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| A | = aquifer area |
| Ar | = artificial ground water aquifer |
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# INTRODUCTION

## Background of the Study

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Each paragraph should have at least 4 sentences or 8 to 10 lines. Paragraphs of more than 6 sentences (more than 12 lines) should be split into two paragraphs. Follow the appropriate structure of writing a clear paragraph. Consult your adviser about the subsections. Maintain one space between the last line of this section and the next subsection.

## Statement of the Problem

Write approximately three paragraphs only. Each paragraph should have at least 4 sentences. Paragraphs of more than 6 sentences should be split into two paragraphs. Follow the appropriate structure of writing a clear paragraph.

## [Research Questions- Discuss with your adviser.]

Introduce your research questions in one sentence followed by a bulleted list, left-aligned.

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As there is very little space left for the table on this page, present the table on the next page. You can add more content in this section. The description should be as close to the table or figure as possible.

**Table 2.1**

*Means and Standard Deviations of Scores on Baseline Measures*

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| Scale | High BAS group | Moderate BAS group | *p* |
| BAS-T | 46.17 (2.87) | 37.99 (1.32) | <.001 |
| SR | 17.94 (1.88) | 11.52 (1.84) | <.001 |
| BDI | 7.11 (6.50) | 6.18 (6.09) | .254 |
| ASRM | 6.46 (4.01) | 5.63 (3.69) | .109 |
| M-SRM | 11.05 (3.36) | 11.76 (2.75) | .078 |

*Note*. This can be used to describe the contents of the table (e.g., definitions of abbreviations, copyright attributions). Some tables do not require table notes. BAS = Behavioral Activation System; BAS-T = Behavioral Activation System-Total scores from the Behavioral Inhibition System/Behavioral Activation System Scales; SR = Sensitivity to Reward scores from the Sensitivity to Punishment and Sensitivity to Reward Questionnaire; BDI = Beck Depression Inventory scores; ASRM = Altman Self-Rating Mania Scale scores; M-SRM = Modified Social Rhythm Metric Regularity scores. You can set ALL *Notes* at 11 font size and 1.5 line spacing.

a *n* = 50. Specific notes are identified in the body with a superscript and refer to a particular column, row, or cell. Place a space after the superscript letter.

\* *p* < .05. \*\* *p* < .01. \*\*\* p<.001.

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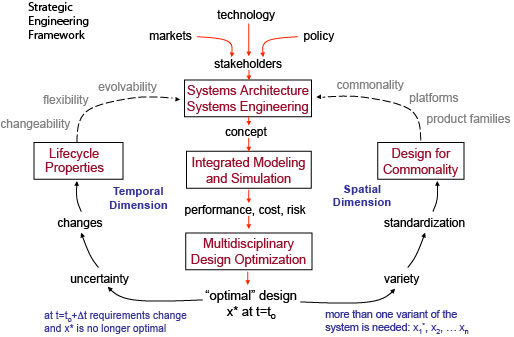
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**Figure 2.1**

*Strategic Engineering Framework*



*Note.* The first step in [Systems Engineering](http://strategic.mit.edu/systems.php) is to carefully consider the [Architecture](http://strategic.mit.edu/systems.php) that the system should or could have. This results in an initial choice of **concept**that needs to be better understood in terms of its anticipated **performance, cost, and risk profile**. This is where [Integrated Modeling and Simulation](http://strategic.mit.edu/simulation.php) can be very helpful. Finally, we want to "fine tune" the design of the system so that it optimally meets the various objectives and constraints that have been laid out. Ideally, [Multidisciplinary Design Optimization](http://strategic.mit.edu/optimization.php) will yield an **"optimal" design x\***at the end of this process.

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Everyone on the research team belonged to a stigmatized group but also held privileged identities. Throughout the research process, we attended to the ways in which our privileged and oppressed identities may have influenced the research process, finding, and presentation of results. (p. 311)

Block quotations sometimes consist of two or more paragraphs. Indent the first line of each subsequent paragraph, an additional 0.5 in. The next example shows a block quotation with parenthetical citation consisting of two paragraphs.

In order to accurately estimate whether people are likely to form positive or negative expectations on any given occasion, it is necessary to go beyond simply considering chronic individual differences and identify the factors that make people more likely to form expectations in line with one bias or the other…

The present research sheds light on this issue by identifying a crucial distinction in the operation of these two trait biases in expectation formation. Specifically, people’s valence weighting biases and self-beliefs about the future appear to shape expectations via qualitatively distinct processes. (Niese et al., 2019, p. 210)

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2. Present a quotation of 40 words or more in a block quotation indented below the text (2.3.1, Page 6).

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Goldwater, M. (2020, February 23). Dr Micah Goldwater discusses pseudoscience [Interview]. All in the mind with Sana Qadar: Suckers for pseudoscience. ABC Radio National. <https://www.abc.net.au/radionational/>

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In focus group discussions, participants described their postretirement experiences, including the emotions associated with leaving work and its affective and practical implications. “Rafael” (64 years old, retired pilot) mentioned several difficulties associated with retirement, including feeling like he was “in a void without purpose . . . it took several months to develop new interests that motivated [him] each day.” Several other participants agreed, describing the entrance into retirement as “confusing,” “lonely,” “purposeless,” and “boring.” In contrast, others described the sense of “balance” and “relaxation” retirement brought to their lives.

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## Chapter Summary

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# APPENDICES

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