

# **Cambridge International Examinations**

Cambridge Ordinary Level

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May/June 2014 Paper 1 Multiple Choice

1 hour

Additional Materials: Multiple Choice Answer Sheet

Soft clean eraser

Soft pencil (type B or HB is recommended)

#### **READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST**

Write in soft pencil.

Do not use staples, paper clips, 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.

DO NOT WRITE IN ANY BARCODES.

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

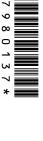
Choose the **one** you consider correct and record your choice in **soft pencil** on the separate Answer Sheet.

### 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.

Electronic calculators may be used.



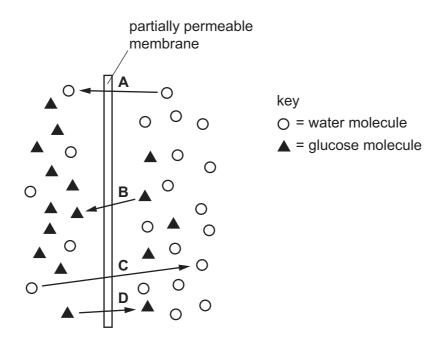


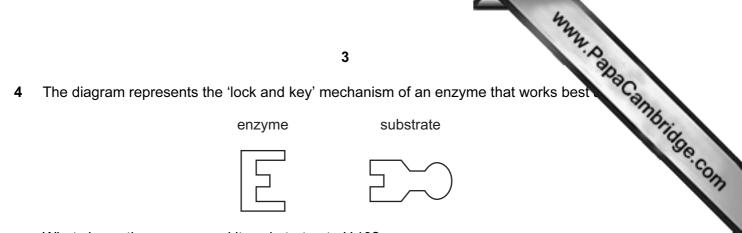
- 1 What are found in plant cells but **not** in animal cells?
  - 1 cell membrane
  - 2 nucleus
  - 3 cell wall
  - 4 chloroplast
  - A 1 and 2
- **B** 1 and 4
- **C** 2 and 3
- **D** 3 and 4

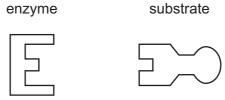
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- 2 Which statement is always correct when oxygen is diffusing out of a plant cell?
  - A The concentration of carbon dioxide is higher inside the cell than outside.
  - **B** The concentration of carbon dioxide is higher outside the cell than inside.
  - **C** The concentration of oxygen is higher inside the cell than outside.
  - **D** The concentration of oxygen is higher outside the cell than inside.
- **3** The diagram represents the passage of water molecules and glucose molecules across a partially permeable cell surface membrane.

Which arrow indicates osmosis?







What shows the enzyme and its substrate at pH 13?

|   | enzyme | substrate |
|---|--------|-----------|
| A |        |           |
| В |        |           |
| С |        |           |
| D |        |           |

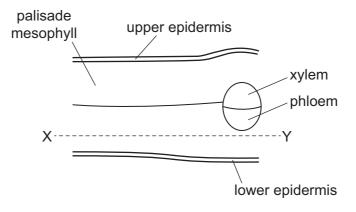
- What are the signs of magnesium deficiency and nitrogen deficiency in leaves of plants? 5
  - 1 purple spots on leaves
  - 2 reduced growth of roots
  - reduced growth with loss of leaf colour
  - yellowing of leaves between the veins

|   | magnesium<br>deficiency | nitrogen<br>deficiency |
|---|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Α | 2                       | 1                      |
| В | 2                       | 3                      |
| С | 4                       | 1                      |
| D | 4                       | 3                      |

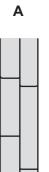
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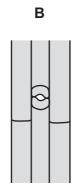
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- **6** When carbon dioxide is being used in photosynthesis, what is its diffusion pathway entering a stoma?
  - 1 cell membrane
  - 2 cell wall
  - 3 chloroplast membrane
  - 4 cytoplasm
  - 5 intercellular spaces
  - **A**  $2 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 5 \rightarrow 4 \rightarrow 3$
  - $\textbf{B} \quad 2 \rightarrow 5 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 4$
  - $\textbf{C} \quad 5 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 4$
  - $\textbf{D} \quad 5 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 4 \rightarrow 3$
- **7** The diagram shows the arrangement of the tissues of a leaf as seen in cross-section under the microscope.



