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Guidance for Examiners

Abbreviations, annotations and conventions used in the detailed Mark Scheme.

allow () ecf AW	= = = = = = =	alternative and acceptable answers for the same marking point separates marking points answers which are not worthy of credit answers which are not worthy of credit statements which are irrelevant answers that can be accepted words which are not essential to gain credit underlined words must be present in answer to score a mark error carried forward alternative wording
ora	=	or reverse argument
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Qı	uestic	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
1	a		alcohol consumption $\sqrt{(1)}$ current medication $\sqrt{(1)}$ favourite music $\sqrt{(1)}$ shoe size $\sqrt{(1)}$ tobacco consumption $\sqrt{(1)}$ visits to Egypt $\sqrt{(1)}$	3	if more than three ticked deduct one mark for each additional tick
	b		to reduce risk of injury / to avoid exercise being too strenuous / tailor exercise to fitness level owtte (1)	1	looking for a sensible reason not 'to see if she is healthy' allow 'judgement of current fitness level' allow 'make sure she doesn't hurt herself'
			Total	4	

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Qı	Jesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
2	а	i	assessed (1) ranked (1)	2	allow 'most serious first' or stating an example of a serious injury being treated first - one mark ignore 'prioritised' allow named examples compared for two marks, such as 'heart attacks <u>before</u> broken bones' allow 'triage' for two marks
	b		footballer with ultrasound child with X-ray man with CT scan unconscious electrocardiogra pregnant woman blood test	3	4 correct = 3 marks 3 / 2 correct = 2 marks 1 correct = 1 mark
			Total	5	

Qı	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
3	а		C (1)	1	
	b	i	acknowledgement of the procedure carrying a risk / problem / harm (1) acknowledgement of the procedure having a benefit (1)	2	allow 'benefits outweigh the risks of such a major operation' or 'risks outweigh the benefits' for two marks
		ii	best / specialist doctors (1) allows resources to be focussed in one area / best equipment (1) more efficient economically / in use all the time owtte (1)	3	 1 mark associated with staff 1 mark associated with resources/equipment/facilities 1 mark associated with cost effectiveness allow reverse argument 'centre of excellence' = one mark
			Total	6	

Qı	lesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
4	а		any two of the following: rest; ice; compression; elevation; massage; pain relief; some form of gentle / suitable exercise (2)	2	allow 'RICE' for two marks allow stretch as a form of suitable exercise
	b		suitable title (1) (1) suitable role (1) (1)	4	allow any appropriate title such as surgeon / nurse / dietician / radiologist / consultant / dentist / optician / psychiatrist not cleaner / receptionist / porter / physiotherapist / fitness instructor / social worker the role must match the title
			Total	6	

Questi	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
5 a		A trachea (1) B ribs (1) C diaphragm (1) D alveolus (1)	4	1 mark for each correct label ignore extra label lines
b		features, any two from: thin walls / (lots of) capillaries / good transport system / blood supply / large surface area / moist walls (2) explanations, any two from: allows easy diffusion / maintains concentration gradient / speed up gas exchange / facilitates diffusion of gases (2)	4	1 mark for a feature and the second mark for the related explanation not any reference to cell walls allow oxygen and carbon dioxide as named gases
C	i	any one of: different people respond differently to the same medication; different medications have different side effects in different people; often a process of trial and error to find the most suitable medication; there are lots of different treatments available for any one condition (1)	1	allow 'to see which one works best'
	ii	any two of: there is no cure for asthma; all the available medication treats the symptoms; it reduces the unpleasant feelings of asthma or enables the person to breathe but the person will still have asthma (2)	2	allow asthma is long-term / will always have it = 1 mark not restating the question 'medication has not cured his asthma'
		Total	11	

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Qı	uestion	Expected Answers		Rationale	
6	а	likely to get the stomach illness (because it is inherited) / chances of getting it are increased (1) saves her life / stops her getting it / saves money in the long term (1)	2		
	b	any two of: food easy to digest (without stomach); very small / light meals; frequent meals; five-a-day / fruit and vegetables; liquid diet (2)	2	ignore reference to fat content allow increased protein only in context of (tissue) repair for liquid diet accept examples of such food eg. yoghurt, soup	
		Total	4		

	Paper total	36	
		0	

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Qı	uesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
1	а		correctly labelled A trachea/windpipe (1) B ribs/rib cage (1) C diaphragm (1) D alveolus/air sac(s) (1)	4	1 mark for each correct label ignore extra label lines
	b		any 2 features from: thin walls / (lots of) capillaries/ large surface area/good transport system / blood supply moist walls (2) explanations, any two from: allows easy diffusion / maintains concentration gradient/ speed up gas exchange/ facilitates diffusion of gases (2)	2	1 mark for feature and the second mark for the linked explanation not any reference to cell walls allow oxygen and carbon dioxide as named gases
	С	i	any one of: different people respond differently to the same medication/ different medications have different side effects in different people/ often a process of trial and error to find the most suitable medication/ there are lots of different treatments available for any one condition (1)	1	allow 'to see which one works best'
		ii	any two of: there is no cure for asthma; all the available medication treats the symptoms; it reduces the unpleasant feelings of asthma or enables the person to breathe but the person will still have asthma (2)	2	allow asthma is long term/will always have it not restating the question 'medication has not cured his asthma'
			Total	11	

Qı	uestio	n Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
2	a	footballer knee ultrasound lady MRI scan man food X-ray child faecal sample pregnant woman CT scan	3	4 correct = 3 marks 3 correct = 2 marks 2 / 1 correct = 1 mark
	b	no surgery involved/no cutting open/ without entering body(1) qualification for second mark eg. way of finding out (structural or functional) information (inside the body)/less/no risk of infection/quicker recovery/less distressing(1)	2	ignore reference to damage/harm
	C	a suitable example such as (cancerous) tumour or to check the body organs are functioning properly(1)	1	allow answers based on how a PET scan works, different tissues absorb different amounts of radioactive chemical combined with a sugar many possible answers including bone density, coronary heart disease/blood clots/internal bleeding/tissue damage
		Total	6	

