



Thesis defense guideline

In view of the COVID-19 situation, MTech theses may be defended online. This is a temporary measure being put in place until in-person defense becomes feasible. Please note the following:

As per previously approved norms, there should be a gap of at least 6 days between the date of thesis submission and date of thesis defense.

The supervisor should make a formal announcement of the thesis defense to all relevant stakeholders (with a copy to academics@iitgn.ac.in) on the day of thesis submission by the student (thus automatically ensuring a gap of 6 days between the announcement and defense date). The link for participating in the seminar should be shared in the announcement email.

If a committee member's remote connection fails and he/she is not able to reconnect, a separate interaction session with that member may be scheduled at a later time.

Recording of the MTech thesis defense is not necessary.

The thesis examination report is expected to have the original signatures of the committee members. In case any member is unable to sign the report physically, he/she may endorse the thesis submission over email. You are required to attach copies of such email approvals with the thesis examination report.

Procedure for final thesis submission after defense

Submit ONE hardbound copy (signed by the supervisor) to the Library.

Send the final PDF of the thesis to librarian@iitgn.ac.in, with a copy to your supervisor, mtechthesis@iitgn.ac.in and academics@iitgn.ac.in. Please keep the subject of the email as "Final M.Tech. Thesis (Roll No.: <Your Roll No>)". Please make sure that the contents are hyperlinked for quick navigation. It would be nice if you could hyperlink the references also.