

## Grade thresholds – March 2021

### Cambridge International AS & A Level Biology (9700)

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 9700 (Biology) in the March 2021 examination.

	maximum raw mark available	minimum raw mark required for grade:				
		A	B	C	D	E
Component 12	40	26	23	20	17	14
Component 22	60	36	30	25	20	14
Component 33	40	33	30	27	24	22
Component 42	100	70	61	53	45	36
Component 52	30	22	20	17	13	10

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 **260** for A Level, **130** for A2-only A Level, and **130** for AS Level.

The overall thresholds for the different grades were set as follows. Options with the suffix J, e.g. BX (BXJ), refer to A2-only options.

Option	Combination of Components	A*	A	B	C	D	E
AY	12, 22, 33, 42, 52	201	179	157	135	113	91
BYJ	42, 52	105	90	75	62	49	37
CY1	42, 52, 95	194	172	150	128	106	85
CY2	42, 52, 98	192	170	148	126	104	83
EV	42, 52, 75	209	187	165	142	119	97
S3	12, 22, 33	–	87	76	65	55	45