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Paper 1 Multiple Choice

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45 minutes

Additional Materials: Multiple Choice Answer Sheet
Soft clean eraser
Soft pencil (type B or HB is recommended)

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READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write in soft pencil.

Do not use staples, paper clips, highlighters, glue or correction fluid.

Write your name, Centre number and candidate number on the Answer Sheet in the spaces provided unless this has been done for you.

There are **forty** questions on this paper. Answer **all** questions. For each question there are four possible answers **A, B, C** and **D**.

Choose the **one** you consider correct and record your choice in **soft pencil** on the separate Answer Sheet.

Read the instructions on the Answer Sheet very carefully.

Each correct answer will score one mark. A mark will not be deducted for a wrong answer.

Any rough working should be done in this booklet.

A copy of the Periodic Table is printed on page 16.

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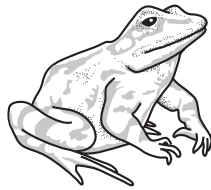


1 Which process releases energy in all living things?

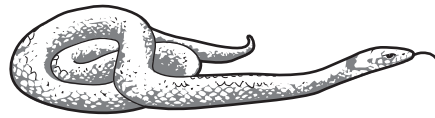
- A breathing
- B digestion
- C muscle contraction
- D respiration

2 The diagram shows four vertebrate animals.

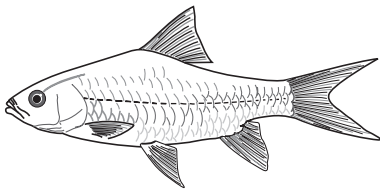
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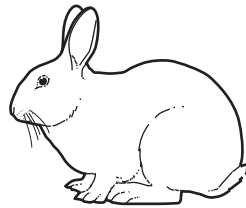
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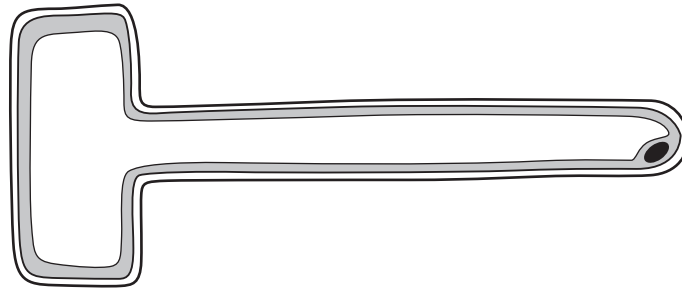
Which animals have lungs?

- A** P, Q and R **B** Q, R and S **C** R, S and P **D** S, P and Q

3 Which molecule carries energy into a cell and which is a process that uses this energy?

	molecule	process
A	glucose	growth
B	iron	movement
C	protein	digestion
D	starch	storage

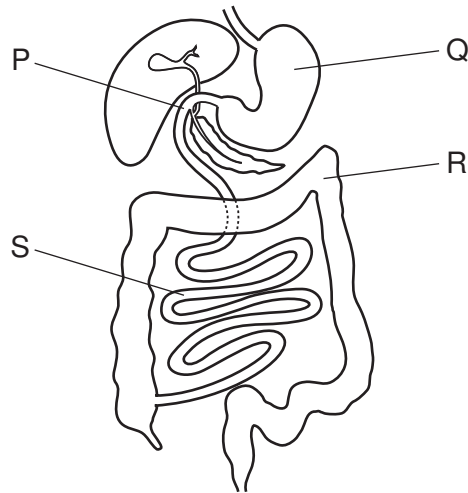
- 4 The diagram shows a root hair cell.



What shows that it is a plant cell?

- A It has a large surface area.
 - B It has a large vacuole.
 - C It has no cell membrane.
 - D It has no cell wall.
- 5 What happens shortly after eating a large amount of sugar?
- A More insulin is secreted by the pancreas.
 - B More urea is made in the liver.
 - C More urine is excreted by the kidneys.
 - D More water is removed from the blood.

- 6 The diagram shows part of the alimentary canal.



Where is bile added and where is acid released?

	addition of bile	release of acid
A	P	Q
B	Q	R
C	R	S
D	S	P

- 7 Tests were carried out on a clear liquid. The table shows the results.

test	result
biuret	purple colour
ethanol	white colour
iodine	brown colour

What did the clear liquid contain?

