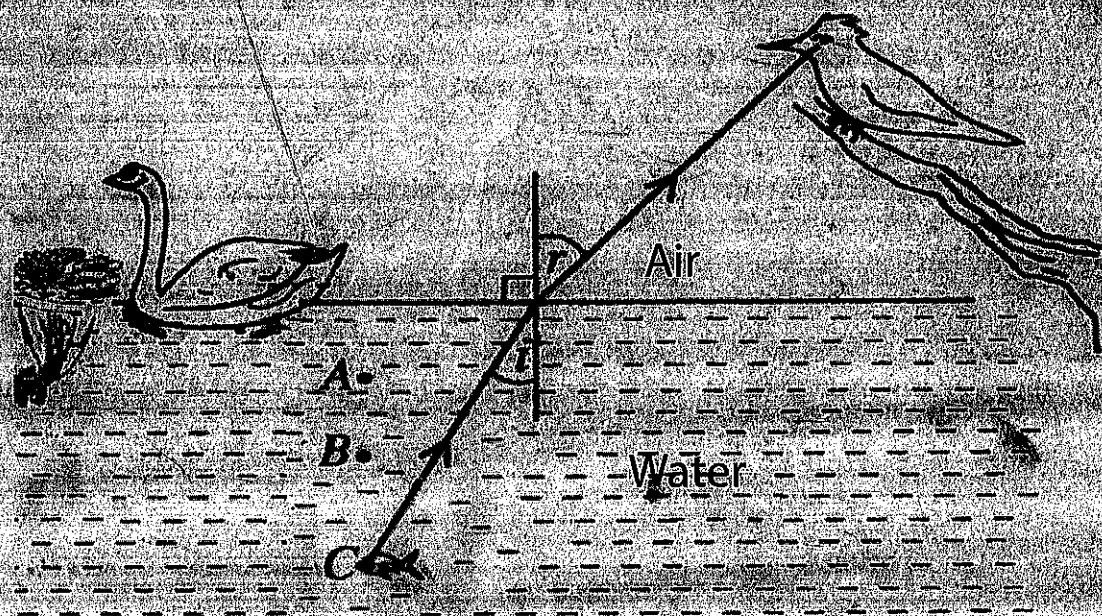


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Marking Scheme

PAPER I

Number of questions	=	40
Marks awarded for the correct answer of each question	=	2
Total marks	=	$2 \times 40 = 80$

PAPER II

Part A

Consists of 4 compulsory questions.

Marks awarded for all correct answers of one question	=	15
Total marks for the 4 questions	=	$15 \times 4 = 60$

Part B

Consists of 5 questions.

Only 3 selected questions must be answered.

Marks awarded for all correct answers of one question	=	20
Total marks for 3 questions	=	$20 \times 3 = 60$

Marks for PAPER I	=	80
Marks for the two parts A and B in PAPER II	=	120

Total Marks	=	200
Final Marks	=	$200 \div 2$
	=	100

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கல்விப் பொதுத் தராதரப் பத்திர (சாதாரண தர)ப் பரீட்சை, 2017 டிசெம்பர்
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விஞ்ஞானம் I
Science I

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ஒரு மணித்தியாலம்
One hour

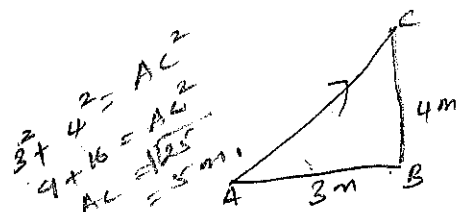
Note :

- * Answer all questions.
- * In each of the questions 1 to 40, pick one of the alternatives (1), (2), (3), (4) which you consider as correct or most appropriate.
- * Mark a cross (X) on the number corresponding to your choice in the answer sheet provided.
- * Further instructions are given on the back of the answer sheet. Follow them carefully.

1. ✓ Which of the following plants is a gymnosperm?
(1) Coconut (2) Paddy (3) Grass (4) Pinus
 2. What is the unit of the moment of force?
(1) J s^{-1} (2) kg m s^{-2} (3) N m (4) N m^{-2}
 3. ✓ The organ which mainly contributes to nitrogenous excretion in the human is
(1) skin. (2) kidney. (3) nose. (4) lungs.
 4. ✓ Which of the following substances can be mixed with water to make a heterogeneous mixture?
(1) Copper sulphate (2) Ethyl alcohol (3) Sugar (4) Wheat flour
 5. ✓ Which of the following organelles releases energy by aerobic respiration?
(1) Nucleus (2) Mitochondrion (3) Ribosome (4) Golgi complex
 6. ✓ Which of the following oxides is basic?
(1) MgO (2) Al_2O_3 (3) SO_2 (4) SiO_2
 7. The animal tissue given in the diagram is
(1) a muscle tissue. (2) a nervous tissue.
(3) an epithelial tissue. (4) a connective tissue.
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8. ✓ Which of the following energy transformations takes place in a bicycle dynamo?
(1) Electric energy $\rightarrow$ Mechanical energy (2) Thermal energy $\rightarrow$ Electric energy
(3) Mechanical energy $\rightarrow$ Electric energy (4) Electric energy $\rightarrow$ Light energy
 9. ✓ The biochemical reactions that take place in organisms are catalysed by
(1) hormones. (2) enzymes. (3) fatty acids. (4) water.
 10. ✓ In which of the following instances, does a couple of forces act?
(1) When a door is opened by pushing
(2) When a nail is unscrewed by a screw driver
(3) When the rope is pulled in opposite directions by two groups in a competition of pulling ropes
(4) When two persons are pushing a box in the same direction, which is kept on the floor
 11. ✓ The number of electrons and the number of protons in an Al^{3+} ion are respectively, (The atomic number of Al is 13.)
(1) 10, 13 (2) 10, 27 (3) 13, 13 (4) 13, 27
 12. What is the standard notation of Tritium?
(1) ${}^1_1\text{H}$ (2) ${}^2_1\text{H}$ (3) ${}^3_1\text{H}$ (4) ${}^3_3\text{H}$
 13. ✓ Which of the following adaptations is shown by the seeds of Hora/Ennei plant for dispersal by wind?
(1) Possessing wing-like structures (2) Presence of hairs
(3) Having air-filled shells (4) Consisting of different patterns

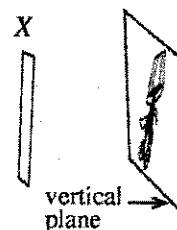
14. A certain covalent compound is completely ionized in water. Which of the following could be this compound?
 (1) NH_4OH (2) HCl (3) CuSO_4 (4) H_2CO_3
15. The endocrine glands that secrete glucagon and calcitonin in human body are respectively,
 (1) pancreas and thyroid. (2) adrenal and thyroid.
 (3) pituitary and adrenal. (4) thyroid and pancreas.
16. Select the option in the table which gives the most suitable extraction method for each of the elements potassium, calcium and lead.

