

Calculating Honours grades for B Natural Resources and B Natural Resources/Urban and Regional Planning (Honours)

Core units in each degree from 2nd to final year will be used to calculate Honours grades from 2008 onwards. Elective units will not form part of the Honours calculations. Only coursework units completed at UNE will be considered for Honours Grade. The weightings for each cluster of core units are:

B NAT RES				
% weighting	12%	22%	32%	34%
Unit cluster	2 nd yr core	3 rd yr core	4 th yr core	Project

BNAT/BURP				
% weighting	12%	27%	27%	34%
Unit cluster	2 nd yr core	3 rd yr core	4 th yr core, one elective	Project

Calculating Honours

The point scoring system awarded to each grade is set out below:

Grade	Point	Total Point Score
N	-3	
P	0	
C	1	100
D	2	200
HD	3	300

To increase sensitivity for the thesis point score, ½ points will be attributed (e.g., 2.5 for > 81 but < 85).

Each unit grade is awarded a point (from -3 to 3 depending on grade), these are added per unit cluster (core units for each year), multiplied by % weighting and divided by number of units in cluster, for example:

RSNR	NR	ENVE/RSNR	RSNR 404	Weighting
421/403	411	421/402		32%
2	2	1	1	48

Honours grades will be based on a combination of total coursework and thesis point score as follows:

Honours	Coursework and thesis total point score
No Honours	< 133
H2B	133 -156
H2A	156 -180
H1	> 180
University Medal	> 230

B Nat Res Students enrolled Pre-2008 Rules

% weighting	12%	22%	32%	34%
Unit cluster	2 nd yr, 7 units	3 rd yr, 7 units	4 th yr, 4 units	Project
Unit Code	BOTY211/203 ECOL210/ECOL203 ECOL220 EM234 EM251/ZOOL203 GEOL110 SOIL220	ECON329 EM311 EM312 EM331/ECOL204 or STAT200 ENVE361/RSNR301 ENVE352 NR331	ENVE421/RSNR402 NR411 RSNR421/RSNR403 One RSNR or EM Elective	NR490

BNat/BURP Students enrolled Pre-2008 Rules

% weighting	12%	27%	27%	34%
Unit cluster	2 nd yr, 7 units	3 rd yr, 7 units	4 th yr, 4 units	Project
Unit Code	BOTY211/203 ECOL210/ECOL203 ECOL220 EM234 EM251/ZOOL203 ENVE237 SOIL220	ECON329 EM311 EM312 EM331/ECOL204 or STAT200 GEOL110 or ENVE361/RSNR301 ENVE352 NR331	ENVE421/RSNR402 NR411 RSNR421/RSNR403 One RSNR or EM Elective	NRPL405

B Nat Res Students enrolled 2008 onwards Rules

% weighting	12%	22%	32%	34%
Unit cluster	2 nd yr, 6 units	3 rd yr, 8 units	4 th yr, 4 units	Project
Unit Code	BOTY203 ECOL202 ECOL203 ECOL204 EM234 SOIL220	ECON329 EM311 EM312 EM351 EM353 ENVE352 NR331 RSNR301	NR411 RSNR402 RSNR403 RSNR404	NR490

BNat/BURP Students enrolled 2008 onwards Rules

% weighting	12%	27%	27%	34%
Unit cluster	2 nd yr, 7 units	3 rd yr, 5 units	4 th yr, 4 units	Project
Unit Code	BOTY203 ECOL202 ECOL203 ECOL204 EM234 ENVE237 SOIL220	ECON329 EM311 EM312 ENVE352 NR331	NR411 RSNR402 RSNR403 One RSNR or EM Elective	NRPL405