Lab Report Format (One per team)

Purpose/Objective(s) Why are we doing the lab?

What questions are you trying to answer?

Hypothesis What do you expect the results to be?

This should relate directly to the problem

Materials List of all the Materials you will use during the lab

Procedure Steps should be listed and numbered

Steps should be clearly written, detailed, and brief

It must indicate HOW data will be taken

Tabulated Data Must be in the form of a table

Be sure to include data from ALL team members

Be sure to use <u>units</u>

Analysis Graphs, calculations, important observations

Conclusion A good conclusion answers 3 questions:

What did you do in the lab?

Restate the purpose/problem

A brief description of how you tested it

What you used to gather data

What does your data say?

Look at your data table or sketch and turn it into a sentence or two. Be sure to include both the control & experimental groups.

What did you learn?

This should answer the question posed in the

purpose/problem.

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