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**AGRICULTURE**

**5038/03**

Paper 3 Practical Test

**October/November 2009**

**1 hour 15 minutes**

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

Additional Materials: As listed in Confidential Instructions.

**READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST**

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name on all the work you hand in.

Write in dark blue or black pen.

You may use a soft pencil for any diagrams or graphs.

Do not use staples, paper clips, highlighters, glue or correction fluid.

**DO NOT WRITE IN ANY BARCODES.**

Answer **all** questions.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.

The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.

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1 **AS1** is a flower.

(a) (i) Remove from the flower:

- a sepal;
- a petal;
- stamen (the anther and filament together).

Keep the parts as whole as possible.  
Draw and label the parts removed.

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- (ii) Cut the ovary, style and stigma in half lengthwise.  
Draw and label the ovule, the stigma and the style.

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**AS1** is a plant pollinated by insects.

- (iii) State **two** ways that the flower, **AS1**, is adapted for insect pollination.

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..... [2]

(b) **AS2** is a complete flowering plant.

(i) Draw the plant and label **three** different parts.

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**AS2** is a plant pollinated by wind.

(ii) How is the flower in **AS2** adapted for wind pollination?

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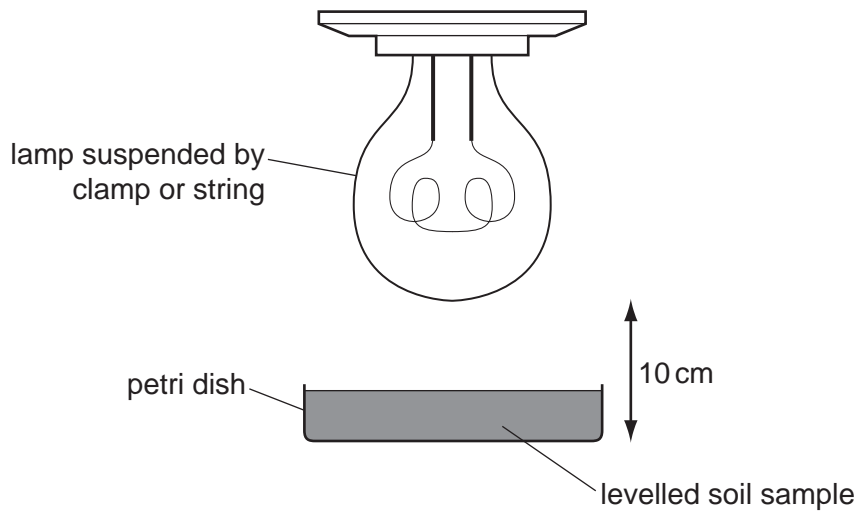
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- 2 You are to investigate the effect of heat radiation on **two** soil samples, **AS3** and **AS4**. The diagram below shows how this is to be done.



- Place a sample of **AS3** in a petri dish and level the soil to a depth of about 1 cm.
- Take the temperature of **AS3** by placing the thermometer/probe in the soil.
- Record the temperature in Table 2.1.
- Switch on the power supply to the lamp.
- Take the temperature of **AS3** each minute for 5 minutes.
- Record these temperatures in Table 2.1.
- Repeat the procedure using **AS4**.

**Table 2.1**

(i)

time/min	temperature of <b>AS3</b> / °C	temperature of <b>AS4</b> / °C
0 (starting temperature)		
1		
2		
3		
4		
5		

