

# **GCSE**

# **Further Additional Science B**

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#### Annotations used in scoris

Annotation	Meaning	
	correct response	
×	incorrect response	
BOD	benefit of the doubt	
NBOD	benefit of the doubt <u>not</u> given	
ECF	error carried forward	
^	information omitted	
I	ignore	
R	reject	
CON	contradiction	

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

/ = alternative and acceptable answers for the same marking point

(1) = separates marking pointsallow = answers that can be accepted

not = answers which are not worthy of credit
reject = answers which are not worthy of credit

**ignore** = statements which are irrelevant

() = words which are not essential to gain credit

= underlined words must be present in answer to score a mark (although not correctly spelt unless otherwise stated)

ecf = error carried forward AW = alternative wording ora = or reverse argument

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
1 a i	protease (1)	1	allow pepsin (1) allow protase (1)
a ii	amino acids (1)	1	allow polypeptides / peptides (1)
b	idea of pH too high <b>or</b> pH not low (enough) (1)	2	allow pH goes up (1) ignore makes it less acid
	idea that (stomach) enzymes only work well in acid conditions <b>or</b> at low pH (1)		allow optimum pH for enzyme activity not achieved / enzymes are denatured (1) ignore takes longer for enzymes to digest food (1) allow acid lowers the pH to provide optimum conditions for enzymes to work (2)
С	any two from:	2	answer must include adaptation <b>and</b> explanation e.g. is very long = 0
	villi to increase surface area / villi provide large surface area (1)		allow microvilli?
	(very) <b>long</b> so more time for absorption / <b>long</b> so everything gets absorbed (by the end) (1)		allow a value around 7m allow long so more digested food absorbed (1)
	thin (lining) or permeable or semi-permeable lining so food molecules can pass through (quickly) or be absorbed (quickly) (1)		allow thin walls or walls one cell thick so food molecules can pass through (quickly) (1) ignore thin membrane
	many capillaries or capillary network to take digested food away or to maintain a concentration gradient (1)		allow blood vessels for capillaries ignore veins or arteries ignore moist surface / flexible / references to lymphatic system
	Total	6	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
2 a i	<b>A</b> + (1)	3	allow A positive / A Rhesus positive (1) ignore just A or just + not anti-A+ or anti-A positive
	if A is correct then		
	any one from:		
	agglutination or reacted or clumping with anti(body) <b>A</b> (1)		allow clotting with anti(body) A (1)
	no agglutination with Anti-B (1)		allow no clotting with Anti-B (1)
	if + is correct then		
	agglutination or reacted or clumping with anti-Rhesus (1)		allow clotting with anti-Rhesus (1)
a ii		1	process and reason required for 1 mark
	agglutination or reaction or clumping occurs  because		allow clotting ignore reject(ion) or not reject(ion)
	of the B antibodies reacting with the B antigens in the donor blood (1)		
b i	irregular heartbeat = C	1	all correct for 1 mark
	fast heartbeat = A		
	slow heartbeat = B (1)		
b ii	impulses or current being sent from SAN or sino-atrial node or pacemaker cells (1)	1	allow atrial contraction / ventricles relaxing / blood is beginning to flow from atria to ventricles (1) ignore just heart contracting / blood entering the atria not aorta contracting
	Total	6	

Que	sti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
4	а	i	0.80 (1)	1	accept any number in the range 0.75 to 0.85 to 2 decimal places allow 0.8 (1)
	а	ii	any one from:	1	
			idea the foetus grows at different rates / the foetus has growth spurts (for head size) (1)		
			idea that the growth between one day and the next is so small that problems could not be detected (1)		
			measurement for one day does not allow you to make a comparison for that foetus (1)		
			one particular day could be an anomaly (1)		
			measurements could be taken from scans which could be inaccurate (1)		
			the position of the baby in the womb could affect the measurement taken (1)		

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
b i	any three from:	3	
	amniocentesis (1)		allow ultrasound to look at the features of the foetus (1) ignore just blood tests / just sampling / ultra scan
	description of amniocentesis (1)		descriptions include: sample the amniotic fluid / insert needle into amniotic sac or amniotic fluid / take cells from (around) foetus (1)  ignore insert needle into foetus / insert needle into placenta
	chromosomal analysis (1)		allow counting chromosomes / looking for damaged chromosomes (1) ignore looking at cells
	idea that the chromosome number will be different (1)		ignore genes will be different
			if idea of looking for <b>extra</b> chromosomes or that there are <b>47</b> chromosomes (2)
			as an extra marking points allow CVS / chorionic villus sampling (1) allow triple test / combined test (1) allow description of the combined test (1)

