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Directions:

The following templates should be used to enter the information for Steps 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 8 (Step 7 will be reported in an essay). Please download and save a copy of this matrix on your computer.

****Note:** Grades for Step One will be entered directly into the gradebook.

ACH Step One: Identify Possible Scenario Outcomes (Hypotheses)

Number	Hypothesis	Points Possible	
Hypothesis #1		Points Earned	
Hypothesis #2			
Hypothesis #3			
Hypothesis #4			
Hypothesis #5			

**Note: Grades for ACH Steps 2-6 will be entered directly into the gradebook.

ACH Step Two: Evidence For and Evidence Against Each Hypothesis ACH Steps Three and Four: Assess Evidence for “Diagnosticity” and Eliminate Evidence ACH Steps Five and Six: (5) Eliminate Hypotheses” and (6) Identify Linchpin Evidence						
Hypothesis → ↓ Evidence	Delete	Linchpin	→ (H1a) List three pieces of evidence indicating the crisis <u>will be</u> resolved diplomatically.	(H1) Political Solution	(H2) Limited Intervention	(H3) Direct Attack
↓ Evidence #1						
↓ Evidence #2						
↓ Evidence #3						
Hypothesis → ↓ Evidence	Delete	Linchpin	→ (H1b) List three pieces of evidence indicating the crisis <u>will not be</u> resolved diplomatically.	(H1) Political Solution	(H2) Limited Intervention	(H3) Direct Attack
↓ Evidence #1						
↓ Evidence #2						
↓ Evidence #3						
Hypothesis → ↓ Evidence	Delete	Linchpin	→ (H2a) List three pieces of evidence indicating the crisis will be resolved with limited intervention.	(H1) Political Solution	(H2) Limited Intervention	(H3) Direct Attack
↓ Evidence #1						
↓ Evidence #2						
↓ Evidence #3						
Hypothesis → ↓ Evidence	Delete	Linchpin	→ (H2b) List three pieces of evidence indicating the crisis will not be resolved with limited intervention.	(H1) Political Solution	(H2) Limited Intervention	(H3) Direct Attack
↓ Evidence #1						
↓ Evidence #2						
↓ Evidence #3						
Hypothesis → ↓ Evidence	Delete	Linchpin	→ (H3a) List three pieces of evidence indicating the crisis will be resolved with a direct attack.	(H1) Political Solution	(H2) Limited Intervention	(H3) Direct Attack
↓ Evidence #1						
↓ Evidence #2						
↓ Evidence #3						
Hypothesis → ↓ Evidence	Delete	Linchpin	→ (H3b) List three pieces of evidence indicating the crisis will not be resolved with a direct attack.	(H1) Political Solution	(H2) Limited Intervention	(H3) Direct Attack

Evidence #1						
Evidence #2						
Evidence #3						
				Points Possible		
				Points Earned		

**Note: Step 7 is a six page narrative essay that ranks the three hypotheses from most likely to occur to the least likely to occur. The instructions document for the Step 7 assignment can be downloaded from the Week 6 lesson in your course.

**Note: Grades for Step Eight will be entered directly into the gradebook.

Week 8 - ACH Step Eight: Develop Indicators							
Indicator	Description						
#1							
#2							
#3							
#4							
#5							
#6							
#7							
#8							
#8							
#10							
Timeliness	Were the indicators submitted on time (points subtracted)?						
						Possible	100
						Earned	