

Calculating your GPA

To calculate your grade point average (GPA), use the chart and the instructions provided. GPA is calculated by using the following formula:

$$\text{GPA} = \frac{\text{total grade points}}{\text{total attempted units}}$$

Instructions on how to calculate your GPA

1. Identify the courses you would like to use in a GPA calculation.
2. Using the chart below, add the grade points by locating the units and grade for each course.
3. Divide the total number of grade points by the total number of attempted units.

| 1 unit | 2 units | 3 units | | 4 units | 5 units | 6 units |
|-----------|------------|------------|----|------------|------------|------------|
| 4.0 | 8.0 | 12.0 | A | 16.0 | 20.0 | 24.0 |
| 3.7 | 7.4 | 11.1 | A- | 14.8 | 18.5 | 22.2 |
| 3.3 | 6.6 | 9.9 | B+ | 13.2 | 16.5 | 19.8 |
| 3.0 | 6.0 | 9.0 | B | 12.0 | 15.0 | 18.0 |
| 2.7 | 5.4 | 8.1 | B- | 10.8 | 13.5 | 16.2 |
| 2.3 | 4.6 | 6.9 | C+ | 9.2 | 11.5 | 13.8 |
| 2.0 | 4.0 | 6.0 | C | 8.0 | 10.0 | 12.0 |
| 1.7 | 3.4 | 5.1 | C- | 6.8 | 8.5 | 10.2 |
| 1.3 | 2.6 | 3.9 | D+ | 5.2 | 6.5 | 7.8 |
| 1.0 | 2.0 | 3.0 | D | 4.0 | 5.0 | 6.0 |
| 0.7 | 1.4 | 2.1 | D- | 2.8 | 3.5 | 4.2 |
| 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | F | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |

Example

| Term Study List | Units | Grade | Grade Points |
|-----------------|---------|-------|--------------|
| Phy Sci 111A | 6 units | B+ | 19.8 |
| Life Science 4 | 5 units | A- | 18.5 |
| Ethnomu 91J | 2 units | F | 0.0 |
| | 13 | | 38.3 |

$$\text{GPA} = \frac{38.3 \text{ grade points}}{13 \text{ units}} = 2.946$$

How to calculate your cumulative GPA based on possible grades

Use the GPA Calculator on MyUCLA or use the formula below.

$$\text{GPA} = \frac{\text{expected grade points for the term} + \text{grade points}^*}{\text{expected units for the term} + \text{units attempted}^*}$$

*Found on DARS under "University of California Units & GPA" OR on DPR following the list of completed UCLA coursework under "Univ Calif Cumulative".