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FORENSIC SCIENCE

2018 LAB PRACTICAL FINAL EXAM

1. INDIVIDUAL AND CLASS EVIDENCE

Identify the three items in the tub as either individual evidence or class evidence.

item #1: _____ item #2: _____ item #3: _____

2. PROBABILITY AND CLASS EVIDENCE

A hit and run driver crashed into a parked car in an office building's parking lot. Witnesses said that the driver was a blonde female driving a blue car. There are 76 people employed in the office building. How many people in the office building would you expect to fit this description?

number of employees: 76
number of female employees: 33
number of blonde employees: 19
number of people driving a blue car: 16

answer: _____

3. HANDWRITING ANALYSIS

Examine the attached page of handwriting samples to determine which suspect is guilty of writing the ransom note.

answer: _____

4. DENSITY

Determine the density of a metal cylinder. Choose just one of the cylinder. Once you have the density, refer to the table below to identify the metal. Show your work below.

cylinder #: _____ identity of the metal: _____

METAL	DENSITY
aluminum	2.7 g/mL
brass	8.6 g/mL
copper	9.0 g/mL
gold	19.3 g/mL
lead	11.3 g/mL
silver	10.5 g/mL
steel	7.9 g/mL

5. BLOOD ALCOHOL CONTENT

Calculate the blood alcohol content for a 140-lb female who drank 48 ounces of beer labeled at 4.3%.

$$\text{BAC}_{\text{female}} = \frac{0.085 \times [\text{volume consumed}] \times [\% \text{ alcohol}]}{\text{body weight}}$$

answer: _____

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6. HAIR ANALYSIS

Choose one of the microscope stations. There are two slides at each scope—one is human and one is animal. Complete the data for the two slides.

HUMAN—SLIDE # _____

COLOR:	Be specific on color: _____		Dyed? _____	
MEDULLA: (Check all that apply.)	<input type="checkbox"/> present	<input type="checkbox"/> absent	<input type="checkbox"/> continuous	<input type="checkbox"/> interrupted
	<input type="checkbox"/> fragmented	<input type="checkbox"/> opaque	<input type="checkbox"/> translucent	
ROOT END:	<input type="checkbox"/> root present	<input type="checkbox"/> no root		
TIP END:	<input type="checkbox"/> tapered	<input type="checkbox"/> cut	<input type="checkbox"/> frayed	<input type="checkbox"/> split <input type="checkbox"/> not present

ANIMAL—SLIDE # _____

COLOR:	Be specific on color: _____
MEDULLA:	Describe the medulla's color, shape, etc. Also, draw the hair below and label the medulla.
What is the approximate medullary index? (Check one.) <input type="checkbox"/> 0-30 <input type="checkbox"/> 30-60 <input type="checkbox"/> 60-99	

7. SOIL ANALYSIS

Examine two soil samples. Describe each, including color, inclusions, etc. and determine the pH of each.

SOIL SAMPLE #	SOIL SAMPLE #
DESCRIPTION:	DESCRIPTION:
pH	

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8. BLOOD ANALYSIS

PART 1: Determine the blood types of the following suspects:

	ANTI-A SERUM	ANTI-B SERUM	ANTI-Rh SERUM	BLOOD TYPE
SUSPECT 1:	+	-	+	
SUSPECT 2:	-	-	+	
SUSPECT 3:	+	+	-	
SUSPECT 4:	-	+	-	

PART 2: Draw a circle around the area of convergence of the following bloodstains.



PART 3: Determine the angle of impact of the following blood drops.

A:



B:



angle of impact: _____

angle of impact: _____

9. FINGERPRINTING. Dust and lift a fingerprint from a slide. Place the lifted print in the box. State whether the fingerprint is an arch, loop, or whorl.



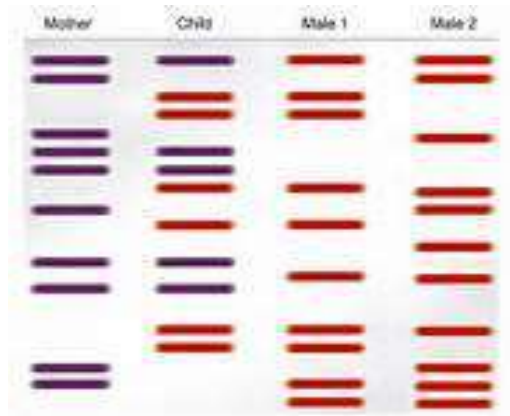
type of print: _____

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10. DNA ANALYSIS

Which of the two males below is the father of the child?

answer: _____



11: HUMAN REMAINS: HEIGHT

A humerus bone was discovered at a construction site. Estimate the height of the individual it came from.

length of bone (in cm): _____

height in cm: $4.62 \times \text{length} + 19.00 \text{ cm} =$ _____

convert height from cm to feet and inches: _____

12: HUMAN REMAINS: SEX OF SKELETON

What is the sex of the following skeletons? (Circle MALE or FEMALE below description.)

SKELETON 1	SKELETON 2	SKELETON 3
SKULL: blunt eye orbit square mandible low, slanting frontal bone	PELVIS: subpubic angle of 105°	PELVIS: pelvic cavity circular and open

MALE or FEMALE

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13. HUMAN REMAINS: TIME OF DEATH

Determine the approximate time of death of the following individuals.

A. A female body was found in a home at 3:00 p.m. with a body temperature of 93.7°F .

B. A body was found outside at 11:00 a.m. with a body temperature of 79.5°F . The outside temperature is 75°F .