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Paragraph [Times New Roman 12]

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- 2.1 Objectives and hypotheses [Times New Roman 12 Insert only one space after the last number of the subsection].

Paragraph

2.2 Data and methods

Paragraph

Table 1

Figure 1

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Zarzuri (2016, p. 15) states that this type of militant "who surrendered his 'I' to the organisation, dissolving himself in it".

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