

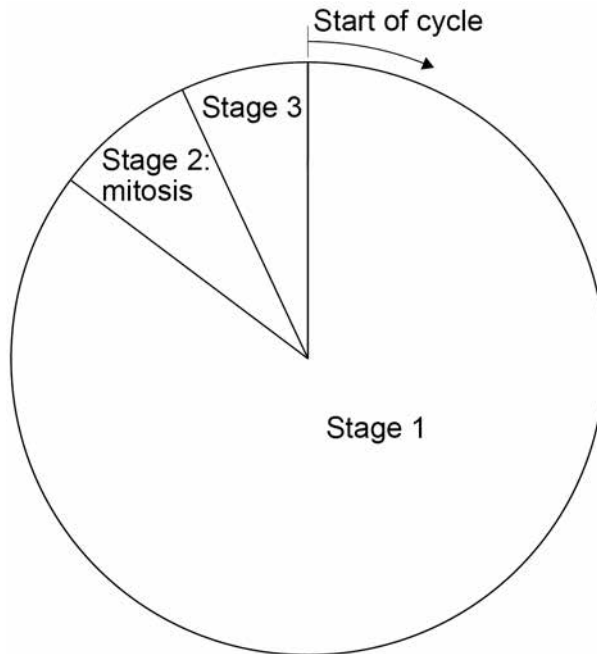
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Cells divide in a series of stages called the cell cycle.

Stage 2 of the cycle is mitosis.

Figure 10 shows a simplified cell cycle for a human body cell.

Figure 10



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Draw **one** line from each stage in the cell cycle to what happens during that stage.

[2 marks]

Stage in the cell cycle	What happens during that stage
Stage 1	Nucleus divides
Stage 2	Cell divides into two
Stage 3	Copies of the DNA are made



0 5 . 2 The mass of DNA in a human body cell at the start of the cell cycle is 6 picograms.

What mass of DNA will be in each of the new cells produced by this cell division?

[1 mark]

Tick **one** box.

3 picograms

6 picograms

9 picograms

12 picograms

0 5 . 3 Stem cells are undifferentiated cells.

Which statement about stem cells is correct?

[1 mark]

Tick **one** box.

Animal stem cells are found in meristems

Animal stem cells divide by meiosis

Meristem cells in plants can differentiate throughout the life of the plant

Meristem cells in plants can only differentiate into one type of cell

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Stem cells from human embryos can differentiate into most types of human cell.

Research is being done into the use of embryonic stem cells in medical treatments.

The long-term effects of using embryonic stem cells in patients are not well understood.

In therapeutic cloning, human embryos are produced using a donated human egg cell and a cell from the patient.

- The embryo produced contains the same genetic information as the patient.
- Stem cells are taken from the embryo and stimulated to divide to form cells the patient needs.
- The embryo is then destroyed.

0 5 . 4 Suggest **two** advantages of therapeutic cloning.

[2 marks]

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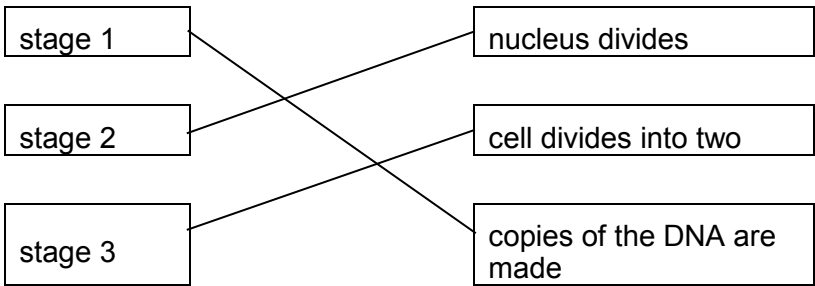
0 5 . 5 Suggest **two** disadvantages of therapeutic cloning.

[2 marks]

1 _____

2 _____



Question	Answers	Extra information	Mark	AO / Spec. Ref.
<p>05.1</p>	 <p>allow 1 mark for 1 or 2 correct</p> <p>credit can be given where students have matched the boxes correctly, for example numbering the boxes</p>		2	AO1 4.1.2.2
<p>05.2</p>	6 picograms		1	AO2 4.1.2.2
<p>05.3</p>	meristem cells in plants can differentiate throughout the life of the plant		1	AO1 4.1.2.3

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05.4	any two from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • may cure / treat diseases or cure medical conditions or produce replacement cells / tissues / organs • cells unlikely to be rejected by patient • cells / tissues of any type can be produced • many cells produced • cells produced could be used for research • would reduce waiting time for transplants 	ignore references to cost ignore all reference to producing babies / IVF allow example eg diabetes / paralysis allow cells can be stored for future use ignore used in medical treatments ignore patient makes / grows cells / tissues / organs ignore same genetic information ignore differentiated into most types of cells	2	AO3 4.1.2.3 4.1.1.4 4.6.2.4
05.5	any two from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (potential) life is killed / destroyed • shortage of donors / eggs • egg donation / collection has risks • do not yet know risks / side effects of the procedure on the patient • may transfer (viral) infection • poor success rate 	ignore references to cost ignore unethical unqualified ignore reference to religion / beliefs allow embryo is killed ignore embryo is destroyed ignore embryo is a life / becomes a baby ignore long term effects are not well understood allow may cause tumours / cancer allow in terms of viable egg / embryo / cell / tissue / organ production	2	AO3 4.1.2.3 4.1.1.4 4.6.2.4
Total			8	