

# CS3 Rubric – L’oreal Case Study

**DS 4002**

**Due: Refer to Instructor Rubric**

**Submission format:**

- Upload PDF and link to GitHub repo to Canvas

**General Description:** Submit to canvas a link to your case study repository and a hard copy **Data Science Building, Prof. Alonzi’s office (Room 344)**

**Why am I doing this?** This study is an opportunity to use the lessons learned throughout this course as well as your studies in Data Science to complete a unified project. This case study is meant to prepare you for an internship or full-time opportunity where you might be presented with a hands-on scenario, potentially related to a business need, and asked to complete it.

**What am I going to do?** By this point in the course and your career in the Data Science School, you have accumulated an array of technical skills. You will create a deliverable using those technical skills. This deliverable will include:

- Github repository with code and necessary data
- Conclusion PDF with graphs and references

**Tips for success:**

- Use the data and code snippets provided.
- Use the Pinterest dashboard provided; *DO NOT* create your own.

**How will I know I have Succeeded?** You will meet expectations on this Case Study when you follow the criteria in the rubric below.

Spec Category	Spec Details
Formatting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Conclusion File<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Submit the conclusion file as a PDF.</li></ul></li><li>• Repository – A GitHub repo (and cloud storage folder if necessary) containing all materials. Title the GitHub as “CS-[first name- last name].”<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Submit a link to the repo</li><li>○ Contents<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ Data</li><li>■ Rubric</li><li>■ Code</li><li>■ Output</li><li>■ Conclusion Document</li></ul></li><li>○ Use pdf format when possible</li></ul></li></ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ For code and data products use the appropriate format for whatever it is</li> <li>● References <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Use IEEE citation style and include references as a footnote at the end of the Conclusion File</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Conclusion File	<p><u>Goal:</u> Engage with the study and provide evidence of engagement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Summarize the case study problem in 2-3 sentences.</li> <li>● Document your analysis plan and steps you plan to take for this study in 2-3 sentences.</li> <li>● Discuss any challenges you overcame and any feedback you have for the creator of this case study in 2-3 sentences.</li> <li>● Discuss what you did well and what you could have done better in 2-3 sentences.</li> <li>● One page maximum</li> <li>● PDF format</li> </ul>
Code	<p>Your code should include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Exploratory data analysis comparing color codes of each dataset.</li> <li>● A random forest model to test if there is a difference between the two datasets. This model should be tested on the cleaned dataset provided. Use <b>cooltonee.csv</b> and <b>warmtone.csv</b> in the <b>DATA</b> folder. Use sample code from the reference materials as a guide.</li> </ul>
Output	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Any graphs produced</li> </ul>

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