $\text{CO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
reactants identified (accept words) 1
- $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6 + \text{O}_2$
products identified (accept words) 1
- $6\text{CO}_2 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6 + 6\text{O}_2$
balanced equation 1
- (b) any **two** from:
increased CO_2 concentration
increased water supply
increased temperature (up to a point)
increased light intensity
do **not** accept heat or warmth
altered light quality by less green **or**
increasing other colours 2
- (c) any **four** points
- palisade (mesophyll)
 - lots of chloroplasts **or** chlorophyll
or main site for photosynthesis
or absorb maximum amount of light
 - guard cells
 - CO_2 in **or** O_2 out **or** water vapour
out
 - controls size of stoma **or** pores in
leaf
allow stomata 4

Q36.

any **four** from:

more energy / respiration required

*accept it prevents / reduces anaerobic respiration **or** less / no lactic acid reference to increase must be made, but only needed once, provided inference is clear for remainder of points. accept 'delivered more quickly' for 'increase'*

increase oxygen uptake into blood (in lungs)

increase oxygen delivery to muscles

increase glucose delivery to muscles

increase removal of heat from muscles **or** increase delivery of heat to skin

increase removal of carbon dioxide from muscles

increase removal of carbon dioxide from blood (in lungs)

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Q37.

(a) water [1]

oxygen [1]

(sun) light or solar [1]

*do **not** accept sun's*

chlorophyll [1]

*do **not** accept chloroplasts*

4

(b) any **two** from:

stored as fructose

stored as sucrose

stored as starch

stored as oil **or** lipid

moved or transported away in the phloem

*do **not** accept "stored" by itself*

respired or burnt up for energy or

fuel changed to protein

changed to cellulose

changed to fructose

changed to starch

changed to oil or lipid

*do **not** accept "food for plant"*

*do **not** accept "used up" by itself*

2

(c) (i) roots or root hair (cells)

1

(ii) the mineral salts are (dissolved) in water [1]
water transports salts throughout the plant
or water enables osmosis or diffusion to take place [1]

2

(d) (i) plants grow better with some nutrients than none
or
plants grow better with nitrates than without
comparison is needed
accept "faster" as equivalent to "better"
accept don't grow well with only water

1

(ii) 0.14(g)
*units **not** needed*

1

(iii) making protein **or** amino acids
*do **not** accept help them grow*
*accept named protein **or** DNA **or** chlorophyll*

1

any **two** from:

(iv) type **or** variety **or** starting weight **or**

2

(iii) size of seedlings
keep the environment the same
*only if light **or** temperature **or** day*
length not already credited

light
temperature not heat
time of growth
*do **not** accept the same equipment*
*do **not** accept help them grow*

1

day length
amount of culture solution **or**/size of
accept named protein, DNA chlorophyll

boiling tube
number of seedlings per tube
pH
CO₂
humidity

[15]

Q38.

(a) (i) L.H.S. – water / H₂O

1

R.H.S. – oxygen / O₂
accept H²O

accept O^2 / O

1

(ii) chlorophyll

*must make it clear that it is the chlorophyll
do **not** credit chloroplast on its own
do **not** accept chloroplast / chlorophyll
without indication that it is chlorophyll*

1

(b) (i) light intensity / temperature is high enough for higher rate or light /
temperature is not limiting

1

low CO_2 available or not enough CO_2
available **or** rate would be higher with more CO_2

1

(ii) temperature

*allow water / rain
allow (too) cold / hot as a minimum
allow wave length / frequency / colour
ignore ions
ignore heat*

1

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Q39.

(a) (i) count the pulse **or** count beats in artery in wrist neck **or** feel the pulse **or**
take the pulse **or** find the pulse

*accept use of heart monitor **or** heart meter*

1

(ii) 80

*2 marks for correct answer
1f answer incorrect allow 1 mark for showing 8000 divided by
100 **or** indicating cardiac output divided by stroke volume*

2

(iii) Increased activity stroke volume
falls / gets less / should get higher / reach a peak

*accept does not increase **or** changes from 134 cm^3 to 127 cm^3*

1

(iv) 1 increased / more ventricle contractions

*accept heart beat faster **or** it beats faster **or** more powerful
contractions*

1

(b) (stronger heart muscle) increases cardiac output **or** increases stroke volume

*accept pumps more blood (per beat) **or** pumps blood faster*

ignore heart bigger

1

so more (oxygenated) blood can be sent to muscles

accept more oxygen sent to muscles

1

Q40.

