

## Notification of Grade Profiles and Course Places for Singapore-Cambridge GCE A-level and Local Polytechnic Diploma Applicants for the Academic Year 2019/2020 NUS Undergraduate Admissions Exercise

The University provides the following notification of grade profiles and course places to enable prospective applicants to make informed choices in their application for admission to NUS undergraduate courses.

- Representative grade profiles<sup>1</sup> of the 10<sup>th</sup> and 90<sup>th</sup> percentiles of applicants offered places in AY 2018/2019 for applicants holding Singapore-Cambridge GCE A-level qualifications are shown in [Table 1](#). The grade profiles refer to the grades scored by Singapore-Cambridge A-level applicants in their three H2 and one H1 subjects. For the purpose of this notification, Grade C is assumed for both General Paper (GP) and Project Work (PW) in determining the grade profiles. Please note that certain courses may require grades higher than Grade C for GP. Please refer to [Table 1](#) for the Grade Profiles of the 10<sup>th</sup> and 90<sup>th</sup> percentiles of A-level applicants offered places for courses at NUS in AY 2018/2019.
- Representative polytechnic Grade Point Averages (GPA) of the 10<sup>th</sup> and 90<sup>th</sup> percentiles of local polytechnic applicants offered places for courses at NUS in AY 2018/2019 are shown in [Table 2](#). Please note that in addition to the Polytechnic GPA, the Singapore-Cambridge O-level results of polytechnic applicants are also taken into account for university admissions. Please refer to [Table 2](#) for the Polytechnic GPAs of the 10<sup>th</sup> and 90<sup>th</sup> percentiles of polytechnic applicants offered places for courses at NUS in AY 2018/2019.
- The number of course places taken up in NUS for AY 2018/2019 is shown in [Table 3](#). It is important to note that the number of course places changes from year to year.

Applicants seeking admission in AY 2019/2020 can expect competition to be keener for courses with more stringent grade requirements and fewer places. In using the tables below, please note the following:

- The grade profiles, GPAs and course places may vary from year to year, depending on the number and performance of applicants and the number of places available.
- Meeting the previous year's grade/GPA scores of a course does not guarantee admission to that course for AY 2019/2020.
- The grade profiles do not take into account offers that were made under Aptitude-based (Discretionary) Admissions.
- The courses marked with an asterisk (\*) are those where additional assessments such as interviews, selection tests, and portfolios are required.
- Certain courses may have specific subject requirements. Details can be found at [NUS admissions website](#).

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<sup>1</sup> These provide an indication of the grade profiles for the majority of applicants admitted in AY 2018/2019. There could be other equivalent profiles for each course. For example, a grade profile of ABC/C could be considered to be broadly equivalent to BBB/C, unless there are other pre-requisites.

For more information on the disclosure of grade profiles, please refer to our FAQ [here](#).

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**Table 1: Grade Profiles of the 10<sup>th</sup> and 90<sup>th</sup> percentiles of A-Level Applicants offered places for courses at NUS in Academic Year 2018/2019 <sup>2</sup>**

NUS Courses	Representative Grade Profile 3H2 / 1H1	
	10th percentile	90th percentile
<b>Faculty of Law</b>		
Law*	AAA/A	AAA/A
<b>School of Medicine</b>		
Medicine*	AAA/A	AAA/A
Nursing*	CCC/C	AAA/B
<b>Faculty of Dentistry</b>		
Dentistry*	AAA/A	AAA/A
<b>School of Design &amp; Environment</b>		
Architecture*	ABB/C	AAA/A
Industrial Design*	ABB/C	AAA/A
Project & Facilities Management	BCC/C	ABB/C
Real Estate	BCC/C	ABB/C
<b>Faculty of Engineering</b>		
Engineering	BCC/C	AAA/A
Biomedical Engineering	BCC/B	AAA/A
Chemical Engineering	BBC/B	AAA/A
Civil Engineering	BBC/C	AAA/A
Electrical Engineering	BCC/B	AAA/A
Environmental Engineering	BCC/B	AAA/A
Engineering Science	BBC/C	AAA/A
Industrial & Systems Engineering	BBC/C	AAA/A
Materials Science & Engineering	BCC/B	AAA/A
Mechanical Engineering	BCC/B	AAA/A
Mechanical Engineering (Aeronautical)	AAA/B	AAA/A
<b>School of Computing</b>		
Computing (Business Analytics)	AAA/B	AAA/A
Computing (Computer Science)	AAA/B	AAA/A
Computing (Information Security)	AAA/B	AAA/A
Computing (Information Systems)	AAA/C	AAA/A
<b>Faculty of Engineering &amp; School of Computing</b>		
Computer Engineering	AAB/C	AAA/A
<b>Faculty of Science</b>		
Pharmacy	AAA/A	AAA/A
Science (Pharmaceutical Science)	AAA/A	AAA/A
Science	AAB/C	AAA/A
Data Science and Analytics	AAB/C	AAA/A

