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Austria	Bachelor	1-1.4	1.5-2.4	2.5-3			Masters	bestanden=pass. mit auszeichnung bestanden=pass with distinction.		Doktoratsstudium	bestanden=pass. mit auszeichnung bestanden=pass with distinction		
	Diplomstudium/ Magister (when studied before 2002)					Refer							
Belgium	Bachelor/Licence /Licentiaat	100-80% (16+/20)	70-79% (14/20)	60-69% (12/20)			Masters(from 2004)	50% overall+pass.		Doctorat	50% overall+pass.		
Bulgaria	Bachelor (From 2001)	6	5	4	3		Masters (from 2001)	3 or above=pass		Doctorate	3 or above=pass		
	Professional Bachelor Degree (From 2003)	6	5	4	3								
	Diploma Za Zavarsheno Visshe Obrazovanie	6	5	4	3								
	Masters Degree (pre 2000)	6	5	4	3								
Croatia	Bachelor Degree/Baccalaureus	5	4	3	2		Magistar (Masters Degree)	2=Pass		Doktorat	2=Pass		
Cyprus	Bachelor /Pythio(From a recognised Higher Education Institution)		7.-8.49	6.00-6.99		Refer all others to Policy Officer who will check with Cyprus Ministry of Education and Culture ECPU list	Masters Degree (Refer Institution)	5=Pass		Didaktoriko(Doctor of Philosophy)	The grading system is numerical, from 1 to 10, to the nearest half unit. The lowest pass mark is 5.		
Czech Rep	Bakalar (from 2001)	(A) or 1-1.4	(B) or 1.5-1.9	(C) - (D) or 2.00-2.5	(E) or 2.6-3	Refer any graded pre 2004	Magistr.(Masters awarded from 2001)	3/E Sufficient		KandidatVed/Doktor/PhDr	3/E/Sufficient		
Denmark	Bachelor Degree	12	10	7	4	7 point grading system from 2006/7. Refer NARIC for previous scale	Masters/kandidat/ Candidatus/Candidata	4	7 point grading system from 2006/7. Refer NARIC for old grading scale	Magisterkonferens (Magister Artium)	4	7 point grading system from 2006/7. Refer NARIC for	
	Candidatus Philosophiae	12	10	7	4	7 point grading system from 2006/7. Refer NARIC for previous scale				Phd/doctoral/Doctorgrad	4	7 point grading system from 2006/7. Refer NARIC for	
	Professionbachelor	12	10	7	2	7 point grading system from 2006/7. Refer NARIC for old grading scale							

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Estonia	Bakalaurusekraad/Diploma (Bachelor degree)	5/A	4.9-4.00/ B	3.9-3.00/C	2/D or 1/E	Grading since 2000	Magistkraad	1/E/Sufficient	Grading since 2000	Doktorikraad	1/E/Sufficient	
Finland	Kandidaatti/Kandidat (160-180 credits) Professional titles- Ekonomi, Diplomi-insinööri, Arkkitehti, Licensiaatti (in Medicine, Dentistry & Veterinary Medicine. Proviisori	<u>3 Point System</u> -3 5 <u>Point system</u> -5	<u>3 Point System</u> -2 5 to 2+ <u>5 Point system</u> - 4.1-3.3	<u>3 Point System</u> -2 to 1.5 <u>5 Point system</u> - 3.2-2.5	1/Satisfactory (both scales)	5 point scale most often used	Masters degree/maisteri/m agister	1 (both scales)		Tohtori/doktor	1 (both scales)	
	Kandidaatti/Kandidat (120 credits)	<u>3 Point System</u> -3 5 <u>Point system</u> -5	<u>3 Point System</u> -2 5 to 2+ <u>5 Point system</u> - 4.1-3.3	<u>3 Point System</u> -2 to 1.5 <u>5 Point system</u> - 3.2-2.5		5 point scale most often used	Ylempi ammattikorkeakou lutututkinto (Ylempi AMK)/hogre yrkeshogskoleexa men	1/Satisfactory (both scales)				
	Licensiaatti/licenciat (higher academic degree in Medicine, Dentistry and Veterinary Medicine, min 200-240 credits)	<u>3 Point System</u> -3 5 <u>Point system</u> -5	<u>3 Point System</u> -2 5 to 2+ <u>5 Point system</u> - 4.1-3.3	<u>3 Point System</u> -2 to 1.5 <u>5 Point system</u> - 3.2-2.5		5 point scale most often used						
	Maisteri/magister (higher academic degree , min 160 credits/5 years) as of 1996	<u>3 Point System</u> -3 5 <u>Point system</u> -5	<u>3 Point System</u> -2 5 to 2+ <u>5 Point system</u> - 4.1-3.3	<u>3 Point System</u> -2 to 1.5 <u>5 Point system</u> - 3.2-2.5		5 point scale most often used						
