

Percentage Uniform Marks

The majority of students who have taken Cambridge examinations receive a **percentage uniform mark (PUM)** on their **Statement of Results**. The percentage uniform marks correspond to the grades available (A*, A, B, C etc.) and give students additional information about their performance. They show students whether they are in the middle of a grade, or near either the top or the bottom. The percentage uniform mark is stated at syllabus level only. As its name suggests, the percentage uniform mark is always calculated out of 100.

The percentage uniform marks should be used by Higher Education Institutions in India for admissions purposes.

In a small number of countries, Cambridge students are not issued with percentage uniform marks. In such cases, the midpoint of the range should be used by Higher Education Admissions in India for admissions purposes.

The range for percentage uniform marks is as follows:

A Level

A* = 90–100

A = 80–89

B = 70–79

C = 60–69

D = 50–59

E = 40–49

AS Level

a = 80–100

b = 70–79

c = 60–69

d = 50–59

e = 40–49

For example, if a student has achieved the following grades but has not been issued with percentage uniform marks, the calculation would be:

A Level Mathematics	A* =	95
A Level Chemistry	A =	85
A Level Physics	B =	75
AS Level English	B =	75

Overall mark = 82.5% (330 divided by 4)