BIOLOGY

Cambridge Ordinary Level

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 5090 (Biology) in the October/November 2015 examination.

| | minimum raw mark required for grade: | | | | | | |
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| | maximum raw mark available | Α | В | С | D | E | |
| Component 11 | 40 | 28 | 23 | 19 | 16 | 14 | |
| Component 12 | 40 | 30 | 25 | 21 | 18 | 16 | |
| Component 21 | 80 | 59 | 47 | 36 | 28 | 20 | |
| Component 22 | 80 | 55 | 45 | 35 | 27 | 20 | |
| Component 31 | 40 | 29 | 24 | 20 | 17 | 13 | |
| Component 32 | 40 | 30 | 25 | 21 | 18 | 14 | |
| Component 61 | 40 | 29 | 24 | 20 | 17 | 14 | |
| Component 62 | 40 | 31 | 25 | 20 | 18 | 14 | |

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

The maximum total mark for this syllabus, after weighting has been applied, is 160.

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

| Option | Combination of Components | A* | Α | В | С | D | Е |
|--------|---------------------------|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|
| AX | 11, 21, 31 | 134 | 115 | 94 | 75 | 61 | 47 |
| AY | 12, 22, 32 | 132 | 114 | 95 | 77 | 63 | 50 |
| вх | 11, 21, 61 | 134 | 115 | 94 | 75 | 61 | 48 |
| BY | 12, 22, 62 | 132 | 115 | 95 | 76 | 63 | 50 |