## Syllabus with Rubrics -- MGT 527:03W - Strategic Management -Fall, 2015 - 8/31/2015 - 12/18/2015 - Online

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In this course, students will play four roles (As you assume these four roles, this may change the course syllabus): (1) Valued customers of Texas A&M University-Commerce; (2) Co-Managers of the teaching/learning process; (3) Products whom we supply to employers, and (4) To a lesser extent, raw materials as you acquire additional knowledge.

Objectives - After successfully completing this course, students will:	Measurements (Outcome Assessments) –	
Understand, and be able to utilize, Strategic Management and ancillary business theories.	Individual Test Results – Case Analysis Scores;	
	Grades 1,2,3, 4, 5, 6, 7	
Understand the role of ethics in the strategic management of organizations.	Research & Case AnalysesGrades 1, 2, 3,4,5,6	
Understand the influence that external forcessocial, political/legal, economic, technological, and globalizationexert in	Research & Case AnalysesGrades 1,2,3,4,5,6	
business performance.		
Understand strategy research, including extensive use of the internet as a research tool.	Research & Case AnalysesGrades 1,2,3,4,5,6	
Be able to systematically apply strategic management models, concepts, & tools to the analysis of an ongoing enterprise,	Research Results, Written Case & Case Analysis	
including industry, environmental, and firm assessments; firm, business, and functional strategic assessments;	– Grades 4,5,6	
development & evaluation of strategic alternatives; and strategic implementation and control.		

Global Course: MGT 527, a Texas A&M University-Commerce Global Course, seeks to prepare students for an interconnected world through a focus on improved global competence. As a part of their respective Strategic Audits, students will demonstrate knowledge of the interconnectedness of global dynamics as they analyze organizations, their industries, and their internal and external environments. After grading, students will submit their Strategic Audits to ePortfolio - <a href="https://leo.tamuc.edu">https://leo.tamuc.edu</a> - ManeSync tab.

Course Description: A study of administrative processes and policy determination at the general management level through the use of case analysis. Course is open to Business majors only. Course should be taken during semester of graduation unless approved by department head and professor.

Course Text: Hitt, Ireland, Hoskisson. (2015). Strategic Management: Competitiveness & Globalization. 11<sup>th</sup> ed. Thomson/Southwestern. ISBN listed by TAMUC bookstore is 9781285425177. Rental and eBook versions may be available.

#### **Course Grading & Assignments:**

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Grade 1 – Teams of 5 - Develop team strategic plan - core values, operating guidelines, mission, vision, goals,	10%	All teams – strategic plans due on or before by
strategies, critical success factors, distinctive competencies, and measurements – Strategic Model in Doc		9/7 at 11:30 p.m. CST
Sharing. Also individually complete Peer Evaluations – Form posted in Doc Sharing.		Peer Evaluations by 11/7 at 11:30 p.m.
Grade 2 – Exam 1 on text – Individual - <b>Test open 10/5 until 10/12 at 11:30 p.m. CST</b>	15%	10/5 – 10/12 at 11:30 p.m.
Grade 3 – Exam 2 on text – Individual - <b>Test open 12/1 until 12/4 at 11:30 p.m. CST</b>	10%	Due on or before 12/4 @11:30 p.m. CST
Grade 4 – Case analysis (Strategic Audit) of organization (Individual). See REQUIRED Case Outline.	35%	Draft on or before 10/30 at 11:30 p.m.
Submit Word written case analysis (30 to 40 pages) & PowerPoint presentation (15 to 25 slides). The		Final on or before 11/20 at 11:30 p.m.
strategic audit is also the comprehensive exam for some graduate degrees (e.g., MBA and MS in Management).		
Grade 5 – All teams – Submit written case analysis (Word) & PowerPoint presentation on Case 2 -	10%	All Teams submit AstraZeneca Case on or
<b>AstraZeneca – pages 26-29</b> on or before 9/21/15 by 11:30 p.m.		before 9/21 by 11:30 p.m. CST
Grade 6 – Teams – Submit second written case analysis (Word) & PowerPoint slides on Case 20 Lockheed	10%	All teams submit Lockheed Case on or before
Martin – Pages 259-270 on or before 11/6 @ 11:30 p.m. CST		11/6 @11:30 p.m. CST
Grade 7 – Individual – Personal Strategic Plan (AKA Personal Development Plan) is based on the Strategic	10%	Due any time during the semester before 11/27
Management Model in Doc Sharing. It includes your personal core values, operating guidelines, mission,		
vision, goals, strategies, critical success factors, distinctive competencies, measurements and other items		Rubric 3 will be used.
that are strategically and tactically important to you. (This is NOT a plan for this class. It is for YOU.)		

