



## Economic Research Team (S) (160)

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### Technical Scoring Rubric

Items to Evaluate RESEARCH PAPER	Below Average	Average	Good	Excellent	Points Awarded
<b>Comprehension of topic</b> Demonstrates understanding of subject matter	1-5	6-10	11-15	16-20	
<b>Organization and expansion of ideas</b> Argument follows logical progression	1-5	6-10	11-15	16-20	
<b>Introduction/Summary</b> Logical argument, evidence to support conclusions, compelling summary	1-5	6-10	11-15	16-20	
<b>Creativity</b> Diverse resources, creative angle on the issue, originality, inventiveness	1-5	6-10	11-15	16-20	
<b>Writing Skills</b> Correct grammar, spelling, and punctuation, concise language, sentence structure	1-5	6-10	11-15	16-20	
Word-processed research paper following the <i>Style &amp; Reference Manual</i>				20	
Word-processed Works Cited page				20	
<b>TOTAL TECHNICAL POINTS (140 points maximum)</b>					

**Team is required to prepare their research paper according to the *Style & Reference Manual*.**