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OIA 066

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Tēnā koe Sam

Thank you for your request for information under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) dated 21 May 2026 in which you requested:

“Please provide the percentage mark for each student in the RESE411: Power Systems Analysis Test in Trimester 1, 2026.”

On 21 May 2026 you were advised that as the Trimester 1 period is ongoing, final grades have not been uploaded internally and you were asked to withdraw your request and resubmit after the Trimester has finished. Following this, you advised you did not wish to withdraw your request, and clarified as follows:

“I do not wish to withdraw my request at this stage. I understand that RESE411 has only 1 test during the entire trimester, and that the total number of students in the course is relatively small.

Before making this request, I carefully considered the likely workload involved. Given the small class size, I believe the request is reasonable under the OIA, and that there is a public interest in the information being made available.

To clarify, my request concerns the result of this specific test only, not the final course grade.

If, after my clarification, the University still considers my original request to involve substantial workload, please instead provide only the total number of students who received below 40/100, or below 40%, in this specific test. If the University prefers to use the grade E, please provide the total number of students who received E in this specific test, and explain what mark or percentage range E represents.”

Response to request

Please see requested information below, accurate as at 21 May 2026:

Grade	Number
A+	4
A	1
A-	3
B+	3

Grade	Number
B	4
B-	0
C+	1
C	2
C-	3
D	6
E	2

You are referred to the University's website for a description of these grades here:

<https://www.wgtn.ac.nz/students/study/progress/grades>

If you have any questions about this decision, you can contact us by email at:

oiarequests@vuw.ac.nz. You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision by contacting www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Nāku noa, nā

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