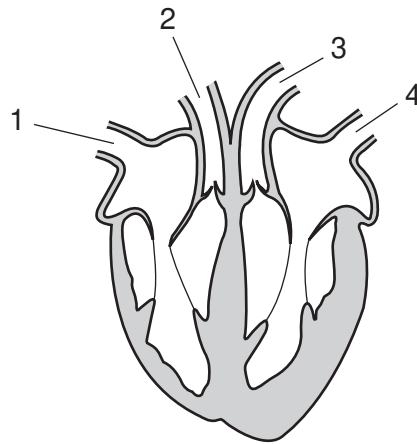
	fat	protein	starch
A	✓	✓	✓
B	✓	✓	x
C	✓	x	✓
D	x	✓	✓

key

✓ = yes

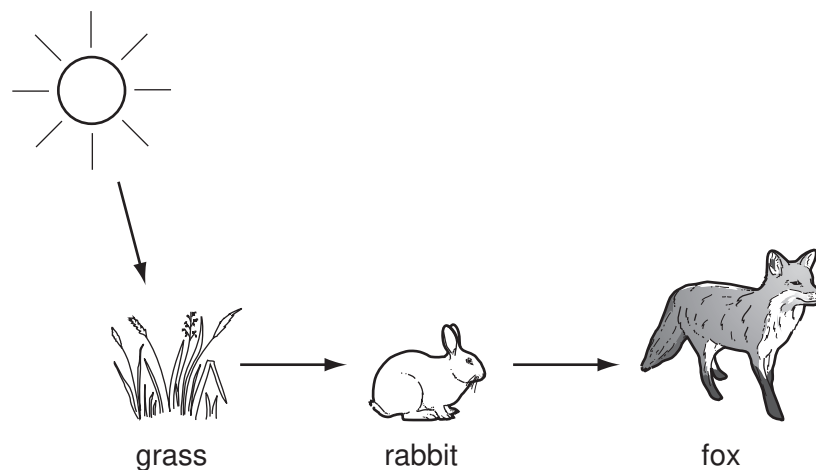
x = no

- 8 The diagram shows a section through the heart.



Which two blood vessels are arteries?

- A** 1 and 2 **B** 2 and 3 **C** 3 and 4 **D** 4 and 1
- 9 What is an ecosystem?
- A** a community and its habitat
B a group of organisms and their predators
C all the organisms in a food chain
D where an organism lives
- 10 The diagram shows a short food chain.



In the food chain, what is the importance of the rabbit?

- A** It absorbs carbon dioxide.
B It absorbs the Sun's energy.
C It passes on energy from plants.
D It releases oxygen.

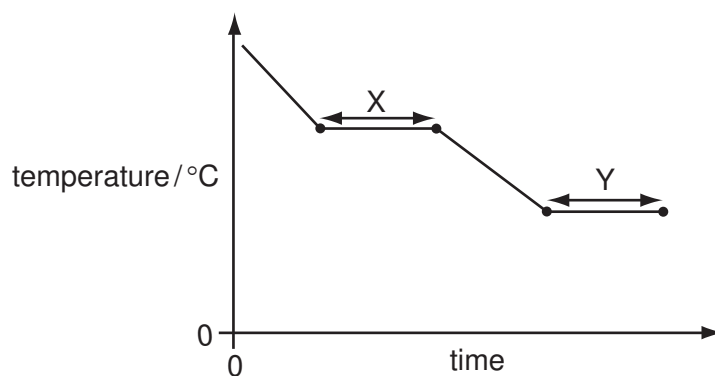
- 11 Which is an example of cloning?
- A pollinating flowers by insects
 - B producing offspring by sexual intercourse
 - C producing plants by tissue culture
 - D seeds forming in an ovary
- 12 Why is seed dispersal important?
- A It causes the development of a fruit.
 - B It makes seeds more fertile.
 - C It prevents asexual reproduction.
 - D It reduces competition between seedlings.
- 13 What passes from a mother to a fetus in her uterus?
- A blood platelets
 - B mineral ions
 - C plasma
 - D red blood cells

- 14 Which trends in physical properties are correct for the alkali metals down Group I?

	hardness	melting point
A	decreases	decreases
B	decreases	increases
C	increases	decreases
D	increases	increases

- 15 What is made when amino acids join together in a large chain?
- A cellulose
 - B glucose
 - C protein
 - D starch

16 The graph shows the changes in temperature when a substance is cooled.



Which describes the processes occurring at X and Y?