- (a) The starch is stored for use later
no mark if more than one box is ticked 1
- (b) (i) any **two** from:
do not accept temperature
apply list principle
ignore reference to time
- carbon dioxide (concentration)
 - light intensity
 - light colour / wavelength
allow 1 mark for light if neither intensity or colour are awarded
 - pH
 - size / amount of pondweed / plant
 - same / species / type pondweed
 - amount of water in the tube
ignore amount of water alone 2
- (ii) number / amount of bubbles **or** amount of gas / oxygen
allow volume of bubbles (together)
ignore 'the bubbles' unqualified 1
- (relevant reference to) time / named time interval
allow how long it bubbles for
do not accept time bubbles start / stop
ignore speed / rate of bubbling
ignore instruments
do not accept other factors eg temperature
accept how many bubbles per minute for 2 marks 1
- (c) (i) temperature
allow heat / cold / °C 1
- (ii) carbon dioxide / CO₂
allow CO2
do not accept CO² 1

Q41.

- (a) any **three** from:

- rose rapidly (during exercise) / use of approximate figures
- then more slowly (during exercise)
accept rate (of increase) slows down
- to max 126 / at 5 minutes / end of exercise
- rapid fall (during recovery) **or** use of approximate numbers
- then less rapid fall / use of approximate numbers
- returned to resting rate (60 bpm) by 11 minutes

3

- (b) arteries dilate / widen
accept muscle in wall relaxes

1

(c)

any **four** from:

- muscles using more energy **or** more energy released
- muscles respire faster
- supply more oxygen
- supply more glucose / sugar
- remove more CO₂
- remove lactic acid
- remove heat / to cool

do **not** accept energy produced

allow for aerobic respiration
or to prevent anaerobic respiration

'more' needed ONCE
only for full marks

4

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Q42.

(a) A

*no mark – can be specified in reason part
if B given = no marks throughout
if unspecified plus two good reasons = 1 mark*

high(er) pressure in A
*allow opposite for B
do not accept 'zero pressure' for B*

1

pulse / described in A
*accept fluctuates / 'changes'
allow reference to beats / beating
ignore reference to artery pumping*

1

(b) (i) 17

1

(ii) 68

accept correct answer from candidate's (b)(i) × 4

1

(c) (i) oxygen / oxygenated blood

allow adrenaline

ignore air

1

glucose / sugar

extra wrong answer cancels eg

sucrose / starch / glycogen / glucagons / water

allow fructose as an alternative to glucose

ignore energy

ignore food

1

(ii) carbon dioxide / CO₂ / lactic acid

allow CO₂ / CO²

ignore water

1

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Q43.

(a) increased speed

or harder exercise / running

→ increased need / use / loss of energy

1

allow further you run / walk the more energy you need

increased mass / bigger → increased use of energy

1

(b) any **three** from:

- supply / using (more / enough) oxygen

- or get (more) oxygen in blood(*)

- remove (more) CO₂(*)

- doing (more) work

- or

- using (more) energy allow produce energy(*)

(*)need reference to 'more' ONCE only for full marks

- for respiration

- prevent build up of lactic acid

- or prevent oxygen debt

- or prevent anaerobic (respiration)

- or allow aerobic (respiration)

3

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Q44.

