## SUGGESTED ANSWER (SA) PAPER 2 SPMRSM BIOLOGY 2019

BIL	SUGGESTED ANSWER	MAI	RK
(a)(i)	X: Animal cell	1	1
(ii)	Contain the green pigment / chlorophyll	1	
	• To trap energy from sunlight for photosynthesis	1	
			2
(iii)	Site for cellular respiration	1	
	Generate/ produce/ release/ provide/ more energy in the form of	1	
	ATP// require more energy for muscle contraction (to fly)		
1			2
(iv)	Similarity:		
	Both cell X and Y have cytoplasm/ plasma membrane / nucleus / Golgi apparatus / smooth endoplasmic reticulum / rough endoplasmic reticulum / ribosome / mitochondria	1	1
	Any 1 similarities		
	Difference:		
	Cell X has no cell wall while cell Y has cell wall	1	
	Cell X does not contain chloroplast while Cell Y has chloroplast	1	1
	• Cell X does not have fixed shape while cell Y have fixed shape	1	1
	• Cell X has centriole while cell Y does not have centriole	1	
	Cell X does not have vacuole //small vacuole while cell Y has     large vacuole	1	2
	Any 1P		2
(b)(i)	L : Golgi apparatus	1	
	M: Ribosome	1	
(ii)		1	2
(11)	• Extracellular enzyme is a protein	1	
	Ribosome synthesis protein	1	
	• Ribosome use the information carried by the chromosome/ DNA (to make these protein)	1	
	• The information/ genetic code/ protein code is copied/ translated by RNA.	1	
	Any 3P		3
		OTAL	12

BIL	SUGGESTED ANSWER	MA	RK
(a)(i)	Phase P: Prophase	1	1
(ii)	<ul> <li>Chromosomes condense (and tightly coiled)</li> <li>Shorter and thicker/visible under light microscope</li> <li>Consists a pair of sister chromatid (jointed together at the centromere)</li> </ul>	1 1 1	
	Any 2P		2

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(iii)	(IRB BAD)	1 1	
	Correct size of chromosome : 1m		2
	Correct number of chromosome : 1m		
(b)(i)	- Tissue culture	1	1
(ii)	• explant/ tissue/ aggregate cells is taken from the mother / parent plant	1	
	cells divide repeatedly	1	
	• by mitosis	1	
	• in differentiated mass of tissue	1	
	Any 2P		2
(iii)	• Easy and faster (technique)	1	
	• Increase the production/ number of banana plants in short time	1	
	• Continuous supply of young plants throughout the year	1	
	• Can choose only the good genetics/ high quality (of parent plants)	1	
	<ul> <li>Produce genetically identical to parent plant</li> </ul>	1	
	Any 2P		2
(iv)	• clones will have same characteristic/ genetically identical as it	1	
()	parent cell	1	
	<ul> <li>same level of resistance to diseases</li> </ul>	1	
	<ul> <li>because same DNA/genetic as its parent cell</li> </ul>		
	Any 2P		2
	TOTAL		12

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QUEST	ION 3		
BIL	SUGGESTED ANSWER	MA	RK
(a) (i)	Capture, mark, release and recapture technique	1	1
(ii)	62X 78 = 130.7	1	
. ,	37		
	Population size $= 131$	1	
	Calculation – 1mark		
	Answer – 1 mark		2
(iii)	• Mice are dispersed evenly within the restricted area		
	Mice are captured randomly	1	
	• Marking is non-toxic / harmless / permanent / do not limit the	1	
	movement the mice	1	
	• Mice that been released able to mix freely with other unmarked		
	mice	1	
	<ul> <li>Population is stable// rate of birth and rate of death is same</li> </ul>		
	· Topulation is succer face of on all and face of dealth is sume	1	
	Any 1P		1
(iv)	Prediction: The population size of mice increase		2

