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HUMAN BIOLOGY Unit 1 2020

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Time allowed for this paper

Reading time before commencing work: ten minutes Working time: three hours

Materials required/recommended for this paper

To be provided by the supervisor:

This Question/Answer booklet Multiple-choice answer sheet

To be provided by the candidate:

Standard items: pens (blue/black preferred), pencils (including coloured), sharpener,

correction fluid/tape, eraser, ruler, highlighters

Special items: non-programmable calculators approved for use in this examination

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Structure of this paper

| Section | Number of questions available | Number of questions to be attempted | Suggested working time (minutes) | Marks available | Percentage of examination |
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| Section One Multiple-choice | 30 | 30 | 40 | 30 | 30 |
| Section Two Short answer | 7 | 7 | 90 | 106 | 50 |
| Section Three Extended answer Part 1 | 2 | 1 | 50 | 40 | 20 |
| Part 2 | 2 | 1 | | | |
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- 2. Write your answers in this Question/Answer booklet preferably using a blue/black pen. Do not use erasable or gel pens.
- 3. Answer the questions according to the following instructions.

Section One: Answer all questions on the separate Multiple-choice answer sheet provided. For each question, shade the box to indicate your answer. Use only a blue or black pen to shade the boxes. Do not use erasable or gel pens. If you make a mistake, place a cross through that square, then shade your new answer. Do not erase or use correction fluid/tape. Marks will not be deducted for incorrect answers. No marks will be given if more than one answer is completed for any question.

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Section Three: Consists of two parts each with two questions. You must answer one question from each part. Tick the box next to the question you are answering. Write your answers in this Question/Answer booklet.

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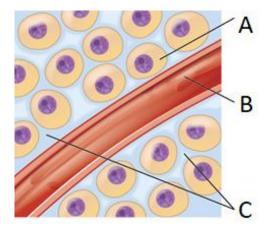
Section One: Multiple-choice 30% (30 Marks)

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Suggested working time: 40 minutes.

- 1. A scientist was measuring the weights of 100 athletes; however, the scale she used was measuring one kilogram higher than the true value. This is an example of
 - (a) user error.
 - (b) human error.
 - (c) random error.
 - (d) systematic error.
- 2. If a measuring cylinder reading is said to be 33.45 ± 0.05 cm³, which of the following values is **not** possible for the given reading?
 - (a) 33.39 cm³
 - (b) 33.50 cm³
 - (c) 33.47 cm³
 - (d) 33.42 cm³
- 3. Pancreatic cells produce and release lipase. Which of the following adaptations would you expect to find in these cells?
 - (a) Mitochondria with small internal membranes
 - (b) Large numbers of ribosomes
 - (c) A small surface area to volume ratio
 - (d) Cilia and flagella to allow for movement
- 4. Which of the following is the actual length of a cell that is 1 cm in length at a magnification of 100X?
 - (a) 0.01 mm
 - (b) 0.1 mm
 - (c) 1 mm
 - (d) 10 mm

Question 5 refers to the diagram below of the fluid compartments in the human body.



- 5. The fluid compartment represented by the letter A is referred to as
 - (a) lymph.
 - (b) intracellular fluid.
 - (c) interstitial fluid.
 - (d) extracellular fluid.
- 6. Which of the following correctly states the organic compound that, when aerobically catabolised, produces the most ATP?
 - (a) Protein
 - (b) Lipid
 - (c) Carbohydrate
 - (d) Deoxyribose nucleic acid (DNA)
- Gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD) is a condition that results in the liquid contents of the stomach to enter the oesophagus. The regurgitated liquid can cause damage to the oesophagus due to
 - (a) pepsin and amylase.
 - (b) nucleases and saliva.
 - (c) hydrochloric acid and pepsin.
 - (d) bile acids and proteases.
- 8. In which two body organs does the absorption of water take place?
 - (a) Kidneys and liver
 - (b) Large intestine and kidneys
 - (c) Liver and nephrons
 - (d) Kidneys and small intestine

