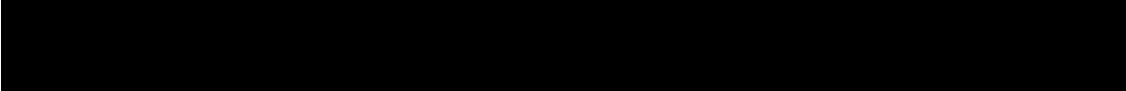


**3<sup>rd</sup> East Kilbride Scout Group – Trustees Annual Report**

**Year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025**

The Executive Committee has pleasure in presenting their report together with financial statements and independent examiners report for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025.

**Name & Address**

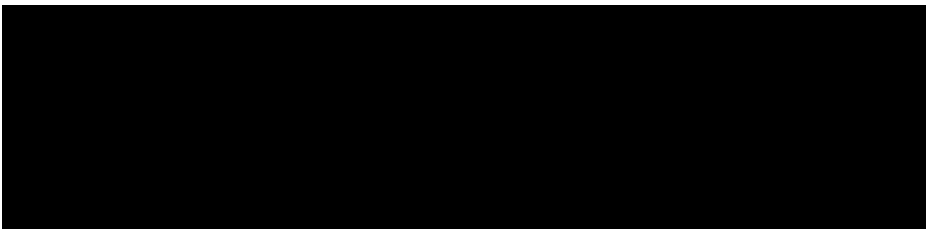
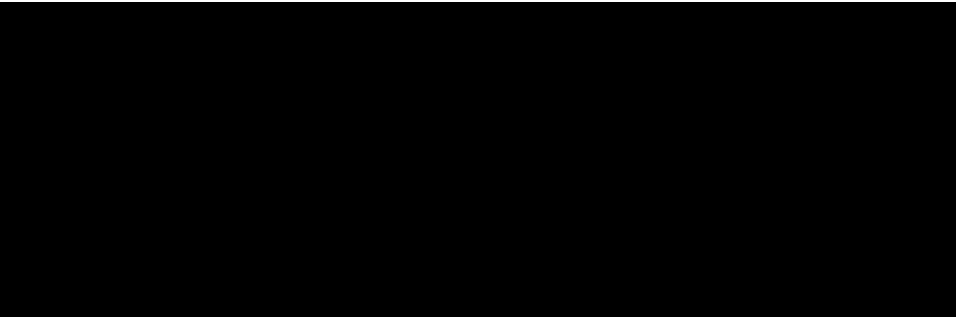


**Constitution & Purpose**

The Scout Group is constituted in terms of the Policy Organisation Rules of the Scout Association, which is a charitable body incorporated by Royal Charter. The Group is a registered Scottish Charity – No SC018745

The purpose of the Scout Association is to help young people achieve their full physical, intellectual, social and spiritual potential as individuals, as responsible citizens and as members of their local, national and. international communities. The method of achieving the aim of the association is by providing an enjoyable and attractive scheme of progressive training, based on the Scout Promise and Law and guided by adult leadership.

**Trustees**



### **Activities and Achievements**

Our Scout Group currently has around 180 youth members supported by 36 adult volunteer leaders. We currently have waiting lists across all age groups.

Scouts from both sections and explorer scouts attended an international summer camp in Kandersteg, Switzerland in summer 2024.

The group will celebrate its 70th anniversary in April 2026 and we plan to run a group camp to mark this occasion.

We run a successful Family ceilidh. In addition to this we have continued to see a good income from donations made for use of the hall for children's birthday parties. After the success of the fundraising for our trip to Switzerland we intend to form a fundraising committee to keep this momentum going.

The Accounts have been independently examined and all is in order.

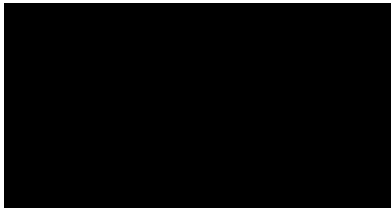
**Reserve Policy**

In addition to the running costs attributed to activities, running of our Scout Hall etc., we continue to retain a high financial reserve to enable us to react to unexpected work required on our aging building, or to be able to support any shortfall for unexpected expenses in running activities.

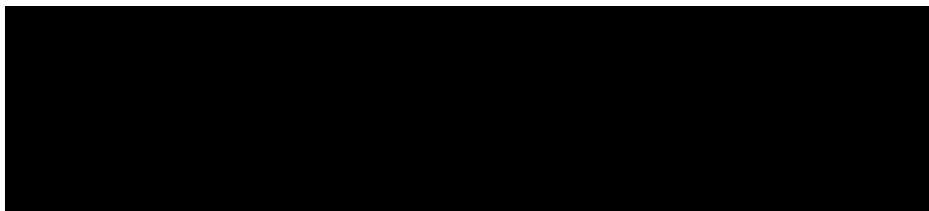
We were required to use some of this reserve fund this year as the electrical system in our hall requires modernisation with a cost about £7000. We have attempted to secure funding to cover this but have unfortunately been unsuccessful.

Due to this large expense along with the large expense in the previous year to replace the path our financial reserve is not as healthy as it has been in the past but the trustee board are not concerned by this.

Report approved by the Group trustee board at our AGM on 28th June 2025 and signed on its behalf by



Group Scout Leader



### ***Independent Examiner's report to the Trustees of 3<sup>rd</sup> East Kilbride Scout Group***

I report on the accounts of the Group for the year ended 31 March 2025.

#### **Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner**

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the terms of the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) Act 2005 and the Charities

Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006 (as amended). The charity trustees consider that the audit requirement of Regulation 10(1) (d) of the 2006 Accounts Regulations does not apply. It is my responsibility to examine the accounts as required under section 44(1) (c) of the Act and to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

#### **Basis of independent examiner's statement**

My examination is carried out in accordance with Regulation 11 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts and seeks explanations from the trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently I do not express an audit opinion on the view given by the accounts.

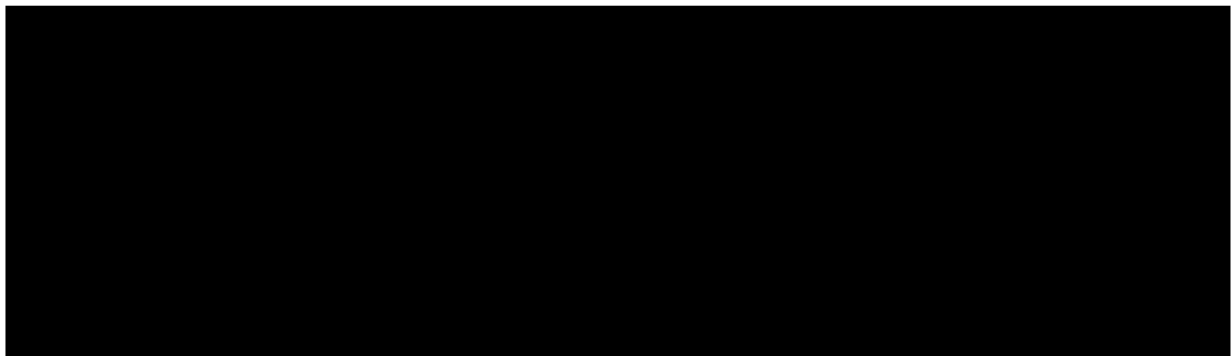
#### **Independent examiner's statement**

In the course of my examination, no matter has come to my attention

1. which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements:
  - to keep accounting records in accordance with Section 44(1) (a) of the 2005 Act and Regulation 4 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations
  - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with Regulation 9 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations

have not been met, or

2. to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.