	Oikeustenn kandidaatti/juris kandidat (160 credit law degree)	<u>3 Point System</u> -3 5 <u>Point system</u> -5	<u>3 Point System</u> -2 5 to 2+ <u>5 Point system</u> - 4.1-3.3	<u>3 Point System</u> -2 to 1.5 <u>5 Point system</u> - 3.2-2.5		5 point scale most often used						
	Proviisori/provisor (higher academic degree in Pharmacy, min 200 credits)	<u>3 Point System</u> -3 5 <u>Point system</u> -5	<u>3 Point System</u> -2 5 to 2+ <u>5 Point system</u> - 4.1-3.3	<u>3 Point System</u> -2 to 1.5 <u>5 Point system</u> - 3.2-2.5		5 point scale most often used						
France	Diplome d'Ingenieur/Architecte Diplome d'Etat	15	13	11	10		Diplome d'Etudes Approfondies	10/20 or passable=pass		Diplôme d'Habilitation à Diriger des Recherches	10/20 or passable+pass	
	Maitrise (last issued 2009)	15	13	11	10		Diplome d'Etudes Superieures Specialisees	10/20 or passable=pass				
	License (from 2008)	15	13	11	10		Grade de Master/Masters degree (from 2008)	10/20 or passable=pass		Doctorat	10/20 or passable=pass	
	License Professionnelle (from 2008)	15	13	11	10		Magistere (introduced in 1985)	10/20 or passable=pass				
Germany	Bachelor	1-1.5	1.6-2.5	2.6-3.5	3.6-4.00		Master	4/Ausreichend+pas s/adequate		Doktor/Doktor der Wissenschaft	4/Ausreichend+pass/adeq uate	
	Magister Artium/Diplom/Erstes Staatsexamen					Applicants to law courses only require 6.5 in the Erstes Staatsexamen-First State Examination in Law				Habilitation	4/Ausreichend+pass/adeq uate	

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Greece	Ptychio(Degree)awarded by an AEI . Refer for confirmation of acceptable institutions	8.5-10	6.5-8.49	5-6.49			Masters Degree	5/minimum pass		Doctoral diploma	5/minimum pass	
Hungary	Alapfokozat, Bachelor degree	5	4/3	2			Egyetemi Doktor	2/minimum pass		Doktor (Since 1993)	2/minimum pass	
	Egyetemi Oklevel	5	4/3	2			Mesterkepzes, Masters Degree	2/minimum pass		Kandidatus (before 1993)	2/minimum pass	
										Tudományok Doktora (before 1993)	2/minimum pass	
Iceland	Baccalaureatus degree	9-10 overall	7.25-8.99	6.00-7.24	5-5.99		Meistaraprof	5/Minimum pass		Doktorsprof	5/minimum pass	
	Kandidatsprof/Candidatus Mag	9-10 overall	7.25-8.99	6.00-7.24	5-5.99	(Grades as above but a harder degree & thus we may accept less)						
Ireland	Honours Bachelor Degree	First Class Honours	Second Class honours-Grade 1	Second Class Honours -Grade 2	Third Class Honours	Generally marked on a British Equivalency; if marked in GPA-follow US marking scheme in International Office guide. Refer NARIC if an alphabetical & numerical scheme is used.	Masters degree	Identical to UK equivalent degree		PHD	Identical to UK equivalent degree	
Italy	Diploma Accademico di Primo Livello	110	101	91	90	*For advice on calculating an overall grade, when a transcript shows individual module scores-add together individual marks, divide these by modules taken, then divide by 30, then multiply by 110	Diploma Accademico di Secondo Livello	Pass-90/110		Diploma Accademico di Formazione alla Ricerca	Pass	
	Laurea	110	101	91	90	See notes above*	Laurea Specialistica	Pass 90/100		Dottorato di Ricerca	Pass	
	Licenza di Accademia di Belle Arti	110	101	91	90	See notes above*						
	Diploma di Mediatore Linguistico	110	101	91	90	See notes above*						
Latvia	Bakalaura Diploms (Bachelor degree when awarded from 2003)	9 to 10	8	7 to 6	5		Magistra Diploms (Masters degree) (from 2000)	pass/5 or above		Doktors	pass	
	Profesionala Bakalaura Diploms (Professional Bachelor Degree)	9 to 10	8	7 to 6	5							

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Liechtenstein	Bachelor	5.6-6.00	5-5.5	4.5-4.9	4		Master(post 2006)	4/pass		Doctor of Philosophy	pass	
