

**AQA, OCR, Edexcel**

**GCSE Science**

# **GCSE Biology**

**Deforestation Questions**

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**Total Marks: /19**

Q1: Define what is meant by the term deforestation.

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(1 mark)

Q2: Give 2 reasons for deforestation.

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2. \_\_\_\_\_

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Q3: What effects on the level of carbon dioxide does deforestation cause?

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(1 mark)

Q4: Explain why deforestation causes the loss of mammals and give an example of a rain forest animal at risk.

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(3 marks)

Q5: What undiscovered resource could we be destroying by deforestation.

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(1 mark)

Q6: Define the term monoculture.

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Q7: Explain how peat is produced.

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Q8: Explain why the diminishing number of peat lands and peatbogs is a major environmental problem.

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(2 marks)

Q9: What is peat used for?

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(1 mark)

Q10: Explain how the UK government is trying to preserve peat and why.

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Q11: give 2 examples of other materials that can be used to produce compost without the use of peat.

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Q12: Explain what is meant by the loss of biodiversity.

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