

Weighting %:	70%	Submission deadline (for students):	04-09-2025 at 16.59 UK local time
Authorship:	Individual	Target date for supervisors to return marked coursework to ML	FPR marking and the final project demos should be completed and sent to the module leader before the end of the working day of 19th September 2025
Tutor setting the work:	Dr Myasar Tabany	Number of hours you are expected to work on this assignment:	300 (600 including the IPR)

This Assignment assesses the following module Learning Outcomes (from Definitive Module Document):

- [7COM1038: Software Engineering Masters Project](#) ↓ t
- [7COM1039: Advanced Computer Science Masters Project](#) ↓
- [7COM1040: Computer Science Masters Project](#) ↓
- [7COM1070: Cyber Security Masters Project](#) ↓
- [7COM1075: Data Science and Analytics Masters Project](#) ↓
- [7COM1077: Computer Networks and Systems Security Masters Project](#) ↓
- [7COM1086: Artificial Intelligence and Robotics Masters Project](#) ↓

Assignment Tasks:

You should have done about 600 hours of effort by the time you submit your project report. This assignment is worth 70% of the overall assessment for the module; the 300 hours of effort quoted relates primarily to the collation, writing and editing of the report and supporting documents, and the preparation and time were given to a demonstration and face to face discussion of your work with your assessors.

You should be aware from the outset that the report and your explanation of your work is the primary evidence used in the assessment, and it is the assessment of your abilities to conduct and deliver a project that is key. Any software product or model or artefact that you may have produced during your project is not the main focus of the assessment. In an extreme case, a student that submits a

well-crafted piece of work, but fails to submit a report into how it was produced, will fail. The project module is about assessing your abilities as a student in your discipline area.

As a guide, taken together, the report should be about **10,000** words in length. The bibliography and appendices are not included in the word length.

You need to include your student ID number, name and your supervisor's name on the first page of your report.

IMPORTANT: Please TYPE the following Declaration to your final report:

MSc Final Project Declaration ↓

You could change the format/layout to suit your report but please place it before the **Contents** page

You need to include your student ID number, name and your supervisor's name on the first page of your report.

Templates to work from:

latex_template.zip ↓

Template.docx ↓

Submission Requirements:

- **FPR Submission (to Canvas) deadline: Thursday 4th September 2025 at 16.59 UK local time**
- **Artefact Submission (to Canvas) deadline: Thursday 4th September 2025 at 16.59 UK local time**

When you are ready to submit your report, convert it (and any accompanying documents) into a single **document file** (suggested format: .docx or .odt) for FPR;

Suggested file types for the submission of the report:

- Microsoft Word (.doc/.docx)
- OpenOffice Text (.odt)
- Portable Document Format (.pdf)

When you are ready to submit, please convert your artefact into a single **plain text file (.txt)**.

Your artefact will likely be some code, a network setup, survey results etc. These may seem strange

as txt-file but it is the lowest common denominator.

Suggested file types for the submission of the artefact:

- Plain Text .txt

This assignment is for the report and artefact.

Marks will be deducted if you do not follow these simple instructions.

The Final Project Report (FPR) has online submission **ONLY**.

A live demonstration of your work is commencing **after** your FPR submission.

Marks awarded for:

This assignment is worth 70% of the overall assessment for this module

100 marks in total are awarded in the categories below.

- (5%) Abstract
- (5%) Introduction
- (5%) Specification of the MSc Research Project
- (15%) Literature Review
- (15%) Method
- (15%) Results
- (15%) Conclusion and Evaluation
- (10%) References and Citations
- (15%) Report presentation (Structure and Language)

Please find the details in the rubric: [**FinalReport_Rubric.pdf**](#)