<sup>2</sup> Double degree programmes are excluded from the table

NUS Courses	Representative Grade Profile 3H2 / 1H1	
	10th percentile	90th percentile
Science (Food Science and Technology)	AAA/C	AAA/A
<b>NUS Business School</b>		
Business Admin	ABB/B	AAA/A
Business Admin (Accountancy)	AAB/C	AAA/A
<b>Faculty of Arts &amp; Social Sciences</b>		
Arts & Social Sciences	BBC/B	AAA/A
Arts & Social Sciences (MT related)	BCC/B	AAA/B
<b>Environmental Studies (Faculty of Arts &amp; Social Science and Faculty of Science)</b>		
Environmental Studies	AAA/C	AAA/A

\* Courses that require interview &/or test.

**Table 2: Polytechnic GPAs of the 10<sup>th</sup> and 90<sup>th</sup> percentiles of Polytechnic Applicants offered places for courses at NUS in Academic Year 2018/2019 <sup>3</sup>**

NUS Courses	Representative Grade Profile Polytechnic GPA	
	10th percentile	90th percentile
<b>Faculty of Law</b>		
Law*	3.77	3.94
<b>School of Medicine</b>		
Medicine*	#	#
Nursing*	3.37	3.84
<b>Faculty of Dentistry</b>		
Dentistry*	#	#
<b>School of Design &amp; Environment</b>		
Architecture*	3.76	3.96
Industrial Design*	3.72	3.91
Project & Facilities Management	3.54	3.84
Real Estate	3.54	3.80
<b>Faculty of Engineering</b>		
Biomedical Engineering	3.73	3.97
Chemical Engineering	3.66	3.97
Civil Engineering	3.65	3.92
Electrical Engineering	3.69	3.95
Environmental Engineering	3.59	3.92
Engineering Science	#	#
Industrial & Systems Engineering	#	#
Materials Science & Engineering	3.74	3.99
Mechanical Engineering	3.66	3.95
<b>School of Computing</b>		
Computing (Business Analytics)	3.73	3.92
Computing (Computer Science)	3.74	3.97
Computing (Information Security)	3.76	3.96
Computing (Information Systems)	3.61	3.92
<b>Faculty of Engineering &amp; School of Computing</b>		
Computer Engineering	3.74	4.00
<b>Faculty of Science</b>		
Pharmacy	#	#
Science (Pharmaceutical Science)	#	#
Science (Chemistry)	3.84	3.99
Science (Computational Biology)	#	#
Applied Science (Food Science & Technology)	3.85	4.00
Science (Life Sciences)	3.82	3.99

<sup>3</sup> Double degrees are excluded from the table.

NUS Courses	Representative Grade Profile Polytechnic GPA	
	10th percentile	90th percentile
Science (Physics)	#	#
<b>NUS Business School</b>		
Business Admin	3.71	3.95
Business Admin (Accountancy)	3.73	3.97
<b>Faculty of Arts &amp; Social Sciences</b>		
Arts & Social Sciences	3.74	3.93
<b>Environmental Studies (Faculty of Arts &amp; Social Science and Faculty of Science)</b>		
Environmental Studies	3.74	3.92

\* Courses that require interview and test.

# No representative GPA is shown as the sample size is small.

**Table 3: Total number of NUS course places taken up in Academic Year 2018/2019 <sup>4</sup>**

<b>NUS Courses</b>	<b>Course Places</b>
<b>Faculty of Law</b>	
Law*	250
<b>School of Medicine</b>	
Medicine*	299
Nursing*	316
<b>Faculty of Dentistry</b>	
Dentistry*	60
<b>School of Design &amp; Environment</b>	
Architecture*	149
Industrial Design*	43
Project & Facilities Management	166
Real Estate	143
<b>Faculty of Engineering</b>	
Engineering	66
Biomedical Engineering	154
Chemical Engineering	258
Civil Engineering	120
Electrical Engineering	226
Environmental Engineering	38
Engineering Science	34
Industrial & Systems Engineering	76
Materials Science & Engineering	99
Mechanical Engineering	342
<b>School of Computing</b>	
Computing	806
<b>School of Computing &amp; Faculty of Engineering</b>	
Computer Engineering	174
<b>Faculty of Science</b>	
Pharmacy	170
Science	927
<b>NUS Business School</b>	
Business Admin	730
Business Admin (Accountancy)	259
<b>Faculty of Arts &amp; Social Sciences</b>	
Arts & Social Sciences	1,645
<b>Environmental Studies</b>	
Environmental Studies	48

\* Courses that require interview and test

<sup>4</sup> Double degrees are excluded from the table.