## Deductive

General Observation/Ruling to Specific Thesis/Conclusion

A strong truth is established; your argument is validated.

- Literary Analysis
- Humanities

## Inductive

Specific Observation to General Thesis/Conclusion

A possible truth is established; your observations can apply to a worldly awareness.

Further verification or modification may be necessary.

- Scientific Theories
- Moral / Ethical discussions
- Legal documentations

## Abductive

Incomplete Observations to Probable Theory/ Best Prediction

A possible truth is established; your argument raises additional studies.

Further verification may be necessary.

- Medical Diagnosis Papers
- Jury Selection