

OL 324: Case Study Three Analysis Rubric

Prompt: For this case study, you can use the process improvement example that you addressed in the Module Five discussion, or you can choose to select a different process for this case study. This case study will ask you to use the DMAIC process for your process improvement project.

The basis of this case study will follow Table 13-2 in your textbook (as described by Free Quality), the Six Sigma process, DMAIC:

- Define the project goals and customer (internal and external) deliverables.
- Measure the process to determine current performance.
- Analyze and determine the root causes of the defects.
- Improve the process by eliminating defects.
- Control future process performance.

Provide at least one paragraph for each DMAIC step as noted above. Be creative and apply research, course concepts, tools, and techniques to help improve your process.

Requirements of Submission: The case study assignments must follow these formatting guidelines: double spacing, 12-point Times New Roman font, and one-inch margins. Each case study should be one to two pages in length. Include at least two sources of research and follow APA guidelines for citations and references.

Critical Elements	Exemplary (100%)	Proficient (85%)	Needs Improvement (55%)	Not Evident (0%)	Value
DMAIC Process	Includes all of the main DMAIC	Includes most of the main	Includes some of the DMAIC	Does not include any of the	25
	steps and requirements and	DMAIC steps and requirements	steps and requirements	DMAIC steps and requirements	
	cites multiple examples for	and cites examples for			
	illustration purposes	illustration purposes			
Inquiry and Analysis	Provides in-depth analysis that	Provides an in-depth analysis	Provides an analysis that	Does not provide an analysis	20
	demonstrates a complete	that demonstrates an	demonstrates a minimal		
	understanding of multiple	understanding of some	understanding of concepts		
	concepts	concepts			
Integration and	All of the course concepts are	Most of the course concepts are	Some of the course concepts	Does not correctly apply any of	15
Application	correctly applied	correctly applied	are correctly applied	the course concepts	
Critical Thinking	Draws insightful conclusions	Draws informed conclusions	Draws logical conclusions but	Does not draw logical	20
	that are thoroughly defended	that are justified with evidence	does not defend with evidence	conclusions	
	with evidence and examples				
Research	Incorporates many scholarly	Incorporates some scholarly	Incorporates very few scholarly	Does not incorporate scholarly	10
	resources effectively that reflect	resources effectively that reflect	resources that reflect depth and	resources that reflect depth and	
	depth and breadth of research	depth and breadth of research	breadth of research	breadth of research	



Writing	No errors related to	Minor errors related to	Some errors related to	Major errors related to	10
(Mechanics/Citations)	organization, grammar and	organization, grammar and	organization, grammar and	organization, grammar and	
	style, and citations	style, and citations	style, and citations	style, and citations	
Earned Total					