Data abstract rubric

Maximum: 30 points

Criteria	Does not meet	Slightly meets	Somewhat meets	Mostly meets	Fully meets
Research question is clearly stated, specific, and answerable	0	0.75	1.5	2.25	3
Question is well-motivated using academic sources	0	0.75	1.5	2.25	3
Important literature discussed and linked to research question	0	1	2	3	4
Data set(s) used are clearly identified, appropriate, and cited	0	0.5	1	1.5	2
Empirical specification clearly (equation form), variables defined	0	1	2	3	4
Empirical strategy and proposed analysis shows critical thinking	0	0.5	1	1.5	2
Assertions are qualified and well supported	0	0.5	1	1.5	2
Discusses potential threats to interpretation and potential solutions	0	0.5	1	1.5	2
Cited references included in bibliography	0	0.5	1	1.5	2
Meets formatting requirements (length, paragraphs, etc.)	0	0.5	1	1.5	2
Writing style clear and easy to read. Few grammatical or typographical errors.	0	1	2	3	4

Total

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