# In-Text Citations

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# References List

Start your alphabetized list of references on a new page and use hanging indentation. Only include articles & data cited within the body of the text. **Do not copy-paste a citation from elsewhere without checking the format.** Even automatic citation generators cannot be trusted to format correctly! We want to be consistent within DEVELOP. Include a Digital Object Identifier (DOI) for NASA and other satellite data products, as well as all journal articles for which it is available. Use the commented examples below as templates. You should be able to copy-paste these into your Project Summary or Technical Paper with formatting intact. Then, just replace with your source’s information!

**References should be in APA 7 formatting.**

The [Purdue Online Writing Lab APA Citation Guide](https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/research_and_citation/apa_style/apa_style_introduction.html) is a great resource!

Reach out to the Project Coordination team if you have questions!

**Journal Article:**

Lacaux, J. P., Tourre, Y. M., Vignolles, C., Ndione, J. A., & Lafaye, M. (2007). Classification of ponds from high-spatial resolution remote sensing: Application to Rift Valley Fever epidemics in Senegal. *Remote Sensing of Environment*,*106*(1), 66–74. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.rse.2006.07.012>

**Report by a Government Agency / Organization:**

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Association & U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. (2019). Recovery plan for the Gulf of Maine distinct population segment of Atlantic salmon (*Salmo salar)*. https://media.fisheries.noaa.gov/dam-migration/final\_recovery\_plan2.pdf

O’Brien, R. A. (1999). *Forest resources of the Flathead National Forest.* United States Department of Agriculture, Forest Service, Rocky Mountain Research Station. https://www.fs.fed.us/rm/ogden/pdfs/flathead.pdf

**Previous DEVELOP Project (cited in the style of an unpublished manuscript):**

Hietpas, K., Ochoa-Madrid, E., Williams, E., & Spencer, O. (2021). *Fairfax Water Resources: Estimating urban flood susceptibility, historical flooding extent, and land cover change in Fairfax County, Virginia to aid in flood mitigation planning* [Unpublished manuscript]. NASA DEVELOP National Program, Virginia – Langley.

**Webpage:**

The amount of information available for citing a webpage varies widely. At a minimum, the full URL or DOI should be provided. Any further information (author names, date) should also be provided if available. **Do not include** “Retrieved Month Date, Year, from URL” unless you anticipate that the page is updated or edited over time. (Including this was more common under APA 6.)

The skeleton:

Lastname, F. M. (Year, Month Date). *Title of page*. Site name. URL

An example:

Donges, N. (2021, September 16). *A complete guide to the random forest algorithm*. Built In. https://builtin.com/data-science/random-forest-algorithm

**Data:**

This one tends to be more complicated, but it’s important to cite your data! Here is the formatting skeleton:

Lastname, F. M. or Name of Group (data release year). *Title of dataset* (Version No.) [Data set]. Data Archive/Publisher/Distributor. Retrieval date, if relevant. Data locator/identifier (DOI or URL)

...and here is an example for a Terra MODIS product:

Wan, Z., Hook, S., & Hulley, G. (2021). *MODIS/Terra Land Surface Temperature/Emissivity Daily L3 Global 1km SIN Grid* (V061) [Data set]. NASA EOSDIS Land Processes DAAC. Retrieved January 20, 2022, from https://doi.org/10.5067/MODIS/MOD11A1.061