## **Upload Data Grid**

After Downloading the Datagrid file of one of the participants, you can change data on the downloaded .xlsx file and upload it back to Comparion.

Note: We recommend utilizing the Datagrid upload functionality primarily for uploading Alternative scores or judgments. Adding Alternatives and their attributes can be conveniently accomplished from the Define Model > Alternatives page.

Entering or Changing Data for Uploading: Any of the cells ingreen can be changed either manually by pasting from the clipboard, or by using an Excel macro.

In order to edit the Datagrid, you need to click the Enable Editing button found at the top:

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From our example, John Doe has the following data:

All Methods																			
j.doe@eci.cor	m							Pairwise	Rating	Direct	UtilityCurve	StepFunction						]	
Ideal mode							Local ->	0.203	0.211	0.172	0.185	0.228							
							Global ->	0.203	0.211	0.172	0.185	0.228							
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	1.000	aeb1ac73	Alt1	1.000	0.627	0.271	0.358	0.519	Very Good	0.300	0.100	20.000	0.000	0.000	xx	10.000	1.110	category1	gory1, category2]
	2.000	f4f82708	Alt2	1.096	0.687	0.297	0.392	0.249	Good to Very Good	0.500	0.250	45.000	0.000	0.000	уу	20.000	2.220	category2	gory1, category2]
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We will edit the DataGrid of John Doe as follows:

- Rename Alt1 to Alt1\_rename.
- Delete Alt\_3.
- Add values for Costs (100, 200, 300).
- Change the Ratings (Good, Outstanding) for the two alternatives.
- Update the alternative attribute alt\_string (aaa, bbb) and alt\_categorical (category3,category4).
  - Note:
    - For non-categorical attributes, the values should satisfy the attribute type (string, integer, float, boolean), or else it will be ignored during upload.
    - For categorical attributes, if the category entered is not an existing category of the given attribute, the category will be added as a new category (in our example, category4 will be added as a new category).
    - For multi-categorical attributes, any changes will be ignored.
- Add new alternative'Alt4\_new" and add 0.2 rating, 0.7 direct priority, 0.5 Utility Curve and 60 Step Function data.

The Datagrid after the changes will look like below:

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j.doe@eci.com	n							Pairwise	Rating	Direct	UtilityCurv	StepFunction							
Ideal mode							Local ->	0.203	0.211	0.172	0.185	0.228							
							Global ->	0.203	0.211	0.172	0.185	0.228							
	# Alt	GUID	Alt Name	% Minimum	% Maximum	Normalized	Total	Pairwise	Ratings	Direct	Utility Curve	Step	Cost	P.Failur	att_string	att_intege	att_float	att_category	ratt_mu
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2.	.000 f4f8	32708	Alt2	1.096	1.000	0.523	0.392	0.249	Outstanding	0.500	0.250	45.000	200.000	0.000	bbb	20.000	2.220	category4	category
			Alt4_new						0.200	0.700	0.500	60.000							
add new Altern	natives a	bove t	his line																

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Note: Only the Project Managers can manage the alternatives (add, rename, delete) and update the Costs, Risks, and alternative attributes. For Participants, only changes for the judgments can be uploaded; any other changes will be ignored during the upload. In our example, John Doe is a Project Manager of the model.

After updating the Datagrid, simply save the file and upload it back in Comparion.

To upload, select John Doe and then click upload.

Select participant or participants group	John Doe	Unnormalized -	Ideal mode	- Download	Upload	Select Columns
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A model to browse for the file to upload will be displayed as shown below; click Choose File and browse for the DataGrid file, and then click the Upload button.

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	Data Grid Upload	
	Select file: Choose File No file chosen	
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## The resulting Datagrid is shown below:

Select participant	or partic	cipants g	roup: Jo	ohn Doe		• Unn	ormalized • Id	eal mode	•	Downloa	d Upload Se	lect Columns		
Attributes														
Alternatives	Cost	P.Failure	att_string	att_inte ger	att_float	att_category	att_multi	Total	Pairwise PW		Rating R	Direct	UtilityCurve UC	StepFunction
1 Alt1_rename	100	0	aaa	10	1.11	category3	category1, category2	0.2055		0	Good	0.300000119	0.100000015	20
2 Alt2	200	0	bbb	20	2.22	category4	category1, category2	0.43523		0	Outstanding	0.5	0.25	45
3 Alt4_new	0	0		0	0	category1	category1, category2	0.3812054		0	0.20000003	0.6999999881	0.5	60

Note: The categories are populated for the newly added alternative "Alt4\_new" even if they were not added by uploading the

.xlsx file; this is because these are defaults for the alternative attributes, which were specified from the Alternatives page.