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Abbreviations used in the Mark Scheme

- ; separates marking points
- / separates alternatives within a marking point
- **R** reject
- **ignore** mark as if this material was not present
- **A** accept (a less than ideal answer which should be marked correct)
- **AW** alternative wording (accept other ways of expressing the same idea)
- underline words underlined (or grammatical variants of them) must be present
- **max** indicates the maximum number of marks that can be awarded
- **mark independently** the second mark may be given even if the first mark is wrong
- **ecf** credit a correct statement that follows a previous wrong response
- () the word / phrase in brackets is not required, but sets the context
- **ora** or reverse argument
- **AVP** any valid point

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1 (a)	function	letter	name		
	structure that makes sounds	A	larynx		
	bone that provides protection for the lungs	E	rib ;		
	airway that allows passage of air only into the right lung	J	bronchus ;		
	airway that allows passage of air into both lungs	B	trachea ;		
	contracts to increase the volume of the thorax	F/G	(F) diaphragm/ (G) external intercostal muscle ;		
	muscle that contracts to lower the ribcage	K	internal intercostal muscles ;		
	site of gas exchange	M	alveoli ;		
(b)	keeps, airways / trachea / bronchi, open ; allows (free flow of) air into (the lungs) ; allows flexibility / can breathe even when, bent / swallowing / AW ; AVP ;			[max 2]	I protection
(c) (i)	(aerobic) respiration ;			[1]	R anaerobic respiration
(ii)	rate (of breathing) increases ;			[1]	R it increase A it's faster / deeper

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(iii)	stimulus (is CO ₂); A acidic/pH, of blood decreases ; (CO ₂ / pH) detected by the brain ; by a receptor ; ref to (named) neurone in context ; brain sends impulses to, (intercostal) muscles / diaphragm / effectors ; (intercostal) muscles / diaphragm / effectors, contract more (frequently) ; negative feedback / homeostasis ; reflex / automatic / involuntary ;	[max 3]	
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2 (a) (i)	retina ;	[1]	
(ii)	optic (nerve) ;	[1]	I sensory neurone
(iii)	(light is) refracted ;	[1]	A description of refraction
(iv)	sensitive to / detect, light ; in low intensity / night ; pass impulse to, <u>sensory</u> neurone / optic nerve ; AVP ;	[max 2]	sensitive in dim light = 2 marks A provides night vision
(b) (i)	gravity ;	[1]	
(ii)	negative / away from (gravity) ; (gravi)tropism / (geo)tropism ;	[2]	

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Question	Answer	Mark	Guidance
(iii)	<i>upwards</i> grow towards (where) light (should be); more, light absorbed / photosynthesis ; more growth ; flowers more likely to attract, insects / pollinators ; more likely to, release / shed / disperse, seeds ; <i>downwards</i> better, anchorage / AW; absorb, water / mineral ions ; AVP ; ref to competition / damage	[max 2]	
(iv)	auxins <u>made</u> in shoot tip ; (auxin) spread / move / diffuse ; <i>idea of</i> unequal distribution of auxin ; auxins collect, in <u>lower</u> side of stem ; auxin stimulates (cell) elongation (where it accumulates); AVP ;	[max 4]	I found in tip I growth e.g. (by) absorption of water (by osmosis) / ref to turgor pressure (and) stretching of cell walls / statoliths / detect gravity
		[Total: 14]	

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3 (a)	<table><tr><td>gametes</td><td>$\textcircled{X}$</td><td>$\textcircled{X}$</td></tr><tr><td>$\textcircled{X}$</td><td>XX</td><td>XX</td></tr><tr><td>$\textcircled{Y;}$</td><td>XY</td><td>XY;</td></tr></table> offspring ratio = 1:1 / 50:50 / 50% male, 50% female / 2:2 ;	gametes	$\textcircled{X}$	$\textcircled{X}$	$\textcircled{X}$	XX	XX	$\textcircled{Y;}$	XY	XY;	[3]	
gametes	$\textcircled{X}$	$\textcircled{X}$										
$\textcircled{X}$	XX	XX										
$\textcircled{Y;}$	XY	XY;										
(b) (i)	cat 1 $X^bY;$ cat 4 $X^BY;$ cat 5 $X^BX^B;$	[3]										
(ii)	distinct, phenotypes / coat colours / categories ; no (continuous) range of colour / AW ; controlled by genes ; not affected by the, environment / AW / named example ;	[3]	A only orange, black and calico A inherited									
		[Total: 9]										

