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EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL OF ZAMBIA

Joint Examination for the School Certificate
and General Certificate of Education Ordinary Level

BIOLOGY

5090/3

PAPER 3 Practical Test

Wednesday

30 OCTOBER 2013

Additional materials:
As listed in Instructions to Supervisors.

TIME: 1 hour 15 minutes

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces provided at the top of this page.

There are **two** questions in this paper.

Answer **both** questions.

Write your answers in the spaces provided on the question paper.

Use sharp **HB** pencils for your drawings. Coloured pencils and crayons should **not** be used.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

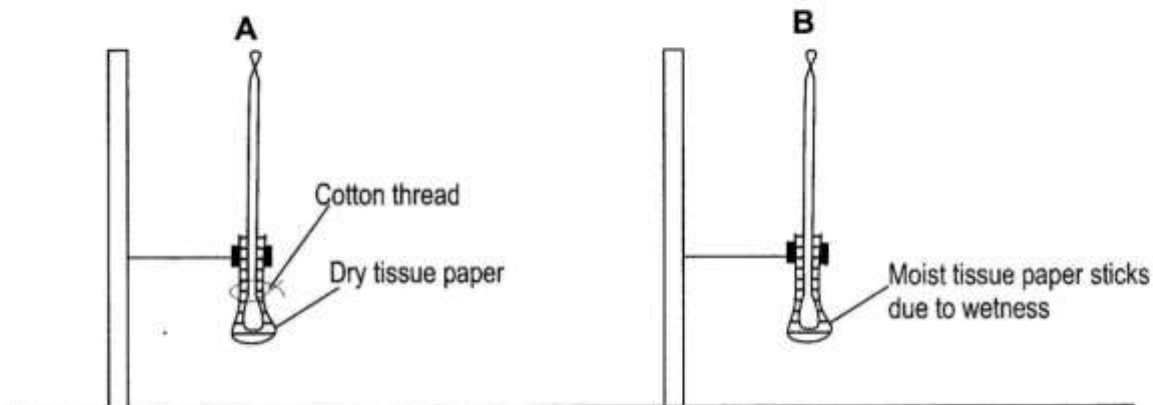
The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.

Cell phones are not allowed in the examination room.

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Answer **all** the questions.

- 1 You are provided with two thermometers **A** and **B** which have been kept at room temperature.



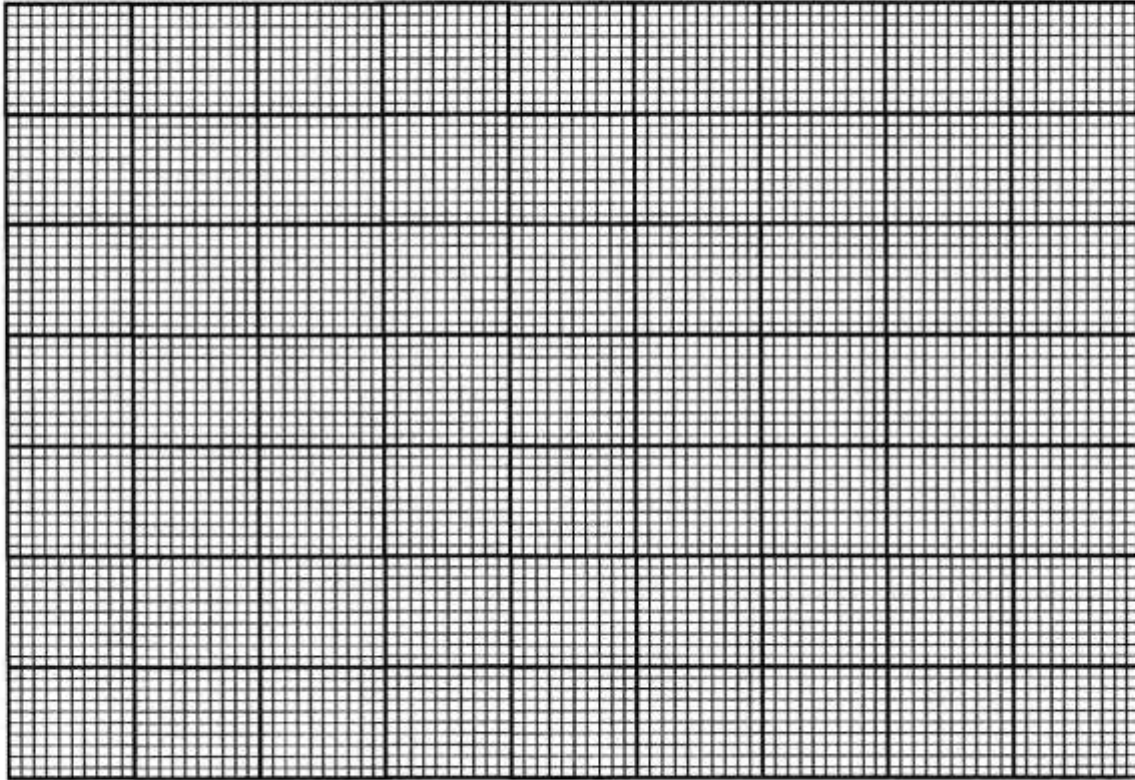
Wrap the bulb of thermometer **B** with moist tissue paper. Thermometer **A** is already wrapped for you with a similar amount of dry tissue.

- (a) Start reading the thermometer soon after wrapping the moist tissue to thermometer **B** and record temperature readings at intervals of one minute for a period of 5 minutes for each thermometer. Record the readings in table form in the space provided below.

	Thermometer A (Dry tissue)	Thermometer B (Moist tissue)
Room temperature reading		
1 st reading		
2 nd reading		
3 rd reading		
4 th reading		
5 th reading		

[5]

- (b) Draw graphs to show the relationship in temperature between the two environments of the thermometers on the same graph paper.



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- (c) Describe what happened to the temperature during the period of observation.

(i) Thermometer A.....

[1]

(ii) Thermometer B.....

[1]

- (d) State the conclusion of the experiment.

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[2]

- (e) Why does a dog hang its tongue outside the mouth under certain conditions?

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[2]

- (f) (i) Make a drawing of visible external features of specimen **X**.

[3]

- (ii) Examine one of the wings of specimen **X**. Measure the length of the wing.
Calculate the magnification of the wing, using the drawing made in (f) (i) above.

Measurement of length of wing

Magnification:

[2]

[Total 20]

(d) Make a drawing of specimen C.

[3]

Measure accurately the longest side of the specimen.

Measurement:

Calculate the magnification of the drawing.

Show your working in the space provided below.

[3]

[Total 20]

2 You are provided with Specimens **C**, **D** and **E**.

(a) What characteristic in specimens **C**, **D** and **E** shows;

(i) continuous variation?

..... [1]

(ii) discontinuous variation?

..... [1]

(b) (i) Which specimen shows co-dominance?

..... [1]

(ii) Give reasons for your answer.

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..... [1]

(c) Birds with feathers **D** and **E** were crossed. All the offsprings of the F1 generation were the colour of **E**.

Using suitable symbols show in form of a genetic diagram how this happened.

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