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**International General Certificate of Secondary Education** 

## MARK SCHEME for the May/June 2010 question paper for the guidance of teachers

## 0610 BIOLOGY

0610/52

Paper 52 (Practical Test), maximum raw mark 40

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## **General notes**

Symbols used in mark scheme and guidance notes.

/ separates alternatives for a marking point

separates points for the award of a mark

A accept – as a correct response

R reject – this is marked with a cross and any following correct statements do not gain any

marks

I ignore/irrelevant/inadequate - this response gains no mark, but any following correct

answers can gain marks.

the word/phrase in brackets is not required to gain marks but sets context of response

for credit. e.g. (waxy) cuticle. Waxy not needed but if it was described as a cellulose

cuticle then no mark.

<u>Small</u> underlined words – this word only/must be spelled correctly

ref./refs. answer makes appropriate reference to

AVP additional valid point (e.g. in additional guidance)

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1 (a) (i)	(both) have different kinds of teeth AW; (both) have teeth on upper and lower jaws; (both have premolars / molars;		[1]		
(ii)		sheep	dog		1 mark per row
	Tooth surface	ridged / not smooth / interlocking	not ridged / smooth AW not interlocking / overlapping		A equivalent wording
	Upper front teeth	no <u>upper</u> incisors / no teeth / horny pad	upper incisors present / no horny pad		A front teeth in upper jaw R if upper jaw not specified
	Arrangement of front and back teeth	space / gap between front and back teeth	no space between front and back teeth / canines present		A ref. to diastema / little spaces in dog  I size / shape / number
	Canines	No canines	canines present	[max 2]	
(b) (i)	(b) (i) upper jaw and lower jaw completed; one canine on each side on each jaw in proper place; PPMMM / PPMMX;		[max 2]	A more Xs	

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(ii)	It / they = human (my) teeth / canines / incisors are smaller (in relation to the skull); (my) teeth / canines are less pointed / flatter; (my teeth) are all of similar / same + length; (my teeth) do not have gaps between them;	[max 2]	A converse  A fangs / fang like for canines I sharp /blunt A ref. to dog having carnassial teeth I more canines in dog I I have more incisors than dog I size of molars
(c) (i)	<ol> <li>Safety – one from:     clothes covered / overall / apron / hair tied back / goggles or     glasses worn / water bath for heating test-tubes / use of test     tube holders;     Procedure     S1 and S2 into each of two test- tubes;     add water;     add Benedict's solution;     heat;     Expected outcome – colour change from initial to final     colour;     Equivalents for comparison – one out of:     same volume for 2., 3., 4., / heat for the same time /     comparison of colour intensity / time taken to change;</li> </ol>	[max 5]	Max 3 for procedure + one mark for safety + one mark for comparison.  R ref. to warm water  A repeat with S2
(ii)	Procedure 1. leaves on tile; 2. iodine solution added to each; 3. expected colour change from initial to final colour; Equivalents for comparison 4. same volume / mass for 1. 2. / colour intensity;	[max 2]	A 'drops of iodine' for iodine solution  R 'amount'

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(iii)		S1	S2			Check supervisor's report first One mark per box
	for reducing sugar	green / yellow;	blue / green;			Observations. No marks for conclusions here
	for starch	blue / black;	blue / black;		[4]	
(iv)	more reducing sugar in S1; starch present in both / may be more in S1;  A correct conclusion about how cooking has altered the relative quanities from 'wrong' colours when compared to supervisor's report.		[2]	Conclusions  Reducing sugar and starch must be described separately, not together as carbohydrates		
(v)	A plausible explanation for the conclusion in (iv); A less reducing sugar because it dissolves in cooking water AW A ref. to hydrolysis / breakdown of starch / condensation AW A leaves do not store starch (if negative)		[1]			
				Total:	[21]	
2 (a) (i)	in pairs / alternate / o in one plane AW / fla			ing AW;	[2]	Check with supervisor's report <b>A</b> AW for all <b>A</b> random if appropriate <b>A</b> making a layer
(ii)	midrib an Labels 2 from leaf blade midrib / v	uzzy' outline; d side veins shov e / lamina'; eins; stalk / stem;	vn;		[2] [2] [max 4]	R broken, sketchy lines / shading  I ref. to phloem / xylem / chlorophyll A hairs / serrated margin where appropriate.

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(iii)	whole squares covered by leaf plus part squares added together / whole squares uncovered by leaf plus part squares uncovered and total taken from 100 in grid;		Credit workable method
	leaf area + units;	[max 2]	R area without units
(b) (i)	Measured length from <b>2 (a) (iii)</b> is in the table; lengths of 10 leaves entered;		Measure the length of leaf in 2 (a) (iii)
	measurements in mm;	[3]	
(ii)	bar chart; A axes and orientation S scale;		Line graph – accept <b>A</b> and <b>S</b> marks only x axis – position of leaf / leaf number from base; y axis – length of leaf blade in mm; credit if more than half the grid used.
	if bar chart		
	P accurate columns;;	[5]	All correct – 2 marks One incorrect – 1 mark
(iii)	Comment on position of largest / smallest leaf; Trend / pattern / relationship described e.g. leaves near the base are larger / no pattern / irregular; AVP ref. to age / stage of development / shading / for max. light / photosynthesis;	[3]	Look at the graph first as some may be irregular.  Biological 'reason'