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Receipts and payments summary

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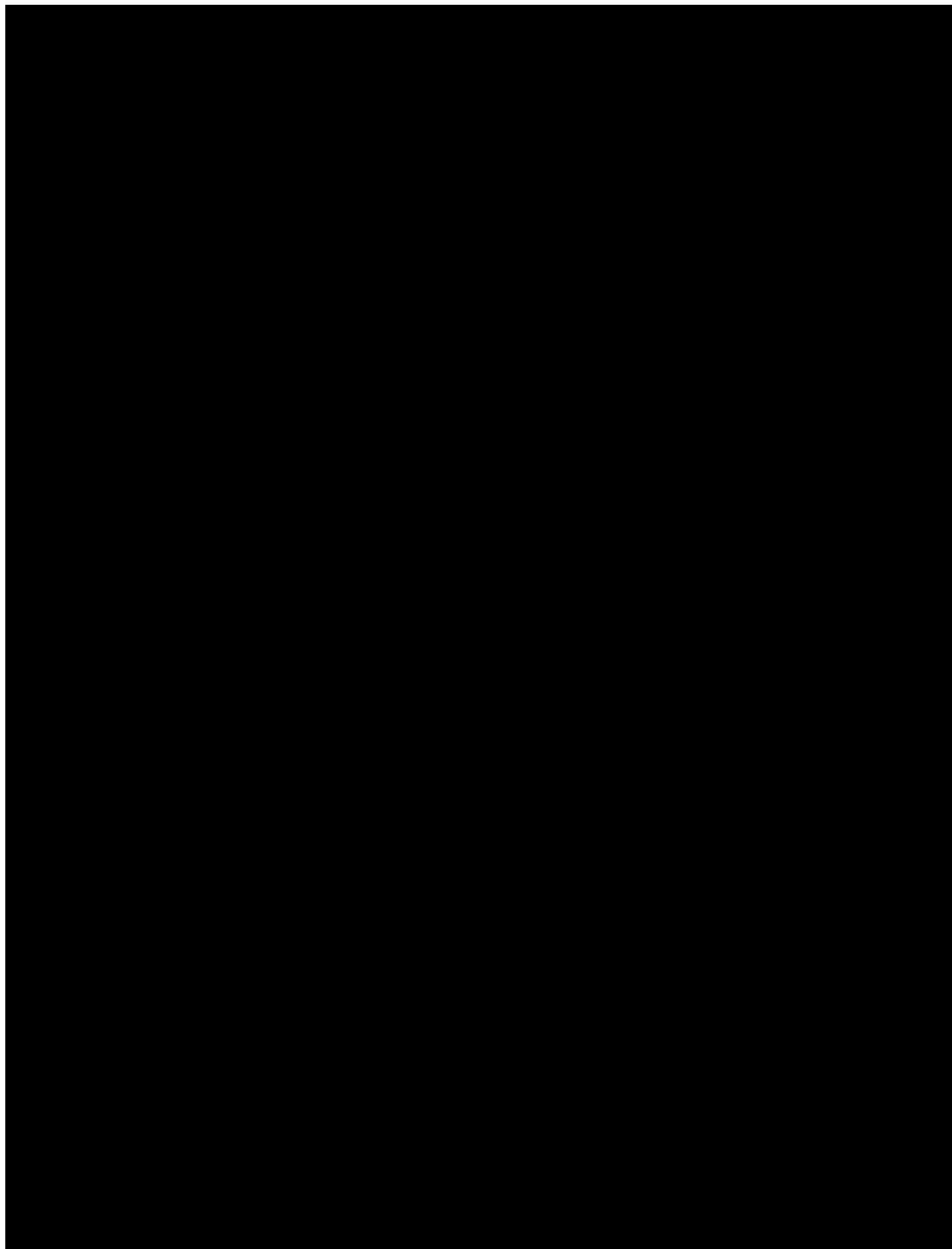
	2024-2025	2023-2024
<b>Income</b>		
Beavers (Joint)	1,333.00	0.00
Beavers (Monday)	2,459.50	2,237.00
Beavers (Tuesday)	1,872.00	1,617.00
Branded Clothing	296.63	417.08
Cubs (Friday)	3,889.00	3,272.00
Cubs (Joint)	0.00	1,040.00
Cubs (Wednesday)	8,699.00	10,442.00
Donation	688.34	3,843.16
Explorers	7,510.68	311.97
Fundraising	3,183.33	3,408.20
Gift Aid	5,665.02	4,658.40
Hall Hires	3,262.00	2,710.00
International Camp	3,201.25	20,915.00
International Fundraising	2,122.58	11,359.20
Scouts (Joint)	7,765.00	8,121.79
Scouts (Monday)	4,188.00	3,515.00
Scouts (Thursday)	3,504.00	4,096.92
Self Run Adv' Activities	51.00	0.00
Squirrels	1,417.00	1,064.50
Training	12.50	125.00
Uniform	4.87	0.00
<b>Expense</b>		
Bank Fees	1,042.70	918.39
Failed payment Fees	28.95	0.50
Beavers (Joint)	111.95	0.00
Beavers (Monday)	2,155.80	757.86
Beavers (Tuesday)	219.95	623.14
Branded Clothing	2,751.70	1,087.27
Cubs (Friday)	4,008.39	1,815.76
Cubs (Joint)	0.00	1,308.32
Cubs (Wednesday)	6,308.04	7,379.11
Equipment	2,016.38	1,239.98
Explorers	5,008.56	0.00
Fundraising	1,644.92	2,065.05
General Expenditure	213.74	421.65
Group Activities	238.80	461.63
Hall Hires	0.00	50.00
Insurance	1,456.22	1,312.04
International Camp	30,366.18	11,372.64
International Fundraising	0.00	1,430.93
Membership Costs	8,827.00	7,246.25
OSM Costs	433.50	135.04
Scouts (Joint)	9,271.11	11,765.16
Scouts (Monday)	1,011.49	231.83
Scouts (Thursday)	178.38	771.88
Squirrels	713.65	357.26
Training	405.50	715.00
Uniform	280.09	617.70
Utilities	2,509.44	3,917.75
Venue Maintenance	7,516.12	9,240.00
<b>Account balances</b>		
International Bank Account	2,349.94	29,474.55
Cash Account	0.00	97.80
Group Bank Account	23,973.17	24,344.62
<b>Summary</b>		
Account balance brought forward	53,916.97	38,004.89
Total income	61,124.70	83,154.22
Total expenditure	88,718.56	67,242.14
Net income	-27,593.86	15,912.08
Account balance carried forward	26,323.11	53,916.97