- 9. Osteoporosis is associated with a loss of bone density. Which of the following bone cells would have excessive activity in a patient with this disease?
 - (a) Osteoclasts
 - (b) Osteoblasts
 - (c) Osteocytes
 - (d) Osteocrypts
- 10. A patient is diagnosed with cholecystitis, obstructing bile salt passage into the small intestine. As a result, the patient is unable to eat too much fat at one sitting. Which of the following organs does cholecystitis affect?
 - (a) Pancreas
 - (b) Liver
 - (c) Gall bladder
 - (d) Appendix
- 11. Ossification, or osteogenesis, is the process of creating new bone. This reaction is an example of
 - (a) catabolism.
 - (b) anabolism.
 - (c) metabolism.
 - (d) respiration.
- 12. Which of the following statements regarding the kidney is **correct**?
 - (a) The glomerulus along with the Bowman's capsule is known as the renal corpuscle
 - (b) The section of the kidney known as the medulla consists of separate renal pelvis'
 - (c) The renal pyramid collects the filtrate to transport to the ureters
 - (d) The section of the nephron, known as the Loop of Henle, is found within the renal cortex
- 13. In which section of mitochondria does the Krebs (Citric Acid) cycle take place?
 - (a) Cristae
 - (b) Outer membrane
 - (c) Matrix
 - (d) Inner membrane

- 14. Which of the following groups correctly lists molecules which undergo facilitated diffusion?
 - (a) Water, oxygen and glucose
 - (b) Amino acids, glucose and sodium ions
 - (c) Glucose, fatty acids and oxygen
 - (d) Sodium ions, amino acids and carbon dioxide
- 15. The skeletal system has several functions. During a rugby tackle, which of the following functions would be **most** important?
 - (a) Storage
 - (b) Movement
 - (c) Support
 - (d) Protection
- 16. A Year 11 student suffered a broken leg after a skateboarding accident, with the X-ray showing the fracture in the shaft of the bone. What is the anatomical name given to this part of the bone?
 - (a) Epiphysis
 - (b) Diaphysis
 - (c) Metaphysis
 - (d) Periosteum
- 17. Elimination differs from excretion in that elimination
 - (a) includes undigested materials as well as metabolic wastes.
 - (b) only consists of metabolic wastes.
 - (c) only consists of undigested materials.
 - (d) includes digested and undigested materials.
- 18. The lymphatic capillary found in the small intestine that absorbs dietary fats is known as the
 - (a) duodenum.
 - (b) lacteal.
 - (c) villi.
 - (d) intestinal gland.

Question 19 refers to the table below.

Table 1. Weight of two babies at monthly intervals in their first 6 months after birth

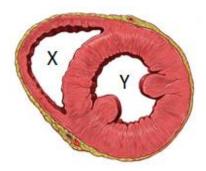
| | Weight (kg) | | |
|-------|-------------|---------|--|
| Month | Baby #1 | Baby #2 | |
| 0 | 3.2 | 2.7 | |
| 1 | 4.1 | 2.9 | |
| 2 | 5.4 | 3.4 | |
| 3 | 5.8 | 3.9 | |
| 4 | 6.2 | 4.6 | |
| 5 | 6.6 | 5.5 | |
| 6 | 7.2 | 6.4 | |

- 19. Which of the following graphs is the most appropriate way to represent the data in the table above?
 - (a) Histogram
 - (b) Bar graph
 - (c) Line graph
 - (d) Pie chart
- 20. Humans require nutrients for biochemical processes to occur efficiently. Which of the following is **not** a metabolic reason as to why the body is made up mostly of water?

Water acts as a

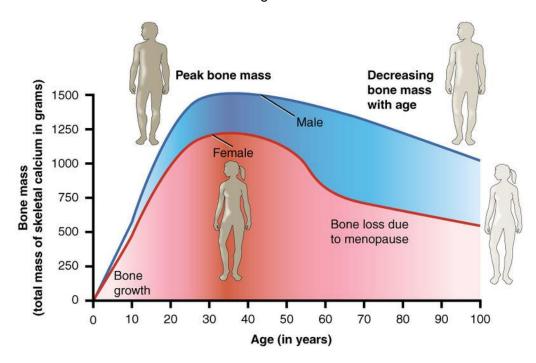
- (a) reactant in metabolic reactions.
- (b) universal solvent.
- (c) medium for metabolic reactions.
- (d) transport medium.
- 21. A defibrillator uses a high energy electric shock to the heart to restart it beating. Which type of tissue does the defibrillator act on?
 - (a) Connective
 - (b) Epithelial
 - (c) Muscle
 - (d) Nervous

Question 22 refers to the short axis (horizontal cut) section diagram of the anterior view of the heart below.



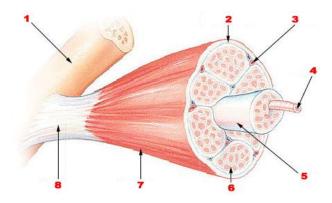
- 22. The section of the heart labelled as Y is the
 - (a) right ventricle.
 - (b) left ventricle.
 - (c) right atrium.
 - (d) left atrium.

