



Grade thresholds – November 2023

Cambridge IGCSE™ Combined Science (0653)

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 0653 (Combined Science) in the November 2023 examination.

	Maximum raw mark available	Minimum raw mark required for grade:						
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Component 11	40	–	–	20	18	16	14	12
Component 12	40	–	–	20	18	16	14	12
Component 13	40	–	–	20	18	16	14	12
Component 21	40	27	23	19	17	15	13	11
Component 22	40	29	24	20	18	16	14	12
Component 23	40	28	24	20	18	16	14	12
Component 31	80	–	–	34	29	23	17	11
Component 32	80	–	–	35	29	22	16	10
Component 33	80	–	–	35	29	22	16	10
Component 41	80	46	35	24	20	17	14	11
Component 42	80	45	34	23	20	17	14	12
Component 43	80	48	36	24	21	18	16	14
Component 50	90	68	58	48	39	31	22	13
Component 51	40	26	22	18	15	12	9	6
Component 52	40	26	22	18	15	12	9	6
Component 61	40	26	22	18	15	12	9	6
Component 62	40	26	22	18	15	12	9	6
Component 63	40	26	22	18	15	12	9	6

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	F	G
BX	200	21, 41, 51	148	124	100	77	66	56	46	36
BY	200	22, 42, 52	151	126	101	77	67	57	48	39
CX	200	21, 41, 61	148	124	100	77	66	56	46	36

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CY	200	22, 42, 62	151	126	101	77	67	57	48	39
CZ	200	23, 43, 63	153	128	103	78	68	59	50	41
FX	200	11, 31, 51	–	–	–	91	78	65	51	37
GX	200	11, 31, 61	–	–	–	91	78	65	51	37
GY	200	12, 32, 62	–	–	–	92	78	64	50	36
GZ	200	13, 33, 63	–	–	–	92	78	64	50	36
P1	90	50	78	68	58	48	39	31	22	13