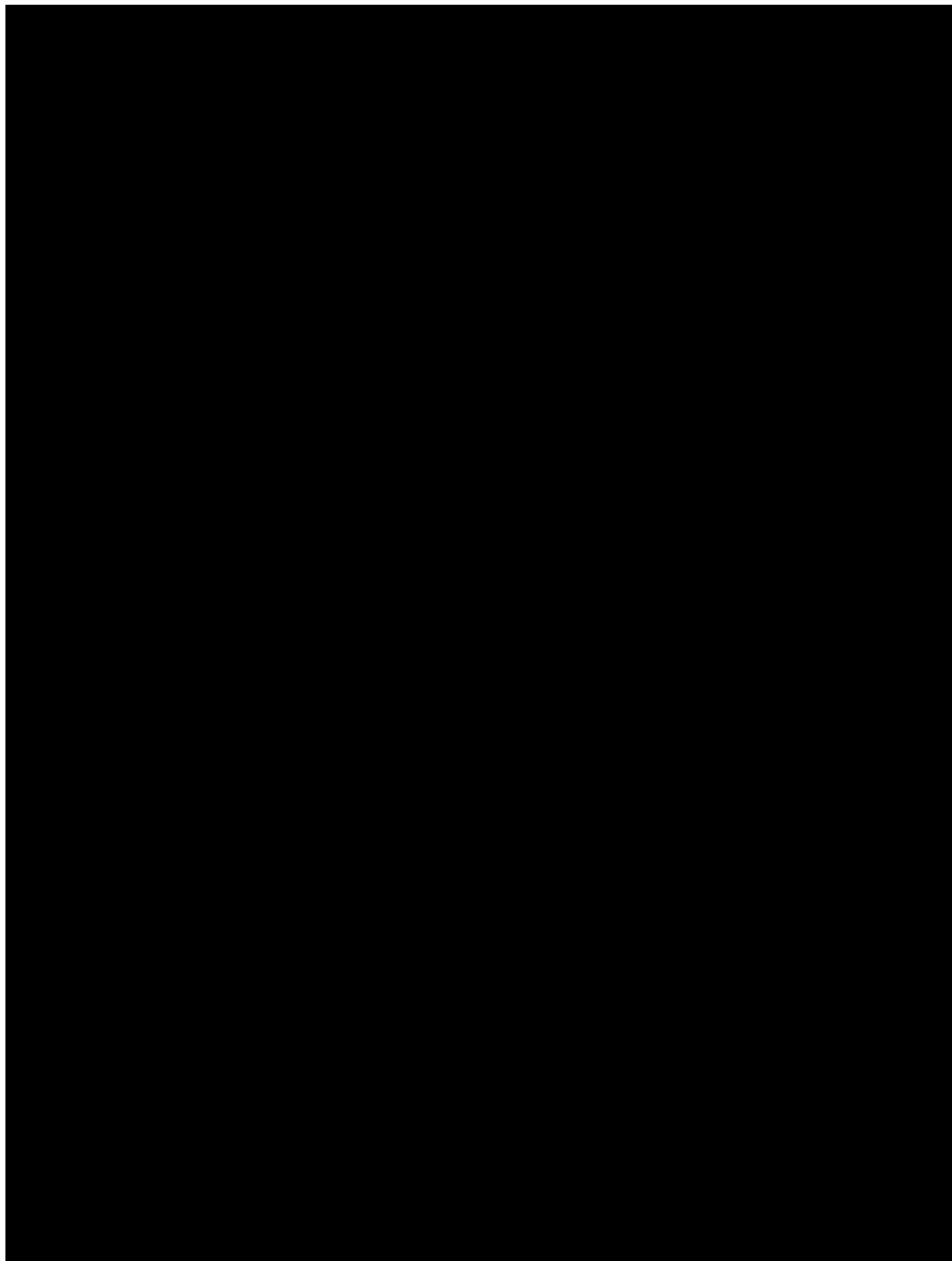
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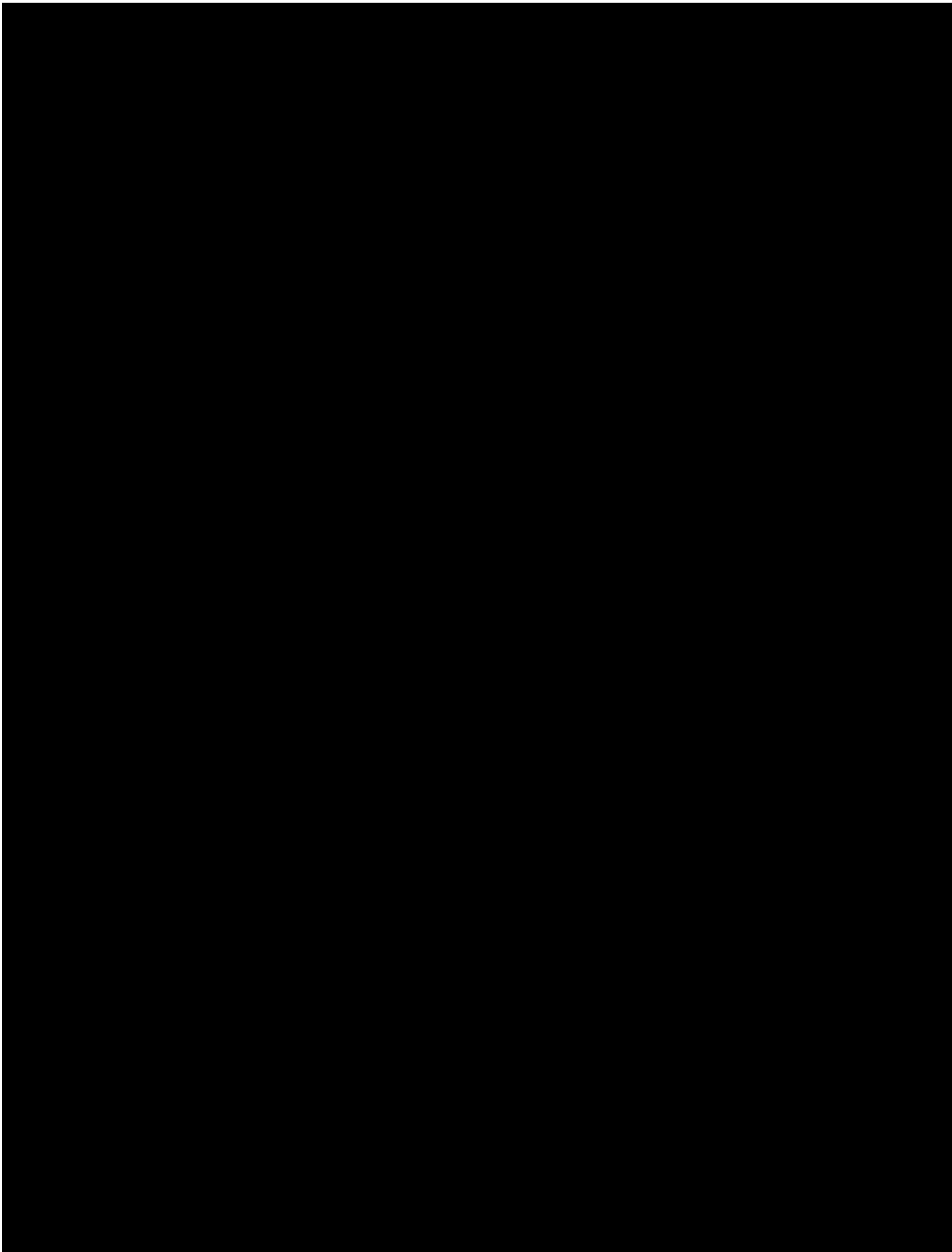
The research was conducted in a laboratory setting, using a series of experiments to measure the effects of the treatment. The results show that the treatment had a significant effect on the outcome, with the treated group performing better than the control group. This finding is consistent with the hypothesis that the treatment would improve performance. The implications of this research are discussed in the next section, where it is suggested that the treatment could be used in a variety of settings to improve performance.

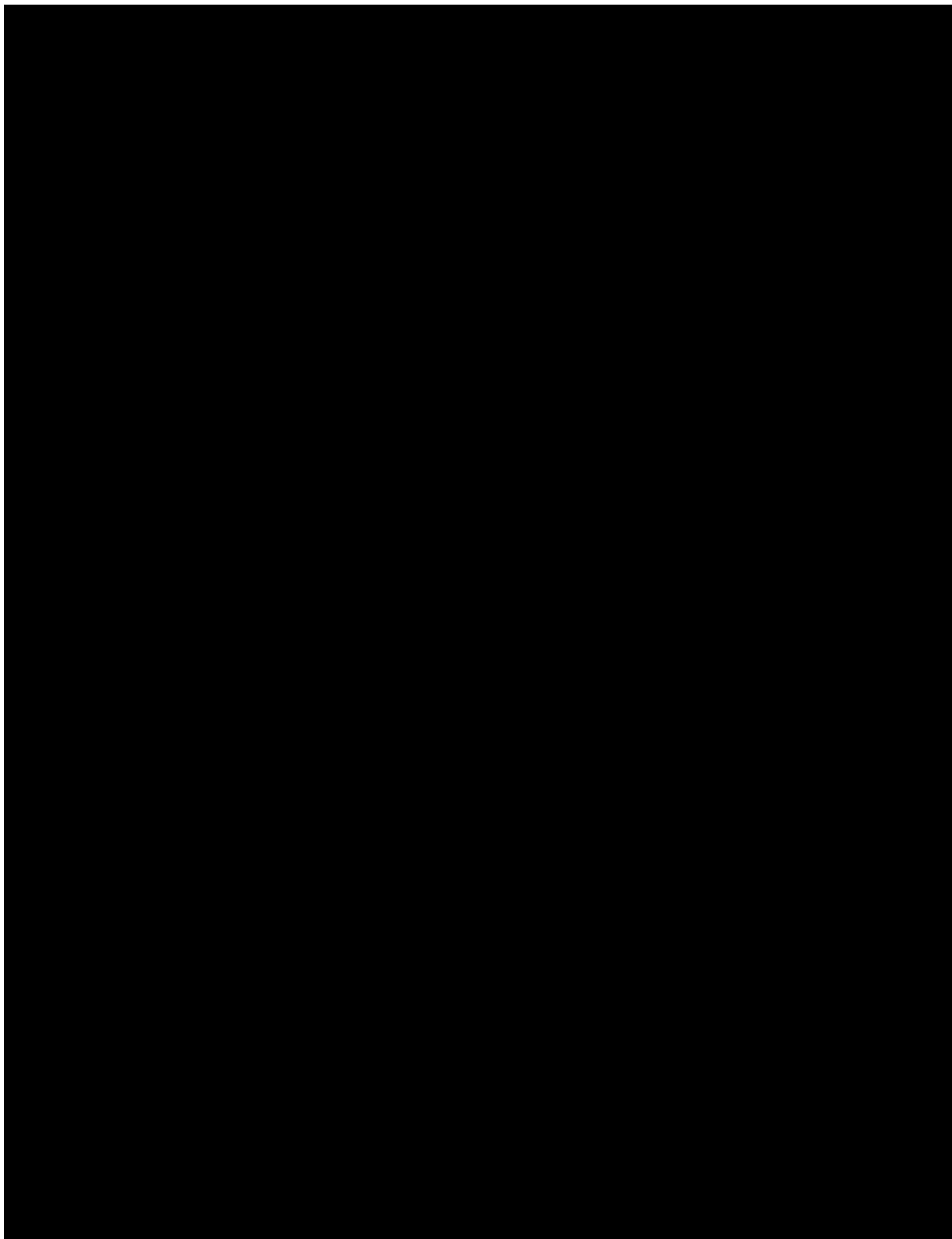
The methodology used in this study was a randomized controlled trial, which is the gold standard for evaluating the effectiveness of a treatment. The study was conducted in a laboratory setting, which allowed for precise measurement of the outcome. The results of the study are presented in the next section, followed by a discussion of the findings and their implications.