(a) (i) water / H₂O

allow hydrogen oxide

	oxygen / O ₂ / O	1
	<i>allow upper and lower case symbols and superscripts</i>	
	<i>answers must be in this order</i>	
		1
(ii)	respiration in the plant	
	<i>allow clear indication of correct response</i>	
		1
(b)	light (no light) / light intensity	
	<i>ignore references to the card / covered / uncovered</i>	
		1
	chlorophyll (no chlorophyll) / chloroplast	
	<i>allow leaf colour or both green and white given</i>	
		1
(c)	(i) no light (received) or it's dark	
	<i>allow no photosynthesis</i>	
	<i>do not allow little light / photosynthesis</i>	
	<i>ignore sun</i>	
	<i>apply list principle for other factors</i>	
		1
	(ii) no chlorophyll / chloroplasts (present)	
	<i>allow no / little photosynthesis</i>	
	<i>allow white or not green or little chlorophyll / few chloroplasts</i>	
	<i>apply list principle for other factors</i>	
		1

[7]

Q45.

(a)	any two from:	
	• age	
	• gender	
	• mass	
	• number in group	
	• time	
		2
(b)	any two from:	
	• highest (mean) mass loss on Rosemary Conley or Rosemary Conley most effective	
	• least (mean) mass loss in control group or <u>mean</u>	
		2
(c)	(Atkins)	

costs least

1

mass loss very similar to other diets **or** second highest mass loss
or as effective as other diets

1

(d) any **two** from:

- (exercise) increases metabolic rate / respiration
ignore sweating
- (exercise) needs / uses energy / calories
allow burns fat / calories
*do **not** accept energy for respiration*
- (this) energy comes from food / fat
- less food / energy/ calories converted to fat

2

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Q46.

(a) the starch is stored for later use.

1

(b) (i) any **two** from:

*do **not** accept temperature-apply list principle*
ignore reference to time

- carbon dioxide (concentration)
- light intensity
*allow **one** mark for light if neither intensity or colour are awarded*
- light colour / wavelength
- pH
- size / amount plant
- same / species / type plant
allow 'the plant'
- amount of water in the tube
ignore amount of water alone

2

(ii) number / amount of bubbles **or** amount of gas / oxygen
allow volume of bubbles (together)
ignore 'the bubbles' unqualified

1

(relevant reference to) time / named time interval
allow how long it bubbles for
*do **not** accept time bubbles start / stop*

ignore speed / rate bubbles
ignore instruments
do not accept other factors eg temperature
accept how many bubbles per minute for 2 marks

1

(c) (i) temperature
allow heat / °C / cold

1

(ii) carbon dioxide / CO₂
CO₂ / CO² / Co₂ / C^o2 / co₂ / c^o2
do not accept CO / 2CO

1

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Q47.

(a) (i) brain

1

(ii) skin

1

(iii) 1/25 **or** 4% **or** 0.04 **or** 1 in 25 **or** 1:25 **or** 1 out of 25

allow $\frac{1000}{25000}$

1

(b) any **two** from:

- increased / high heart rate / pulse rate
do not allow pumps more blood unqualified
- dilation / widening of arteries / arterioles (to skeletal muscles)
accept vasodilation unqualified
do not accept reference to veins / capillaries

or
less blood flow to other organs

- increased stroke volume / described

2

(c) *ignore references to breathing*

more respiration / description

or

more energy required **or** to provide more energy

1

respiration / process described → CO₂

do not accept anaerobic respiration

1

CO₂ diffuses into blood

1

Q48.

(a) (i) 19 800

*for correct answer ignore working or lack of working
165 × 120 but no answer / wrong answer = 1 mark (ignore
extras)*

2

(ii) any **two** from:

- for respiration
ignore oxygen debt
- energy released
allow energy produced
- prevents anaerobic respiration
- prevents build-up of lactic acid

2

(b) any **two** from:

- increased breathing rate(*)
- increased depth of breathing **or** deep breathing(*)
()more breathing is max 1 mark
ignore increase in heart rate
allow heavier breathing
do **not** allow harder breathing*
- dilation of arteries / vasodilation
*allow blood vessels dilate
do **not** allow veins / capillaries dilate*
- blood diverted from elsewhere
ignore name of organ

2

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Q49.

