

Following are some common structure phrases and their shorter replacements:  
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an overwhelming majority of	most
as a means of [doing]	by [doing], to [do]
at your earliest convenience	at once, right away, very soon
at the present time	now
at this point in time	now
by means of	by, with
close proximity	near
fear and trembling	dread
due to the fact that	because, as
fly in the face of	defy
for a period of	for
for the purpose of [doing]	for [doing], to [do]
in accordance with	by, following, under
in case of	if
in an effort to	to
in a timely manner	on time, promptly
in a [professional] manner	[professionally]
in conjunction with	with
in order that	for, so
in order to [do]	to [do]
in regard to	about, on
in spite of	despite
in the amount of [\$__]	for [\$__]
in the course of	during, in
in the event that	if
in the [Swedish] context	in [Sweden]
in the near future	soon [be more specific if possible]
in view of	because
in view of the above	consequently, therefore
it is essential that	[somebody] must, has to, should
month of [name of month]	[name of month]
not later than	by
on a [monthly] basis	[daily, weekly, monthly, yearly]
pertaining to	about, on
pursuant to	by, following, under
relating to	about
the fact that	that
time period	[use one or the other, not both]
to a [large/certain] extent	[largely/in part]
until such time as	until
up to and including	through
with reference to	about
with the exception of	except for