Results

Possible organizations

Option 1	Option 2	Option 3	Option 4
Results *or* Data Analysis	Results *or* Data Analysis	Results and Discussion	Results *or* Data Analysis
Discussion	Discussion	Ø	Discussion and Conclusion(s)
Conclusion(s)	Ø	Conclusion(s)	Ø

General principles

◆ 1. Must be as dry as possible: you are stating the truth, only the truth. What you found.

◆ 2. NO interpretation in the result section. Zero tolerance.

◆ 3. Use as much illustration/visual presentation as possible. A picture is worth a thousand words (and your words are limited)

◆ 4. Present only the results that are relevant (cf. Abstract) and that you will discuss.

Structure

◆ Mainly dry statement of your findings.

◆ Sometimes involves simple statement of data analysis you used and explanation on why you used it.

◆ Following certain logic of statement

- From validation to findings
- From main effects to interactions
- From core to additional findings
- From behavioural to ERP/fMRI findings

The structure may vary with different fields.

Figures

◆A figure should be *standalone*.

◆Make your figures as beautiful as possible.

Tense

◆Use past simple tense