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## Biology

## Advanced Subsidiary GCE

## Mark Scheme for June 2011

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| 1 | (a) | (i) | production of vesicles / packaging proteins ; <br> modification of / processing of / adding carbohydrate to , proteins ; <br> production of lysosomes; | $\max 1$ | Mark the first answer. If the first answer is correct and an additional answer is given that is incorrect or contradicts the correct answer then = $\mathbf{0}$ marks <br> ACCEPT lipids <br> IGNORE ref to transport / secretion / exocytosis / substances / materials <br> DO NOT CREDIT stores proteins <br> ACCEPT makes glycoproteins |
| 1 | (a) | (i) | allow movement (of substances) in or out of nucleus ; <br> correctly named substance (entering or leaving nucleus) ; <br> ref to correct destination of substance ; | $\max 2$ | IGNORE messages / information / communication IGNORE name of substance for MP 1 <br> IGNORE ref to mechanism of movement <br> e.g. RNA / (m)RNA / (r)RNA (t)RNA / polymerase / nucleotides / ribosomes / helicase / proteins / (steroid) hormones <br> IGNORE ref nutrients <br> DO NOT CREDIT if incorrect direction of movement described (e.g. RNA into nucleus or RNA in and out of nucleus) <br> DO NOT CREDIT DNA as named substance <br> Note 'allows mRNA out of nucleus' = two marks <br> e.g. RNA to ribosomes or RER helicase to DNA polymerase to, DNA / gene nucleotides to DNA (steroid) hormones to , DNA / gene / chromosome |


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| 1 | (a) | (iii) | contain / release , lysins / lytic enzymes / hydrolytic enzymes / digestive enzymes ; <br> digest / break down, organelles / foreign objects / toxins / cells / pathogens ; <br> apoptosis / autolysis / described; | $\max 1$ | DO NOT CREDIT 'engulf' <br> DO NOT CREDIT 'lysosomes are digestive enzymes' <br> ACCEPT destroy <br> ACCEPT ref to digestion of contents of phagocytic vesicle <br> IGNORE ref to (unwanted) substances / materials / food <br> IGNORE ref to acrosomes |
| 1 | (b) |  | idea of more than one (type of) tissue ; <br> working together / performing a function(s) ; | 2 | ACCEPT named examples of tissues ACCEPT job or task |




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| 2 | (a) |  | phospholipids ; proteins ; glycoproteins ; cholesterol ; glycolipids ; | max 3 | Mark the first three components in continuous prose or first suggestion in bullet point $/$ (numbered) list. <br> IGNORE lipids, bilayer, hydrophilic head, hydrophobic tail, ref to intrinsic / extrinsic <br> Count all refs to different types of protein as one e.g. intrinsic protein extrinsic protein Ignore pore protein Ignore glycoprotein phospholipids $\checkmark=\mathbf{3}$ marks |
| 2 | (b) | (i) | (movement of substances) against / up , concentration gradient or from low to high concentration ; <br> using , ATP / (metabolic) energy ; <br> using a , transport / carrier , protein ; | 2 | CREDIT diffusion gradient for concentration gradient DO NOT CREDIT along / across, concentration <br> gradient <br> DO NOT CREDIT 'diffusion against concentration gradient' <br> DO NOT CREDIT pore / channel protein |