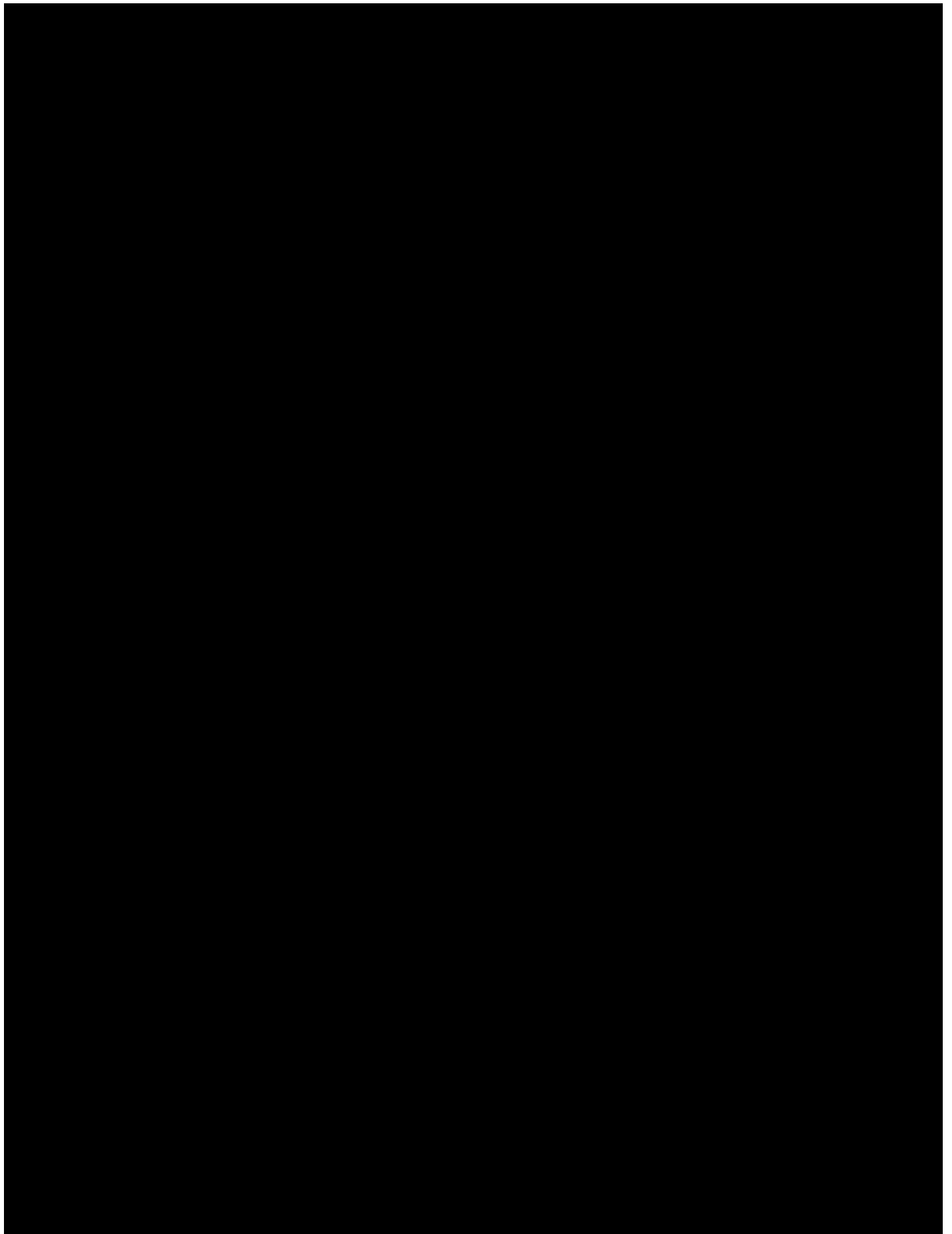
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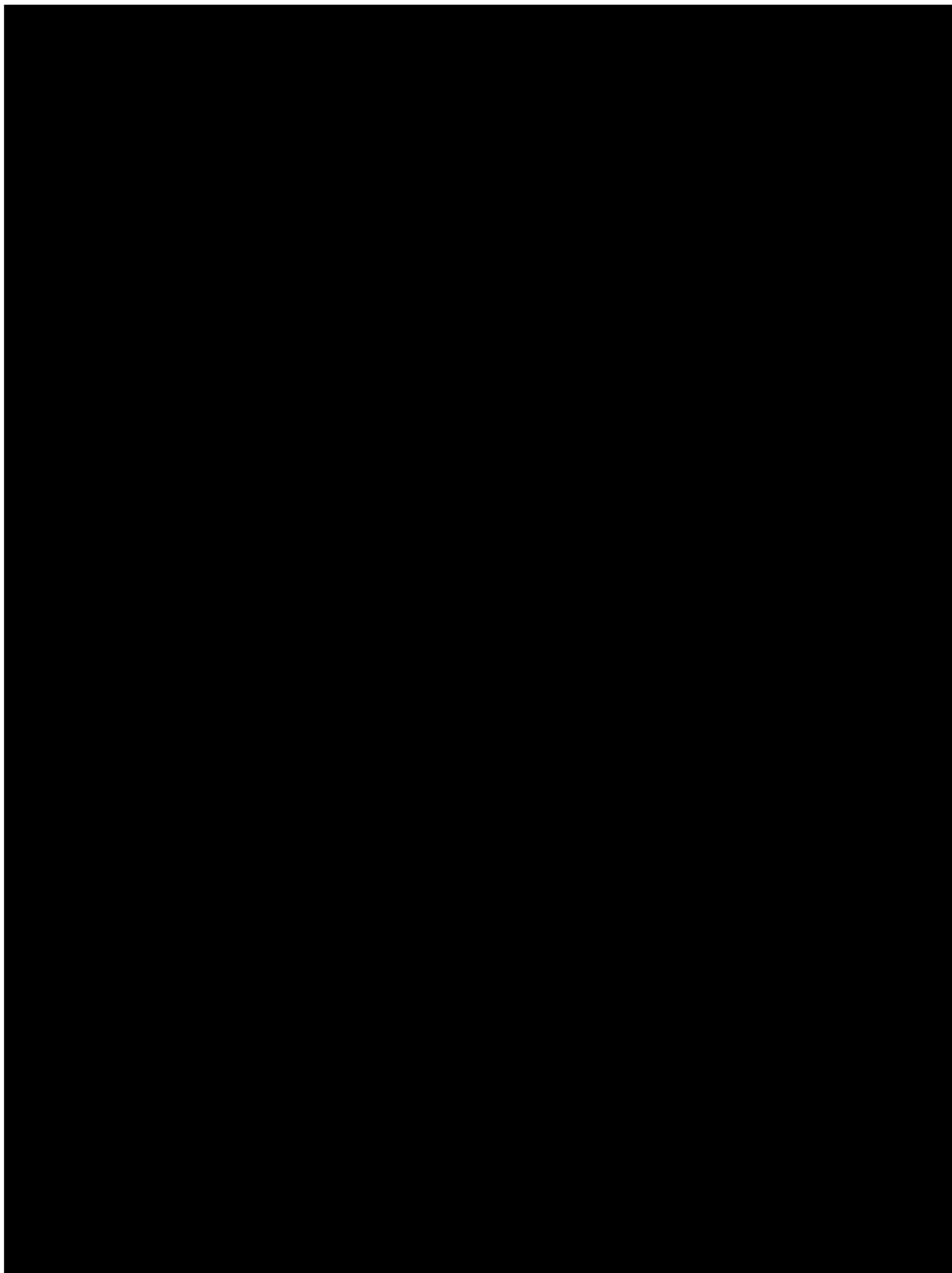
The study was limited by a number of factors, including the small sample size and the laboratory setting. However, the results of the study are consistent with the hypothesis that the treatment would improve performance. Further research is needed to confirm these findings and to explore the mechanisms underlying the treatment's effect.

In conclusion, the study found that the treatment had a significant effect on the outcome, with the treated group performing better than the control group. This finding is consistent with the hypothesis that the treatment would improve performance. The implications of this research are discussed in the next section, where it is suggested that the treatment could be used in a variety of settings to improve performance.







