

# Annex 2

## Examples: grade conversion



# Examples for grade conversion<sup>5</sup>:

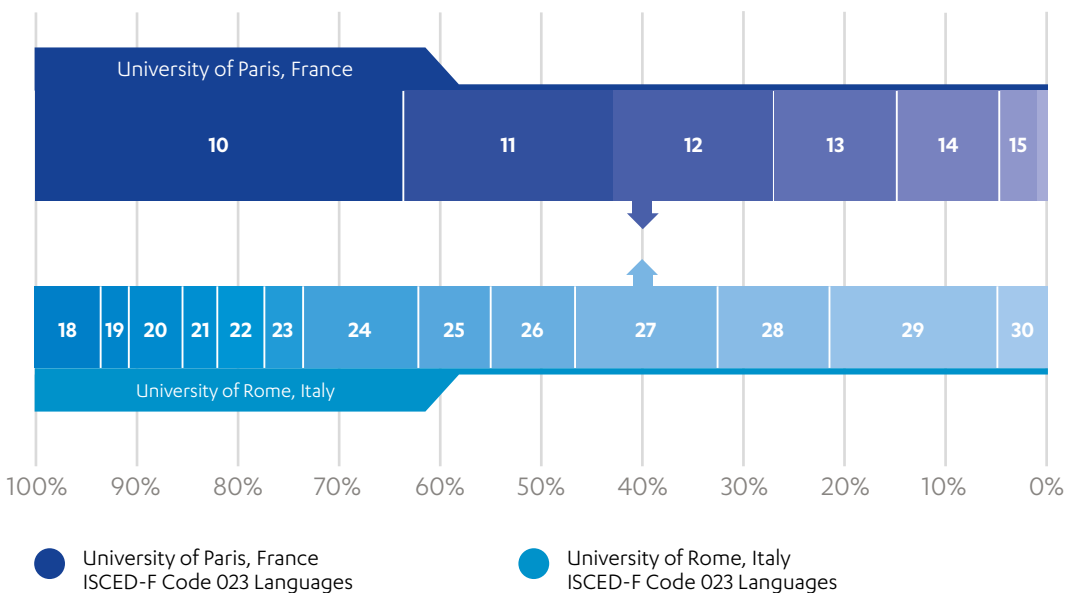
## 1 Grade conversion based on two grade distribution tables from two reference groups belonging to different national grading systems:

**Reference group A in Italy** (Passing grades ranging from 18 to 30 cum laude)

Reference group/Field of study: ISCED Code 023 Languages

**Reference group B in France** (Passing grades ranging from 10 to 20)

Reference group/Field of study: ISCED Code 023 Languages



In this case, the percentage ranges of the grades overlap. The receiving institution should have decided in advance whether they will take the minimum, average or maximum comparable grade of overlapping ranges. Therefore, if the University of Rome had decided in advance that they would use the minimum or the average, the student's grade would be 27 and if they had decided that they would use the maximum, the student's grade would be 28.

<sup>5</sup>Please refer to the ECTS Guide website for further examples added.

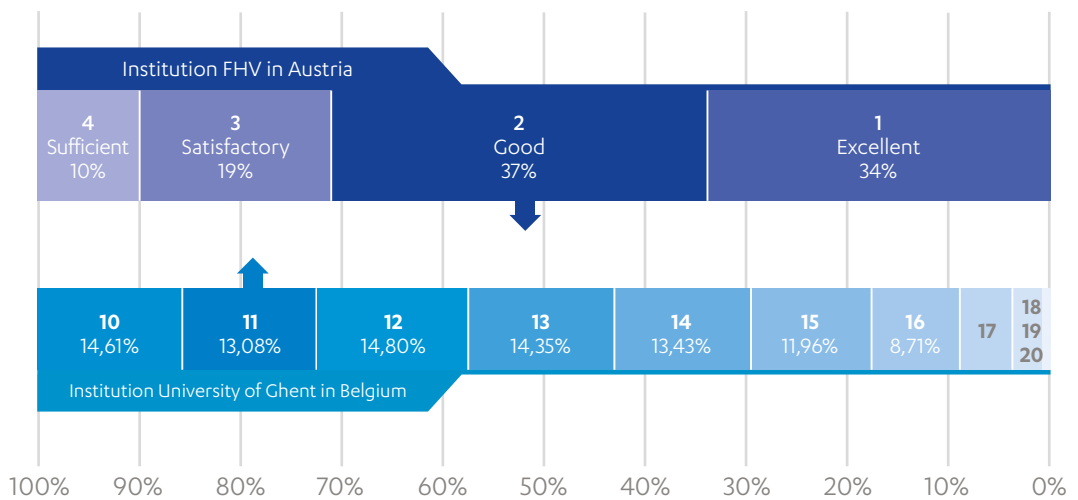
**2 Grade conversion based on two grade distribution tables from two reference groups belonging to different national grading systems:**

**Institution FHV in Austria<sup>6</sup>** (Passing grades ranging from 1 to 4)

Reference group/Field of study: ISCED Code 071 Engineering and engineering trades

**Institution University of Ghent in Belgium** (Passing grades ranging from 10 to 20)

Reference group/Field of study: ISCED Code 071 Engineering and engineering trades



● Institution FHV in Austria  
ISCED-F Code 071 Engineering and engineering trades

● Institution University of Ghent in Belgium  
ISCED-F Code 071 Engineering and engineering trades

17	5,15%	19	1,10%
18	2,55%	20	0,26%

In this example a grade 2 (Good) from the institution in Austria would be transferred into a grade 13 in the institution in Belgium. A grade 11 from the institution in Belgium would be transferred into a grade 3 (Satisfactory) in Austria. In this case both institutions have decided to use the average in case of overlapping percentage ranges.

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