The writer of the memorandum predicts that for both increasing the total enrollment and solving budget problems of Hamuna university , online degree programs should be created and promoted immediately .However, this prediction cannot be accepted as it relies on a number of premises that can be challenged in many ways .

The first problem of the argument is that the writer assumes that the 50-percent increase in the enrollment of Omni University is a result of offering online degree programs . This assumption is not correct because it is possible that the students who were attending regular programs before have now substituted those courses with online programs . Consequently, the total number of enrollment has stayed still and there have been a decrease in enrollment of regular programs.

The second problem of the prediction is that the writer assumes that the decrease in expenditures for dormitory and classroom space is happened because the programs are internet-based .Maybe the expenditures have decreased because the university is no longer paying attention to the necessary repairments or the safety factors of those buildings . Additionally , maybe the total costs of maintaining a building has fallen comparing to the previous years . Therefore , holding the programs online does not necessarily help solve the budget problems .

The third problem is that the two Universities are compared in the wrong way and its thought that offering online degree programs has the same results in both cases . Maybe the courses held in the Omni University have the potential to be online , but those held in Hamuna university will not be as efficient if held in the same format . For example those programs requiring laboratory experiments are of the kind mentioned and even if the online version were available , students would not enroll in them . Also , holding classes online and closing the dormitories and classrooms may not result in lowering the expenditures since such classes need to be connected through expensive internet servers for a satisfying quality . Therefore , this may not be a solution to budget problems .

In the final study , the prediction of the president of Hamuna University cannot be taken to be applicable since it depends on a number of assumptions that each of which is questionable , as mentioned in previous paragraphs. therefore it can be concluded that instituting online degree programs will not necessarily help Hamuna both increase the total enrollment and solve the budget problems .This prediction is only acceptable if the conditions above are all taken into account carefully .