

ACADEMIC WORD LIST 1

Most common form	Other words in the family
analysis	analyse, analysed, analyser, analysers, analyses, analysing, analyst, analysts, analytic, analytical, analytically
approach	approachable, approached, approaches, approaching, unapproachable
area	areas
assessment	assess, assessable, assessed, assesses, assessing, assessments, reassess, reassessed, reassessing, reassessment, unassessed
assume	assumed, assumes, assuming, assumption, assumptions
authority	authoritative, authorities
available	availability, unavailable
benefit	beneficial, beneficiary, beneficiaries, benefited, benefiting, benefits
concept	conception, concepts, conceptual, conceptualisation, conceptualise, conceptualised, conceptualises, conceptualising, conceptually
consistent	consist, consisted, consistency, consistently, consisting, consists, inconsistencies, inconsistency, inconsistent
constitutional	constituencies, constituency, constituent, constituents, constitute, constituted, constitutes, constituting, constitution, constitutions, constitutionally, constitutive, unconstitutional
context	contexts, contextual, contextualise, contextualised, contextualising, decontextualised, uncontextualised
contract	contracted, contracting, contractor, contractors, contracts
create	created, creates, creating, creation, creations, creative, creatively, creativity, creator, creators, recreate, recreated, recreates, recreating
data	-
definition	definable, define, defined, defines, defining, definitions, redefine, redefined, redefines, redefining, undefined
derived	derivation, derivations, derivative, derivatives, derive, derives, deriving
distribution	distribute, distributed, distributing, distributional, distributions, distributive, distributor, distributors, redistribute, redistributed, redistributes, redistributing, redistribution
economic	economical, economically, economics, economies, economist, economists, economy, uneconomical
environment	environmental, environmentalist, environmentalists, environmentally, environments
established	disestablish, disestablished, disestablishes, disestablishing, disestablishment, establish, establishes, establishing, establishment, establishments
estimate	estimated, estimates, estimating, estimation, estimations, over-estimate, overestimate, overestimated, overestimates, overestimating, underestimate, underestimated, underestimates, underestimating
evidence	evidenced, evident, evidential, evidently
export	exported, exporter, exporters, exporting, exports
factors	factor, factored, factoring
financial	finance, financed, finances, financially, financier, financiers, financing
formula	formulae, formulas, formulate, formulated, formulating, formulation, formulations, reformulate, reformulated, reformulating, reformulation, reformulations
function	functional, functionally, functioned, functioning, functions
identified	identifiable, identification, identifies, identify, identifying, identities, identity, unidentifiable

STUDY TIPS

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income	incomes
indicate	indicated, indicates, indicating, indication, indications, indicative, indicator, indicators
individual	individualised, individuality, individualism, individualist, individualists, individualistic, individually, individuals
interpretation	interpret, interpretations, interpretative, interpreted, interpreting, interpretive, interprets, misinterpret, misinterpretation, misinterpretations, misinterpreted, misinterpreting, misinterprets, reinterpret, reinterpreted, reinterprets, reinterpreting, reinterpretation, reinterpretations
involved	involve, involvement, involves, involving, uninvolved
issues	issue, issued, issuing
labour	laboured, labouring, labours
legal	illegal, illegality, illegally, legality, legally
legislation	legislate, legislated, legislates, legislating, legislative, legislator, legislators, legislature
major	majorities, majority
method	methodical, methodological, methodologies, methodology, methods
occur	occurred, occurrence, occurrences, occurring, occurs reoccur, reoccurred, reoccurring, reoccurs
percent	per cent, percentage, percentages
period	periodic, periodical, periodically, periodicals, periods
policy	policies
principle	principled, principles, unprincipled
procedure	procedural, procedures, proceed, proceeded, proceeding, proceedings, proceeds
process	processed, processes, processing
required	require, requirement, requirements, requires, requiring
research	researched, researcher, researchers, researches, researching
response	respond, responded, respondent, respondents, responding, responds, responses, responsive, responsiveness, unresponsive
role	roles
section	sectioned, sectioning, sections
sector	sectors
significant	insignificant, insignificantly, significance, significantly, signified, signifies, signify, signifying
similar	dissimilar, similarities, similarity, similarly
source	sourced, sources, sourcing
specific	specifically, specification, specifications, specificity, specifics
structure	restructure, restructured, restructures, restructuring, structural, structurally, structured, structures, structuring, unstructured
theory	theoretical, theoretically, theories, theorist, theorists
variables	invariable, invariably, variability, variable, variably, variance, variant, variants, variation, variations, varied, varies, vary, varying

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