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Paper 1 Cognition and Behaviour

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- **a calculator.**

INSTRUCTIONS

- **Use black ink or black ball-point pen.**
- **Answer ALL questions.**
- **You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do not write on blank pages.**
- **If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book. Write the question number against your answer(s).**
- **Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.**



INFORMATION

- **The marks for questions are shown in brackets.**
- **The maximum mark for this paper is 100.**
- **Question 11 is a synoptic question in which you will be rewarded for your ability to draw together different areas of knowledge and understanding from across the full course of study.**
- **Questions should be answered in continuous prose. You will be assessed on your ability to:**
 - **use good English**
 - **organise information clearly**
 - **use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.**

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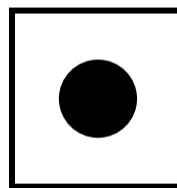
SECTION A**MEMORY**

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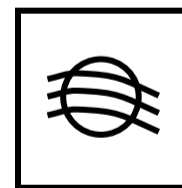
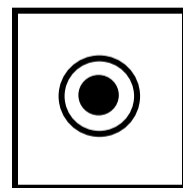
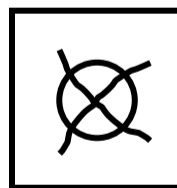
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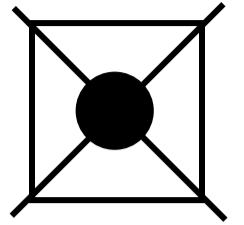
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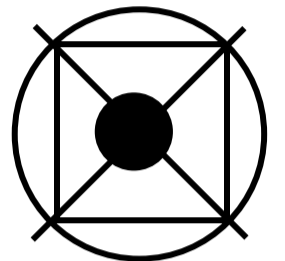
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Which TWO of the following statements about the reconstructive theory of memory are correct?

Shade TWO boxes. [2 marks]

A Cultural and social expectations will not affect recall.

B Information flows through sensory, short-term and long-term memory.

C Memory involves effort after meaning.

D Memory is like a video recording.

E The way we store and recall information is an active process.



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Briefly evaluate the reconstructive theory of memory. [2 marks]

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Read the following article.

TJ had a cycling accident which caused brain damage. He now suffers from some memory loss. He cannot recall what he ate or was wearing the day before. He remembers that London is the capital of England and that the Eiffel Tower is in Paris. TJ has also not forgotten how to play the piano and he can still ride his bike.



03.1

Use the article to identify TWO examples of procedural memory, TWO examples of semantic memory and TWO examples of episodic memory.

Write your answers in the correct boxes. [6 marks]

	PROCEDURAL MEMORY	SEMANTIC MEMORY	EPISODIC MEMORY
EXAMPLE 1			
EXAMPLE 2			

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03.2

Psychologists sometimes study unique individuals like TJ using a case study.

Briefly evaluate the use of case studies in psychological research. [3 marks]

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You have been asked to investigate the effect of interference on the accuracy of memory.

Describe how you would design an experiment to do this.

You need to include:

- what participants would be asked to do**
- a suitable hypothesis for your experiment**
- the results that you expect to find.**

[6 marks]





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Murdock investigated the effects of serial position on recall.

**Describe AND evaluate this study.
[6 marks]**

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SECTION B**PERCEPTION**

Answer ALL questions in the spaces provided.

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Gilchrist and Nesberg investigated the effect of motivation on perception.

Which TWO of the following statements about their study are correct?

**Shade TWO boxes, on the opposite page.
[2 marks]**



- A The control group perceived images of food to be brighter than the food-deprived group.**
- B The independent variable was whether participants were deprived of food or not.**
- C The participants were shown slides of four different meals.**
- D The study used a repeated measures design.**
- E The study was a field experiment.**

[Turn over]



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Which ONE of the following is a description of occlusion?

Shade ONE box. [1 mark]

A Distant objects are seen or shown as being higher in the visual field compared to items that are nearer.

B The larger objects in the visual field appear to be closer than the smaller objects.

C Where an object covers part of another object in the visual field, it appears to be closer.

D Where parallel lines appear to meet in the visual field, they are seen to be further away.



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Read the following information.

A researcher investigated the effect of emotion on perception. She used two groups of participants.

Participants in Group A had been identified as having a mild fear of spiders. Participants in Group B did not have a fear of spiders.

She showed each participant a photo of a spider. Then she asked them to estimate the length of the spider. She recorded the estimated length of the spider for each participant.

The estimated length of the spider, in millimetres, for each participant in Group A and Group B is shown in TABLE 1, on pages 22 and 23.

