

MBAA 874

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

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ASSIGNMENT 1 MARK SHEET

REQUIREMENT	NOTES	MARKS
1. Title of the study	Comments: The title is fine (tick all the boxes). It should be lower case letters. Refer to my slides.	2/3
2. Field of the study (cluster)	Comments: Not indicated.	0/1
3. Literature review	Comments: Refer to our comments. This is a reasonable first effort, but there are flaws. Ask Prof Bisschoff to guide you through the basics of a good literature review. It is essential to review the literature before finalising the topic. Source more references.	5/10
4. Problem statement	Comments: Source references. You should improve the problem statement under the guidance of Prof Bisschoff. This is not a good effort. Refer to my slides as well.	2/5
5. Primary and secondary objectives.	Comments: This is not on the standard. Refer to my slides.	2/5
6. Primary research question	Comments: Not included. Discuss the objectives and question with Prof Bisschoff (refer to my slides, you threw away marks).	0/2

7. Contribution of the study	Comments: On the standard.	3.5/5
8. Execution of the study	Comments: On the standard.	3.5/5
9. Research approach	Comments: Discuss the final approach with Prof Bisschoff.	2/3
10. Dissertation format	Comments: Good.	1/1
11. Technical aspects	Comments: Refer to our comments. I picked up a few basic mistakes. Use Grammarly to check it in future. Work harder on the referencing.	3/5
12. Application of the technical care sheet	Comments: Technical care sheet not fully completed. This is a golden “tool” to improve the end product.	2/5
TOTAL		26/50

Lecturer:

Date:

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