## Biotechnology and genetic modification – 2021 O Level 5090

## 1. Nov/2021/Paper 11/No.40

What is an advantage of genetic engineering?

- A genes spreading to nearby organisms
- B reduced use of insecticides
- C reduction in biodiversity
- D unexpected side effects in organisms

## 2. Jun/2021/Paper\_11/No.27

Bacteria are involved in the manufacture of which product?

- A alcohol
- **B** bread
- C yoghurt
- **D** penicillin

## **3.** Jun/2021/Paper 12/No.40

Some stages in the production of human insulin are listed.

- 1 Genetically modified *E. coli* bacteria are grown in large fermenters.
- 2 The gene for human insulin is inserted into the DNA of a bacterium called *E. coli*.
- 3 The gene for human insulin is obtained from human pancreas cells.
- 4 Human insulin is extracted and purified.

What is the correct sequence of these stages?

- $\mathbf{A} \quad 3 \to 1 \to 2 \to 4$
- $\mathbf{B} \quad 4 \to 3 \to 2 \to 1$
- $\textbf{C} \quad 3 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 4 \rightarrow 1$
- $\textbf{D} \quad 3 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 4$