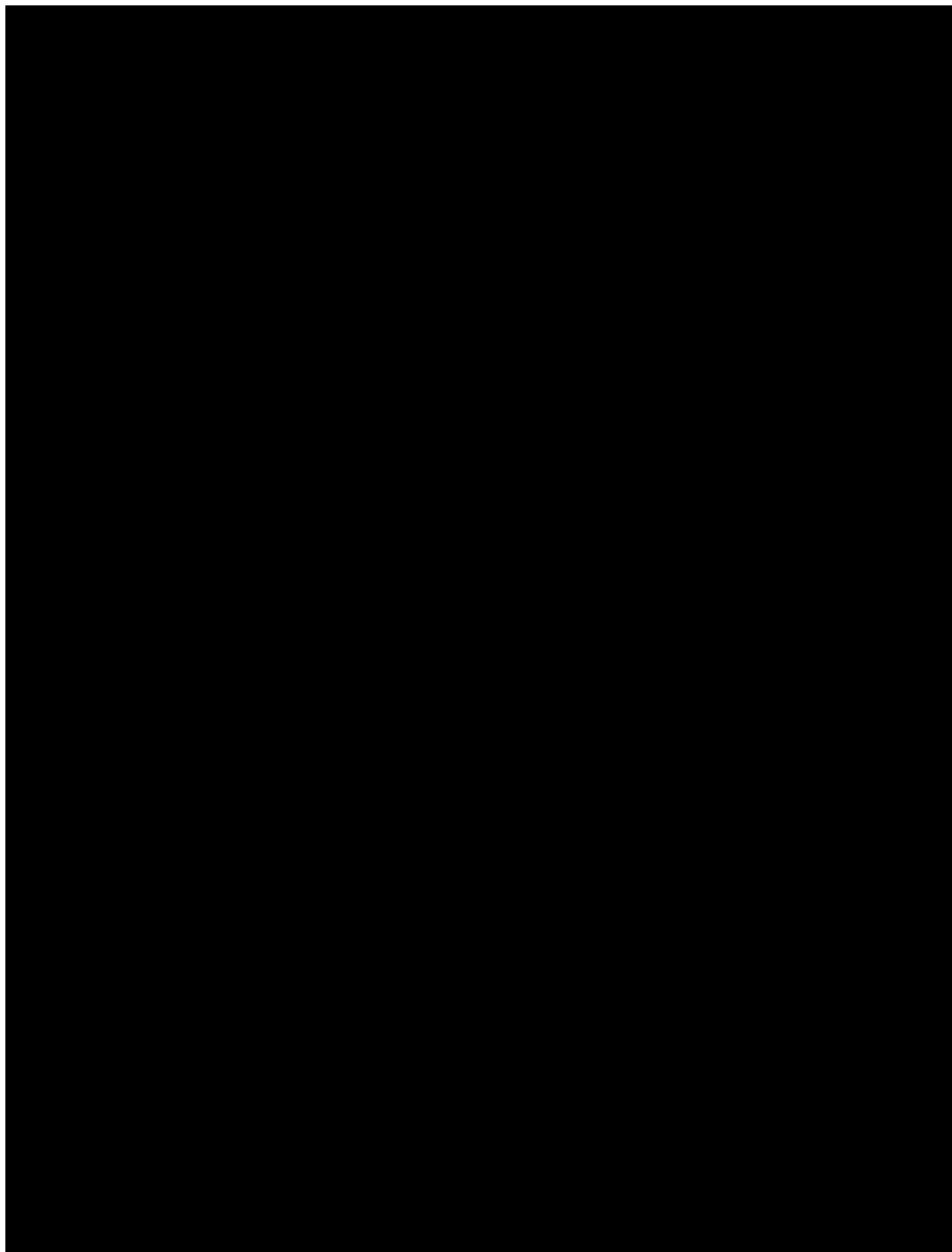


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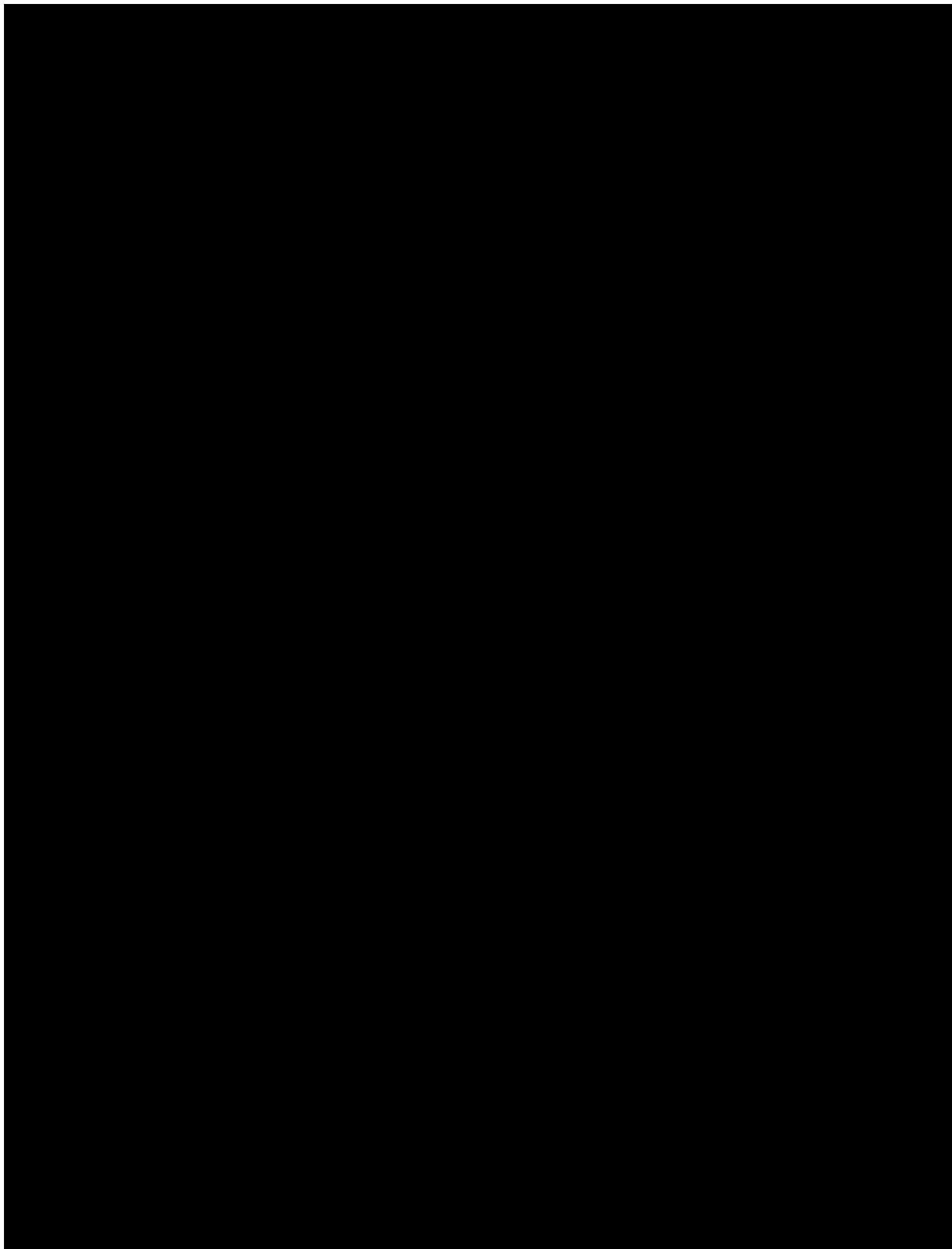
The research was conducted in a systematic and rigorous manner, following the principles of good research practice. The data were collected from a representative sample of the population, and the analysis was carried out using appropriate statistical methods. The results of the study are presented in a clear and concise manner, and the conclusions are based on the evidence.

