

Measurement and Single Case Design Final Rubric

The Scoring Scale for Paper Content:

- 4 OUTSTANDING: The criteria were thoroughly addressed according to the statement.
- 3 GOOD: The criteria are addressed but one or two major points are missing according to the statement
- 2 FAIR: The criteria are somewhat met but several major points are missing according to the statement
- 1 POOR: The criteria were not recognized or were extremely weak.
- 0 NOT INDICATED: The criteria was neither addressed nor mentioned.

The Scoring scale for simple APA style components.

- 2 The content has been provided and it is formatted according to the 6th edition style manual
- 1 The content has been provided but it is not formatted according to the 6th edition style manual
- 0 The content has not been provided

The Scoring scale for Relevance to Applied Behavior Analysis:

- 4 The content of the research represents the BACB's Guidelines for Responsible Conduct and principles outlined in "Some dimensions of applied behavior analysis" (Baer, Wolf, & Risley, 1968).
- 2 The content of the research weakly represents the BACB's Guidelines for Responsible Conduct and principles outlined in "Some dimensions of applied behavior analysis" (Baer, Wolf, & Risley, 1968).
- 0 The content has not been provided or does not represent the BACB's Guidelines for Responsible Conduct and principles outlined in "Some dimensions of applied behavior analysis" (Baer, Wolf, & Risley, 1968).

Section Break Down

1.0 Title Page	Total Points: 16
3.0 Rationale/Introduction	Total Points: 42
4.0 Methods	Total Points: 48
7.0 References	Total Points: 4
9.0 Relevance to ABA	Total Points: 20
	Total Points: 130 Points

1.0 Title Page	Scoring Option	Score Given
A title page is present.	0 1 2	
Running head with page number.	0 1 2	
Title is concise and identifies the variables under investigation and their relationship.	0 1 2 3 4	
Name includes first name, middle initial (I/A), and last name.	0 1 2	
Affiliation is identified.	0 1 2	
Proper spacing according to APA 6 th edition format.	0 1 2	
Proper placement according to APA 6 th edition format.	0 1 2	
	Total: 16 Points	
2.0 Rationale/Introduction		
Problem is placed into larger context.	0 1 2 3 4	
Literature is presented in context of importance and desirability.	0 1 2 3 4	
Relevant literature is synthesized that supports the topic.	0 1 2 3 4	
Problem narrows from broad context to specific concern (constituents).	0 1 2 3 4	
Most sources are recent, older sources are "Seminole" or original works.	0 1 2 3 4	
Prior research flaws and strengths are noted, especially methodological.	0 1 2 3 4	
Narrow statement of the problem that can be managed (specific problem).	0 1 2 3 4	
Research questions and/or hypotheses are specific enough for study and relate to problem.	0 1 2 3 4	
Independent and dependent variable relationship clearly stated.	0 1 2 3 4	
Dependent variable is measureable.	0 1 2 3 4	
The references in the body of the document are properly formatted.	0 1 2	
	Total: 42 Points	
3.0 Methods		
The sample is clearly defined.	0 1 2 3 4	
Procedures for selecting cases are thoroughly discussed.	0 1 2 3 4	
Support is given for generalizability (extraneous variables are held constant).	0 1 2 3 4	
Procedures are described well enough for others to replicate the study.	0 1 2 3 4	
Experimental manipulation is well described.	0 1 2 3 4	
Treatment fidelity is addressed.	0 1 2 3 4	
Instrument selected/developed for operationalization of the dependent variables is reliable and valid.	0 1 2 3 4	
Reliability information/data is provided.	0 1 2 3 4	
Validity information/data is provided.	0 1 2 3 4	
The appropriate data analysis procedure has been selected.	0 1 2 3 4	
Justification is made for design selection.	0 1 2 3 4	
Description of how the analysis will answer the	0 1 2 3 4	

research questions included.		
	Total: 48 Points	
4.0 References		
All references listed were cited in the body of the manuscript	0 1 2	
All references are formatted to APA 6 th edition style guidelines	0 1 2	
	Total: 4 Points	
9.0 Relevance to Applied Behavior Analysis		
The behavior selected for change investigates socially significant behaviors with immediate importance to the subject(s) or the field of ABA.	0 2 4	
Experimental control is explained.	0 2 4	
At least one of the interventions are behavior Analytic (There are instances where non-behavior analytic procedures may be compared).	0 2 4	
Client information was kept confidential.	0 2 4	
Mentalistic explanations were not utilized.	0 2 4	
Evidence of plagiarism was noted. This includes purposeful or accidental misuse or omission of appropriate citations, using exact words (e.g. copy/paste" without quotation marks, altering the data as to skew interpretation, or fabricating the data utilized in the results section.	If any one of these violations is identified in the work, the final score for the paper and the course will be an "F". In addition, the student will be reported and recommended for academic suspension.	
	Total Points: 20 Points	