Question 23 refers to the information about age and bone mass below.



- 23. The average yearly rate of bone loss in women between the ages of 60 and 100 is
 - (a) 5.
 - (b) 5.5.
 - (c) 6.25.
 - (d) 6.75.

Question 24 and 25 refer to the diagram of the skeletal muscle below.



- 24. The section of the muscle identified at number 4 is known as a
 - (a) myofibril.
 - (b) myofilament.
 - (c) sarcomere.
 - (d) muscle fibre.
- 25. Damage to the structure identified at number 8 would result in
 - (a) muscle spasms, causing repetitive contraction and relaxation of the joint.
 - (b) inability to move the affected arm or leg.
 - (c) decreased transportation of nutrients between muscle and bone.
 - (d) less protection of the adjacent muscle causing more damage to the structure.
- 26. Which of the following correctly lists the form and location that nutrients are absorbed in the digestive system?

| (a) | Proteins | Blood capillary in small intestine |
|-----|-------------|--|
| (b) | Glycerol | Lymph capillaries in the large intestine |
| (c) | Sucrose | Blood capillaries in the small intestine |
| (d) | Amino acids | Blood capillaries in the stomach |

- 27. In which part of the digestive tract are Goblet cells, which secrete mucus, most common?
 - (a) Oesophagus
 - (b) Small intestine
 - (c) Stomach
 - (d) Large intestine

- 28. Ethanol can directly cross the cell membrane because it is a
 - (a) hydrophobic molecule.
 - (b) small uncharged polar molecule.
 - (c) large uncharged polar molecule.
 - (d) charged ion.
- 29. Energy in human cells is stored as
 - (a) glycogen.
 - (b) glucose.
 - (c) ADP.
 - (d) ATP.
- 30. If the epithelial cells of the respiratory system are damaged, which of the following will **not** occur?
 - (a) Filtration of particles of dirt and debris
 - (b) Reduced exchange of carbon dioxide and oxygen
 - (c) Temperature of the air will remain too high or too low
 - (d) Reduced movement of lungs during inhalation

End of Section One

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Section Two: Short answer 50% (106 Marks)

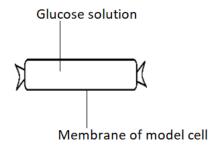
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Suggested working time: 90 minutes.

Question 31 (14 marks)

The diagram below shows a model cell used by a student to investigate osmosis.



(a) State a material that can be used as the membrane of the model cell and describe the feature that makes it suitable to use in this experiment. (2 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|--|------|
| Dialysis Tubing / Cellulose Tubing | 1 |
| Differentially permeable / semipermeable / selectively permeable / allows only certain sized molecules to pass | 1 |
| Total | 2 |

Four model cells, labelled A, B, C and D, were constructed and contained 0%, 5%, 10% and 20% glucose solutions respectively. The model cells were weighed then suspended in four test tubes containing a 10% glucose solution. One hour later the model cells were removed and reweighed.

(b) In the space below, draw a labelled diagram of the experimental set up.

(4 marks)

| Description | | Mark |
|--|-------|------|
| Four test tubes with cell model inside | | 1 |
| Test tubes / cell model labelled as A, B, C or D | | 1 |
| Test tube solution labelled correctly | | 1 |
| Model cell solution labelled correctly | | 1 |
| | Total | 4 |

(c) Predict which model, A, B, C or D, would have the greatest change in mass after the given hour. Give a detailed explanation for your answer. (5 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|--|------|
| Model D | 1 |
| Glucose molecules are large so can't move through the membrane | 1 |
| Water molecules are small so can fit through pores in the membrane | 1 |
| Higher osmotic pressure/higher glucose(solute) concentration in the model cell | 1 |
| Water moves into the model cell by osmosis increasing its mass | 1 |
| Total | 5 |

(d) What is the name given to the type of solution in the test tube of Model C? (1 mark)

| Description | Mark |
|-------------|------|
| Isotonic | 1 |
| Total | 1 |

(e) The student repeated the experiment three times. Describe why scientists undertake multiple tests and calculate mean results. (2 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|--------------------------------|------|
| Reduce effect of random errors | 1 |
| Increase overall reliability | 1 |
| Total | 2 |

Question 32 (16 marks)

Jasmine was interested in learning more about the digestive system. She took a bite of white bread and left it in her mouth for a long period of time. After it became mushy, it started to taste sweet.

