Leaving cert points: do the math?

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Abstract: In this talk, we'll give a quick summary of how the leaving cert and points system work. Then we'll look at Leaving Cert results from 2002-2016, considering them in the light that many students will be making choices to maximise their points. We'll consider what this says about the relative uptake between maths and its neighbours English and Irish.