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| Question number | Answer | Mark |
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| 1(a)(i) | С | (1) |

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| 1(a)(ii) | | (1) |
| | A | |

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| 1(a)(iii) | D | (1) |

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| 1(b)(i) | Idea that lack of (visual) stimulation limits brain development; | |
| | 2. Idea that this due to of lack of connections; | |
| | 3. within the {visual cortex / eq} / eq; | |
| | Idea that the brain cannot interpret this visual information correctly / eq; | |
| | 5. reference to critical {period / window}; | |
| | 6. idea that mice are different from humans; | (3) |
| | | |

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| 1(b)(ii) | Idea that embryo supplies cells; | |
| | Idea that some people have {ethical / eq} objections to the use of embryonic cells / eq; | |
| | 3. Idea of objections to the use of animals; | |
| | 4. Idea of risk of stem cells becoming cancerous; | |
| | | (2) |

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| 1(c)(i) | Idea that (cerebral hemisphere) is the site of vision perception; | |
| | 2. reference to visual cortex / eq; | |
| | 3. idea that stem cells differentiate; | |
| | 4. this treatment will help to establish (neurone) connections / eq; | |
| | 5. Idea that can not get stem cells to this location any other way (than injection); | (2) |

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| 1(c)(ii) | reduce number of variables / to keep all variables constant / eq; | |
| | so that only the effect of the {treatment / eq} is measured / eq; | (2) |

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| 2 (a)* QWC | (QWC-Spelling of technical terms (shown in italics) must be correct and the answer must be organised in a logical sequence) | |
| | 1. idea that energy obtained from ATP; | |
| | 2. idea that ATP already in muscle cells e.g. ATP store; | |
| | 3. ATP from { glycolysis/ substrate level phosphorylation/ eq}; | |
| | 4. idea that <i>glycolysi</i> s produces ATP {rapidly / eq}; | |
| | 5. idea that some { aerobic respiration / eq} due to some oxygen present; | |
| | 6. glycolysis occurs in cytoplasm / eq; | |
| | 7. idea of need to recycle NAD+; | |
| | 8. idea that <i>pyruvate</i> is converted to <i>lactate</i> ; | |
| | 9. reference to anaerobic respiration; | |
| | 10. idea of <i>lactate</i> tolerance; | |
| | 11. reference to fast twitch {muscle / fibres}; | |
| | 12. reference to { creatine phosphate / eq}; | |
| | | (6) |

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| 2 (b)(i) | (lactate build up) causes {drop in pH / more acidic / increase H⁺ / eq}; | |
| | 2. idea of this affects enzyme {activity / shape / eq}; | |
| | this slows down {glycolysis / ATP production / anaerobic respiration / eq}; | |
| | 4. reference to muscle contractions being affected; | (2) |

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| 2 (b)(ii) | reference to lactate in the blood / eq; {transported to / broken down in / eq} liver; lactate is {converted to pyruvate / eq}; this involves {oxidation / production of reduced NAD / eq}; | |
| | 5. pyruvate is then {oxidised / eq}; 6. reference to Krebs cycle; 7. {this requires extra oxygen / reference oxygen debt} / eq; 8. idea that carbon dioxide and water are produced; | (4) |

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| 3(a)(i) | 1. idea that sample size is enough; | |
| | 2. comment on the accuracy of measurement / eq; | |
| | 3. standard deviations are small / eq; | (2) |

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| 3(a)(ii) | | |
| | 1. (9.35 ÷10.22) ; | |
| | 2. (0.91487) × 100 = 91.5 (%); | |
| | | |
| | | (2) |

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| 3(a)(iii) | men are faster than women / eq; Any one from: idea of differences in body structure e.g. men have more muscle, longer legs, more fast twitch fibres; idea of differences in physiology e.g. testosterone; | (2) |

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| 3(b) | marathon distance greater / eq; | |
| | 2. Idea that more aerobic respiration is needed; | |
| | 3. to {reduce / eq} production of lactate; | |
| | 4. anaerobic respiration not efficient enough / eq; | |
| | 5. {oxygen debt / lactate levels} cannot be sustained over this distance / eq; | |
| | 6. idea that marathon runners use slow twitch fibres; | (3) |

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| 4(a)(i) | idea that people are more likely to have obsessive compulsive disorder if they have a close relative with the condition; | |
| | 2. credit manipulation of figures i.e. 100 times more likely ; | |
| | therefore they may also have the {genes / alleles / genotype / eq} for this condition / eq; | (2) |

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| 4(a)(ii) | | |
| | 1. idea that if they have a close relative with this illness, the risk {ought to be higher than / is only} 10%; | |
| | 2. therefore other factors must be involved as well / eq; | |
| | named example of environmental influence e.g. learnt behaviour; | (2) |

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| 4(a)(iii) | neurotic depression; | |
| | 2. {little / eq} difference between {population as a whole / females} and close relative data / eq; | (2) |

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| 5(a) (i) | Any one from: | |
| | 1. reduces {volume / pressure of gas} / eq; | |
| | allows {measurement of oxygen used / movement of liquid / eq}; | (1) |

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| 5(a) (ii) | returning the coloured liquid back to zero / eq; | |
| | 2. idea of calibration; | |
| | 3. repetition / eq; | |
| | | (2) |

