

Examples of APA Style – 7th Edition – Print

Listed below are sample reference entries using some of the most common print document types, based on the Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association, 7th ed.

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Note: Alphabetize and double-space the entire reference list. All lines after the first line of each entry in your reference list should be indented one-half inch from the left margin, this is a hanging indentation.

Book – edition

List, C. J. (2002). *Information research* (2nd ed.). Kendall/Hunt.

Book – multiple authors

Eisenberg, M. B., Lowe, C. A. & Spitzer, K. L. (2004). *Information literacy: Essential skills for the information age*. Libraries Unlimited.

Book – multiple editors

Kelly, M.C., & Kross, A. (Eds.). (2002). *Making the grade: Academic libraries and student success*. Association of College and Research Libraries.

Encyclopedia or dictionary

Sadie, S. (Ed.). (2001). *The new Grove dictionary of music and musicians* (2nd ed., Vols. 1-29). Macmillan.

Entry in an encyclopedia

Mowery, D. L. (2001). Biofuels. In *Macmillan encyclopedia of energy* (Vol. 1, pp. 157-166). Macmillan Reference Library.

Essay or article in a collection

Marti, E. J. (2005). Adjunct faculty as valued members of the academy. In D. L. Wallin (Ed.), *Adjunct faculty in community colleges* (pp. 43-52). Anker.

Magazine article

Pack, T. (2003, March). Websites for teachers. *Information Today*, 20(3), 20-28.

Newspaper article

Kalinowski, T. (2003, July 29). Summer school? Call it a camp. *Toronto Star*, B03.

Scholarly journal article

Hanks, P. (2000). Do work meanings exist? *Computers and the humanities*, 34, 205-215.

Articles reprinted from another source

Samples, J., & Basham P. (2008). Election 2002 and the problems of American democracy. In Lansford, E. (Ed.), *Voting rights: Opposing viewpoints* (pp. 93-98). Greenhaven Press. (Reprinted from *Policy Analysis*, 2002, September 5, 12-15).

Examples of APA Style – 7th Edition – Online

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- Digital object identifiers (DOIs) or URLs are now both presented as hyperlinks for electronic sources. (A DOI is a unique and persistent identification number assigned to a digital object).
- Academic database information and URLs are not usually included in citation entries, include when citing sources that are only available within a certain database. Always include DOIs.
- Use “Retrieved from” (preceding the URL or DOI) only when a retrieval date is also provided in the citation. Include retrieval dates if the source material may change over time.
- Provide surnames and initials for up to and including 20 authors. When there are two to 20 authors, use an ampersand before the final author’s name. **This is also true for print sources.**
- When there are 21 or more authors, include the first 19 authors’ names, insert an ellipsis (but no ampersand), and then add the final author’s name. **This is also true for print sources.**

For help with In-Text citations: <http://owl.english.purdue.edu/owl/resource/560/02/>

Journal article with DOI

Herbst-Damm, K. L., & J. A. (2005). Volunteer support, marital status and the survival times of terminally ill patients. *Health Psychology, 24*, 225-229. <https://doi.org/10.1037/0278-6133.24.2.225>

Journal article without a DOI with a non-database URL

Mask, P. R., & DePountis, V. (2018). The Impact of transition services in facilitating college degree for students with visual impairments: Post-bachelor’s degree perspectives. *Journal of Postsecondary Education and Disability, 31*(1), 5-15
2(2), 38-48. <https://www.ahead.org/professional-resources/publications/jped/archived-jped/jped-volume-31>

Online Magazine article from an academic database

O’Brien, G. (2020). Seizing the moment: Area leaders say momentum can generate action to address systemic racism. *BusinessWest, 36*(4), 6.

Online magazine article with a non-database URL

Clay, R. (2008, June). Science vs. ideology: Psychologists fight back about the misuse of research. *Monitor on Psychology, 39*(6). <https://www.apa.org/monitor/2008/06/ideology>

Online newspaper article with a non-database URL

Brody, J. E. (2007, December 11). Mental reserves keep brain agile. *The New York Times*.
<https://www.nytimes.com/2007/12/11/health/11iht-11brod.8685746.html>

Electronic books without a DOI from an academic database

Hescher, A. (2016). *Reading graphic novels: Genre and narration*. De Gruyter.

Electronic books with a non-database URL

Fleming, C. M. (2018). *How to be less stupid about race: On racism, white supremacy and the racial divide*. Beacon Press.
https://www.google.com/books/edition/_/Z1NqDwAAQBAJ?hl=en&gbpv=1&dq=http://books.google.com/books&printsec=frontcover

Entry in an online reference work

Graham, G. (2019). Behaviorism. In E. N. Zalta (Ed.), *The Stanford encyclopedia of philosophy* (Spring 2019 ed.). Stanford University.
<https://plato.stanford.edu/archives/spr2019/entries/behaviorism/>

Entry in an online reference work no author or editor

Merriam-Webster. (n.d.). Heuristic. In *Merriam-Webster.com dictionary*. Retrieved July 6, 2020, from
<http://www.m-w.com/dictionary/heuristic>

Webpage on a website with a group author

World Health Organization. (2018, May 24). *The top 10 causes of death*. <https://www.who.int/news-room/fact-sheets/detail/the-top-10-causes-of-death>

Webpage on a website with an individual author

Doane, M. (2020, June 30). *Beyond sustainable: A food system to restore the planet*. The Nature Conservancy. <https://www.nature.org/en-us/what-we-do/our-insights/perspectives/regenerative-agriculture-food-system-restore-planet/>

Webpage on a website with no date

National Institute of Mental Health (n.d.). *Depression*.
<https://www.nimh.nih.gov/health/topics/depression/index.shtml>

YouTube video

Kamin, H. S., Lee, C. L. & McAdoo, T. L. (2019, October 25). *What's new in APA style—Inside the seventh edition of the publication manual of the APA*. [Video]. YouTube.
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jOVZp8m0PCM>

Academic Search Ultimate

Turner, R. E., & Rabalais, N. N. (2003, June). Linking landscape and water quality in the Mississippi River basin for 200 years. *Bioscience*, 53(6), 563-572.
[https://doi.org/10.1641/0006-3568\(2003\)053\[0563:LLAWQI\]2.0.CO;2](https://doi.org/10.1641/0006-3568(2003)053[0563:LLAWQI]2.0.CO;2)

CultureGrams

Peru (2020). *CultureGrams Online Edition*. Proquest.
http://online.culturegrams.com/world/world_country.php?cid=125&cn=Peru

Gale eBooks--Reference

Gilman, L. (2008). Ethanol. In B. W. Lerner & K. L. Lerner (Eds.), *Climate change: In context*. Gale. (Vol. 1, pp. 355-360).

JSTOR

Ashworth, A. E. (1968). The sociology of trench warfare 1914-18. *The British Journal of Sociology*, 19, 407-423. <https://doi.org/10.2307/588181>

Nursing Reference Center

Smith, N., & Karakashian, A. L. (2018). Gout. In D. Pravikoff (Ed.), *CINAHL Nursing Guide*. Ebsco Publishing.
<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&AuthType=ip,sso&db=nrc&AN=T700304&site=nrc-live&custid=s8990701>