(a) Explain why bread becomes mushy and starts to taste sweet when left in the mouth for an extended period. (5 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|---|------|
| Any 5 of the following: | |
| Salivary glands in mouth produce saliva | |
| Saliva is majority water | |
| Moistens the bread making it soft/mushy | 1-5 |
| Saliva also contains amylase | 1-5 |
| an enzyme that breaks down carbohydrates/large starch molecules | |
| into maltose/smaller sugar molecules | |
| Total | 5 |

Once swallowed, the bolus of bread passes through the oesophagus, into the stomach and then the intestines where it is further broken down.

(b) Describe the mechanical digestion which occurs in the stomach. (4 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|------------------------------------|------|
| (gastric) Peristalsis | 1 |
| Wave-like muscle contractions | 1 |
| Three muscle layers involved | 1 |
| Circular, oblique and longitudinal | 1 |
| Total | 4 |

Jasmine had recently been sick due to food poisoning. The bacteria, E. coli, attaches to the columnar epithelia of the small intestine.

(c) Describe why Jasmine's doctor is concerned about her nutrient absorption.

(3 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|---------------------------------|------|
| Damaged microvilli | 1 |
| Decreases surface area | 1 |
| Reduces absorption of nutrients | 1 |
| Total | 3 |

(d) State two nutritional differences between a non-vegetarian and vegetarian diet and give an example of the effects these can have on the body. (4 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|--|------------|
| Any two of the following. 1 mark for identifying difference, 1 mark for the | ne effect: |
| Less fibre in non-vegetarian irregular digestion (constipation) / elevated cholesterol / decreases immune function / leads to weight gain | 1-2 |
| Higher (saturated) fats in non-vegetarian Increased cholesterol levels / greater risk of colon cancer / increased risk of cardiovascular disease (heart attack / stroke etc.) | 1-2 |
| Less protein in vegetarian Affecting muscle strength and/or function / skin/hair/nail issues / increased risk of bone fractures | 1-2 |
| Other suitable differences and appropriate effect, including calcium, iron, potassium, magnesium and folate being higher in vegetarians | 1-2 |
| Total | 4 |

Question 33 (13 marks)

A Blood Urea Nitrogen (BUN) test is a common diagnostic tool for investigations into kidney function.

(a) Explain how urea is formed.

(4 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|---------------------------------------|------|
| Occurs in the liver | 1 |
| Deamination/removal of an amino group | 1 |
| Produces ammonia | 1 |
| Enzymes/urea cycle converts to urea | 1 |
| Total | 4 |

Increased BUN levels can be due to prerenal, renal and postrenal factors.

(b) Describe how decreased blood flow through the kidneys can result in excess urea in the blood. (3 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|--|------|
| Decreased blood flow into glomerulus | 1 |
| Glomerular filtration is reduced | 1 |
| Less urea is filtered into glomerular capsule/renal tubule | 1 |
| Total | 3 |

(c) On the diagram below, label an arrow to identify **one** location where urea is reabsorbed and **one** location where it is secreted. (3 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|--|------|
| Correct identification of urea reabsorption site | |
| • PCT | 1 |
| Collecting ducts | |
| Correct identification of urea secretion site | 1 |
| Loop of Henle | 1 |
| Must identify that reabsorption is OUT OF and secretion INTO the | 1 |
| tubules | 1 |
| Example: | |
| Reabsorption | |
| Total | 3 |

Patients with kidney failure can be treated with dialysis; however, kidney transplants are more efficient.

(d) Suggest **two** reasons against the use of kidney transplants. (2 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|---|------|
| Any two of the following. Must give adequate reasoning for disadvanta | ige. |
| Surgical risks such as infection/bleeding/damage to other | |
| organs | |
| Immunosuppressants increasing risk of catching | 1-2 |
| disease/acne/weight gain etc. | 1-2 |
| Rejection of the organ due to patient's immune system | |
| Any other acceptable answer | |
| Total | 2 |

(e) Outline why lungs are also considered to be an excretory organ. (1 mark)

| Description | Mark |
|---|------|
| Removes metabolic wastes/water and carbon dioxide | 1 |
| Total | 1 |

Question 34 (19 marks)

The Health Department of WA runs several initiatives to help increase the community's physical activity levels. One type of exercise that is often undertaken is weightlifting.

(a) State one benefit of weightlifting on the body.

