

# CALIFORNIA STATE SCIENCE FAIR 2016 PROJECT SUMMARY

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**Project Title** 

# **Effects Temperature Has on Yeast**

#### Abstract

# **Objectives/Goals**

Does the amount yeast rises vary depending on the temperature the yeast is exposed to prior to baking?

## Methods/Materials

Used thermometer, standard bread recipe to make dough, heating cabinet, oven, refrigerator, and freezer. I tested 5 identical bread portions in 5 different temperatures to identify the difference in their height after risings.

### Results

The yeast exposed to a mid temperature rose the most after 2 identical testings. drastic temperatures up and down failed to rise much at all.

### **Conclusions/Discussion**

Knowing around 100 degrees works the best can be used for anyone who wants to efficiently make their bread rise more.

## **Summary Statement**

How temperature effects how much yeast rises.

## **Help Received**

I ran through the experiment myself but my science teacher helped me throughout the whole process.