



Master in Development Economics and International Co-operation Anti-Plagiarism Rules

SIMILARITY INDEX PERCENTAGE (INCLUDES CITATIONS BUT EXCLUDES REFERENCES)	WHAT TO DO (STUDENTS)	WHAT TO DO (PROFESSORS)	WHAT TO DO (COORDINATOR/EXAMINATION BOARD)
Below 20% overall (below 5% for each resource)	Nothing. Everything is within limits.	Nothing.	Nothing.
Over 20% but below 30% overall (below 10% for each resource).	Inform the Supervisor.	Meet the student to discuss high similarity index and suggest how to reduce the percentage.	If not reduced or motivated, the high percentage of similarity will affect the final mark and/or the Laude.
Over 30 % (over 10% for each resource)	Inform the Supervisor and the Coordinator.	Meet the student to discuss about the high similarity index and suggest how to reduce the percentage.	If the similarity index is not reduced, the thesis will be rejected.