

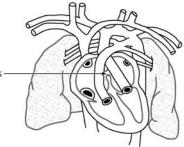
## **Circulatory System and Blood**

B. ensure adequate blood flow to the brain.C. return blood from the placenta to the heart.

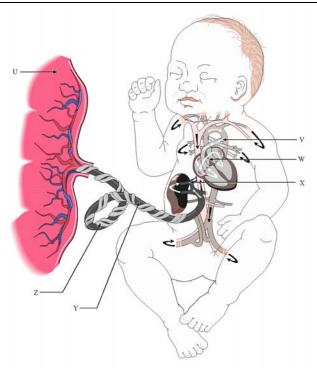
D. direct some of the blood away from the lungs.

What would be the consequences of this structure persisting after childbirth. (2 marks)

- Oxygenated blood would mix with deoxygenated blood
- Baby would appear bluish in color
- Inadequate supply of O<sub>2</sub> and child would get tired very easily







Identify the structures in the diagram below and describe one function for each. (12 marks).

The blood vessel found in adults that contains oxygen levels similar to the blood vessel labelled **Y** is the A. renal vein.

## B. pulmonary vein.

- C. pulmonary artery.
- D. hepatic portal vein.

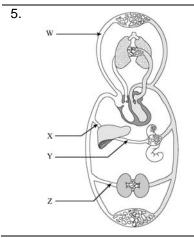
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- Placenta
- Organ that exchanges nutrient, wastes and gases between maternal blood and fetal blood
- V
- arterial duct
- Connects pulmonary artery and aorata thus diverting blood away from the lungs

W

- oval opening
- Opening between the left and right atria that diverts blood away from the lungs

- Х
- venous duct
- connects umbilical vein with vena cava and returns blood back to the heart
- umbilical vein
- Supplies fetus with nutrients and O<sub>2</sub> from the mother's blood
- Z
- umbilical artery
- takes away CO<sub>2</sub> and metabolic wastes from the fetus into the mother's blood



Identify the blood vessels in the diagram above (4 marks), and list 3 differences in the composition of blood in blood vessels X and Y (3 marks)

