

MARK SCHEME for the May/June 2010 question paper
for the guidance of teachers

0610 BIOLOGY

0610/22

Paper 22 (Core Theory), maximum raw mark 80

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General notes

Do not exceed the section sub-totals or question maxima.

Symbols used in mark scheme and guidance notes.

/ separates alternatives for a marking point

; separates points for the award of a mark

MP mark point - used in guidance notes when referring to numbered marking points

ORA or reverse argument / reasoning

OWTTE or words to that effect

A accept - as a correct response

R reject – this is marked with a cross and any following correct statements do not gain any marks

I ignore / irrelevant / inadequate – this response gains no mark, but any following correct answers can gain marks.

() the word / phrase in brackets is not required to gain marks but sets the context of the response for credit. e.g. (waxy) cuticle. Waxy not needed but if it was described as a cellulose cuticle then no mark is awarded.

mitosis underlined words – this word only

e.c.f. error carried forward

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	1a	1b	2a	2b	3a	3b	4a	4b	name
A	✓			✓					<i>Venerupis;</i>
B		✓			✓		✓		<i>Turritella;</i>
C		✓				✓			<i>Patella;</i>
D	✓		✓						<i>Cardium;</i>
E		✓			✓			✓	<i>Buccinum;</i>

any four correct rows, ticks + name, 1 mark each

[4]

[Total: 4]

If all five names are correct but no ticks in grid MAX 2

A – yes for a tick

R – other ticks in any row

I – crosses/no in other boxes

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2	(a) (i) to form /harden bones/teeth/enamel;	[1]	A – become stronger/strengthen A – clotting of blood
	(ii) to form haemoglobin;	[1]	A – myoglobin/enzymes/electron carriers
	(b) (i) to form chlorophyll;	[1]	A – ref. to chloroplast
	(ii) to form amino acids/proteins;	[1]	
	(c) 1 increased algal/aquatic plant growth/algal bloom;		DO NOT award points that are radically out of logical order I – omissions from sequence
	2 cover surface of water;		
	3 cut off light below water so plants die;		
	4 dead plants decompose/fed on by bacteria;		
	5 bacteria reproduce/multiply;		
	6 use up oxygen/respire aerobically/water becomes anaerobic;		
	7 animals in river die/migrate;		
	8 correct ref. to eutrophication;		
	<i>any four – 1 mark each</i>	[4]	
		[Total: 8]	

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<p>3 (a) blue – because no white flowers in offspring/in presence of inherited blue allele/OWTTE; [1]</p> <p>(b) (i) blue – BB; white – bb; [2]</p> <p>(ii) offspring – Bb; [1]</p> <p>(iii) 1 parents Bb x bb; 2 gametes B b b b; 3 offspring genotypes Bb Bb bb bb; 4 phenotypes blue, blue, white, white; 5 ratio 2 : 2/1 : 1; <i>any four – 1 mark each</i> [4]</p> <p>(c) (i) shows extremes and all intermediates (of cob length); [1]</p> <p>(ii) 1 (amount of) light; 2 (amount of) minerals; 3 (amount of) water; 4 temperature; <i>any three – 1 mark each</i> [3]</p> <p>(ii) flower colour only blue or white/no intermediate colours (thus is discontinuous variation); [1]</p> <p style="text-align: right;">[Total: 13]</p>	<p>R – Bb A – ecf from (a)</p> <p>If parent genotypes wrong then allow e.c.f. for MPs 2 and 3 only</p> <p>A – sun A – ref. to named mineral/nutrients A – rain I – humidity A – ref. to disease/damage by pest</p>
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4	(a) (arctic) plants → lemmings → (snowy) owl;	[1]	
	(b) (i) increasing numbers of lemmings reproducing;	[1]	A – snowy owl population/predators are decreasing
	(ii) 1 lemming population too large for food supply/OWTTE; 2 snowy owl population increasing; 3 thus more predation/more lemmings eaten; <i>any two – 1 mark each</i>	[2]	
	(iii) 1 as lemming population falls/rises so does the snowy owl population; 2 but with a time delay; 3 because of less/more food for the snowy owls;	[3]	
	(iv) 1 lemming population would increase/reach a peak; 2 because of less predation; 3 (after peak) levels off / falls; 4 equilibrium with plants/food/other factors coming into play/OWTTE; 5 too many lemmings for food supply to support/OWTTE: <i>any three – 1 mark each</i>	[3]	
	(c) (i) the sun;	[1]	I – light
	(ii) photosynthesis;	[1]	
	[Total: 12]		

