

What to include in analysis?

Discussion Section

How to draw conclusions?

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Data Analysis/Results Section

- Present ONLY the **findings** of your **study**.
- Data presented in tables, charts, graphs, and other figures
- Avoid discussing your results in the data analysis section.
- Explain how the data were summarized and what measures and tests were used.
- Make sure that you included the full name of statistical tests used.
- Report what software you used to gather and analyze your data.



Discussion

- Introduce new and relevant topic/s
- Do not simply restate findings
- Use consistent terminology that is understandable in the context of entire paper
- Clearly state the limitations of the study
- Provide logical extensions to your study
- Specify the avenues for additional future research



Checklist for Conclusion

- Does the conclusion retain the reader's interest in the subject and paper itself?
- Are most important components and contributions of the study highlighted?
- Is there something new in the conclusion that has not appeared elsewhere in the paper?
- Would the busy reader looking only at the introduction and conclusion understand the contribution of the paper?

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