

COMBINED SCIENCE

International General Certificate of Secondary Education

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 0653 (Combined Science) in the May/June 2009 examination.

| | maximum mark available | minimum mark required for grade: | | | |
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| | | A | C | E | F |
| Component 1 | 40 | 32 | 24 | 19 | 15 |
| Component 2 | 80 | N/A | 45 | 29 | 22 |
| Component 3 | 80 | 54 | 30 | 20 | 17 |
| Component 5 | 30 | 21 | 16 | 13 | 10 |
| Component 6 | 60 | 47 | 37 | 30 | 23 |

The threshold (minimum mark) for B is set halfway between those for Grades A and C. The threshold (minimum mark) for D is set halfway between those for Grades C and E. The threshold (minimum mark) for G is set as many marks below the F threshold as the E threshold is above it. Grade A* does not exist at the level of an individual component.

Grade Thresholds are published for all GCE A/AS and IGCSE subjects where a corresponding mark scheme is available.