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0654/51 Paper 5 (Practical), maximum raw mark 45

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1	(a) (i)	large, neat pencil drawing ; drawing clearly shows petals, stamens, carpel ;	ambridge.com
	(ii)	stamen and carpel correctly labelled; stamen marked as male and carpel marked as female;	[2] COM
	(iii)	yellow powder inside the anther; pollen;	[2]
	(iv)	clear pencil drawing of carpel in section; any two of the following correctly labelled – ovary, ovary/carpel wall, ovule;	[2]
	(v)	contains or protects ovule or gamete/becomes fruit/receives pollen/transfers pollen to ovary / place where fertilisation occurs;	[1]
	(b) (i)	petal drawing in left of Table 1.1 showing colours;	[1]
	(ii)	petal drawing in right of Table 1.1 showing colours plus green/yellow/orange/red/brown;	[1]
	(iii)	to attract insects;	[1]
	(iv)	colours are conspicuous to insects AND (lines) guide insects towards nectar ;	[1]
	(v)	(reducing) sugar/glucose/nectar present; insects will visit flower to collect sugar/sugar or glucose or nectar will attract insects;	[2]
			[Total: 15]
2	(a) (i)	x value for 60 g recorded in the range 25 – 50 cm;	[1]
_		note readings on either side of mass and find mean;	[1]
		x value for 70 g recorded to 1 decimal place;	[1]
	(iv)	remaining values of <i>x</i> recorded; values of <i>x</i> decreasing down the table;	[2]
	(v)	1/x values calculated correctly ; all values to 3 decimal places ;	[2]
	(b) (i)	axes labelled with units; suitable choice of scales with vertical axis starting at 60g and 10g represented by at least 2 cm; 4 points out of 5 plotted correctly to half a small square;	
		good best fit straight line judgement ;	[4]
	(ii)	indication on graph of how data obtained; correct calculation of gradient;	[2]

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(c) correct calculation of M from candidate's gradient to 2 significant figures; M = 48-52 g from a correctly calculated gradient (accuracy mark);

[Total:

[2]

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3	(a) (i)	time value for 10 cm ³ of A ;	[1]
	(ii)	time value for 8 cm ³ of A ;	[1]
	(iii)	complete set of time values; all time values to nearest second (whole number); values of time increase down the table;	[3]
	(b) (i)	all 1/time values correct (2 decimal places or more);	[1]
	(ii)	axis – correct and labelled with units for volume; scale – uniform and numbered for both axes; points – 3 points plotted correctly within half a square; line – best straight line through origin;	[4]
	(c) (i)	proportional/rate increases as (volume of) A increases ; (ignore conclusions in terms of time)	[1]
	(ii)	blue-black colour (with starch);	[1]
	(iii)	to keep (total) volume constant/so concentration is proportional to volume;	[1]
	(d) kee	ep volume of A constant/stated value for volume of A ;	101

vary volume **B** and water/stated range for volume of **B** and water;