W Jugular (or subclavian) vein

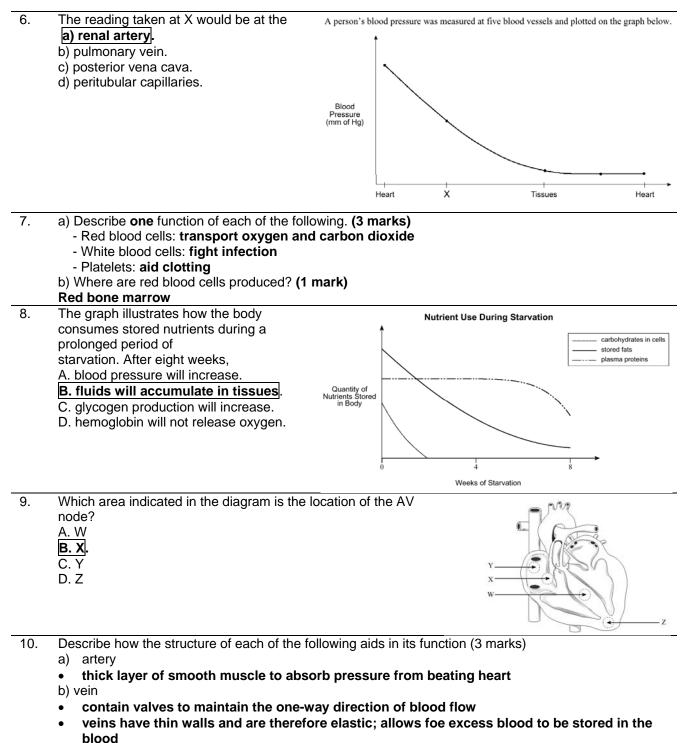
X hepatic vein

Y hepatic portal vein

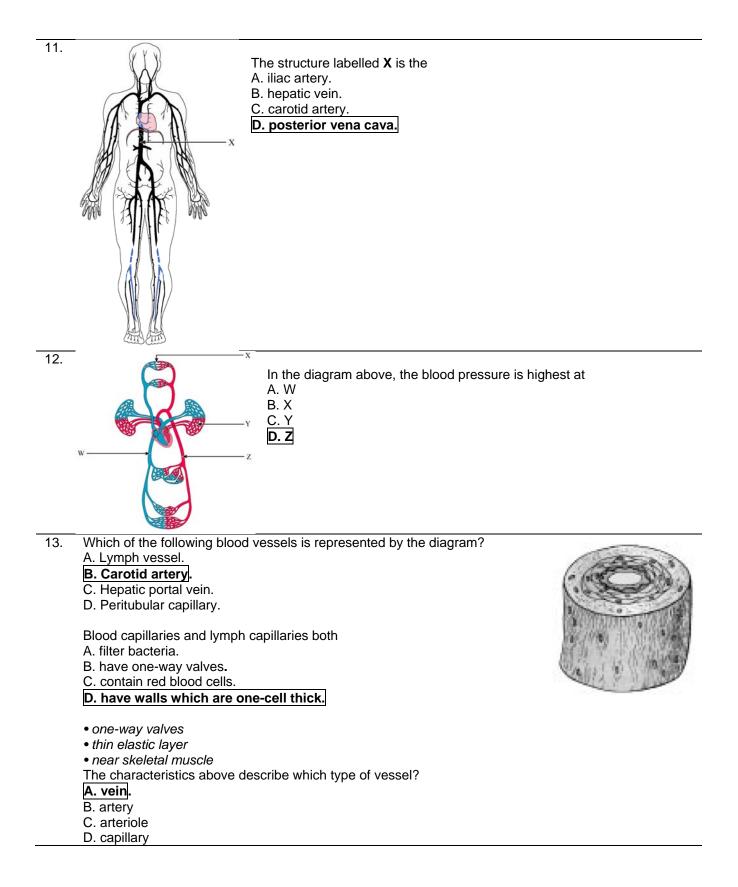
Z renal vein

## Differences

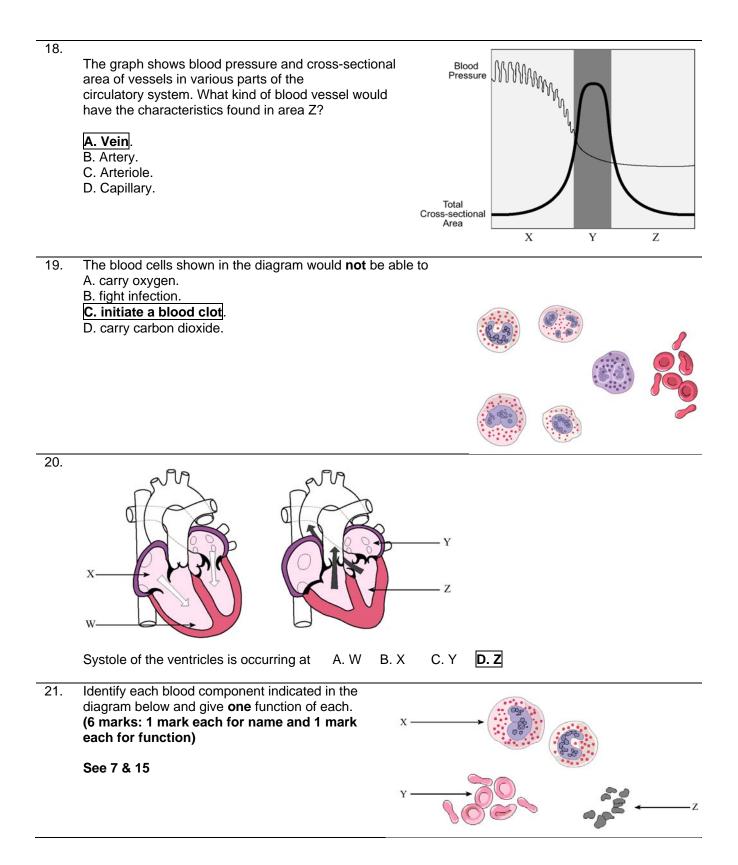
- 1) Y has greater glucose concentration
- 2) X has greater concentration of formed elements (i.e. albumin, fibrinogen, globulins)
- X has greater concentration of nitrogenous wastes (urea, uric acid)