	Explanation: More food/ more bir	th rate/ more mice emigrate	1	
			1	
b)(i)	Level I: Species		1	
b)(ii)	Level III: Family     P1- Monera	1	2	
0)(11)	P2 - Protista		1	
	P3 - Fungi		1	
	P4 – Animalia		1	
	P5 – Plantae		1	
		Any 2P		2
(c)(i)	Genus		1	1
(ii)	Marking guide:			
	• Name is in Latin		1	
	• each organisms has two names		1	1000
	• the first name which begins with second name begins with the sr		1	
		ten in italics//under line separately	1	
	<ul> <li>First name refers to genus, seco</li> </ul>		1	
	- Thist nume refers to genus, see	and name refers to species		
		Any 1P		1
		TOTAL	1	2
QUEST	TON 4			
BIL		ED ANSWER	МА	RK
(a) (i)	Phase S: Rapid Growth Phase// ex		1	1
(ii)	<ul> <li>Decrease in mass</li> <li>due to respiration / depletion of food</li> <li>Provide energy for formation of Stage R is germination (of seed</li> </ul>		1 1 1 1	2
(iii)				
	Diagram 4.1	Diagram 4.2		
	S shape / sigmoid curve	Staircase shape	1	
	Do not has intermittent growth/ has continuous growth	Has intermittent growth/ not continuous growth/ discontinuous	1	
	Not undergoes series of ecdysis	Undergoes series of ecdysis/ moulting process	1	
	Not have instar stage	Have instar stage	1	
	Slow growth continuously	Periodically growth	1	
		Any 2P		2
(iv)	• Q is Instar (phase)		1	
	• Indicates a zero growth of grass	shopper	1	
	<ul> <li>caused by/ limited by hard exos</li> <li>Unable to expand the body</li> </ul>		1	

			1
		Any 2P	2
(b)(i)	Vascular cambium/ Cambium/ Lateral meristem		1
(ii)	<ul> <li>Cambium develop into complete cylinder / ring</li> <li>Cells of cambium divide actively</li> <li>by mitosis</li> </ul>		1 1 1
	• by mitosis	Any 2P	2
(iii)	No secondary xylem		
	No secondary phloem		1
	• Diameter of stem smaller / decrease		
	<ul> <li>no secondary growth occur</li> </ul>		
	Stem become weaker		
	• cannot give support to plants		
	No complete cambium ring		
		Any 2P	1 2
		TOTAL	12

QUEST BIL	SUGGESTED	ANSWER	MA	RK
(a)(i)	Discontinuous variation		1	1
(ii)	Controlled by one gene		1	
	• Crossing over (during Prophase I)		1	
	• Independent Assortment (during I	Metaphase I in meiosis)	1	
	• Random fertilisation of gametes		1	
	Reject: Mutation	Any 2P		2
(iii)	• because it is determining by gener	tic factor	1	
	• not influenced by environment		1	
	<ul> <li>permanent characteristic</li> </ul>		1	
	• determine by one allele	the Bart of the Streep Little streep of the Little	1	2
		1 <sup>st</sup> P + Another 2P		3
(b)(i)	<ul> <li>chameleon can change the skin co environmental factors (and geneti</li> <li>enables to adapt better to changes</li> <li>called as camouflage</li> </ul>	c factors) in environment	1 1 1	
	• able to protect itself from predato	rs	1	
	• population become increase	Any 3P	1	3
(ii)	Similarities:	v		
~ /	• Both create varieties in the popula	ation of the same species	1	
	Caused by environmental factors	or genetic factors or both	1	
	Differences:			
	Discontinuous (Diagram 5.1)	Continuous (Diagram 5.2)		
	Distinctive	Not distinctive	1	
	No intermediate characteristics	Has intermediate characteristics	1	
	Qualitative	Quantitative	1	
			1	

an e la		TOTAL	12	2
		Any 1 + 2 or 2 + 1 (S & M)		3
	of alleles	alleles		
	Phenotypes controlled by a pair	Phenotypes controlled by many		
1 - 10	character	same character	1	
S. Lawy	A single gene control the trait of	Two or more genes control the	]	
	factors	factors (and genetic factor)	1	
	Not influenced by environmental	Influenced by environmental		