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
b ii	for identify problems with foetus (1) but identify problems with foetus and can decide about abortion (2) idea of putting their mind at rest (1) idea that parents are prepared for a child with (genetic) disorder (1) but idea that parents are prepared for a child with (genetic) disorder and can decide about abortion (2)  against may lead to decision about abortion (1) could be used to identify sex of foetus (1) may harm the foetus / may lead to miscarriage (1) idea that testing is not 100% accurate (1)	2	allow parents deserve to know what their child will be like (1) allow so they know their child will have Downs syndrome (1)  allow ethical reasons e.g. 'against God' / 'against human nature' / foetus has the 'right to live' / religious reasons e.g. baby will be how God wants it to be / foetus has no say (1)
	Total	7	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
5 a	calcium carbonate runs out (1) but calcium carbonate is the limiting reactant (2)	2	allow calcium carbonate runs out first (2) allow calcium carbonate is not in excess (2) ignore the hydrochloric acid is in excess
b	0.36 (g) (1)	1	allow ± 0.01
С	0.005 or 5 x 10 <sup>-3</sup> (2)  if answer incorrect then	2	
	120 24000 (1)		
	Total	5	

Questi	on Answer	Marks	Guidance
6 a	CuSO <sub>4</sub> .5H <sub>2</sub> O → CuSO <sub>4</sub> + 5H <sub>2</sub> O formulae (1) balancing (1)	2	balancing mark is conditional on correct formulae  but  allow one mark for balanced equation with minor errors of subscripts, superscripts, etc. e.g.  CuSo₄.5H₂O → CUSO⁴ + 5H₂O  allow CuSO₄.5H₂O + heat → CuSO₄ + 5H₂O (1)  not and or & for +  allow = instead of →  allow correct multiples e.g. 2CuSO₄.5H₂O → 2CuSO₄ + 10H₂O
b	mass of anhydrous copper sulfate = 0.96(g) (1) mass of water = 0.54(g) (1)	2	If no other mark <b>allow</b> 96 <b>and</b> 54 / 9.6 <b>and</b> 5.4 (1)
С	yes / no (no mark) evidence from copper sulphate table supporting the prediction e.g. when you go from 1g to 2g the mass goes from 0.36g to 0.72g (which doubles) (1)  evidence from sodium carbonate table not supporting the prediction e.g. when you go from 1g to 2g the mass goes from 0.63g to 1.00g (which does not double) (1)	2	allow ecf from (b)
	Total	6	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
7 a	CH (1)	1	allow HC (1)
b i	CH <sub>3</sub> O (2) if formula incorrect then any two from 38.7 9.7 51.6 or 3.225: 9.7: 3.225 (1) 12 1 16	2	allow any order
ii	$C_2H_6O_2$ (1)	1	allow any order
	Total	4	

Questio	n Answer	Marks	Guidance
8 a	atmospheric pressure (1)	1	allow low pressure / pressure of 1 to 3 atmospheres (1) ignore just 'pressure' ignore standard or normal pressure
b	idea that high temperature reduces yield of sulfur trioxide / ora (1)  idea that increasing temperature increases rate of reaction / ora (1)  so 450°C is a compromise or optimum temperature (1)	2	allow idea that high temperature moves equilibrium to the left / ora (1)  allow from 350°C to 450 °C the rate increases (1) allow higher level answers referring to collision frequency ignore enzymes
С	rate of reaction increases percentage yield unchanged (1)	1	both required
	Total	4	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
9	Level 3 Candidate mixes barium chloride and sodium sulfate solution, filters the mixture and washes and dries the precipitate AND writes a correct ionic equation. Quality of written communication does not impede communication of the science at this level.  (5 – 6 marks)	6	This question is targeted at grades up to A/A*.  Indicative scientific points at levels 2 and 3 may include:  • mixing of solutions  • filtration  • washes precipitate / residue  • dries precipitate  • drying in an oven or on window sill  • Ba²⁺ + SO₄²⁻ → BaSO₄
	Level 2 Candidate mixes barium chloride and sodium sulfate solution, filters the mixture and washes or dries the precipitate OR writes a correct ionic equation. Quality of written communication partly impedes communication of the science at this level. (3 – 4 marks)		any two correct points about the procedure AND a correct ionic equation scores 5
	Level 1 Candidate mixes barium chloride and sodium sulfate solutions and filters the mixture Quality of written communication impedes communication of the science at this level.  (1 – 2 marks)		Indicative scientific points at level 1 include:  • mixing or reacting of solutions  • filtration  • correct word or symbol equation or description of reactants and products
	Level 0 Insufficient or irrelevant science. Answer not worthy of credit. (0marks)		marks can be scored from labelled diagrams
			Use the L1, L2, L3 annotations in Scoris; do not use ticks.
		6	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
10 a	constructive interference description	2	peak + peak or in phase or in sync (1)
	or diagram (1)		trough + trough or in phase (1)
	destructive interference description or diagram (1)		ignore just waves add together  peak + trough or out of phase (1)  ignore just waves cancel each other out  if no other mark awarded allow mention of constructive and destructive (interference) (1)
b	published works / talks to others / lectures / letters / conferences / AW (1)	2	allow marks from anywhere in the answer ignore modern communications allow demonstration / met up or wrote down their findings (1)
	and any one from		
	to check results or findings (1)		allow peer review (1) allow to maximise the validity of results (1)
	to be credited with the discovery (1)		
	so other can build on the idea or evidence (1)		allow to compare idea or results or evidence (1) allow so scientists can learn from their ideas (1)
	to try to repeat experiments (1)		
	Total	4	