	Potassium	Calcium	Lead
(1)	Electrolysis	Reduction	Physical method
(2)	Electrolysis	Reduction	Reduction
(3)	Reduction	Electrolysis	Physical method
(4)	Electrolysis	Electrolysis	Reduction



17. On a horizontal ground, the point B is located to the east of A and point C is located to the north of B . An ant has moved from A to C through the straight line paths AB and BC . If $AB = 3\text{ m}$ and $BC = 4\text{ m}$, what is the displacement of ant in this motion?

- (1) 4 m . (2) 5 m . (3) 7 m . (4) 25 m .
18. A situation where an image of a flower pot taken on to a white vertical plane using an item called X is shown in the figure. Which of the following could be X ?



19. Which of the following statements is true regarding waves?
- (1) Transverse waves propagate with compressions and rarefactions.
 - (2) The distance between a crest and a trough of a transverse wave is equal to the wave length of that wave.
 - (3) It is not necessary to have a medium for the propagation of mechanical waves.
 - (4) Energy is transmitted by the mechanical waves without the transmission of substance.

20. The salts which precipitate in the first tank and third tank, in the production process of salt from sea water are respectively,

- (1) CaCO_3 and NaCl (2) CaSO_4 and MgSO_4
 (3) MgSO_4 and NaCl (4) CaCO_3 and CaSO_4
21. Select the most efficient food chain among the food chains given below.

- (1) Grass $\rightarrow$ Deer $\rightarrow$ Tiger
 (2) Carrot $\rightarrow$ Rabbit $\rightarrow$ Python $\rightarrow$ Hawk
 (3) Grass $\rightarrow$ Grass hopper $\rightarrow$ Rat $\rightarrow$ Cobra $\rightarrow$ Hawk
 (4) Paddy $\rightarrow$ Rat $\rightarrow$ Hornbill $\rightarrow$ Hawk

22. The composition of a glucose solution in terms of mass and volume is 90 g dm^{-3} . What is the concentration of that glucose solution? (Relative molecular mass of glucose is 180)

- (1) 0.25 mol dm^{-3} (2) 0.50 mol dm^{-3} (3) 0.75 mol dm^{-3} (4) 2.00 mol dm^{-3}
23. Which of the following is not a function of nucleic acids?

- (1) Storing genetic information of organisms (2) Contributing to protein synthesis
 (3) Controlling activities of the cell (4) Maintaining body temperature
24. The final products of the reaction of haematite (Fe_2O_3) with carbon monoxide gas in the temperature range of 1000°C – 1900°C are

- (1) Fe and CO_2 (2) FeO and CO_2 (3) Fe and O_2 (4) FeO and FeCO_3
25. Which of the following end products of digestion is not absorbed by the blood capillaries of the villi in the small intestine in human?

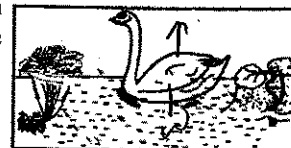
- (1) Amino acids (2) Glycerol (3) Galactose (4) Fructose

26. Which of the following is a function of human cerebellum?

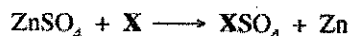
- ① Maintaining the balance of the body
 ② Performing high mental activities
 ③ Perception of visual stimuli
 ④ Control of respiration

27. A situation where a swan of mass 1.3 kg is at still water in a pond is given in the figure. What is the upthrust acting on the swan by water? (Take the value of gravitational acceleration as 10 ms^{-2})

- (1) 1.3 N
 (2) 8.7 N
 (3) 10.0 N
 (4) 13.0 N



28. Consider the following chemical reaction.



Which of the following elements could be X?

- (1) Fe
 (2) Al
 (3) Mg
 (4) Cu

29. A saturated solution of sugar was prepared at 80°C temperature by dissolving a solid sample of sugar which has been made impure by a small amount of table salt. Which of the following measures can be taken to get pure sugar crystals?

- (1) Increasing the temperature of the solution
 (2) Cooling the solution
 (3) Diluting the solution
 (4) Filtering the solution

30. Consider the instances A, B and C given below.

- A - A bat flying at night emitting ultrasound waves of 21 000 Hz.
 B - A dolphin preying in the ocean emitting ultrasound waves of 21 000 Hz.
 C - A rabbit walking in the jungle emitting ultrasound waves of 21 000 Hz.

If the speeds of sound emitted at the above instances are V_A , V_B and V_C respectively, which of the following relationships is correct?

- (1) $V_A < V_B < V_C$
 (2) $V_B < V_C < V_A$
 (3) $V_A = V_C < V_B$
 (4) $V_A = V_B = V_C$

31. An iron nail which was in contact with a metal M was kept in an agar medium which consists of small amounts of sodium chloride, potassium ferricyanide and phenolphthalein. After one hour, only pink colour was seen in the agar medium around the nail. M could be

- (1) copper.
 (2) lead.
 (3) stanum.
 (4) aluminium.

32. Consider the following features.

- A - Nucleus is present peripherally in the cytoplasm.
 B - Having spherical cells with a large central vacuole.
 C - No inter cellular spaces

Of the above features, the features of parenchyma tissue are

- (1) only A and B.
 (2) only B and C.
 (3) only A and C.
 (4) all A, B and C.

33. On a table, a box is in equilibrium under three coplanar forces of 10, 15 and P Newtons. The resultant of the two forces 10 N and 15 N is 12 N. Consider the statements X, Y and Z regarding the force P.

- X - Magnitude of P is 12 N.
 Y - P acts in the direction of the resultant force of the two forces 10 N and 15 N.
 Z - The line of action of P goes through the intersecting point of the lines of actions of the two forces 10 N and 15 N.

Of the above statements,

- (1) only X and Y are true.
 (2) only Y and Z are true.
 (3) only X and Z are true.
 (4) all X, Y and Z are true.

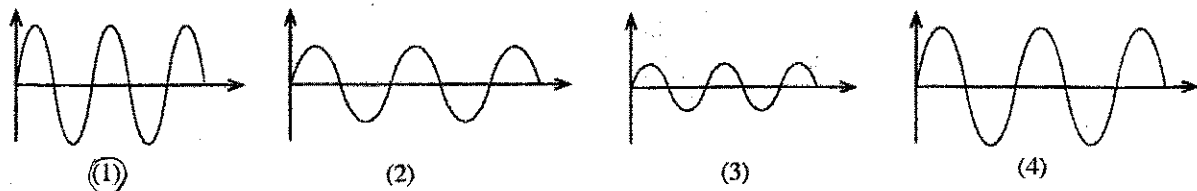
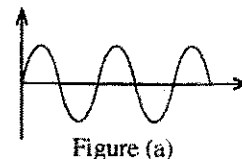
34. An organism has the following features.

- A - Consisting of eukaryotic cells
 B - Has the ability to decompose organic matter
 C - Presence of chitin in the cell wall

To which kingdom does the above organism belong?

