## 2013 Science

## Standard Grade General

## Finalised Marking Instructions

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## Part One: General Marking Principles for Science Standard Grade General

This information is provided to help you understand the general principles you must apply when marking candidate responses to questions in this Paper. These principles must be read in conjunction with the specific Marking Instructions for each question.
(a) Marks for each candidate response must always be assigned in line with these general marking principles and the specific Marking Instructions for the relevant question. If a specific candidate response does not seem to be covered by either the principles or detailed Marking Instructions, and you are uncertain how to assess it, you must seek guidance from your Team Leader/Principal Assessor.
(b) Marking should always be positive ie, marks should be awarded for what is correct and not deducted for errors or omissions.

## GENERAL MARKING ADVICE: Science Standard Grade General

The marking schemes are written to assist in determining the "minimal acceptable answer" rather than listing every possible correct and incorrect answer. The following notes are offered to support Markers in making judgements on candidates' evidence, and apply to marking both end of unit assessments and course assessments.

## Marking

The utmost care must be taken when entering and totalling marks. Where appropriate, all summations for totals must be carefully checked and confirmed.

Where a candidate has scored zero marks for any question attempted, " 0 " should be entered against the answer.

## Recording of Marks

Where papers assess more than one element, care must be taken to ensure that marks are entered in the correct column.

The Total mark for each paper or element should be entered (in red ink) in the box provided in the top-right corner of the front cover of the answer book (or question/answer book).

Always enter the Total mark as a whole number, where necessary by the process of rounding up.

The transcription of marks, within booklets and to the Mark Sheet, should always be checked.

Markers are reminded that they must not write comments on scripts comments include words or acronyms.

Ticks, crosses, lines and numbers are acceptable.

## Part Two: Marking Instructions for each Question

Please note that FRACTIONAL marks should NOT be awarded for responses to questions on this paper.
Please note that where a question specifies circling or underlining, other forms of clearly indicating a response are acceptable.

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| 1 a Idea of <br> - different colour of face <br> - different foods <br> e.g <br> Egyptian vulture has yellow face (Osprey has white face) Egyptian vulture eats dead animals (Osprey eats live animals, Osprey eats fish) <br> Both required | PS1 |  |
| 1 b Round(ed) wings <br> Eats birds <br> Eats live animals <br> All correct, 2 marks 2 correct, 1 mark | PS2 | Accept Eats live birds as two points |



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| 4 |  | vacuum (and/or) cleaner | KU1 | $\frac{\text { Accept }}{1.7 \mathrm{~kW}}$ |
|  | a | 2 | KU1 |  |
|  | bi | (Making) chemicals (Making) plastics | KU1 | Not <br> - Jet fuel <br> - Aviation fuel <br> - Petrol <br> - Or any other fuel |
|  |  | Any one from: <br> Tar/ roads/wax/roofing | KU1 |  |


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| 6 a Diphtheria | PS1 | Correct answer only |
| 6 b 1951 | PS1 | Correct answer only |
| 6 c Idea of a link between whooping cough immunisation and brain damage | PS1 | Accept answers which suggest the immunisation caused brain damage e.g. "It caused brain damage" |
| 6 d idea of an increased or $\mathbf{9 0 \%}$ level of immunisation | PS1 | Not <br> - Answers indicating immunisation increased to 52\% |

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| 10 | a | Ashby | PS1 |  |
| 10 | b | 15 | PS1 |  |
| 10 | c | Woodside <br> Highest number of lichens or named lichen <br> both parts correct |  |  |
| 11 | ai | B | KU1 |  |
| 11 | aii | E | KU1 |  |
| 11 | b | Out | KU1 |  |
| 11 | c | Idea of in the blood | KU2 |  |

