

Marking prompts for final year undergraduate projects

Quality of the report

- Is the problem clearly formulated?
- Is the topic covered accurately and in sufficient depth?
- Are the key design and implementation decisions clearly described and justified?
- Has all work undertaken been carefully and critically evaluated?
- Is it fluently written?
- Well organised with appropriate sections, figures, tables etc?
- Are references correctly used?
- Are there appendices or other evidence of technical achievement?

Technical contribution

- Is the contribution of the required depth?
- Are the methods used fit for purpose and have they been implemented rigorously?
- Is what has been produced stable and robust?

Quality of Process

- Was the problem well-researched and has existing work been carefully analysed?
- Is there clear evidence of systematic specification and design?
- Evidence of systematic implementation and testing?

Substantialness of Achievement

- Has sufficient work been conducted for the level/credit value of the project?
- Is that work of sufficient complexity?
- Does the project demonstrate thoroughness and attention to detail?
- Does this project demonstrate flair, imagination or original thinking?