	X	Y
A	boiling	melting
B	condensing	freezing
C	freezing	condensing
D	melting	boiling

17 Some properties of three substances are shown.

substance	melting point /°C	boiling point /°C	electrical conductivity when molten
W	801	1413	good
X	-111	-78	poor
Y	1610	2230	poor

What are the structures of W, X and Y?

	giant covalent structure	giant ionic structure	molecular structure
A	W	Y	X
B	X	W	Y
C	Y	W	X
D	Y	X	W

18 Large hydrocarbons can be1..... to make smaller, more useful molecules.

Small hydrocarbon molecules can be2..... to make long molecules.

Which words correctly complete gaps 1 and 2?

	1	2
A	cracked	distilled
B	cracked	polymerised
C	distilled	polymerised
D	distilled	cracked

19 Electrolysis of sodium chloride is used to obtain chlorine.

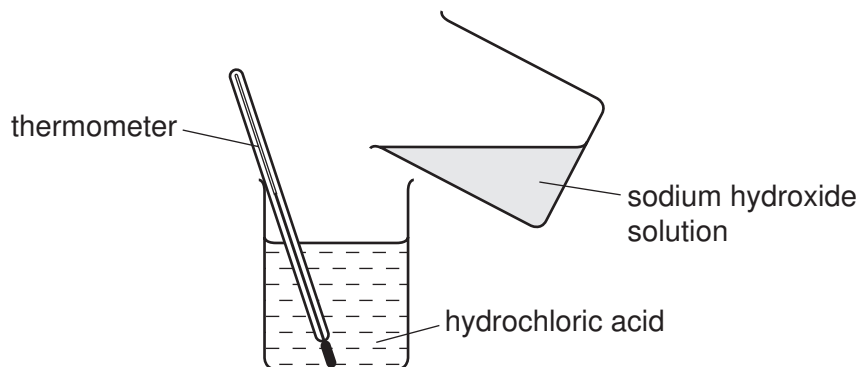
In what form is sodium chloride electrolysed and at which electrode is the chlorine obtained?

	form of sodium chloride	electrode at which chlorine is obtained
A	in aqueous solution	anode
B	in aqueous solution	cathode
C	solid	anode
D	solid	cathode

20 How is carbon (coke) used in the extraction of iron from iron oxide?

- A** as an anode
- B** as a cathode
- C** as an oxidising agent
- D** as a reducing agent

21 Sodium hydroxide solution is added to hydrochloric acid.



Which shows how the pH and temperature change as the reaction takes place?

	pH	temperature
A	decrease	decrease
B	decrease	increase
C	increase	decrease
D	increase	increase

22 Which statements about a positive test for a nitrate ion are correct?

- 1 Aluminium is used.
- 2 The nitrate ion is reduced to ammonia.
- 3 Ammonia turns damp litmus paper red.

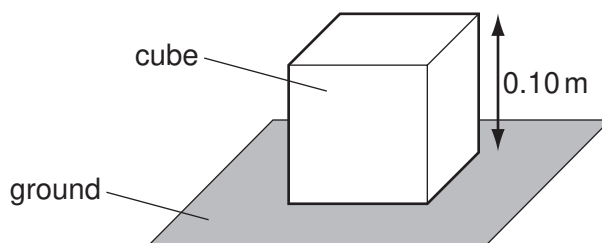
A 1, 2 and 3 **B** 1 and 2 only **C** 1 and 3 only **D** 2 and 3 only

23 A solution is tested by adding acidified silver nitrate solution.

Which ion causes the white precipitate to form?

- A** chloride ions, Cl^-
- B** copper ions, Cu^{2+}
- C** hydroxide ions, OH^-
- D** sodium ions, Na^+

- 28 One side of a cube stands on the ground.



The cube weighs 200 N and its sides are 0.10 m long.

