

## Introducing the Cambridge English Scale



## Aims

- Introduce the Cambridge English Scale
- Answer your questions about the Cambridge English Scale



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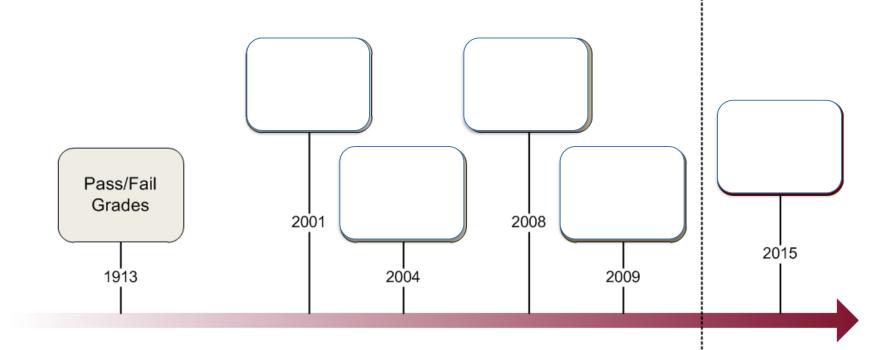


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- Preparing for the exam helps students improve their English
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- Available globally

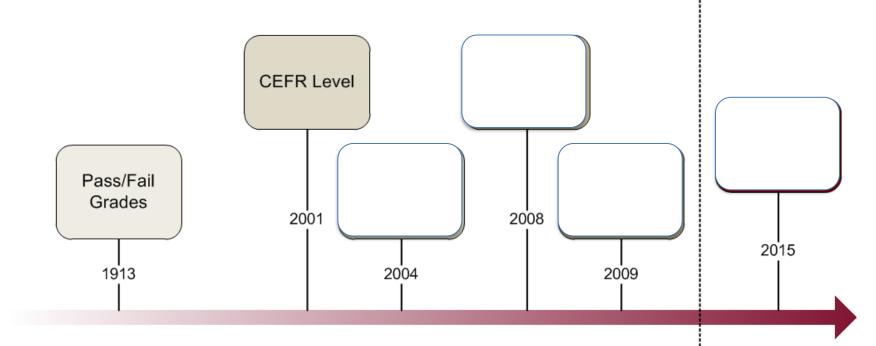