- (1) Protista
 (2) Fungi
 (3) Plantae
 (4) Animalia

35. The sound wave obtained by tapping a drum softly was observed in the cathode ray oscilloscope as in figure (a). Which of the following could be the wave form that is obtained, when the drum is tapped with a larger force than the above instance?



36. A child of mass 40 kg walked along a staircase from the first floor to the third floor of a building which is 9m high from the first floor. The time taken by the child for this entire motion is 2 minutes. What is his rate of doing work? (Take the acceleration due to gravity as 10 m s^{-2})

(1) 30 W (2) 400 W (3) 1 800 W (4) 3 600 W

37. Test tube with the glass tube given in the figure is immersed in a vessel with water and heated for a small period of time.

Three statements regarding the observations of this experiment are given below.

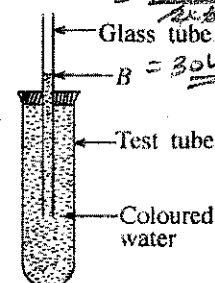
X - The water level in the glass tube rises up gradually from B and stops.

Y - The water level in the glass tube drops down gradually from B and stops.

Z - The water level in the glass tube drops down from B and then rises up and exceeds the level B.

Of the above statements,

- (1) X is true. (2) Y is true.
(3) Z is true. (4) all X, Y and Z are false.



38. The information relevant to the motion of an object in a straight line is given below.

Time/s	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
Displacement/m	0	4	8	10	14	16	18

Which of the following statements is correct, according to the above information?

- (1) The object has moved at a uniform velocity during the total period of time.
(2) The mean velocity of the object is 3 m s^{-1} during the entire motion.
(3) The object has come again to the starting position.
(4) The total distance travelled by the object is 70 m.
39. A straight conductor AB which carries current I is kept in a magnetic field. The direction of magnetic field is perpendicular to the direction of flow of current through the conductor.

Consider the changes done separately in situations X and Y given below.

Situation X : Increasing current upto $2I$ without changing the magnetic field

Situation Y : Decreasing the strength of magnetic field while keeping the current through AB as I .

Which of the following statements is correct regarding the magnetic force that acts on AB in the two situations?

- (1) Magnetic force increases only in situation X
(2) Magnetic force increases only in situation Y
(3) Magnetic force increases in both situations X and Y
(4) Magnetic force decreases in both situations X and Y

40. Consider the following activities.

A - Minimization of food mile

B - Energy management

C - Use of traditional knowledge and technology

The important activities for the sustainable development of Sri Lanka are

- (1) A and B only. (2) B and C only. (3) A and C only. (4) all A, B and C.

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வினாக்கள்
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Science (New)

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02.	3	12.	3	22.	2	32.	1
03.	2	13.	1	23.	4	33.	3
04.	4	14.	2	24.	1	34.	2
05.	2	15.	1	25.	2	35.	ALL
06.	1	16.	4	26.	1	36.	1
07.	3	17.	2	27.	4	37.	3
08.	3	18.	4	28.	3	38.	2
09.	2	19.	4	29.	2	39.	1
10.	2	20.	1	30.	3	40.	4

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එක් පිළිතුරකට ලකුණු

ஒரு சரியான விடைக்கு

02

മുറിയിൽ

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Paper II

①	(i)		-	01
	(ii)		-	01
	(iii)		-	02
	(iv)	(a)	-	01
		(b)	-	02
	(v)		-	01
	(vi)		-	01
	(vii)		-	02
	(viii)		-	04
Total Marks 15				

②	(A) (i)	-	03
	(ii)	-	02
	(iii)	-	01
	(iv)	-	02
	(B) (i)	-	03
	(ii)	-	01
	(iii)	-	01
	(iv)	-	02
Total Marks 15			

③	(A) (i)	-	02
	(ii)	-	01
	(iii)	(a)	- 02
		(b)	01
	(iv)	-	02
	(v)	-	01
	(vi)	-	02
	(B) (i)	-	01
	(ii)	-	01
	(iii)	-	01
	(iv)	-	01
Total Marks 15			

④	(A) (i)	-	02
	(ii)	-	01
	(iii)	-	01
	(B) (i)	-	03
	(ii) (a)	-	04
		(b)	- 02
	(c)	-	01
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Total Marks 15			

⑤	(A) (i)	-	01
	(ii) (a)	-	02
		(b)	- 01
	(iii) (a)	-	01
		(b)	- 01
	(iv) (a)	-	01
		(b)	- 01
	(v)	-	02
	(B) (i) (a)	-	02
		(b)	- 02
		(c)	- 01
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		(b)	- 02
Total Marks 20			

⑥	(A) (i)	-	01
	(ii)	-	03
	(iii)	-	01
	(B) (i)	-	01
	(ii)	-	01
	(iii) (a)	-	02
		(b)	- 01
	(iv)	-	01
	(C) (i)	-	03
	(ii) (a)	-	02
		(b)	- 04
Total Marks 20			

⑦	(i)	-	01
	(ii)	-	02
	(iii) (a)	-	01
		(b)	- 02
	(iv) (a)	-	01
		(b)	- 02
		(c)	- 03
		(d)	- 03
		(e)	- 02
	(v) (a)	-	01
		(b)	- 02
Total Marks 20			

⑧	(A) (i)	-	02
	(ii)	-	01
	(iii) (a)	-	03
		(b)	- 03
	(iv)	-	02
	(B) (i) (a)	-	01
		(b)	- 01
	(ii)	-	01
	(iii) (a)	-	01
		(b)	- 02
	(iv) (a)	-	01
		(b)	- 02
Total Marks 20			

⑨	(A) (i)	-	03
	(ii) (a)	-	02
		(b)	- 03
	(iii)	-	02
	(B) (i) (a)	-	01
		(b)	- 01
		(c)	- 03
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		(b)	- 01
	(iii)	-	03
Total Marks 20			

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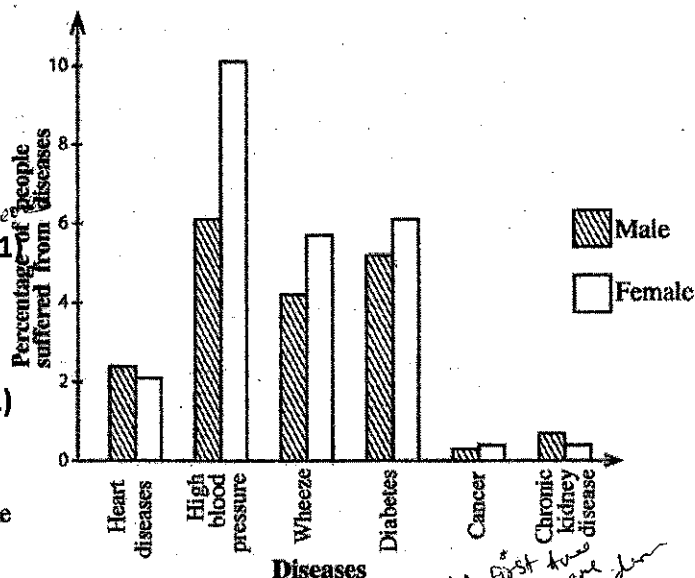
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Instructions:

- * Write your answers in neat handwriting.
- * Answer the four questions in Part A, in the space provided.
- * Of the five questions in Part B answer three questions only.
- * After answering, tie Part A and the answer script of Part B together and hand over.