Question		Expected Answers		Rationale	
3	a	2 from: to make sure he is likely to survive the procedure/no further injury/ benefit outweighs risk/ to ensure he understands the risks involved/ so he can give his consent/ to avoid wastage of money / resources (2)	2	look for risk vs. benefit	
	b	С	1		
	С	advantages any two from:- will keep him alive for longer/ heart transplants are not easy to find/may be waiting long time/better quality of life (while waiting) (2) disadvantages any two from:-	2	looking for two different advantages and two different disadvantages	
		only temporary/all procedures carry a risk eg infection /does not want to swap his heart for a mechanical one/would mean surviving two major operations/named risk associated with artificial heart such as blood clots(2)	2	ignore body may reject	
	d	best/specialist doctors (1) allows resources to be focussed in one area/best equipment (1) more efficient economically / in use all the time owtte (1)	3	 1 mark associated with staff 1 mark associated with resources/equipment/facilities 1 mark associated with cost effectiveness 	
				allow reverse argument 'centre of excellence' = 1 mark	
	e	2 from;- pulse rate; before and after exercise to check recovery rate; ECG; check heart function; blood pressure; measurements to check heart functioning; oxygen monitor; check level of oxygen in blood;	2	looking for two different examples or one example with a good explanation	
		body temperature; to check for infection; (2) Total	12		

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Qı	Jesti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
4	а		2 from:- some people will be affected by the campaign and stop; these are less likely to go on to develop smoking related disorders; saves money for the health service (therefore more is available for other parts of NHS); reduces victims of passive smoking; (2)	2	looking for a logical argument to show that campaigns can cut spending in the long term
	b		1 mark for specific example: (1) 1 mark for further description of campaign: (1)	2	examples do not drink and drive/swine flu/giving blood/obesity/FRANK etc. look for the effect the campaign has on the individual eg. obesity causes increased risk of heart disease/drink driving gives a criminal record etc or details of how the campaign is run eg. leaflets, TV adverts ignore reference to smoking campaigns
			Total	4	

Qı	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
5	а	i	41 divided by 1.5 squared	2	allow 1 mark for the calculation if correct method
			18.2 (2)		allow 2 marks if no calculation but correct answer
		ii	underweight / eat more protein / try to increase body mass(1)	1	allow ecf
			Total	3	
			Paper total	36	

A325/01 Foundation

Questic	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
1 a		Defra law enforcement monitor food quality and safety Scene of crime officer environmental protection check air pollution public analyst consumer protection gather forensic evidence	2	 2 left hand lines correct = 1 mark 2 right hand lines correct = 1 mark do not penalise a genuine attempt to erase a line and redraw a new line. allow numbered boxes instead of lines
b		car parking facilities for workersgood health and safety proceduresvlooking after and checking equipmentvmaking sure staff are well trainedvlots of staff to carry out all the procedures	3	if more than three boxes are ticked then each incorrect box loses one mark from the total for the question the candidate cannot score less than zero
	•	Total	5	

2	а		any three from: drawings; photographs / scanned image; videos / cctv;	3	allow equipment used eg. camera these marks are about taking the image and not storing it allow mobile phone either as still photo or video but not both
	b	i	plaster cast / finger print; (3) answer between 31 and 34 mm; (1) 32 - 33 mm; (1)	2	if answer = $32 - 33$ then 2 marks 3.2 - 3.3 = 1 mark 3.2 - 3.3 cm = 2 marks
		ii	nick / dint etc out of hammer head; (1)	1	allow any indication of correct answer shown on the drawing allow idea of something on hammer head as well as nick answer must refer to this hammer ignore answers that refer to blood, DNA etc. ignore shape of hammer but accept shape on hammer
		iii	B; (1)	1	
			Total	7	

		Total	5	
	b	200; (1)	1	
				if irrigation used then marking points 2 and 3 can be reversed for sequence
				if candidates just list the words = 0 marks allow alternative words such as sample for specimen
				all four steps correct = 3 marks three steps correct = 2 marks one/two steps correct = 1 mark correct sequence = 1 mark
				wording must make sense but may all be written in just two or three sentences, so ignore 'steps' and read whole sequence. ignore irrelevant additional information
3	а	specimen OR blood OR sample onto slide; add stain; add (cover) slip; idea of using microscope; sequence correct;	4	note some candidates are using the word stain to mean the blood stain from which the specimen is taken- this does not score the "add stain" mark but could get specimen onto slide mark if the meaning is clear do not confuse the 'stain on slide' for 2 marks.

4 a	electron nucleus	2	3 correct = 2 2 or 1 correct = 1 0 correct = 0
b	is more expensive to buy has a more powerful eyepiece lens uses light instead of electrons has greater magnification ✓ is more difficult to use	1	if more than one box is ticked then box scores zero allow any other clearly identified correct response eg. shading in the box
C	images are produced on a TV screenliving material cannot be viewedvery thin samples can be viewedmaterials must be dried and fixedvery high magnification can be used	2	if more than two boxes are ticked then each incorrect box loses one mark from the total for the question the candidate cannot score less than zero
	Total	5	

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5	а	G; (1)	1	
	b	uses electrophoresis ✓ produce an image of the suspects face in profile can be used on small biological samples ✓ joins together strands of DNA	2	if more than two boxes are ticked then each incorrect box loses one mark from the total for the question the candidate cannot score less than zero
	c	two from: paternity testing / pedigree testing; identifying OR match to a person who is a suspe OR victim; diagnosing genetic disease; identifying contents in food; (2)		ignore matches blood-groups and fingerprints marks are for uses rather than how it is used ignore 'find' a suspect if example of disease given it must be correct ignore testing food
		Total	5	

