

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES

Thesis Grading Form

Section/ Item to Score	Maximum Score	Actual Score
Abstract		
1. Does the abstract cover complete thesis?	5	
Introduction		
2. Is the problem clearly defined?	3	
3. Is the content of each chapter clearly described?	2	
4. Are the relationships between the various chapters clear?	2	
5. Was data properly collected (methodology)	5	
6. Were the methods appropriate for the study?	5	
Content		
7. Is the sequence of chapters logical?	3	
8. Are the topics relevant?	4	
9. What is the student own contribution?	6	
10. Were relevant sources of information used?	3	
11. Do figures and tables support text?	4	
12. Do plates and appendices support the text?	2	
Conclusions		
13. Were the conclusions logically deduced from the analysis of the data?	5	
14. Do conclusions relate to the definition of the problem?	3	

15. Are conclusions justified?	5	
16. Is the range of conclusions described?	3	
17. Do the conclusions only conclude the issues discussed earlier?	5	
18. Are the recommendations practicable?	5	
TOTAL SCORE (A)	MAXIMUM 70%	
Language		
19. Language command?	4	
20. Are concepts defined and used consistently?	4	
Arrangement		
21. Is the thesis neatly arranged and is the layout attractive	2	
References		
22. Are the literature and other sources of information properly referenced?	4	
23. How recent are the references?	4	
Figures and Tables		
24. Are figures clear and relevant?	3	
25. Are figures correct?	3	
26. Are tables clear and relevant?	3	
27. Are tables correct?	3	
TOTAL SCORE (B)	MAXIMUM 30%	
GRAND TOTAL SCORE (A+B)		

KEY: A = 75-100 B = 65-74 C = 50-64 D = 49 and below - Fail

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