Part A

1. The graph given here has been drawn considering several diseases, according to the data gathered from a census carried out recently in Sri Lanka on people who suffered from diseases.



- (i) What is the category that all diseases stated in the graph generally belong to?
non-communicable diseases / non-infectious diseases / non-communicable diseases (01)
- (ii) Among the diseases given in the graph, from which disease do the most number of people suffer?
High blood pressure (01)

- (iii) According to the graph, which diseases are males more susceptible in comparison to the females?

• **Heart diseases** (01) • **Chronic kidney disease** (01)

- (iv) (a) From the diseases given in the graph, name a disease which has a high tendency to affect the humans by persistent organic pollutants.
Cancer/ Wheeze/ Chronic kidney disease (01)

- (b) Write two special features of persistent organic pollutants.
• **Persist in the environment for a long time period** • **Highly toxic** • **Accumulate in the body of organisms along food chains/ Getting subjected to bio-accumulation/ Getting subjected to bio-magnification** • **spread widely in the environment**

- (v) State a fact related to agriculture that is considered as a reason for the chronic kidney disease.
Using pesticides/ insecticides/ weedicides/ Chemical fertilizers/ Agro chemicals or Entering heavy metals/ Arsenic/ Lead/ Cadmium/ mercury to the body

- (vi) One step that Sri Lanka has taken at present to control people getting subjected to certain diseases is given below.

Introducing a colour code for soft drinks to indicate their sugar content.

Which disease given in the graph is likely to be reduced to a great extent in the coming years due to the above action?

• **Diabetes**

(01)

- (vii) Write two bad habits that contribute for getting subjected to cancer. *only instant / junk no marks. / Artificial additives / artificial flavours & colours*
 • Smoking / Chewing betel/ Using tobacco/ Using junk food/ Using alcohol/ Not following relevant protective methods (in various instances) / Burning garbage/ Using artificial cosmetics/ Using drugs..... 02 marks for any 2 acceptable reasons. (02).
- (viii) Many diseases can be prevented by keeping the environment clean. Some items found in school environment which may cause environmental pollution are given below.

Broken test tubes, Plastic bottles, Batteries, Pen tubes,
 Fluorescent bulbs, Envelopes, Filter papers

Classify the above items into four categories based on appropriate criteria, to make the waste management convenient for their disposal.

Naming any 4 groups or classifying in to any 4 groups

(04)

when the question is attempted, give 02 marks

plastics Papers Electronics glass

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2. (A) Based on the structural features, vertebrates are classified into five groups. Consider the following table prepared in relation to it.

Vertebrate group	Pisces	A	B	Aves	C
Examples	Sea horse Skate	Toad Salamander	Tortoise Cobra	Jungle fowl Parrot	Bat Whale

- (i) Name the vertebrate groups A, B and C.

A : Amphibians/Amphibia (01) B : Reptiles/ reptilia (01) C : Mammals/ Mammalia (01)

- (ii) Name two cold blooded animals mentioned in the table.

Give 02 marks if the answer is mentioned or not

*any two from
 rept. A B*

(02)

- (iii) To which vertebrate group stated in the table do the humans belong?

mammalia/ mammals/ C

(01)

- (iv) Write two specific features related to flying, that belongs to vertebrates in Aves group.

• Having a very light endoskeleton / *presence hollow bones*

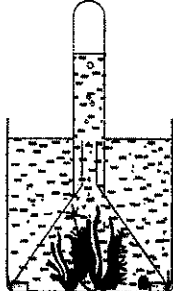
• Streamlined body shape

• Forelimbs are modified to wings/ *feathers?* 02 marks for any 2 features. (02).

- (B) You are assigned to show experimentally, that oxygen gas is produced during photosynthesis.

- (i) You are provided with the equipment and materials given below for the apparatus set-up relevant to the experiment. Draw a rough sketch of the set-up that you make using the given equipment.

A beaker, A boiling tube, A glass funnel, A hydrilla plant, Water



- no need of labeling*
- Covering the plant by the funnel and the tube such that gas collected or Covered the plant by the tube only (02)
 - Presence of water (01)

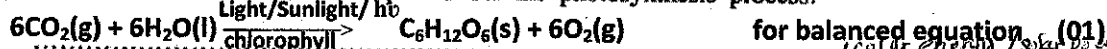
- (ii) Write an observation that can be made when the set-up is exposed to sunlight.

• air/ gas bubbles are emitted (by the plant hydrilla) / decreasing the water level of boiling tube/ collecting a gas at the top of the boiling tube..... one mark for any one of them (01)

- (iii) How would you confirm that the gas produced during this experiment is oxygen?

• Brighten the glowing splinter when inserted the tube (after removing water from the tube)/ the splinter will burn with a bright flame (give marks for an observation equal to this) (01)

- (iv) Write the balanced chemical equation for the photosynthesis process.



mentioning light/ sunlight/ hv and chlorophyll (01)

not necessary to mention physical states

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3. (A) All the elements belonging to the second period of the periodic table are given below without following the correct order.

B Li C Be Ne F O N

- (i) Arrange all the above elements as in the periodic table.

Li, Be, B, C, N, O, F, Ne

(02)

- (ii) Write the electronic configuration of F.

2, 7

(01)

- (iii) (a) Write the chemical formula of the compound which is formed in the reaction between Li and O.

Li₂O

(02)

- (b) What is the type of chemical bond present in the compound stated in (a) above?

ionic bonds / electrovalent bond

(01)

- (iv) In the given box, draw the Lewis structure of CO₂ molecule which is formed with the combination of one C atom and two O atoms.

$\text{:}\ddot{\text{O}}=\text{C}=\ddot{\text{O}}\text{:}$

(02)

drawing

$\text{:}\ddot{\text{O}}\text{:C}\text{:}\ddot{\text{O}}\text{:}$ or $\text{:}\ddot{\text{O}}\text{:C}\text{:}\ddot{\text{O}}\text{:}$

give 01 mark

- (v) Diamond and graphite are main allotropic forms of C. Which of these allotropic forms conduct electricity?

Graphite

(01)

- (vi) From the elements in this period, write respectively, the element which has the lowest first ionization energy and the element which has the highest electronegativity.

Li, F / Lithium, Fluorine

(02)

- (B) The following questions are based on an experiment on producing a sample of oxygen gas in the laboratory.

- (i) Among the compounds given below, which compound can be used to produce oxygen gas?

