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Qı	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
1	а		any two from: use less electricity/power / more energy efficient; less fossil fuels burnt; fossil fuels produce CO ₂ when burnt	2	IGNORE use less energy / energy wasted / less heat given out / less CO ₂ in the atmosphere
	b	i	neutrons	1	
		ii	80	1	
	С		true false three of the chemicals are compounds mercury is a non-metal sulphur atoms react with oxygen atoms	2	all 4 correct = 2 marks 2/3 correct = 1 mark 1 correct = 0 marks
			all the chemicals are inorganic ✓	2	
	d		any two from: idea of remove mercury / remove toxic gases; treating/filtering/decontaminating/purifying/scrubbing gases or water; prevent mine water from entering rivers/water supplies/land; idea of decontaminating poisoned land; provide bottled water / alternative water supply;		IGNORE stopping/reducing water or gases leaving the mine – this is insufficient
	е		hiring people to work in the mines working out the best conditions for the heating process organising transport for raw materials checking the quality of the mercury that is made managing the money for the company	2	
			Total	[10]	

Q	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
2	а	i	moving/changing genes/DNA; idea of from one organism to another organism;	2	ignore chromosomes /parts of genes accept cell/nucleus plant/animal / monkey to monkey
		ii	involves genes / alleles / chromosomes / DNA; genetic disease is inherited / passed on /passed down / through the family (from parents) OR infectious disease can be caught / caused by micro-organisms;	2	IGNORE born with / cannot get better
	b	i	for – idea enriches life eg improves quality of life, better choice of fashion / needed for a career or hobby / safety argument against – playing God / unnatural / reduces diversity / may cause new problems/side effects / only tested on monkeys / may not work in humans	1	IGNORE can see / see better / see colour / happier / nicer IGNORE It can go wrong / make you go blind
		ii	1 st row – cystic fibrosis 4 th row – Huntington's chorea	2	
	С		A genes / alleles / DNA B sexual / sex	2	DO NOT ACCEPT genetic
			Total	[10]	

Que	Question		Expected answers	Marks	Additional guidance
3	а	i	1 st row 3 rd row	2	
		ii	any 3 from: increase in oxygen (in atmosphere); decrease in carbon dioxide in atmosphere; photosynthesis; plants use carbon dioxide / give off oxygen;	3	
	b		thermal plume; - pushes new rock up/ rising magma; convection current - drags/pushes plate along; gravity - pulls plate down;	3	one mark for name of force and one mark for explanation max 2 marks with no explanation give credit for correct explanation or diagram max 1 mark for explanation with no force identified
	С		2 nd row 5 th row	2	
			Total	[10]	

Que	Question		Expected answers	Marks	Additional guidance
4	а	i	$C_6H_{12}O_6$	1	
			O ₂ AND H ₂ O	1	
		ii	any two from: increased CO ₂ in blood; detected by brain; brain increases breathing rate	2	
		iii	CO ₂ is toxic/poisonous / decreases blood pH	1	
	b		up/out down; lower / less. enters/goes into;	2	accept diaphragm flattens
	С		any two from: insufficient oxygen; leads to anaerobic respiration; build up of lactic acid	2	
			Total	[9]	

Que	Question		Expected answers	Marks	Additional guidance
5	а		any two from: improved properties; specific examples eg lighter; stronger; more durable; more heat resistant	2	do not accept can be shaped, flexible.
	b	i	cross links shown (at least 3) eg	1	do not allow just tangled
		ii	any two from: cross links prevent movement of chains; polymer A/ no crosslink polymer melts; polymer B/crossed linked polymer more heat resistant / doesn't melt / chars;	2	
	С	i	: 2(MgO)	1	
		ii	correct electrons 2,8; Mg ²⁺ / Mg ⁺⁺	2	
		iii	T F F	2	all correct = 2 marks 2 or 3 correct = 1 mark
			Total	[10]	

Que	Question		Expected answers	Marks	Additional guidance	
6	а		will not run out idea eg is not finite/limited	1	do not allow 'can be remade' or 'can be reused'	
	b	i	wave energy = 8250 (kJ) AND electrical energy = 750 (kJ) (1) wasted energy = 7500 (kJ) (1)	2		
		ii	efficiency = useful energy output x100/energy input OR efficiency =750 x 100 ÷ 8250; (1) 9 or 9.09 or 9.1 (1)	2	correct numerical answer gains 2 marks. 0.09 gains 1 marks	
	С		speed = $f\lambda$ or 0.6×4 (1) 2.4 (1)	2	correct numerical answer gains 2 marks	
	d	i	P x t OR 750 x 24 OR 750 x 24 x 60 x 60 (1) 18,000 (kWh) (1)	2	correct numerical answer gains 2 marks unit must match numerical answer eg 18 MWh / 18,000,000 Wh / OR	
		ii	current = power ÷ voltage or 750 ÷ 11,000 (1)	2	64,800,000 J/ 64.8 MJ / 64800 kJ correct numerical answer gains 2 marks	
			0.06(818) or 0.07 (1) Total	[11]		
			Total	L''I		
			Paper Total	[60]		

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