

R.10 Gracing of Marks

- 1) Benefit of grace marks shall not be a right of the examinees.
- 2) The benefit of grace marks shall be given to a student to pass the examination or to avail the provision of ATKT only.
- 3) Before declaring the result of any examination, the examination committee shall meet and decide the total number of grace marks to be awarded, if any. In case the committee decides to award grace marks, it shall be in accordance with the point no. 8 below.
- 4) The concession of Grace Marks should be given as a facility in difficulty for a small fraction of students and not as a liberal provision for a majority. Hence, the examination committee should use the provision of gracing very judiciously.
- 5) The benefit of grace marks may be given to the combined heads of passing.
- 6) The examination committee may investigate a case where the number of students failing in a subject/s is/are high (more than 30%). In such a case, the committee should record the case, with observations in detail and appropriate recommendations, and forward the report to the Dean (Academic Programmes). The Vice-Chancellor, Dean (Academic Programmes) and the Controller of Examinations shall discuss the report and the decision of the committee may be implemented.
- 7) If the examination committee notes that the marks awarded in a particular subject are unusually high, the procedure given in (6) above may be adopted.
- 8) If a candidate, who has appeared at a semester examination either in all subjects or in compartments as allowed by the Regulations, and is failing in one or more heads of passing, the examination committee may decide suitable total number of marks to be awarded in one or more heads of passing, based on the overall result of the examination; provided not more than **0.5 times the total no. of credits in that semester**. The maximum number of grace marks in a particular subject should not exceed **2 times the number of credits allotted to that subject head**.
- 9) The candidates whose failures have been condoned under the provisions of (8) shall be eligible for class in the same way as other successful candidates.
- 10) For the purpose of granting any grace marks, a fraction of half or more than half shall be computed as one.