CaCO₃, KMnO₄, MgSO₄ : KMnO₄

(01)

- (ii) What is the type of reaction that takes place during the production of oxygen gas when only the compound you stated above is used?

decomposition (reactions) / Chemical decomposition (reactions)

(01)

- (iii) Which equipment must be used to place the compound to carry out the experiment?

Boiling tube / test tube

(01)

- (iv) What is the name given to the method that is used in the laboratory, to collect oxygen gas produced in this experiment?

downward displacement of water

(01)

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4. (A) The figure shows a ray diagram relevant to a situation in which a fish in a pond is viewed by a kingfisher.

- (i) Name the angles i and r shown in the ray diagram.

i - angle of incidence / incident angle

(01)

r - angle of refraction / refraction angle

(02)

- (ii) Considering the two media in the figure, state what is given by the constant $\frac{\sin i}{\sin r}$.

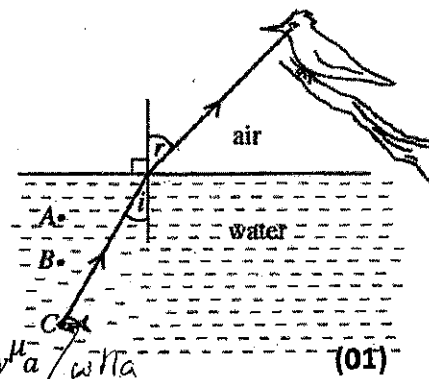
refractive index of air relative to water / w^u_a / w^u_a / w^u_a

(01)

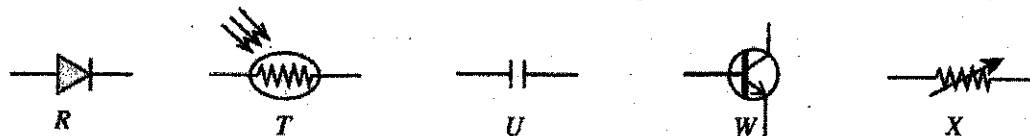
- (iii) Of the three positions A, B and C, at what position does the fish appear to the kingfisher?

B

(01)



(B) The standard symbols for some devices used in circuits are given below, labelled as R, T, U, W and X.



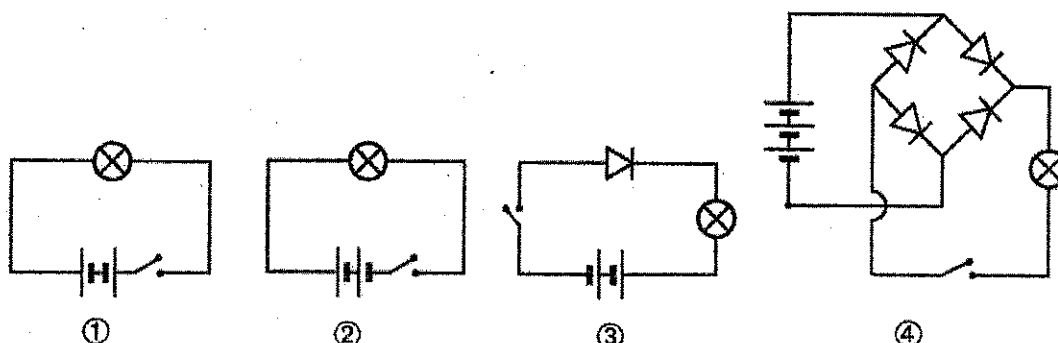
(i) Name the devices relevant to T, W and X.

T : Light dependent resistor / LDR (01)

W : Transistor (npn) (01)

X : Variable resistor / Rheostat/ Volume controller (01)

(ii) Four circuits constructed in the laboratory are given below as ①, ②, ③ and ④ with standard symbols. Cells of 1.5V, Bulbs of 2.5V, identical diodes and switches have been used in the circuits.



(a) State in the table below, whether the bulb lights up or does not light up when the switches in the circuits are closed,

Circuit	Bulb lights up / Bulb does not light up
①	does not light up (01)
②	lights up (01)
③	does not light up (01)
④	lights up (01)

(04)

(b) Write down, relating to potential difference, the conclusion that can be reached through your observations in ① and ② in (a) above.

A potential difference is not supplied to flow a current to light up the bulb in the circuit. ①/ Potential difference is Zero. (01)/Bulb in the circuit ② lights up due to the flow of current as potential difference is supplied. (01)/ It is necessary to have a potential difference for the flow of current. (02)

(c) Removing the battery in the circuit ④ above and instead, an alternating voltage of suitable value is connected and the switch is closed. The wave pattern relevant to the input in this circuit is given in figure (a). Draw the corresponding output wave pattern in figure (b).

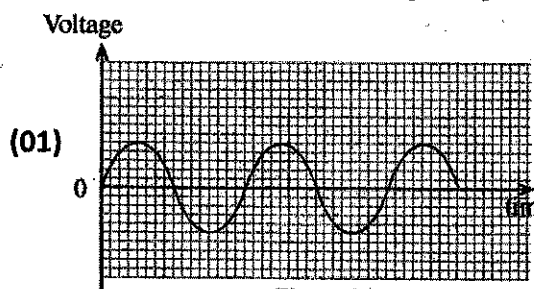


Figure (a)

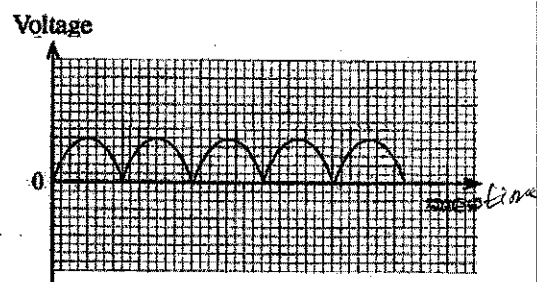


Figure (b)

shape and two curves are sufficient (01)

(d) From the devices T, U, W and X, which can be used to smoothen the output current in the new circuit relevant to (c) above?

U / Capacitor / condenser (01)

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Part B

- Answer **three** questions only, from questions No. 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9.

5. (A) Some components in the human blood are given below.

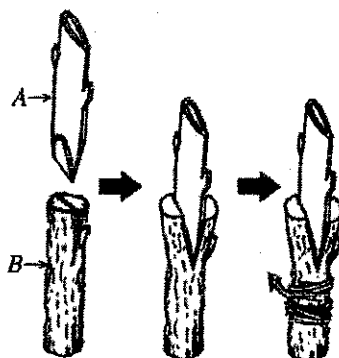
- * Red blood cells
- * White blood cells
- * Platelets
- * Proteins
- * Glucose
- * Ca^{2+}
- * Urea

- (i) Which blood cells are most abundant in blood?
- (ii) Of the components given above,
 - (a) write **two** components that belong to blood plasma.
 - (b) state a nitrogenous waste material present in blood.
- (iii) (a) Given below is a diagram of a blood cell that belongs to a certain type. To which component given above, does this cell belong?