[Turn over]





TABLE 1 The estimated length of the spider, in millimetres, for each participant in Group A and Group B.

Participant	Group A: mild fear of spiders	Participant	Group B: no fear of spiders
1	65	11	62
2	72	12	80
3	80	13	88
4	59	14	79
5	161	15	82
6	102	16	75



7	75	17	105
8	130	18	79
9	96	19	92
10	90	20	64
Total	930	Total	806

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08.1

The range of estimated lengths for the spider for participants in Group B was 43 mm.

Use the information in TABLE 1, on pages 22 and 23, to calculate the range of estimates for participants in Group A.

Show your workings, on the opposite page. [2 marks]



Workings:

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Range of estimates for participants in Group A

_____ mm

[Turn over]



08.2

The mean estimated length of the spider in Group A was 93 mm.

Use the information in TABLE 1, on pages 22 and 23, to calculate the mean estimated length of the spider in Group B.

State your answer using TWO significant figures AND show your workings, on the opposite page. [3 marks]



Workings:

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Mean estimated length of the spider in Group B

_____ mm

[Turn over]

09

Read the following information.

Following eye surgery, Ava wears an eye patch to cover her left eye for one week. She notices that wearing the eye patch makes her clumsy and she often bumps into furniture as she moves around her house.

Outline ONE binocular depth cue that affects how people judge distance.

**Refer to Ava's experience in your answer.
[4 marks]**



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Describe Gregory's constructivist theory of perception. [4 marks]

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Bruner and Minturn investigated the effect of expectation on perception.

Describe this study.

Evaluate the research method used in this study. [9 marks]

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SECTION C**DEVELOPMENT**

Answer ALL questions in the spaces provided.

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Which ONE of the following is an example of a visualiser learning style?

Shade ONE box. [1 mark]

A Drawing a diagram

B Listening to a podcast

C Talking about an idea

D Writing a list of key terms



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What is meant by 'praise' in the context of learning? [2 marks]

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50 teachers were asked whether they were more likely to praise student effort or student performance.

37 of these teachers said they were more likely to praise student effort.

Calculate the fraction of teachers who were more likely to praise student performance. [1 mark]



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Read the following information.

Two doctors are discussing factors that influence the brain development of a baby before it is born.

“The mother’s genes play a key role,” says Doctor Kumar.

“I agree,” replies Doctor Andersson, “but the quality of a mother’s diet during pregnancy also affects how the brain develops. A healthy balanced diet is very important.”





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Read the following information.

A survey of employees highlighted some differences between two restaurant businesses.

Zuppa is a business that focuses on employee performance and recruiting talented people. Risk taking is not encouraged and people who work at Zuppa often say they dislike challenges.

Bravas places a higher value on the hard work of employees and only recruits people who show willingness to develop new skills. It encourages risk taking, and employees who work in Bravas say they enjoy challenges.



Describe AND evaluate Dweck's mindset theory of learning.

In your answer, refer to the mindset encouraged by BOTH restaurant businesses in the information given on page 48. [9 marks]

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SECTION D**RESEARCH METHODS**

Answer ALL questions in the spaces provided.

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Which ONE of the following is a feature of an interview?

Shade ONE box. [1 mark]

A Changing an independent variable in a controlled environment

B Directly asking people questions

C Investigating a specific group in depth

D Watching the behaviour of a group of people



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Which ONE of the following is most likely to achieve a representative sample?

Shade ONE box. [1 mark]

A Opportunity

B Random

C Stratified

D Systematic

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Name the descriptive statistic that is calculated by ordering the values in a set of data then selecting the middle value.

[1 mark]



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**Define what is meant by ‘secondary data’.
[2 marks]**

[Turn over]



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Read the following information.

A psychologist investigated whether an environmental cue could influence participant behaviour.

The environmental cue he used was smell.

He asked 60 participants to sit at a desk and complete a questionnaire. When they had completed the questionnaire, he gave each of them a doughnut as a reward.

30 of the participants completed the questionnaire in a room that smelled of cleaning product (the smell group). The other 30 participants completed the questionnaire in a room that did not smell of cleaning product (the no smell group).



The psychologist recorded whether each participant cleaned their desk after eating their doughnut.

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Identify the dependent variable AND both conditions of the independent variable in this experiment.