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(a)	Sample answer			
	- Nowa: Dad blood call/ and business		1	
	Name: Red blood cell/ erythrocy     Disconcere change / No muslous	le		
	• Biconcave shape / No nucleus		1	
	<ul> <li>TSA/V is higher</li> <li>Carry / increase diffusion of oxy</li> </ul>	and to coll		
	<ul> <li>To do cellular respiration</li> </ul>	gen to cell	1	
	• To do central respiration			
	• elastic membrane		1	
	• Easy to squeeze and faster		1	
	Contain haemoglobin		1	
	• To transport oxygen to cell in fo	rm of haemoglobin		
	• Contain haem group/ iron (as sit	e of oxygen binding)	1	
		Any 4E		
(b)	Sample answer			
	SIMILARITIES			
	Both have closed circulatory system.			
	• Both blood flows in blood vesse		1	
	• Both has blood as the transport r	nedium		
	• Both have heart			
	• Both heart have atrium & ventrie	cal		
	• Both heart do not have septum		1	
	DIFFERENCES			
	Р	Q	1	
	Organism P is fish	Organism Q is frog/	1	
		amphibian		
	Heart of P has two	Heart of Q has three	1	
	chambers // one atrium			
	and one ventricle	one ventricles	1	
	Single circulatory systemPhassystemic	Double circulatory system	1	
	P has systemic circulation only	Q has systemic circulation		
	circulation only	and pulmonary circulation	1	
	Oxygenated blood flows	Oxygenated blood flows	1	

	Blood flows through the heart once	Blood flows through the heart twice	1	
	Oxygenated blood is transported directly to the body		1	
		At least 2S, 2	D	4
(c)	<ul> <li>The immune system decrease/ le</li> <li>No/ less antibody to fight pathog</li> <li>Easy to get an infection / any dis</li> <li>easy to transmit / spread disease</li> <li>died</li> <li>no / less protection at a time who</li> <li>No immunity (at all to fight the</li> <li>Shorterhis lifetime</li> </ul>	gen// low antibody concentration sease to other person en they are vulnerable disease)	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	6
		Any 3	$\frac{\Gamma}{L}$ 2	6

BIL	SUGGESTED ANSWER	MA	RK
a) (i)	Sample answer		
۵.	<ul> <li>M is biceps muscle, N is triceps muscle</li> <li>Biceps/ M muscles contract (triceps/ N relaxes)</li> <li>Both muscles act antagonistically</li> <li>(Contraction of biceps muscles) produced pulling force</li> <li>Tendon transmits pulling force to the radius (and ulna)</li> <li>Ulna and radius/arm pulled upward</li> <li>The forearm bend</li> </ul>	1 1 1 1 1 1 1	
		Max:	4
(ii)	<ul> <li>Sample answer</li> <li>Receptor in the eye (retina) detects the shuttlecock / stimulus</li> <li>(Receptor) trigger / produce nerves impulses</li> <li>The nerve impulses transmit / pass from receptor to spinal cord/ CNS through afferent neurons.</li> <li>Afferent neuron transmits impulse to interneuron</li> <li>Brain interprets/ integrate/ analyse the impulse/ informations</li> <li>Nerve impulses are transmitted through interneurons</li> <li>Nerve impulse are transmitted through efferent neuron to</li> <li>effector/ arm muscles</li> <li>Both (arm) muscle act antagonistic// triceps contracts while biceps relaxes</li> <li>to straighten the forearm</li> </ul>	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	6
(b)(i)	Able to explain the graph at phase X and Y	Max	6
	<ul><li>Phase X</li><li>Bone mass is increased from age of 0 to 30/ during phase X</li></ul>	1	

