Practice Question Set For GCSE
Subject : Biology
Paper-1 Topic: B4 Bioenergetics

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Name of the Student:_____
Max. Marks : 20 Marks **Time : 20 Minutes**

Mark Schemes

Q1.

ideas for

- more food produced/increased yield
- cheaper food
- bigger income for farmer (allow profit)
- less loss/damage/spoilage of crop
- allow less wasted growth (of straw due to drawing)

any three for 1 mark each

3

ideas against

- chemicals harm people (do not accept "affect flavour")
- fertiliser costly
- fewer worms (in soil)
- weedkillers kill valued/useful wild plants
- insecticides/pesticides kill useful insects/other animals

(general idea that chemicals harm plants/animals gets only 1 of these)

- (weedkillers insecticides/pesticides/fungicides/hormones/chemicals) contaminate water
- (increased risk) pesticide resistance over production/food mountains
- possible eutrophication/nitrate in river/extra plant growth/
- explanation of eutrophication

for 1 mark each to a maximum of 4 marks

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Q2.

(a) (i) points correctly plotted

all correct gains 2 marks
2 correct gains 1 mark

each part of line correctly drawn (i.e. curve + straight line)

for 1 mark each part of line

4

(ii) 3 (or according to plotted graph) litres per second

for 1 mark each

2

(b) lungs
blood

for 1 mark each

2

(c) (i) *ideas that*

- energy transferred <u>faster</u> in 100m race
- carbon dioxide produced faster during 1500m race / more
- carbon dioxide produced

for 1 mark each

3

correct reference to twice / half as fast in either / both cases

for a further mark

1

(ii)
- respiration during 100m race (mainly) anaerobic
- respiration during 1500m race (mainly) aerobic
- aerobic respiration produced carbon dioxide
- anaerobic respiration produced / lactic acid

for 1 mark each

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