Write your answers in the correct spaces provided. [3 marks]

Dependent variable _____

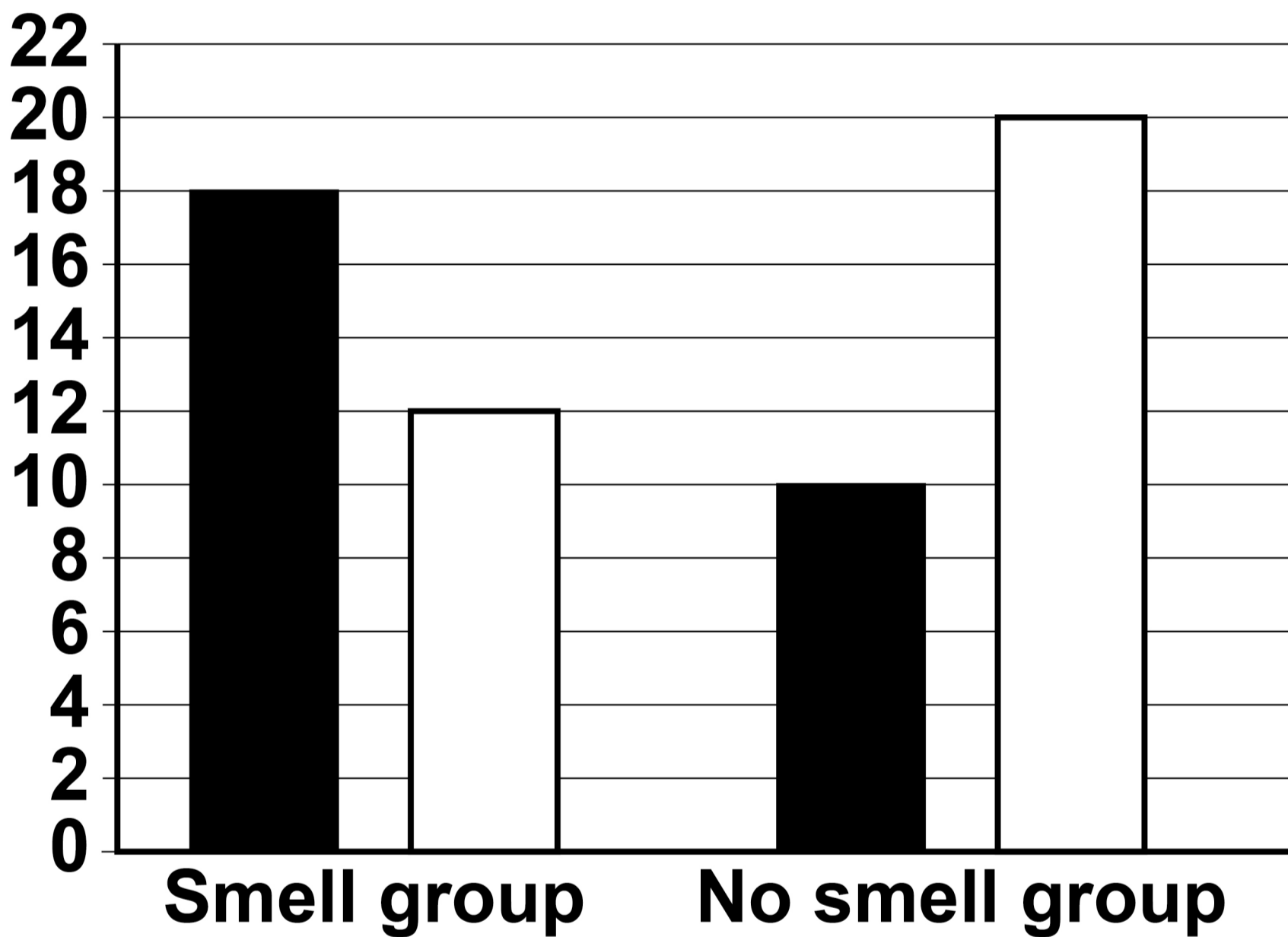
Independent variable _____

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FIGURE 1 Bar chart to show the number of participants who did and did not clean their desk in the smell and no smell groups.

Number of participants



KEY

- Number of participants who cleaned their desk
- Number of participants who did not clean their desk

22.2

The results of this experiment are shown in FIGURE 1, on page 60.

Use this information to complete the table below. [2 marks]

	Smell group	No smell group
Number of participants who cleaned their desk	18	
Number of participants who did not clean their desk	12	

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22.3

33.3% of participants cleaned their desk in the no smell group.

Calculate the percentage of participants who cleaned their desk in the smell group.

Use the information from QUESTION 22.2, on page 61.

