

# Core Skills of Analysis

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## Thought Processes

- Analytical
- Creative
- Critical

Critically to determine the right questions to ask

Creative to get new and unexpected answers

Analytical to be able to analyze the answers

## The 5 "Why's"

- Asking "Why" for every answer 5 times to try and lead to the "root cause" of a problem.

## Gap Analysis

- The general approach to gap analysis is understanding where you are now in comparison to where you want to be.
- Identify the gaps that exist between the current and future state to determine how to bridge them.