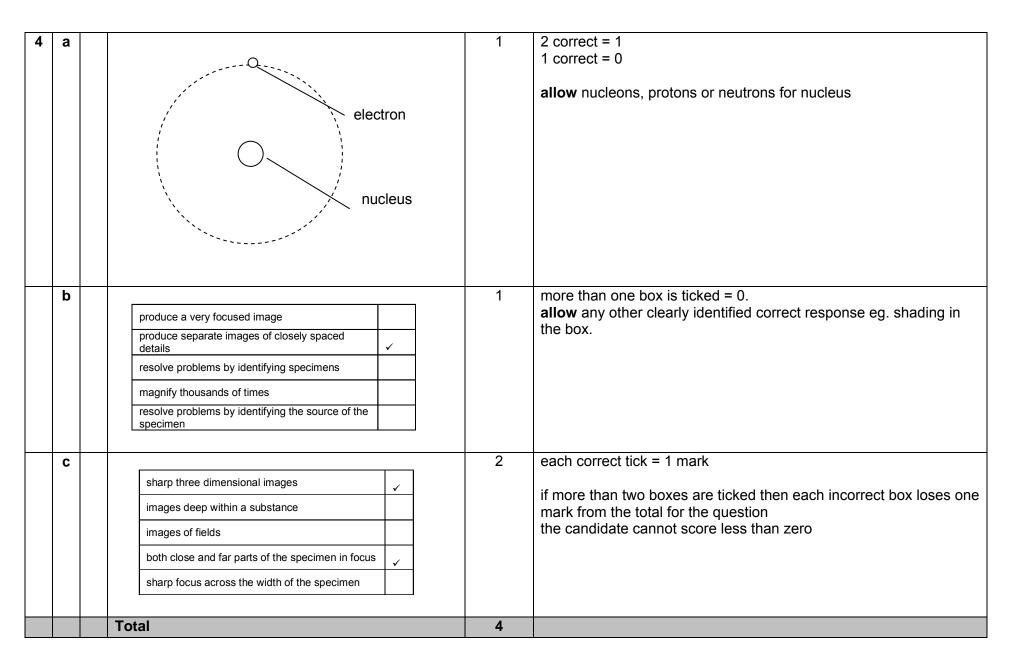
6	а	all five plots correct; (1) line of best fit straight <u>and</u> goes through 0 and all pre-plotted points; (1)	2	plots to within less than half a square of accuracy
	b	ring around 0.62; (1)	1	note you may have to reduce image size to include the table allow on graph or in table allow ring around outlier result even if plotted incorrectly
	С	0.35 – 0.37; (1) g / dm ^{3;} (1)	2	
	d	the shade of a colour the age of a substance the name of a substance the intensity of a colour	1	if more than one box is ticked then box scores zero allow any other clearly identified correct response eg. shading in the box
	e	separates colours ight microscope meter must be zeroed with a colourless solvent enlarges image chromatography limited magnification produces quantitative results colorimetry requires different solvents	3	6 or 5 = 3marks 4 or 3 = 2 marks 2 or 1 = 1 mark do not penalise a genuine attempt to erase a line and redraw a new line. allow numbered boxes instead of lines
		Total	9	
		Paper total	36	

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Question	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
1 a	Defra law enforcement monitor food quality and safety Scene of crime officer environmental protection check air pollution public analyst consumer protection gather forensic evidence	2	three left hand lines correct = 1 mark three right hand lines correct = 1 mark
b	working with other laboratoriesgood health and safety proceduresusing regular proficiency testsvmaking sure staff are well trainedvwaiting for accreditation	2	three correct ticks = 2 marks two correct ticks = 1 mark one correct tick = 0 if more than three boxes are ticked then each incorrect box loses one mark from the total for the question the candidate cannot score less than zero
	Total	4	

2	а		any three from drawings; photographs/scanned image; videos/cctv; plaster cast/finger print; (3)	3	allow equipment used eg. camera these marks are about taking the image and not storing it allow mobile phone either as still photo or video but not both
	b	i	answer between 31 and 34 mm; (1) 32 - 33 mm; (1)	2	if answer = 32 - 33 then 2 marks 3.2 - 3.3 = 1 mark 3.2 - 3.3 cm = 2 marks
		ii	nick out of hammer head; (1)	1	allow any indication of correct answer shown on the drawing allow idea of something on hammer head as well as nick answer must refer to this hammer ignore answers that refer to blood, DNA etc. ignore shape of hammer but accept shape on hammer
	С		B; (1)	1	
			Total	7	

			<pre>wording must make sense but may all be written in just two or three sentences, so ignore 'steps' and read whole sequence ignore irrelevant additional information all four steps correct = 3 marks three steps correct = 2 marks one/two steps correct = 1 mark</pre>
			<pre>correct sequence = 1 mark if candidates just list the words = 0 marks allow alternative words such as 'sample' for specimen if irrigation used then marking points 2 and 3 can be reversed for sequence</pre>
b	200; (1)	1	· ·
	Total	5	



5	a	electrode gel/paper	3	gel correct = 1 mark either side labelled as electrode or RH electrode cathode/LH electrode anode = 1 mark right hand electrode labelled negative = 1 mark
	b	indue to be	1	arrow on or adjacent to horizontal part of the gel, starting to the left of the mixture and pointing to the left = 1 mark reject if any arrows are incorrect
	С	size / mass(of particle/ion); (1) (size of) charge (of particle/ion); (1)	2	allow time and idea of applied voltage (eg. electric field) for 2 marks allow buffers/pH as alternative to charge ignore strength/temperature/applied charge ignore procedural errors eg. moving plate not just different ions
		Total	6	

6	а		axis orientation correct (concentration on x axis) and labelled; (1) plots correct; (1) line of best fit drawn through zero; (1)	3	first mark is for correct orientation of axes so can ignore units and numbers allow points within half a square non-linear scales/no numbers on scales cannot score points must match axes as labelled i.e. single line, through all correct points except outlier if point(s) plotted incorrectly look for line of best fit drawn through origin - if no numbers on scale this cannot be given as origin not shown	3
	b		The solution is more concentrated than it should be.✓Some material was spilt when making up this solution.✓All readings show a systematic error.✓Some water was left in the sample holder after a previous test.✓	1	more than one box ticked = 0	1
	С	i	lines correct; (1)	1	horizontal line at absorbance of 0.28 (vertical if axes labelled the wrong way round) which meets line of graph plus line from graph to concentration axis tolerance should be less than half a square unlabelled axes cannot score	1
		ii	yes - graph shows this result or no – graph does not show this result or no – there may be a (random or systematic) error (in producing the graph); (1)	1	answer is consequential to the value indicated by their graph – assume 0.28 is absorption ignore extra information such as values or higher/lower etc.	1
			Total	6		

