

Table 1: Results Distribution (2016-17)

Grade	A+	A	B+	B	C+	C	D	No. of exams
Preliminary	22	64	31	16	2	0	0	135
Grade 1	12	68	34	26	5	2	0	147
Grade 2	13	47	35	34	3	0	1	133
Grade 3	8	42	35	22	8	3	0	118
Grade 4	7	27	33	26	6	3	0	102
Grade 5	4	14	19	17	10	3	2	69
Grade 6	8	10	14	18	9	2	0	61
Grade 7	6	11	15	11	3	1	0	47
Grade 8	3	9	6	7	2	2	0	29
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Table 2: Summary of Comments**instances of mentions in each category, including technical work, pieces and general remarks*

KEY WORDS	Prelim	Grade 1	Grade 2	Grade 3	Grade 4	Grade 5	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8	Total
No. of exams	135	147	133	118	102	69	61	47	29	841
Left Side (L)										
Intonation	127	195	263	205	208	173	161	143	99	1574
Hand Shape	55	60	39	25	21	16	12	11	7	246
Vibrato	0	1	0	9	62	60	46	32	19	229
Shifting	0	2	15	28	20	10	11	6	9	101
Fingering	5	2	3	1	2	2	3	2	0	20
Right Side (R)										
Bowing	56	88	53	71	63	52	54	35	27	499
Tone	22	44	49	45	38	51	75	42	24	390
Bow Hold	29	33	25	24	25	20	10	8	3	177
Contact Point	31	30	27	28	13	14	19	14	0	176
Bow Stroke	0	0	7	18	5	9	12	12	9	72
String Crossing	5	2	1	4	6	5	7	6	6	42
Musicality (M)										
Tempo	22	17	36	31	29	22	33	33	20	243
Dynamics	23	44	40	40	19	14	15	11	10	216
Rhythm	24	50	26	24	23	13	14	8	12	194
Musicianship	15	4	8	12	10	19	19	15	14	116
Character	3	6	6	7	10	22	15	15	17	101
Phrasing	1	5	4	13	10	12	15	11	6	77
Ensemble	1	2	1	4	3	2	1	0	3	17
General (G)										
Posture	24	14	22	20	10	6	9	3	2	110
TW deficiency	1	10	22	14	11	19	11	6	1	95
Coordination	3	4	8	2	4	14	12	9	10	66
Nerve	5	0	5	4	4	3	3	0	3	27
Accuracy	1	5	3	0	1	2	3	1	0	16
Misc	3	5	0	1	2	1	1	1	2	16

Table 3: Summary of Comments of Technical Work Only

Key Words	Total
Left Side (L)	
Fingering	24
Hand Shape	53
Intonation	1570
Shifting	22
Right Side (R)	
Bow Hold	6
Bow Stroke	85
Bowing	211
Contact Point	16
String Crossing	5
Tone	41
Musicality (M)	
Character	2
Rhythm	49
Tempo	62
General (G)	
Accuracy	14
Coordination	7
Posture	6
Misc	10

Intonation	Scales	Arpeggios	Double Stops
Prelim	FM (18)	FM (10)	
Grade 1	CM (20) AM (30) Gm (mel) (37)	AM (14) CM (11) Gm (12)	
Grade 2	Dm(mel) (40)	DM (26) Gm (24)	
Grade 3	FM (18), Cm (mel) (15) Cm (har) (24) EbM (24)	Cm (22), FM (17), EbM (18)	
Grade 4	AM (20) Am (mel) (21) EM (17) Em (mel) (19) Em (har) (20)	AM (15) EM (11)	
Grade 5	EbM (19) Ebm (mel) (18) Cm (har) (16)	CM (15) EbV7 (15) Ebdim7 (11)	
Grade 6	Am (mel) (18) Am (har) (11) AM (13)	FM (17) Adim7 (12)	AM 6ths (3) FM 6ths (8)
Grade 7	G#m (23) AbM (13)	Dm (9)	AbM 3rds (16) DM 3rds (11) DM 8ths (12)
Grade 8	All Scales 2-5	All Arp 2-5	BbM 3rds (10) EM 6ths (9)