(a) (i) colour of light / bulb / lamp

*allow wavelength for colour
allow bulb alone
do **not** accept light / colour unqualified*

1

(ii) any **one** from eg

- temperature
allow heat
- light intensity **or** distance between lamp and plant / tube
allow amount / brightness of light

ignore light unqualified

- carbon dioxide
allow symbols
- other light in room
allow use a dark room
- mass / size / amount / age / type of pondweed
allow same piece of pondweed
ignore pondweed unqualified
- volume / amount of water
ignore reference to time

1

- (iii) improved reliability
*allow for reliability **or** less likely to lose count*

or

can spot anomalies / changes
allow reference to calculating a mean / average
ignore reference to accuracy / precision / fair

1

- (b) (i) green

1

- (ii) any **two** from:
ignore references to colour

- least / less bubbles / gas / oxygen / mean
reference to least / less needed only once, in context, for 2 marks
- least / less photosynthesis
- least / less glucose / sugar / carbohydrate / food made
only penalise no once, ie
no bubbles = 0 mark
no bubbles so no photosynthesis = 1 mark
allow most / more green light reflected (by chloroplasts)

2

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Q50.

- (a) (i) 6 peaks in heart rate
*accept 6 increases / spikes **or** goes very high 6 times*
allow heart rate increases each time he runs

1

- (ii) 2.5 / 2½
allow 2 minutes 30 seconds
*do **not** accept 2.3 / 2:3 / 2.30*

1

- (b) *more / faster / a lot **must** be stated at least once for full marks*
- (more) oxygen supplied / needed
allow less anaerobic (respiration)
- or** (more) aerobic respiration
or prevents oxygen debt 1
- (more) glucose / sugar / food supplied / needed
ignore feeding 1
- (more) energy needed / released
allow energy produced / made 1
- (more) carbon dioxide / heat / lactic acid removed (from muscles) **or** more cooling
or less lactic acid formed 1

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Q51.

- (a) (i) any **three** from:
if diet given as answer = max 2
- age (of athlete)
 - gender (of athlete)
 - starting concentration of glycogen
 - type / intensity of exercise
 - length of exercise period
 - number of training sessions
- if none of these points gained amount of exercise = 1 mark*
- time interval between exercise sessions
 - exercise at same time of day
- if last four points not awarded allow time (for exercise) for 1 mark*
ignore references to amount of energy
ignore they are both athletes 3
- (ii) any **two** from:
- intensity of exercise
 - amount of exercise between sessions
 - starting concentration of glycogen
 - fitness / health

- metabolic rate / respiration rate
- amount / mass of muscle / physique
- aspects of diet qualified, eg amount of food eaten
do not accept amount of carbohydrate
if no other marks awarded allow height / mass / weight for 1 mark

2

(iii) (B has) less glycogen

he = B

or (B's glycogen) fell more

accept use of approximate figures

or (B's glycogen) built up less

allow other correct observations from graph eg A is lower at end of first session

ignore rate of fall

1

(b) athlete **A** (no mark)

to gain full marks 'more' must be given at least once

athlete **A** had more glycogen / **B** has less (only if A chosen to complete marathon)

*accept converse argument for **B***

1

(glycogen / glucose) used in respiration

ignore anaerobic

1

(more) energy released / available in athlete **A**

allow 'energy made'

1

and either energy used for movement / muscle action / to run

or

(extra) glycogen → (more) glucose

1

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Q52.

(a) $6\text{H}_2\text{O}$

in the correct order

1

$\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6$

1

(b) (i) control

do not accept 'control variable'

allow:

to show the effect of the organisms

or

to allow comparison

or

to show the indicator doesn't change on its own

1

(ii) snail respire

1

releases CO₂

1

(iii) turns yellow

1

plant can't photosynthesise so CO₂ not used up

1

but the snail (and plant) still respire so CO₂ produced

1

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Q53.

