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## BUGANDA EXAMINATION COUNCIL MOCKS 2019

Uganda Certificate of Education

BIOLOGY (Practical)

PAPER 2

2HOURS

### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- Answer all questions in the spaces provided.
- Use a sharp pencil for any drawing.
- Neat work is a **MUST**

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	Marks	Signature & initials
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Total		

1. You are provided with solution P, V, T and X.
- (a) Carryout the test in table 1 below to determine the chemical composition of solution P.  
(08marks)

**Table 1**

	<b>Test</b>	<b>Observation</b>	<b>Conclusion</b>
(i)	To 2cm <sup>3</sup> of solution P add 2 drops of iodine solution.		
(ii)	To 2cm <sup>3</sup> of solution P add 2cm <sup>3</sup> of Benedict's solution and boil.		
(iii)	To 2cm <sup>3</sup> of solution P add 1cm <sup>3</sup> of sodium hydroxide solution followed by 2 drops of copper (II) sulphate solution.		
(iv)	To 2cm <sup>3</sup> of solution P add 1cm <sup>3</sup> of dilute hydrochloric and boil, cool, add 1cm <sup>3</sup> of sodium hydroxide solution followed by 2cm <sup>3</sup> of Benedict's solution and boil.		

- (b) Obtain three test tubes, label them 1, 2 and 3. Mix the solutions in the test tubes as shown in the table II below.

**Table 2**

<b>Test tube</b>	<b>content</b>
1	2cm <sup>3</sup> of P and 1cm <sup>3</sup> of solution V
2	2cm <sup>3</sup> of P, 1cm <sup>3</sup> of T and 1cm <sup>3</sup> of V.
3	2 cm <sup>3</sup> of P, 1cm <sup>3</sup> of X and 1cm <sup>3</sup> of V

Incubate all test tubes at 35°C 40°C for 20 minutes.

After 20 minutes of incubation add 2cm<sup>3</sup> of Benedict's solution to test tubes 1, 2 and 3 and boil.

Record your observation and conclusion in table III below.

**Table 3**

Test tube	Observation	Conclusion
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(c) With a reason state the nature of;

(i) Solution Y (02marks)

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(ii) Solution T (02marks)

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(iii) State two properties of solution V. (02marks)

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2. You are provided with specimens A, B, C and D.

(a) State the identity of specimens A, B, C and D. Give reasons for your answer.(03marks)

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(b) One specimens A and B transversely and specimens C and D longitudinally.

(i) Examine and describe one characteristic of the following parts of each specimen in the table below. (06marks)

Specimen	Epicarp	Mesocarp	Endocarp	Seed(s)
A				
B				
C				

(ii) Basing on internal features, describe how each of the specimens A, B and C is adapted to its disposal.

Specimen A

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Specimen B

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Specimen C

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- (iii) By basing on nature, number and attachment of seeds, construct a dichotomous key to identify specimens A, B, C and D. (05marks)

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3. You are provided with specimen K and L. Examine them using a hand lens.

- (a) Identify the class of specimens K and L basing only on their thoracic regions. (02marks)

Class.....

Reason:.....

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- (b)(i) Examine the wings of both specimens and state 3 differences between the specimens. (03marks)

Wings of specimen K	Wings of specimen L
(i)	
(ii)	
(iii)	

- (ii) Give the advantages of the differences given in b (i) above to the specimen.(03marks)

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- (c) With a hand lens observe the structure of the limbs of specimen **K**. State how the limbs increase survival of the specimen in its habitat. (04marks)

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- (d)(i) By basing on the head features only, state how specimen **L** is adapted to its role of transmitting diseases in a community. (3marks)

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- (ii) Draw and label the abdomen of specimen K from its dorsal view. (05marks)

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