

GCE Chemistry – Legacy Specification

Summer 2018

Summary of Exam Grade Boundaries and Outcomes

Raw Marks

The maximum raw mark for A2 1 and A2 2 is 120.

The maximum raw mark for A2 3 is 70.

Uniform Marks

Each grade is set at the same percentage of the maximum uniform marks for all modules:

- *Grade A – 80%*
- *Grade B – 70%*
- *Grade C – 60%*
- *Grade D – 50%*
- *Grade E – 40%*

The maximum uniform mark for A2 1 and A2 2 is 120.

The maximum uniform mark for A2 3 is 60.

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Please note:	<p>The Uniform Mark boundaries will not change for the lifetime of this specification.</p> <p>The Raw Mark boundaries will be set independently in each examination series.</p> <p>If you are planning to use these Raw Mark boundaries to estimate future performance and grades they must be used with caution as they are prone to change each series.</p>
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Awarding A*:	<p>An A* grade will be awarded to candidates who have met both of the following criteria:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. gain an A grade overall at A level; and2. gain 90%, or more, of the maximum UMS on the combined totals of their A2 units. <p>The A* will be awarded for A level qualifications only. It will not be awarded at AS level or for individual units.</p>
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A2 Chemistry (Resit Cohort only)**Grade Boundaries for A2 1**

AC21		
Grade	Raw Mark	UMS
MAX	120	120
A	84	96
B	74	84
C	64	72
D	54	60
E	45	48

Grade Boundaries for A2 2

AC22		
Grade	Raw Mark	UMS
MAX	120	120
A	73	96
B	62	84
C	51	72
D	41	60
E	31	48

Grade Boundaries for A2 3 Practical

AC23		
Grade	Raw Mark	UMS
MAX	70	60
A	58	48
B	50	42
C	42	36
D	35	30
E	28	24

**Overall Subject Outcomes for A2 Chemistry – percentage of candidates
obtaining each grade and total entry shown**

Grade	Cum %
A*	2.9
A	17.1
B	75.7
C	92.9
D	98.6
E	100.0
U	100.0
Total Entries	70