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0610 BIOLOGY

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Paper 5 (Practical Test), maximum raw mark 40

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Mark schemes will use these abbreviations

- ; separates marking points
- / alternatives
- R reject
- A accept (for answers correctly cued by the question)
- I ignore as irrelevant
- ecf error carried forward
- **AW** alternative wording (where responses vary more than usual)
- AVP alternative valid point
- <u>Underline</u> actual word given must be used by candidate (grammatical variants excepted)
- () the word / phrase in brackets is not required but sets the context
- D, L, T, Q quality of: drawing / labelling / table / detail as indicated
- max indicates the maximum number of marks.

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Question		An	swer		Mark	Guidance for Examiners
1 (a)	shape of seed	round / circular / disc-like / biconvex / flat and round AW	chickpea round / circular / spherical / irregular / pointed / tear shaped AW	soya bean elongate / oval AW		Any two boxes correctly completed = 1 mark Ignore colour / size
	appearance of seed coat	varied / speckled / patterned	uneven / ridged / rough transparent	even / smooth / uniform / transparent	[3]	
(b) (i)	Protein test					A other correct tests e.g. Xanthoproteic – yellow to orange Millons – flesh to reddish brown use of albustix – Yellow to green
	add biuret solu biuret A ar biuret 1 an copper sul	nd B / nd 2 /	assium / sodiur	n hydroxide;		A correct chemical symbols Ignore Copper sulphate or potassium hydroxide / sodium alone.
	blue to purple	/ mauve / lilac	AW;		[2]	R if heated / boil
(ii)	Fat test					Max [2] if describe grease spot test.
	add alcohol / e pour / add to w white / cloudy /	ater;	med / AW;		[3]	

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(c)	<pre>carry out starch test observation - (changes from brown / orange) to blue / purple / black;</pre>		If soya bean is not black / darker – max [1] as not left long enough.
	conclusion – starch is present;	[2]	
(d) (i)	Plotting bar chart		A vertical or horizontal bars. Line graph – max 3 – A, S and K
	A – label axes and even scale;		x-axis: names of beans y-axis: %.
	S – plots to fill half or more on both axes;		Do not award if columns exceed printed grid.
	P – plot;		If no scale or no seeds labelled, P = 0. Accurate to +/- 0.5 of grid square. P no more than 2 errors
	C – columns do not touch;		A protein and fat columns touching if space between different seed columns.
	K – key or label (protein / fat);	[5]	
	ne neg or labor (protein / lat),	[0]	
(ii)	soya (bean);	[1]	

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	(e)	measure :- starting and final temperature / change in temperature;		
		control: mass of sample / volume of water;		A weight / amount, of sample / amount of water
		one safety measure; e.g. fume cupboard / tongs AW / lab coat / goggles / correct ref. to hair / ties	[2]	Ignore gloves
		correct ref. to fiall / ties	[3] [Total: 27]	
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2	(a)	drawing of shape;		Max [1] if shape is shown without a green layer drawn and labelled.
		position and label green outer layer;	[2]	
	(b)	drawing of shape in E – more curved;		Compare with the shapes in (a) Table 2.1.
		draw and label green outer layer;		
		drawing of shape in W – more straight;		If W shows a straighter shape allow.
		draw and label green outer layer	[4]	
	(c)	three from		
		solution E strong(er) / (more) concentrated / less water / lower water potential / AW;		
		water moved by osmosis;		
		no water movement in, outer / dark green tissue OR water moves out of, inner / light green tissue;		
		inner / pale green, cells flaccid / plasmolysed;	[max 3]	A tissue

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(d)	Any two from:- Source of error: e.g. slice cut too thick / cut unevenly / pieces not submerged with liquid AW / pieces placed in solutions at different times / only one piece tested in each solution / kept in different temperatures;		Ignore range of solutions
	Any two from:- Improvement; e.g. use of sharper cutting tool AW / cut halves accurately / both pieces must be submerged / pieces placed in solutions at same time / repeat / keep at same temperature;	[4]	Improvement must be linked to source of error.
		[Total: 9]	
3 (a) (i)	Two similar visible features from : tentacles; foot; unsegmented body / no segments;	[max 2]	Ignore sense organs / eyes Ignore antennae / anthers Ignore shape of body Ignore slimy / mucus / soft Ignore no legs
(ii)	One difference: Shell;	[1]	A darker A different number tentacles A shiny

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		[Total: 4]	
(ii)	protection / prevent desiccation / camouflage;	[1]	
	L – one label;	[4]	Label can vary as to type of shell provided. Ignore Shell
	D – detail – lip of shell / feature of shell;		
	S – size;		minimum – 6 cm
	O – outline;		Clear unbroken line and no shading;
(b) (i)	Drawing of mollusc shell – gastropod		See Supervisor's report.