

MARK SCHEME for the May/June 2011 question paper
for the guidance of teachers

0610 BIOLOGY

0610/52

Paper 5 (Practical Test), maximum raw mark 40

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Question	Mark scheme	Mark allocation	comments A = accept R = reject I = ignore AW = alternative wording to convey the same meaning ecf = error carried forward ORA = or reverse argument
1 (a) (i)	<i>table</i> complete table with cells neatly drawn; <i>headings</i> number of drops of iodine solution; S1, S2, S3 / concentrations of vitamin C; <i>results</i> all result cells completed; in order of concentrations;	[5]	I absence of outer lines A 'number of drops' or 'drops' alone A 0.2% (S1), 0.05% (S2), unknown (S3) S1 most drops, S2 fewest drops, S3 between S1 and S2. S1 0.2% > S3 0.1% > S2 0.05%
(b)	Estimated numerical S3 concentration; Correct use of the number of drops for S3; Correct reference to S1 / S2, drops and concentration;	[3]	ecf from (a) applies throughout A calculations based on results / ecf from (a) A description in words / between 0.02% and .05% / between that of S1 and S2 / (lower than / same as S2 if it is a logical interpretation of the results) A description of order of concentrations as ecf from results in 1(a) If number of drops not mentioned A number of drops for S3 = half number for S1 / number of drops for S3 = double number for S2 according to results N.B. Can refer to conc. and number of drops separately or together anywhere in answer. S1 number of drops and 0.2 (%) / S2 number of drops and 0.05 (%) A as an alternative – calculation of ratio of drops : concentration even if S1 / S2 are not specifically mentioned e.g. approx 1 drop : 0.01%

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(c)	Four marks from: Repeats / replicates / AW; Average / mean; Use more precise instrument to measure volume of drops; measure volume of drops in cm³ not drops alone; Use a colorimeter / white card to judge colour / AW; Narrow the range between the concentrations on either side of unknown / increase concentrations between S1 and S2 / AW; Control variables (volume / concentration iodine solution / starch solution / size of tubes); AVP;	MAX [4]	2 or more A more finely graduated AW / syringe / burette / (Pasteur) pipette I measuring cylinder Measure cm³ with a burette = 2 A blue card for comparison I more concentrations unqualified I temperature, stirring, pH, time use larger samples / avoid mixing solutions e.g. use fresh syringes instead of washing them
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(d) (i)	O – Orientation; A – Axes labels; S – Scale; P – Plots – correct heights of columns; L – Line – neat columns;	[5]	O 'x' axis – juices and 'y' axis – number of drops of iodine solution A minimum 'drops' and named fruit (juices) without general fruit juice label S columns plotted to fill greater than half of grid L ruler used and columns of equal width A columns touching or equally spaced or single vertical lines If line graph allow O , A and S , only Max [3]
(ii)	Blackcurrant;	[1]	
(iii)	In (a) the highest concentration took the most drops; Blackcurrant took the most drops;	[2]	A converse
		[Total: 20]	

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2 (a) (i)	O – single clear outline and no shading; S – larger than photograph; N – number of segments drawn; D – detail / markings within some segments; A – appendages on opposite sides of at least 6 segments;	[5]	A 11 / 12 / 13 segments (not including the head) Segments must be distinct / discrete / complete A even if sketchy or shaded or incomplete (already penalised in O and N) These must be joined to body
(ii)	Fig 2.1 larva = 8.3 cm (+/- 0.1 cm) / 83 mm (+/- 1 mm); Length of larva in drawing in mm / cm;	[2]	A 82 – 84 inclusive + or – 1 mm Units to be given at least once
(iii)	correct magnification and X;;	[2]	A ecf from (a)(ii) A correct answer for 2 marks even if no working shown. A correct answers to any number decimal places (i.e. allow correctly rounded answers) A X before or after magnification / “times” If answer incorrect (incorrectly calculated / no X / units used) then allow max 1 for correct working e.g. length of drawing / length of image (in words or figures)

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(b) (i)	Method Marks on grid or leaf to show it was used to calculate area of leaf / tubes; Working (area of tubes / tunnels) = 3 to 20 + (total area of leaf) = 55 to 60; $\frac{\text{area of damage}}{\text{area of leaf}} \times 100$ / $\frac{3 \text{ to } 20}{55 \text{ to } 60} \times 100$;	[3]	It must be clear that method of adding squares and parts of squares on the grid to find the total area was used A area of grid – area not leaf = area of leaf A obvious reference to number of squares and parts of squares (covered by leaf or tubes) in working A the formula in words 'area of tubes / total area of leaf multiplied by 100' if equation not expressed numerically A ecf from their figures
(ii)	Two marks from: Able to eat through palisade and spongy mesophyll; (Midrib) (too) tough / AW / ORA mesophyll is softer; Cannot get food from midrib / ORA can get food from mesophyll; Reference to lignin / xylem (too tough) ; AVP;	MAX [2]	A tunnelling / eating A leaf blade A strong, thick or hard I too little food in midrib I phloem A larva would fall off if leaf support structure damaged
(iii)	Two marks from: No / less photosynthesis (in damaged areas) / AW; Dries out / too much water lost / water transported to cells reduced / AW; Infected with fungi / bacteria / viruses / AW; AVP;	MAX [2]	A descriptions e.g. less food made / less chlorophyll or chloroplasts / reduced leaf area A too little water (lack veins / damage to stomata) I reduced transpiration A reference to disease A reference to reduced transport e.g. minerals from soil reduced / sugars from plant not passed to leaf

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(c) (i)	<u>jointed</u> legs;	[1]	R exoskeleton (as not clear in Fig.) / joined legs / incorrect structures – segmented body
(ii)	Three marks from: head thorax and abdomen / 3 body parts; 3 pairs of legs or 6 legs; 2 pairs of wings; 1 pair of antennae;	Max [3]	I compound eyes / segments A 4 wings R 2 wings A 2 antennae
		[Total: 20]	