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4 (a) (i)	iodine solution diffused, into the bag/through the (Visking) tubing ; iodine molecules <u>small</u> (enough to pass through the membrane) ; iodine solution stains starch ora ; no starch diffused, out of the bag/through the (Visking) tubing ; starch molecules too <u>large</u> (to pass through the membrane) ; ref to pore / AW, size ;	[max 4]	I osmosis
(ii)	temperature ; (surface) area ; concentration (gradient)/water <u>potential</u> ; size / type, of molecule ; thickness / distance, across membrane / permeability (of membrane) ; pressure ; (number of) protein, channels / pumps / AW ; energy / number of mitochondria ;	[max 3]	I distance / thickness unqualified
(b) (i)	<i>from muscle cell</i> (produced in) mitochondrion ; diffused ; (diffused) in cytoplasm / tissue fluid / (blood) plasma ; through membrane ; through capillary wall ; <i>from blood:</i> vein / vena cava / pulmonary artery / heart ; travels to lungs ; into alveoli ; exhaled / breathed out / excreted ;	[3]	A red blood cell I exit the body unqualified

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Question	Answer	Mark	Guidance
(ii)	thin, wall / epithelium ; for efficient, diffusion / gas exchange ; small, diameter / lumen ; idea that many capillaries can fit into tissues / capillaries reach (every cell) throughout the body / relative size to red blood cell ; extensive network ; large surface for diffusion ; capillary cells have pores ; to allow substances to pass in and out of the blood easily ;	[max 3]	adaptations must be linked to correct feature max 2 for features only A one cell thick R 'thin cell wall'
(c)	diffusion ; down concentration gradient ; (diffuses) through stoma / stomata ; (through) (intercellular) air space / (between) spongy mesophyll ; into / reached, palisade, mesophyll / cell ; chloroplast ; AVP ; e.g. dissolve / diffuse, through cell wall / cell membrane / cytoplasm	[max 4]	A lower concentration of carbon dioxide inside leaf / ora ; A into guard cell / spongy, mesophyll / cell I chlorophyll
		[Total: 17]	

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5 (a)	timber / paper, manufacture / AW ; firewood ; <i>clearance for</i> agriculture ; urbanisation / roads / housing / factories / industry / leisure developments ; extraction of minerals / for other natural resources ;	[max 3]	A wood unqualified A fuel
(b) (i)	$118\,545 - 90\,883 = 27\,662$ $\frac{27\,662}{118\,545} \times 100$; 23.3(3459) ; 23 (%) ;	[3]	
(ii)	Indonesia has lost the most forest ora ; 9% (8.7%) compared with 23% in Indonesia ; Indonesian forest has continued to be lost, whereas loss in Malaysia has slowed between 2005 and 2010 ; comparative use of figures with units ;	[max 3]	A 14% more in Indonesia ecf from (b)(i)
(iii)	planted forest, has one (dominant) species / is a monoculture ; loss of <u>biodiversity</u> ; qualification of biodiversity loss ; (plantation) susceptible to pest / disease ; nutrients removed / soils become infertile ; <i>ref to alien / foreign / invasive / non-indigenous species ;</i> AVP ; e.g. vegetation is removed / lower canopy / all immature	[max 3]	e.g. habitats / example / extinction of a species I homes / organisms die A use of chemicals

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Question	Answer	Mark	Guidance
(c)	<u>roots</u> die so do not bind the soil ; loss of soil / soil erosion ; silting of rivers ; reduced (soil) fertility ; no trees to absorb the water ; increased risk of flooding ; increased rate of evaporation / land is exposed to drying ; desertification / decreased soil water ; loss of, habitat / places where organisms live / described ; disruption to food chain / described ; endangered / extinction, of species or loss of biodiversity ; AVP ; named example of affected 'land' organism in context / removed trees cause nutrient cycling disruption / lack of decomposition	[max 6]	A landslides A loss of, minerals / ions / nutrients A mudslides A drought / decreased rainfall I home I organisms die
		[Total: 18]	

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6 (a)	V stomach ; W large intestine / colon / rectum ;	[2]	I intestine unqualified
(b)	breaks up food into small(er) pieces ; without chemical change ; by teeth / muscles ; to mix (with digestive juice) ; increases surface area ; for enzyme action ; speeds up <u>chemical</u> digestion ; easier to swallow ;	[3]	R molecules A without enzymes A mastication / chewing / churning A easier / more effective
(c)	<i>for:</i> positive correlation / as (relative) body mass increases, time in digestive system increases ; any two or more figures from the graph ; <i>against: max 3 from</i> two / one / few / some (species), are outliers / anomalies ; any figure(s) from the graph ; (description of) some mammals do not fit the, pattern / trend ; any example from the graph ; only information about 26 species of mammal / small sample size ; idea about unknown validity ;	[max 4]	units must be quoted at least once e.g. either outlier quoted
		[Total: 9]	