



**GCE Professional Business Services (S3000 & A3000)
Grade Boundaries - Summer 2024**

Unit Level Uniform and Raw Mark Boundaries													Subject Level Uniform Mark Boundaries		
Notional Unit Level Grade	SPB1		SPB2		SPB3		APB1		APB2		APB3		AS	A2	
	Introduction to Professional Business Services		Human Resource Services		Financial Decision Making		Technology in Business		Leadership & Management		Project Management Skills & Processes				
Max	Raw	UMS	Raw	UMS	Raw	UMS	Raw	UMS	Raw	UMS	Raw	UMS	Max UMS	240	600
		80	72	100	96	80	72	90	108	90	108	120			
a	63	58	90	77	62	58	78	87	75	87	110	116	A	192	480
b	54	51	78	68	53	51	70	76	66	76	97	101	B	168	420
c	45	44	67	58	44	44	62	65	57	65	84	87	C	144	360
d	37	36	56	48	36	36	55	54	49	54	70	72	D	120	300
e	29	29	45	39	28	29	48	44	41	44	56	58	E	96	240

A' Level weightings - AS units are weighted at 40% and A2 units are weighted at 60%.

The Uniform Mark boundaries do not change for the lifetime of the specification. The Raw Mark boundaries will be set independently in each examination series.

If you are planning to use these Raw Mark boundaries to estimate future performance and grades, they must be used with caution, as they change.

Awarding A* at A' Level	<p>A* grade will be awarded to candidates who achieve both of the following criteria:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. achieve grade A overall at A level (480+ UMS out of 600 UMS); and 2. achieve 90%, or more, of the maximum UMS in their A2 units (324+ UMS out of 360 UMS). <p>A* is awarded at A' Level subject level only. A* is not awarded at AS subject level or for individual units.</p>
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