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Section	Points
1. Introduction (15 percent) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Overview of the question to be addressed including the economic relevance of the question.</li> <li>b. Discuss the economic theory behind the question and expected results based on theory.</li> </ol>	
2. Literature Review (10 percent) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Discussion of published analysis on the topic, their key findings and how/why your approach or sample may be different.</li> </ol>	
3. Methodology/Data (35 percent) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Describe data sources and statistical methods to be employed. This should include a clear description of how your statistical method links to the question posed in the introduction.</li> <li>b. Include summary statistics (sample means, standard errors, sample size, correlation statistics) of your data.</li> </ol>	
4. Findings/Observations (30 percent) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. This section presents the results of your statistical analysis.</li> <li>b. Presentation of formal statistical test(s) and conclusions that follow.</li> <li>c. Include a discussion of how your results are in line with, or deviate from, what would be suggested by economic theory.</li> <li>d. Discussion of any limitations to your analysis that might affect your results.</li> </ol>	
5. Conclusion (10 percent) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Summary of your findings.</li> <li>b. Include a discussion of any potential deficiencies in your analysis and/or available data.</li> </ol>	
<b>Project Total</b>	