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Penalties for students guilty of academic dishonesty could include disciplinary probation, suspension, and expulsion.

Chart 1: Assignment Schedule for Management 527

Date/Week	Chapters	What?	***Cases from Hitt, et al Book (text)	****Individual Cases (Chart 2) must be approved by Professor
Week 1	Chapter 1	Team Establishment	Team Strategic Plans (mission, vision,	Start research on your individual (35%) cases/strategic audits
8/31/15		These are virtual teams.	goals, etc.)	NOW – Choose from list provided by Dr. Pryor
			Sign Ethics Statement (Virtual Office)	Read/Post "I have read ethics statement & will comply with it."
Week 2 - 9/7	Chapter 2	Team Development	Submit team plans by 9/7 if you can	All teams - strategic plans due 9/7 by 11:30 p.m. CST
9/14	Chapter 3			
9/21	Chapter 4		***Team case from Text Case 2 -	All Teams submit AstraZeneca on or before 9/21 by 11:30 p.m.
			AstraZeneca – pages 26-29	CST
9/28	Chapters 5,6	Peer Reviews Due		Peer Reviews due on or before 9/23 at 11:30 p.m.
10/5	TEST 1	Chapters 1-6 & Doc Sharing	Text theory & applications	Test open 10/5 until 10/12 at 11:30 p.m. CST
10/12				
10/19	Chapter 7		Draft of Individual Written Case	Submit draft of Individual Written Case Analysis/Strategic
			Analysis (Strategic Audit)	Audit on or before 10/30 at 11:30 p.m. CST
10/26	Chapter 8			
11/2	Chapter 9, 10		***Second Team Case – Case 20 –	Submit Second Team Case on/before 11/6 @ 11:30 p.m. CST
			Lockheed Martin – Pages 259-270	
11/9	Chapter 11			
11/16	Chapter 12		****Final Individual Written Case	Word document & PowerPoint presentations due on or before
			Analysis (Strategic Audit) Due 11/20	11/20 at 11:30 p.m 5 points will be deducted for each day late.
11/23			Thanksgiving	
11/30	Chapter 13		Personal Development Plan	Due any time before 11/27 @ 11:30 p.m. CST
12/7	TEST 2	Chapters 7-13	Text theory, applications +	Test 2 - 12/1-12/4 - Due on or before 12/4 @ 11:30 p.m. CST
12/14				

Classroom (and/or Internet) Protocol: Students will function as co-managers of the teaching/learning process. As a part of their process management responsibilities, the first assignment will be to establish classroom (or Internet) protocol and team operating guidelines. Compliance with university policies as well as Federal, State and local laws is expected. Internet students may complete assignments according to their personal schedules as long as they are not LATE.

# Chart 2: Organizations/Companies for Individual Written Case Analysis (Strategic Audit) Options (Only 1 Student can select an Organization)

\*Why am I asking that you not write individual cases on any alcoholic beverage, or cigarette companies? Ask yourself: Are they making money because of their strategic management capabilities and actions or because they sell legal addictive drugs, etc? We want to study organizations that have potential for success because of their strategic management capabilities and actions. My intention is to omit alcoholic beverage companies, and cigarette companies. However, I realize that some listed companies may own alcoholic beverage and/or cigarette companies. Note: The CEO's may have changed. Choose an organization with Global Operations.