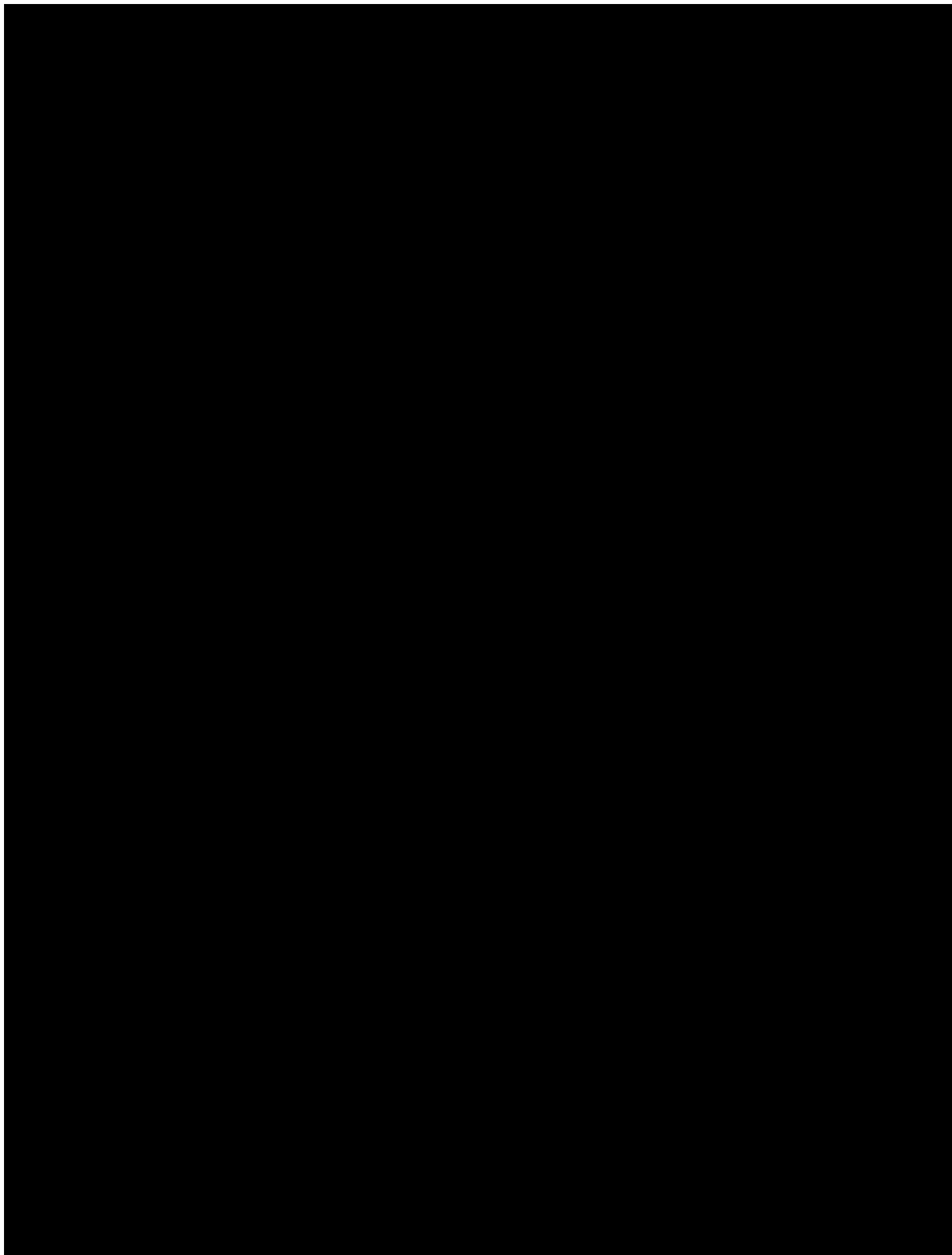
The study has several strengths, including a large sample size, a well-defined research design, and the use of appropriate statistical methods. However, there are also some limitations, such as the cross-sectional nature of the data and the potential for bias. Despite these limitations, the study provides valuable insights into the topic and contributes to the existing knowledge.

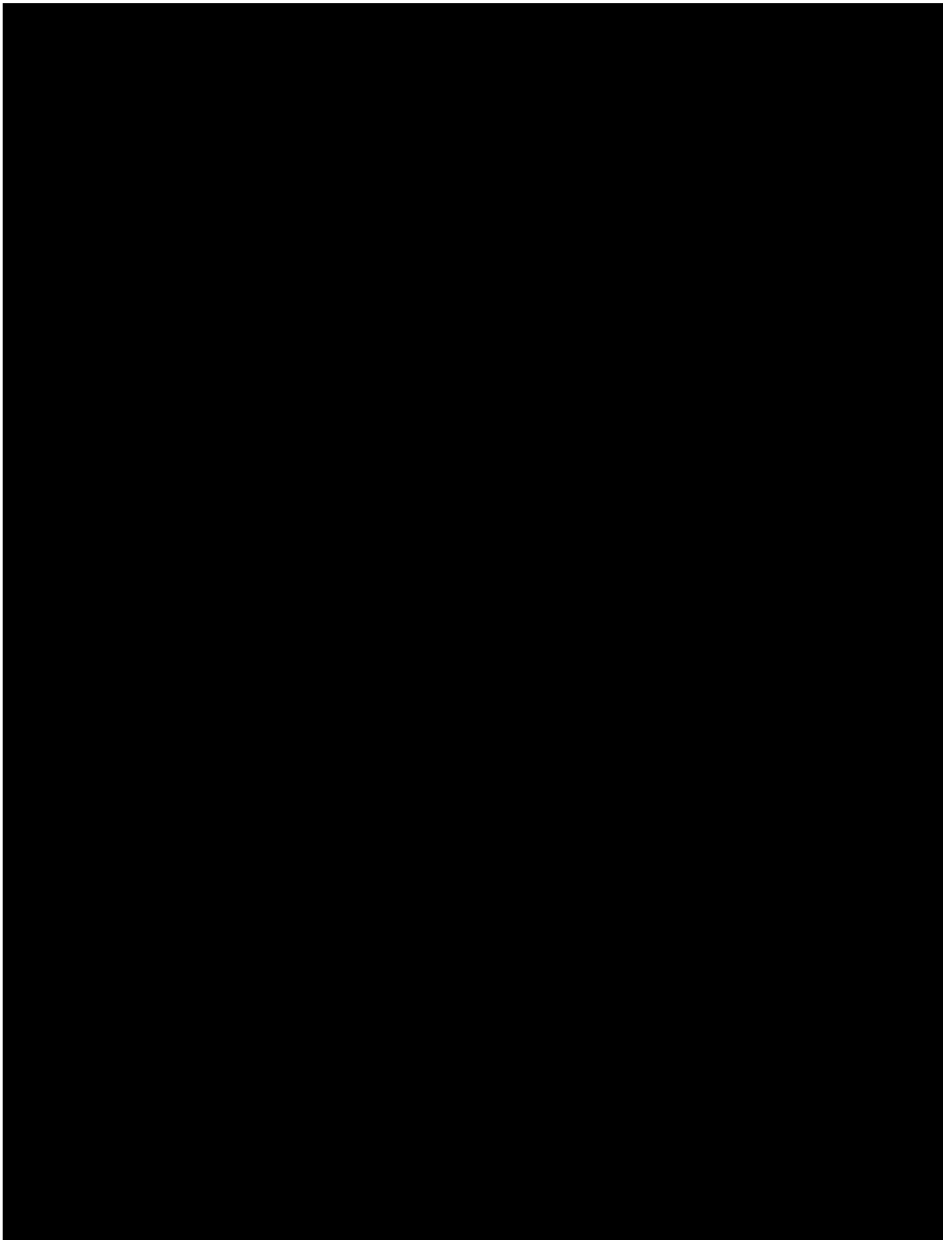
In conclusion, the study has shown that there is a significant relationship between the variables under investigation. The findings have important implications for practice and policy, and they provide a basis for further research. The study is a valuable contribution to the field and is an important step towards a better understanding of the topic.