Qu	estion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
11	а	in a direction between horizontal and 400N line (1)	3	award marks for answers given on a vector diagram e.g.  bird's eye view of car and tow ropes  500 (N)  (3)  if 500(N) not seen allow $400^2 + 300^2$ or 250 000 (1)
	b	any one from:  velocity has (magnitude and) direction (1)  speed has magnitude only / speed has no direction (1)	1	allow velocity is speed with direction (1) not acceleration
	С	14 (m/s) (2)  but if incorrect  6 + (0.5x16)  or  6 + 8 (1)		
		Total	6	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
12 a	advantages	3	to score three marks answer must refer to both orbits
	Meteostat - (high altitude so) large area covered or see most of the Earth or see most of the weather (1)		allow idea of longer term forecast (1)
	Meteostat – (geostationary so) provides constant monitoring (of one area) (1)		
	POES – (low orbit so) better (quality) pictures or see the weather clearly (1)		allow higher definition (1)
	POES – (more orbits so) more information (1)		allow more coverage (1) allow more frequent weather updates (1)
	disadvantages		
	Meteostat - (orbits around equator so) can't view the poles (1)		allow idea of lower definition (1)
	POES – (many orbits so) idea of intermittent photography (1)		allow short time spent studying one area (1)
	POES – (low orbit so) limited area of Earth covered (1)		
b	gravity (1)	1	allow gravitational force or gravitational pull (1) ignore forward force / driving force not gravitational potential energy / GPE
С	idea of greater (gravitational) force (1)	1	allow more gravity or stronger gravity (1) allow gravitational attraction is greater (1) allow greater or stronger centripetal force (1)

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
d	any two from:	2	allow reverse arguments if about elliptical orbits
	same height (above Earth) (1)		ignore stops it flying off
	same (accelerating) force (1)		<b>allow</b> not affected by other forces / same force of gravity / same gravitational attraction (1)
	same speed (1)	gravitational attraction (1)	gravitational attraction (1)
	satellite stays above same area of Earth (1)		<b>allow</b> constant position (above the Earth) or stays in the same place (above Earth) (1)
е	(microwaves / signal) sent or transmitted to satellite or (microwaves / signals) sent from satellite to satellite (1)	2	assume the 'sent from' is 'sent from Earth' not reflected / bounced / pinged / rebound
	(microwaves / signals) sent or (re)transmitted back to Earth (1)		allow back to TV receiver (on Earth) (1) not reflected / bounced / pinged / rebound
	Total	9	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
13	[Level 3] Quantitative comparison of acceleration AND time calculated for both cyclists. Quality of written communication does not impede communication of the science at this level.  (5–6 marks)  [Level 2] Quantitative comparison of acceleration OR time calculated for both cyclists. Quality of written communication partly impedes communication of the science at this level.  (3–4 marks)	6	This question is targeted at grades up to A*  Indicative scientific points at levels 2 and 3 may include:  • accelerations are 0.2 m/s² and 0.4 m/s² • the difference in acceleration is 0.2 m/s² • times are both 10 s and relates calculations to statements
	[Level 1] Answers are limited to a simple statement about average speeds OR acceleration OR time. Quality of written communication impedes communication of the science at this level.  (1–2 marks)  [Level 0] Insufficient or irrelevant science. Answer not worthy of credit.  (0 marks)		Indicative scientific points at level 1 may include:  • average speeds are the same • average speed is 3 m/s • Jared's acceleration is twice Sam's acceleration / Jared's acceleration is greater than Sam's acceleration / ora • one correct acceleration e.g. 0.2 m/s² or 0.4 m/s² • time is the same (even if incorrect time) • time is 10s (but not clear this is for Sam and Jared) allow ecf for comparison statements  for 1 mark allow acceleration is 0.2 or 0.4 (no unit given) or allow time = distance average speed  Use the L1, L2, L3 annotations in Scoris; do not use ticks.
	Total	6	

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