

# Ethical Theory

## Analytic Summary #1: *Grading Rubric*

Student:

Points Earned:

Grader:

Normalized Grade:

	Excellent	Satisfactory	Mediocre	Unacceptable
<b>General Academic Paper Requirements</b>				
<i>Follows the "General Technical Requirements for Written Assignments".</i>	0	-2	-4	-5
<i>Follows the conventions of standard written English, with no errors hindering comprehension.</i>	0	-2	-4	-5
<i>Organized to convey ideas in a transparent and logical fashion.</i>	0	-2	-4	-5
<i>Follows the instructions concerning the introduction and conclusion of this paper.</i>	0	-2	-4	-5
<i>Follows the instructions concerning the topic for this paper.</i>	0	-8	-16	-20
<b>Content</b>				
<i>Clearly provides any background information and explains any terminology necessary for someone unfamiliar with the Argument Under Analysis (AUA) to readily understand it.</i>	15	12	6	0
<i>Clearly and correctly identifies the main thesis (or conclusion) of the AUA.</i>	5	4	2	0
<i>Clearly and correctly identifies the principle premises or reasons offered as support for that main thesis by the AUA.</i>	25	20	10	0
<i>Clearly and correctly identifies the structure of the inferences used to show how the premises are supposed to entail the main thesis of the AUA.</i>	25	20	10	0
<i>Summarizes these elements of the AUA using the student's own words and not those of the AUA's original author.</i>	10	8	4	0
<i>Remains focused on the essential elements of the AUA without being distracted by inessential details.</i>	15	12	6	0
<i>Overall, demonstrates full comprehension of the AUA and explains it with adroit skill to the reader.</i>	5	4	2	0

**General Comments**