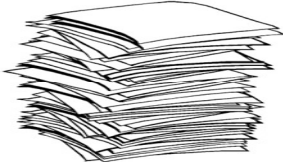


## Peer-Reviewed Article--General Characteristics



Journal articles tend to have longer **page counts**, 10 pages or more.

**Titles** are less creative and tend to be longer in length with multiple parts separated by colons

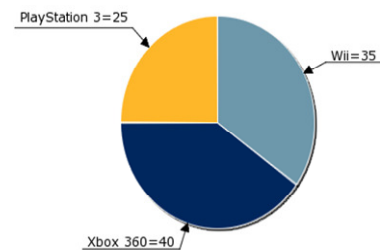
*10 ways to be trendy on a budget*

VS.

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**Abstracts** often accompany scholarly articles along with section headers dedicated to methodology, results, and implications

**Illustrations** of results in table or graphic format that are more functional than visually dazzling, although with data visualization tools, some graphic presentations are more eye-catching



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