Siemens (Corporate – Germany) (CEO Matthias Rebellius)	Reliance (India)	Alcatel-Lucent (Corporate France)	Infosys Technologies (India)
L-3 Communications (CEO Michael T. Strianese)	Raytheon (CEO Thomas A. Kennedy)	Texas Instruments (CEO Rich Templeton)	Boeing (CEO W. James – Jim – McNemey, Jr.
Berkshire Hathaway (CEO Warren Buffett)	HP (CEO Meg Whitman)	IBM (CEO Ginni Rometty)	Xerox (CEO Ursula Burns)
Apple (CEO Time Cook)	Cisco Systems (CEO John Chambers)	Qualcomm (CEO Steven Mollenkop)	Southwest Airlines (CEO Gary Kelly)
AT&T (CEO Glenn Lurie)	Amazon (CEO Jeff Bezos)	eBay (CEO John Donahoe to step down in 2015)	DuPont (CEO Ellen Kullman)
Intel (CEO Brian Krzanich)	Microsoft (CEO Satya Nadella)	Oracle (CEOs Safra Catz and Mark Hurd)	Symantec (CEO Michael A. Brown)
Google (CEO Larry Page)	LinkedIn (Jeff Weiner)	SAS - <u>www.sas.com</u> (CEO James Morris Goodnight)	SONY (CEO Kaz Hirai)
Texas A&M University System (Chancellor/CEO John Sharp)	MIT - Massachusetts Institute of Technology (Chancellor Cynthia Barnhart)	SMU (Southern Methodist U.) (Chancellor R. Gerald Turner)	Baylor University (Chancellor Ken Starr, J.D.)
McKenzie & Company (CEO Dominic Barton)	Ernst & Young (CEO Mark Weinberger)	Price Waterhouse Cooper (US Chairman, Bob Moritz)	Starbucks (CEO Howard Schultz)
J.C.Penney (Marvin Ellison?)	JPMorgan Chase (CEO Jamie Dimon)	Wells Fargo (CEO John G. Stumpf)	Johnson & Johnson (CEO Alex Gorsky)
Ford (CEO Mark Fields)	General Motors (CEO Mary Barra)	Toyota (Corporate – Japan) (President & Board, Akio Toyoda)	Yahoo (CEO Marissa Mayer)
Home Depot	Lowes (Robert A. Niblock)	FedEx (CEO Fred Smith)	UPS (CE) David Abney)
Texas Nameplate, Dallas small business - (Baldrige recipient) (CEO & Owner Dale Crownover)	KARLEE Company, Dallas (Baldrige recipient) (CEO and Owner Jo Ann Brumit)	Wal-Mart (CEO Doug McMillon)	Target (Interim President and CEO John Mulligan)
Mayo Clinic (CEO and President John H. Noseworthy, M.D.)	Parkland Hospital (CEO Dr. Fred Cerise)	Baylor Hospital System (CEO Dr. Joel T. Allison)	Methodist Healthcare System (CEO Dr. Stephen L. Mansfield)
Campbell Soup (CEO Denise Morrison)	PepsiCo (CEO Indra Nooyi)	American Apparel (CEO Paula Schneider)	

Rubric 1 - Individual Written Case Analysis (Strategic Audit) Rubric (Word document & PowerPoint Presentation) - Students who score less than 70 points on individual written case (and accompanying PowerPoint slides) will be required to re-submit it. The re-submission cannot score more than 80 points.

