

FORM 4 2022

Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (K.C.S.E)

231/2 BIOLOGY PAPER 2 (THEORY) 2 HOURS

- 1. a) Denature –change in protein structure so that some of its original properties /configuration stop functioning;
 - b) i) Optimum temperature 36 ± 1 ;
 - ii) At 45°C time taken is more than at 35°C because enzyme /pepsin is being denatured;
 - c) i) Pepsinogen;
 - ii) Digest stomach /digest lumen in its active form (pepsin) in absence of protein food;
 - d) Epidermal tissue

Parenchyma;

Schlerenchyma;

Xylem tissue;

Collenchyma;

- e) Provides surface on which food /grass is pressed and cut:
- 2. Approximate population=

No. of organisms in first catch X No. of organisms in second catch

No. of marked organisms recaptured

i.e P =
$$\frac{\text{FM X SC}}{\text{MR}}$$
 $\frac{1 \text{mk}}{20}$ $\frac{120 \times 90}{20}$ = 540 $\frac{1 \text{mk}}{20}$

- b) Does not consider migration of organisms into and out of study area;
 - Does not consider the effects of paint used on the animals behavior;
 - Released animals may not mix freely with the remaining population;
 - Marked organisms may not have adequate time to mix with the rest;
 - Does not consider the effects of weather on the organisms behavior; any 4 @ 1mk each
- c) Quadrant method
 - Belt transect method
 - Line transect method any 2@½mk each
- 3. a) i) To find out whether energy /heat is released in anaerobic respiration /fermentation;
 - ii) To investigate the gas produced during fermentation/anaerobic respiration. 2mks
 - b) i) (significant)rise in temperature ; color of bicarbonate indicator turns yellow. 2mks
 - ii) Yeast will respire aerobically releasing energy /and carbon dioxide gas that turn indicator vellow.

 1mk
 - iii) Expel /drive out oxygen;

1mk

c) Use glucose solution without yeast cells/killed yeast cells.

1mk

4. a) i) Absorb carbon (IV)oxide produced by germinating seedlings.

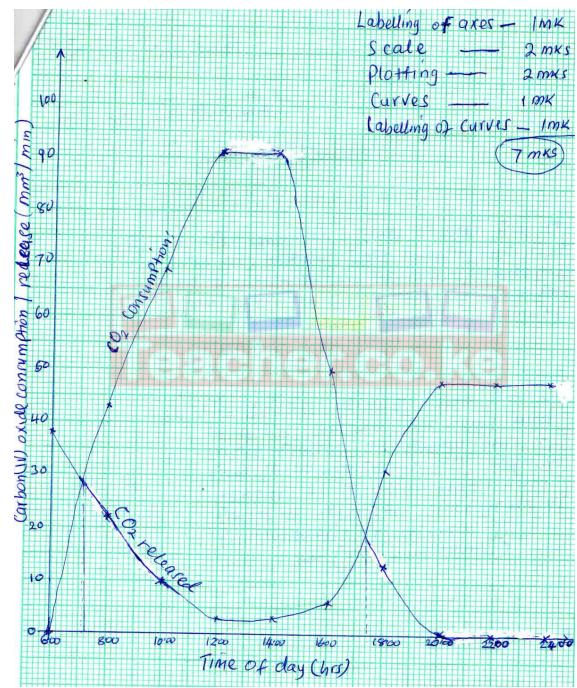
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ii) Provide moisture /water for seeds to germinate.

1mk

- b) i) Towards Y; $/X \longrightarrow Y$;
 - ii) Seeds use up oxygen in flask for respiration during germination; creating a vacuum in the flask; air is drawn in the tube at point A (causing the red dye to move towards Y) 3mks

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5.	a)	Starch;		1mk
	b)	i)	The covered part remained brown ;uncovered part turned blue-black	2mks
		ii)	Starch formed in uncovered part of the leaf (because of light)	1mk
			Starch not formed in Covered part of the leaf (because of lack of light);	2mks
	c)	i)	To allow photosynthesis /manufacture of food;	
		ii)	To de-starch the leaf /remove starch from the leaf;	1mk
	d)	Carbo	n dioxide concentration /soil water;	<u>1mk</u>
6.	a)			08



- b) i) photosynthesis
 - ii) Respiration
- c) i) CO₂ consumption increases between 6.00 to 14.00 hrs; increasing light intensity; leads to an increase in the rate of photosynthesis, from 16.00 to 24.00, as light intensity decreases; (maximum 3mks)
 - ii) CO₂release decreases from 6.00 to 14.00 hrs, because its being used in the process of photosynthesis.

From 16.00 to 24.00 CO₂ release increases as it accumulates from process of respiration, since rate of photosynthesis is decreasing. (maximum 3mks)

- d) i) $7.12 \text{ hrs} \pm 5 (7.07 7.17)$ and $17.24 \text{ hrs} \pm 5 (17.19 - 17.29)$
 - ii) The point where the rate of carbon (IV) oxide consumption (during photosynthesis) is equal to rate of carbon (iv)oxide release (during respiration);
- e) Low temperatures inactivate enzymes leading to low rate of photosynthesis /low rate of CO₂ consumption/photosynthesis is highest at optimum temperature; temperature above optimum denatures enzymes hence low rate of photosynthesis/ CO2 3mks
- 7. a) Diffusion.

Transpiration/guttation;

Exudation;

Accumulation in old leaves /flowers/leaf fall

Storage in bark /wood;

Re-used e.g. in photosynthesis

6mks

b)

Excretory products	use		
Caffein;	Central nervous system stimulant;		
Papain	Meat tenderizer/treat indigestion;		
Tannin	Leather tanning;		
Nicotine	Heart stimulant/ insecticide /reduce stress		
Latex	Manufacture of tire rubber products;		
Quinine	Anti-malarial drug;		
Atropine	Increase heart beat /drug up secretion/dilate eye pupil;		
Morphine	Cancer treatment;		

- a) Pollination is the transfer of pollen grains from the other to the stigma in a flower;
 - b) Upon falling on the stigma, the pollen grain uses the nutrients from the stigma to germinate; and from a pollen tube; The pollen tube grows down the style; The tube nucleus takes a leading position ;followed by the generative nucleus ;The generative nucleus divides by mitosis ;to form two male gamete nuclei; The nuclei passes through the micropyle into the ovary .On arrival at the embryo sac the tube nucleus degenerates one male gamete nucleus fuses with the polar nuclei to form a triploid, primary endosperm. The other male gamete nucleus fuses with the functional egg to form a diploid zygote. This is known as double fertilization. The integument becomes the testa while the zygote is differentiated into plumule and radical. The primary endosperm becomes the endosperm tissue.