(a) person with muscle disease:

allow reverse argument for healthy person

any **three** from:

NB all points are comparative except peak (point 3)

*allow use of **two** approximate figures as a comparison*

- higher resting rate **or** higher at start
- when exercise starts / then increases more / more rapidly
accept description eg rise fall
- peaks (then falls)
- levels off later than healthy person
- higher rate during exercise
if no other marks awarded allow 1 mark for 'it's higher'
- greater range

3

(b) (i) oxygen

accept adrenaline

accept O₂

*do **not** accept O, O₂ or O²*

1

(ii) cannot release sugar / glucose (from glycogen)

or

cannot store glucose / sugar (as glycogen)

1

need to receive glucose / sugar (from elsewhere)

ignore oxygen

1

for energy / respiration / cannot store energy

ignore aerobic / anaerobic

1

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Q54.

- (a) water + carbon dioxide → oxygen + glucose

extra box ticked negates mark

1

- (b) **Level 3 (5–6 marks):**

A coherent method is described with relevant detail, which demonstrates a broad understanding of the relevant techniques and procedures. The steps in the method are logically ordered. The method would lead to the production of valid results.

Level 2 (3–4 marks):

The bulk of the method is described with mostly relevant detail, which demonstrates a reasonable understanding of the relevant scientific techniques and procedures.

The

method may not be in a completely logical order and may be missing some detail.

Level 1 (1–2 marks):

Simple statements are made which demonstrate some understanding of some of the relevant scientific techniques and procedures. The response may lack a logical structure and would not lead to the production of valid results.

0 marks:

No relevant content

Indicative content

- description of how the apparatus would be used
- reference to control intensity of light / brightness
- use of ruler to measure distance of light from beaker / pondweed
- reference to varying colour of light or use of different filters
- plant releases gas / oxygen
- measure number of bubbles / volume of gas produced
- same length of time
- reference to control of temperature
- reference to control / supply of carbon dioxide in water
- do repeats and calculate a mean

6

- (c) rate does not increase further if light intensity increased beyond 20

allow graph levels off after 20

1

- (d) any **one** from:

- temperature
- carbon dioxide (concentration)
- amount of chlorophyll

allow number of chloroplasts

1

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Q55.

- (a) (i) rate of chemical reactions (in the body) 1
- (ii) any **two** from:
- heredity / inheritance / genetics
 - proportion of muscle to fat **or** (body) mass
allow (body) weight / BMI
 - age / growth rate
 - gender
accept hormone balance or environmental temperature
ignore exercise / activity
- 2
- (b) (i) 77
correct answer with or without working gains 2 marks
*allow 1 mark for 70 / 56 **or** 1.25 **or** 5*
- 2
- (ii) increase exercise
accept a way of increasing exercise
- 1
- reduce food intake
accept examples such as eat less fat / sugar
*allow go on a diet **or** take in fewer calories*
ignore lose weight
ignore medical treatments such as gastric band / liposuction
- 1

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Q56.

- (a) (i) correct bar heights
three correct 2 marks
two correct 1 mark
one or none correct 0 marks
ignore width
- 2
- (ii) (Stream Y)
- has many sludge worms / bloodworms
- or**
- has no mayflies / caddis or few shrimp
allow 1 mark if invertebrate not named but correct association given
- 1
- which indicate medium or high pollution
- 1

- (b) (i) suspended solids increase (as a result of sewage overflow) 1
- then decrease downstream / return to original levels 1
- oxygen levels decrease (after sewage overflow) 1
- and then rise again 1
- (ii) any **three** from:
- mayflies decrease (to zero) near overflow
accept 'have died out'
 - because oxygen is low **or** mayflies have high oxygen demand
 - mayflies repopulate / increase as oxygen increases again
 - can't be sure if dissolved oxygen or suspended solids is the cause
- 3
- (c) they respire / respiration
aerobic respiration gains 2 marks 1
- this requires / uses up the oxygen 1
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Q57.

