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Biology / Biology (Human) (6104/01)

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Mark Scheme (Results)

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General Principles

Symbols used in the mark scheme

Symbol	Meaning of symbol	
; semi colon	Indicates the end of a marking point.	
eq	curly brackets Indicate the beginning and end of a list of alternatives (separated by obliques) where necessary to avoid confusion.	
/ oblique		
{} curly brackets		
() round brackets		
[] square brackets Words inside square brackets are instructions or guidance for examiners.		

Crossed out work

If a candidate has crossed out an answer and written new text, the crossed out work can be ignored. If the candidate has crossed out work but written no new text, the crossed out work for that question or part question should be marked, as far as it is possible to do so.

Spelling and clarity

In general, an error made in an early part of a question is penalised when it occurs but not subsequently. The candidate is penalised once only and can gain credit in later parts of the question by correct reasoning from the earlier incorrect answer.

No marks are awarded specifically for quality of language in the written papers, except for the essays in the synoptic paper. Use of English is however taken into account as follows:

- the spelling of technical terms must be sufficiently correct for the answer to be unambiguous e.g. for amylase, 'ammalase' is acceptable whereas 'amylose' is not e.g. for glycogen, 'glicojen' is acceptable whereas 'glucagen' is not
 - e.g. for ileum, 'illeum' is acceptable whereas 'ilium' is not
 - e.g. for mitosis, 'mytosis' is acceptable whereas 'meitosis' is not
- candidates must make their meaning clear to the examiner to gain the mark.
- a correct statement that is contradicted by an incorrect statement in the same part of an answer gains no mark irrelevant material should be ignored.

Maximum mark

(a)

Feature	Nervous coordination	Hormonal coordination	
	Electrical / {along neurones / eq} / as action potential	Chemical / in the blood	;
	Fast	Slow	;
	Short	Long	;

[One mark for each correct row]

3 marks

 (b) Idea that hormones and neurotransmitters are both chemicals OR Reference to use of receptors ;

1 mark

Total 4 marks

(a) Adrenaline / epinephrine ;

1 mark

Maximum mark

- (b) 1. Muscles will be {working harder / contracting more} (during the exercise) ;
 - 2. Respiration will be greater (in the muscle cells) ;
 - 3. To produce ATP (for increased contraction) ;
 - 4. (Glycogen is broken down into) glucose ;
 - 5. (Glucose) will be produced where it is going to be needed ;
 - 6. {More efficient / eq} than transporting glucose (to the muscle) ;

4 marks

(c) Insulin ;

1 mark

Total 6 marks

Maximum mark (a) 1. H+ {binds to / picked up by} {NAD / FAD} ; 2. (Reduced coenzyme) passes H+ to {electron transport chain / carriers} ; 3. In the {inner mitochondrial membrane / cristae}; 4. H+ passed into inter membrane space ; 5. Pass back through {ATPase /stalked particles} ; 6. ADP + Pi \rightarrow ATP ; 7. Reference to oxidative phosphorylation ; 8. Reference to {chemiosmosis / H⁺ gradient} ; 4 marks (b) 20; 1 mark (c) (i) 12; 1 mark (ii) 1. Krebs cycle only occurs under aerobic conditions ; Reference to formation of reduced {NAD / FAD} (in Krebs) ; 2. 3. (This) has to be reoxidised ; 4. Oxygen acts as electron acceptor / eq ; 5. Idea that {electron transport chain won't work / oxidative phosphorylation can't occur};

6. If no oxygen {H+ / acetyl coA} would accumulate ; 3 marks

Total 9 marks

(a) (Posterior) pituitary ;

1 mark

Maximum mark

- (b) 1. {Decrease in urine production / urine production inhibited} in first 10 minutes (after injection);
 - 2 Increase in urine production in next 15 minutes ;
 - 3. Effect of ADH is temporary / eq ;
 - 4. Rate has not returned to original level ;
 - 5. Rate {decrease of 4.3 cm³ min⁻¹ / increase of 3.5 cm³ min⁻¹ / overall decrease of 0.8 cm³ min⁻¹};
 3 marks
- (c) 1. Increased permeability to water ;
 - 2. Of {collecting duct / distal convoluted tubule} ;
 - 3. Reference to {aquaporins / water channels} ;
 - 4. More water {reabsorbed / absorbed into the blood} (from the collecting duct / distal convoluted tubule) ;
 - 5. By osmosis ;

4 marks

- (d) 1. (Sodium chloride) increases the (salt) concentration of blood ;
 - 2. Detected by osmoreceptors ;
 - 3. In hypothalamus ;
 - 4. Detail of ADH {production / secretion} ;
 - 5. Increased levels of ADH in the blood (plasma) ;

3 marks

Total 11 marks

Maximum mark

Write an account of the location and functions of each of the following areas of the mammalian brain: cerebral hemispheres, cerebellum and medulla.

