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Abbreviations used in the Mark Scheme:

• ; separates marking points

/ alternatives I ignore R reject

• A accept (for answers correctly cued by the question, or guidance for examiners)

AW alternative wordingAVP any valid point

ecf credit a correct statement / calculation that follows a previous wrong response

• **ora** or reverse argument

• () the word / phrase in brackets is not required, but sets the context

• <u>underline</u> actual words given must be used by the candidate (or grammatical variants of them)

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Question	Answer	Mark	Guidance
1(a)(i)	A: vagina; B: oviduct/Fallopian tube; D: sperm/male gamete;	3	
1(a)(ii)	to remove, egg cells/ova/female gametes;	1	
1(b)(i)	follicle stimulating hormone/FSH; luteinizing hormone/LH;	1	
1(b)(ii)	start of new cycle/days 1–10/during menstruation/AW;	1	
1(b)(iii)	X positioned anywhere in uterus (wall/lining);	1	
1(c)	 allows infertile couples/single parents/same sex couples (to have children); religious/legal/moral/ethical, concerns about IVF; may not treat infertility successfully; expense of fertility treatment; may lead to multiple births; idea of genetic screening before implanting is possible; storage of, eggs/embryos, is possible (during chemotherapy); qualification of an religious/ethical/legal/moral, issue; has allowed stem cell research on embryos; AVP; 	4	A high chance of miscarriage/stress A cost to health services/cost means restricted availability
		Total: 11	

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2(a)	 enzymes are proteins; enzymes can be reused/are unchanged in a reaction; enzymes are specific; (enzymes are) catalyst/speeds up reaction; lowers (activation) energy needed for the reaction; successful collisions; enzyme-substrate complex/ESC; active site; (enzyme and substrate) complementary shape/AW; ref. to optimum, temperature/pH; too much heat results in denatured enzymes; too little kinetic energy/heat, less (successful) reactions; incorrect pH results in denatured enzymes; (substrate) is pectin/cell wall; results/product, is clear juice; mass/cheaper/more (volume)/yield, juice production; 	6	R cellulose
2(b)	read at eye level/avoid error of parallax; read bottom of meniscus; place measuring cylinder on a level/flat, surface; remove funnel/ensure all drops have fallen to the bottom;	2	A parallel/horizontal to meniscus
2(c)(i)	19÷10 or 17.5÷10; 2 (cm³ per min);	2	

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2(c)(ii)	A/0.5 (cm³ cubes); large(st) surface area (to volume);	2	A smallest cubes
		Total: 12	

Question	Answer	Mark	Guidance
3(a)	human/largest mammal, has the longest/bat has the shortest (small intestine); (small intestine of) rat and cat are very similar in length; comparative data, quote/calculation with units at least once; negative correlation between length and length relative to body mass;	3	A relative to body mass bat much larger than other three animals/smallest length relative to body mass is in humans
3(b)	movement into/out of/through, (epithelial) cells/villi; into, capillaries; across cell membranes; by active transport; through protein carriers; against a concentration gradient; using energy;	3	I walls I into blood
3(c)(i)	(insect-eating) bat;	1	

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3(c)(ii)	ratios are higher in the duodenum; higher (inner) surface area (than ileum); data comparison (for any one animal); more villi; more microvilli;	3	
3(d)	emulsification; increased surface area of fat (globules); faster, digestion/break down (of fat by enzymes); by lipase/to fatty acids and glycerol; neutralises (stomach) acid/chyme; provides alkaline medium for, pancreatic enzymes/lipase; denatures, pepsin/stomach, enzymes; AVP;	4	I faster break down of fats unqualified
		Total: 14	

Question	Answer	Mark	Guidance
4(a)	(nicotine is) a (chemical) substance taken into the body; that modifies/affects/influences, (chemical reactions in) the body; addictive/can cause withdrawal symptoms (when stopped)/AW;	2	

