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MARK SCHEME for the May/June 2013 series

0610 BIOLOGY

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Paper 2 (Core Theory), maximum raw mark 80

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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
- **ORA** or reverse argument
- **OWTTE** or words to that effect
- underline 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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	Answer	Marks	Guidance for Examiners
1 (a)	A – crustacean; B – annelid; C – fish; D – reptile;	[4]	A – arthropod
		[Total: 4]	
2 (a) (i)	1 transport around the body / OWTTE; 2 forming cytoplasm of cells; 3 getting rid of excretory materials; 4 temperature regulation; 5 medium for / used in chemical reactions; 6 buffer / shock absorber for fetus;	max [3]	2. A – forming body fluids 4 A – used in sweat 6. A – protecting fetus
(ii)	homeostasis;	[1]	
(b) (i)	respiration;	[1]	A – condensation reactions
(ii)	1400 cm ³ ;	[1]	

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(c) (i)	reabsorbs mineral salts / named salt;		A – pH regulation
	reabsorbs glucose;		
	excretes urea;	[3]	A – excretes hormones, excretes urine
(ii)	the volume will decrease / less water;		
	the concentration will increase / colour will be darker;	[2]	
		[Total: 11]	

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3 (a)	1 (mucus) difficult to cough out; 2 difficult for cilia to move (it out); 3 bacteria / pathogens trapped in it; 4 bacteria / pathogens in warm / moist environment 5 reproduce / AW;	max [3]	A – mucus gets stuck in airways
(b)	an allele that only has its effect in absence of dominant allele / when in homozygous state;	[1]	
(c) (i)	ff;	[1]	
(ii)	Ff and Ff;	[1]	A – Ff
(iii)	<p>(parents) (Ff Ff)</p> <p>(gametes) F f F f;</p> <p>(offspring) FF Ff Ff ff;</p> <p>(phenotypes) NM NM NM CF</p> <p>(possibility) 25% / 1 in 4 / 1:3;</p>	max [4]	No mark for parent line as repeat of (c)(ii) Key – NM normal mucus CF cystic fibrosis
		[Total: 10]	

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4 (a)	1 material extracted from the environment; 2 not replaced / renewed; 3 at least for millions of years / very long time; 4 e.g. fossil fuel / gas / coal / (crude) oil / iron ore / limestone;	max [3]	A – refs to any non-renewable resource												
(b)	(harmful) liquid waste; e.g. human excreta / surface drainage / industrial effluent;	[2]													
		[Total: 5]													
5	<table><tr><td>function</td><td>letter</td></tr><tr><td>produces egg cells</td><td>E (no mark)</td></tr><tr><td>where sperm are deposited during intercourse</td><td>B;</td></tr><tr><td>ring of muscle that relaxes to allow the baby to be born</td><td>F;</td></tr><tr><td>where implantation takes place</td><td>C;</td></tr><tr><td>where fertilisation takes place</td><td>D;</td></tr></table>	function	letter	produces egg cells	E (no mark)	where sperm are deposited during intercourse	B;	ring of muscle that relaxes to allow the baby to be born	F;	where implantation takes place	C;	where fertilisation takes place	D;	[4]	
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6 (a) (i)	ring of xylem / phloem (bundles); inner most part labelled as xylem / outermost part labelled phloem;	[2]	A – if only half bundles (xylem) are drawn in a ring
(ii)	sucrose / amino acids;	[1]	
(b)	water enters root hair (cell); by osmosis / diffusion; moves across root cortex (by osmosis); enters xylem; moves to leaf mesophyll (cells); by transpirational pull / force;	max [3]	Any three – 1 mark each
		[Total: 6]	

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7 (a) (i)	A – relay / connector / inter(mediate) neurone; B – motor neurone;	[2]	A – internuncial neurone
(ii)	automatic / no thinking involved / involuntary; rapid; links specific stimulus to response;	max [2]	Any two – 1 mark each
(b)	muscle / gland / structure that brings about an action;	[1]	
(c) (i)	C – triceps (muscle); D – biceps (muscle);	[2]	I – extensor I – flexor
(ii)	1 muscle D pulls on bones of lower arm; 2 lower arm is raised; 3 pivoting at elbow / joint; 4 muscle C relaxes;	max [2]	Any two – 1 mark each MPs 1 and 4 can both be awarded even if “muscle” appears only once.
		[Total: 9]	

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8 (a)	carbon dioxide; water;	[2]	A – either response in either space
(b) (i)	0.2 (arbitrary units);	[1]	
(ii)	150 (cm ³ per beat);	[1]	
(c) (i)	1 body / muscles need more energy / more respiration; 2 (more) glucose / oxygen; 3 delivered by blood; 4 (more) carbon dioxide / heat removed (by blood); 5 need increase in rate of delivery / removal; 6 rate of <u>heart</u> beat increases;	max [3]	Any three – 1 mark each Only need ref to “increase” or “more” once in response
(ii)	it falls / returns to normal / resting rate / 70 (beats per minute); does not fall straight away / immediately / OWTTE;	[2]	A – falls gradually
(d)	larger / contractions of heart / ventricles at each beat; ref to factor that causes increased stroke volume e.g. adrenalin / exercise;	max [1]	I – smoking
		[Total: 10]	

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9 (a) (i)	<u>mitosis</u> / <u>mitotic</u> ;	[1]	
(ii)	will all have identical genetic make-up / asexual reproduction happening;	[1]	A – same genotype
(iii)	1 different growing conditions / competition; 2 e.g. light / water / minerals etc; 3 damage due to disease / pests; 4 original tubers of different sizes; 5 age of tubers / time since planting;	max [2]	Any two – 1 mark each A – nutrients
(b) (i)	1 sexual reproduction happening; 2 male gametes / pollen can come from any plant; 3 gametes / pollen may vary as formed by meiosis; 4 different combinations of genes / alleles possible;	max [3]	Any three – 1 mark each A – ref to self / cross pollination

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(ii)	1 select plants with desired characteristics / breed the two varieties with one another / OWTTE;		Any three – 1 mark each
	2 isolate flowers;		
	3 remove stamens from some / stigmas from others;		A – remove anthers, carpels
	4 cross pollinate;		A – ref to genetic modification; A – AVP for GM
	5 collect seeds;		
	6 grow plants to check success;		
	7 select next generation of plants / discard any without one of the features;		
	8 repeat process;	max [3]	
		[Total: 10]	

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10 (a)	(an ecosystem is) all the organisms and their environment; interacting together;	[2]	
(b) (i)	sun / sunlight;	[1]	
(ii)	heather / plants;	[1]	
(c)	heather, beetles / other insects, shrews, adders / stoats, chain starts with heather; four linked organisms as on web; arrows showing direction of energy flow;	[3]	sequence for guidance
(d) (i)	<i>hares</i> less adult grouse for food for eagles; eagles eat more hares, so numbers drop; OR as less grouse eating heather; more food for hares, so numbers rise;	[2]	

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(ii)	<p><i>shrews</i> as less grouse eating heather, then more for beetles / other insects; more food for shrews, so numbers rise;</p> <p>OR</p> <p>eagles eat more rabbits / hares thus less food for stoats; stoats eat more shrews, so numbers drop;</p>	[2]	
		[Total: 11]	