Grading Scheme for AILP Wiki Contributions

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This is the grading scheme for the AILP Wiki contributions. **The grading will consider contributions that are relevant to the content of the practical not to the organisational aspects of AILP.** Wiki contributions will be marked on the basis of significance of contribution and volume of contributions. First we define the significance categories:

Mark	Meaning	Explanation
0	Missing	There is no contribution from the student.
1	Low significance	The contribution makes a small contribution to the understanding of the practical.
2	Medium significance	The contribution is modest but useful and could be of significance to some of the class.
3	Significant	The contribution should be helpful to a significant proportion of the class.
4	Highly significant	The contribution should be of interest to all of the class and provide insight into the practical.

The volume of posts will also be significant in determining the grade. There is a score associated with a number of posts given in the table below.

Number of posts	Score
0	0
1	1
2	2
$[3, 4]$	3
$[5, 8]$	4
> 8	5

Each of your large-practical-relevant contributions will be classified on the 0-4 scale given above and the number of posts in each category determined to give a volume score according to the second table. Then the product of the volume score and the significance score will be calculated for each significance category and you will score the maximum of those four numbers capped at a maximum of 16. So for example if you had 10 category 1 posts, 3 category 2 posts, 9 category 3 posts and 3 category 4 posts you would score 15. So you can score up to 10 by making a reasonably large number of category 2 posts but to get a better score you might try to post 5 or more category 3 posts.