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GCE Advanced Level and GCE Advanced Subsidiary Level

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 9084 (Law) in the May/June 2012 examination.

	maximum mark available	minimum mark required for grade:		
		A	B	E
Component 11	75	50	46	31
Component 12	75	50	46	31
Component 13	75	50	46	31
Component 21	50	41	37	29
Component 22	50	41	37	29
Component 23	50	36	32	22
Component 31	75	44	39	26
Component 32	75	44	39	26
Component 33	75	44	39	26
Component 41	75	45	40	27
Component 42	75	45	40	27
Component 43	75	45	40	27

The thresholds (minimum marks) for Grades C and D are normally set by dividing the mark range between the B and the E thresholds into three. For example, if the difference between the B and the E threshold is 24 marks, the C threshold is set 8 marks below the B threshold and the D threshold is set another 8 marks down. If dividing the interval by three results in a fraction of a mark, then the threshold is normally rounded down.
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.

For AS Level components, small adjustments may be made to the marks awarded for some versions of the paper in order to neutralise any differences in the difficulty of the different versions and so make sure that all candidates face an equal demand.

The maximum total mark for this syllabus is **300** for A Level and **150** for AS Level.

For this syllabus in this series the grade thresholds were as follows:

Option	Combination of components	A*	A	B	C	D	E
AX	11, 21, 31, 41	217	198	179	161	143	125
AY	12, 22, 32, 42	217	198	179	161	143	125
AZ	13, 23, 33, 43	217	198	179	161	143	125
BX	31, 41 and AS from last June	214	195	176	158	141	124
BY	32, 42 and AS from last June	214	195	176	158	141	124
BZ	33, 43 and AS from last June	214	195	176	158	141	124
CX	31, 41 and AS from last Nov.	217	199	181	161	141	121
CY	32, 42 and AS from last Nov.	217	199	181	161	141	121
CZ	33, 43 and AS from last Nov.	217	199	181	161	141	121
SX	11, 21		109	100	90	81	72
SY	12, 22		109	100	90	81	72
SZ	13, 23		109	100	90	81	72

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