

## **What the Papers Say - Analysis Pro Forma**

This pro forma should be used as a guide when reading papers for discussion.

**Paper Title:**.....

**Authors:** .....

**Your Summary of Content of Paper:**

### **A: Quality of the Research**

<b>Item</b>	<b>Your Comments</b>
<i>1. Is the research question or objective clearly stated?</i>	
<i>2. Is the research question interesting and important?</i>	
<i>3. Is the work original?</i>	
<i>4. Is the background research clear and relevant?</i>	
<i>5. Are there any ethical problems?</i>	

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## **B: The Research Method**

<b>Item</b>	<b>Your Comments</b>
<i>Summarise the research method</i>	
<i>Does the research method seem appropriate for the research question?</i>	
<i>Are the methods adequately described?</i>	
<i>Were the analyses done correctly?</i>	
<i>Are the conclusions supported by the data?</i>	

## **C: Quality of Presentation**

<b>Item</b>	<b>Your Comments</b>
<i>Is the work well presented?</i>	
<i>Is the paper well structured?</i>	
<i>Are symbols, terms, and concepts adequately defined?</i>	
<i>Would additional tables, figures help to clarify the work?</i>	

## **D: Additional Notes**

<i>Use this section to record additional notes on the paper. In particular you should identify any links to other topics and papers from the module</i>	
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