	Magister Philosophiae	5.6-6.00	5-5.5	4.5-4.9	4							
Lithuania	Bakalauras, Bachelor degree (awarded from 2001)	10	9	8/7	6 or below		Magistro diplomas (from 2000)	5+/pass		Daktaras	pass	2 marking schemes. Refer all marked on a 5-point scale
	Profesinis Bakalauras, Professional Bachelor degree (awarded from 2001)	10	9	8/7	6 or below							
Luxembourg	Bachelor degree from University of Luxembourg (post 2003)	18+20	16+18	14+16		Care- Grading may be in GPA						
Malta	Bachelor (Honours) degree	First Class Honours	Upper Second Class	Lower Second Class	Third Class Honours		Masters	pass		PHD/DPhil	pass	
Netherlands	Bachelor degree (from 2002)	10-9	8-7	6			Masters	pass (6 or above)		Doctorate	(pass 6 or above)	
	Doctoraal	10-9	8-7	6								
	Hoger Beroepsonderwijs (HBO)	10-9	8-7	6								
Poland	Licencjat/Inzynier Bachelor degree (post 2003)	A/5	B/4.5	C/4	D/3+		Masters	D/3+/Satisfactory =Pass		Doktor	pass	
	magister (with subject title) Before 2003 reforms	A/5	B/4.5	C/4								
Portugal	Diploma de Estudos Superiores Especializados -DESE	20-18	17-16	14-15	13-10		Masters	10=min pass mark		Doutor	10=min pass mark	
	Licenciado	20-18	17-16	14-15	13-10							

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Romania	Diploma de Inginer (Engineer)	9-10	8	7	6		Diploma de master	6 or above =Pass		Doktorat	pass	
	Diploma de Licenta (Bachelor degree)	9-10 overall	8	7	6							
Slovakia	Bakalar, Bachelor degree (awarded from 2005)	A/Excellent/1	B/Very Good/1.5	C/Good/2	D/E/Laudable/Satisfactory/2.5/3		Magister/Inzinier/Masters Degree (awarded from 2003)	D/E		PHD	Pass	
	Magister /Inzinier/Professional title (when studied before 2002)	A/Excellent/1	B/Very Good/1.5	C/Good/2	D/E/Laudable/Satisfactory/2.5/3							
Slovenia	University Diploma	10	9	8-7	6		Magister, (Masters degree from 2000)	6 (Min pass)		Doktor	6	
Spain	Titulo de Licenciado/Titulo de Ingeniero/Titulo de Arquitecto/Ingenieros Tecnicos	9	7.5	6	5	Refer if there is a different grading system	Titulo de Master	5(Min pass)		Doctorado	5 (pass)	
Sweden	Bachelor degree/Kandidatexamen	VG-Pass with distinction (Val godkand)	VG-Pass with distinction (Val godkand)	G-Pass (godkand)	G-Pass (godkand)		Magisterexamen	pass (godkand)				
	Yrkesexamen/Professional Bachelor Degree	Pass with distinction (Val godkand)	Pass with distinction (Val godkand)	G-Pass (godkand)	Pass (godkand)		Licentiatexamen	pass (godkand)	Mphil			
							Yrkesexamen (Professional Masters degree)	pass (godkand)				
							Masters degree	pass (godkand)		Doktorsexamen	pass (godkand)	
Switzerland	Bachelor Degree:		Scale 1-6(max) 5 or good overall. Scale 1-10 (max) 8 or good overall. Scale 5-1 (max)2 or good overall	Scale 1-6(max) 4.5 or fair/pass overall. Scale 1-10 (max) 6 or fair/pass overall. Scale 5-1 (max) 3or fair/pass overall		various marking schemes-care	Masters		various marking schemes-care	Doctorat (when awarded between 2 and 5 years post Llicense)		various marking schemes-care
	Diplom/Diplome/Diploma;Lizentiat/License/Licenza;Staats diplom/Diplome d'Etat/Diploma di Stato		Scale 1-6(max) 5 or good overall. Scale 1-10 (max) 8 or good overall. Scale 5-1 (max)2 or good overall	Scale 1-6(max) 4.5 or fair/pass overall. Scale 1-10 (max) 6 or fair/pass overall. Scale 5-1 (max) 3or fair/pass overall		various marking schemes-care						
	Fachhochschule Diplom (FH)/Hautes Ecoles Specialisees Diplome/Scuole Universitarie		Scale 1-6(max) 5 or good overall. Scale 1-10 (max) 8 or good overall. Scale 5-1 (max)2 or good overall	Scale 1-6(max) 4.5 or fair/pass overall. Scale 1-10 (max) 6 or fair/pass overall. Scale 5-1 (max) 3or fair/pass overall		various marking schemes-care						