## Guidelines for Layout and Format of B.Sc. Computational Mathematics Project Reports

- 1. Preliminary pages should be numbered: **i., ii., iii, iv, v, vi,** etc. A page number should not be shown on the title page even though it is counted as **i**.
- 2. Margins should be maintained on all pages as follows:

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Left margin = 3 cm (wider for binding)
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- 3. Page number should be placed at the **bottom, center** or **bottom, right** of page.
- 4. For labeling of Chapters and Sections follow the systematic order:
  - 1. Chapter 1
    - 1.1. Section 1
      - 1.1.1. Sub-section 1
        1.1.2. Sub-section 2. etc.
    - 1.2. Section 2
    - 1.3. Section 3, etc.
  - 2. Chapter 2
  - 3. Chapter 3, etc.
- 5. Use <u>1.5</u> *line spacing* for all text in the main body of the dissertation.
- 6. Use Times New Roman, 12 point font size, or Aerial 11 point for text.
- 7. Label Appendices or Annexes as: A, B, C, etc.; and give name (title) to each.
- 8. Label figure captions at bottom of the figure and according to the Chapter it appears in such as, Figure 1.1, Figure 1.2, Figure 2.1, Figure 3.1, etc.
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- 10. Cite references in the text of the dissertation according to the convention:

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- 11. List references alphabetically and using correct citations for books, journal articles and conference/seminar proceedings as shown in the examples (following pages).
- 12. If more than one reference of the same author exists then the references with the same author should be listed chronologically according to publishing date (year).
- 13. If more than one of the same author's publications exist in the same year (date), then use suffixes a, b, c, etc., after the publication year {e.g., 1998a; 1998b; etc.)