Show your workings. [2 marks]

Workings:

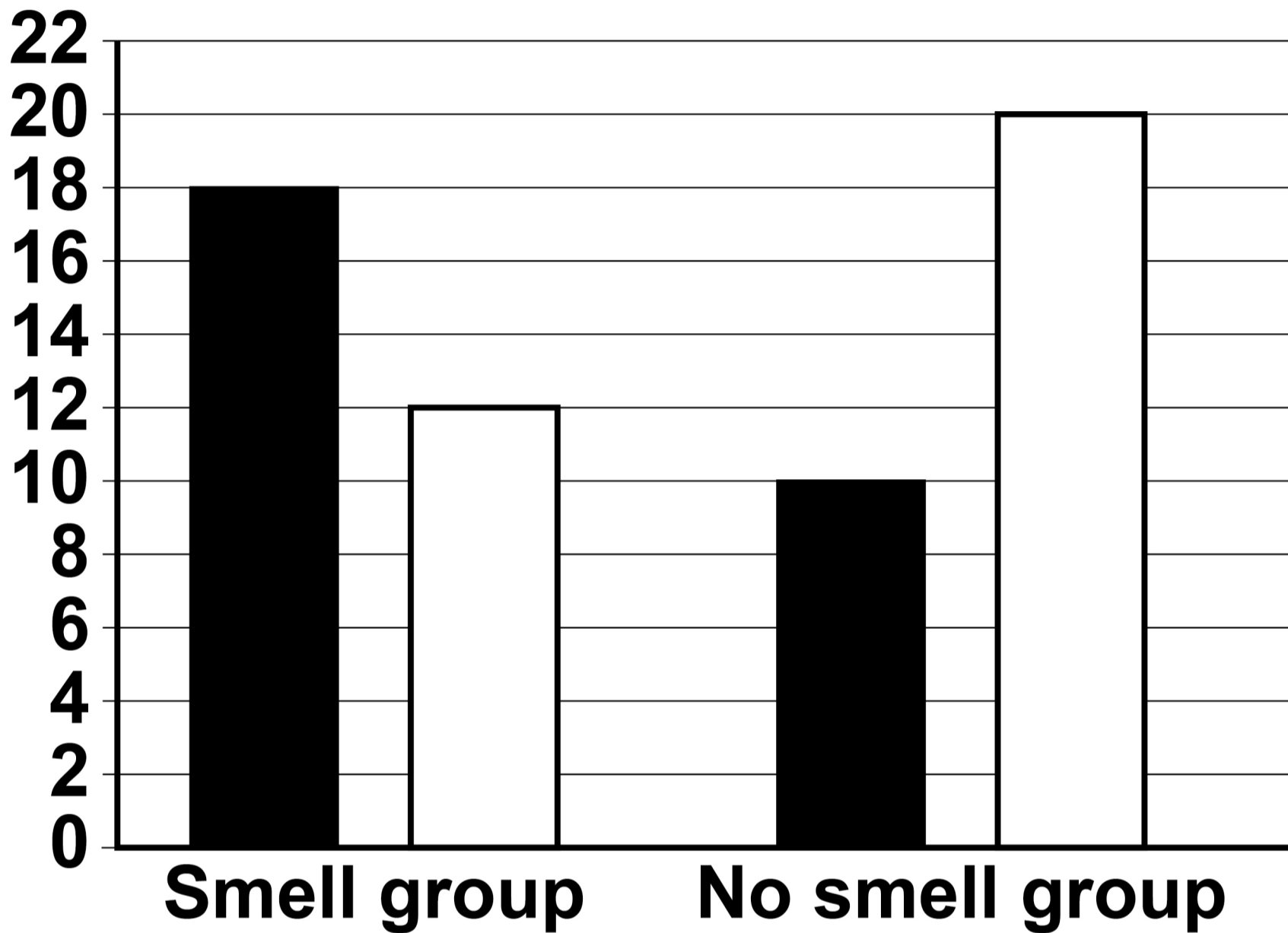
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REPEAT OF FIGURE 1

Number of participants



KEY

- Number of participants who cleaned their desk
- Number of participants who did not clean their desk

22.4

State whether the environmental cue of smell did or did not influence participant behaviour in this experiment.

Use the data in FIGURE 1, on page 64, to explain your answer. [3 marks]

[Turn over]





22.5

Name the experimental design used by the psychologist in this study.

Explain your answer. [2 marks]

Experimental design _____

Explain your answer

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Explain ONE weakness of using the experimental design you named in QUESTION 22.5, on page 67. [2 marks]



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Evaluate the use of correlations in psychological research. [6 marks]

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