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# Grading Criteria

*for used Smartphones* @2025

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# Grade: AA+

**Light Wear cosmetics, fully functional, 100% battery health**

**Minimal sign of use**
- No dents, cracks, or chips
- No scratches in camera lens
- No missing pixel dots
- No LCD burn-in

Fully functional device, having passed all functional tests,No unknown parts and battery message

All OEM locks disabled

100% battery health (iOS only)

All consumer data has been professionally deleted

# Grade: A+

**Light wear-and-tear cosmetics, fully functional, 80% and up battery health**

**Minimal wear and tear**
- No cracks or chips
- No scratches in camera lens
- No missing pixel dots
- No LCD burn-in

Fully functional device, having passed all functional tests, No unknown parts and battery message

All carrier, management and iCloud locks disabled

80% or greater battery health (iOS only)

All consumer data has been professionally deleted

# Grade: AB+

**Normal wear-and-tear cosmetics, fully functional, 100% battery health**

## Normal wear and tear

- No cracks or chips
- Light dents possible, no frame damage
- Light scratches in camera possible (no impa camera function)
- Two or less missing pixels
- Minor discoloration/delamination in LCD possible

Fully functional device, having

passed all functional tests,No unknown parts an battery message

All carrier, management and iCloud locks disabled

100% battery health (iOS only)

All consumer data has been professionally deleted

# Grade: B+

## Normal wear-and-tear cosmetics, fully functional, 80% and up battery health

**Normal wear and tear**
- No cracks or chips
- Light dents possible, no frame damage
- Light scratches in camera possible (no impact to camera function)
- Two or less missing pixels
- Minor discoloration/delamination in LCD possible

Fully functional device, having passed all functional tests, No unknown parts and battery message

All carrier, management and iCloud locks disabled

80% and up battery health (iOS only)

All consumer data has been professionally deleted

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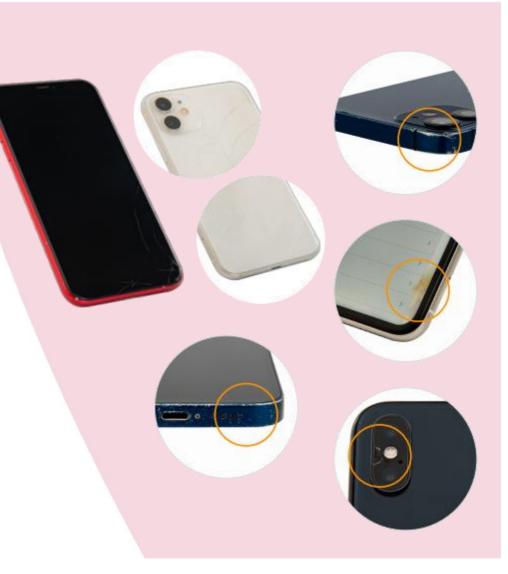# Grade: C

## Heavy wear-and-tear cosmetics, minimally tested

⚠ Mayshow one or more signs of heavy wear

- No cracks on front or back glass
- Heavy scratches, and dents
- Unauthorized modifcation
- Major dents, warp
- Cracks/chips in camera

- Missing pixel dots (three or more white spots/one or more black spots/same level of LCD defect)
- LCD burn-in

⊗ Possible defects among below functions:
- Button, Wi-Fi, Bluetooth, NFC, sounds, mic, vibration, Face ID, ports, missing parts like sim-tray or screws

🔒 All OEM locks disabled

🗑 All consumer data has been professionally deleted

# Stock grades functional testing: mobile devices

Here's the list of functional testing performed and the minimum thresholds needed to be met for each grade.

| Attribute | AA+<br>Highest quality as pre-owned | A+<br>High-quality devices with minimal wear and tear | AB+<br>Fine-quality devices with light wear and tear | B+<br>Japan's standard quality with normal wear and tear | C<br>Damaged cosmetics, only key functionality tested |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Data cleared | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ |
| Account unlocked | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ |
| SIM unlocked | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ |
| Device powers on | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ |
| Device charges | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ |
| LCD function | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ |
| Missing pixels (white spots) | 0 | 0 | 2 or less | 2 or less | 3 or more possible |
| Wi-Fi connectivity | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | - |
| Rear picture/camera/video operational | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | - |
| Speaker and microphone function | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | - |
| Exterior buttons function (home, volume, mute, power, etc.) operational | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | - |
| No major nav bar/major menu burn-in | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | - |
| No major bruising or major burn-in present | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | - |
| No major delamination present on main display area or screen borders | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | - |
| Backlight function | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | - |
| Proximity sensor function | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | - |
| Vibrator function | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | - |
| Bluetooth function | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | - |
| GPS function | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | - |
| LDI function | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | - |
| Front picture/camera/video operational | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | - |
| Fingerprint/facial recognition function | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | ✔ | - |
| Battery health (iOS only) | 100% | 80%+ | 100% | 80%+ | - |