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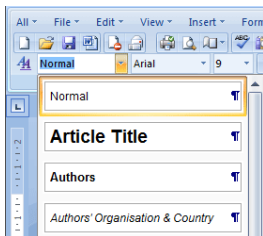
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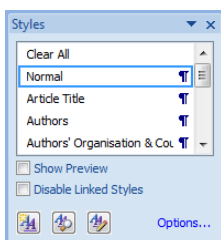
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**Figure 2.** Styles group in Microsoft Word 2007 - 2016

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**Figure 3.** Styles list window in Microsoft Word 2007 – 2016 and Office 365

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**Table 1.** [Table caption] Measuring results

[Table] Mode of vibration	Experimental frequencies [Hz]	Numerical frequencies [Hz]
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3	11.7	12.3

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