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<p>5 (a) (i) 184;</p> <p>(ii) liver;</p> <p>(iii) line meets/cuts horizontal axis at 4 pm;</p> <p>(iv) 10 am (approx);</p> <p>(b) (i) 1 slows down nerve impulses/crossing synapses; 2 responses/reactions take longer; 3 interferes with judgements; <i>any two – 1 mark each</i></p> <p>(ii) 1 liver – causes cirrhosis/cancer/kills/destroys cells; 2 brain – damages/kills/destroys cells; 3 stomach – irritates/damages wall/lining of/cause ulcers; 4 kidney – can cause damage to cells; 5 heart – increased risk of coronary disease; <i>any two – 1 mark each</i></p> <p>(iii) 1 aggressive behaviour/fighting; 2 family break up/loss of friends; 3 inability to concentrate/poor time keeping – loss of job; 4 financial problems/money spent on alcohol; 5 lack of personal care/hygiene; 6 problems with law/theft; 7 drunk driving/higher risk of accidents/lose licence; 8 homelessness; <i>any two – 1 mark each</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">[Total: 10]</p>	<p>[1]</p> <p>[1]</p> <p>[1]</p> <p>[1]</p> <p>[2]</p> <p>[2]</p> <p>[2]</p>	<p>+/- 1 grid square</p> <p>A – response matching candidate's graph line</p> <p>A – thinking impaired</p> <p>A – can cause addiction</p> <p>A – nephrons/tubules</p> <p>A – heart attack/CVD</p> <p>A – ref. to self harm</p>
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<p>6 (a) formation of new individuals; involving one parent/no involvement of gametes/no fertilisation; [2]</p> <p>(b) (i) meiosis; [1]</p> <p>(ii) 1 all the offspring would be identical type/same variety/ flavour of fruit; 2 increase in numbers quicker; <i>any one – 1 mark</i> [1]</p> <p>(c) 1 very visible/stand out/attract insects; 2 who are attracted for nectar/pollen/food; 3 (accidentally) collect/carry pollen on body; 4 brings about pollination; <i>any three – 1 mark each</i> [3]</p> <p>(d) 1 colour attracts mammals/birds/animals/named example; 2 which eat fleshy part whole fruit; 3 and disperse seeds/OWTTE; <i>any two – 1 mark each</i> [2]</p> <p style="text-align: right;">[Total: 9]</p>	<p>reproduction is not credit worthy</p> <p>A – part of parent plant forms new offspring</p> <p>R if response has a “t” (e.g. meiotosis) A – reduction division A ref. to clones</p> <p>A – leads to fertilisation/seed formation</p> <p>R – insects</p>
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<p>7 (a) (i) homeostasis;</p> <p>(ii) 1 allows constant metabolic rate/OWTTE; 2 allows enzymes to work (at constant rate); 3 reduces risk of denaturing/destroying them; 4 mammal independent of external temperature/can function in wide range of environments/OWTTE; <i>any two – 1 mark each</i></p>	<p>[1]</p> <p>[2]</p>	<p>I – specific examples</p> <p>A – gives optimum temperature for enzymes</p>
<p>(b) (i) 37.4;</p> <p>(ii) widening of/relaxing of blood vessels/arterioles/muscles in arterioles;</p> <p>(iii) X placed on any point along downward curve;</p> <p>(iv) 1 vasodilation allows more blood to flow; 2 through surface capillaries/blood vessels; 3 more heat loss occurs; 4 by radiation; 5 by convection; 6 so body temperature falls; <i>any four – 1 mark each</i></p>	<p>[1]</p> <p>[1]</p> <p>[1]</p> <p>[4]</p> <p>[Total: 10]</p>	<p>A – capillaries are widened</p> <p>A – just before peak</p>

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<p>8 (a) (i) liver;</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">(ii) gall bladder;</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">(iii) pancreas;</p> <p>(b) 1 bile (salts) emulsify fats/oils; 2 increasing their surface area; 3 creates alkaline environment/raises pH; 4 lipase breaks down fat (molecules); 5 changing them to fatty acids and glycerol; <i>any three – 1 mark each</i></p>	<p>[1]</p> <p>[1]</p> <p>[1]</p> <p>[3]</p> <p>[Total: 6]</p>
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9	(a) (i) oxygen/dust/particles;	[1]	A – pollen A – formula for oxygen I – ref to bacteria
	(ii) carbon dioxide; water (vapour);	[2]	A – formulae for carbon dioxide and water A – in either order I – ref to bacteria
	(iii) lower;	[1]	A – cooler/colder
	(b) mix air with/bubble through lime water; which goes cloudy/white/milky;	[2]	A – hydrogencarbonate/bicarbonate indicator A – goes yellow/golden/orange
	(c) 1 (diffusion is) random movement; 2 of particles/molecules/ions; 3 from their high concentration to their lower concentration/ down concentration gradient; <i>any two – 1 mark each</i>	[2]	A – gases R – along/across concentration gradient
		[Total: 8]	