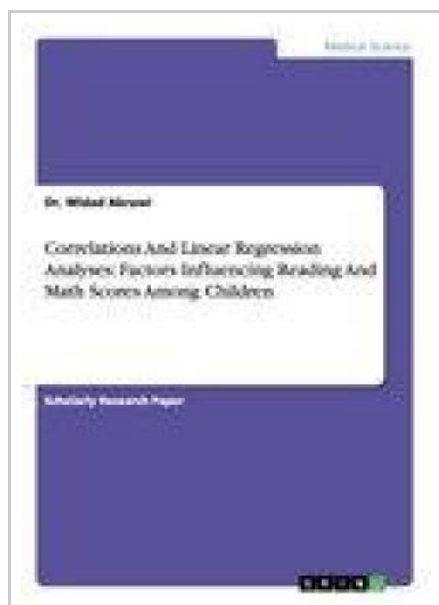




Correlations And Linear Regression Analyses: Factors Influencing Reading And Math Scores Among Children

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