# SENIOR CERTIFIC Possible Answers March 2006

# **SECTION A**

# **QUESTION 1**

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1.1				
	1.1.1			
	1.1.2			
		$\mathbb{C}\sqrt{}$		
	1.1.4	Av v D v v		
		$D \checkmark \checkmark$		
			7 X 2	(11/1)
	1.1.7		1 / 2	(14)
1.2.				
	1.2.1	Palisade√		
	1.2.2	Stomata✓		
	1.2.3	Cellulose√		
	1.2.4	Micronutrients / trace elements√		
	1.2.5	Fat / lipid✓		
	1.2.6	Proteins√	6 X 1	(6)
1 2				
1.3	121	G√✓		
		F✓✓		
		H✓✓		
		E✓✓		
	1.3.5			
			6 X 2	(12)
	1.0.0		· / · _	( )
1.4				
	1.4.1	retinol / vitamin A✓✓		(2)
	1 / 2	iodine✓✓		(2)
	1.4.2			(~)
	1.4.3	magnesium / nitrogen 🗸 🗸		(2)
	1.4.4	ascorbic acid / vitamin C✓✓		(2)
	115	calcium√√		(2)
	1.4.0	Galolulli		(10)
				(10)

**TOTAL SECTION A:** 

1.5					
	1.5.1	Gase	ous exchange /diffusion✓✓		(2)
	1.5.2	(i) (ii)	Carbon dioxide /CO₂√ Oxygen /O₂√		(1) (1)
	1.5.3	blood estab towar	ased concentration of CO <sub>2</sub> ✓ in the cells than in the as a result of cellular respiration ✓ leads to lishment of a concentration gradient/slope ✓ ds the blood  OR cell is the region of higher ✓ concentration O₂ ✓ than blood ✓	Any 2 X 1	(2)
	1.5.4	Oxyha	aemoglobin / solution in blood plasma ✓		(1)
	1.5.5	- it ha	ntains haemoglobin√ s a large surface area√ flexible√		
				Any 1 X 1	(1)

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#### **SECTION B**

#### **QUESTION 2**

- 2.1.1 egg yolk√
  - kidney√
  - liver√
  - shrimps√
  - prawns√
  - cream√
  - butter√ (Mark first TWO only)
- 2.1.2 most people have more cholesterol than they require√
  - since the body produces√ enough for its functioning√ (3)
- 2.1.3 A high level of cholesterol in the blood encourages√
  - the build-up of fatty deposits
  - in the arteries√
  - these deposits make the flow of blood difficult√
  - by narrowing / the lumen of the vessels
  - This therefore interferes with blood supply to the heart 
    resulting in heart attacks
- Any 5x 1 (5)
- 2.1.4 changes in the amount of (saturated) fat one eats√
  - consistently high amounts of cholesterol in ones diet√

(12

(2)

2.2.1 - small intestine ✓

(1)

- 2.2.2 A muscle layers√
  - C microvilli / brush border√
  - D goblet cell√

(3)

- 2.2.3 the walls of the villi are thin ✓ due to a single layer of columnar epithelium thus making diffusion ✓ of substances efficient
  - it contains blood capillaries ✓ to transport the products of digestion of carbohydrates and proteins ✓
  - it contains lacteals ✓ for the transport of the products of fat digestion ✓
  - it is finger-like√ thus increasing the surface area√ for absorption
  - the columnar cells have numerous microvilli√ thus increasing the surface area√ for absorption
  - the columnar cells have numerous mitochondria

    ✓ which produces energy for active absorption

Any 3 X 2 (6)