### A new approach to results

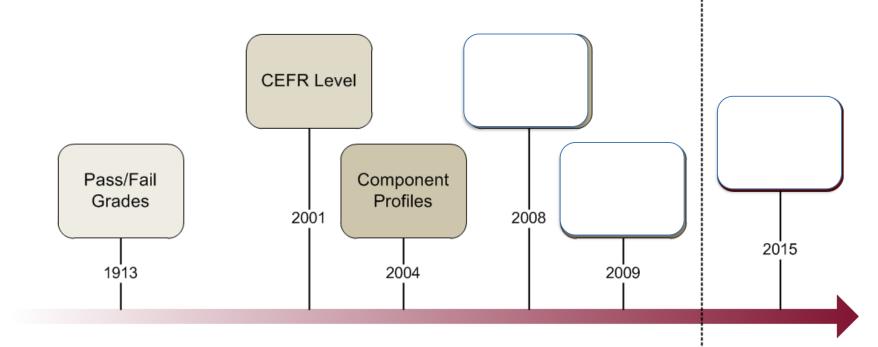






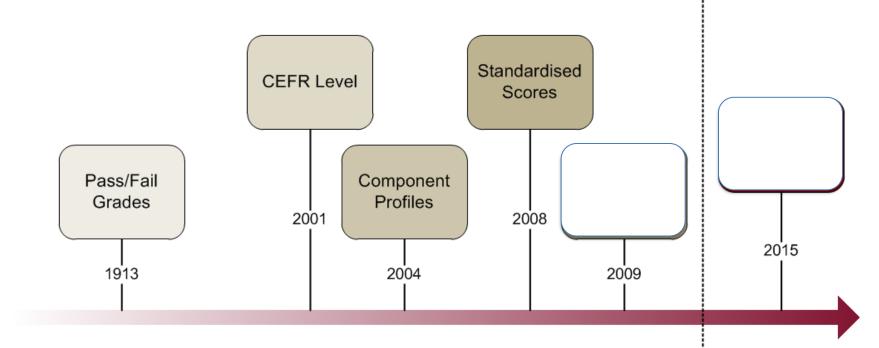




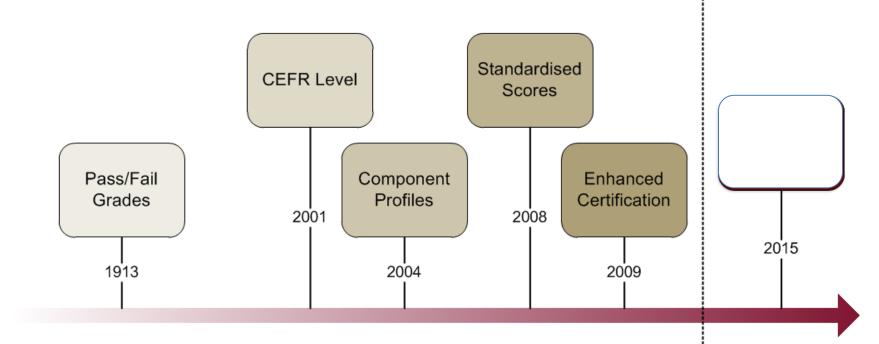


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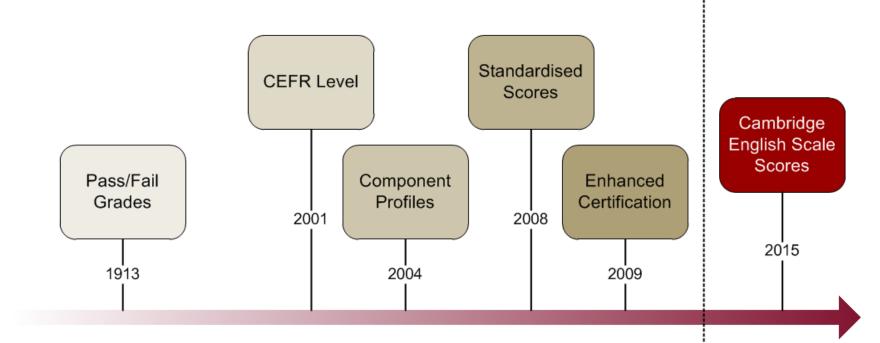






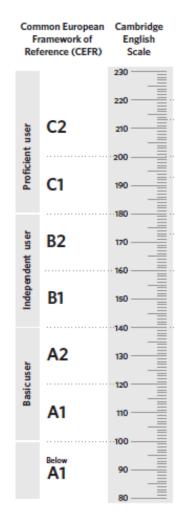
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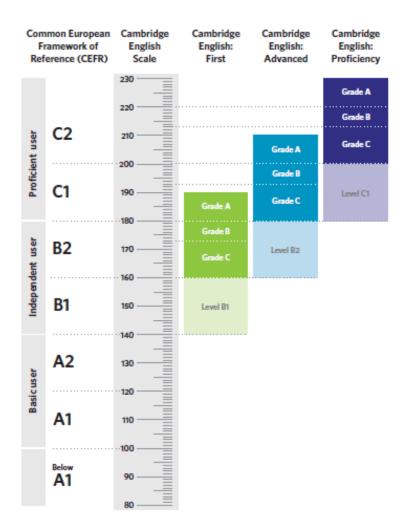




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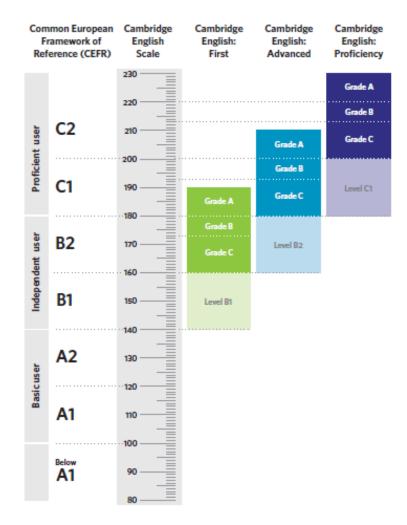