Tota	1	20
Any 3 (Facts + Exp		6
	1	
<ul> <li>Slow down bone mineral loss</li> </ul>	1	
• Take medication as prescribed by doctor		-
density	1	
• Delay bone fractures / reduce bone mineral loss / increase bone	$e \begin{vmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{vmatrix}$	
Regular physical exercise		
- Ands absorption of calcium / phosphorus	i	
<ul> <li>Adequate intake of Vitamin D</li> <li>Aids absorption of calcium / phosphorus</li> </ul>	1	
Adaquata inteka of Vitamin D		
• Increase the formation of bones cells and teeth / strengthen the bone	s 1	
<ul> <li>Adequate / enough / high intake of calcium / phosphorus</li> </ul>	1	
Any 21		2
• Loss of height	1	
Stooped posture	1	
<ul> <li>Fracture of bones / vertebrae / wrists / hips</li> </ul>	1	
<ul> <li>Bone more brittle / more porous / more fragile</li> </ul>	1	
<ul> <li>insufficient calcium intake</li> </ul>	1	
<ul> <li>Bone mass starts to decrease after age of 30/ during phase Y</li> <li>Low oestrogen level</li> </ul>	1	
Phase Y	1	
Any 21		2
• stimulate absorption of calcium // sufficient calcium intake	1	
Oestrogen level is enough high to     stimulate absorption of calaium // sufficient calaium intel	$\begin{vmatrix} 1\\ 1 \end{vmatrix}$	
Bone undergoes growth		

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(a)	<ul> <li>P is gastric gland</li> <li>no/less gastric juice is produced</li> <li>no/less enzymes pepsin produced</li> <li>no hydrolysis of protein to polypeptide</li> <li>no/less enzymes rennin produced</li> <li>no conversion of caseinogen into casein</li> <li>no/less hydrochloric acid produced</li> <li>medium less acidic//less optimum reaction/less bacteria killed</li> <li>less mucus is produced</li> </ul>	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	
(b)	Any 6P PREGNANT WOMAN		6
	<ul> <li>Need more proteins</li> <li>for foetus growth /build new cells</li> <li>Insufficient protein cause stunted growth in foetus</li> </ul>	1 1 1	

	Need more carbohydrate	1	
	• for more energy to mother	1	
	Insufficient carbohydrate cause tiredness to mother	1	
		1	
talesett.	• Need more vitamin D // vitamin C	1	
	• aid in absorption of calcium // (vit C) maintains good health	1	
	• insufficient in vitamin D cause stunted growth in baby // insufficient	1	
	in vitamin C cause scurvy for mother		
	* <b>Reject</b> : vitamin only		
	*Accept : any vitamins with correct effect		
	Accept : any mammis with concert effect		
	• Need more calcium/phosphorus (mineral salts)	1	
	• Need more iron	1	
	• for formation of teeth and bone in foetus	1	
	• Insufficient intake of calcium cause stunted growth of bone and teeth	1	
	in baby	1	
	Iron for building red blood cells	1	
	• Lack of iron leads to anemia		
	Any 2P + Correct 2Exp		4
	LABOUR WORKER		
	Need more control whete		
	<ul> <li>Need more carbohydrate</li> <li>for more energy</li> </ul>	1	
	<ul> <li>Insufficient carbohydrate cause tiredness</li> </ul>	1	
	Insume en carbonyarate cause treaness	1	
	Need more protein	1	
	• to repair the damage tissue/ build muscle	1	
	• Need more vitamin D	1	
	• for absorption of calcium.	1	
	• insufficient vitamin D cause stunted growth of bone // insufficient	1	
	• vitamin C cause scurvy		
		1	
	<ul> <li>Need more calcium (mineral salts)</li> </ul>	1	
	• for strong bones	1	
	<ul> <li>insufficient calcium cause bones to be more porous/ brittle.</li> </ul>		
			4
	Any 2P with correct 2Exp		
	TODDLER/ CHILD		
		1	
	• Need more protein	1	
	<ul> <li>for growth/ build new tissues</li> </ul>	1	
	<ul> <li>Insufficient protein will cause kwashiorkor disease</li> </ul>	1	
		1	
	Need more carbohydrate	1	
		L	