- 1. Receives information from sensory organs / reference to sensory input ;
- 2. Idea of {interpretation / coordination} of information ;
- 3. {Initiates / transmits} impulses (to effector) ;

Cerebral hemispheres / cerebrum

- 4. At the front of the brain / frontal lobes / fore brain ;
- 5. Reference to voluntary action ;
- 6. Reference to a named sense ;
- Reference to {thought / learning / intelligence / memory / personality / emotion / speech / language};

Cerebellum

- 8. At the back of the brain / hind brain ;
- 9. Idea of (controls) {skeletal / muscular} movement ;
- 10. Reference to {modification of movement / named example e.g. talking} ;
- 11. Balance / posture / muscle tone ;

Medulla

- 12. At top of spinal cord / hind brain / below pons ;
- 13. Reference to involuntary action ;
- 14. Involved in homeostatic control / correct named example ;
- 16. Reference to {simple reflex centre / named example} ;

Total 10 marks

(a)

Maximum mark

	Step	Appearance of the Gram negative bacteria	Appearance of the Gram positive bacteria
	After step 4	Purple	Purple
Î	After step 5	Colourless	Purple
	After step 6	Red/pink	Purple

[Any two correct for 1 mark]

3 marks

- (b)
- 1. The stain is retained by the Gram positive bacteria ;
 - 2. Gram positive bacteria have a thick cell wall ;
 - 3. The {stain / eq} washes out of the Gram negative bacteria ;
 - 4. {Ethanol / alcohol} dissolves (outer) membrane ;

2 marks

Maximum mark

- (a) 1. To {breakdown / hydrolyse} the starch (in the flour) into maltose (and some glucose);
 - 2. For the {metabolism / fermentation / respiration} of the yeast ;

2 marks

- (b) 1. Yeast {ferment / eq} the (maltose / glucose / sugar) producing carbon dioxide (and ethanol);
 - 2. (Carbon dioxide) causes the dough to rise ;

2 marks

- (c) 1. (Proving) allows time for the yeast to {ferment the sugar / produce carbon dioxide};
 - 2. Warmth increases rate of respiration / eq ;
 - 3. Warmth increases volume of {air / CO₂} (causing bread to rise) ;

2 marks

Total 6 marks

Maximum mark

- (a) 1. Damaged hyphae being repaired ;
 - 2. Acclimatising to new conditions ;
 - 3. Enzymes (for digesting nutrients in medium) being synthesized ;
 - 4. Nutrients being {absorbed / assimilated} ;

2 marks

- (b) D1. More {mould / eq} on medium A ;
 - R1. More nutrients for {growth / eq} ;
 - D2. Mould on medium A are more branched ;
 - R2. Idea that there are plenty of nutrients available in the area it is growing on ;
 - D3. Mould on medium B has longer hyphae ;
 - R3. Idea that the hyphae are extending to find more nutrients ;

[D are Description marking points and R are Reason marking points] [Maximum 2 marks for D marking points]

3 marks

- (c) 1. Subtraction of diameter at 10 hours from diameter at 24 hours ;
 - 2. Divide by 14 ;
 - 3. Growth rate of B Growth rate of A (to give correct answer in cm h^{-1});

3 marks

Total 8 marks

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Question 9	Maximum mark	
(a)	Complex ;	
	DNA ;	
	2 marks	
(b) (i) 1.	(Viral) {protein / eq} synthesis ;	
2.	(Viral) DNA synthesis ;	
3.	Idea of using host's {enzymes / mononucleotides / amino acids / ribosomes} ;	
4.	Assembly of (new) {viruses / particles} ; 3 marks	
(ii) 1.	(New) viruses burst out of bacteria ;	
2.	Idea of synchronisation (of bursting);	
3.	Idea of lots of viruses in 1 bacterial cell ; 2 marks	
(c)	RNA ;	
	Polyhedral ;	
	Contains reverse transcriptase ;	
	Enveloped ; 2 marks	
(d) 1.	Takes longer before line goes up ;	
2.	Suitable time reference ;	
3.	Line goes up ; 2 marks	
	Total 11 marks	