How much pressure does the cube exert on the ground?

- A 2.0 Pa B 20 Pa C 2000 Pa D 20 000 Pa
- 29 A student needs to find the density of a large cubic block of wood.
- Which two pieces of apparatus should she use?
- A balance and metre rule
 B balance and thermometer
 C measuring cylinder and metre rule
 D measuring cylinder and thermometer
- 30 In an experiment, a student measures the time taken for an object to fall to the ground. He carries out the experiment ten times. The table shows his results.

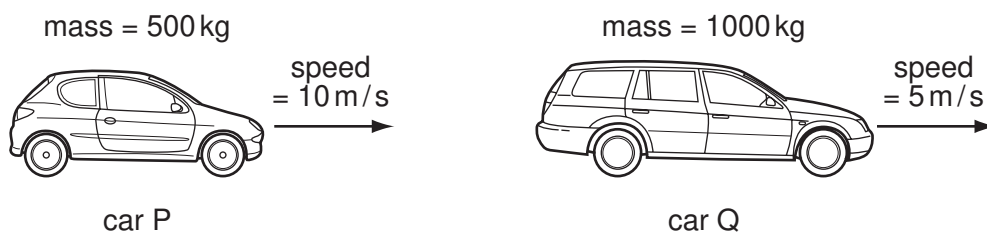
time/s	26.4	26.8	26.4	24.4	24.0	26.8	25.4	23.4	26.4	24.0
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Which value should the student use?

- A 24.0 s B 25.4 s C 26.4 s D 26.8 s
- 31 Which group contains only secondary colours of light?

- A cyan, green, magenta
 B cyan, green, yellow
 C green, magenta, yellow
 D yellow, cyan, magenta

32 Two cars have different masses and different speeds as shown.



How do the momentum and the kinetic energy of the two cars compare?

	momentum	kinetic energy
A	P greater than Q	P less than Q
B	P equal to Q	P greater than Q
C	P equal to Q	P equal to Q
D	P less than Q	P equal to Q

33 A satellite orbits the Earth.

Is the satellite in a gravitational field and is the satellite in a magnetic field?

	a gravitational field	a magnetic field
A	✓	✓
B	✓	✗
C	✗	✓
D	✗	✗

key

✓ = in field

✗ = not in field

34 What is meant by the current in a wire?

- A** the charge flowing through the wire per second
- B** the energy the wire can transfer elsewhere per second
- C** the power the wire can produce per second
- D** the work the wire does per second

- 35 An electronic circuit is used as a temperature detector.



The current in the detector is small. The detector operates a component that allows it to control a larger current in a heater.

Which component is suitable?

- A a diode
 - B a dynamo
 - C a reed relay
 - D a transformer
- 36 Microphones and earphones are both used with audio equipment.

Which energy change takes place in a microphone and which takes place in an earphone?

	microphone	earphone
A	electrical to sound	electrical to sound
B	electrical to sound	sound to electrical
C	sound to electrical	electrical to sound
D	sound to electrical	sound to electrical

- 37 Electrical energy from a power station is used a long distance away from it.

Which row shows the type of current needed and the device used for efficient transmission?

	type of current	device
A	alternating	dynamo
B	alternating	transformer
C	direct	dynamo
D	direct	transformer

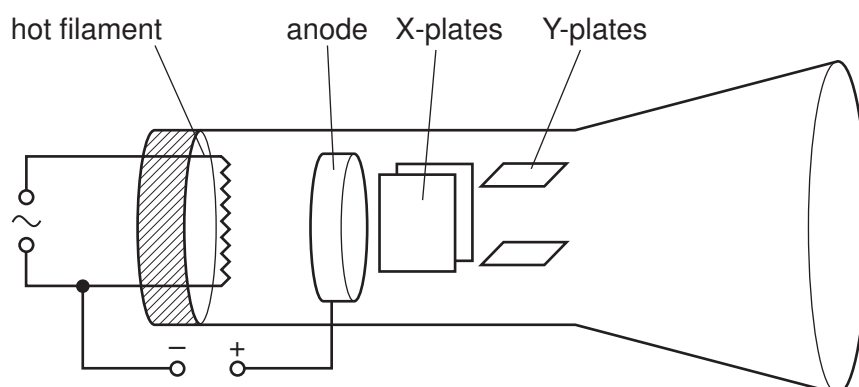
- 38 Which process is used in a nuclear power station and which nuclear change happens in this process?

