

COMP 1014 THINKING ABOUT DATA

Credit Points 10

Legacy Code 301488

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Description This subject covers basic concepts of data centric thinking. The main areas discussed are; Populations and Samples; Sampling concepts; Types of Data; Descriptive Methods; Estimation and Inference; Modelling. The subject takes a computational and nonparametric approach, before briefly discussing theoretical concepts and distribution theory.

School Computer, Data & Math Sciences

Discipline Computer Science

Student Contribution Band HECS Band 2 10cp

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Level Undergraduate Level 1 subject

Equivalent Subjects MATH 1033 Thinking About Data

Assessment

The following table summarises the standard assessment tasks for this subject. Please note this is a guide only. Assessment tasks are regularly updated, where there is a difference your Learning Guide takes precedence.

Type	Length	Percent	Threshold	Individual/ Group Task	Mandatory
Quiz	5x 30 min	20	N	Individual	N
Report	3 weeks/ approx. 2000 words	40	N	Group	N
Final Exam	2 hour	40	Y	Individual	Y

Prescribed Texts

Lock, & Lock, Patti Frazer (2019). Statistics : unlocking the power of data (Second edition, EMEA edition.).

Teaching Periods

Autumn (2025)

Parramatta - Victoria Rd

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Vietnam Session 2 (2025)

Vietnam

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Sydney City Campus - Term 2 (2025)

Sydney City

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Spring (2025)

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Surabaya Semester 1 (2025)

Surabaya

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Vietnam Session 3 (2025)

Vietnam

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