(1 mark)

| Description | Mark |
|-----------------------------|------|
| Any one of the following | |
| Provide stability to joints | |
| Improve bone health/density | |
| Increase muscle mass | 1 |
| Decrease body fat | |
| Any other acceptable answer | |
| Total | 1 |

(b) During weightlifting sessions, people often feel a burning sensation in the muscle group they are working. Explain why this occurs. (5 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|----------------------------------|------|
| Anaerobic metabolism | 1 |
| Occurs in lack/absence of oxygen | 1 |
| Glycolysis occurs | 1 |
| Occurs in cytoplasm only | 1 |
| Lactic acid produced | 1 |
| Total | 5 |

(c) Explain why endurance athletes load up on carbohydrates prior to running marathons. (4 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|--------------------------------|------|
| Glycogen is stored in muscles | 1 |
| Used as a quick energy reserve | 1 |
| For release of ATP | 1 |
| Through aerobic respiration | 1 |
| Total | 4 |

(d) Describe why there is an increase in blood flow to the lungs during exercise.

(3 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|---|------|
| Any three of the following | |
| Compensate for increased breathing rate | |
| Maintain concentration gradient | 1-3 |
| In capillaries around the alveoli | 1-3 |
| Increased heart rate | |
| Total | 3 |

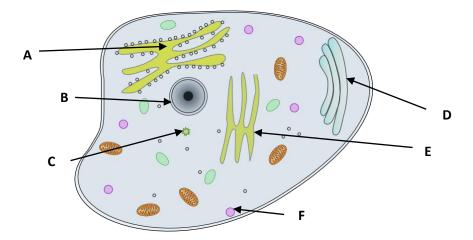
Poor breathing technique during exercise can result in fatigue and dizziness.

(e) Explain why paradoxical breathing, when your stomach rises on exhale and sinks on inhale, is inefficient. (6 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|--|------|
| Diaphragm moves up rather than down during inspiration | 1 |
| Lungs do not expand enough | 1 |
| Less oxygen can be inhaled | 1 |
| Diaphragm moves down rather than up during expiration | 1 |
| Lungs are not compressed | 1 |
| Less carbon dioxide can be exhaled | 1 |
| Total | 6 |

Question 35 (15 marks)

The diagram below illustrates a simplified version of an animal cell.



(a) Identify the following organelles from the diagram above: (2 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|---------------------------------|------|
| C: Centriole | 1 |
| D: Golgi body/apparatus/network | 1 |
| Total | 2 |

(b) Describe how Organelles A and E differ in structure and function. (2 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|--|------|
| Organelle A has ribosomes, whilst organelle E does not | 1 |
| Protein synthesis can occur on organelle A, but not on organelle E / | 1 |
| Organelle is involved in lipid synthesis Total | 2 |

(c) Organelle F entered the cell via a process known as endocytosis. Describe this process. (5 marks)

| Description | | Mark |
|--|-------|------|
| Any five of the following | | |
| Vesicular transport | | |
| Active process / requires energy/ATP | | |
| Cell membrane folds around material until enclosed | | 1-5 |
| Vesicle is formed and is pinched off | | 1-5 |
| Pinocytosis takes liquids in | | |
| Phagocytosis takes solids in | | |
| | Total | 5 |

(d) Describe how the structure of the cell membrane allows for transport of materials via exocytosis. (2 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|---|------|
| Vesicles are made of the same phospholipid bilayer as cell membrane allowing for attachment | 1 |
| Membrane is fluid / contain cholesterol, so can change shape | 1 |
| Total | 2 |

Erythrocytes (red blood cells) are of equal size in both humans and mice, although their body size differs considerably.

(e) Explain why the size of an erythrocyte is the same in these two species. (4 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|--|------|
| large surface area to volume ratio | 1 |
| allows for faster diffusion / if ratio was smaller, diffusion would occur slower | 1 |
| cells require efficient removal of waste AND nutrients to function | 1 |
| also affects movement of materials within the cell | 1 |
| Total | 4 |

Question 36 (17 marks)

Rigor mortis is the rigidity of the body after death, characterised by stiffening of the limbs. Chemical changes in the muscles cause a continual flood of calcium ions into the contractile units of the muscle fibres.

(a) State the name given to the contractile unit of a muscle fibre. (1 mark)

| Description | Mark |
|-------------|------|
| Sarcomere | 1 |
| Total | 1 |

(b) Explain why the influx of calcium ions causes rigor mortis to occur. (6 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|---|------|
| Calcium binds to troponin | 1 |
| myosin head to bind to actin / crossbridge forms between myosin and actin | 1 |
| Myosin pulls (power stroke) actin towards centre of sarcomere | 1 |
| Sarcomere shortens/contracts | 1 |
| No ATP (due to no biochemical processes) means crossbridge doesn't detach | 1 |
| Myosin remains bound to actin / muscle remains contracted/stiff /rigid | 1 |
| Total | 6 |

The contraction of skeletal muscles on joints results in movement of the body, such as arms and legs.