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| 5(b)* QWC | (QWC-Spelling of technical terms (shown in italics) must be correct and the answer must be organised in a logical sequence) | |
| | 1. reference to constant temperature; | |
| | 2. use of water bath / eq; | |
| | 3. reference to {suitable / stated / fixed time / eq}; | |
| | 4. Reference to measuring {volume / distance}; | |
| | 5. description of how to obtain volume; | |
| | 6. calculation of rate described / eq; | |
| | 7. reference to replicates; | |
| | 8. description of control e.g. no woodlice; | |
| | 9. idea of welfare of animals important; | |
| | 10. reference to {mass / eq} of woodlice; | (6) |

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| 6(a)(i) | D | (1) |
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| 6(a)(ii) | В | (1) |
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| 6(a)(iii) | В | (1) |
| Question number | Answer | Mark |
| 6(a)(iv) | D | (1) |
| Question number | Answer | Mark |
| 6(a)(v) | A | (1) |
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| 6(a)(vi) | С | (1) |

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| 7 (a) | Idea that animals are being mistreated e.g. caused stress, pain; | |
| | 2. idea that it is not ethical; | |
| | 3. research topic might not be regarded as essential / eq ; | (2) |

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| 7 (b)(i) | effect on heart described e.g. increase heart rate / increased cardiac output; | |
| | idea of acts as neurotransmitter/ effect on sites of control e.g. increased SAN activity, excitatory centre, sympathetic nerves; | |
| | 3. idea of vasodilation; | |
| | 4. increase in blood pressure / eq; | (2) |

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| 7 (b)(ii) | (increased blood flow) provides more {glucose / oxygen} / enables more {respiration/ energy release}; for muscle used in "food hunt"/ eq; | (2) |

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| 8 (a) | 1. {stiffness / rigidity} (of muscles) / eq; | |
| | 2. tremor (of muscles) / eq; | |
| | 3. slowness of movement / bradykinesia / eq; | |
| | 4. poor balance / postural instability / eq; | |
| | 5. walking problems / akinesia / eq; | |
| | 6. depression / eq; | |
| | 7. speech problems / eq; | |
| | 8. swallowing difficulty / dysphagia / eq; | (2) |

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| 8 (b) | dopamine agonists {mimic/ eq} dopamine / eq; they bind to dopamine receptors at {synapses / eq} / eq; they trigger action potentials / eq; | |
| | 3. they trigger action potentials / eq; | (2) |

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| 8 (c) | 1. L-Dopa can pass into the brain / eq; | |
| | 2. L-Dopa is converted into dopamine / eq; | |
| | 3. dopamine triggers action potentials at synapses / eq; | |
| | 4. {alleviates / eq} symptoms / eq; | (3) |

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| 8 (d) | 1. can help to {reduce / manage / eq} symptoms / eq; | |
| | 2. idea of no side effects; | |
| | 3. prevention of {decline / eq}; | |
| | 4. idea of effects immediate; | |
| | 5. economic benefits qualified e.g. return to work; | (0) |
| | 6. social benefit qualified e.g. better quality of life; | (3) |

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| 8 (e) | stereotactic frame allows {more accuracy / less damage / eq} / eq}; | |
| | almost any area of the brain can now be {stimulated / eq}; | |
| | 3. {more / stated} disorders can be treated e.g. cluster headaches, phantom pains; | (2) |

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| 8 (f) | brain cells have a potential difference across their membrane / eq; | |
| | 2. electrical stimulation above a threshold level / eq; | |
| | 3. causes {depolarisation / action potentials} / eq; | |
| | 4. the membrane is then repolarised / eq; | (3) |

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| 8 (g) | 1. brain has no pain receptors / eq; | |
| | {local anaesthetic / eq} used / pain receptors desensitised; | |
| | 3. sense organs are elsewhere e.g. skin, scalp; | (2) |
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| 8 (h) | (Jamie) can give feedback during the operation / eq; | (1) |

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| 8 (i) | {neurotoxin / MPTP} destroys the dopaminergic cells / eq; | |
| | 2. in the {basal ganglia / substantia nigra}; | |
| | 3. creating Parkinsonian symptoms (in monkeys) / eq; | (2) |

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| 8 (j) | 1. | connection means that {both / globus pallidus external segment} could be related to Parkinson's / eq; | |
| | 2. | stimulation of either could be beneficial / eq; | |
| | 3. | idea of larger target area; | |
| | 4. | greater chance of success of treatment / eq; | (2) |

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| 8 (k) | haemoglobin (without oxygen) absorbs the signal oxyhaemoglobin does not / eq; | / |
| | 2. fMRI measures oxygen {uptake / change / eq}; | |
| | 3. More brain activity / eq; | |
| | 4. lower signal means higher brain activity / eq; | (3) |

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| 8 (I) | fMRI can only measure events every 0.25 seconds (250ms); | |
| | DBS involves (transient) {events / effects / changes / neural activity / eq} that last a few milliseconds / eq ; | |
| | idea that fMRI is not fast enough to pick up changes due to DBS; | |

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| 8 (m) | person taking the placebo does respond / eq; idea that placebo should produce no effect; | |
| | | (2) |

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| 8 (n) | DBS produces an immediate observable effect / no other cause of the effect / eq; | (1) |

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