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Sub: - Submission of M. Tech. Dissertation Reports and Panel of Examiners - reg.

With reference to the above subject, please note the following for the submission of M.Tech. Dissertation Reports of final Semester M.Tech. & MBA and submission of Panel of examiners for the evaluation of Thesis.

Submission of Dissertation Report

- The students of M.Tech. and MBA IV Semester are required to submit their Dissertation Reports in the form of hard copy as well as soft copy in PDF format to the respective Heads of the Departments from **15th July 2026 to 30th July 2026**.
- Final project reports must go through the plagiarism check and the plagiarism index must be less than or equal to 25% to be eligible for submission.
- The plagiarism report duly verified and signed by the respective project guide will have to be included in the final project report.
- Softcopy of the Project Report should be sent to **pgthesis@sjcit.ac.in** by the Head of the Departments by mail. Two Hard copy of reports to be prepared, one copy for student, and other copy to be stored at college
- **Dissertation report must be sent to Office of the COE as per the above mentioned details on or before 30th July 2026 to be eligible for the award of ranks and Degree. No further extension will be given beyond the last date as per Academic Rules & Regulations.**

I. Project report shall be evaluated by the Internal and external examiners separately for 100 marks and awarded marks by the two examiners shall be averaged and scaled down to

60 SEE marks.

II. Viva Voce of project work shall be conducted jointly by Internal and External Examiners for 100 marks and the marks shall be scaled down to 40 SEE marks.

III. Total SEE marks out of 100 shall be the sum of SEE marks for evaluation of project report and viva voce components.

IV. CIE marks to be entered separately in the ERP by the Course Coordinators.

Note to Guides regarding the Panel of Examiners

- The proposed external examiners should be from institutions/colleges other than our own.
- In case the candidate has carried out full or part of the dissertation work outside the institution, the details of the External Guide should be necessarily mentioned.
- While proposing External Examiners, nominate examiners who are working in the same field of specialization. For interdisciplinary work, examiners may be drawn from other departments of external institutions.
- In case the work is carried out in an industry, the proposed list should mandatorily include at least one examiner from the industry with experience in the relevant field.
- The external examiners chosen from academic institutions should be senior faculty, preferably with Ph.D.
- Avoid proposing the same examiner for more than 3 dissertations under one guide.

Submission of Panel of Examiners and dissertation reports.

- Send the softcopy of the Dissertation report in pdf format to COE on or before 30th July 2026.
- Submit the Panel of Examiners (#) as per the attached format in a sealed envelope to COE.
- **Viva-voce examination must be conducted in Offline mode only.**

Plagiarism check has been introduced for the Thesis submitted for the Partial Fulfillment of Award of The Degree of M.Tech and MBA programme.

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3. The plagiarism report duly verified and signed by the respective project guide will have to be included in the final project report.
4. The Project report shall be also submitted for plagiarism check in **Drillbit plagiarism** detection software through the link as per the Notification **Ref No. VTU/BGM/Exam_ Ph.D/2022-2023/65 dated 15th MAY 2023** by Office of the Controller of Examinations.
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- For Project Report Evaluation — **Rs. 300/- Per report.**
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- Remuneration for Project report Evaluation and TA/DA for the M.Tech., Project Viva-Voce shall be claimed from the respective Examiners. The original marks should be uploaded in ERP by the examiners and the hardcopy of all the Exam related documents should be To the office of the Controller of Examinations.


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