

MSc Data Analytics Dissertation 2021/22

Interim Assessment Guidelines

Deadline: 10/06/2020

Contribution to dissertation mark: 20%

Interim report

Your interim report should be between 5,000 and 10,000 words in length. The indicated word count does not include the references and source code. Some key elements of the interim report will be:

- Description of problem domain
- Clear and concise research questions
- Research methods
- Focused literature review relevant to the research questions
- Ethical approval
- Data description and presentation
- Data import and data cleaning
- Data exploration
- Preliminary visualisation and analysis
- Proposed future analysis
- Plan to completion

Note that marks will be given for quality of engagement in meetings with supervisor, and for clear and accurate documentation of meeting in DKIT Mahara (or other resource as agreed with supervisor).

There will be a presentation and interview during the week beginning June 13th. After that you will be given feedback and suggestions for your final dissertation in September.