



Grade thresholds – November 2021

Cambridge International AS & A Level Geography (9696)

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 9696 (Geography) in the November 2021 examination.

	maximum raw mark available	minimum raw mark required for grade:				
		A	B	C	D	E
Component 11	60	32	28	24	21	17
Component 12	60	32	28	24	21	17
Component 13	60	32	28	24	21	17
Component 21	60	31	27	23	19	16
Component 22	60	31	27	23	19	16
Component 23	60	31	27	23	19	16
Component 31	60	30	26	23	19	15
Component 32	60	30	26	23	19	15
Component 33	60	30	26	23	19	15
Component 41	60	28	25	21	18	15
Component 42	60	28	25	21	18	15
Component 43	60	28	25	21	18	15

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 **240** for A Level, **120** for A2-only A Level, and **120** for AS Level.

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

Option	Combination of Components	A*	A	B	C	D	E
AY	12, 22, 32, 42	136	121	106	91	77	63
AZ	13, 23, 33, 43	136	121	106	91	77	63
BT	32, 42, 87	143	127	111	95	79	64
BU	33, 43, 88	143	127	111	95	79	64
BY	32, 42, 88	143	127	111	95	79	64
BYJ	32, 42	63	56	49	39	30	21
BZ	33, 43, 89	143	127	111	95	79	64
CX	31, 41, 97	140	126	112	97	82	68

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Option	Combination of Components	A*	A	B	C	D	E
CY	32, 42, 98	140	126	112	97	82	68
CZ	33, 43, 99	138	124	110	95	80	66
SX	11, 21	–	63	55	47	40	33
SY	12, 22	–	63	55	47	40	33
SZ	13, 23	–	63	55	47	40	33