

CS 330 Assignment 3 Winter 2004 Marking Scheme

5 marks each for the DSS and the Query System

A lot of the Marking Scheme was given in the Assignment. The main focus is on trying out this software, having fun with it and assessing its usability for general use.

1. About 4 to 5 pages per system, for a total of about 8 to 10 pages. Content and quality are always more important than the quantity.
2. Students need a good solid basis for their 'theoretical' DSS. They can either use definitions from the textbook, Laudon and Laudon, or they can use another source. Either way, they need to reference their definitions well.
3. Some students wanted to review GDSS (Group DSS) in lieu of DSS. Any such variations are fine, as long as they are justified and discussed in the report.
4. Students need at least one paragraph describing the software in English.
5. Students need at least one page describing what they did to 'try out' the software. They can include screen shots if they want as appendices, but there must be some description of what they did and how they did it.
6. There must be a clear ***comparison*** of the theoretical DSS and this specific real DSS.
7. For the Query System, there must be at least 10 questions, results and evaluations as requested.