

Half-time control for thesis projects at IDA

Background

As a basis for the half-time control, the planning report is used as well as the material that has been produced so far (e.g. report draft, program code, etc). The decision is made by the examiner.

General

Is the produced material (report draft, program code, etc) of sufficient quality so far?

Yes

No

Hints:

Necessary modifications:

Is the analysis of earlier works (e.g. literature, theories, frameworks, systems, etc) relevant and of sufficient breadth and depth?

Yes

No

Hints:

Necessary modifications:

Is the problem formulation sufficiently well connected to the analysis of earlier works (e.g. literature, theories, frameworks, systems, etc)?

Yes

No

Hints:

Necessary modifications:

Has the chosen approach been applied in a good way so far?

Yes

No

Hints:

Necessary modifications:

Have the planned activities (according to the planning report) been carried out (up to the point of the half-time control)?

Yes

No

Hints:

Necessary modifications:

Decision

Mark the decision that applies.

The work has essentially been carried out according to the planning report and can continue as planned. **The half-time control is approved.**

The work has been carried out with some deviations from the planning report. However, it is considered that the work can be completed with minor adjustments of problem formulation, approach and/or time plan. **The half-time control is approved.**

The work has largely deviated from the planning report and the work risks being failed. The half-time control is not approved. A new planning report must be created and a new half-time control will be done. **The examiner and the student book a time for this.**