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0610 BIOLOGY

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Paper 5 (Practical Test), maximum raw mark 40

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- 1 (a) (i) clear outline **S1** ;
circular ;
at least 5cm across ;
vascular bundles / areas of dye , shown in a ring ;
dye labelled ; (*ignore dye that has spread out*) [5]
- (ii) length of drawing measured correctly (+/- 2mm) **with units** ;
(his) drawing length ÷ (his) specimen length ;
correct magnification ;
(*needs 'x' and correctly rounded to a max of 1 decimal place*)
Correct answer for his data with no answer = 2 ticks = 2 marks [3]
- (b) in **W2** there are more , vascular bundles / regions of dye ;
in **W2** scattered throughout the stem ;
in **W1** , circular pattern / around periphery ; [2 max]
- (c)
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| 1 | use of potometer | use of dye | use of balance ; |
| 2 | no air bubbles | | cover , soil /
water , in pot ; |
| 3 | track movement
of , bubble /
meniscus / fluid ,
with time | track movement
of dye with time | track loss of ,
mass with time
; |
| 4 | plant with leaves attached ; | | |
| 5 | named factor ; | | |
| 6 | how the factor is varied ; | | |
| 7 | repeat(s) ; | | |
| 8 | same , plant / species / size ; | | |
- [5 max]
- (d) (i) add Benedict's (reagent) ;
heat / boil ; [2]
- (ii) **Any 2 valid safety precautions such as ~**
wearing goggles ;
heating tube indirectly / use water bath ;
AVP ; [2 max]
- (iii) stays blue / no colour change ;
reducing sugar , not present / absent ; [2]
- (iv) turns , orange / red ;
reducing sugar (now) present / sucrose was present ; [2]
- (v) sucrose / non-reducing sugar ; (**A**) *disaccharide* [1]
- [Total : 24]

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- 2 (a) (i) arthropoda ; [1]
- (ii) jointed legs / exoskeleton ; [1]
- (b) (i) insect ; [1]
- (ii) wings ;
compound eyes ;
three parts to the body / head + thorax + abdomen ;
3 pairs / 6 , legs ;
one pair antennae ;
(A) jointed legs if not given in (a)(ii) [3 max]
- (c) **W5** Diptera ;
W6 Decapoda ;
W7 Araneae ;
W8 Lithobiomorpha ;
W9 Odonata ; [5]
- (d) (i) **W5** doesn't fizz / only fizzes a little / fizzes less ;
W10 fizzes / fizzes a lot / fizzes more ; [2]
- (ii) 1 **W5** / fly , contains , no / little , (calcium) carbonate ;
2 **W10** / mollusc , contains (calcium) carbonate ;
3 a lot of / more , (calcium) carbonate in mollusc
or other comparative statement ;
4 ref. exoskeleton / shell ; [3 max]

[Total : 16]

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