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| 2 | (b) | (ii) | (mineral) ions / salts / named e.g, (into) root hair (cell) ; <br> hydrogen ions (out of) companion cells ; <br> (mineral) ions / salts / named e.g, (across) endodermis ; sucrose out of sieve tube at sink ; <br> AVP; ; |  | Mark the first two examples. Ensure candidate refers to ions e.g. nitrates, phosphates, calcium ions, magnesium ions etc. <br> ACCEPT correct symbols with charge <br> DO NOT CREDIT ref to water <br> ACCEPT ref to loading of sucrose into , phloem cell / companion cell <br> ACCEPT ref to uptake of glucose by cells lining, (small) intestine / nephron / PCT <br> IGNORE references to endocytosis / exocytosis / phagocytosis / secretion <br> DO NOT CREDIT incorrect direction of movement if stated e.g. |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | substance | cell | (direction) |
|  |  |  |  |  | sodium/potassium ion(s) | neurone | $\mathrm{K}^{+} \text {in }$ $\mathrm{Na}^{+} \text {out }$ |
|  |  |  |  |  | sodium/potassium ion(s) | named cell | Ion pump to drive cotransport |
|  |  |  |  |  | potassium ion(s) | guard cell (to open stomata) | in |
|  |  |  |  |  | sodium ion(s) | cell of loop of Henle | out |
|  |  |  |  |  | calcium ion(s) | muscle cell | (into sarcoplasmic reticulum) |
|  |  |  |  |  | calcium ions | presynaptic knob | out |
|  |  |  |  |  | hydrogen ions | in cell , respiring (aerobically) / photosynthesising | for chemiosmosis |
|  |  |  |  |  | named ion(s) | cells lining distal convoluted tubule | in / out |
| 2 | (c) |  | osmosis ; facilitated diffusion ; diffusion ; | 3 | Mark the first answer for each example. If the first answer is correct and an additional answer is given that is incorrect or contradicts the correct answer then = 0 marks |  |  |
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| 3 | (a) | (i) | $\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{X}=\underline{\text { right }} \text { atrium } ; \\ & \mathbf{Y}=\text { aorta } ; \\ & \mathbf{Z}=\text { (left) pulmonary artery ; } \end{aligned}$ | 3 | Mark the first answer for each letter. If the first answer is correct and an additional answer is given that is incorrect or contradicts the correct answer then = 0 marks <br> ACCEPT right atria IGNORE RA <br> IGNORE PA |
| 3 | (a) | (ii) | left ventricle <br> 1 (more muscle to create) more force ; <br> 2 (needs to create) higher pressure ; <br> 3 push blood against greater, resistance / friction ; <br> 4 (left ventricle) pumps blood further / pumps blood to all parts of body / supplies systemic circulation; | 3 max | Assume answer refers to left ventricle unless otherwise stated. <br> ACCEPT ORA for left atrium throughout <br> 1 IGNORE more powerful contraction ACCEPT stronger contraction <br> 2 IGNORE withstanding or maintaining pressure <br> 4 ACCEPT pumps blood, all round body / greater distance IGNORE pumps blood to the body DO NOT CREDIT references to, right ventricle / lungs |


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| 3 | (a) | (iii) | 1 ventricular systole <br> or <br> ventricle, wall / muscle , contracts; <br> 2 (ventricular contraction) raises ventricular pressure ; <br> 3 (ventricular pressure) higher than atrial pressure ; <br> 4 idea of (pressure / movement of blood, generated by ventricular contraction) pushes valve shut; <br> 5 chordae tendinae prevent inversion; | $\max 2$ | DO NOT CREDIT statements that refer to right atrium or right ventricle <br> 1 IGNORE ref to atrial contraction <br> 4 DO NOT CREDIT 'valve shuts' alone <br> DO NOT CREDIT in context of blood flowing from atrium to ventricle resulting in pressure increase to close valve <br> 5 ACCEPT valve tendons / tendinous cords |
|  | (b) |  | aorta / (named) artery / arteries / arteriole(s) ; <br> blood / plasma ; <br> capillary / capillaries / capillary wall / <br> (capillary) endothelium ; | 3 | Mark the first answer for each role. If the first answer is correct and an additional answer is given that is incorrect or contradicts the correct answer then $=0$ marks <br> ACCEPT smooth muscle / elastic tissue / collagen / narrow lumen <br> DO NOT CREDIT valves |
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| 4 | (a) |  | (just behind) tip / apex , of root ; <br> (just behind) tip / apex , of shoot ; cambium / pericycle / vascular bundle ; bud ; | $\max 2$ | Mark the first two suggestions. <br> ACCEPT behind root cap IGNORE root unqualified <br> IGNORE stem / root unqualified / shoot unqualified <br> ACCEPT between xylem and phloem |
| 4 | (b) | (i) | 1 chromosomes / chromatin / nucleus, can be seen / are visible ; <br> 2 determine / distinguish between, different stages (of mitosis / division / cell cycle) ; <br> 3 (staining) provide contrast (between cell structures) / AW ; <br> 4 (because) different, structures / chemicals, take up different amounts of stain ; | $\max 2$ | IGNORE ref to organelles throughout <br> 1 ACCEPT DNA for chromosomes / chromatin ACCEPT chromosomes / chromatin / DNA / nucleus, not normally visible <br> 3 IGNORE different structures can be seen (this is visibility not contrast) <br> 4 IGNORE different tissues or cells, take up different amounts of stain |
| 4 | (b) | (ii) | mitosis / mitotic ; | 1 | spelling must be correct |