(c) Describe how the actions of muscles result in movement and provide a specific example to demonstrate your answer. (5 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|--|------|
| Antagonistic muscle action | 1 |
| Working muscle is prime mover and/or agonist | 1 |
| Relaxing muscle is antagonist | 1 |
| Stabiliser/fixator stabilises the origin of the agonist and joint | 1 |
| Appropriate example given, i.e. bicep (agonist), tricep (antagonist) and rotator cuff (stabiliser) | 1 |
| Total | 5 |

During physical activity, heart rate increases. Although a single organ, the heart functions as a double pump.

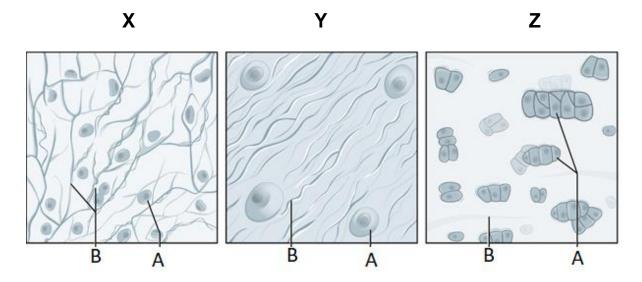
(d) Describe how the circulatory system distributes blood around the body.

(5 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|--|------|
| Pulmonary circuit | |
| Pumps blood to lungs to be oxygenated | |
| Systemic circuit | |
| Pumps oxygenated blood to body | 1-5 |
| Blood moves through arteries to capillaries and then veins | - |
| Valves within veins ensure unidirectional flow | - |
| High pressure in arteries ensure unidirectional flow | - |
| Total | 5 |

Question 37 (12 marks)

The figures below show the histological picture of the three different types of cartilage and their components.



(a) Identify the type of cartilage represented by figure X and justify your reason.

(2 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|--|------|
| Elastic cartilage | 1 |
| Cells (A) are closer together / less intracellular space | 1 |
| Some elastic / collagen fibres (B) present | |
| Total | 2 |

(b) State **one** location where the cartilage represented by figure Z would be found. (1 mark)

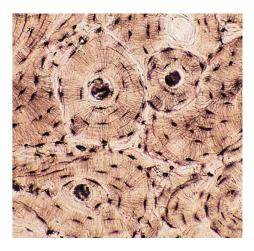
| Description | Mark |
|--|------|
| Spine / Menisci / Pubic symphysis / TMJ etc. | 1 |
| Total | 1 |

Ossification is the conversion of cartilage to bone.

(c) Identify **two** aspects of bone that are not found in cartilage. (2 marks)

| | Description | Mark |
|---------|-------------------------------------|------|
| Any two | o of the following for 1 mark each: | |
| • | Calcium | |
| • | Blood vessels | 1-2 |
| • | Nerves | |
| | Total | 2 |

The diagram below is a cross section of bone.



(d) (i) Identify the type of bone that this sample would have been taken from. (1 mark)

| Description | Mark |
|-------------------------|------|
| Compact / cortical bone | 1 |
| Total | 1 |

(ii) State the name given to the functional unit of this bone.

(1 mark)

(5 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|---------------------------|------|
| Osteon / haversian system | 1 |
| Total | 1 |

Joints are found where two or more bones meet and are often associated with movement.

(e) Describe how age and ongoing damage to a joint can result in restricted movement.

| Description | Mark |
|-------------------------------|------|
| Any five of the following | |
| Osteoarthritis | |
| Cartilage is degraded | |
| Exposed bone rubs on bone | 1 5 |
| Bony spurs/growths develop | 1-5 |
| Joint cavity space is reduced | - |
| Pain limits movement | - |
| Total | 5 |

End of Section Two

Section Three: Extended answer 20% (40 Marks)

Section Three consists of **four** questions.

Questions 38 and 39 are from Part 1. Question 40 and 41 are from Part 2. Answer **one** question from Part 1 and **one** question from Part 2.

Use black or blue pen for this section. Only graphs and diagrams may be drawn in pencil. Responses can include: labelled diagrams with explanatory notes; lists of points with linking sentences; labelled tables and/or graphs; and/or annotated flow diagrams with introductory notes.