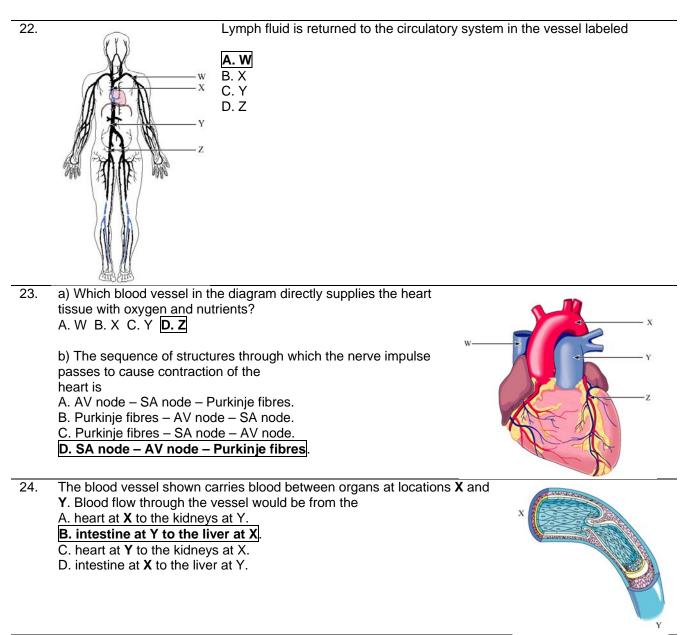


- b) capillary
- one cell thick  $\therefore$  allows for diffusion of materials in and out of cells

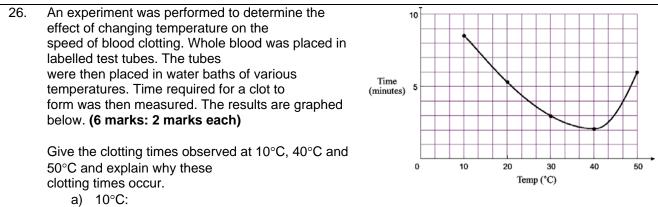


14.	Blood vessel <b>U</b> is a(n) A. vein.	BLOOD VESSEL	PRESSURE (mm of mercury)	VELOCITY (cm/sec.)
	B. artery. C. venule.	S	less than 5	15
	D. capillary.	Т	20	80
		U	10	2
		V	40	100
		marks: 1 mai red blood cel blatelet (or th	x, Y and Z and provid k for each name) (or erythrocyte) rombocyte) ell (or leukocyte)	le a function of ead
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17.	x x x x x x x	A. initiate he B. channel I C. carry blo <b>D. prevent</b>	n of the structure labell eartbeat. blood to the ventricles. <u>od to the heart muscle</u> <b>the valves from inver</b> r (superior) vena cava	ting.





25.	The chordae tendineae are indicated by the letter	No na
	A. W <b>B. X</b>	
	C. Y D. Z	W N
		X Y
		Z Z



slowest clotting rate due to low temperature; activation energy required for this chemical reaction is not easily achieved

- b) 40°C : fastest clotting rate due to optimal temperature for action of enzymes
- c) 50°C: temperature has increased and activation energy is more easily achieved but enzymes that speed up this reaction are becoming denatured
- 27. State one function of each of the following heart structures.
  - a) SA node: (1 mark)
    - initiates the impulse that causes the atria to contact
    - b) Coronary arteries: (1 mark)
    - supply oxygenated blood to the heart
    - c) Atrioventricular valves: (1 mark)
    - prevent back flow of blood between atria and ventricles when the ventricles contract
    - d) Right ventricle: (1 mark)
    - pump deoxygenated blood ffrom the heart to the lungs

28. Trace the flow of red blood cells through the heart of a mature human, naming all the valves, vessels and chambers, starting with venous blood entering the heart and arterial oxygenated blood leaving the heart. (7 marks: 1/2 mark for each item, 1/2 mark for proper sequence)

Vena cava  $\rightarrow$  right atrium  $\rightarrow$  atrioventricular (tricuspid) valve  $\rightarrow$  right ventricle  $\rightarrow$  pulmonary semilunar valve  $\rightarrow$  pulmonary trunk  $\rightarrow$  pulmonary artery  $\rightarrow$  lungs  $\rightarrow$  pulmonary veins  $\rightarrow$  left atrium  $\rightarrow$  atrioventricular (bicuspid or mitral) valve  $\rightarrow$  left ventricle  $\rightarrow$  aorta

