

CALIFORNIA STATE SCIENCE FAIR 2008 PROJECT SUMMARY

Name(s)		Project Number
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Project Title		
Ice Ice Baby		
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	Abstract	
Objectives/Goals		
The purpose of my experiment was to a	determine the melting rate of ice w	ith different concentrations of
salt and sugar solutions. Methods/Materials		
20 100 ml plastic cups	4 800mL plastic containers	
220g salt NaCl(Ralph's Iodized Salt)	WhirlPool Gold Freezer	
220g sugar (Pure Cane Sugar)	US Balance Professional Mini S	
2,050mL tap water	100g balance calibration weight	t
5 funnels	Stopwatch Masking tape	
5 100 ml graduated cylinders Results	Wasking tape	
The meting rates were:		
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Frozen Solutions Melting Rate of I	ce (mL/min)	
Control 0.20		
1% Salt 0.25		
1% Sugar 0.20		
10% Salt 0.47		
10% Sugar 0.26 Conclusions/Discussion		
My conclusion is that salt lowers the fr	eezing point of water more than su	gar does which causes it to melt
faster.	ceering point of water more than su	gai does which causes it to men
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Summary Statement		_
My project is about determining the melting rates of ice with different substances and concentrations.		
Help Received		
My mom double checked my work and made sure my measurements were correct. Mrs. Wentz answered		
all of my questions. Also, Mrs. Wentz and Mrs. Oggiano let me borrow their laboratory equipment.		