Supplementary pages for planning/continuing your answers to questions are provided at the end of this Question/Answer booklet. If you use these pages to continue an answer, indicate at the original answer where the answer is continued, i.e. give the page number.

Suggested working time: 50 minutes.

Part 1

Choose either Question 38 or Question 39.

Indicate the question you will answer by ticking the box next to the question. Write your answer on pages 27 - 31. When you have answered your first question, turn to page 32 and indicate on that page the second question you will answer.

| | Question 38 | (20 marks |
|--|-------------|-----------|
| | | |

The requirements of cells differ both between cell types and over time. Biochemical processes occurring in the cell during these times are controlled by the presence of enzymes.

(a) Briefly describe the role of an enzyme and explain how an enzyme's function can be altered due to the presence of other molecules. (12 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|---|------|
| Role of enzyme | |
| Biological catalyst | |
| Lowers the activation energies of chemical reactions | |
| Not consumed in the reaction / reusable | |
| Increases the rate of reaction / speed of the biochemical process | 1-4 |
| Enzymes are specific for a substrate/active site of the enzyme only |] |
| matches the substrate | |
| Lock and key model / Induced fit model | |
| Factors affecting function | |
| Inhibitors | |
| Molecule binds to the enzyme's active site to stop it from binding to | |
| the substrate | |
| Molecule binds to the enzyme at an allosteric site (location other | |
| than the active site) changing the enzyme's shape | |

| Co-enzymes | | |
|---|------|-----|
| Organic molecules | | 1-8 |
| Co-factors | | |
| Inorganic ions/molecules | | |
| Both bind to enzyme to change its shape to allow function | | |
| Concentration of substrates | | |
| Increases reaction rate due to increased collisions | | |
| until all enzyme active sites are used up | | |
| Т | otal | 12 |

The nutritional requirements for cells are obtained through the digestive system. The supply of these nutrients is facilitated by enzymes produced in specialised cells and released into the digestive organs.

(b) State the specialised cell which produces gastric enzymes and describe the role of the gastric enzymes to supply soluble nutrients. (8 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|--|------|
| Chief cells | 1 |
| Pepsinogen (inactive) | |
| Activated by acidic pH / hydrochloric acid | |
| Becomes pepsin | |
| Breaks down proteins into amino acids | |
| Gastric lipase | 1-7 |
| Not dependent on acid / optimum pH is 3-6 | |
| Digests fats | |
| Removes fatty acid from triglyceride | |
| Both absorbed in the small intestine | |
| Total | 8 |

| | Question 39 | (20 marks) |
|--|-------------|------------|
| | | • |

The human body is composed of tissues, which are groups of cells that perform specific functions.

(a) Identify and compare the types of tissues that make up the muscular system.

(8 marks)

| | De | escription | | Mark |
|-----------------|-----------------------|------------------------|-------------------|------|
| Skeletal, Card | iac and Smooth mu | scle tissue identified | | 1 |
| Any 7 of the fo | ollowing rows for 1 r | nark each: | | |
| | - | | | |
| Туре | Skeletal | Cardiac | Smooth | |
| Function | Movement of | Heart beating | Movement of | |
| | bone | | internal organs | |
| Striation | Striated | Striated | Non-striated | |
| Nucleated | Multinucleated | Uninucleated | Uninucleated | |
| Shape | Long cylindrical | Spindle | Short cylindrical | |
| Fibres | Bundled/ | Sheets | Networks/ | |
| | unbranched | | branched | 1-7 |
| Location | Limbs | Heart | Iris/ureters/ | |
| | | | bronchi | |
| Control | Voluntary | Involuntary | Involuntary | |
| Fatigue | Yes | No | No | |
| Contraction | Quick | Quick | Slow | |
| Intercalated | Not present | Present | Not present | |
| discs | | | | |
| *Other appro | priate comparisons | accepted. | <u>.</u> | |
| | | | | |
| | | | Total | 8 |

(b) Describe the lymphatic system and explain how it works in conjunction with the circulatory system, describing what would occur if the lymphatic system became blocked in the lower leg of a patient. (12 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|--|------|
| Open system | |
| One-way valves | |
| Consists of vessels, tissues and organs | |
| Fluid leaks out of blood vessels | |
| Pools in between cells and tissues | |
| Collected by lymph vessels | 1-10 |
| Passes through lymph nodes | 1-10 |
| Pathogens are filtered from blood | |
| Returns tissue fluid to circulatory system | |
| Lymph moved by muscle contraction | |
| Lymphatic system produces WBC/leukocytes | |
| Circulatory system moves immune cells around body | |
| Interstitial fluid would not be removed leading to | 1 |
| Swelling / oedema / lymphedema in the lower leg | 1 |
| Total | 12 |

Part 2

Choose either Question 40 or Question 41.