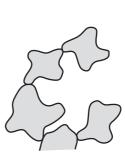
What is the arrangement of the cells in the section X-Y?







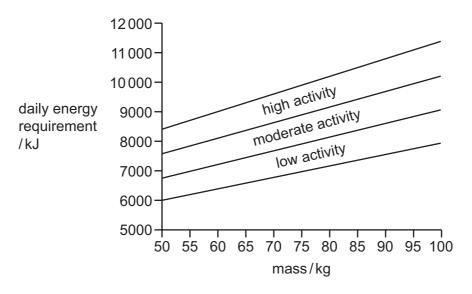
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- 8 Which combination of mineral and vitamin is required for strong bones?
  - A calcium and vitamin C
  - B calcium and vitamin D
  - C iron and vitamin C
  - **D** iron and vitamin D
- **9** The graph can be used to estimate the daily energy requirements of women, depending on their mass and level of activity.



What is the estimated daily energy requirement of a woman of mass 75 kg who has a moderate level of activity?

- **A** 5000-6750kJ
- **B** 7000-7750kJ
- C 7750-8750kJ
- **D** 9250-10000kJ

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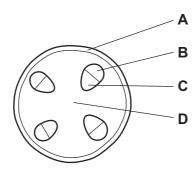


What are the functions of these teeth?

|   | Р        | Q        |
|---|----------|----------|
| Α | cutting  | cutting  |
| В | cutting  | grinding |
| С | grinding | cutting  |
| D | grinding | grinding |

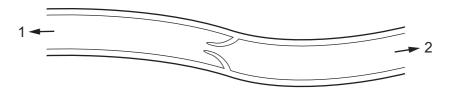
11 The diagram shows a section through the stem of a dicotyledonous plant.

Which tissue transports sugars through the stem?



- 12 What is the main source of the energy that causes water to rise up a plant stem?
  - difference in water potential between cell sap and soil water
  - В heat from the Sun
  - C light absorbed by chlorophyll
  - respiration of sugars made in photosynthesis

- www.papaCambridge.com 13 Which sequence shows the shortest route taken by blood travelling from a leg to a human body?
  - $leg \rightarrow heart \rightarrow lungs \rightarrow heart \rightarrow arm$
  - В  $leg \rightarrow heart \rightarrow lungs \rightarrow kidney \rightarrow arm$
  - C  $leg \rightarrow kidney \rightarrow heart \rightarrow lungs \rightarrow arm$
  - $leg \rightarrow lungs \rightarrow heart \rightarrow alimentary canal \rightarrow arm$
- **14** The diagram shows a section through part of a vein.

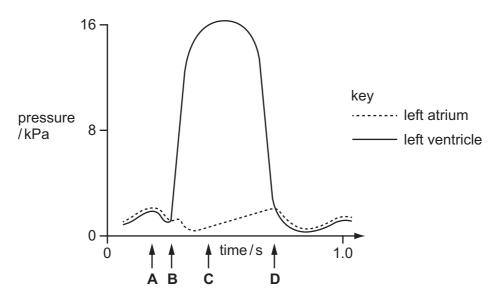


What could be the first organs found in the directions 1 and 2?

|   | 1         | 2     |
|---|-----------|-------|
| Α | heart     | brain |
| В | intestine | liver |
| С | kidney    | heart |
| D | lung      | heart |

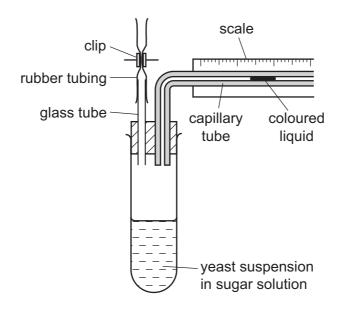
15 The graph shows the pressure changes in the left atrium and the left ventricle while the heart is beating.

When does the atrio-ventricular (bicuspid) valve close?



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- **16** What are the products of aerobic respiration in a muscle?
  - A carbon dioxide, water and ethanal
  - B heat, lactic acid and water
  - C lactic acid, heat and carbon dioxide
  - **D** water, carbon dioxide and heat
- 17 The diagram shows apparatus that can be used to measure the rate of anaerobic respiration of yeast.



