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Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
	DNA / part of a chromosome / eq; codes for protein / makes protein / determines characteristic / determines named characteristic / eq; (release/ produce) lots of eggs / more eggs / ovulate more / eq; uterus / womb; smoking / (having) cigarette / (having) tobacco; 50 (%); protein/blood clotting factor digested/destroyed (by acid) / eq; glucose; (more) respiration / energy / ATP; milk / meat production / growth / eq; transplant / transplantation; (more) hearts available / less shortage / less waiting time / no need for donors / few donors / lowers demand / eq; less immune response / less rejection / human proteins / human DNA / human genes / tissue type / better match / compatible / eq; less deaths / live longer / eq;	need idea of larger quantity allow broken down ignore need to separate from milk ignore sugar ignore work for longer / reduce heart attacks	2 1 1 1 2 3
		Total	12

Question number	Answer		Notes	Marks
2 (a)	120 to 136;; within range of 60 to 68 = 1 an indication of times 2 = 1		any number in working times 2 = 1 eg. 50 x 2 = 100 gets one mark	1
(b)	0.00138 / 0.0014 / 1.38 x 10 ⁻³ ;; allow one mark for 0.2/6 or 0.03(3) or 0.0.008 in working	2/24 or		2
(c)	surface (area) covered or exposed / side covered or exposed / place where jelly pu		ignore quantity of jelly	1
(d)	(loss of) mass / weight;			1
(e)	light / wind / humidity / temperature / tir species / eq;	ne /		1
(f) (i)	Mass lost Leaf Most A C B Least D;;		if wrong order then allow one mark for A before D OR C before B	2
(ii)	stomata; (more) on lower surface / (fewer) on upp surface / eq; A no surface covered most mass lost /war C upper surface covered next most mass/lost B lower surface covered less mass /water D both surfaces covered least mass /water sensible link between leaf coverage and lomass/water;	er lost water lost r lost	allow converse between surface exposed and mass lost	3
			Total	12

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
3 (a)	temperature recorder / eq; cooling jacket / cooling water / water in if hot / eq;		2
(b)	respiration produces heat; enzymes; denatured / destroyed / eq; optimum; best growth / maximum growth / more product / eq; microorganisms killed / eq;		2
(c)	mixing / distributing oxygen / air; for respiration; mixing / distributing nutrients / microorganisms; for growth; mixing / distributing heat / temperature; for respiration / enzymes;	mix air and heat = 2	2
(d)	pH / acidity / alkalinity; enzymes; oxygen; respiration; (other) microorganisms / sterility; competition / contamination / less product / eq;	mark in discrete pairs ignore air	2
(e)	insulin / penicillin / antibiotic / Fusarium / mycoprotein / any named GM product / eq;	ignore bacteria / fungus / cheese / yoghurt / beer / ethanol / medicine Total	1

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4 (a)	(i)	B;		1
	(ii)	A;		1
	(iii)	C;		1
(b)	(i)	zygote;		1
	(ii)	mitosis ;		1
	(iii)	diploid with 46 chromosomes;	ignore tick cross hybrid two ticks present = 0	1
(c)		placenta; from mother's blood; diffusion / high conc. to low conc.; large surface area / thin / eq; umbilical cord;	ignore gas exchange / ignore carried	3
			Total	9

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5 (a)		cell membrane; cytoplasm; plasmid; nucleoid / chromosome / DNA once;	reject nucleus / nucleolus ignore vacuole / ribosomes / mitochondria	3
(b) ((i)	enzymes; optimum; denatured / destroyed / eq;	ignore references to low pH and high pH	2
((ii)	amino acids; protein / DNA;		2
(1	(iii)	active transport / active uptake; low to high conc. / against conc. gradient / eq; respiration / energy / ATP; root <u>hair</u> (cells); large surface area / eq;		3
(c) ((i)	X at 100;	allow any indication at 100	1
((ii)	11.1%;; allow one mark for 8000 or 7200 or 800 in working		2
(i	(iii)	nitrate (already) in soil / <u>nitrogen fixing</u> bacteria / nitrification / organic material in soil / eq;		1
			Total	15

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
6 (a)	smaller surface area to volume ratio; less heat loss / more energy measured / eq; heats up slowly / avoid boiling / eq; insulation / lid / cover / eq; less heat/energy loss; burning food close to tube / eq; less heat/energy loss; quick transfer of burning food / eq; less heat/energy loss; stir / eq; even temperature; avoid draft / wind; less heat/energy loss; digital thermometer; precision / eq; use calorimeter / burn in oxygen; all food burnt / less heat/energy loss;	mark in discrete pairs reject idea of more bread ignore repeat	2
		Total	4

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