

LINK WORDS



I. Put the correct heading in the column.

Summing up

Referring to other sources

Contrast

Changing the subject

Explaining/emphasising

Conditions

Unless
As long as
Provided that
Insofar that (=to the extent that)

Because of + N / -ing
Owing to + N / -ing
As + sj + verb
Given that / Given the way
that... since...

Cause

On a different note
That's beside the point
(=that is unrelated to the topic in hand)

Despite + N / -ing
In spite of + N / -ing
However sj + vb
Even though/ Although + sj + vb
On the one hand.....on the other hand

According to...
In x's view, / In X's opinion

In short
To sum up
In conclusion
On balance
Taking everything into account
/consideration
All things considered

In fact
For instance
As a matter of fact
In other words
Actually (=in reality)

2. Put the missing words in the corect column.

Nevertheless

To put it briefly

Needless to say

Insofar as...

Due to + N / -ing