MATCHING  In the space provided, write the letter of the term or name that matches each description. Some answers will not be used.

____  1. an objective, logical, and systematic way of collecting empirical data and arriving at reasoned conclusions

____  2. an intensive analysis of a person, group, event, or problem

____  3. a research method in which researchers become directly involved in the situation under investigation

____  4. a characteristic that can differ from one individual, group, or situation to another in a measurable way

____  5. a statement that predicts the relationship between two or more variables

____  6. the research method used to analyze existing sources that involves counting the number of times a particular word, phrase, idea, event, symbol, or other element appears in a given context

____  7. a small but representative selection of people studied in a survey or other research project

____  8. a situation that exists when a change in one variable is regularly associated with a change in another variable

____  9. a research method in which data is gathered under controlled conditions set by the researcher

____  10. a research method that involves the examination of any materials from the past that contain information of sociological interest

a. case study
b. hypothesis
c. content analysis
d. historical method
e. sample
f. scientific method
g. survey
h. experiment
i. statistical analysis
j. variable
k. correlation
l. participant observation