

## Masaryk University ECTS Grading System

The following detailed description will help you estimate the equivalent evaluation your students would be given at your university.

At Masaryk University, the ECTS grading system is used. The number of ECTS credits for each course reflects the total number of hours a student is expected to devote to the course per week (in the form of lectures, homework, reading, essays, consultations, etc.)

At the end of the mobility, students receive a **Transcript of Records** with a digital signature indicating the grades the students received. We do not sign After the Mobility anymore, as our Transcript of Records fulfils the requirements of European Commission.

The following scale of grades used at Masaryk University is a part of every transcript of records.

1. **Courses with the type of completion „zk“** (zkouška – examination) or „kz“ (klasifikovaný zápočet – graded credit)

Grade designation	Grade	Value (former local scale)
Excellent	A	1
Very Good	B	1,5
Good	C	2
Satisfactory	D	2,5
Sufficients	E	3
Failed	F/X	4

The symbol \* and – have the same weight as the grade F and stand for “requirements not fulfilled, course not evaluated”

Grade „X“ is equal to grade „F“ corresponding to „requirements of in-term assessment or requirements stipulated during the course not fulfilled“.

2. **Courses with the type of completion „k“** (kolokvium – colloquium)

Grade designation	Grade	Recommended equivalent grade for recognition at home institution
Requirements fulfilled	P	Pass or A
Requirements not fulfilled	N	Fail or F

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3. **Courses with the type of completion „z“** (zápočet – credit)

Grade designation	Grade	Recommended equivalent grade for recognition at home institution
Requirements fulfilled	Z	Pass or A
Requirements not fulfilled	N	Fail or F

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Some universities still do not accept the ECTS grades (A – F), but require a transcript of records, where courses are evaluated by **various scales of points, marks expressed by numbers, percentage, or signs plus/minus** by the ECTS grades. It is unfortunately not possible to issue attachments with the above mentioned estimated equivalent evaluation used at your university for your students. Herewith I would like to ask you to make sure there is a **policy at your university that enables you to convert the ECTS grades** into the evaluation you use.

**FAQ:**

**Q:** My student's grade is FD (or FA, FFC,...), what does it mean?

**A:** Students of Masaryk University are entitled to 3 exam attempts for each course. The FD grade means that the student **failed the exam on the first attempt but passed on the second attempt**. The final result is therefore a D. However, the original F negatively influences the grade average.