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Question	Answer	Marks
1(a)	ventricle ; pulmonary ; lungs ; closes / shuts ;	4
1(b)(i)	120 – 160 beats per minute (ticked) ;	1
1(b)(ii)	decreases (with age) ;	1
1(b)(iii)	<i>any three from:</i> muscles require more energy (for contraction) ; more oxygen (and glucose) transported (to muscle) ; reference to increases (rate of) respiration ; remove more carbon dioxide (from lungs) / increased carbon dioxide in the, blood / muscle / more carbon dioxide released (from respiration) ;	3

Question	Answer	Marks
2(a)	A (cold) water (out) (at top) B condenser C (cold) water (in) (at bottom of condenser) D heat/(Bunsen) burner E salt and water / mixture / solution ;;; 5 correct = (3) 3–4 correct = (2) 1–2 correct = (1)	3
2(b)	heat (the solution) ; to remove the water ;	2

Question	Answer	Marks
2(c)	6 Na and 6 Cl; alternating Na ⁺ and Cl ⁻ both horizontally and vertically ;	2
2(d)	sodium (atom) loses an / one electron (to give +1 charge) OR sodium (ion) has one electron fewer than the proton number ; chlorine (atom) gains an / one electron (to give –1 charge) OR chloride (ion) has one electron more than the proton number ;	2

Question	Answer	Marks
3(a)(i)	convection ;	1
3(a)(ii)	<i>any two from:</i> water expands on heating ; density decreases ; warmer / lower density, water rises ;	2
3(b)(i)	boiling ;	1
3(b)(ii)	in the air / vapour (above the boiling water) ;	1
3(c)(i)	drawing of lower part of thermometer at an angle to the upper part AND angle bent shallower, but still below horizontal ;	1
3(c)(ii)	$3 \times 10^8 \text{ m / s}$ / $3 \times 10^5 \text{ km / s}$;	1
3(c)(iii)	infrared / microwave / radio ;	1
3(c)(iv)	<u>speed</u> (of light) increases ;	1

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4(a)	B ; E ;	2
4(b)(i)	<i>any two from:</i> energy store ; jelly coating OR a coating that changes after fertilisation ; AVP ;	2
4(b)(ii)	<i>any two from:</i> have a cell membrane ; contain cytoplasm ; have a nucleus ;	2
4(c)(i)	protect from mechanical shock ;	1
4(c)(ii)	idea that placenta, obtains / exchanges / passes / diffuses nutrients from mother (’s blood) ; idea that the umbilical cord, passes / transports, nutrients / glucose / oxygen (to fetus) ;	2

Question	Answer	Marks
5(a)(i)	activation energy shown as a maximum between reactants and products ; activation energy labelled correctly ; energy change of reaction labelled with upwards arrow ;	3
5(a)(ii)	products are at a higher energy level than reactants / products have more energy than reactants / ORA ;	1
5(a)(iii)	$\text{N}_2(\text{g}) + \text{O}_2(\text{g}) \rightarrow 2\text{NO}(\text{g})$; ; <i>correctly balanced equation = (1)</i> <i>state symbols (g) (g) = (1)</i>	2

Question	Answer	Marks
5(b)	buildings: the idea of (chemical) reaction with, metal / building materials ; health: adverse effect on, heart / lungs / breathing ;	2

Question	Answer	Marks
6(a)(i)	unit mass / 1 kg ;	1
6(a)(ii)	(resultant force) = 15 000 – 14 750 (= 250N) ;	1
6(b)(i)	5.0 (m / s) ;	1
6(b)(ii)	$a = v \div t$ / evidence of use of formula ; = 0.20 ; m / s ² ;	3
6(b)(iii)	use of area under graph seen, i.e. $\frac{1}{2} \times 25 \times 5$; (= 62.5 m)	1
6(b)(iv)	(increase in KE =) $\frac{1}{2}mv^2$ OR $\frac{1}{2} \times 1475 \times 5 \times 5$ OR 18437.5 ; (increase in PE =) mgh OR $1475 \times 10 \times 62.5$ OR 921875 ; <u>18437.5 AND 921875</u> ; 940 000 (J) ;	4

Question	Answer	Marks
7(a)(i)	P photosynthesis ; Q gas exchange ;	2
7(a)(ii)	gradient and atmosphere ; diffusion ; decrease ;	3
7(b)(i)	one / 1 ;	1
7(b)(ii)	<i>any three from:</i> vulture is on trophic level 5 ; energy is lost at each trophic level ; named example of energy lost, e.g., heat / respiration / excretion / protein synthesis / metabolism / not all organism is eaten ; not enough energy (for quaternary consumer) ;	3

Question	Answer	Marks
8(a)(i)	cracking ;	1
8(a)(ii)	<i>any two from:</i> high temperature ; high pressure ; catalyst ;	2
8(b)(i)	<i>similarity:</i> both, have two carbon atoms / are hydrocarbons / contain carbon and hydrogen only / both are covalent / both are simple molecules ; <i>differences (any two from):</i> ethane has (two) more hydrogen atoms / 6 hydrogen not 4 ; ethene / alkene, has a (carbon to carbon) double bond and ethane / alkane, has only (carbon to carbon) single bonds ; ethene / alkene, is unsaturated and ethane / alkane, is saturated ;	3

Question	Answer	Marks
8(b)(ii)	$2\text{C}_2\text{H}_6 + 7\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 4\text{CO}_2 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$; ; <i>CO₂ and H₂O as products = (1)</i>	2
8(c)	five / 5 ;	1

Question	Answer	Marks
9(a)	F ; J ;	2
9(b)	correct symbol for voltmeter ; connected in parallel with lamps ;	2
9(c)(i)	(difference between e.m.f. and p.d. across lamps = $5.5 - 3.0 =$) 2.5 (V) ;	1
9(c)(ii)	($R =$) $V \div I$ in any form OR 0.3 seen OR $3.0 \div 0.6$ OR 5(0) ; 10 (Ω) ;	2