

# Upgrade Study Advice

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## Abstract worksheet

Some projects may not lend themselves to this format – but if it looks as if it might work for you, give it a try.

Use one or two concise sentences to summarize the most important aspects of your project for each section listed below.

**Project Title** the same as the title of your paper/work

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**Introduction** What is this project about? Why is your research interesting or important?

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**Hypothesis** What did you think you would find? Why?

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**Methods** Briefly explain your methods - what you did.

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**Results** What did you find out?

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**Discussion** Is this what you expected? and in line with other studies? How/ how not? Why? or why not?

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**Conclusion** What is *your* interpretation of what these results mean? Why should anyone become excited about or interested in your findings?

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Adapted from a web site by Jock Irons

[http://www.uaf.edu/csem/ashsss/abstract\\_writing.html#worksheet](http://www.uaf.edu/csem/ashsss/abstract_writing.html#worksheet)

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