7	а		89.7; 90.1; (1)	1	allow either way round	1
	b	i	the scientist is not sure how to carry out the procedure repeating the same experiment several times gives different values the error is calculated by averaging all of the results the results are consistent but not accurate all of the results are accurate and precise	1	more than one box ticked = 0	1
		ii	systematic error (1) repeated measurements or averages are consistently higher or lower than true value (1)	2	 allow an example of a systematic error eg. calibration of an instrument allow lack of checking/calibrating equipment/machines allow averages are wrong allow same wrong results each time if systematic error not identified then allow 1 mark for any example of an error in collection, recording or treatment of results from an investigation eg. mis-plotting data, miscalculation of data, operator error, faulty equipment reject errors unrelated to an investigation eg. spelling errors, unforced errors 	2
			Total	4		
			Paper total	36		

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Qu	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
1	a		comero editing suite optical fibre screen microphone processor link output	2	camera and microphone in either input block for 1 mark screen in output block for 1 mark
	b		any professionally qualified person in communications eg. • TV repair person • telephone engineer • mobile phone salesperson • electronic engineer • computer serviceperson • radio producer/editor • satellite TV engineers	1	look for someone earning a living through running, repairing, selling or providing a service in communications - and requiring some formal and necessary training allow named actors, presenter, newsreader, disc jockey
	С		pulses of infrared; (1)	1	
	d			2	 correct pattern of ticks and blanks for 2 marks one mistake for 1 mark a mistake is a tick in the wrong place a missing tick an extra tick
			Total	6	

Qu	iesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
2	а	i	to stop others getting hold of personal data eg. bank details; (1)	1	allow consequences of lack of encryption eg. theft
		ii	 any one of the following: email mobile phones police communications armed forces communications online banking (eg. ATM) 	1	not internet shopping allow any context where security of details is important
			ebay (eg.paypal)TV channels (eg. Sky)		
	b	i	any electronic storage which could be written to in this context eg. USB (memory stick), floppy disc, flash memory card, magnetic tape, CD(1)	1	not hard drive, MP3 players, Ipod, phone allow mobile (phone), blackberry, PDA
		ii	words; (1) binary; (1) bit rate; (1)	3	each correct word = 1 mark
			Total	6	

Qu	lesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
3	а		modulates / digitises; (1) transmits; (1)	2	each correct word = 1 mark
	b	i	so that he can talk to the other guards (on the same channel); (1)	1	allow to be on same wavelength / frequency as others allow so as not to interfere with other people
		ii	VHF; (1)	1	
	C			2	correct pattern for 2 marks one or two mistakes for 1 mark a mistake is • a missing link • a link in the wrong place
	d	i	so that he can walk where he likes (owtte); (1)	1	allow any reference to portability allow no wires to get in the way allow safer (less risk of shock) allow carries on working in a power cut
		ii	power doesn't run down / costs less / won't run out / no need to recharge; (1)	1	not higher power
			Total	8	

Qu	iesti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
4	а			2	correct line from top box for 1 mark either or both lines from bottom box for 1 mark
	b			2	correct pattern for 2 marks one mistake for 1 mark a mistake is • a tick in the wrong place • an extra tick • a missing tick
	С		same chip is used many different ways / economies of scale (owtte) / one chip can replace lots of others; (1)	1	allow anything which shows understanding of the term "programming" in the context of electronic devices eg. can be upgraded, made to do a different task , can be reused
			Total	5	

Qu	estic	on Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
5	a	any code used for transmission of electronic information eg. internet packet protocols, digital TV, DAB, email, ASCII, SMS (texting), Bluetooth, binary, encryption keys, Wi-Fi; (1)	2	<pre>not morse (code) each correct code = 1 mark (maximum 2) allow non-electronic codes eg. traffic lights, semaphore, whistles, alarm bells, Braille allow any communication system which uses a code eg. internet, SKY TV, intranet, mobile phones, fax,</pre>
		probably any method which sends information in digital form from one place to another; (1)		not printer, computer, keyboard on their own
	b	noise can be separated from signal at receiver (owtte); (1) signal can be manipulated / compressed / encrypted; (1)	2	each correct advantage for 1 mark not faster / cheaper allow better quality / no errors
		Total	4	

Qu	estic	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
6	а		input processor output	2	each correct box for 1 mark allow speaker not sound input, sound output
	b		amplitude; (1) alternating; (1)	2	each correct word = 1 mark
	С		passed a standard test for eg. function / safety / durability; (1)	1	allow safe to use / will do its job allow the idea that it has been checked not kitemark/BSA without qualification
	d		example eg. TV, mobile, FM radio, Wi-Fi, Bluetooth; (1) reason eg. don't need to be connected by cable / allows mobility / long distance communication; (1)	2	allow radio if enough to imply broadcast allow valid reason without an example not easy to use / cheap / fast
			Total	7	
			Paper total	36	

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Qu	estio	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
1	a	any code used for transmission of electronic information eg. internet packet protocols, digital TV, DAB, email, ASCII, SMS (texting), Bluetooth, binary, encryption keys, Wi-Fi; (1)	2	<pre>not Morse (code) each correct code = 1 mark (maximum 2) allow non-electronic codes eg. traffic lights, semaphore, whistles, alarm bells, Braille allow any communication system which uses a code eg. internet, SKY TV, intranet, mobile phones, fax,</pre>
		probably any method which sends information in digital form from one place to another; (1)		not printer, computer, keyboard on their own
	b	noise can be separated from signal at receiver (owtte); (1) signal can be manipulated / compressed / encrypted; (1)	2	each correct advantage = 1 mark (maximum 2) not faster / cheaper allow better quality / no errors
		Total	4	

Qu	estion	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
2	a	input processor output	2	each correct box = 1 mark allow speaker not sound input, sound output
	b	amplitude; (1) alternating; (1)	2	each correct word = 1 mark
	С	passed a standard test for eg. function / safety / durability; (1)	1	allow safe to use / will do its job allow the idea that it has been checked not kitemark/BSA without qualification
	d	example eg. TV, mobile, FM radio, Wi-Fi, Bluetooth; (1) reason eg. don't need to be connected by cable / allows mobility / long distance communication; (1)	2	allow radio if enough to imply broadcast allow valid reason without an example not easy to use / cheap / fast
		Total	7	

