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Generic Marking Principles

These general marking principles must be applied by all examiners when marking candidate answers. They should be applied alongside the specific content of the mark scheme or generic level descriptors for a question. Each question paper and mark scheme will also comply with these marking principles.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 1:

Marks must be awarded in line with:

- the specific content of the mark scheme or the generic level descriptors for the question
- the specific skills defined in the mark scheme or in the generic level descriptors for the question
- the standard of response required by a candidate as exemplified by the standardisation scripts.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 2:

Marks awarded are always whole marks (not half marks, or other fractions).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 3:

Marks must be awarded **positively**:

- marks are awarded for correct/valid answers, as defined in the mark scheme. However, credit is given for valid answers which go beyond the scope of the syllabus and mark scheme, referring to your Team Leader as appropriate
- marks are awarded when candidates clearly demonstrate what they know and can do
- marks are not deducted for errors
- marks are not deducted for omissions
- answers should only be judged on the quality of spelling, punctuation and grammar when these features are specifically assessed by the question as indicated by the mark scheme. The meaning, however, should be unambiguous.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 4:

Rules must be applied consistently e.g. in situations where candidates have not followed instructions or in the application of generic level descriptors.

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GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 5:

Marks should be awarded using the full range of marks defined in the mark scheme for the question (however; the use of the full mark range may be limited according to the quality of the candidate responses seen).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 6:

Marks awarded are based solely on the requirements as defined in the mark scheme. Marks should not be awarded with grade thresholds or grade descriptors in mind.

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| Question | Answer | Marks |
|----------|--|-------|
| 1(a)(i) | as light intensity increases the rate of photosynthesis increases; then plateaus / levels off / remains constant; | 2 |
| 1(a)(ii) | Rate of photosynthesis cannot be increased further by <u>light</u> intensity; other (named) factors (are limiting the rate of photosynthesis); | 2 |
| 1(b)(i) | large (air) spaces (in the spongy mesophyll layer); guard cells / stoma / stomata (to allow entry and exit of gases); | 2 |
| 1(b)(ii) | palisade (cell); labelled correctly; | 2 |
| 1(c) | C ₆ H ₁₂ O ₆ and O ₂ ; | 1 |

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| Question | Answer | Marks |
|-----------|---|-------|
| 2(a)(i) | C + 2ZnO →CO ₂ + 2Zn | 2 |
| | formulae ; balanced ; | |
| 2(a)(ii) | zinc (ions) / Zn²+ gain electrons ; | 1 |
| 2(a)(iii) | carbon is less reactive than aluminium ; | 1 |
| 2(b)(i) | bauxite ; | 1 |
| 2(b)(ii) | for mobility of ions ; | 1 |
| 2(b)(iii) | (aluminium oxide is dissolved in molten cryolite) to reduce melting point; | 1 |
| 2(b)(iv) | $Al^{3+} + 3e^{-} \rightarrow Al$ correct charges on AI; correct number of electrons; | 2 |
| 2(c)(i) | non-renewable / will run out / used faster than formed ; | 1 |
| 2(c)(ii) | recycle / example of recycling ; | 1 |

| Question | Answer | Marks |
|-----------|--|-------|
| 3(a)(i) | 12/30 = 0.4 (A); | 1 |
| 3(a)(ii) | voltage × current or 12 × 0.40 ; = 4.8 (W) ; | 2 |
| 3(a)(iii) | current × time or 0.4 × 30 (× 60) or 0.4 × 1800 ; =720 (C) ; | 2 |
| 3(b)(i) | correct label ; | 1 |
| 3(b)(ii) | correct label ; | 1 |
| 3(b)(iii) | arrow drawn from N to S ; | 1 |
| 3(b)(iv) | direct current goes in one direction / alternating current changes direction ; | 1 |
| 3(c) | higher frequency / more waves produced per second ; shorter wavelength ; compressions and rarefactions get closer together ; | 3 |

| Question | Answer | Marks |
|----------|--|-------|
| 4(a) | 74 (%); | 1 |
| 4(b) | combustion releases carbon dioxide ; photosynthesis removes carbon dioxide ; less carbon dioxide removed / less photosynthesis ; | 3 |
| 4(c) | soil erosion / lack of roots to hold soil together / rainfall washes soil away / landslides ; loss of nutrients ; flooding ; | 3 |
| 4(d) | (a unit containing all of the) <u>organisms</u> and their <u>environment</u> ; interacting together (in a given area); | 2 |

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| Question | Answer | Marks |
|----------|---|-------|
| 5(a) | Catalytic Cracking fermentation fractional polymerisation | 2 |
| | 1 correct; 3 correct; | |
| 5(b) | a hydrocarbon consists of only hydrogen and carbon ; | 1 |
| 5(c)(i) | Step 1: (22/46 =) 0.48; Step 2: (0.48 × 2 =) 0.96; Step 3: 0.96 × 44 = 42 (g); | 3 |
| 5(c)(ii) | (butane) least amount of greenhouse gas / carbon dioxide is a greenhouse gas; climate change / global warming / consequence of climate change ; | 2 |