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2.2.4	F-	(1)
2.2.5	- the flow of blood is from X to Y✓	(1)
	<ul> <li>as the blood flows along the capillary in the villus it absorbs glucose into the</li> <li>capillary√</li> </ul> Any 1 x 1	(1) (13)
	TOTAL QUESTION 2	X /
QUES	STION 3	
3.1.1	30 − 5√ = 25√	(2)
3.1.2	fats✓	(2)
3.1.3	<ul> <li>Absorbs water and makes contents bulky✓✓</li> <li>Promotes peristalsis in the colon✓✓</li> <li>Decreases the period of movement of food towards caecum✓✓</li> <li>Helps prevent constipation, haemorrhoids and cancerous effects in the large intestine✓✓</li> <li>Decreases level of cholesterol in blood and thus prevents heart attack✓✓</li> </ul>	
	Any 3 X 2	(6) (10)
3.2.1	- iodine solution√	(1)
3.2.2	<ul> <li>the starch remained intact ✓</li> <li>because no digestion ✓ took place</li> <li>since no amylase is active ✓</li> <li>Any 2 x 1</li> </ul>	(2)
3.2.3	- Starch digestion occurs only in certain parts√ of the alimentary canal - such as in the mouth ✓	
	- and in the small intestine√	(3) <b>(6)</b>
3.3.1	- Effect of light intensity✓ on the rate ✓ of photosynthesis  OR	
	- To determine which gas√ is released√ during photosynthesis (Mark first ONE only)	(2)
3.3.2	Oxygen√	(1)
3.3.3	Carbon dioxide√ Temperature√  (Mark first TWO answers only)	(2)

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3.3.4	To pr	ovide carbon dioxide✓ needed for photosynthesis✓	(2)
3.3.5	and - oxy livit	iant energy is converted into chemical potential energy√ stored in organic fuel molecules like starch and glucose gen is released which is used for cellular respiration by all ng organisms√	
	- Car	bon dioxide is absorbed thus maintaining its concentration√ bohydrates (glucose and starch) are produced, from which fats proteins are synthesised. Serves as food for the heterotrophic anisms√	
		food manufactured during photosynthesis leads to the formation ossil fuels ✓	
		(Mark first TWO only)	(2) (9)
		TOTAL QUESTION	
QUES	STION	4	
4.1.1		arbon dioxide from the incoming air√ had been absorbed by the lime√	(2)
4.1.2	The li	me water in B√ will turn milky√	(2)
4.1.3	- the	e apparatus was placed in the sun√ plant must have absorbed all carbon dioxide√ photosynthesis√	
	- 101	Any 2 X 1	(2)
4.1.4	(i)	Mitochondrion✓	(1)
	(ii)	A - Outer membrane✓ B - Matrix✓ C - Cristae✓	(3)
	(iii)	It increases the surface area✓ for attachment of enzymes✓/respiration	(2) (1 <b>2</b>
4.2.1	A B C	Trachea ✓ Ribs✓ Diaphragm✓	(3)
122	49 <del>7-</del> 920	ction√/ventilation	
			(1)
4.Z.J	Diapi	nragm√ internal intercostal muscles√ external intercostal muscles√ (Mark first TWO only)	(2)
4.2.4	Diagr	am l√	(1)
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4.2.5		ribs are lifted up / the chest cavity expands / moves outwards✓✓ diaphragm contracts / flattens /move downwards ✓✓	(4)
4.2.6	The d		
	Press	OR ure is indirectly proportional to volume√√	(2) (13)
QUES	TION	TOTAL QUESTION 4	4: 25
5.1			
5.1.1		A√ -	(1)
		B√.	(1)
	(iii)	A√ D ∕	(1)
	(iv)	D✓	(1)
5.1.2	8√		(1)
5.1.3	For reliability√/get a more accurate reading		
5.2	1 400	kJ√ = P + 452 kJ √ + 864 kJ √	
	P = {	34√ kJ	(4)
5.3 5.3.1	Preda	ator – prey√ / predation	(1)
5.3.2		ty-dependent ✓ ze of the one✓ population influences the size of the other population✓	(1) (2)
5.3.3	(i)	50√	(1)
	(ii)	200✓	(1)
5.3.4	(appr	oximately) 500 ✓	(1)
5.3.5		ase√ in the rabbit population use there is a smaller number of dogs feeding√ on the rabbits	(1) (1)
5.3.6	Mark	and recapture / simple sampling  Mark first ONE only	(1) (10)

5.4

Logistic (S) growth form	Geometric (J) growth form
1. Has an equilibrium phase√	1. Does not have an equilibrium phase√
2. Approaches the maximum population level smoothly	2. Approach the maximum population level suddenly

Any 2 x 2 (4) + 1 for table (1)

(5)

TOTAL QUESTION 5: 25
TOTAL SECTION B: 100
GRAND TOTAL: 150

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