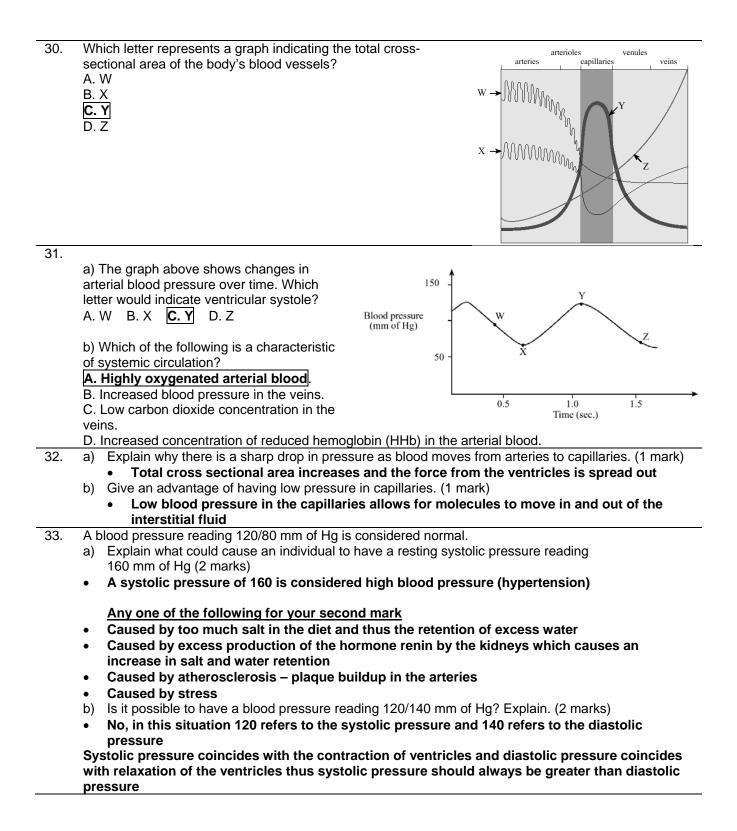
- 29. a) Explain why people with "O negative" type blood are termed universal donors, yet are limited in the blood they can receive. **(2 marks)** 
  - Type O negative lacks A, B and Rh antigens
  - Therefore antibodies made by the recipient will not have an antigen to bind to (no agglutination)

b) If an Rh negative mother has a second Rh positive child, there may be fetal erythroblastosis. i) Explain the cause of erythroblastosis. **(2 marks)** 

• During delivery of the first child the mother's immune system may have come in contact with the baby's blood and thus made Rh antibodies

• The mother's antibodies may cross the placenta and attack the child's red blood cells ii) State one way that erythroblastosis could be prevented and describe how this method works. (2 marks)

- give the mother a shot of Rh immune globulin (like an injection of antibodies) just after the birth of every child
- thus the injection will attack any of the baby's blood that has entered the mother's body and the mother's immune response will not be activated



- Certain tissues of the heart are responsible for its rhythmic contraction. Name these tissues and 34. explain how they work to regulate and co-ordinate a rhythmic contraction of the heart. (4 marks)
  - SA Node
  - Sends out an impulse every 0.85 s that initiates the heartbeat and causes the atria to contract
  - **AV Node**
  - Receives signal from SA node and passes it along to the Purkinje fibers which then causes the ventricles to contract
- 35. A person's arm was scraped. Within a few minutes, the region became inflamed. The area became reddish in colour (not due to bleeding), slightly swollen and warm to the touch. Explain the physiological cause of these symptoms. (5 marks)
  - Bradykinin is released by injured cells
  - Bradykinin causes mast cells to release histamine
  - Histamine causes localized heat, redness and the capillaries to dilate and become enlarged (swelling)
  - The dilated capillaries increase permeability of fluids thus allowing the blood to wash the wound out from pathogens

36. BODY PARTS AT REST LIGHT FAIRLY MAXIMUM mL<sup>3</sup>/min STRENUOUS EXERCISE EXERTION mL<sup>3</sup>/min mL<sup>3</sup>/min EXERCISE mL<sup>3</sup>/min Heart muscles 250 350 750 1000 skeletal muscles 1200 4500 12500 22000 kidneys 1100 900 600 250 gut 1400 1100 600 300 1900 skin 500 1500 600 750 750 750 750 brain all other regions 600 400 400 100 TOTAL 5800 9500 17500 25000

Increased temperature increases the rate of enzymes involved in the clotting function

The table above shows the blood flow for different parts of the human body, at rest during different levels of physical activity. Explain and give reasons for the figures for each of the following:

- a) kidneys (2 marks)
- during increased activity the medulla oblongata receives information about changes in blood content (i.e. CO<sub>2</sub> concentration)
- the medulla oblongata then sends a signal to the autonomic system which reduces the activity of certain internal organs like the kidney thus reducing the demand for blood by these organs

b) brain (1 mark)

- The brain needs a continuous supply of blood and oxygen but is not affected by increased activity
- c) Compare and contrast the blood flow to the heart and skeletal muscles. (3 marks)
- The heart is a muscle that is always working and therefore needs a constant supply of blood even at rest
- As activity increases heart rate increases to supply blood to all the working muscles as well as the more active heart
- At maximum exertion blood flow to the heart increases 4 times but blood flow to skeletal muscles increases by 18 times this is because the mass of skeletal muscles is that much greater than the heart and therefore require that much more blood as well as the fact that the skeletal muscles were inactive beforehand