Indicate the question you will answer by ticking the box next to the question. Write your answer on the pages provided.

| | Question 40 | (20 marks) |
|---|-------------|------------|
| 1 | | |

Active processes are involved in the formation of urine as it passes through the nephron allowing the body to regulate chemical composition of body fluids.

(a) State what substances are actively removed and added to the filtrate, giving reason for their movement. (8 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|---|------|
| Two of the following for 1 mark each (selective reabsorption): | |
| Glucose | |
| Amino acids | |
| Vit C | |
| Potassium ions | |
| Salts (Na ⁺ , Cl ⁻) | |
| Two of the following for 1 mark each (tubular secretion): | 1-4 |
| H ⁺ ions | |
| Electrolytes i.e. K⁺, HPO₄⁻², SO₄⁻ | |
| • NH ₃ / NH ₄ ⁺ | |
| Penicillin | |
| Histamine | |
| Glucose / Amino acids / Vit C are reabsorbed for their nutritional | 1 |
| properties. | 1 |
| lons reabsorbed to increase blood osmolarity / assist in osmosis / | 1 |
| move water back into blood from filtrate | 1 |
| H ⁺ ions for blood pH levels | |
| NH ₃ /NH ₄ +/Penicillin/Histamine due to toxicity | 1-2 |
| Potassium ions due to excess in body | |
| Total | 8 |

Joints are constructed to allow for differing types and degrees of movement.

(b) Discuss the similarities between the knee and hip joints and identify how the structure of these two joints allows for the variation in movement seen at the joints.

(12 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|---|------|
| Similarities: | |
| both freely moveable | |
| both synovial joints |] |
| rely on muscles, ligaments and tendons for stability | 1-4 |
| both involve movement of the leg / required for walking |] |
| largest joints in the body | |
| Hip: | |
| located between femur and pelvis | |
| ball and socket joint | |
| ball-like structure in cup-like depression | 1-4 |
| range of movement / multiaxial |] |
| flexion, extension, abduction, adduction and rotation |] |
| Knee: | |
| located between femur and tibia | |
| hinge joint | |
| convex surface into concave surface | 1-4 |
| movement in one direction / uniaxial |] |
| flexion and extension |] |
| Total | 12 |

Question 41 (20 marks)

(a) Explain how oxygen is exchanged in the lungs and transported throughout the body. (10 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|---|------|
| Oxygen exchange: | |
| Diffusion | 1 |
| Occurs within alveoli | |
| 1 cell thick / simple squamous epithelium | |
| short distance for oxygen to travel/diffuse | |
| goes with concentration (diffusion) gradient / moves from higher to | |
| lower concentrations | 1-6 |
| Doesn't require ATP / energy | 1-0 |
| Become evenly spread over the space available | |
| Dependent on air flow into the lungs / ventilation | |
| And blood flow in the capillaries / perfusion | |
| Requires moist environment for gases to dissolve | |
| Transportation: | |
| small amount of oxygen dissolved in plasma | 1-3 |
| majority of oxygen attached to haemoglobin / oxyhaemoglobin | |
| carried within RBCs/erythrocytes | |
| heart pumps blood around the body | |
| Total | 10 |

ABO blood groups were discovered over 100 years ago. Prior to this, all blood was thought to be the same and the outcomes of blood transfusions were often tragic. ABO typing is now used to determine a person's blood group prior to surgeries that may require blood transfusions.

(b) Describe how blood groups are determined and explain the importance of having this completed prior to a blood transfusion. (10 marks)

| Description | Mark |
|--|------|
| (four) blood groups are A, B, AB and O | 1-8 |
| Determined by antigens on the RBC/erythrocyte | |
| Opposite antibodies are found in the plasma | |
| Group A has A antigens and B antibodies | |
| Group B has B antigens and A antibodies | |
| Group AB has A & B antigens and no antibodies | |
| Group O has no antigens and A & B antibodies | |
| ABO testing determines blood group | |
| Blood samples are mixed with antibodies A and B | |
| Blood groups are determined by genes | |
| If wrong blood is transfused, immune system reacts to new RBCs | 1-2 |
| New RBCs agglutinate/coagulate/clump together | |
| Can result in organ failure/death | |
| Total | 10 |

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