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Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 0445 (Design and Technology) in the October/November 2013 examination.

	maximum	minimum mark required for grade:					
	mark available	Α	С	Е	F		
Component 11	50	32	24	15	12		
Component 12	50	32	24	15	12		
Component 13	50	32	24	15	12		
Component 21	50	42	33	21	16		
Component 22	50	44	34	21	17		
Component 23	50	44	34	21	17		
Component 31	50	31	26	20	17		
Component 32	50	31	24	17	11		
Component 33	50	31	24	17	11		
Component 41	50	29	22	17	12		
Component 43	50	29	22	17	12		

The threshold (minimum mark) for B is set halfway between those for Grades A and C. The threshold (minimum mark) for D is set halfway between those for Grades C and E. The threshold (minimum mark) for G is set as many marks below the F threshold as the E threshold is above it. 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.

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	В	С	D	E	F	G
AX	05, 11, 21	169	150	131	113	97	81	63	45
AY	05, 12, 22	171	152	133	114	97	81	64	47
AZ	05, 13, 23	171	152	133	114	97	81	64	47



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F 64 4 58 39 58 39 Combination of Α* Α В С D Ε Option components CX 05, 11, 31 CY 05, 12, 32 CZ 05, 13, 33 EX 05, 11, 41 EY 05, 12, 42 ΕZ 05, 13, 43 GX 11, 21, 86 GΥ 12, 22, 86 GΖ 13, 23, 86 HX11, 31, 86 12, 32, 86 HY HΖ 13, 33, 86 IX 11, 41, 86 ΙY 12, 42, 86 ΙZ 13, 43, 86

Component 86 is a component carried forward from a previous session.

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

