

BIOLOGY (US)

Cambridge International General Certificate of Secondary Education

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 0438 (Biology (US)) in the May/June 2014 examination.

| | maximum mark available | minimum mark required for grade: | | | | | | |
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| | | A | B | C | D | E | F | G |
| Component 11 | 40 | 33 | 29 | 25 | 23 | 20 | 18 | 16 |
| Component 13 | 40 | 33 | 29 | 25 | 23 | 20 | 18 | 16 |
| Component 21 | 80 | – | – | 40 | 34 | 29 | 25 | 21 |
| Component 23 | 80 | – | – | 40 | 36 | 32 | 26 | 21 |
| Component 31 | 80 | 41 | 33 | 25 | 20 | 15 | 12 | 9 |
| Component 33 | 80 | 38 | 30 | 22 | 18 | 13 | 10 | 8 |

Grade A* does not exist at the level of an individual component.

The maximum total mark for this syllabus is **200**.

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

| Option | Combination of components | A* | A | B | C | D | E | F | G |
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| AX | 04, 11, 31 | 155 | 135 | 115 | 96 | 81 | 67 | 57 | 47 |
| AZ | 04, 13, 33 | 151 | 131 | 111 | 92 | 78 | 65 | 55 | 45 |
| EX | 04, 11, 21 | – | – | – | 113 | 99 | 85 | 73 | 61 |
| EZ | 04, 13, 23 | – | – | – | 113 | 100 | 88 | 75 | 62 |