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| 4 | (c) | Two marks for correct answer, even if no working shown $18.00 ;$ | 2 | CREDIT 18 / 18.0 <br> If answer is incorrect or missing allow one mark for working $100-82$ <br> or $4.34 .+3.23+3.23+7.20$ <br> or <br> 18 somewhere in working |
| 4 | (d) | in meiosis (cells produced are) not genetically identical ; one set of chromosomes / haploid; (they are) gametes ; <br> four cells produced ; | max 1 | Mark the first answer. If the first answer is correct and an additional answer is given that is incorrect or contradicts the correct answer then = $\mathbf{0}$ marks <br> IGNORE ref to cells produced by mitosis (as qu asks about meiosis) <br> ACCEPT not clones <br> Award in context of genetically different from parent or from each other <br> ACCEPT half number of chromosomes / half genetic material |
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| 5 | (a) | (i) | 1 idea of not breathing through nose ; <br> 2 subject breathes, evenly / normally / regularly; <br> 3 idea of (measure) height / amplitude, of waves (from trace) ; <br> 4 measure at least three waves and calculate mean ; <br> 5 detail of how spirometer works; | $\max 3$ | 1 e.g. subject wears nose clip / plug or holds nose <br> 2 IGNORE at rest <br> 3 ACCEPT (measure) difference between peak and trough <br> ACCEPT annotated diagram / annotations on graph <br> 5 e.g. as breathe in lid goes down / <br> as breathe out lid goes up e.g. movement of lid recorded, on trace / by data logger e.g. pen attached to lid moves up/down as breathe <br> DO NOT CREDIT description of water level changing <br> IGNORE ref to using mouthpiece, soda lime, |
| 5 | (a) | (ii) | 10 further waves drawn with similar heights ; <br> trace falls ; | 2 | Look for 10 extra peaks and 10 extra troughs Note 'similar’ means no wave drawn for vital capacity - all waves should be approximately same height |


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| 5 | (a) | (iii) | 1 measure, volume of oxygen used / decrease in volume in chamber ; <br> 2 one detail of how to measure volume change ; <br> 3 measure time taken (to use this oxygen) ; <br> 4 divide (volume) by time taken ; | 3 | 1 ACCEPT annotations on graph <br> ACCEPT 'measure how much the trace has gone down' or 'measure decrease in trace' <br> 2 e.g. draw line along tips of, peaks / troughs e.g. find difference in height from one, peak / trough , to another <br> 3 ACCEPT (measure volume of oxygen used) in a given time <br> 4 ACCEPT unit stated to indicate rate has been calculated e.g. $\mathrm{dm}^{3} \mathrm{~s}^{-1} / \mathrm{dm}^{3} \mathrm{~min}^{-1}$ <br> NOTE 'draw line along tips of, peaks / troughs and calculate gradient of line' = 3 marks <br> (mark points 1, 3 \& 4) |
| 5 | (b) |  | 1 check health of volunteer ; <br> 2 oxygen used; <br> 3 new / sterilised / disinfected , mouthpiece (for each volunteer); <br> 4 idea of: soda lime working ; <br> 5 sufficient oxygen in chamber ; <br> 6 water level not too high / water must not enter tubes ; <br> 7 ensure valves working correctly ; | max 2 | Mark the first two factors. <br> 1 e.g. check medical history of volunteer ask about asthma / TB / pneumonia / flu / bronchitis / emphysema <br> 3 IGNORE clean mouthpiece <br> 4 CREDIT need to remove $\mathrm{CO}_{2} / \mathrm{CO}_{2}$ accumulates <br> 5 IGNORE enough air in chamber <br> 6 IGNORE general ref to leaks |
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| 6 | (a) | (i) | sucrose ; | 1 | Mark the first answer. If the first answer is correct and an additional answer is given that is incorrect or contradicts the correct answer then = 0 marks |
| 6 | (a) | (ii) | sink; <br> neither ; sink; | 3 | Mark the first answer for each tissue. If the first answer is correct and an additional answer is given that is incorrect or contradicts the correct answer then = 0 marks |
| 6 | (b) |  | 1 elongated elements; <br> 2 elements, joined end to end / form column ; <br> 3 sieve plates / pores in end walls / perforated end plates / sieve pores ; <br> 4 little cytoplasm / cytoplasm pushed to cell edges / thin (layer of) cytoplasm ; <br> 5 no nucleus / few organelles; | $\max 2$ | Mark the first two adaptations. <br> 1 ACCEPT cells <br> 2 ACCEPT cells <br> 3 response must refer to pores at ends of sieve elements <br> 4 IGNORE hollow <br> 5 IGNORE no organelles / few cell contents |



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