

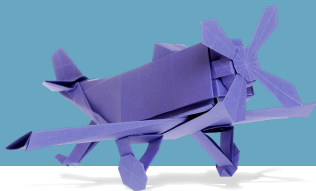


Pearson
Edexcel

AS/A level Physics

Grade Boundaries
Summary

May/June 2025 Exam
Series



Edexcel AS Physics (8PH0)

Grade Boundaries

The tables below give the lowest raw marks for the award of the stated grade.

Marks for AS Physics are out of a total of **160 marks**.

AS Physics	A	B	C	D	E
(8PH0) Physics	102	87	72	57	43

The tables below give the lowest raw marks for the award of the notional component grade* for the papers comprising the qualification. All grade boundaries shown in shaded columns are those decided by examiners; all others are nominal and decided arithmetically.

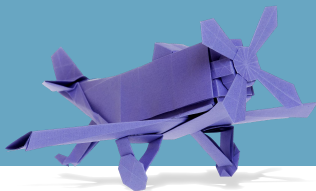
AS Physics papers are out of a total of **80 marks** each.

AS Physics (8PH0)	A	B	C	D	E
Paper 1 Core Physics I	50	42	34	27	20
Paper 2 Core Physics II	52	44	37	30	23

Provisional pass rate data

The percentage of candidates obtaining each grade at the time of grading are given below (the final figures may vary slightly from these).

AS Physics (8PH0)	A	B	C	D	E
Number of students	73	139	188	256	295
Percentage of students	21.0	39.9	54.0	73.6	84.8



Edexcel A level Physics (9PH0)

Grade Boundaries

The tables below give the lowest **raw marks** for the award of the stated grade.

Marks for A level Physics are out of a total of **300 marks**.

A level Physics	A*	A	B	C	D	E
(9PH0) Physics	227	199	169	139	109	80

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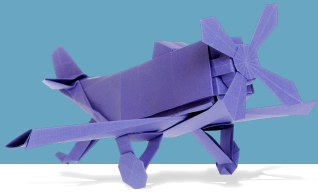
A level Physics papers 1 and 2 are out of **90 marks** and paper 3 is out of **120 marks**.

A level Physics (9PH0)	A*	A	B	C	D	E
Paper 1 Advanced Physics I	68	60	51	42	33	25
Paper 2 Advanced Physics II	68	59	50	41	33	25
Paper 3 General and Practical Principles in Physics	91	80	67	54	42	30

Provisional pass rate data

The percentage of candidates obtaining each grade at the time of grading are given below (the final figures may vary slightly from these).

A level Physics (9PH0)	A*	A	B	C	D	E
Number of students	499	1434	2513	3358	3908	4298
Percentage of students	11.0	31.6	55.4	74.0	86.2	94.8



***Understanding notional component grade boundaries**

Notional grade performance at component level plays no part in the determination of a qualification grade. Component-level grade boundaries in these linear qualifications are notional only, and do not equate to a certificated grade. When the subject grade boundaries are recommended by the senior examiners, it helps them to consider the component performance for a candidate who will achieve, say, a borderline grade A by producing a borderline grade A performance on each component. For teachers, the notional component grade boundaries can be useful as an indicator of grade performance when, for example, an examination paper is used as a future mock examination.

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