| Question | Answer | Marks |
|-----------|--|-------|
| 6(a)(i) | visible placed correctly; | 1 |
| 6(a)(ii) | $3 \times 10^{8} \text{ (m/s)}$; | 1 |
| 6(b)(i) | value above 330 m/s and below 6000 m/s and sound travels faster in a liquid than in a gas and sound travels slower in a liquid than in a solid ; | 1 |
| 6(b)(ii) | (time in air=) 500/330 or 1.515(s) and (time in steel =) 500/6000 or 0.0833(s) ; time difference = 1.4 (s) ; | 2 |
| 6(b)(iii) | (wavelength =) velocity / frequency or 330/500; = 0.66 (m); | 2 |
| 6(b)(iv) | transverse waves – direction of oscillation/vibration perpendicular to direction of wave travel; longitudinal – direction of oscillation/vibration parallel to direction of wave travel; | 2 |

| Question | Answer | Marks |
|-----------|--|-------|
| 7(a)(i) | 0.1 (cm/min); | 1 |
| 7(a)(ii) | as temperature decreases rate of diffusion decreases ; | 1 |
| 7(a)(iii) | concentration of red dye; | 1 |
| 7(b) | concentration of red dye is higher outside the agar cube; (movement is) from high to low concentration / down a concentration gradient; by random motion of dye particles; | max 2 |
| 7(c) | carbon dioxide ; | 1 |

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| Question | | Answer | | Marks |
|----------|--|---|---|-------|
| 8(a)(i) | M_r (nitrogen) = 28 M_r (chlorine) = 71; | | | 1 |
| 8(a)(ii) | nitrogen rate of diffusion increases with same energy / in gas at same t | | es move faster than heavier particles (with | 1 |
| 8(b) | isotope | number of neutrons | number of electrons | 2 |
| | chlorine-35 | 18 | 17 | |
| | chlorine-37 | 20 | 17 | |
| | correct neutron column ; correct electron column ; | | | |
| 8(c)(i) | yellow / orange solution ; chlorine displaces bromine / ch | orine is more reactive than bromine / brom | ine is formed ; | 2 |
| 8(c)(ii) | chlorine + sodium bromide → b | romine + sodium chloride | | 2 |
| | bromine as product; all else correct; | | | |
| 8(d) | no change in colour / paler (due no reaction because bromine is | e to dilution) ; s less reactive than fluorine / reference to tr | end in reactivity down Group VII ; | 2 |

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| Question | Answer | Marks |
|----------|--|-------|
| 9(a)(i) | straight line from 0,0 through 1.0, 1.6; stopping at t = 1.3; | 2 |
| 9(a)(ii) | hammer falls faster on Earth than on the Moon ; gravity on Earth greater ; | max 4 |
| | feather falls slower on Earth than on Moon ; reference to air resistance on Earth ; | |
| | hammer falls faster than feather on Earth ; reference to air resistance on Earth ; | |
| 9(b) | astronaut stays cooler in white / would get very hot in black; white surfaces are better reflectors of thermal radiation (than black surfaces) / black surfaces are better absorbers of thermal radiation (than white surfaces); | 2 |
| 9(c) | cancer/mutation ; | 1 |
| 9(d) | ²³⁵ ₉₂ U | 2 |
| | ⁴ He ; | |

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| Question | Answer | Marks |
|-----------|---|-------|
| 10(a)(i) | lumen labelled ; wall labelled ; | 2 |
| 10(a)(ii) | valves; | 1 |
| 10(b) | carries blood at high pressure ; so it does not rupture / burst ; | 2 |
| 10(c) | any two from | max 2 |
| | high stress; smoking; reference to poor / unbalanced diet; | |
| 10(d)(i) | adrenalin ; insulin ; | 2 |
| 10(d)(ii) | causes cells to elongate ; | 1 |

| Question | Answer | Marks |
|-----------|--|-------|
| 11(a)(i) | gas syringe / measuring cylinder inverted over water ; measure volume of carbon dioxide and <u>divide</u> by time ; or balance ; measure loss in mass and <u>divide</u> by time ; | 2 |
| 11(a)(ii) | at higher temperature: (initial) rate of reaction / rate at which gas is collected, is higher; more particles possess, activation energy / minimum energy to react, / there are more <u>successful</u> collisions; greater frequency of collision; | 3 |
| 11(b) | lead nitrate; calcium chloride / sodium chloride; mix solutions; filter; | 4 |
| 11(c) | Ionic lattice / giant ionic structure ; many bonds / strong bonds / strong forces / require a large amount of energy to break bonds ; | 2 |

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| Question | Answer | Marks |
|------------|---|-------|
| 12(a) | any two from | 1 |
| | geothermal nuclear tidal ; | |
| 12(b) | increase in pressure because molecules are moving faster / have more KE; collide with walls of tyre more frequently / at greater speed / with greater force; | 2 |
| 12(c) | less stable ; | 1 |
| 12(d)(i) | two straight rays brought to a focus on the light sensor ; | 1 |
| 12(d)(ii) | speed of light in vacuum ÷ speed of light in glass ; | 1 |
| 12(d)(iii) | real image can be projected onto a screen / is formed where the light rays converge ; virtual image is one from which the light rays appear to come from that image ; | max 1 |
| 12(e) | (fixed shape because) strong forces (keep particles in regular / fixed arrangement); | 1 |

| Question | Answer | Marks |
|----------|--|-------|
| 13(a) | ref to active site; active site / enzyme, and substrate have complementary shape; so substrate can bind to active site / enzyme; | 3 |
| 13(b) | C; (C) contains proteins / enzymes are proteins; proteins turn Biuret solution purple; | 3 |

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