Exam Development Timeline

Note: Specific dates are determined by TASC each year

Critic Meeting

TASC
Schedules the Critic Meeting to occur in June or July.

TASC
Confirms and announces the meeting date in May.

Final Draft

TASC
Prepares final exam draft accordingly. Forwards updated exam to Setting Examiners for approval.

Setting Examiners
Review & approve final draft. Return exam to TASC for final Executive Officer approval.

Printing

TASC
Exam papers printed ready for distribution to exam centres (copy for each candidate).

APRIL	MAY - JULY	MAY - JULY	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER

First Draft

Setting Examiners
Provide first exam draft to TASC.

TASC
Provides first draft to Exam Critics for review.

Exam Critics
Complete *Critique of Exam Paper – First draft* and return to TASC with all additional documentation.

Second Draft
(Following the Critic Meeting)

TASC
Provides second exam draft to Setting Examiners & Exam Critics.

**Setting Examiners
Exam Critics**
Review second draft & return it to TASC along with solutions / marking guide / assessment matrix / marking rubric or tool / estimated marking time.

Must be returned within 2 weeks of receipt, and no later than the third week in July.

Final Review

TASC
Provides electronic copy of the exam to the printers.

**TASC &
Setting Examiners**
Review the printers proof copy of the exam.

If required, changes made for new proof.

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