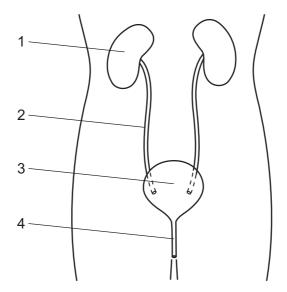
Which precautions must be taken during the setting up of this apparatus?

- P A layer of oil must be poured over the surface of the yeast suspension.
- Q The clip must not be closed until the yeast suspension has had time to reach room temperature.
- R The coloured liquid must be near the right hand end of the capillary tube.
- S The yeast suspension must be made with boiled and cooled water.
- A P, Q and R
- **B** Q, R and S
- C R, S and P
- **D** S, P and Q
- 18 What happens to the volume of the thorax and the air pressure in the lungs during breathing out?

|   | volume of thorax | air pressure in lungs |
|---|------------------|-----------------------|
| Α | decreases        | increases             |
| В | decreases        | remains constant      |
| С | increases        | increases             |
| D | increases        | remains constant      |

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**19** The diagram shows the human urinary system.



What are the correct labels for structures 1, 2, 3 and 4?

|   | 1       | 2       | 3       | 4       |
|---|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Α | bladder | ureter  | kidney  | urethra |
| В | bladder | urethra | kidney  | ureter  |
| С | kidney  | ureter  | bladder | urethra |
| D | kidney  | urethra | bladder | ureter  |

**20** Which part of the brain controls body temperature?

- A cerebellum
- **B** cerebrum
- C hypothalamus
- **D** medulla

21 What is the role of motor neurones in reflex action?

- A carrying nerve impulses from the central nervous system to an effector
- **B** connecting a receptor to the central nervous system
- **C** forming a synapse with a sensory neurone
- **D** transferring energy from the stimulus to a nerve impulse

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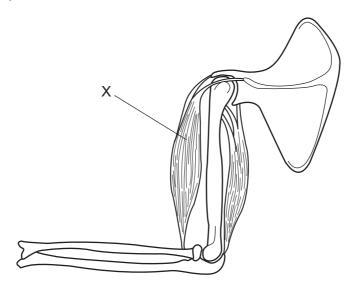
www.PapaCambridge.com 22 Opticians sometimes place drops of a chemical in a patient's eye to keep the pupil with

Which muscles contract when this chemical is used?

- ciliary muscles Α
- В circular iris muscles
- C muscles that move the eyeball
- radial iris muscles
- 23 How does adrenaline affect glucose uptake by muscle cells and carbohydrate conversion by liver cells?

|   | glucose uptake | carbohydrate conversion |
|---|----------------|-------------------------|
| Α | decreases      | glucose to glycogen     |
| В | decreases      | glycogen to glucose     |
| С | increases      | glucose to glycogen     |
| D | increases      | glycogen to glucose     |

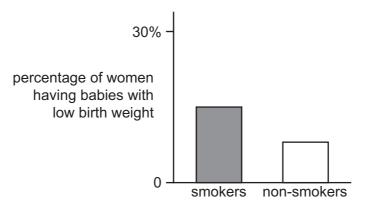
**24** The diagram shows parts of the human forelimb.



What will happen if a nerve impulse stimulates X?

|   | muscle contracted | effect          |
|---|-------------------|-----------------|
| Α | biceps            | arm bends       |
| В | biceps            | arm straightens |
| С | triceps           | arm bends       |
| D | triceps           | arm straightens |

www.PapaCambridge.com 25 The bar chart shows the percentage of women who had babies of low weight, among and non-smokers.



What is shown by the bar chart?

- More women smoke during pregnancy than do not.
- В Smoking in pregnancy increases the risk of low birth weight.
- C Smoking is bad for the health of a pregnant woman.
- Women whose babies have low birth weight are smokers.
- **26** Yeast is used in alcohol production.

