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Annotations

Used in the detailed Mark Scheme:

Annotation	Meaning
1	alternative and acceptable answers for the same marking point
(1)	separates marking points
not/reject	answers which are not worthy of credit
ignore	statements which are irrelevant – applies to neutral answers
allow/accept	answers that can be accepted
(words)	words which are not essential to gain credit
words	underlined words must be present in answer to score a mark
ecf	error carried forward
AW/owtte	alternative wording
ORA	or reverse argument

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2	indicate uncertainty or ambiguity
800)	benefit of doubt
GON	contradiction
×	incorrect response
EGF	error carried forward
0	draw attention to particular part of candidate's response
	draw attention to particular part of candidate's response
~~	draw attention to particular part of candidate's response
2.000	no benefit of doubt

	reject
	correct response
	draw attention to particular part of candidate's response
A	information omitted

C	luesti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
1	(a)		21% = oxygen; 0.03% = carbon dioxide; 78% = nitrogen	3	accept correct formulae
	(b)		any two of: more carbon dioxide; more named pollutant e.g SO ₂ , NO, CO, (tropospheric) ozone, smog, methane, hydrocarbons, greenhouse gases; ozone layer damage;	2	ignore 'more pollution' / less oxygen ignore 'humans produce' accept (2) for TWO correctly NAMED pollutants
			increased temperature		ignore references to global warming/climate change
	(c)	(i)	any two of: coal gas oil peat	2	accept methane accept example of oil based fuel e.g. petrol/diesel
		(ii)	combustion/burning	1	ignore 'as heat'
	(d)		crystallization evaporation photosynthesis respiration ✓	1	

Question	Answer		Guidance	
(e)		2		
	biofuels			
	biomass			
	hydroelectric			
	Petrol			
	wind turbines			
		Total 11		

Q	uesti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
2	(a)		iron	1	ignore 1535
	(b)		2.70 stated somewhere in answer;	2	
			x5 = 13.50		answer 13.5 scores (2)
	(c)		aluminium;	2	
			because much lighter AND good conductor/does not corrode;		allow AW
			allow (1) for <u>copper</u> because <u>excellent conductivity</u> and <u>corrodes slowly</u>		apply list principle if incorrect properties are mentioned
	(d)	(i)	expensive / cost	1	apply list principle if incorrect properties are mentioned
		(ii)	excellent conductivity;	2	apply list principle if incorrect properties are mentioned
			doesn't corrode		allow corrodes very slowly
	(e)		polymers are made of carbon and hydrogen atoms polymers are insulators polymers are very flexible polymers have low melting points	2	
			polymers are made from crude oil	40	
			Total	10	

Question		on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
3	(a)		(yes because) she drinks more per week / more than the 14 maximum; her total for the week is 21	2	allow (2) for 'she has 7 units too many'
	(b)		different body mass / weight / men are heavier/bigger	1	
	(c)	(i)	glucose; oxygen	2	
		(ii)	pumps <u>blood</u>	1	
	(d)		any two of: no smell of smoke / hair / teeth / hands / skin cleaner; clearer lungs/throat /no cough / easier breathing / no respiratory disease / more oxygen available; inhales less carbon monoxide; less likely to get cancer; less likely to get heart disease / healthier heart / improved circulation; improved taste/smell; longer life expectancy; less risk of infertility	2	ignore passive smoking ignore fitter / healthier lung cancer = (2)
			Total	8	

Q	uesti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
4	(a)		wheat/crop/plants → greenfly → ladybirds	1	
	(b)	(i)	increases	1	
		(ii)	(greenfly) eat wheat/crops/plants	1	
	(c)		any three of: decreases yield / less wheat/crop/plants; ladybirds eat greenfly; more greenfly; greenfly eat wheat	3	
	(d)	(i)	nitrates; phosphates	2	
		(ii)	the roots	1	
	(e)		less light / less space / less water / less minerals / less nutrients / competition idea	1	
	(f)		harms <u>other</u> plants / harms animals or humans / not organic	1	ignore taste ignore harms the wheat/crop ignore gets into water ideas
			Total	11	

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Q	Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
5	(a)		advantage: no noise / less traffic / lose eyesore / more land available for development	2	ignore CO ₂ / pollution
			disadvantage: no jobs / less money available (locally)		
	(b)		research and development of new processes selling the steel to customers checking the quality of the steel interviewing new office employees arranging the transport of the steel around the country	1	both needed
	(c)		element: iron / carbon / calcium compound: carbon monoxide / carbon dioxide / calcium carbonate / iron oxide mixture: air / slag / limestone / iron ore / gases / coke	1	one example of each required
	(d)		mixture of mineral with waste rock	1	
	(e)	(i)	carbon dioxide	1	accept CO ₂
		(ii)	iron oxide + carbon monoxide → iron + carbon dioxide	1	allow ecf from (i)

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
(f)	name formula CaCO ₃ iron Fe ₂ O ₃ calcium carbonate CO ₂ iron oxide CO carbon dioxide Fe	2	all correct = 2 marks 3 correct = 1 marks 0,1 or 2 correct = 0 marks
(g)	lead	1	
	Total	10	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
6 (a) (i)	radio visible light	2	
(ii)	any two of: IR / infrared UV / ultraviolet x-ray gamma (rays) / γ	2	allow microwave allow microwave
(iii)	ultraviolet / uv	1	
(iv)	radio waves have a longer wavelength than ultraviolet waves radio waves can be seen by the human eye, ultraviolet waves cannot ultraviolet waves have a higher frequency than radio waves ultraviolet waves have a larger wavelength than radio waves radio waves don't have a frequency, ultraviolet waves do radio waves and ultraviolet waves travel at different speeds through space	2	
(b) (i)	stars / named star / type of star (1) galaxies / named galaxies / type of galaxy (1)	2	accept other correct examples e.g. black-hole, nebula
(ii)	brightness distance spectrum time	1	
	Total	10	

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