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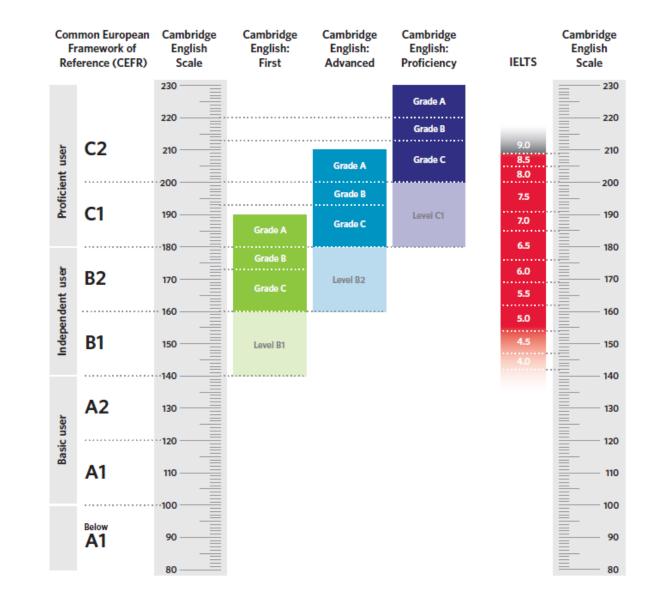
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#### **Cambridge English: Advanced example**

<b>Overall Score</b>	195
Reading	203
Use of English	186
Writing	195
Listening	194
Speaking	196

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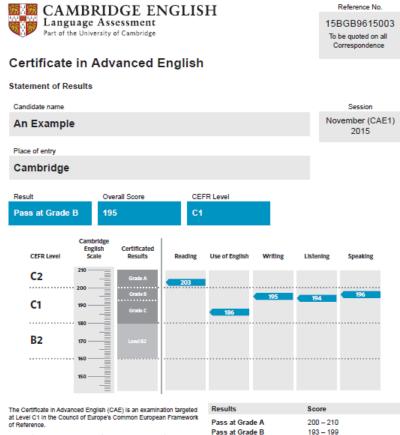


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## How does it affect me?





Candidates achieving Grade A (between 200 and 210 on the Cambridge English Scale) receive the Certificate in Advanced English stating that they have demonstrated ability a Level C2. Candidates achieving Grade B or Grade C (between 180 and 199 on the Cambridge English Scale) receive the Certificate in Advanced English at Level C1.

Candidates whose performance is below Level C1, but fails within Level B2 (between 160 and 179 on the Cambridge English Scale), receive a Cambridge English certificate stating that they have demonstrated ability at Level B2.

Cambridge English Language Assessment examination results can be quickly and securely verified online at: www.cambridgeenglish.org/verifiers

#### THIS IS NOT A CERTIFICATE

Cambridge English Language Assessment reserves the right to amend the information given before the issue of certificates to successful candidates. Candidates taking the Certificate in Advanced English scoring between 142 and 159 on the Cambridge English Scale do not receive a result, CEFR level or certificate.

180 - 192

160 - 179

Cambridge English Scale scores below 142 are not reported for the Certificate in Advanced English.

#### Other

Pass at Grade C

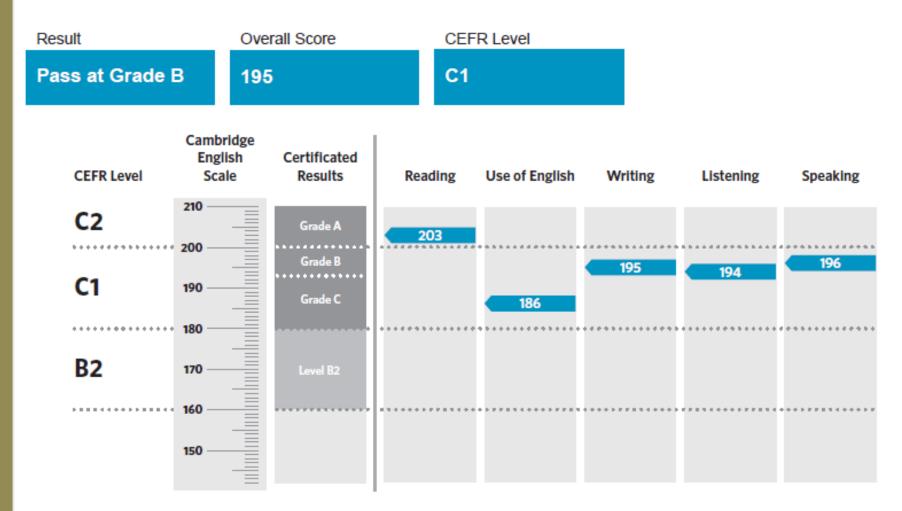
Level B2

X - the candidate was absent from part of the examination Z - the candidate was absent from all parts of the examination Pending - a result cannot be issued at present, but will follow in due course

Withheid - the candidate should contact their centre for information Exempt - the candidate was not required to sit this part of the examination



