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Taking the exam

Go to the quizzes section on the Canvas site for the module.

You will have a single session of two hours and 30 minutes duration to complete the exam. All students are required to begin the exam at the published start time. The start time of the quiz will be the same for all students.

During the **exam** you will: access the exam paper, write your answers on A4 paper, and then scan and upload your answers as **a single PDF file**.

For exams requiring text only answers, you may type your answers.

The **session of two hours and 30 minutes duration** includes your scanning and uploading time. You should spend 2 hours answering the questions and allow 30 minutes for scanning and uploading. Bear in mind that a submission started in the last few minutes may fail if you have not allowed enough time for the file upload. **You cannot upload your answers to Canvas once the 2.5-hour session has finished.**

You must:

- ✓ Include candidate number & page number on each sheet
- ✓ Clearly indicate the number and section of each question you are answering
- ✓ Name your PDF file: your candidate number_module name
- ✓ Submit a single PDF file containing all your answer pages. (Check you have not missed any pages). Do not upload multiple files.
- Check your file upload on Canvas once you have submitted. See instructions on how to do this here: <u>how to check you have submitted the correct file for CEX</u> <u>assessments</u>
- ✓ Save your file to your University OneDrive account as a back-up. <u>http://www.sussex.ac.uk/its/onedrive (</u>Please do not use a shared folder on OneDrive to store coursework and exam submissions to ensure your work is not generally accessible)

Do not write your name on your work.

Problems during the exam

If you think you have found an error in the exam question paper, you should email the module convenor directly. (Name and email address will be provided in the quiz instructions for each exam).

For ANY OTHER ISSUES you must follow the instructions in the exam problem flowchart.

Extra time

If you have extra time due to Reasonable Adjustments, this has been added to your CEX and/or MCQ assessment on Canvas. Your additional time is calculated as a percentage of the duration permitted for taking the assessment (two hours) and not the time allowed for scanning and uploading your work.

There is information about eligibility for Reasonable Adjustments here: <u>https://student-stage.sussex.ac.uk/assessment/reasonable-adjustments</u>

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