Qu	esti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
3	а		camera editing suite processor inputs	2	microphone and camera in either box on the left = 1 mark allow video recorder or sound recording allow TV (set) / screen / monitor / (TV) receiver = 1 mark
	b		 any of the following for (1) each, maximum of (2) people are in the editing suite / studio they direct what the inputs pick up they control what goes out to the link they mix the signals together they edit the program 	2	1 mark per statement (maximum 2)
	С	i	infrared (light) / light; (1)	1	
		ii	example: internet, intranets in offices, telephone; (1) reason: networks/ handle large volumes of data / excellent signal-to-noise ratio / very secure / no crosstalk; (1)	2	example for 1 mark reason for 1 mark allow fast / high speed
	d		all of the information is sent; (1) simpler circuitry can be employed; (1)	2	not cheaper / faster / easier allow easier to transmit / receive
			Total	9	

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Qu	lesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
4	а		multiply length of one cycle by time per division / measure time for one cycle; (1) divide into 1 to find frequency; (1)	2	allow a worked example or annotated sketch of cro trace allow wave instead of cycle
	b		correct substitution $V = 0.56$, $R = 22$; (1) evaluation: $I = 0.025$ A (1)	2	no ecf for incorrect substitution correct answer for [2]
	С		turns off the power; (1) when current in Sally; (1)	2	allow mains, electricity not 'the equipment' allow when Sally gets a shock / electrocuted
			Total	6	
5	а		modulated voltage signal voltage o time time	2	top graph has to be higher frequency, (constant amplitude) alternating signal (any shape) with frequency which increases and decreases in step with signal voltage for 1 mark bottom graph: any alternating signal for 1 mark any shape, number of cycles, amplitude, frequency
	b	i	300 MHz to 900 MHz; (1)	1	allow any value in the range
		ii	range of frequencies needed (to send the modulated carrier); (1)	1	not just width of the frequency band
	С		ferrite rod because it is compact (owtte); (1)	1	must have reason as well as aerial type
			Total	5	

Qu	esti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
6	а		1024		
	b		any sensible example, provided the reason describes the consequences of lack of security eg. armed forces, police, ATM, mobile phone	1	not internet or computer / file password needs both example and reason for 1 mark
	С		reduces size of file (to reduce transmission time)	1	allow speed up transmission time
	d		takes in data / information / signals (from inputs / other processors) (1) changes it and passes it on (to outputs / other processors) (1)	2	each point worth 1 mark look for high grade responses which clearly match the expected answer
			Total	5	
			Paper Total	36	

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Qu	esti	on		Expected A	Answ	ers	Marks	Rationale
1	а	i		air			1	2 or more ticks = 0
				glucose	~			
				water				
		ii		arbon dioxide	<u> </u>		1	2 or more ticks =0
			C	arbon monox	lae			
			0	xygen		~		
		iii		aerobic	~		1	2 or more ticks =0
				anaerobic		-		
				aseptic		_		
		iv		stirrers			1	2 or more ticks =0
			-	bubbles of a		~		
			-		111	•		
				minerals				
	b		any two from:				2	
			dries it; kills <i>Fusarium</i>	/kills hacteri	a.			
			so prevents c					
			light to handle	e/carry;				
			easier to store					
	С		any two from: less/low fat;				2	for more than two answers use list principle i.e. mark first two answers
			less/low / no d	cholesterol:				
			more / high fit					
			better for vege					
			Total				8	

A334/01

Qu	iesti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
2	а		Cows are female cattle	1	more than 1 tick = 0
	b		doing research on milk quality ✓ selling the milk □ collecting the milk from farms □ processing the milk □	1	more than 1 tick = 0
	С		acceptable factors acceptable explanationssubsidieshigh(er) pricelow demandlow(er) pricehigh demandhigh(er) pricefewer cowshigh(er) pricemore cowslow(er) pricehigh productivitylow(er) pricelow productivityhigh(er) price	2	either one reason plus explanation or two reasons allow depends on quality (1) depends on quantity (1) reject references to skimmed/ semi skimmed milk/ organic
	d	i	yoghurt/ cream/ cheese/butter/ ice cream	2	any three = 2marks, any one/ two =1 mark allow chocolate/ cake
		ii	yoghurt/ cheese; (1)	1	

Qu	esti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
		iii	dehydration/ pasteurisation/ manufacturing; (1)	1	
	е		any two from: microorganisms/bacteria multiply/ grow/ reproduce; contaminate; with waste/ toxic products; can cause disease/ not safe to eat; make a different product; rot/decay/ become mouldy; change taste; smell bad; (2)	2	reject not healthy/ go off/ reference to sell by date
			Total	10	
3	а		any two from: use its sperm; to fertilise <u>large female</u> pig; to get more pigs like him/ produce large pigs; breed its largest offspring; continue/ repeat for many generations; (2)	2	
	b		C (1); A (1); B (1);	3	
	C		any two from: sperm put near egg / inside female; at correct time; selected good quality sperm; (2)	2	reject (artificial insemination programme)
			Total	7	

Q	uesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
4	а		B; (1)	1	allow correct ringed equation
	b	i	<pre>conditionwater; effectless water less photosynthesis /less growth; ora; conditionwarmth/ temperature; effectless warmth less photosynthesis /less growth ;ora too high a temperature enzymes destroyed; condition(amount) of carbon dioxide effectless carbon dioxide less photosynthesis/ less growth; ora</pre>	2	 1 mark for condition 1 mark for effect condition -answer must state a condition so reject parts of hut effect- answer can be marked if condition (water, temperature, carbon dioxide) implied reject answers referring to soil allow for conditionoptimum for best/ more growth
		ii	pH meter semi quantitative inspects leaves qualitative pH indicator quantitative	2	2 or 3 correct =2 1 correct =1
				5	

