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Objective	0 points	5 points	10 points	15 points
Writing Mechanics	Paper is not written in the required format.	Paper is written in the required format. However, grammatical errors are present and noticeable.	Paper is written in the required format with no grammatical errors.	N/A
Figures	Figures are not referenced in the narrative and contain errors.	Figures lack clarity or are not referenced appropriately throughout the paper, but are still useful in aiding in understanding.	Figures are used effectively to aid in reading comprehension. They are labeled appropriately and clearly with no errors.	N/A
Abstract	The abstract is missing or does not clearly state what will be covered in the paper.	The abstract is present but does not clearly state what will be covered in the paper or is not engaging to the reader.	The abstract is clear, concise, and engaging. It details what the remainder of the paper will accomplish.	N/A
Introduction	No (or a very poor) attempt.	The introduction clearly addresses one of the following: (1) What is the mission of the client? (2) What is the problem? (3) Why is the solving the problem important to the client's mission?	The introduction clearly addresses two of the following: (1) What is the mission of the client? (2) What is the problem? (3) Why is the solving the problem important to the client's mission?	The introduction clearly addresses all of the following: (1) What is the mission of the client? (2) What is the problem? (3) Why is the solving the problem important to the client's mission?
Explanation of Technical Work	No (or a very poor) attempt.	The problem is stated, but there are no technical details. Very little attempt at rigor is present.	The problem is stated, and an attempt to support claims has been made, but the technical details may be incorrect or not explained well.	The context of the problem is well stated and clear. All appropriate technical details are included and correct.

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Previous Results	No (or a very poor) attempt.	A summary previous results (found via literature review) is included, but important content is missing or the summary is unclear.	A summary previous results (found via literature review) is mostly complete and clear.	A summary previous results (found via literature review) is completely complete and clear.
New Results	One cannot determine from what is written that the student(s) engaged in meaningful and appropriate technical work.	It is evident that the student(s) engaged in meaningful and appropriate technical work, but the content of this section was unfocused and confusing.	It is evident that the student(s) engaged in meaningful and appropriate technical work. The content of this section could have been improved in a few ways (noted on the paper), but what was covered was explained well.	It is evident that the student(s) engaged in meaningful and appropriate technical work. A deep understanding of this problem is clear, and the technical ideas were explained well.
Next steps	No (or a very poor) attempt.	Next steps are suggested and explained. However, these steps are not clear or the next steps suggested are uninteresting, irrelevant, or inappropriate.	Interesting next steps are suggested in a clear and understandable manner, providing an acceptable conclusion to the paper.	N/A