	Exceeds Minimum Standards	Meets Minimum Standards	Fails to Meet Standards
Introduction to the Organization (I) - 6	Includes essential material in this section. Any	Includes essential material in this section.	Essential material not included
<b>points.</b> History. Current Status. Impact of	additional material is in an appendix. (Also PP	Any additional material is in an appendix.	and/or PP slides not included.
Globalization. Executives. Business Model	slides) 5-6 points	(Also PP slides) 3-4 points	0 to 2 points
<b>Identification of Industry &amp; competitors</b>	Lists and briefly discusses industry(ies) in	Lists and briefly discusses industry(ies) in	Fails to address industry(ies) in
(II) (2 points)	which organization competes & its competitors	which organization competes & its	which organization competes and/or
	-2 points	competitors – 2 points	its competition. 0 to 1 point.
Analysis of the Industry (III)	Analyzes organization's strategic group(s),	Meets the basic criteria for this Outline	Meets some of the basic criteria for
Strategic group, Porter's 5 Forces, Industry	critical success factors for industry, & lists	Item, but fails to demonstrate knowledge	this Outline Item, but fails to
CSF's, Successful & Failed Organizations.	successful & failed organizations. Discusses	of theories needed to address some of the	demonstrate knowledge of theories
Include global considerations - 10 points	Porter's 5 Forces & provides an in-depth	requirements. – 7 or 8 points	needed to address most of the
	analysis for industry & organization-9-10 pts		requirements. – 0 to 6 points
Analysis of Macro-Environment (IV)	Demonstrates knowledge of, & capability to	Meets basic criteria for this Outline Item.	Meets some of the basic criteria for
(Political, Economic, Social, and	apply, theories and tools in the analysis of	Fails to demonstrate knowledge of, or	this Outline Item, but fails to
Technological forces; Global Factors;	Macro-Environment (e.g., Political, Economic,	ability to use, theories & tools needed to	demonstrate knowledge of theories
Threats & Opportunities facing the	Social, and Technological forces). Also	analyze Macro-Environment. May not	needed to address most of the
organization) - 12 points	identifies the threats and opportunities facing	identify some threats and/or opportunities	requirements $-0-6$ points.
	the organization. 10-12 points	facing the organization. – 7-9 points	
Analysis of Organization - Measurement	Applies financial analysis theories and tools to	Meets basic criteria for this Outline Item.	Meets some of the basic criteria for
and control system (V) - Current financial	determine organization's current financial	Fails to demonstrate knowledge of, and/or	this Outline Item, but fails to
position; Use financial analysis tools -	position & compares it with competitors and	capability to apply, financial analysis	demonstrate knowledge of, or
Compare with competitors and standards.	standards. Discusses its measurement and	theories & tools and/or fails to compare it	capability to apply, theories & tools
Include global considerations. List KPI's	control system & KPI's – 13-15 points.	with competitors and standards – 10-12	needed to address most of the
(Key Performance Indicators). 15 points.		points.	requirements $-0-9$ points
<b>Analysis of Organization (VI)</b> – Mission,	Demonstrates knowledge and capability to	Meets the basic criteria for this Outline	Meets some of the basic criteria for
Vision, Core Values, Operating Guidelines,	apply theories and tools in the analysis of the	Item, but fails to demonstrate knowledge	this Outline Item, but fails to
Core Competencies, Goals; Current	organization in terms of its mission, vision,	of, or capability to apply, theories needed	demonstrate knowledge of theories
problems that conflict with organization's	core values, operating guidelines, and core	to address some of the requirements – 7-8	needed to address most of the
core values/operating guidelines. 10 pts.	competencies – 9-10 points.	points.	requirements $-0-6$ points.
Analysis of Organization (VII) – Current	Demonstrates knowledge of, and capability to	Meets the basic criteria for this Outline	Meets some basic criteria for this
Strategies, Alignment with goals. Compare	apply, theories & tools in analysis of	Item, but fails to demonstrate knowledge	Outline Item. Fails to demonstrate
with competition. SWOT & Gap analyses.	organization (current strategies, alignment of	of, or capability to apply, theories needed	knowledge of theories needed to
Suggest & evaluate strategies. (Identify	strategies with goals, competition). Uses	to address some of the requirements	address most of the requirements –
global and other strategies, and evaluate	SWOT & Gap analyses. Suggests strategies &	– 12-16 points.	0-11 points.
application to organization.) –20 points	evaluates each of them - 17-20 points.		
Analysis of Organization (VIII) –	Marketing, Finance, Operations, Purchasing	Meets basic criteria. Fails to demonstrate	Fails to demonstrate knowledge of,
Functional Strategies (10 pts)	Human Resources, Information Systems	knowledge of, or ability to apply, theories	& ability to apply, theories needed
	Strategies and their alignment – 9-10 pts.	needed to address requirements – 6-8 pts.	for most requirements - 0-5 pts.
Analysis organization's improvement	Analyzes current & previous improvement	Meets basic criteria for Outline Item. Fails	Fails to address most of the Item
initiatives & standards (IX) – 10 points	initiatives & standards & impact – 9-10 pts.	to address some requirements – 6-8 points.	Requirements – 0-5 points.
Conclusion and Future of Organization	Addresses expected results & organization's	Meets basic criteria for Outline Item. Fails	Fails to address most of the Item
(X) – 5 points	potential for future success – 5 points	to address some requirements – 3-4 pts.	Requirements – 0-2 points

Individual Written Case Analysis (Strategic Audit) Outline – Rubric 1 applies to this. (Assignment: Each student will develop a case about, analyze, and make recommendations about an organization listed on Chart 2. Professor approval is required. Deliverables are a written case analysis (strategic audit) & PowerPoint presentation – 35%% of grade for class).

