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FINAL MARK SCHEME

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Question		Answer	Marks	Further Information
1	part	function	3	each correct answer = 1 mark
	artery	carries blood from the heart		
	heart	pumps blood (around the body)		Ignore pumps oxygen Ignore oxygenated or deoxygenated Ignore contracts and relaxes
	capillary	allows exchange of substances between blood and organs		Accept capillaries
	vein	carries blood (back) to the heart		Ignore carries blood from the tissues

Question	Answer	Marks	Further Information
2(a)	boiling condensing evaporating melting	1	more than one answer circled = 0 marks
2(b)	any two from	2	each correct answer = 1 mark Note each answer must imply a change so particles do not move is not awarded a mark Descriptions of particles in a solid are not sufficient
	(particles are) losing energy (particles are) slowing down (particles are) becoming more ordered or arrangement becomes less random or become arranged in a lattice		Accept particles get closer together or get more tightly packed or become compacted as an extra marking point
			Accept (attractive) forces between particles increases or gets stronger as an extra marking point

Question	Answer	Marks	Further Information
2(c)	temperature in °C time in minutes	2	each correct answer = 1 mark
	line increasing		Do not accept if any portion of the line decreases Note line does not need to start at the origin Ignore any labels on line
	two horizontal sections		

Question	Answer	Marks	Further Information
3(a)	С	1	
3(b)	Н	1	Accept Neptune
3(c)	Е	1	Accept Jupiter
3(d)	B – Venus F – Saturn H – Neptune	1	

Question	Answer	Marks	Further Information
4(a)(i)	collect or take in or absorb more water	1	Ignore just take in water
			Accept to absorb as much water as it can or increase chance of absorbing water
			Accept collect or take in or absorb water from a large, big or deep area
			Accept collect or take in or absorb water because roots have a large surface area
4(a)(ii)	any one from	1	
	spines or spikes (instead of leaves) to reduce water loss or spines or spikes (instead of leaves) to stop transpiration or evaporation		Accept (idea of) to stop being eaten by animals or spines to stop plant wilting Accept does not have leaves so reduced loss of water or no leaves so reduced transpiration
	(fleshy) stem to store water		Accept (large) stem to store water
	thick waxy layer to reduce water loss		
4(b)	cactus → kangaroo or rats → snakes → (desert) foxes	2	correct names in order = 1 mark
			Accept reverse order
			all three correct arrows in the direction from cactus to fox = 1 mark

Question	Answer	Marks	Further Information
5(a)	C B (A) E D	2	CB in correct order = 1 mark ED in correct order = 1 mark
5(b)	sulfuric (acid)	1	Accept hydrogen sulfate
5(c)	hydrogen	1	

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6(a)	current in A 2 * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *	3	correct linear scale and labelling of <i>x</i> -axis = 1 mark correct linear scale and labelling of <i>y</i> -axis = 1 mark all points correctly plotted to within half a square = 1 mark Accept plots with small x, dot or dot with circle
6(b)	current 3	2	(2, 3) or (3,2.8) circled = 1 mark smooth curve through other plots = 1 mark Accept any indication of anomalous plot
6(c)	(idea that) as the number of lamps increases the current decreases (idea that) the relationship is not linear	2	each idea = 1 mark Ignore negative correlation unqualified Accept graph is not a straight line or line is curved Accept (idea that) the relationship between current and number of lamps is inversely proportional = 2 marks

Question	Answer	Marks	Further Information
7(a)(i)	photosynthesis	1	
7(a)(ii)	oxygen	2	each correct product = 1 mark
	glucose or sugar		
7(a)(iii)	any one from	1	
	provides (a source of) food		
	provides (a source of) energy		
	provides oxygen for respiration		
	provides glucose for respiration		
7(b)(i)	roots	1	Accept root hairs
7(b)(ii)	any one from	1	
	(transported) in solution or dissolved in water		
	through xylem (vessels) or vascular bundles		Do not accept phloem

Question	Answer	Marks	Further Information
8(a)	measuring cylinder	1	
8(b)(i)	70 (cm³) and reaction is faster or rate is doubled	1	Accept any value from above 35 cm³ to 70 cm³ Accept more acid particles available to react with the excess magnesium or more collisions between particles both correct for the mark
8(b)(ii)	any two from	2	each correct answer = 1 mark
	volume of acid temperature (of acid) mass of magnesium or size of magnesium ribbon time (taken to collect the gas)		Do not accept concentration of acid Accept surface area of the magnesium or amount of magnesium or volume of magnesium
8(c)	(idea that) sodium would be too reactive or might explode or might burst into flames	1	

Question	Answer	Marks	Further Information
9(a)		2	each correct answer = 1 mark
	pollute the water		Accept examples of pollution, e.g. pesticides or fertilisers or litter
	remove the water from the pond or destroy the habitat or pond		Accept building near the pond
9(b)	Toads belong to a group of vertebrates called amphibians .	1	more than one answer circled = 0 marks
9(c)	This means the toads in the pond all belong to the same species .	1	Accept population

Question	Answer	Marks	Further Information
10(a)	A B C D	1	more than one answer circled = 0 marks
10(b)	A B C D	1	more than one answer circled = 0 marks
10(c)	A B C D	1	more than one answer circled = 0 marks
10(d)	4cm/minute 5 cm/minute 8 cm/minute 40 cm/minute	1	more than one answer circled = 0 marks

Question	Answer	Marks	Further Information
11		3	each correct answer = 1 mark
	At the very centre of the Earth is the COre .		Accept inner core
			Do not accept outer core
	This is surrounded by a layer of magma called the mantle .		
	On top of the magma is the Earth's outer layer called the Crust .		Accept thin or thinner crust or outer crust or lithosphere

Question	Answer	Marks	Further Information
12	(idea that) they are destroyed by heat/they are destroyed by high temperature	1	Do not accept fossils are burned
	or		
	(idea that) they are destroyed by (high) pressure		Accept by the weight of rocks on top or crushed