AGRICULTURE

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Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 0600 (Agriculture) in the October/November 2012 examination.

	maximum mark available	minimum mark required for grade:					
		A	С	Е	F		
Component 02	90	75	55	30	19		
Component 11	100	60	39	33	23		

The threshold (minimum mark) for B is normally set halfway between those for Grades A and C. The threshold (minimum mark) for D is normally set halfway between those for Grades C and E. Grade A* does not exist at the level of an individual component.

The thresholds for the syllabus are determined first by adding together the thresholds for the components taken by the candidate. A reduction may be made at the higher grades depending on the correlation of the papers. If the maximum raw marks for the components are not in the weighting/relationship specified in the syllabus, a weighting is applied to arrive at the overall thresholds. The A* threshold is calculated using the difference between A and B as a starting point.

The maximum total mark for this syllabus is 100.

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

Option	Combination of components	A *	Α	в	С	D	E	F	G
AX	02, 11	76	66	56	46	39	33	22	11

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