

Exemplar Extended Essay

EXAMINER CODE

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EXAMINER NAME:

SUBJECT: ...Biology..... SESSION : May 2004

Category and candidate number							
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General assessment criteria <i>Refer to the general criteria</i>	ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL	Comments
A research question	2	Clearly and precisely stated RQ. Well focused and therefore susceptible to treatment within the word limit.
B approach	3	Well chosen and highly appropriate within the constraints under which the candidate worked.
C analysis/interpretation	2	Thorough and appropriate graphical analysis. Some manipulation of the raw data but suitable statistical analysis omitted.
D argument/evaluation	3	The argument based on the data is clearly stated and easy to follow but is not well substantiated by reference to other work.
E conclusion	2	While it is brief, the conclusion is clear and relevant and is supported by the data.
F abstract	2	All aspects included and clearly stated
G formal presentation	3	Clearly and carefully structured essay. Good use is made of illustrative material. Clearly laid out and relevant bibliography with a thoroughly referenced text.
H holistic judgement	3	Strong evidence of most of the qualities required especially personal engagement, insight, inventiveness and flair. This is supported by the supervisor's comment.
TOTAL OUT OF 24	20	

Subject assessment criteria <i>Refer to the subject guidelines</i>	ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL	Comments
Criterion J	3	A clear understanding of the underlying biological interactions is displayed but this does not extend to the olfactory process in mosquitoes.
Criterion K	4	Well chosen and competently executed methods with clear evidence of a personal approach to their application
Criterion L	3	The limitations of the practical approach are astutely evaluated. The underlying theory on which the study is based is not critically scrutinized.
Criterion M		
TOTAL OUT OF 12	10	