## LITERATURE IN ENGLISH

## GCE Advanced Level and GCE Advanced Subsidiary Level

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 9695 (Literature in English) in the May/June 2012 examination.

|              | maximum<br>mark<br>available | minimum mark required for grade: |    |    |  |
|--------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------|----|----|--|
|              |                              | А                                | В  | E  |  |
| Component 31 | 50                           | 33                               | 28 | 17 |  |
| Component 32 | 50                           | 33                               | 28 | 17 |  |
| Component 33 | 50                           | 33                               | 28 | 17 |  |
| Component 41 | 50                           | 31                               | 27 | 17 |  |
| Component 42 | 50                           | 31                               | 27 | 17 |  |
| Component 43 | 50                           | 31                               | 27 | 17 |  |
| Component 51 | 50                           | 40                               | 35 | 20 |  |
| Component 52 | 50                           | 40                               | 35 | 20 |  |
| Component 53 | 50                           | 40                               | 35 | 20 |  |
| Component 61 | 50                           | 39                               | 35 | 18 |  |
| Component 62 | 50                           | 39                               | 35 | 18 |  |
| Component 63 | 50                           | 39                               | 35 | 18 |  |
| Component 71 | 50                           | 40                               | 33 | 16 |  |
| Component 72 | 50                           | 40                               | 33 | 16 |  |
| Component 73 | 50                           | 40                               | 33 | 16 |  |
| Component 8  | 50                           | 44                               | 36 | 12 |  |

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 A\* does not exist at the level of an individual component.

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 A Level and 100 for AS Level.

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

| Option   | Combination of components        | <b>A</b> * | A   | В   | С   | D  | E  |
|----------|----------------------------------|------------|-----|-----|-----|----|----|
| AX<br>AY | 31, 41, 51, 61<br>32, 42, 52, 62 | 158        | 140 | 122 | 105 | 88 | 72 |

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| Option         | Combination of components                                    | <b>A</b> * | Α   | В   | С   | D  | E  |
|----------------|--|------------|-----|-----|-----|----|----|
| AZ             | 33, 43, 53, 63   | 158        | 140 | 122 | 105 | 88 | 72 |
| DX<br>DY       | 51, 61 and AS from last June<br>52, 62 and AS from last June | 159        | 141 | 123 | 106 | 89 | 73 |
| DZ             | 53, 63 and AS from last June                                 | 159        | 141 | 123 | 106 | 89 | 73 |
| EX<br>EY       | 51, 71 and AS from last June 52, 72 and AS from last June    | 163        | 142 | 121 | 104 | 87 | 71 |
| EZ             | 53, 73 and AS from last June                                 | 163        | 142 | 121 | 104 | 87 | 71 |
| FX<br>FY       | 08, 51 and AS from last June<br>08, 52 and AS from last June | 168        | 146 | 124 | 105 | 86 | 67 |
| FZ             | 08, 53 and AS from last June                                 | 168        | 146 | 124 | 105 | 86 | 67 |
| GX<br>GY       | 51, 61 and AS from last Nov<br>52, 62 and AS from last Nov   | 155        | 138 | 121 | 103 | 85 | 68 |
| GZ             | 53, 63 and AS from last Nov                                  | 155        | 138 | 121 | 103 | 85 | 68 |
| HX<br>HY       | 51, 71 and AS from last Nov<br>52, 72 and AS from last Nov   | 159        | 139 | 119 | 101 | 83 | 66 |
| HZ             | 53, 67, 73   | 159        | 139 | 119 | 101 | 83 | 66 |
| IX<br>IY       | 08, 51 and AS from last Nov<br>08, 52 and AS from last Nov   | 164        | 143 | 122 | 102 | 82 | 62 |
| IZ             | 53, 67, 08   | 164        | 143 | 122 | 102 | 82 | 62 |
| MX             | 31, 41, 51, 88   | 167        | 145 | 123 | 104 | 85 | 66 |
| MY             | 32, 42, 52, 88   | 167        | 145 | 123 | 104 | 85 | 66 |
| MZ             | 33, 43, 53, 88   | 167        | 145 | 123 | 104 | 85 | 66 |
| SX<br>SY<br>SZ | AS Level   | 67         | 63  | 54  | 47  | 40 | 34 |

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