	TOTAL	2	0
1.3.81	Any 4P		4
	• minimum/less production of crop yield	1	
	production/living process	1	
	<ul> <li>no excess sugar can be used for growth/reproduction/seeds</li> </ul>	1	
	<ul> <li>no net gain or loss in sugar produced/consumption</li> </ul>	1	
	• no net gain or loss of carbon dioxide// Absorption of CO <sub>2</sub> is equal to release of CO <sub>2</sub>	1	
	of respiration		
	• (At compensation point) the rate of photosynthesis is equal to the rate	1	
(c)	• Less / no growth of plant	1	
		Max:	10
	Any 2P with correct 2Exp		4
	• lack of calcium cause stunted growth of bone and teeth.		
	• for strong bones	1	
	• Need more calcium (mineral salts)	1	
		1	
	vitamin C cause scurvy		
	<ul> <li>for absorption of calcium</li> <li>insufficient vitamin D cause stunted growth of bone // insufficient</li> </ul>	1	
	Need more vitamin D		
		1	
	<ul><li>for more energy</li><li>Insufficient carbohydrate cause marasmus disease</li></ul>		

QUEST BIL	SUGGESTED ANSWER	MAF	R
(a)	heavy metal/copper/mercury/zinc/chromium/lead	1	
	• highly toxic	1	
	<ul> <li>accumulate in the organism via food chains</li> </ul>	1	
	<ul> <li>oil/grease/suspended solids (high)</li> </ul>	1	
	<ul> <li>less oxygen dissolve in the water</li> </ul>	1	
	<ul> <li>rate of respiration low for aquatic organism</li> </ul>	1	
	• rate of photosynthesis aquatic plant decrease	1	
	• light intensity less penetrate into the water	1	
	• heat from hot water discharged into the river	1	
	increase water temperature	1	
	<ul> <li>less oxygen dissolve</li> </ul>	1	
	<ul> <li>BOD value high</li> </ul>	1	
		1	
	lead to aquatic organism died     Any 4P		4
			4
(b)	• Treat effluents (before they are discharged into water source)	1	
	• to filter the river water	1	
	• free from poisonous/ death of aquatic organism.		
	• Take legal action/restrict the law (against illegal dumping of toxic wastes from factories)	1	
	<ul> <li>to avoid the release of more pollutants to the river</li> </ul>	1	
	<ul> <li>Plants the tree at river bank</li> </ul>	1	
	<ul> <li>to prevent soil erosion to provide more oxygen to aquatic</li> </ul>	1	
	organism	1	
	Awareness campaign on clean environment by	1	
	school/college/university/media/others	1	
	<ul> <li>to sustain/maintain the river ecosystem</li> </ul>	1	
	Accept any suitable answer	Max:	6
(c)	• combustion of fossil fuels in power station / factories / domestic	1	
	boilers	1	
	produce sulphur dioxide	1	
	• and oxides of nitrogen Reject: nitogen dioxide		
	• (gases) dissolved / combine with water vapour	1	
	form sulphuric acid / nitric acid		172
	• rainwater fall to the Earth with pH less than 5.0 // becomes more	1	
	acidic		
	acid rain occurs	1	
	Any 6P		
			6
(d)	As cash crop//food	1	
	source of nutrition/income	1	
		1	
	• providing timber	1	
	• for building/construction/paper/furniture		
	medicine/herb	1	
	cure certain disease/raw material to make traditional medicine		
	a water established	1	
	water catchment		I

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Any 4P	4
for stress reliever/relaxation	
• recreation 1	
• area for academic research 1	
• for education 1	
• providing clean water for drinking/bathing/household needs 1	

