

FRENCH SCALE OF GRADING – DEFINITION

At Supméca, as in all Universities and Schools of Engineering in France, the grading scale ranks **from 0 (lowest mark) up to 20 (highest mark)**.

The assessment of the student's work by the professor is particularly based upon the assimilation of the subject knowledge, the ability to put it into practice and the quality of the presentation of the work completed.

	French scale of grading	Definition
Success	Between 16/20 and 20/20	EXCELLENT : outstanding results
	Between 14/20 and 15,99/20	VERY GOOD : results above the average with only minor shortcomings
	Between 12/20 and 13,99/20	GOOD : good overall work despite some shortcomings
	between 10/20 and 11,99/20	SATISFACTORY : the basic knowledge of the subject has been acquired by the student
	between 07/20 and 9,99/20	UNSATISFACTORY
07/20		Minimum score required to credit the subject
Failure	under 07/20	COMPLETELY UNSATISFACTORY : the knowledge of the subject acquired by the student is very insufficient

Beyond this conversion table, the ranking of the student in his class gives a more precise idea of the student's academic track-record (all the more since, in some subjects, the grading scale used by professors does not run on the entire scale, from 0 to 20).

EUROPEAN ECTS GRADING SCALE

When the group is higher than 11 students, the statistical distribution curve for each reference group is split into five segments:

Grade	%
A	Top 10%
B	Next 25%
C	Next 30%
D	Next 25%
E	Lowest 10%
F	Failure
NA	Non applicable

When the group is lower than 11 students, the ECTS Grade is deducted from the mark obtained as follows:

Grade	Mark
A	Between 16/20 and 20/20
B	Between 14/20 and 15,99/20
C	Between 12/20 and 13,99/20
D	Between 10/20 and 11,99/20
E	Between 07/20 and 9,99/20
F	under 07/20