

Laboratory Report Format

Title:

- Creative
- Informative
- Appropriate

Purpose/Problem: - Abstract

- Complete Sentence (1 paragraph Summary)
- Appropriate punctuation
- Clear

Introduction:

- Introduce topic
- Define terms
- State hypothesis

Materials:

- Listed in columns

Procedures:

- Numbered
- Complete Sentences
- Short, direct, one-step procedures

Results/Analysis:

- Data tables
- Graphs
- Calculations

Discussion:

- Interpretation of data, graphs, results, and analysis
- State findings and related to introduction
- Support findings with data, graphs, and/or analysis

Conclusion:

- Short – 2 to 3 sentences
- Refer back to purpose/problem
- Concisely state findings

*Do not write in first person!