Qu	esti	on		Expected Answers		Marks	Rationale
	С	i	year	mass of rhubarb crop	mass of	2	
				from garden	rhubarb		
				in kg	crop from		
					hut		
					in kg		
			1	30.5	40.1		
			2	28.5	44.5		
			3	23.5	46.2		
			total	82.5	130.8		
			mass	02.0			
			average	27.5	43.6		
			mass				
		ii	growing con	um / controlled/ favoura ditions ; ition eg. warmth/ amoun nsects;		2	allow not affected by weather
		iii	any two from softer; tender to eat better quality	1: ;;		2	ignore organic/ heavier/ bigger/better
			Total			11	
			Paper total			36	

A334/02 Higher

Qı	Jesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
1	а		carbon dioxide; (1) oxygen; (1)	2	allow correct symbols
	b	i	<pre>condition water effect less water less photosynthesis/ less growth; ora conditionwarmth/ temperature effectless warmth less photosynthesis/ less growth;ora too high a temperature enzymes destroyed; condition(amount) of carbon dioxide effectless carbon dioxide less photosynthesis/ less growth ;ora</pre>	2	 1 mark for condition 1 mark for effect condition- answer must state a condition so reject parts of hut effect- answer can be marked if condition (water, temperature, carbon dioxide) implied reject answers referring to soil allow for conditionoptimum for best/ more growth
		ii	pH meter semi quantitative inspects leaves qualitative pH indicator quantitative	2	2 or 3 correct =2 1 correct = 1
	С	i	amount of contained water varies/ contains different amounts of water;	1	
		ii	better/ optimum / controlled/ favourable/ perfect/growing conditions; named condition eg. water/ warmth; less pests/ insects; less disease; (2)	2	any two ignore light allow affected by weather
		iii	softer; tender to eat; better quality; out of season/ earlier in year; (2)	2	any two ignore organic/heavier/bigger/better
			Total	11	

Qı	uesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
2	а		(glucose) source of energy/ food; (1) (air) for oxygen/ respiration; accept mixing of contents; (1)	2	reject breathe
	b		respiration releases energy, (cooling system) avoids (heat) killing <i>Fusarium;</i> (1)	1	allow microorganisms for <i>Fusarium</i> reject cooling kills <i>Fusarium</i>
	С		advantages product continuously made/ no time lost in emptying and cleaning; (1) disadvantages cannot do small batches/ expensive to set up/ uses complicated controls; (1)	2	
	d	i	A l a g C stationary;	1	both required for one mark reject lo g
		ii	decreases; (1) rapidly to zero/ same level as at A; (1)	2	slope to roughly match that at B or steeper
		iii	turbidity/ biomass/ count colonies/ by counting a small sample and multiplying owtte; (1)	1	allow a correct description of the method
			Total	9	

Q	uesti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
3	а		any two from: use its sperm; to fertilise <u>large female</u> pig; to get more pigs like him/ produce large pigs; breed its largest offspring; continue/ repeat for many generations; (2)	2	
	b	i	collection / extraction of sperm; (1) storage of sperm; (1) insertion of sperm; (1)	3	 allow timing of insertion of sperm as a separate stage after insertion of sperm; allow screening of sperm as a separate stage after collection of sperm if there are two correct answers in the correct sequence ignore an incorrect one in between them
		ii	fertilised egg/or egg fertilised by IVF (outside body); (1) placed into uterus/womb of surrogate/ another pig/ animal; (1)	2	reject embryos fertilised
		iii	any two from: sperm put near egg/inside female; at correct time; selected good quality sperm; (2)	2	any two reject (artificial insemination programme)
			Total	9	

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QL	Jesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
4	а		any two from: no pollination / bees linked to pollination; no reproduction; no seeds/ no fruits/ no crops/ no new plants/ plants die out; no honey; (2)	2	reject fertilisation of flowers/ no new flowers
	b	i	any two from: change in genetic code; different enzymes produced; different enzymes result in different reactions/ products; (2)	2	
		ii	organisms DNA; (1) contains genetic material from a different/ another organism; (1)	2	
		iii	yeast to produce chymosin (for cheese making)	1	
			Total	7	
			Paper total	36	

A335/01 Foundation

Question	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
1		6	 1 mark for each correct connection only allow one line <u>from</u> each box allow 'heating mantle → increasing the temperature' not 'pipette → measuring the volume of a liquid approximately'.
	Total	6	

2	а		pharmaceuticals; (1)	1	
	b		organic; (1) bulk; (1) ammonia; (1)	3	
	С	i	potassium; (1) oxygen; (1)	2	allow in either order allow correct symbols
		ii	seven; (1)	1	
	d		any two from: developing / using more renewable resources; making efficient use of energy (owtte); reducing the amount of waste (owtte); (2)	2	not ideas of recycling/safety/damage to environment
			Total	9	

Qu	iesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
3	а		(they have different levels of) <u>purity / quality;</u> (1)	1	not any other terms (e.g. amount, grade, concentration)
	b	i	0.5 kg = 500 g / £9.36 ÷ 500 / 936 p ÷ 500 (=1.87 p for 1 g); (1) (1.87 x 66) = £ <u>1.23 / 123</u> p; (1)	2	correct answer gets both marks allow £1.24 or 124 p
		ii	(28 + 4 + 123) = £1.55 / 155 p ; (1)	1	allow ecf from 4bi (answer to (b)(i) +32p)
		iii	they make it in larger quantities / chemicals cost less when bought in larger amounts / he needs to buy more than he needs (owtte); (1)	1	allow it is a bulk chemical
	С		baking powder; (1) cement powder; (1)	2	
			Total	7	
4	а	i	sulfuric acid; (1)	1	
		ii	corrosive; (1)	1	
	b		copper carbonate / copper oxide; (1) will <u>react</u> with the acid (owtte); (1)	2	ignore speed of reaction
	C		increase the temperature (owtte); (1) increase the concentration (of the acid); (1)	2	allow catalyst / stir/mix/shake do not allow different temperature/more acid
			Total	6	

