

# ECONOMICS

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## GCE Advanced Level and GCE Advanced Subsidiary Level

**Grade thresholds** taken for Syllabus 9708 (Economics) in the October/November 2008 examination.

	maximum mark available	minimum mark required for grade:		
		A	B	E
Component 1	30	24	21	14
Component 2	40	24	20	13
Component 3	30	22	20	14
Component 4	70	46	39	28

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