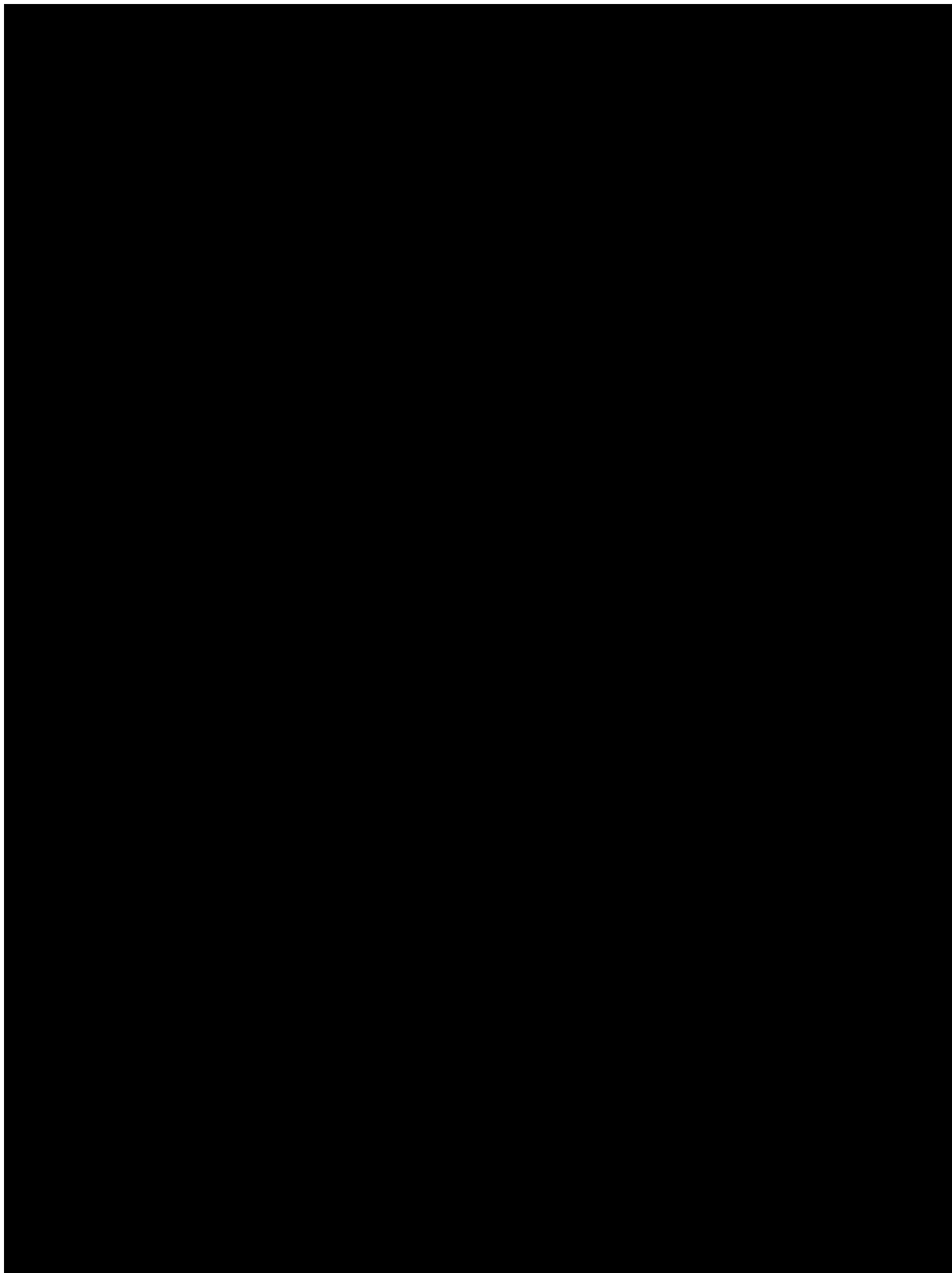


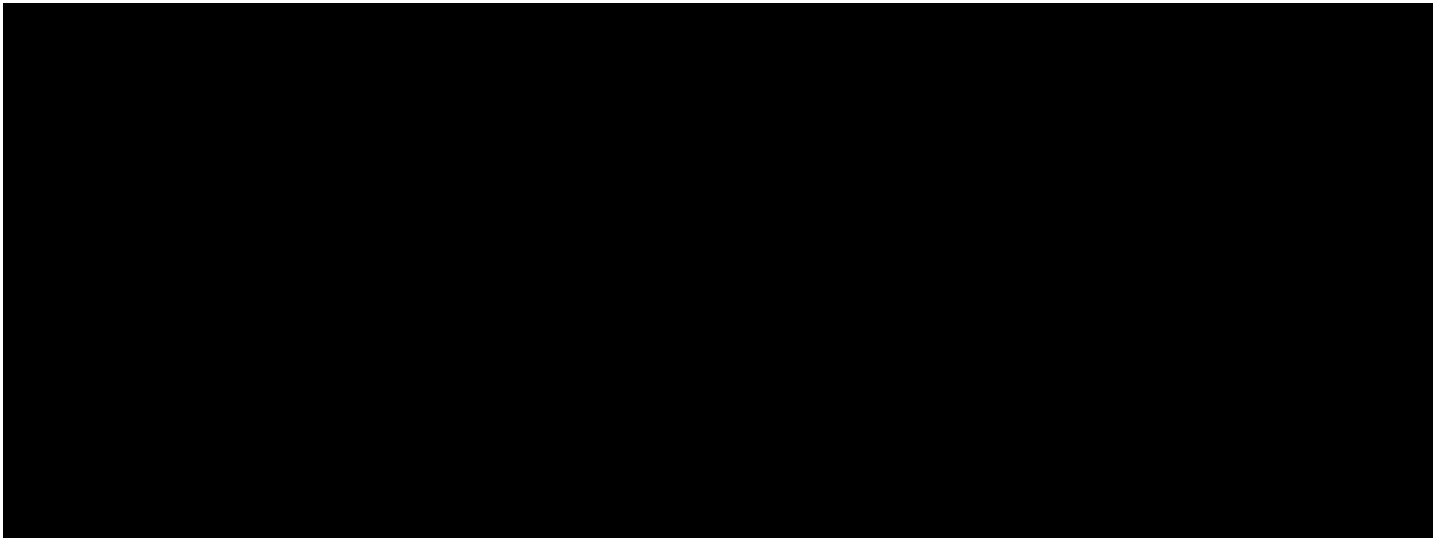














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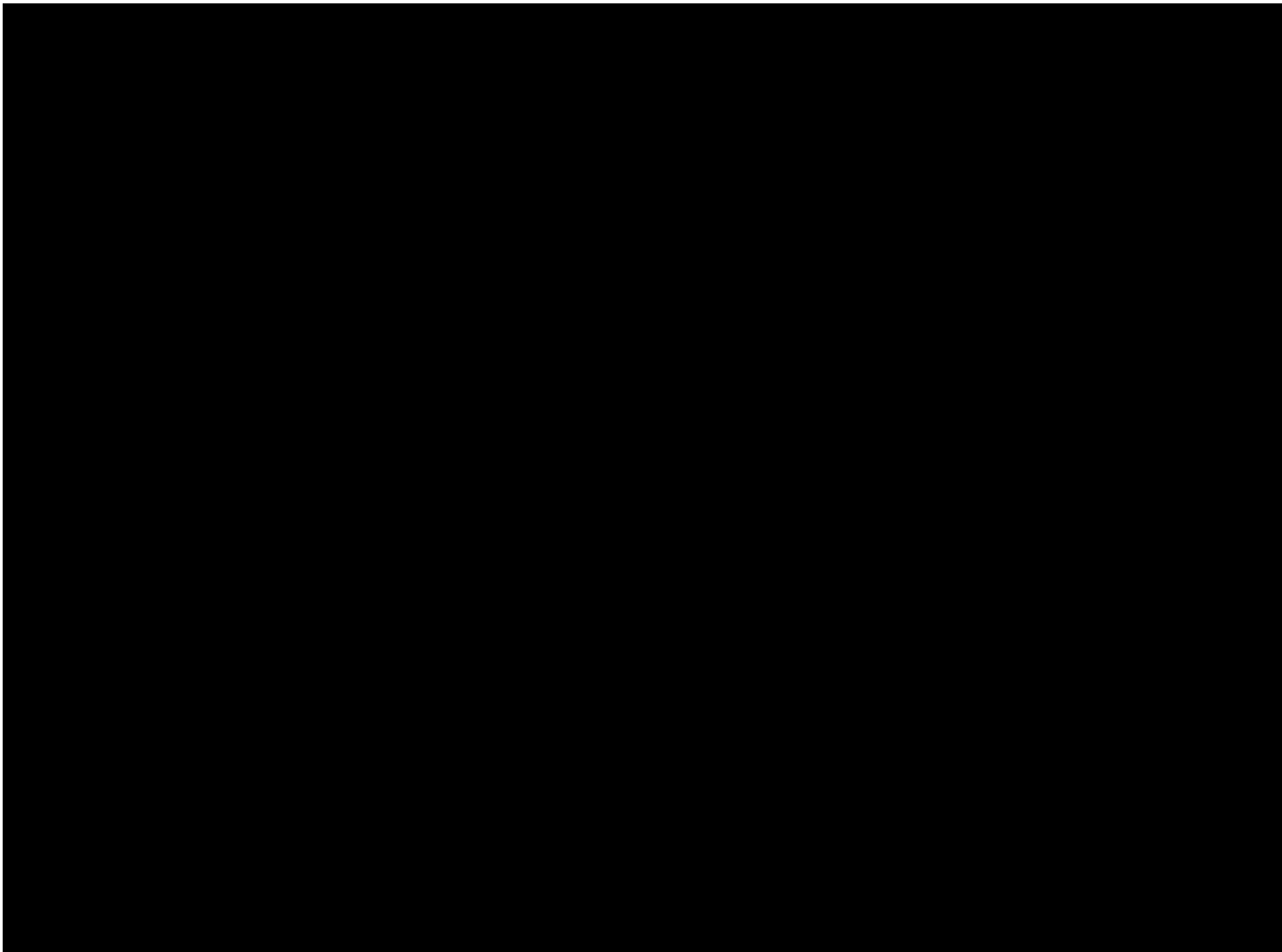
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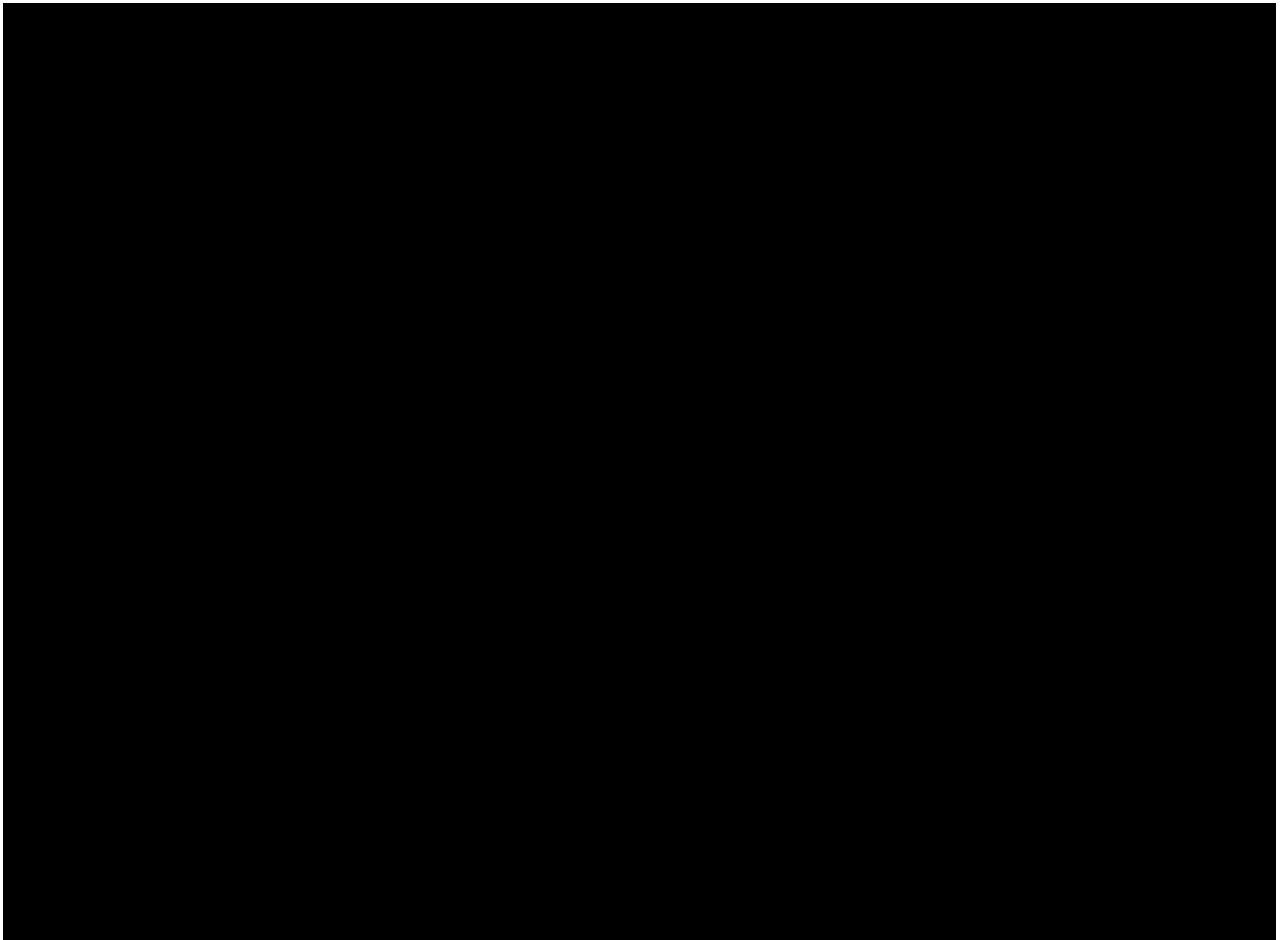


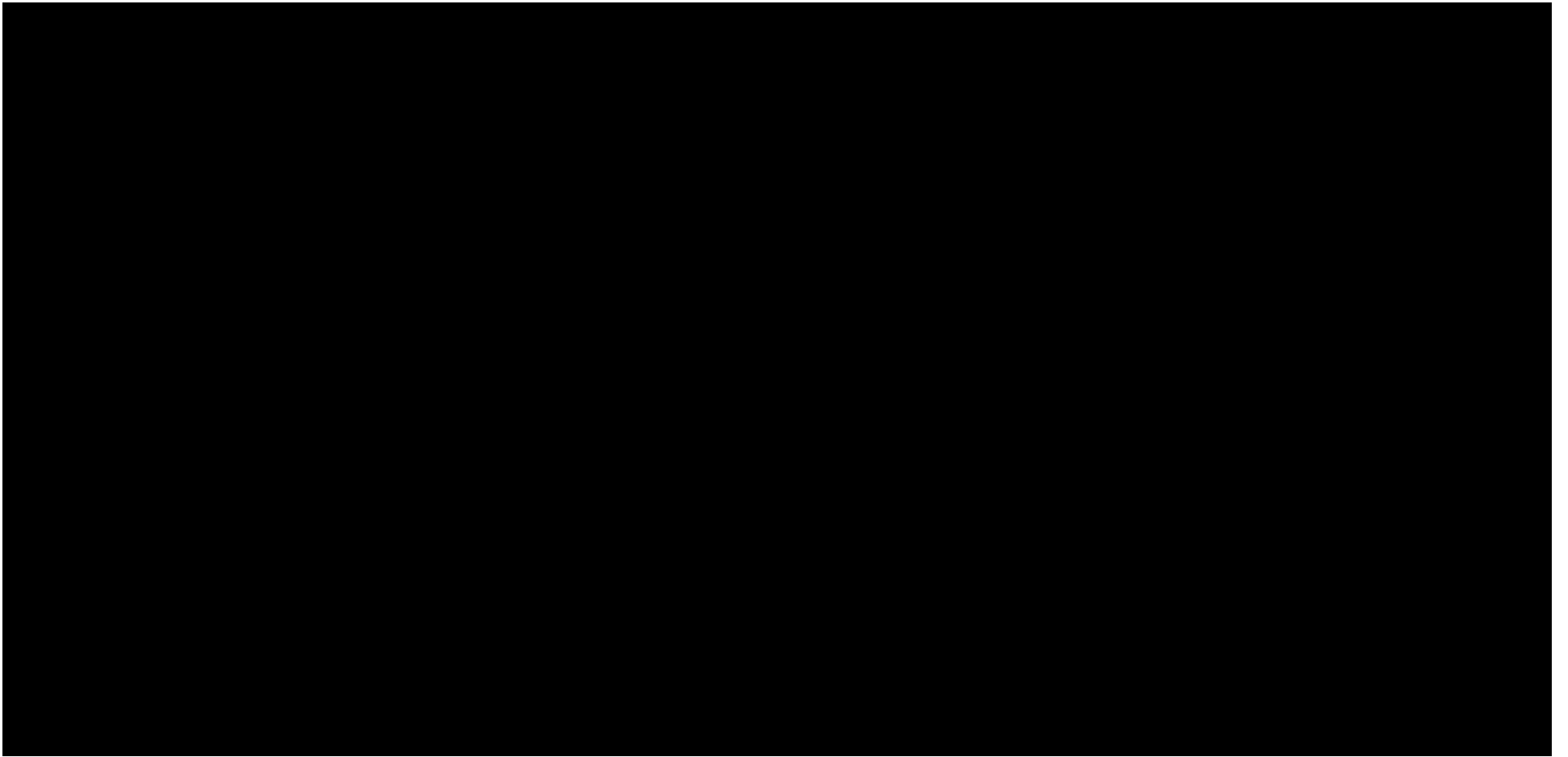


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Expense Transactions

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Cash Accounts

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Date	Reference	Amount	Balance
01/04/2024	Opening Balance		97.80
20/06/2024	KISC Fundrasing	57.58	155.38
27/06/2024	Cash Banked	-155.38	0.00
24/02/2025	cash withdrawal	350.00	350.00
01/03/2025	ceilidh chips	-190.00	160.00
01/03/2025	ceilidh band	-450.00	-290.00
01/03/2025	Chilidh Takings	1,363.70	1,073.70
04/03/2025	Cash Banked	-1,073.70	0.00