LAB REPORT TEMPLATE

PRE-LAB	
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TITLE:

• Should be descriptive & to the point

PROBLEM:

• What question(s) are you trying to answer?

RESEARCH:

- Include any preliminary observations & prior knowledge needed to understand the experiment
- Include an explanation of principles, definitions, techniques, results, theories, laws, etc.

HYPOTHESIS:

- Write a possible solution for the problem (If . . . then . . . because)
- Make sure this possible solution is a complete sentence & testable

MATERIALS:

• Make a list of all items used in the lab including safety materials

PROCEDURE:

- Write a paragraph or a list which explains what you will do/ did in the lab
- Your procedure should be written so anyone else could repeat the experiment

Don't forget to include SAFETY PROCEDURES & MATERIALS

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ANALYSIS:

- Record all measurements, time of measurements, and detailed observations

 Quantitative & Qualitative Data
- Answer all Analysis Questions provided by your instructor
- All required tables, graphs and charts should be labeled appropriately

CONCLUSION: (This should be a full paragraph)

- Accept or reject your hypothesis -was it supported or not?
- **EXPLAIN** using data from your analysis
- Discuss possible errors that could have occurred in the collection of data

 Experimental Errors
- Suggest further research/ experiments and/ or changes for next time

Title & Problem	5
Research	10
Hypothesis	5
Materials & Procedures	5
Tables, Graphs, & Charts	10
Conclusion	10
Participation / Engagement	5
Total Assessment Points	50