

Unit VI Case Study

Choose one of the following Case Study options for this assignment. Evaluate each assumption you make within your reasoning, and identify and evaluate the evidence. The Case Study should be thoroughly discussed in a minimum two-page paper based upon your readings (not including the title page and reference page). Any outside sources used to support *your* statements should be appropriately cited using APA style.

Assignment 1 Option: Read the Case Study presented on pages 352 to 353 of the textbook, and answer the following questions:

1. Should alternative fuel be funded by the government? Based upon your readings, provide three reasons for or against this scenario, and discuss them thoroughly.
2. Identify and discuss any fallacies that may occur in your reasoning. How might you defend your stance in a debate?
3. What are some available sources of renewable energy that could meet our nation's energy demands?

Assignment 2 Option: Read the Case Study presented on pages 387 to 388 of the textbook, and answer the following questions:

1. Should the government take away the endangered species protection of grey wolves? Why, or why not? Based on your readings, provide two reasons for or against this scenario, and discuss them thoroughly.
2. Identify any assumptions the author may have made in the Case Study, and discuss whether these assumptions can be considered fallacies.
3. What information could be added to this Case Study to help you make your decision?

Unit VII Case Study

Read the Case Study presented on pages 432 to 433 of the textbook. Read both sides of the argument ("Amend the WTO" and "Process and Production Methods Cannot be Regulated"). After you have read the Case Study, answer the following questions:

1. Should the WTO be amended to address the concerns of environmentalists?
2. Should process and production methods (PPMs) be regulated?
3. What are some fallacies within the Case Studies that you recognize? What further information could be provided to help you make your decision?

Make sure you provide reasoning within your argument. The Case Study should be thoroughly discussed in a minimum two-page paper based upon your readings (not including the title page and reference page). Any outside sources used to support *your* statements should be appropriately cited using APA style.

Unit VIII Case Study

For this assignment, you are to evaluate the REDD+ through agricultural expansion, which greatly impacts the environment and international laws relating to the environment. To prepare this assignment, use the Internet to research more information on REDD+. You are also encouraged to read Chapters 10 and 11 from the textbook and additional professional reference sources to support your discussion. (Please note that Wikipedia is not an acceptable reference source for academic papers.) The first part of the evaluation assignment must describe the REDD+ Program and how deforestation has an impact on climate regulations. Define some of the key challenges of the program and how governments around the world are developing more laws in order to govern the strategies involving REDD+.

For the second part of the evaluation, evaluate how international laws such as the Kyoto Protocol have been put into action in order to help reduce greenhouse gas emissions, which in turn affect deforestation. You will also need to discuss how the REDD+ Program attempts to achieve its environmental goals through its initiatives to change international environmental laws through the success of the REDD+ Program.

The completed assignment must be a minimum of three pages in length, not including the title page and reference list. Any outside sources used to support your statements should be appropriately cited using APA style.