



## American Psychological Association

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#### *Overview*

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*Update Frequency:* Weekly. Note: Not every journal will have new data each week.

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#### *Overview*

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Focuses primarily on unpublished tests, those developed by researchers but not made commercially available

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