Qu	estic	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale	
5	а		sulfuric acid + ammonia; (1) ammonium sulphate; (1)	2	allow 'ammonia + sulfuric acid' not ammonium for ammonia on LHS	
	b		funnel; (1)	1	not filter on its own	
	C		add universal indicator; (1) it will <u>change</u> colour / goes to green / shows pH 7 <u>on the scale</u> ;(1) or add phenolphthalein; (1) it will change (from pink) to colourless; (1) or remove a drop of the mixture and test on a piece of universal indicator paper; (1) (continue) until it turns it green; (1) or use a pH meter; (1) it will read 7; (1)	2	allow pH paper allow 'smell the mixture carefully';(1) 'it will no longer smell of ammonia' (1)	
	d		do not heat / set aside for a few days (owtte); (1) so the crystals grow slowly; (1)	2		
	е		endothermic	1		
			Total	8		
			Paper Total	36		

A335/02 Higher

Q	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
1	а		funnel; (1)	1	not filter on its own
	b		add universal indicator; (1) it will <u>change</u> colour / goes to green / shows pH 7 <u>on the scale</u> (1); or add phenolphthalein; (1) it will change (from pink) to colourless; (1) or remove a drop of the mixture and test on a piece of universal indicator paper; (1) (continue) until it turns it green; (1) or use a pH meter; (1) it will read 7; (1)	2	allow pH paper allow 'smell the mixture carefully';(1) 'it will no longer smell of ammonia'; (1)
	С		do not heat / set aside for a few days (owtte); (1) so the crystals grow slowly; (1)	2	
	d		endothermic; (1)	1	
			Total	6	

Qu	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
2	а	i	(bulk) is <u>made / produced / processed;</u> (1) on a <u>larger scale</u> (than a fine chemical); (1)	2	allow reverse argument allow correct explanation as to why fine chemicals are more expensive – for 1 mark
		ii	H ₂ SO ₄ ; (1)	1	all letters must be in capitals and numbers in subscript
	b		seasonal; (1) labour; (1) equipment; (1)	3	
	С		(2 + 4) x 1000 = <u>6000;</u> (1)	1	
	d	i		3	1 mark for each correct link
		ii	functional group; (1)	1	
	e		any two from: developing / using more renewable resources; making efficient use of energy (owtte); reducing the amount of waste (owtte); (2)	2	not ideas of recycling/safety/damage to environment
			Total	13	

Qı	iesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
3	а		(they have different levels of) purity / quality; (1)	1	not any other terms (eg. amount, grade, concentration)
	b	i	0.5 kg = 500 g / £9.36 ÷ 500 / 936 p ÷ 500 (=1.87 p for 1 g); (1) (1.87 x 66) = £ <u>1.23 / 123</u> p; (1)	2	correct answer gets both marks. allow £1.24 or 124 p
		ii	they make it in larger quantities / chemicals cost less when bought in larger amounts / he needs to buy more than he needs (owtte); (1)	1	allow it is a bulk chemical
	C		any two from: baking powder; cement power; indigestion tablets; pain relief tablets; dry cake mix; sherbert; talcum powder; (2)	2	any two different answers for 1 mark each allow packet cake mix allow other correct answers
			Total	6	

Qu	lesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
4	а		formation of a <u>solid;</u> (1) from two soluble salts / forms in a solution (in a chemical reaction); (1)	2	must describe the process
	b		copper carbonate \checkmark (1) lead sulfate \checkmark (1)	2	
	С	i	*	1	
		ii	(136 - 40 + 23 + 23 / 23 + 23 + 32 + 4(16) =) <u>142</u> ; (1)	1	
		iii	164 g Ca(NO ₃) ₂ : 136 g CaSO ₄ / 1 Ca(NO ₃) ₂ : 1 CaSO ₄ ;(1) 8.2 g Ca(NO ₃) ₂ : <u>6.8</u> g CaSO ₄ ; (1)	2	correct answer gets both marks
		iv	to make sure all the calcium nitrate reacts (owtte); (1)	1	
		v	to <u>wash off / dissolve;</u> (1) any soluble salts / unreacted sodium sulfate/calcium nitrate/sodium nitrate; (1)	2	not 'to purify' or 'to clean'
			Total	11	

	Paper Total	36	

A336/01 Foundation

Qı	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
1	а		brick copper rubber polymer	3	
	b		B, C, A - in this order	2	all correct scores 2 marks one or two correct scores 1 mark
	C		brick for a house wall copper for wiring rubber tubing for a Bunsen burner for winer for a burner for a burner	2	mark from left box to right box, if two lines from left box then this box is incorrect. all correct scores 2 marks. one or two correct scores 1 mark.
			Total	7	

2	а	i	arrow pointing to left / away from tin / towards hand; (1)	1	if blank then check diagram for answer
		ii	does not move; (1)	1	
		iii	wood wetal high thermal expansion high thermal conductance	2	wood- low thermal conductance; metal - high thermal conductance;
	b		high thermal conductance/conductivity/ lets heat through better/good conductor; (1) low density/ light (owtte); (1)	2	eg. conducts quicker, heats up quicker, conducts more heat. if number from table given then it must be a comparison between Al and steel. not 'attracts more heat' watch out for incorrect reasoning eg. 'It has less tensile strength so it is lighter' is zero
			Total	6	

Qı	uestion	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
3	a	safe bus windows– toughened glass; (1) flower vase – lead glass; (1) sunglasses – photochromic; (1)	3	
	b	lenses – transparent; (1) bathroom window- translucent; (1) mirror – reflective; (1)	3	allow transparent for mirror
		Total	6	
4	a	any three from: sensible set up which will compress mortar; method to increase compression; method to take a numerical measurement at failure point; repeat (for reliability); (3)	3	eg. squash mortar between hands = 1 mark place mortar in a G clamp and tighten = 2 marks add weights on top of mortar until mortar crumbles and take final weight = 3 marks if no compression then zero i.e. knocking over, breaking, beams between supports, cantilevers all zero
	b	steel-reinforced concrete; (1)	1	
	C	example of composite; (1) valid example of use of a composite material; (1)	2	use of the material must be correct for material given if material is not a composite then zero eg. carbon fibre composite in racing cars; fibre reinforced plastic in canoes; laminated glass in car windows; plywood/chip board in furniture; reinforced glass in door windows; not concrete, brick, gravel, cement, lead glass
		Total	6	