- I. Introduction to the Organization History of the Company & Current Status -- A. When was the organization founded, why and by whom? Discuss unusual history associated with the organization. B. Is it privately or publicly held? C. Who are its top executives in terms of experience, academic credentials, diversity, etc.? D. Discuss the organization's Business Model? E. What is the impact of globalization on this organization? F. Other information?
- **II. Identification of the Industry and the Competitors** -- Industry definition is necessary so that competitors can be identified; macro-environmental forces that affect the organization and its industry can be assessed, and the organization's relative strengths and weaknesses can be compared to other organizations within the industry.
- III. Analysis of the Industry (Include global considerations)
  - A. Strategic Group(s) in which the company exists and competitors in it/them.
  - B. Intensity of rivalry among existing competitors. Use Porters 5 Forces for B, C, D, E, and F. (C). Threat of new competitors entering the industry; (D) Threat of substitute products or services; (E) Bargaining power of buyers and (F) Bargaining power of suppliers
  - G. Potential Profitability of the Industry What organizations have succeeded and failed in the industry and why?
  - H. What are the Critical Success Factors for the industry?
- IV. Analysis of the Macro-Environment (Includes identification & analysis of global factors & application of analysis to business situation)
  - A. What political/legal forces affect the industry?
  - B. What economic forces affect the industry?
  - C. What social forces affect the industry?
  - D. What technological forces affect the industry?
  - E. What are the threats and opportunities facing the organization?
- V. What is the organization's measurement and control system? (Include Global Considerations.)
  - A. Current financial position Is the organization financially sound?
  - B. Compare with competitors and standards.
  - C. Use financial analysis tools.
  - D. What are the organization's Key Performance Indicators (KPI's)?
- VI. Analysis of the Organization (Mission, Vision, Core Values, Operating Guidelines, Core Competencies, Goals)
  - A. What is the mission of the organization? Has the mission changed over time?
  - B. What is the vision of the organization? Has the vision changed over time?
  - C. What are the organization's core values and operating guidelines? Analyze current problems that conflict with the organization's core values and operating guidelines.
  - D. What are the organization's core competencies? How are they unique?
  - E. What are the organization's broad and specific goals?
- VII. Analysis of the Organization Organization-Level and Business Unit Strategies (Identify Global and Other Strategies, and Evaluate Their Application to the Organization.)
  - A. What are the current organization-level strategies? Business unit strategies?
  - B. To what extent is the organizational structure compatible with the organization's strategies?
  - C. How are the strategies aligned with the goals?
  - D. Compare this organization's strategies with those of competitors.
  - E. Use SWOT analysis and Gap analysis to suggest strategies.
  - F. Evaluate strategies (advantages & disadvantages of each strategy).
  - G. Key performance indicators (KPI's)
- VIII. Analysis of the Organization Functional Strategies
  - A. Marketing Finance Operations Purchasing Human Resources Information Systems
  - B. How well are the functional strategies aligned?
- IX. Analyze organization's improvement/change initiatives (e.g., Six Sigma, SQM, TQM, Lean Manufacturing, JIT, Process Reengineering, High Performance Work Teams, Assessment using Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award Criteria, ISO 9000, ISO 14000, Benchmarking, Balanced Scorecard, etc.)
  - A. Previous & current impact/success of improvement initiatives.
  - B. Alignment of improvement initiatives and integration into strategic management of the organization.
  - C. Comparison of improvement initiatives with other organizations within and outside the industry.
- X. Conclusion and Future of Organization Comment about the organization's profile for future competitiveness and success. What does the organization have to do right to succeed (organization's Critical Success Factors)? What are the expected results in terms of short-and long-term profitability and survival?

