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for the guidance of teachers**

**5129 COMBINED SCIENCE**

**5129/02**

Paper 2 (Theory), maximum raw mark 100

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- 1 (a) A = potassium hydroxide  
 B = hydrogen  
 C = potassium sulfate  
 D = ammonia                    **do not accept ammonium**  
 (accept correct formulae) [4]
- (b) hydroxide/OH<sup>-</sup> [1]
- (c) purple / violet / blue [1]
- 2 (a) 20 (N) [1]
- (b) (i) no change / none / same / 2 kg  
 (ii) less / lower / decrease / lighter [2]
- 3 (a) no effect / iron attracted to magnet [1]
- (b) iron retains its magnetism / soft magnetic  
 steel keeps its magnetism / hard magnetic  
 iron easier to magnetise and demagnetise = 2 [2]
- 4 (a) movement of water from high water concentration / potential to a low water potential / concentration through a partial / semi-permeable membrane [2]
- (b) higher water concentration in soil than in roots  
 (allow converse) [1]
- (c) they would wilt / lose water to the soil / die  
 the soil has a lower water concentration [2]
- 5 (a) (i) aluminium / Al [1]  
 (ii) aluminium / Al / zinc / Zn [1]  
 (iii) iron / Fe [1]
- (b) copper / Cu  
 zinc / Zn (either order) [2]

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- 6 (a) 400 [1]
- (b) wave drawn with half the amplitude [1]
- (c) (i) Hz / Hertz /  $s^{-1}$  [1]
- (ii)  $f = 340/1.7$  or speed / wavelength  
= 200 [2]
- 7 (a) (i) nucleus [1]
- (ii) cell wall }  
vacuole } any 2  
chloroplast } [2]
- (b) (i) defence against disease / phagocytosis / antibody production / tissue rejection / kill bacteria
- (ii) convert fibrinogen to fibrin / cause clotting
- (iii) transport blood cells / ions / food / hormones / carbon dioxide / urea / vitamins / plasma proteins [3]
- 8 (a) magnesium more reactive than hydrogen [1]
- (b) lighted splint / flame  
pops / explodes  
(result dependent on test) [2]
- (c) fuel / making margarine / making ammonia [1]
- (d) (i) 40 [1]
- (ii)  $24 \rightarrow 40$   
 $\therefore 1.8 \rightarrow (40 \times 1.8)/24$   
= 3 g [2]
- 9 (a) 0.8 (V) [1]
- (b)  $1.2/0.2$  or  $V/I$   
= 6 ( $\Omega$ ) [2]

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(c)  $Q = It$  or  $0.2 \times 120$   
 $= 24$   
 C [3]  
 (0.4C gains 2 marks / 0.4 only gains 1 mark)

10 (a) (i) vitamins / named vitamin  
 minerals / named mineral [2]

(ii) prevents constipation / aids peristalsis [1]

(b) (i) Rajiv is older / larger / male / more active [1]

(ii) Sanjay will become obese  
 / named effect on health of obesity [1]

11 (a) dissolve in water  
 filter  
 evaporate the water / heat the solution [3]

12 (a) to mark fixed points / mark  $0^{\circ}\text{C}$  and  $100^{\circ}\text{C}$   
 ice melts at  $0^{\circ}\text{C}$   
 water boils at  $100^{\circ}\text{C}$  } any 2 [2]

(b) make more narrow [1]

(c) density / colour / emf / resistance / length / pressure [1]

13 (a) number of affected people increasing  
 fastest increase in 1990s  
 rate of increase slows (after 1998)  
 more women affected than men } any 3 [3]

(b) education / make people aware  
 supplying free needles to drug addicts / don't share needles  
 use of condoms  
 fewer sexual partners / abstinence } any 2 [2]

(c) sharing needles / reduced self control [1]

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- 14 (a) (i) mass / nucleon number  
proton / atomic number [2]
- (ii) on right of periodic table  
7 electrons in outer shell  
in Group VII of the periodic table  
gains an electron to form a negative ion } any 2 [2]
- (iii) drawn as 2 (in inner circle) 7 (in outer circle) [1]
- (b) (i) sodium fluoride (ignore NaF<sub>2</sub>) [1]
- (ii) ionic / electrovalent [1]
- 15 (a) G-M tube / geiger tube (counter) / cloud chamber / spark counter / photographic film [1]
- (b) (i) gamma /  $\gamma$
- (ii) alpha /  $\alpha$
- (iii) beta /  $\beta$  [3]
- 16 (a)  $E = Pt$  or  $2000 \times 1200$   
 $= 2400000$   
J [3]  
(40000 J or 40 kJ gains 2 marks / 40000 gains 1 mark)
- (b) live exposed  
electrocution / electric shock / cause a fire [2]
- 17 (a) clear land for agriculture  
clear land for houses / factories / roads  
cutting trees for timber  
cutting trees for fuel / burning } any 2 [2]
- (b) (i) increased CO<sub>2</sub> / reduced O<sub>2</sub> / global warming [1]
- (ii) loss of food / habitat [1]
- (iii) erosion / landslides / washed away [1]

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- 18 (a) (i) cracking [1]
- (ii)  $C_6H_{14}$  [1]
- (iii) correct displayed structure [1]
- (b) water / steam /  $H_2O$  [1]
- (c) solvent / fuel / constituent of wine and beer  
(do not accept making alcohol) [1]
- 19 (a) 62 ( $^{\circ}$ ) [1]
- (b)  $R I = \sin r / \sin i$  or  $\sin r = \sin i / 1.33$  or  $\sin 28 / 1.33$   
 $= 0.353$   
 $i = 20.7$  ( $^{\circ}$ )  
 (accept answers in the range 20.49 to 20.7) [3]
- 20 (a) making protein / enzymes / amino acids / DNA [1]
- (b) (i) pale / yellow leaves / don't look green / change colour [1]
- (ii) add fertiliser [1]
- (c) (i) increased population / more people / global warming [1]
- (ii) energy is lost at each stage of the food chain / not all energy is transferred to the animals  
 animals are further along the food chain / animals eat plants / shorter food chain [2]