Under which conditions will yeast produce most alcohol?

|   | glucose present | oxygen present |
|---|-----------------|----------------|
| Α | ✓               | ✓              |
| В | ✓               | ×              |
| С | ×               | ✓              |
| D | X               | X              |

27 Using the key, which organism is a virus?

- has a cell wall ...... go to 2 does not have a cell wall ...... go to 3
- cell wall is made of chitin ..... organism A cell wall is made of cellulose ...... organism B
- has a cell membrane ..... organism C has a protein coat ..... organism D

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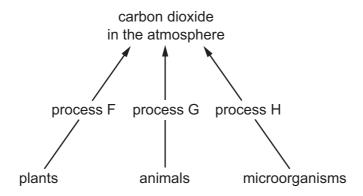
- 28 Which statement correctly describes relationships in ecosystems?
  - **A** Carbohydrates are passed from decomposers to producers.
  - **B** Energy is passed from carnivores to herbivores.
  - **C** Proteins are passed from primary consumers to producers.
  - **D** Water is passed from respiring decomposers to producers.
- 29 The diagram shows a pyramid of biomass.



What do levels 1, 2 and 3 represent?

|   | 1         | 2         | 3         |
|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Α | carnivore | herbivore | producer  |
| В | carnivore | producer  | herbivore |
| С | producer  | carnivore | herbivore |
| D | producer  | herbivore | carnivore |

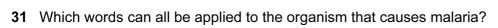
**30** The diagram shows some of the stages in the carbon cycle.



What are processes F, G and H?

|   | process F      | process G      | process H      |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Α | photosynthesis | respiration    | photosynthesis |
| В | photosynthesis | respiration    | respiration    |
| С | respiration    | respiration    | respiration    |
| D | respiration    | photosynthesis | photosynthesis |

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- A microscopic, parasite, sexually transmitted
- B microscopic, parasite, pathogen
- C mosquito, pathogen, vector
- D parasite, sexually transmitted, vector

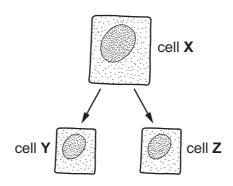
# 32 Which activities can lead to soil instability?

|   | deforestation | use of insecticides |
|---|---------------|---------------------|
| Α | ✓             | ✓                   |
| В | ✓             | X                   |
| С | x             | ✓                   |
| D | X             | X                   |

**33** What is the function of the sepals of most flowers?

- A to attract insects
- B to produce pollen
- C to protect flower buds
- **D** to receive pollen

# 34 Cell X contains 24 chromosomes. It divides by mitosis to produce cells Y and Z.



How many chromosomes does cell **Z** contain?

- **A** 12
- **B** 24
- **C** 46
- **D** 48

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35 What are the symptoms in the different stages of syphilis?

|   | first stage               | second stage                | third stage                           |
|---|---------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Α | a single sore on the skin | fever, widespread skin rash | heart disease, dementia               |
| В | headaches, fever          | widespread skin rash        | hair loss, liver disease              |
| С | slight fever              | few or no symptoms          | death from serious infectious disease |
| D | widespread skin rash      | fever, sores on the skin    | hair loss, liver disease              |

- 36 Which substances are present in breast milk but **not** in bottled milk made from milk powder?
  - A antibodies
  - **B** carbohydrates
  - **C** proteins
  - **D** vitamins
- **37** What is the effect of environment on discontinuous variation, and what is an example of this type of variation in humans?

|   | environmental effect | example                |
|---|----------------------|------------------------|
| Α | large                | ABO blood group system |
| В | large                | height                 |
| С | small                | ABO blood group system |
| D | small                | height                 |

**38** In the inheritance of blood groups in humans, the MN system is controlled by a single gene. The gene has two alleles, M and N, that are co-dominant.

The offspring of two parents were two boys of blood group MN and M and a girl of blood group N.

What are possible genotypes of the parents?

|   | father's genotype | mother's genotype |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|
| Α | MM                | MN                |
| В | MN                | MN                |
| С | NN                | MM                |
| D | NN                | MN                |

- **39** Which statement about chromosomes is correct?
  - A Chromosomes are long DNA molecules called genes which are divided into sections.
  - **B** Chromosomes include a long molecule of DNA divided into sections called genes.
  - **C** Chromosomes include genes which are divided into sections called DNA molecules.
  - **D** Genes include long DNA molecules called chromosomes.
- **40** Which statement is **always** true of dominant alleles?
  - A They cannot undergo mutation.
  - **B** They give a greater chance of survival than recessive alleles.
  - **C** They give the same phenotype in heterozygotes and homozygotes.
  - **D** They occur more frequently in the population than recessive alleles.

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