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5180 MARINE SCIENCE

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Paper 2, maximum raw mark 60

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Mark schemes will use these abbreviations:

- ; separates marking points
- / alternatives
- () contents of brackets are not required but should be implied
- R reject
- A accept
- I ignore (for incorrect but irrelevant responses)
- AW alternative wording (where responses vary more than usual)
- AVP alternative valid point (where a greater than usual variety of responses is expected)
- ORA or reverse argument
- <u>Underline</u> actual word underlined must be used by candidate (grammatical variants excepted)

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Question	Expected answers	Additional guidance	Marks
1 (a) (i)	suitable linear scale ; both axes labelled with units + correct orientation ; all points plotted correctly ;; [all points correct = 2 marks, 1 error = 1 mark, plots must be ± half a small square] points joined with ruled, neat lines (no extrapolation) ; if a bar chart is drawn, penalise MP 5 if the axes are reversed, penalise MP 2	sample graph:	[5]
(ii)	reference to an (overall) decrease ;	R year by year description	[1]
(iii)	mass / weight ;	I biomass	
	(of fish) of reproductive age ;	R mass <u>and</u> number (of fish)	[2]
(b) (i)	2005 ;		[1]
(ii)	haddock ;		
	plaice ;		[2]
(iii)	200 ;	I minus sign	
	thousand tonnes ;		[2]

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(c)	<i>any 2 of:</i> increased fishing effort ; increased demand (for whiting) ; more young / small fish caught (previously) ;	A overfishing / fishing rate greater than spawning rate / larger nets / more boats / increased catch / fishing above MSY	
	reference to disease / predation / food availability / migration ;		[2]
		Total	[15]
2 (a)	any 3 of:	A faster growth / reach marketable size faster	
	predictable yield ;		
	increased yield ;		
	no reduction of wild stock / reference to sustainability ;		
	protected from predators ;		
	no need for (expensive) boats / fishing gear ;		
	ease of harvesting / capture / less dangerous ;		
	less health risk to consumers ;	Ignore health of fish	[3]

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(b)	reduce yield ;	I salmon die	
	sea lice feed on / harm ;	I kills salmon	[2]
(c) (i)	wild salmon mean = $0.004 / 4 \times 10^{-3}$;		
	<i>aquaculture mean</i> = 0.010 / 1×10^{-2} ;		[2]
(ii)	higher in aquaculture salmon / ORA ;	A error carried forward from 2(c)(i)	
	manipulated quantitative comparison (e.g. 0.006 mg per kg higher) ;		
	pesticides used in aquaculture / not used for wild salmon ;		[3]
(iii)	<i>any 2 of:</i> ref. to cost of pesticide ;		
	ref. to economic benefit from increased yield ;		
	ref. to possible higher price for organic salmon ;		[2]

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(d)	increased susceptibility to disease / disease more likely to spread ;	A references to bruising	
	idea of, causing (physical) injury ;		
	stress ;		
	reduced growth rate ;		[3]
		Total	[15]
3 (a) (i)	stiffening / hardening ;		
	of muscles ;		
	reference to pre-rigor, rigor and post rigor ;		[3]
(ii)	breakdown / digestion of tissues ;	R decomposition	
	by enzymes ;	R enzymes <u>and</u> bacteria	[2]
(iii)	oxidation ;	A fats react with oxygen (2 marks)	
	of fats / lipids ;		[2]
(iv)	reference to growth / multiplication / reproduction ;		
	of bacteria ;	I decomposers	[2]

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Question	Expected answers	Additional guidance	Marks
(b)	any 6 of: fresh (seaweed) smell + bad (ammonia) smell ; eyes bright / eyes clear + eyes dull / eyes cloudy ; eyes raised / firm + eyes sunken ; gills red + gills brown / faded ; abdomen / stomach firm + abdomen / stomach soft ; sides / muscle firm + sides / muscle soft ;	Note: comparative points for each mark A points on an annotated diagram	
	mucus clear + mucus brown ;	Total	[6] [15]
4 (a)	any 3 of: hold (to store catch) ; bait well ; engine ; fishing platform / stern platform / (fishing) deck ; navigational aids / fish finder / GPS / radio / radar ; safety equipment / examples of ;	I container unqualified	[3]
(b)	Any 8 of: induction or intake ; piston moves down ;	A points on an annotated diagram	

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Question	Expected answers	Additional guidance	Marks
	compression ; piston moves up ; fuel sprayed in (to cylinder) ;		
	power ; fuel ignites / burns ; piston (forced) down ;		
	exhaust ; <u>valve opens</u> to release, exhaust / waste gases ;		[8]
(c)	1 ref. to FAD as a floating object ;	A reference to buoy	
	2 algae / phytoplankton ;	'Floating object which establishes a food chain' gains two marks if mark points 2, 3 and 4 are not given in the answer	
	3 bait fish / small fish / juvenile fish / zooplankton ;	'An FAD establishes a food chain' gains one mark if no further qualification	
	4 (which) attract tuna / large fish ;		
	5 ref. to use as a navigational reference point (for migrating fish) ;	I navigational point for fishermen	[4]
			[4]
		Total	[15]