- (b) State a function of the blood component to which the cell given in (a) above belongs.
- (iv) (a) Write a disease associated with blood circulatory system of the human.
- (b) In a person suffering from Dengue, which component decreases drastically?
- (v) Briefly explain, the process of regulation of blood glucose level in human.

(B) (i) Steps of a plant grafting method are shown in the figure given below.

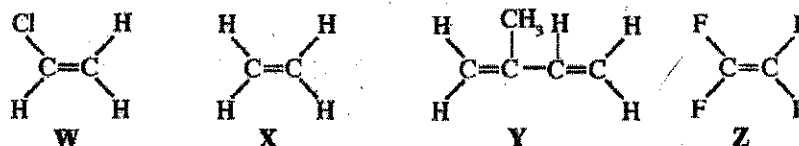


- (a) What is the name given to the above grafting method?
- (b) Write, respectively, the names given to parts A and B, according to this grafting method.
- (c) Of the parts A and B, characteristics of which part does the daughter plant get?
- (ii) Flower is the structure that contributes to sexual reproduction of plants.
 - (a) Name the **three** parts that the gynoecium of a flower consists of.
 - (b) Write **two** changes that take place in a flower after fertilization.

(Total marks 20)

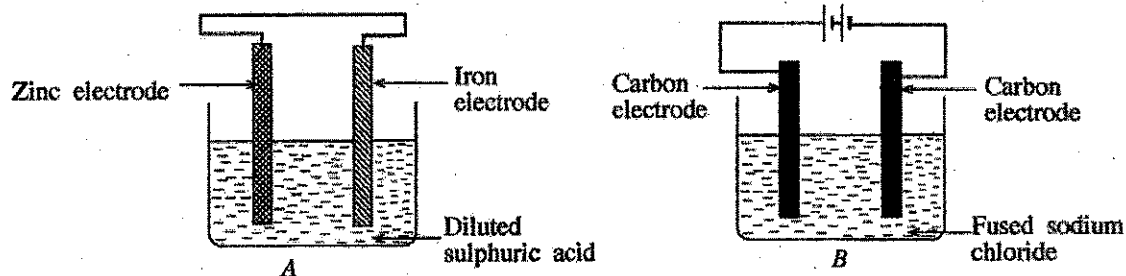
5	(A)	(i)	Red blood cells / RBC	If two answers are there no marks.	01		
		(ii)	(a)	Proteins/ glucose/ Ca^{2+} / urea	consider only first two answers. one mark for one answer	02	
			(b)	Urea		01	
		(iii)	(a)	White blood cells	no marks for WBC / naming the cell.	01	
			(b)	Protecting the body from diseases/ Engulfing pathogens / bacteria/germs immunization/ producing antibodies	phagocytes - no marks. any answer which gives any of the above ideas	01	
		(iv)	(a)	Artherosclerosis / hypotension / high blood pressure / hypertension/ Low blood Pressure / thrombosis/ coronary thrombosis/ heart attack	no marks for heart diseases	01	
			(b)	(blood) platelets		01	
		(v)		when the glucose level is increased, Insulin is secreted (by the islets of langerhan) and then glucose is converted into glycogen. / Increase the metabolic reactions (01). Then blood glucose level is regulated.	if controlled written no marks	02	
				when the glucose level is decreased, Glucagon is secreted (by the islets of langerhan) and (deposited) glycogen is converted into glucose/ Decrease the rate of metabolic reactions (01). Blood glucose level is regulated			
		(B)	(i)	(a)	twig grafting / peg grafting / wedge grafting		02/00
				(b)	A - scion (01) B - stock (01) or mentioning scion and stock <u>respectively</u> (02)/ if only scion has been written, give (01) mark		02
					(c)	Characteristics of A/ Characteritics of the scion	
			(ii)	(a)	Ovary , Style , Stigma (01) (01) (01)		03
(b)	- Ovary develops to form the fruit - sepals / petals / stamens and stigma are worn out (Fertilized) ^{ovules} ova develop to seeds (no marks for ovum/ova) - wall of the ovary becomes the pericarp - wall of the ovule becomes the seed coat one mark each for any fact with the above ideas				02		
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6. (A) The structures W, X, Y and Z given below are the monomers of some polymers.



- (i) State a derivative of ethene from the monomers W, X, Y and Z.
- (ii) Name the polymers which are formed by the monomers W, X and Y respectively.
- (iii) What is the natural polymer among the polymers that you stated in (ii) above?

- (B) In the following figures, two cells are given as A and B.



- (i) From the above two cells A and B, which is the electrolytic cell?
 - (ii) Write one observation that could be obtained when the cell A operates.
 - (iii) (a) Write the cathodic reaction that takes place in cell B.
(b) What is the name commonly given to the electrodes where oxidation reaction takes place in both cells?
 - (iv) What is the reason for **not** using cell B in the production of sodium metal, industrially?
- (C) (i) Three instances relevant to separation of components from mixtures are given below.
- ① - Separation of various minerals from mineral sands
 - ② - Separation of petroleum by the mineral oil refinery
 - ③ - Obtaining distilled water from well water
- Write the separation methods used in the instances ①, ② and ③ above, respectively.
- (ii) Distilled water is commonly used as a solvent when preparing standard solutions in laboratory.
- (a) Calculate the mass of sodium chloride required to prepare a 100 cm³ of 1.00 mol dm⁻³ sodium chloride solution. (The molar mass of sodium chloride is 58.5 g mol⁻¹.)
 - (b) Write in order, the steps that are followed in the laboratory when preparing the sodium chloride solution mentioned in (a) above.

(Total marks 20)

