

Movement of Substances into and out of Cells

Mark Scheme 4

Level	IGCSE(9-1)
Subject	Biology
Exam Board	Edexcel IGCSE
Module	Single Award (Paper 2B)
Topic	Structure and Functions in Living Organisms
Sub-Topic	Movement of Substances into and out of Cells
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Time Allowed: 51 minutes

Score: /42

Percentage: /100

Grade Boundaries:

9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
>90%	80%	70%	60%	50%	40%	30%	20%	10%

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
1 (a) (i)	1. measure mass / measure weight / measure water loss; 2. in one minute / in an hour / per minute / per hour / per day / after a period of time / eq;	2. ignore before and after / at the end of the experiment	2
(ii)	1. no plant; 2. oil layer and water present; 3. balance present;	ignore twig with no leaves ignore number on balance labels not needed	3

(b)	change of condition	Change in transpiration rate	Explanation		
	warmer air	increase;	more (kinetic) energy / more evaporation / molecules move faster /eq;		
	put in the dark decrease	put in the dark decrease	stomata close;		
	increased wind increase	increased wind	increased concentration gradient / moves molecules away / blows water away / eq;		
	increased humidity	decrease;	decreased concentration gradient		
(c)	<p>1. supply mineral ions / supply named mineral ion;</p> <p>2. support / turgidity / prevent wilting / eq;</p> <p>3. cooling / prevent overheating;</p> <p>4. water for photosynthesis;</p>			<p>1. ignore nutrients</p> <p>3. ignore homeostasis idea</p> <p>ignore growth</p>	<p>5</p> <p>2</p>

Total 12 marks

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2 (a)	1. not full / less water / flaccid / shrink / eq; 2. <u>cytoplasm</u> does not fill cell / <u>cytoplasm</u> away (from cell wall) / <u>membrane</u> away from cell wall / <u>membrane</u> irregular shape / contents away (from cell wall) / eq; 3. plasmolysed / plasmolysis; 4. darker colour / eq;	Allow converse	2 max
(b)	1. (movement of) water; 2. dilute to concentrated / weak solution to a strong solution / down water potential gradient / high conc of <u>water</u> to low conc of <u>water</u> / eq; 3. selectively permeable membrane / eq;	Movement of water from a high conc to a low conc = 2, but water down a concentration gradient = 1 Membrane alone = 0	2 max

(c)	<p>1. water leaves cell / eq;</p> <p>2. higher concentration outside cell / dilute to concentrated / weak solution to a strong solution / down water potential gradient / high conc of <u>water</u> to low conc of <u>water</u> / eq; eq;</p> <p>3. cell <u>membrane</u> shrinks from cell wall / cell dehydrates / plasmolysis / flaccid / eq;</p>		max 3
(d) (i)	<p>1. cells burst / eq;</p> <p>2. wat enters cells;</p> <p>3. no cell wall / eq;</p>	Ignore bigger idea	2 max
(ii)	<p>1. crenated / buckled / shrink / smaller / flaccid / eq;</p> <p>2. water leaves cells;</p>	Ignore dehydrated	2
			Total 11 marks

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3 (a)	120 to 136;; within range of 60 to 68 = 1 an indication of times 2 = 1	any number in working times 2 = 1 eg. 50 x 2 = 100 gets one mark	1										
(b)	0.00138 / 0.0014 / 1.38×10^{-3} ;; allow one mark for 0.2/6 or 0.03(3) or 0.2/24 or 0.008 in working		2										
(c)	surface (area) covered or exposed / side of leaf covered or exposed / place where jelly put / eq;	ignore quantity of jelly	1										
(d)	(loss of) mass / weight;		1										
(e)	light / wind / humidity / temperature / time / species / eq;		1										
(f) (i)	<table border="1" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <thead> <tr> <th>Mass lost</th> <th>Leaf</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Most</td> <td>A</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>C</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>B</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Least</td> <td>D;;</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Mass lost	Leaf	Most	A		C		B	Least	D;;	if wrong order then allow one mark for A before D OR C before B	2
Mass lost	Leaf												
Most	A												
	C												
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Least	D;;												
(ii)	stomata; (more) on lower surface / (fewer) on upper surface / eq; A no surface covered most mass lost /water lost C upper surface covered next most mass/water lost B lower surface covered less mass /water lost D both surfaces covered least mass /water lost sensible link between leaf coverage and loss of mass/water;	ignore guard cells allow converse between surface exposed and mass lost	3										
		Total	12										

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4(a) (i)	<u>mass</u> ;		1
(ii)	1. water in; 2. high conc. (of water) to low conc. (of water) / from dilute solution to concentrated solution / eq;	Mp 2 allow correct reference to water potential Ignore osmosis	2
(b) (i)	minus 10;;	One mark for 10 alone	2
(ii)	bar drawn to minus 10 / answer in (i);		1
(c)	1. water (only); 2. membrane;	Ignore reference concentration gradient	1 max

Total 7 marks