	process used	nuclear change
A	fission	heavy nuclei split
B	fission	light nuclei join together
C	fusion	heavy nuclei split
D	fusion	light nuclei join together

- 39 Which row describes the properties of beta radiation?

	electromagnetic	ionising	
A	✓	✓	key
B	✓	x	✓ = yes
C	x	✓	x = no
D	x	x	

- 40 The diagram shows the basic structure of a cathode-ray tube in an oscilloscope.



From which component do the cathode rays start?

- A** the anode
- B** the hot filament
- C** the X-plates
- D** the Y-plates

DATA SHEET

The Periodic Table of the Elements

Group																						
I	II											III	IV	V	VI	VII	0					
											1 H Hydrogen 1											4 He Helium 2
7 Li Lithium 3	9 Be Beryllium 4											11 B Boron 5	12 C Carbon 6	14 N Nitrogen 7	16 O Oxygen 8	19 F Fluorine 9	20 Ne Neon 10					
23 Na Sodium 11	24 Mg Magnesium 12											27 Al Aluminium 13	28 Si Silicon 14	31 P Phosphorus 15	32 S Sulfur 16	35.5 Cl Chlorine 17	40 Ar Argon 18					
39 K Potassium 19	40 Ca Calcium 20	45 Sc Scandium 21	48 Ti Titanium 22	51 V Vanadium 23	52 Cr Chromium 24	55 Mn Manganese 25	56 Fe Iron 26	59 Co Cobalt 27	59 Ni Nickel 28	64 Cu Copper 29	65 Zn Zinc 30	70 Ga Gallium 31	73 Ge Germanium 32	75 As Arsenic 33	79 Se Selenium 34	80 Br Bromine 35	84 Kr Krypton 36					
85 Rb Rubidium 37	88 Sr Strontium 38	89 Y Yttrium 39	91 Zr Zirconium 40	93 Nb Niobium 41	96 Mo Molybdenum 42	96 Tc Technetium 43	101 Ru Ruthenium 44	103 Rh Rhodium 45	106 Pd Palladium 46	108 Ag Silver 47	112 Cd Cadmium 48	115 In Indium 49	119 Sn Tin 50	122 Sb Antimony 51	128 Te Tellurium 52	127 I Iodine 53	131 Xe Xenon 54					
133 Cs Caesium 55	137 Ba Barium 56	139 La Lanthanum 57 *	178 Hf Hafnium 72	181 Ta Tantalum 73	184 W Tungsten 74	186 Re Rhenium 75	190 Os Osmium 76	192 Ir Iridium 77	195 Pt Platinum 78	197 Au Gold 79	201 Hg Mercury 80	204 Tl Thallium 81	207 Pb Lead 82	209 Bi Bismuth 83	209 Po Polonium 84	209 At Astatine 85	209 Rn Radon 86					
87 Fr Francium	226 Ra Radium	227 Ac Actinium †																				

*58-71 Lanthanoid series

†90-103 Actinoid series

Key

a
X
b

a = relative atomic mass

X = atomic symbol

b = proton (atomic) number

140 Ce Cerium 58	141 Pr Praseodymium 59	144 Nd Neodymium 60	Pm Promethium 61	150 Sm Samarium 62	152 Eu Europium 63	157 Gd Gadolinium 64	159 Tb Terbium 65	162 Dy Dysprosium 66	165 Ho Holmium 67	167 Er Erbium 68	169 Tm Thulium 69	173 Yb Ytterbium 70	175 Lu Lutetium 71
232 Th Thorium 90	232 Pa Protactinium 91	238 U Uranium 92	238 Np Neptunium 93	238 Pu Plutonium 94	238 Am Americium 95	238 Cm Curium 96	238 Bk Berkelium 97	238 Cf Californium 98	238 Es Einsteinium 99	238 Fm Fermium 100	238 Md Mendelevium 101	238 No Nobelium 102	238 Lr Lawrencium 103

The volume of one mole of any gas is 24 dm³ at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.).

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