Deliverable 1 - Marking Scheme

Sections	Marks
1. Name & ID of your group members	0.25
2. Introduction & objective (1 paragraph) • Introduce your topic(s) – you can have up to 5 ideas here, you can ask me for help if you need help to decide which idea is best (try to give a few references) • Explain to the reader the objective of the paper and why this topic is important (eg. give the reader sufficient motivation to keep reading) • Say what 4 countries you will analyze (low-income, lower-middle-income, middle-income, high-income)	2.00
3. Proposed model • Briefly explain your model (give a few references) • $Y = a + b_1 \cdot x_1 + \ldots b_n \cdot x_n + \varepsilon$ where Y is the dependent variable, x's are your independent variables that effect Y, and ε is the error term • For instance, if Y is GDP per person within a country, then one of the x variables could be average adult education (in years of education) • You want to see how education affects GDP per person in each of the 4 countries you choose • Modeling the diffusion process (use statistical techniques that you think are appropriate for a 4th year engineering student)	2.50
4. References	0.25
Total Marks	**5.00**