Qı	uesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
5	а		real; (1) inverted; (1)	2	allow upright (on screen), upside down
	b	i	E; (1)	1	if no response check diagram
		ii	B; (1)	1	if no response check diagram
	С	i	shorter; (1)	1	
		ii	dioptres; (1)	1	allow D, m ⁻¹ , allow phonetic spelling eg. diobters
			Total	6	
6	а	i	elastic; (1)	1	allow elasticated, elastically, elasticity not flexible
		ii	plastic; (1)	1	allow plastically. not non-elastic or inelastic
	b	i	120 (N); (1)	1	allow 114 – 126 (N)
		ii	1.2 (%); (1)	1	allow 1.1(%) to 1.3(%) ecf, answer must be consistent with answer to 6b(i)
		iii	(yes) because returns to original shape up to 1.2 / answer to (ii)	1	if (ii) is less than 1% then answer to (iii) must be 'no because it is permanently stretched'
					eg. yes because it is a straight line, yes because graph shows a steady increase, yes because answer is less than answer 6b(ii) allow poor English but give for sensible reference to less than 1.2%/120N
			Total	5	
			Paper Total	36	

A336/02 Higher

Qı	uesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
1	а		real; (1) inverted; (1)	2	allow upright (on screen), upside down
	b	i	E; (1)	1	if no response check diagram
		ii	B; (1)	1	if no response check diagram
	С	i	shorter; (1)	1	
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		iii	(yes) because returns to original shape up to 1.2 / answer to (ii); (1)	1	if (ii) is less than 1% then answer to (iii) must be no, because it is permanently stretched
					eg. yes because it is a straight line, yes because graph shows a steady increase, yes because answer is less than answer 2b(ii) allow poor English, but give for sensible reference to less than 1.2%/120N
			Total	5	

Q	uesti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
3	а		a solid solution; (1)	1	
	b	i	by (cold) rolling; (1)	1	
		ii	it is annealed/ heated in a controlled way / atmosphere; (1)	1	not just 'heated'
		iii	idea of molten / liquid metal; (1)	1	
	C	i	BS/ BSI/kitemark/ CE; (1)	1	allow National Tennis Federation, European Committee, FSA (Food Standards Agency), British Standards reject ISO
		ii	the principle of artefact being tested beyond the normal operating conditions (1)	1	eg. bridge tested beyond normal load, appliance switched on for much longer than normal, overloaded climbing frame, food edible well beyond 'use by' date. reject simply a 'safety' test
			Total	6	

Q	uesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
4	а	i	add struts or supports/ improve shape / increase thickness / use stiffer or stronger materials/triangulation; (1)	1	reject named material without justification
		ii	one mark for each material/component with clear description of property and function	2	must have two materials/components for example: cycle helmet: rigid outer layer spreads force; lining crumples so absorbs energy; conductor & insulator examples acceptable
	b	i	reduced force; (1) increased time of collision; (1) same (change in) momentum; (1)	3	mark each point separately allow increased stopping distance
		ii	force x 0.3 = 1100 x 13.5; (1) force = 1100 x 13.5/0.3 or 14,850/0.3 ecf; (1) 49500 ecf; = (1) accept -49,500 N	3	one mark each for substitution, rearrangement and evaluation allow one mark for evaluating 1100 x (their Δv) eg. 1100 x (13.5-0.3) = 14250 (bare 14250 worth 1 mark)
			Total	9	

Q	uesti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
5	а		polymer + example)metals (and alloys) + example)ceramics + example)woods (and wood products) + example)	2	reject alloys as a class reject plastic as an example allow alloys as example of metals
	b		useful property of one component material; (1) drawback of one material; (1) useful property added by second component to overcome drawback; (1)	3	example must be a composite material otherwise zero for example: <i>concrete</i> strong in compression (not low density); but weak in tension; steel wires add tensile strength (not simply stronger); <i>fibres</i> strong in tension; but brittle; set in tough (not strong) matrix;
	С		one mark for each property with justification	2	a context must be given for two marks answers should refer to one material with two properties - a composite is regarded as one material (ignore comments relating to components of composite) for one mark accept one property of one material cost acceptable if given clear context
	d	i	properties (or example of property) are affected by temperature; (1)	1	allow references to melting
		ii	thermal expansion might not match; (1) consequence of mismatch; (1)	2	no marks for simply mentioning expansion reject references to brittleness
			Total	10	
			Paper Total	36	

Grade Thresholds

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Unit Threshold Marks

U	nit	Maximum Mark	A *	Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	U
A324/01	Raw	36				22	18	15	12	9	0
	UMS	34				30	25	20	15	10	0
A324/02	Raw	36	31	26	21	17	13	11			
	UMS	50	45	40	35	30	25	23			
A325/01	Raw	36				25	21	17	14	11	0
	UMS	34				30	25	20	15	10	0
A325/02	Raw	36	31	26	21	17	11	8			
	UMS	50	45	40	35	30	25	23			
A326/01	Raw	36				21	18	15	12	9	0
	UMS	34				30	25	20	15	10	0
A326/02	Raw	36	29	23	17	12	8	6			
	UMS	50	45	40	35	30	25	23			
A334/01	Raw	36				23	19	15	11	7	0
	UMS	34				30	25	20	15	10	0
A334/02	Raw	36	23	19	15	12	8	6			
	UMS	50	45	40	35	30	25	23			
A335/01	Raw	36				20	17	14	11	8	0
	UMS	34				30	25	20	15	10	0
A335/02	Raw	36	28	22	16	10	7	5			
	UMS	50	45	40	35	30	25	23			
A336/01	Raw	36				21	18	16	14	12	0
	UMS	34				30	25	20	15	10	0
A336/02	Raw	36	27	21	15	10	7	5			
	UMS	50	45	40	35	30	25	23			
A337	Raw	96	91	83	74	66	56	46	36	26	0
	UMS	150	135	120	105	90	75	60	45	30	0

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	Maximum Mark	A *	Α	В	С	D	Е	F	G	U
J632	300	270	240	210	180	150	120	90	60	0

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	A *	Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	U	Total No. of Cands
J632	0.03	0.8	7.6	33.9	64.2	83.1	92.8	97.4	100.0	27177

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