⑥	(A)	(i)	W/Z or chloroethene / tetrafluoroethene <i>if the structure is drawn ✓</i>	01
		(ii)	W- polyvinyl chloride / polychloroethene / PVC (01)	03
			X - polythene / polyethene / polyethylene (01)	
			Y - Rubber / natural rubber / polyisoprene (01)	
	(B)	(iii)	Rubber / natural rubber / polyisoprene	01
		(i)	B	01
	(C)	(ii)	- liberation of gas bubbles at the iron electrode - Dissolving/ decaying / getting eroded the Zinc electrode - the cell is getting heated <i>for any observation</i>	01
		(iii)(a)	$\text{Na}^+(\text{l}) + \text{e} \longrightarrow \text{Na}(\text{s})$ (Physical state is not essential)	02
		(b)	Anode	01
		(iv)	NaCl could be formed by the reaction of Cl ₂ gas produced at the anode and Na discharged at the cathode/ as Na is highly reactive/ Na and Cl ₂ can react again — <i>diagram absent - no marks.</i>	01
	(D)	(i)	① physical method/ mechanical separation/ any relevant physical method (like filtering and magnetic separation) <i>any mechanical technique - 01 mark</i> ② <u>fractional</u> distillation ③ <u>simple</u> distillation	03
		(ii)(a)	Mass of NaCl required to prepare a 1000 cm ³ solution of 1mol dm ⁻³ = 58.5 g Mass of NaCl required to prepare a 1cm ³ solution of 1mol dm ⁻³ = $\frac{58.5}{1000}$ g Mass of NaCl required to prepare a 100cm ³ solution of 1mol dm ⁻³ = $\frac{58.5}{1000} \times 100$ g = 5.85 (g) (01) Give marks for the calculation using n=cv	02
		(b)	- measuring the mass (5.85 g) of NaCl (accurately using a triple beam balance) (01) - putting measured NaCl completely into a volumetric flask (of 100 cm³) (01) - dissolving NaCl well by filling about the half of the flask with water. (01) - adding / mixing <i>after</i> by adding water upto the final volume of 100 cm³ (01)	04
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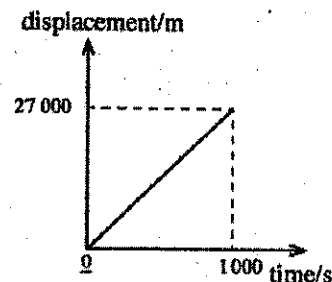
7. It is necessary to be vigilant and obey road rules when using high ways.

- (i) It is important for the driver as well as passengers to wear seat belts in the vehicle when travelling on high ways. What is the reason for this?
- (ii) Write down the Newton's law of motion which is connected to the answer you mentioned in (i) above.
- (iii) The displacement-time graph for the motion of the vehicle A, which travelled on an express way from the beginning to the end at the **maximum** permissible velocity is given here.

Here, it has been assumed that the express way is horizontal and it is in a straight line.

Answer the following questions using the graph.

- (a) What is the length of the express way?
- (b) Calculate the **maximum** permissible velocity that a vehicle can be driven in that express way.



(iv) In heavy rainy days, the drivers are advised to maintain 15 m s^{-1} as the **maximum** velocity for a vehicle that is driven on the express way mentioned in (iii) above.

- (a) What is the main reason for advising the drivers **not** to drive the vehicles at a higher velocity when heavy rain exists?
- (b) Explain scientifically, your answer in (a) above.
- (c) On a heavy rainy day, the motion of the vehicle B which travelled from the beginning to the end of the express way mentioned in (iii) above was as follows.

It started from the rest and uniformly accelerated in the first 10 seconds and acquired **maximum** velocity (15 m s^{-1}). Thereafter it travelled at the same velocity for a certain time and in the last 10 seconds it uniformly decelerated and came to rest at the end of the express way.

Including the given information, draw a rough sketch of the velocity-time graph for the motion of vehicle B.

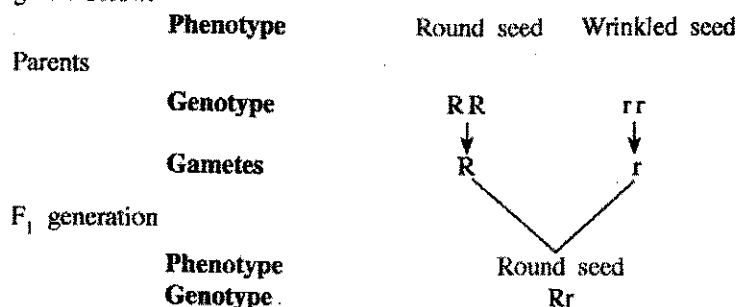
- (d) Find the total time taken by vehicle B to travel on the express way.
- (e) If the mass of the vehicle B is 3 000 kg, Find its momentum at the instance when it travelled in the maximum velocity.
- (v) When drivers are driving vehicles, it is important to pay attention to the side mirrors in front of the vehicles for the prevention of accidents.
 - (a) What type of curved mirrors are used as side mirrors of the vehicles?
 - (b) How does paying attention to those mirrors, contribute to prevent road accidents when the vehicles are driven?

(Total marks 20)

7	(i)	When the vehicle is moving, the driver and the passengers have the same velocity of the vehicle. Therefore to prevent the driver and the passengers moving forward upon applying brakes (the seat belts should be worn) any answer with the idea of preventing the driver and the passengers moving forward upon applying brakes.	01
	(ii)	Newton's first law / Newton's third law / writing the law with the real meaning	02
	(a)	27 000(m) / 27 km	01
	(b)	velocity = $\frac{\text{displacement}}{\text{time}}$ or $= \frac{27000(\text{m})}{1000(\text{s})}$ (01) $= 27 (\text{m s}^{-1})$ (01)	02
	(iv) (a)	prevent the vehicle from slipping / prevent from accidents (01) <i>road is slippery</i>	01
	(b)	The possibility of accidents is high due to <u>reducing the friction</u> (frictional force) between the tyres of the vehicle and the road when raining. <i>no friction - no marks.</i> For any answer with the idea of reducing friction	02
	(c)	velocity (m s^{-1}) 15 0 10 Time (s) • labelling the axes / Naming the axes as V and t (01) • shape of the graph (01) • marking the velocity $15 (\text{m s}^{-1})$ and time 10 (s) (01) Give one mark for drawing and labelling the two axes without drawing the graph	03

	(d)	total distance travelled by the vehicle = area under the graph = area of the trapezium or $27000 = \frac{1}{2} (10 + t + 10 + t) \times 15 \quad (01)$ $t = 1790 \text{ (s)} \quad (01)$ Total time = 1790 + 20 $= 1810 \text{ (s)} \quad (01)$ <i>If + calculation wrong & 2nd step addition correct give 2 marks</i>	03
	(e)	momentum = mass $\times$ velocity or momentum = mv or $p = mv$ $= 3000 \text{ (kg)} \times 15 \text{ (m s}^{-1}\text{)} \quad (01)$ $= 45000 \text{ (kg m s}^{-1}\text{)} \quad (01)$	02
(v)	(a)	convex mirror	01
	(b)	• Larger area behind the vehicle can be seen well • Larger area can be viewed through convex mirror at once • Always upright images can be seen • The image distance is smaller than the object distance For any answer with a brief explanation	02/
	Total marks		20

3. (A) A diagram relevant to the experiment carried out by Mendel on inheritance, using garden pea plant is given below.



- What are the contrasting characters used in this experiment?
 - In which step does meiosis occur during this process?
 - According to the above experiment, show, using a diagram, how characters are inherited in a mono-hybrid cross of F₁ generation.
 - Write the genotypes and corresponding phenotypes of the offsprings obtained in F₂ generation in the above cross.
 - Transmission of inherited characters to the next generation as stated above is common to all living organisms. Accordingly, explain briefly, the importance of not having marriages between blood relations.
- (B) Several electric appliances used in a house are given below.

