Resource Center

Comparion Sample Models and Templates

COMPARION SAMPLE MODELS

What is a Model?

A model is a representation of a decision. Comparion is a structured decision-making tool designed to help organize and analyze various factors based on specific goals and objectives. By providing a clear framework, Comparion models enable more effective and efficient decision-making.

Models are tailored to fit the unique needs of your project Model includes clearly defined objectives, goals, and alternatives. Participants have already been added, evaluations have been completed, and results have been synthesized for training purposes.

How to add Sample Models into Expert Choice Comparion

To add sample models from the Resource Center within the Help follow the steps below

APPLICATION (PURPOSE)	SAMPLE MODELS	INDUSTRY
Sample Simple Model	Sample_01_CarPurchaseSimpleExample	Example
Sample Measurement	Sample_01B_CarPurchaseSimpleExampleMeasurement	Example
Sample Pros and Cons	Sample_02_CarPurchaseSimpleExampleProsAndCons	Example
Sample More elaborate model	Sample_03_FlightSecurity	Example
Sample HBR Case	Sample_04_AllstarSportsCase	Example
Sample Consulting Candidate Selection	Sample_Consulting Candidate Selection	Example
Sample Employee Selection	Sample_Research Assistant Personnel Selection	Example
Sample Equipment Selection	Sample_HVAC project for a Classic Building	Example

APPLICATION (PURPOSE)	SAMPLE MODELS	INDUSTRY
Sample Homeland Security Priorities	Sample_Department of Homeland Security Prioritization	Example
Sample IT Portfolio / Optimization	Sample_IT Portfolio Optimization	Example
Sample Oil Pipeline Selection	Sample_Oil Pipeline Route Selection	Example
Sample Policy Decision	Sample_SexualHarassment Policy	Example
Sample Export Decision	Sample_StrategicPrioritiesForExportDevemopmentCanada	Example
Sample Trade Study	Sample_Trade Study	Example
Human Resource Management	Consulting Candidate Selection	Example
Strategic Planning & Budgeting	IT Portfolio Optimization	Information Technology
Federal Government Management	DHS Transformation and Systems Consolidation	Federal Government

Steps to Add Sample Models:

1. Download the Sample Model File:

    1. Click on the link to download a sample model file.

    2. Save the file to your computer. By default, the model file will be saved in your downloads folder.

2. Upload the Sample Model into Comparion:

    1. Select the target workgroup.

    2. Go to the Manage Models tab or go to Home in the new UI

    3. Click the "New from File" button.

    4. Select the file you downloaded to upload the model.

Note: To add sample models to your workgroup in Comparion, please refer to Add Comparion Sample Models to Workgroup page for step-by-step instructions and additional details. This process allows Workgroup Managers to browse and select from a library of sample models or templates and add them to their workgroup for further use.

Templates in Your Workgroup

Your workgroup may also contain templates designed to simplify the process of creating models. These templates are predefined setups that can be customized further based on your project's requirements. For more information on templates, visit the Sample Templates Help Center.

COMPARION SAMPLE TEMPLATES

Comparion "templates" serves as a quick and convenient starting point for building models, ensuring consistency and ease of use across projects. Templates provide the foundational structure for models without including participant information, data, or results.

Below are templates designed for common use cases. Additionally, you may create your own templates from existing workgroup models by selecting the dropdown menu next to each model.

Comparion Sample Templates

APPLICATION (PURPOSE)	MODEL TEMPLATES	INDUSTRY
General	Project Selection	
General	Market Strategy Sample	
General	Corporate Performance According to the Balanced Scorecard	
General	Corporate Relocation Decision	
Risk Assessment	IT Portfolio Project Risk	Information Technology
Risk Assessment	Bio-Threat Risk Assessment	
Human Resource Management	Human Capital Portfolio Appraisal	
Human Resource Management	Project Manager Selection	
Procurement	Change Management System Selection	
Strategic Planning & Budgeting	Chemical Plant Capital Portfolio Management	Manufacturing

APPLICATION (PURPOSE)	MODEL TEMPLATES	INDUSTRY
Strategic Planning & Budgeting	DOE Stimulus Allocation Plan	Government
Strategic Planning & Budgeting	Hospital Capital Portfolio Management	Health care
Strategic Planning & Budgeting	IR&D Portfolio Management	
Strategic Planning & Budgeting	IT Portfolio Optimization	Information Technology
Strategic Planning & Budgeting	Supermarket Chain Portfolio Management	Retail
Vendor Selection	Docking and Berthing Solution Selection	
Vendor Selection	Human Resources Technology Selection	
Information Technology	IT Technology Program Acquisition Portfolio	
Market Research	Voice Of Customer Part I Market Segments Prioritization	
Market Research	Voice Of Customer Part 2_Market Segments Prioritization	

How to Download and Use Templates

Some sample templates were included in your starting workgroup. To download additional sample templates to your workgroup, and create models based on them:

1. Download the Template

2. Click the provided link to download the model template file (ahps).

3. Upload and Create a New Model

   a. Navigate to the Manage Models page.
   b. Click the New from File button.
   c. Select the downloaded file to upload the template and create a new model.

Additional Resources: Comparion Sample Models with Data

In addition to model templates (without data), your workgroup may also contain Comparion Sample Models (complete with

participants and judgment data). Comparion models are ideal for training purposes, as they let you showcase features such as sensitivity analysis, group differences, portfolio optimizations and more.

Explore Comparion Sample Models