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| Question number | Answer |  | Notes | Marks |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 (a) | 120 to 136; ; within range of 60 to $68=1$ an indication of times $2=1$ |  | any number in working times $2=1$ <br> eg. $50 \times 2=100$ gets one mark | 1 |
| (b) | $0.00138 / 0.0014 / 1.38 \times 10^{-3} ;$ <br> allow one mark for $0.2 / 6$ or $0.03(3)$ or $0.2 / 24$ or 0.008 in working |  |  | 2 |
| (c) | surface (area) covered or exposed / side of leaf covered or exposed / place where jelly put / eq; |  | ignore quantity of jelly | 1 |
| (d) | (loss of) mass / weight; |  |  | 1 |
| (e) | light / wind / humidity / temperature / time / species / eq; |  |  | 1 |
| (f) (i) | - |  | if wrong order then allow one mark for A before D OR C before $B$ | 2 |
|  | Mass lost | Leaf |  |  |
|  | Most | A |  |  |
|  |  | C |  |  |
|  |  | B |  |  |
|  | Least | D; |  |  |
| (ii) | stomata; <br> (more) on lower surface / (fewer) on upper surface / eq; <br> A no surface covered most mass lost / water lost C upper surface covered next most mass/water lost <br> B lower surface covered less mass / water lost D both surfaces covered least mass / water lost sensible link between leaf coverage and loss of mass/water; |  | ignore guard cells <br> allow converse between surface exposed and mass lost | 3 |
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|  |  |  | Total | 12 |


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| 3 (a) | temperature recorder / eq; cooling jacket / cooling water / water in if hot / eq; |  | 2 |
| (b) | respiration produces heat; enzymes; denatured / destroyed / eq; optimum; best growth / maximum growth / more product / eq; microorganisms killed / eq; |  | 2 |
| (c) | mixing / distributing oxygen / air; for respiration; <br> mixing / distributing nutrients / microorganisms; for growth; <br> mixing / distributing heat / temperature; for respiration / enzymes; | mix air and heat $=2$ | 2 |
| (d) | pH / acidity / alkalinity; enzymes; <br> oxygen; respiration; <br> (other) microorganisms / sterility; competition / contamination / less product / eq; | mark in discrete pairs <br> ignore air | 2 |
| (e) | insulin / penicillin / antibiotic / Fusarium / mycoprotein / any named GM product / eq; | ignore bacteria / fungus / cheese / yoghurt / beer / ethanol / medicine | 1 |
|  |  | Total | 9 |


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| 4 (a) (i) | B; |  | 1 |
| (ii) | A; |  | 1 |
| (iii) | C; |  | 1 |
| (b) (i) | zygote; |  | 1 |
| (ii) | mitosis ; | ignore tick cross <br> hybrid <br> two ticks present $=0$ | 1 |
| (iii) | diploid with 46 chromosomes; |  | 3 |
| (c) | placenta; <br> from mother's blood; <br> diffusion / high conc. to low conc.; <br> large surface area / thin / eq; <br> umbilical cord; | ignore gas exchange / <br> ignore carried |  |


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| 5 (a) | ```cell membrane; cytoplasm; plasmid; nucleoid / chromosome / DNA once;``` | reject nucleus / nucleolus ignore vacuole / ribosomes / mitochondria | 3 |
| (b) (i) | enzymes; optimum; denatured / destroyed / eq; | ignore references to low pH and high pH | 2 |
| (ii) | amino acids; protein / DNA; |  | 2 |
| (iii) | active transport / active uptake; <br> low to high conc. / against conc. gradient / eq; <br> respiration / energy / ATP; <br> root hair (cells); <br> large surface area / eq; |  | 3 |
| (c) (i) | X at 100; | allow any indication at 100 | 1 |
| (ii) | 11.1\%;; <br> allow one mark for 8000 or 7200 or 800 in working |  | 2 |
| (iii) | nitrate (already) in soil / nitrogen fixing bacteria / nitrification / organic material in soil / eq; |  | 1 |
|  |  | Total | 15 |


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| 6 (a) | smaller surface area to volume ratio; <br> less heat loss / more energy measured / eq; <br> heats up slowly / avoid boiling / eq; <br> insulation / lid / cover / eq; <br> less heat/energy loss; <br> burning food close to tube / eq; <br> less heat/energy loss; <br> quick transfer of burning food / eq; <br> less heat/energy loss; <br> stir / eq; <br> even temperature; <br> avoid draft / wind; <br> less heat/energy loss; <br> digital thermometer ; <br> precision / eq; <br> use calorimeter / burn in oxygen; <br> all food burnt / less heat/energy loss; | mark in discrete pairs <br> reject idea of more <br> bread <br> ignore repeat | 2 |

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