Television, Fluorescent lamp, Microwave oven, Immersion heater, Hot plate, Electric iron

- When some appliances mentioned above are used, it is necessary to use three pin plugs.
 - From these appliances, name one appliance with which a three pin plug must be used.
 - What is the importance of using a three pin plug for the appliance you mentioned in (a) above?
 - Write down a main energy form that the electric energy converts into, when the television operates.
 - Television is operated by a remote control.
 - As what type of waves are the signals sent to the television by the remote control?
 - Write **two** characteristics of the wave type that you have mentioned in (a) above.
- (iv) The power of some appliances mentioned above are given in the following table.

Appliance	Power/W
A - Television	125
B - Fluorescent lamp	18
C - Microwave oven	1500
D - Electric iron	1200

In a certain day all these **four** appliances were operated during 1 hour and 30 minutes period.

- Arrange A, B, C and D in the ascending order of the electric energy consumption during the time of operation. (Calculations are not expected)
- Calculate the electric energy consumed by A during that time.

(Total marks 20)

8	(A)	(i)	● round seeds (01) ● wrinkled seeds (01)	02									
		(ii)	When forming the gametes	01									
		(iii)(a)	(F₁ genotype) Rr (01) (gametes) R r (01) (F₂ generation) RR Rr Rr rr (01) or Mentioning R, r (01) (01) <table><tr><td>Rr</td><td>R</td><td>r</td></tr><tr><td>R</td><td>RR</td><td>Rr</td></tr><tr><td>r</td><td>Rr</td><td>rr</td></tr></table> ← (01)	Rr	R	r	R	RR	Rr	r	Rr	rr	03
		Rr	R	r									
R	RR	Rr											
r	Rr	rr											
(b)	round seeds : RR, Rr (02) or : RR - round seeds (01) wrinkled seeds : rr - (01) Rr - round seeds (01) rr - wrinkled seeds (01) If phenotypes are written in part (a), give marks relevant for part (b)	03											
(iv)	● Hidden recessive genes/ characteristics become prominent (due to the marriage of blood relations) (01) ● so, there is more tendency for hereditary diseases to become prominent (01) <i>if the explanation is given w/ Thalassaemia - 02</i>	02											
(B)	(i)	(a)	● microwave oven ● hot plate ● immersion heater ● electric iron for any answer	01									
		(b)	prevent from accidents due to leakage of electricity / for earthening a short circuit current	01									

	(ii)	•light (energy) •sound (energy) •heat (energy) •radiation (energy) for any answer	01
	(iii)(a)	• Infra red rays/ IR rays / electromagnetic waves	01
	(b)	• Do not require a medium for propagation • Travel at a speed of $3 \times 10^8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ in vacuum • Not affected by external electric and magnetic fields • No charge • Type of transverse waves • invisible • Frequency is in the range $10^{12} \text{ Hz} - 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$ approximately / Wave length is in the range $10^{-6} \text{ m} - 10^{-3} \text{ m}$ approximately for any two from the above	02
	(iv)	(a) B, A, D, C / $B < A < D < C$ <i>no marks for ascending order of values.</i> If the answer has been given with appliances, award marks	01
	(b)	$E = Pt$ or Consumed electric energy = $\frac{125}{1000} \times \frac{3}{2}$ (01) $= \frac{375}{2000}$ $= \frac{3}{16} \text{ kWh} / 0.19 \text{ kWh} /$ (01) <i>0.1875 kWh.</i> $E = Pt$ or $E = 125 \times \overbrace{1.5 \times 60 \times 60}^{5400}$ (01) $= 675000 \text{ J}$ or $= 675 \text{ kJ}$ (01)	02
		Total marks	20

9. (A) The three solutions NaOH, HCl and NaCl of concentration 1.00 mol dm^{-3} are put separately into tubes A, B and C.

(i) The tests carried out by a student to identify the solutions separately, and the observations made are given in the table below.

	Test	Observations
1.	Dipped red and blue litmus papers in the solution in tube A	● Blue litmus did not show any colour change ● Red litmus turned to blue
2.	Dipped red and blue litmus papers in the solution in tube B	● Red and blue litmus did not show any colour change

Mention the solutions in test tubes A, B and C respectively.

- (ii) When 100 ml of each of the solutions NaOH and HCl stated above were mixed in a thermally insulated vessel, the temperature of the mixture rose up to 5°C .
- Write the balanced chemical equation for the reaction between NaOH and HCl.
 - Calculate the heat change associated with the reaction mentioned above. (Take the specific heat capacity of water as $4200 \text{ J kg}^{-1}^\circ\text{C}^{-1}$ and the density of water as 1 g cm^{-3}).
- (iii) Write two assumptions that you made when determining the heat change associated with the reaction between NaOH and HCl stated above.
- (B) The sun, atmosphere, land and the sea are natural resources.
- The sun's surface temperature is approximately 5800 K.
 - What is the surface temperature of sun in Celsius?
 - In which heat transferring method does the heat transfer from sun to earth?
 - Explain scientifically, how the sea breeze is formed in day time due to sun's heat.
 - In a certain day, the atmospheric pressure at sea level was 76 cm Hg and the atmospheric pressure at 10 km above sea level was 20 cm Hg.
 - Name a laboratory instrument which is used to take the measurements of atmospheric pressure stated above.
 - What is the reason for the pressure difference observed above?
 - Calculate the hydrostatic pressure at a place 2 km deep from the sea level. Take the density of sea water as 1050 kg m^{-3} and acceleration due to gravity as 10 m s^{-2} .

(Total marks 2)

9	(A)	(i)	A - NaOH (01) B - NaCl (01) C - HCl (01) or NaOH, (01) NaCl, (01) HCl (01)	03
		(ii) (a)	$\text{NaOH} + \text{HCl} \longrightarrow \text{NaCl} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$	02
		(b)	$Q = mc\theta$ (01) $= \frac{200}{1000} \times 4200 \times 5$ (01) $= 4200 \text{ J}$ or 4.2 kJ or heat change = -4200 J or -4.2 kJ (01)	03
		(iii)	• No any heat loss / the whole amount of heat produced is used to increase the temperature of the solution • the specific heat capacity of the solution is equal to the specific heat capacity of water • Density of the solution is equal to the density of water any 2 from above	02
	(B)	(i) (a)	$(5800 - 273) = 5527 (^{\circ}\text{C})$ or $(5800 - 273.15) = 5526.85 (^{\circ}\text{C})$	01
		(b)	by radiation	01
		(c)	During the day time, the land surface get heated more relative to the sea (01). Then, air near the land surface warms up and move upwards (01). Threrfore (the air pressure closer to the land is low) an air current flows from the sea to the land (01).	03
		(ii) (a)	barometer / aneroid barometer / mercury barometer	01
		(b)	The height of the air ^{column} layer that is 10 km above the sea level is lesser than the air layer closer to the sea level/ The pressure get decresed when the height of the air layer decreases / The pressure get decreased when going up from the sea level as the height of the air column decreases. / <i>P get decreased when going up from the sea level as the density of air decrease.</i>	01

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