FURTHER MATHEMATICS

Cambridge International Advanced Level

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 9231 (Further Mathematics) in the October/November 2013 examination.

| | maximum | minimum mark required for grade: | | | | |
|-------------------|---------|----------------------------------|----|----|--|--|
| mark available | Α | В | Е | | | |
| Component 11 | 100 | 87 | 79 | 46 | | |
| Component 12 | 100 | 87 | 79 | 46 | | |
| Component 13 | 100 | 85 | 77 | 43 | | |
| Component 21 | 100 | 85 | 75 | 37 | | |
| Component 22 | 100 | 85 | 75 | 37 | | |
| Component 23 | 100 | 85 | 75 | 37 | | |

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.

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.

For this syllabus in this series the grade thresholds were as follows:

| Option | Combination of components | A * | Α | В | С | D | E |
|----------|---------------------------|------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|
| AX AY | 11, 21 12, 22 | 190 | 172 | 154 | 130 | 106 | 83 |
| AZ | 13, 23 | 188 | 170 | 152 | 128 | 104 | 80 |

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