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Do your

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What happened



We found out that

?

The answer to our question is



What we found out



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I found out that made the

Our guess was / wasn't right

long - short big - small hot - cold bright - dim fast - slow loud - quiet

The answer to my question is



What we found out and why



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increases - decreases

What is the answer to your question? My prediction was / wasn't right

I think this was because Can you explain why?



Conclusion of what happened and why





- I found out that the
- Which words from the box could you use to

describe your pattern?

What is the answer to your question? Was your prediction correct?

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What our conclusion is

Were there any patterns in your graph? What comparatives could you use to describe them?

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What is the answer to your question?

Was your prediction correct? What did you find out?

- •I conclude that...
- •My research shows...
- •My experiment shows that...
- •My graph/results show...



What is your conclusion?
Can you explain why scientifically?

- •This can be explained by...
- •As I predicted...
- •This is because...
- •The reason for this is...



Concluding Explanation

Can you explain any patterns you found using your graphs?

Does all your evidence support your conclusion?

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What is the answer to your question? Was your original idea or prediction correct?



What conclusion can you come to? Can you explain why, using background information and scientific key words?

What further questions could you ask or investigate?

- •I conclude that...
- •My research shows...
- •My experiment shows that...
- •My graph/results show...
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