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Question	Answer	Mark	Guidance
4(b)	carbon monoxide: binds to haemoglobin (permanently); Accept carboxyhaemoglobin reduced oxygen (transport);	4	
	tar (max 3): carcinogenic/causes lung cancer; sticks to/blocks/damages, alveoli/cilia; produce more mucus; making prone to (named) respiratory infections; reduced, diffusion/gas exchange;		A irritates, gas exchange surface / airways / emphysema
4(c)(i)	 more men smoked (between 1950–1998 than women); ORA both decrease overall/between 1950 and 1998; (overall) drop in men is more (than in women); ORA Ignore data (1950)–1970: men decreasing and women increasing; 1970 onwards: both genders decreasing; larger difference in numbers/%, before 1970s/earlier OR smaller difference in numbers/%, after 1970s/later; AW maximum (implied) for women was 50% and 82% for men; comparative data quote between men and women with units stated once; 	4	

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4(c)(ii)	number of deaths by (lung) cancer shows similar trend as percentage smokers; (correlation) in both men and women/AW; lag in the death rate trend (compared with smokers)/AW; relevant data quote from both graphs; trend more obvious in men/death rate in women is increasing overall; impossible to show conclusive link; (because) cannot control experimental conditions/other lifestyle factors; AVP;	4	e.g. lag in/ drop of 7–8 years in men
4(d)	toxins/AW, in smoke can cross the placenta; increased risk, of miscarriage/still birth/premature birth/low birth weight/deformities; reduces oxygen available to the foetus/foetal brain damage; increased risk, of reduced lung, function/infection, in foetus/infants; babies more likely to become addicted/have withdrawal symptoms; AVP;	3	
		Total: 17	

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Question	Answer	Mark	Guidance
5(a)(i)	double helix; (strands) contain, bases/A and T and C and G; A joins with T/C joins with G; strands/bases, join/pair up, by crosslinks/hydrogen bonds; AVP;	3	A labelled drawing or description
5(a)(ii)	codes for a <u>protein</u> ;	1	
5(b)	respiration; aerobic (respiration); release energy/make ATP;	2	R produce energy
5(c)	cytoplasm; cell membrane; single celled/unicellular; no (true) nucleus/no nuclear membrane; loop of DNA/chromosome/naked DNA; no, (membrane-bound) organelles/mitochondria /chloroplasts; (peptidoglycan/murein) cell wall; AVP; e.g. plasmids	2	A nucleoid R cellulose cell wall I flagella, pili, mesosomes, capsules
5(d)	B and D in box 1 and 2 (any order); C in box 3; A and F in box 6 and box 7 (any order);	3	

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Question	Answer	Mark	Guidance
5(e)	it is (more) accurate (than traditional classification systems); easi(er)/cheap(er)/quick(er)/(more) efficient/to use (than other (named) identification methods); ora allows large-scale identification (of many species simultaneously); only trace samples are required; (DNA sequences) within a species are very similar;	1	A samples do not need to purified A early identification of (pathogenic bacteria) for infections
		Total: 12	

Question	Answer	Mark	Guidance
6(a)	(branching) veins; ora shape/broad (leaves); ora	1	I petioles
6(b)	it is (made of a group of) tissues working together to perform specific function(s);	1	
6(c)	$6CO_2 + 6H_2O$ (LHS); $C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6O_2$ (RHS); energy/light/chlorophyll;	3	
6(d)(i)	palisade (mesophyll/tissue/cells/parenchyma);	2	
	tightly packed/contain many chloroplast/stacked upright;		A lots of chlorophyll
6(d)(ii)	(upper) epidermis/epidermal cells;	2	
	transparent/allows light to pass through/thin;		

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Question	Answer	Mark	Guidance
6(d)(iii)	spongy, mesophyll/tissue/cells/parenchyma/layer; air spaces/loosely packed/gas exchange/diffusion of gases;	2	Mark points are not linked
6(e)	nitrates are useable source of nitrogen; needed to make amino acids; (amino acids) to make proteins; protein/DNA, needed for growth; to make DNA/RNA/nucleotides/bases; other suitable named use of organic nitrogenous compounds found in plants;	3	
		Total: 14	