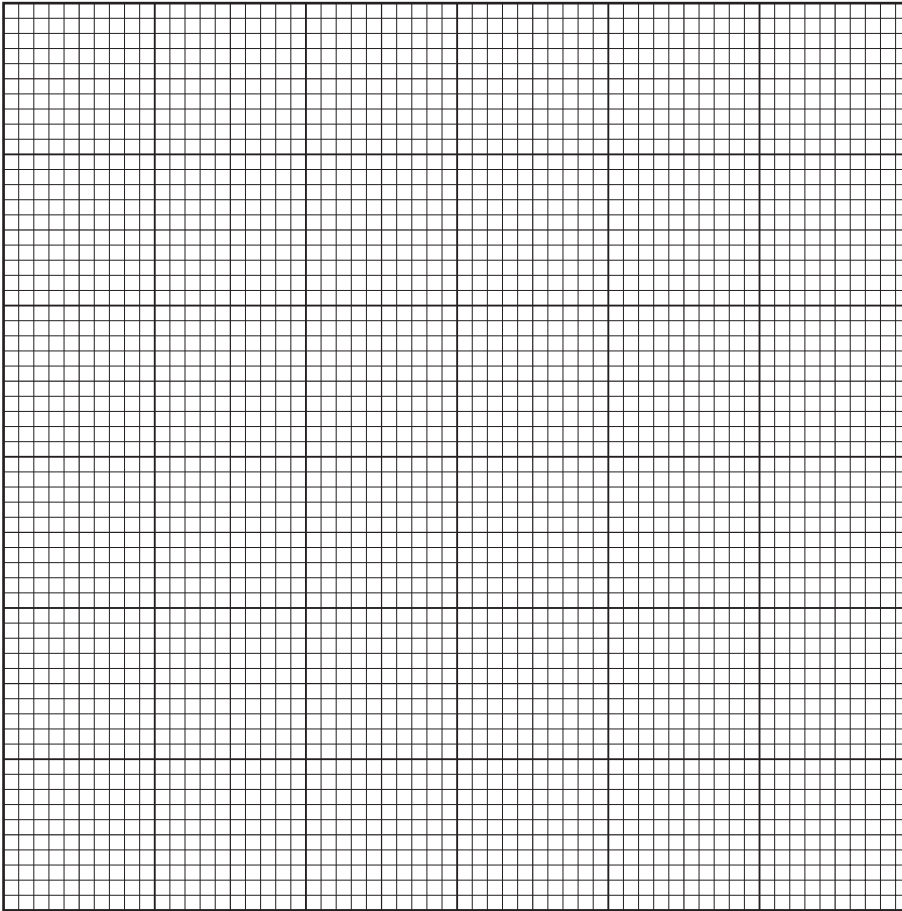
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- (ii) Which sample absorbed most heat radiation?

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- (iii) On the graph paper below plot the results to show the changes in temperature for **AS3** and **AS4**.

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- (iv) Explain why the thermometer/probe is placed in the soil rather than on the surface.

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[1]

(v) Explain why the soil samples should have been air dried before the experiment.

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..... [1]

(vi) Suggest **one** other way that the results of this experiment could be made more reliable.

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..... [1]

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3 **AS5, AS6** and **AS7** are samples of **three** different soils.

- Use a hand lens to carefully examine soil sample **AS5**.
- With moist fingers rub the soil sample between your fingers.
- Repeat the procedure with soil samples **AS6** and **AS7**.

(i) Match the soil samples with the soil description in the table below.

description	soil sample
dark and organic soil	<b>AS</b>
clay soil	<b>AS</b>
course sandy soil	<b>AS</b>

[3]

(ii) Which soil sample

could be easily leached? ..... [1]

readily absorbs energy from the sun? ..... [1]

would be improved with the addition of lime to flocculate the soil?

..... [1]

**[Total: 6]**





**SUPERVISOR'S REPORT**

*\*The supervisor or teacher responsible for the subject is asked to answer the following questions.*

**1** Name the flower used for **AS1**.

common name .....

scientific name .....

Name the flowering plant used for **AS2**.

common name .....

scientific name .....

**2** Type of lamp provided.

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Lamp volts

.....

Lamp watts

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Give details of any difficulties encountered for this question.

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**3** Briefly describe the nature of the soils

**AS5** .....

**AS6** .....

**AS7** .....

*Declaration to be signed by the Principal, and completed on the top script from the Centre.*

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