- (a) LHS – glucose 1
- RHS – water
allow H₂O / H2O 1
- (b) so the earthworms' body temperature would change to 20°C 1
- (c) (i) 56 or 55 or 54
*if incorrect answer given accept 60 - 5 for 1 mark
or 60 – 6 for 1 mark
or 60 – 4 for 1 mark* 2
- (ii) one-tenth of answer to (c)(i) eg 5.5 1
- (at 10°C / lower temperature):
- lower rate of respiration
*allow chemical reactions slower or enzymes less active
ignore breathing
do not allow anaerobic* 1
- worms less active / worms release less energy / worms use less energy 1

- (d) (i) anomalous result / not in line with other data / does not fit the pattern 1
- (ii) more representative / more reliable / can check 'repeatability' / see if get similar values / identify anomalies 1
- ignore valid / more fair*
- ignore reproducible*
- ignore 'to remove' anomalies*
- do not accept more accurate or more precise* 1
- [10]

Q58.

- (a) (placed) randomly 1
- allow description of placement*
- sufficient number (of quadrats) used 1
- count (dandelions) in each quadrat 1
- use mean number of dandelions, area of quadrat and area of field to estimate population
- accept (area of field / area quadrat) × mean number of dandelions per quadrat* 1
- (b) $(40 \times 145) / 0.25 = 23\ 200$ 1
- $(0.42 \times 23\ 200 =) 9744$
- allow 9744 with no working shown for 2 marks*
- allow ecf from correct attempt at the previous step) × 0.42 for 1 mark* 1
- (c) **Level 2 (3–4 marks):**
A detailed and coherent explanation is given. Logical links between clearly identified relevant points are made to explain why dandelion growth may be limited.
- Level 1 (1–2 marks):**
Discrete relevant points are made. The logic may be unclear.
- 0 marks:**
No relevant content
- Indicative content**
- factors that may be considered:**
competition for resources including:
- light
 - water
 - space
 - mineral ions (allow nutrients / salts / ions from the soil)
- reference to why growth may be limited:**

- (light) energy for photosynthesis
- water as a raw material for photosynthesis / support
- surface area exposed to light
- sugar / glucose produced in photosynthesis
- (space) to grow bigger
- (space) for growth of root system
- (mineral ions) for growth
- (mineral ions / sugar) for production of larger molecules **or** named example

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Q59.

(a) LHS = water

1

RHS = glucose

1

(b) any **three** from:

- (measure) temperature
ignore reference to fair test
- to check that the temperature isn't changing
- rate of reaction changes with temperature
- temperature is a variable that needs to be controlled
allow lamp gives out heat

3

(c) (i) 10

*correct answer = 2 marks**allow 1 mark for: $\frac{(10+9+11)}{3}$* *allow 1 mark for correct calculation without removal of anomalous result ie 15*

2

(ii) graph:

allow ecf from (c)(i)

label on y-axis as 'number of bubbles per minute'

1

three points correct = 1 mark*allow ± 1 mm***four** points correct = 2 marks

2

line of best fit = smooth curve

1

(iii) as distance increases, rate decreases – pro

allow yes between 20 – 40

1

but should be a straight line / but line curves – con / not quite pro

allow not between 10 – 20

if line of best fit is straight line, allow idea of poor fit

1

(d) any **four** from:

- make more profit / cost effective
 - raising temp. to 25 °C makes very little difference at 0.03% CO₂
 - (at 20 °C) with CO₂ at 0.1%, raises rate
 - (at 20 °C with CO₂ at 0.1%) → >3x rate / rises from 5 to 17
 - although 25 °C → higher rate, cost of heating not economical
 - extra light does not increase rate / already max. rate with daylight
- accept ref to profits c.f. costs must be favourable*

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Q60.

(a) (i) chloroplast

1

(ii) cell wall

1

(b) (i) osmosis

accept diffusion

1

(ii) cell wall (prevents bursting)

1

(c) (i) carbon dioxide

allow correct formula

1

glucose

allow sugar / starch

1

(ii) any **two** from:

- light sensitive spot detects light
- tells flagellum to move towards light
- more light = more photosynthesis

2

(d) (cell has) larger SA:volume ratio

1

short (diffusion) distance

allow correct description

1

(diffusion) via cell membrane is sufficient / good enough

or

flow of water maintains concentration gradient

1

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