# Use the following outline for textbook cases (See Rubric which matches this outline – Rubric 2).

- I. Introduction
- II. Situation/Issues/Problems in Case in Text (List and Discuss)
- III. Alternatives for Each Issue/Problem
- IV. Selection of, and Justification for, Selected Alternative
- V. Conclusion
- VI. Appendix A Current Scenario & Analysis Research

## **Assignment Rubric for Textbook Cases (Rubric 2)**

	Significantly Exceeds Minimum Standards	Meets or Somewhat Exceeds Minimum Standards	Fails to Meet Standards
Introduction	5 points	3-4 points	0-2 points
Current Situation/ Issues/ Problems (List and Discuss)	Able to list and correctly discuss all issues. 14-15 points	Able to list and adequately discuss most issues. 10-14 points	Failed to list and adequately discuss few or discussed no issues. 0-9 points
Alternatives for Each Issue/Problem – List advantages and disadvantages of each alternative	Able to list correct alternatives and their advantages and disadvantages for each issue 24-25 points	Able to list adequate alternatives and their advantages and disadvantages for most issues 18-24 points	Failed to list adequate alternatives and their advantages and disadvantages for various issues.  0-17 points
Selection of, and Justification for, Selected Alternative	Able to select correct alternative(s), and provide from textbook correct justification for them. 19-20 points	Somewhat able to select correct alternative(s) and provide textbook justification for them.  13-19 points	Failed to select correct alternative(s) and/or to provide textbook justification for them. 0-12 points
Conclusion	4-5 points	3-4 points	0-2 points
Appendix A – Current Scenario – Research – Where is the organization now? Analyze the current scenario	Able to correctly determine and analyze current situation for organization in case and provide references from research as well as textbook. 29-30 points	Somewhat able to correctly determine and analyze current situation for organization in case and to provide references from research as well as textbook.  23-29 points	Failed to correctly determine and analyze current situation for organization in case and/or to provide references from research as well as textbook.  0-22 points
Total	95-100 points	70-94	0-64

<sup>\*</sup>Textbook is a valuable reference for your textbook case analyses. All chapters include valuable information. So use your textbook. Be sure to read "Preparing an Effective Case Analysis" – iii-xii – which is just before the first textbook case. Some financial analysis tools are provided. Sources are listed for industry & competitor analyses as well. Use strategic management theories and tools (e.g., SWOT analysis, financial analysis, etc.). You are to analyze the information provided in the case in the textbook. THEN YOU RESEARCH THE CASE (ORGANIZATION) ON THE INTERNET. Include the current, researched information in an appendix as an addendum to your case analysis. IT MUST NOT BE INTEGRATED INTO YOUR CASE ANALYSIS.

Rubric 3 – Team Strategic Plan and Individual Evaluation of Self and Other Team Members

	Significantly Exceeds Minimum Standards	Meets or Somewhat Exceeds Minimum Standards	Fails to Meet Standards
*Core Values	Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 9-10 points	Mostly Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 7 – 8 points	Failed to meet minimum standards - Zero Points
*Operating Guidelines	Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 9-10 points	Mostly Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 7 – 8 points	Failed to meet minimum standards - Zero Points
*SWOT Analysis	Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 9-10 points	Mostly Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 7 – 8 points	Failed to meet minimum standards - Zero Points
*Mission	Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 9-10 points	Mostly Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 7 – 8 points	Failed to meet minimum standards - Zero Points
*Vision	Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 9-10 points	Mostly Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 7 – 8 points	Failed to meet minimum standards - Zero Points
*Broad and Specific Goals	Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 9-10 points	Mostly Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 7 – 8 points	Failed to meet minimum standards - Zero Points
*Strategies	Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 9-10 points	Mostly Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 7 – 8 points	Failed to meet minimum standards - Zero Points
*Critical Success Factors	Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 9-10 points	Mostly Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 7 – 8 points	Failed to meet minimum standards - Zero Points
*Distinctive Competencies	Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 9-10 points	Mostly Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 7 – 8 points	Failed to meet minimum standards - Zero Points
*Measurements	Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 9-10 points	Mostly Accurate per text and Model in Doc Sharing – 7 – 8 points	Failed to meet minimum standards - Zero Points
	90 - 100	70 - 80	
**Individuals Complete Evaluation Form for Self & Other Team Members  *Students get strategic plan points based on plan IF they complete the evaluation.	Complete evaluation for self and other team members AND functioned as required by team strategic plan. See Doc Sharing for form.	Complete evaluation for self and other team members AND mostly functioned as required by team strategic plan	Failed to evaluate team members or provide required information – And/or failed to function as required by team strategic plan

<sup>\*</sup>Complete as a team first 10 items (elements of Team Strategic Plan due on or before 9/7/2015 by 11:30 p.m. CST.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Complete evaluation form individually – Due on or before 11/7/2015 by 11:30 p.m. CST.