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Digging Into a Data Issue With the IDC Part B Data System Framework

Identify an issue that you would like to address using the IDC Part B Data System Framework. A series of questions are listed below. For each question, identify the component or components that may be part of a deeper dive to address the issue.

Example issues:

- *Discipline data reported on the state website are not consistent from year to year*
- *The state missed the deadline for federal reporting of Personnel data*
- *There is a high rate of staff turnover among LEA data entry staff*

Issue: [Enter Issue Here]	
Possible Questions for Inquiry	Related Framework Components
Are the data processed consistently from year to year?	
Are the applicable data definitions clear and understandable?	
Does the IT data system have adequate edit checks?	
How are these data used at the SEA?	
How are these data used at the LEA?	
What process is in place for improving the data collection process from one year to the next?	
What relationship is there between this data collection system and other IDEA data?	
What training opportunities exist for LEAs on collecting and submitting these data to the state?	



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What kinds of help desk questions does the state receive related to the submission of data?	
What reports or data products use these data, and what is the impact if the data are not accurate?	

Choose one or more of the components listed above to explore in greater depth. For that component, answer the following questions:

How does this component apply to the issue listed above?	
Which quality indicators in the component are most applicable to this issue?	
Which elements of data quality would you like to explore in greater depth in relation to this issue?	
Which guiding questions resonate the most with you in relation to this issue?	