



Grade thresholds – November 2024

Cambridge O Level Biology (5090)

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 5090 (Biology) in the November 2024 examination.

	Maximum raw mark available	Minimum raw mark required for grade:				
		A	B	C	D	E
Component 11	40	30	25	20	18	16
Component 12	40	30	25	20	18	16
Component 21	80	49	37	26	22	18
Component 22	80	51	41	30	26	20
Component 31	40	27	23	19	15	12
Component 32	40	29	23	18	15	13
Component 41	40	27	23	19	15	12
Component 42	40	29	23	18	14	11

Grade A* does not exist at the level of an individual component.

The overall thresholds for the different grades were set as follows.

Option	Maximum mark after weighting	Combination of components	A*	A	B	C	D	E
AX	200	11, 21, 31	159	133	107	82	70	59
AY	200	12, 22, 32	164	138	112	86	74	62
BX	200	11, 21, 41	159	133	107	82	70	59
BY	200	12, 22, 42	164	138	112	86	73	60

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