Proteins Mark Scheme

6. C

2.	(a)	(i)	degradation (1) substrate (1)	2	
		(ii)	Prediction - (All or some) lactose would not be removed from the milk /milk would contain lactose/it would not be lactose free (1) Explanation - Enzyme/lactase	2	Not acceptable: might/may contain lactose/ milk will be the same/milk will be unchanged
			denatured OR enzyme/active site has changed shape/description of change of shape (1)		In the context of this particular question, enzyme destroyed/does not work will be acceptable Not acceptable: • enzyme/active site has changed • explanation including reference to above the optimum or above 37°C
	(b)		Speed up (chemical/biological/biochemical) reactions/allow reactions to occur at lower temperatures/lower the activation energy	1	unchanged in process does not negate. Not acceptable: Control reactions Can break down/build up
	(c)		Protein/amino acids	1	

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4.	(a)	Degradation/breakdown	1	
	(b)	1. Enzyme and substrate join/fit/bind together OR substrate joins/fits/binds with active site OR enzyme-substrate complex forms OR enzyme and substrate are	3	
		complementary/specific.	(1)	
		Reaction occurs at <u>active site</u> of the enzyme OR enzyme has an <u>active site</u> .	(1)	
		3. (Two/smaller) <u>product(s)</u> made/formed/released.	(1)	Do not award mark for point 3 if description relates to synthesis reaction.