

EXAMINATION RESULTS

NOTES FOR HIGHER CERTIFICATE CANDIDATES

1. The accompanying results notice shows the mark, as a percentage, gained in each module sat in the recent examination session. The pass mark for each module is 50%. PASS or FAIL is indicated for each module.
2. Module marks are "banked" without time limitation.
3. Candidates may resit any module any number of times.
4. The Royal Statistical Society Higher Certificate in Statistics will be awarded to candidates who pass six modules including modules 1, 2 3 and 4. These modules may be spread over any number of examination sessions.
5. The Higher Certificate will only be awarded once: candidates who take further modules after having already passed a relevant set of modules will be informed of their marks but no further Certificate will be issued.
6. The Higher Certificate in Statistics will be awarded with Credit to candidates who, when they are awarded the Certificate, have achieved an average mark of 65% for the six relevant modules (or, in the case of candidates who have already attempted more than six modules, as an average of the marks for the best relevant six). In calculating this average, the best mark achieved thus far for each module will be counted.
7. The Higher Certificate in Statistics will be awarded with Distinction to candidates who, when they are awarded the Certificate, have achieved an average mark of 75% for the six relevant modules (or, in the case of candidates who have already attempted more than six modules, as an average of the marks for the best relevant six). In calculating this average, the best mark achieved thus far for each module will be counted.
8. The official Pass List for each examination session is published on the StatsLife website in the autumn following the examinations.
9. The decision of the Society, based on the examiners' recommendations, is final and neither the Society nor the examiners will enter into correspondence with candidates about examination results.