

PSAT/SAT Quantitative Questions

Use these **stem starters** to help write questions at higher levels for students. The data types are interchangeable. Look at this starter: What claim is supported by the **graph**? This one stem can also be used for tables, charts, figures, maps, and more.

- What claim is supported by the **table**?
- What claim is supported by the **chart**?
- What claim is supported by the **figure**?
- What claim is supported by the **map**?

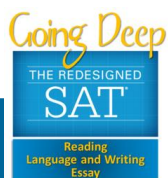
Examples of Stem Starters for Quantitative Questions

Reading

- What claim ___ is supported by the graph?
- Which statement best summarizes the information presented in the graph?
- According to the graph, which statement is true?
- What information in line (paragraph), is represented by the graph? Which statement about (description) is best supported by the graph?
- Data in the graph provide the most direct support for which idea in the passage?
- Data in the graph indicate that the greatest difference in ___ occurred ___.
- Which concept is supported by the passage and by the information in the graph?
- How does the graph support the author's point that ___?
- Which choice is supported by data?
- Taken together, the two figures suggest that
- Based on data in the table, in what percent of ___ were ___?
- Based on data in the table, which of ___ had ___?
- Do the data in the table provide support for the author's claim that ___?
- According to the chart, ___ was characterized by ___?
- Chart 2 suggests which of the following?
- According to the data in figure 1, the ___ occurred ___?
- The passage and figure are in agreement with which point?
- What statement is best supported by the data presented in the figure?

Writing and Language

- What claim ___ is supported by the graph ?
- Which choice completes the sentence with accurate data based on the graph?
- Which choice most accurately and effectively represents the information in the graph?
- Which choice offers the most accurate interpretation of the data in the chart?
- Which choice offers an accurate interpretation of the data in the chart?
- The writer wants the information in the passage to correspond as closely as possible with information in the map. Given that goal and assuming the rest of the sentence would be unchanged, which ___?



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