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WordPress Research Assignment

Our company can save \$2,451,000 over a three-year period by implementing Wordpress. Wordpress is a blogging tool used primarily for developing web-based applications. By investing in Wordpress, our developers will assemble web-based applications faster and more efficiently to reduce cost and reap in benefits

Wordpress is a publishing platform that allows web developers to easily access plugins, widgets, and themes for a website. It is extendable by using themes and plugins, making it easier to customize and reduce coding. Plugins offer the ability to tailor sites to developers' needs. Wordpress provides all the tools required to build a web application just as well as regular coding in half the time. With this said, our company will not need as many developers to create a website, eliminating unnecessary web deveoplars.

The cost of wordpress is 174,000 over a three-year period of time which includes everything from hardware to training. The company benefits from this because it will increase efficiency by 77.8% and potentially cut 9. Our cost now is 4,500,000 for the current developer team and after wordpress upgrade our cost would be reduced to 18,750,000. Thus saving the company a total net benefit of 2,4510,00.

| Cost        | Year 1       | Year 2      | Year 3      | Total        |
|-------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| Training    | \$20,000.00  | 0           | 0           | \$20,000.00  |
| Maintenance | \$18,000.00  | \$18,000.00 | \$18,000.00 | \$54,000.00  |
| Software    | \$100,000.00 | 0           | 0           | \$100,000.00 |
|             |              |             | Total       | \$174,000.00 |

|                       | #of Devs | Salary  | Years        |           |
|-----------------------|----------|---------|--------------|-----------|
| Before Implementation | 12       | 125,000 | 3            | 4,500,000 |
| After Implementation  | 5        | 125,000 | 3            | 1,875,000 |
|                       |          |         | Total        | 2,625,000 |
|                       |          |         | Net Benefits | \$2451000 |

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