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| 12 |  | Four chains with arrows Four chains with links Three chains with arrows Three chains with links Two chains with arrows <br> Additional incorrect arro | 3 marks <br> 2 marks <br> 2 marks <br> 1 mark <br> 1 mark <br> ark per arrow | PS3 | Correct arrows must point up trophic levels Incorrect arrows pointing down count as links only |
| 12 | b | Starch |  | KU1 |  |
| 12 | c | (Food chain 1 is) shorter |  | KU1 | Accept idea of <br> - Fewer links <br> - Fewer animals <br> - Fewer consumers <br> - Fewer predators <br> Not <br> - Fewer producers <br> - Less food |
| 12 | d | Idea that it has another food whelk | can eat dog | KU1 |  |


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| 13 |  | Legend 'Material' on $x$-axis <br> Full label ‘Tensile strength’ and unit (MPa) and linear scale from 0-80 on $y$-axis <br> All bars correct height with full labels or key | 1 mark <br> 1 mark <br> 1 mark | PS3 | Allow transposed axes <br> Accept key added to data table <br> Bar for polypropene must be between 34 and 36 <br> Bar for solder must be between 44 and 46 <br> If $y$-axis is not linear over $0-80$, maximum is 1 mark for legend 'Material' |
| 14 | a | White |  | PS1 |  |
| 14 | b | 14 |  | PS1 |  |
| 14 | c | Tiger |  | PS1 |  |
| 15 | a | Shelter |  | KU1 | Correct answer only |
| 15 | b | Water |  | KU1 | Correct answer only |


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| 16 | Polyurethane <br> Carbon monoxide <br> 1 mark each | KU2 |  |
| 17 | Any two from <br> As (water) temperature increases, (number of) stonefly (larvae) decreases <br> (or vice versa) <br> As (water) temperature increases, (number of) mayfly (larvae) increases <br> (or vice versa) <br> As (water) temperature increases, (total number of) invertebrates (generally) decreases <br> (or vice versa) <br> As (number of) mayfly (larvae) increases, (number of) stonefly (larvae) decreases <br> (or vice vera) <br> 1 mark each | PS2 |  |


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| 18 |  | Any one or example from <br> Violence, accidents at work, absenc financial problems, family problems, problems, anti-social behaviour, etc | work, nhip | KU1 | Not <br> - The word 'Abuse' by itself (alcohol abuse in question) <br> - Drinking and driving (given in question) <br> Accept <br> - Abuse of other people |
| 19 |  | $7 \cdot 5$ <br> correct total (37.5) <br> incorrect total correctly divided by 5 | 1 mark <br> 1 mark | PS2 | Accept <br> Correct answer with or without working Correct total with or without working <br> For division mark only working must be shown |
| 20 | a | 25 |  | PS1 |  |
| 20 | b | Propanol |  | PS1 |  |
| 21 | a | D (valve) |  | KU1 |  |
| 21 | b | A (vein) |  | KU1 |  |
| 21 | c | $E$ (white blood cell) |  | KU1 |  |



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| 24 a Low thermal (conductivity) <br> (Good) corrosion resistance <br> 1 mark each | KU2 |  |
| 24 b Hardness chromium tungsten <br> All correct, 2 marks 1,2 correct, 1 mark | KU2 |  |
| 25 a As light / intensity / lumens increases, power / rating / watts increases (for the same bulb) (or vice versa) <br> Incandescent (bulb) has higher power / rating / watts / uses more energy / is less efficient (than fluorescent bulb) (for the same light intensity) (or vice versa) <br> 1 mark each | PS2 | Not <br> Fluorescent bulb is less bright / gives less light intensity Two conclusions relating light intensity to power rating i.e. for each bulb <br> Two conclusions relating type of bulb to power / watts / rating / energy / efficiency |
| 25 b Any value between 15 and 20 | PS1 |  |


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| 26 a Label (current) and unit (amps / A) on y-axis <br> 1 mark <br> Linear scale from 20-100 on x-axis Linear scale from 2-10 on $y$-axis <br> All points plotted and joined correctly No tolerance Ignore any extrapolation | PS3 |  |
| 26 b Any value between 1.0 and 2.0 |  |  |

[END OF MARKING INSTRUCTIONS]