## What do results look like?



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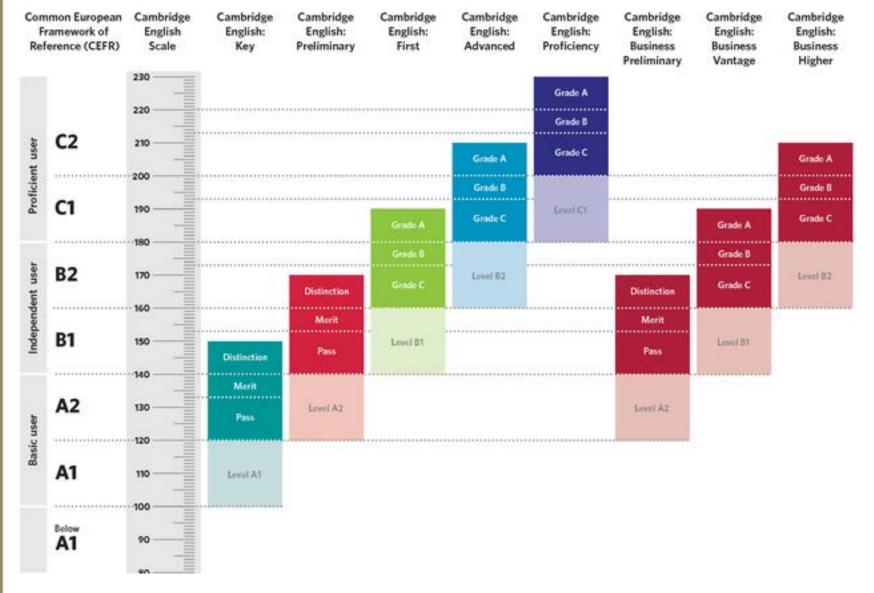
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  - Cambridge English: Business Certificates



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• Cambridge English Scale score converter



- Cambridge English Scale score converter
  - IELTS band score
  - CEFR level
  - results from an exam taken before 2015



#### Cambridge English SCALE SCORE CONVERTER

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#### www.cambridgeenglish.org/exams/cambridge-english-scale/

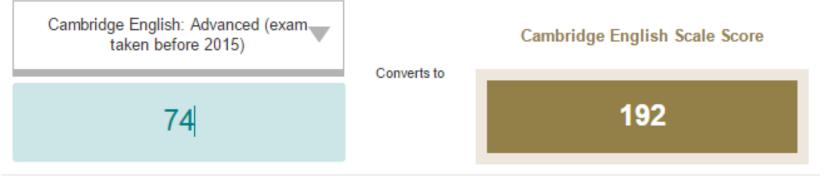


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## Summary

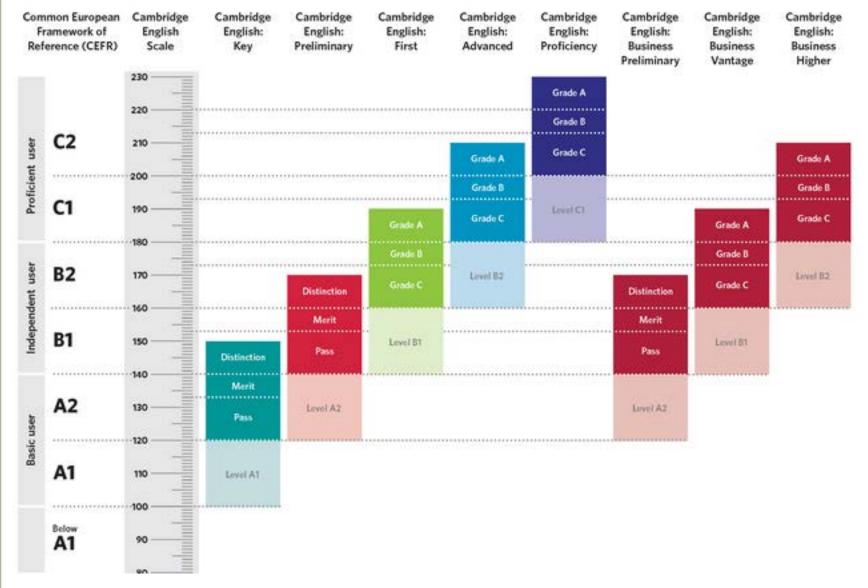
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## Summary

#### The Cambridge English Scale offers you:

- ✓ Simpler and clearer exam reporting
- ✓ Greater insight into student performance with scale scores for each exam component
- ✓ Clearer progression from one exam to the next
- ✓ Explicit link on how exams relate to each other

## Any questions?



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## **Further information**

Cambridge English: Advanced Reading & Use of English paper 23 and 25 February 2015

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