

ACADEMIC RESEARCH FINDINGS COMPARISON

Research Topic: _____

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VARIABLE / STUDY	STUDY A (AUTHOR/YEAR)	STUDY B (AUTHOR/YEAR)	SYNTHESIS/NOTES
Methodology	Quantitative / Longitudinal	Qualitative / Case Study	Divergent approaches; A focuses on scale, B on depth.
Sample Size (n)	n = 1,250	n = 45	Significant difference in statistical power.
Key Findings	Strong correlation between variable X and Y ($p < 0.05$).	Variable X influence is mediated by cultural context.	Findings are complementary; context is a critical mediator.
Limitations	Self-reporting bias.	Limited generalizability.	Triangulation required for future validation.
Conclusion	Hypothesis confirmed.	Hypothesis partially supported.	General consensus on core mechanism.

Cross-Study Discrepancies & Anomalies