

عمادة البحث العلمي

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(SCIENTIFIC REPORT)

The Scientific Method

Observation / Question

Topic for research and experimentation or question that needs to be answered

Research

Find out about the topic.

Hypothesis

Predict the outcome to the problem.

Experiment

Develop a procedure to test the hypothesis.

Collect Data

Record the results of the experiment.

Analysis

Examine the data.

Conclusion

Compare the hypothesis to the experiments results.



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TYPES OF REPORT

- **□** Progress Report
- **□** Recommendation Report
- ☐ Case Study
- **☐** Scientific Report



SCIENTIFIC REPORT

Document that describe

- Process
- Progress
- Results of technical or scientific research



PURPOSE OF SCIENTIFIC REPORT WRITING

- **☐** Sharing information with other scientists
- **☐** Review the research by other scientists
- ☐ To show what **progress** has been made







FORMAT OF GENERAL REPORT WRITING

Short report

Title

- Introduction
- Discussion
- Recommendations
- References



FORMAT OF GENERAL REPORT WRITING

Science report

- □ Title page
- ☐ Introduction
- Method & materials
- □ Results
- Discussion
- ☐ Conclusion
- References



THE REPORT ELEMENTS

Title Section

- ☐ Title page
- **□** Research title



ABSTRACT

- **□** Main objectives
- **☐** Briefly describe methods
- **□** Summarize the results
- **☐** Significance of report



ABSTRACT

limited to one page.
Highlight the purpose and importance of the proposed
project.
Brief description of the method.
The method includes subjects, procedures and methods
for data analysis.
Duration of the study
Conclusion

INTRODUCTION

- **□** Problem identifications
- **☐** Importance
- **□** Solution proposed
- ☐ Clear links between problem to solution
- **□** Deductive reasoning

The Introduction

• Gives a quick idea of the topic of the literature review, such as the central theme or organizational pattern.

METHODOLOGY

Method

- ☐ Research design
- **□** Sample
- ☐ Sampling strategy
- **☐** Assessment measures
- ☐ Procedure

Style and structure

- **□** past passive voice
- **□** written in chorological order i.e. time order



METHODOLOGY

- ☐ This section of your proposal has multiple parts
- Instrumentation and infrastructure
- Study groups and ethics
- Access to samples
- Data analysis

☐ Justify your method choice Show you understand the principles Prove feasibility of your study



Materials and Methods

Provide full details so that the experiments are reproducible

Describe the experimental design in detail.

Must identify accurately experimental animals, plants, and microorganisms used by genus, species and strain.

The source of subjects studied, number of individuals in each group used, their sex, age, and weight must be clearly stated.

Methods used for statistical analyses must be mentioned

Do not mix some of the results in this section Write in the past tense

RESULTS

What you found

- ☐ Key results
- ☐ Charts
- ☐ Graphs
- ☐ Figures
- **☐** Style and structure
- **active voice (past tense).**
- ☐ descriptive titles of figures and tables
- ☐ Figures and tables should be self-explanatory
- No interpretation of the data or conclusions about what the Data might mean are given in this section



DISCUSSION

Major findings

- ☐ Interpret results
- ☐ Relate to literature
- ☐ Final comment

Conclusion

- ☐ Recommendations
- ☐ Glossary
- **□** References







CONCLUSION

- ☐ A conclusion is not merely a summary of your
- **□** points or a restatement of your research problem
- ☐ Importance of good conclusion
- □ presenting the major issue you raised in report
- **□** Demonstrating the importance of your ideas
- ☐ Introducing possible new or expanded ways of

thinking.



RECOMMENDATIONS

Action to be taken based on the conclusion of the report

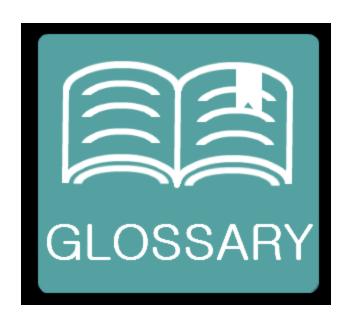




GLOSSARY

Alphabetical listing of key terms in the report





REFERENCES

• Use of recommend style







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