

## Sample (ξ): Research Paper Rubric

Criterion	Rating Scale		
	High	Average	Low
<b>Introduction</b>	Introduction is written in an attractive style for the reader, and structured from general to specific, explaining the importance of the research topic or its variables and the relationship between them	Introduction is written in a suitable style, and structured from general to specific, explaining the importance of the research topic or its variables, but does not clarify the relationship between them	Introduction is not written in a suitable style and is not structured from general to specific. It also does not explain the importance of the research topic, its variables, and the relationship between them
<b>Percentage: 10%</b>			
<b>Research Questions and objectives</b>	Research questions are properly formulated, are related to the topic, and are consistent with the objectives	Research questions are properly formulated, are related to the topic, but are not consistent with the objectives	Research questions are formulated in such a way that does not conform to the guidelines and requirements of creating research questions
<b>Percentage: 10%</b>			
<b>Literature Review</b>	Theoretical framework is complete and comprehensive, and directly relates to the topic and its variables. And multiple previous research-related studies, in two languages, are logically and sequentially presented, and are thoroughly and critically summarized	Theoretical framework is complete and comprehensive but does not directly relate to the topic and its variables. And multiple previous research-related studies, in two languages, are illogically and non-sequentially presented, and are superficially summarized	Theoretical framework is incomplete and does not directly relate to the topic and its variables. And multiple previous research-related studies, in two languages, are illogically and non-sequentially presented, and are not summarized, criticized, nor discussed
<b>Percentage: 20%</b>			
<b>Research Methodology</b>	Research procedures, design and components of the research tool(s) and methods of data analysis are precisely explained and linked to research questions. Also, clearly and logically discussed are the reasons behind selecting the research context and how the research sample was identified and ethically accessed	Research procedures, design and components of the research tool(s) and methods of data analysis are not precisely explained and linked to research questions. Also discussed, though superficially, are the reasons behind selecting the research context and how the research sample was identified and ethically accessed	Research procedures, design and components of the research tool(s) and methods of data analysis are not explained and linked to research questions. Also, the reasons behind selecting the research context and how the sample was identified and accessed is not clearly nor adequately discussed
<b>Percentage: 20%</b>			
<b>Originality of Topic</b>	Research reflects a novel, original, and current topic that had not been investigated	Research reflects an important topic that has been previously investigated in a few studies	Research reflects a topic that has been over-researched
<b>Percentage: 10%</b>			

<p><b>Scientific Writing</b></p>	<p>Paper is well written containing no spelling or grammatical errors and is logically sequenced, and the researcher's personality is evident in the analysis and connections</p>	<p>Paper is, in general, satisfactorily written containing some spelling or grammatical errors and is logically sequenced overall, and the researcher's personality is not evident in most of the analysis and connections</p>	<p>Paper, in general, is not well-written containing many spelling or grammatical errors and is not logically sequenced overall, and the researcher's personality is not evident in the analysis and connections</p>
<p><b>Percentage: 10%</b></p>			
<p><b>References and Resources</b></p>	<p>Information is cited in the body and reference list, and the latest version of the APA citation style is fully adhered to. And references are recent and diverse</p>	<p>Most of the information is cited in the body and reference list, and the latest version of the APA citation style is somewhat adhered to. Most of the references are recent and diverse</p>	<p>Most of the information is not cited in the body and reference list, and the latest version of the APA citation style is not adhered to. References are not recent nor diverse</p>
<p><b>Percentage: 10%</b></p>			