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Sentences in Paragraph: Supporting Sentence

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The supporting sentences are:

Major
- supporting details directly explain or support the CONTROLLING IDEA of the paragraph in ONE COMPLETE SENTENCE.

Minor
- supporting details explain the MAJOR DETAILS in the paragraph. Typically, a MINOR DETAIL comes after a MAJOR DETAIL.
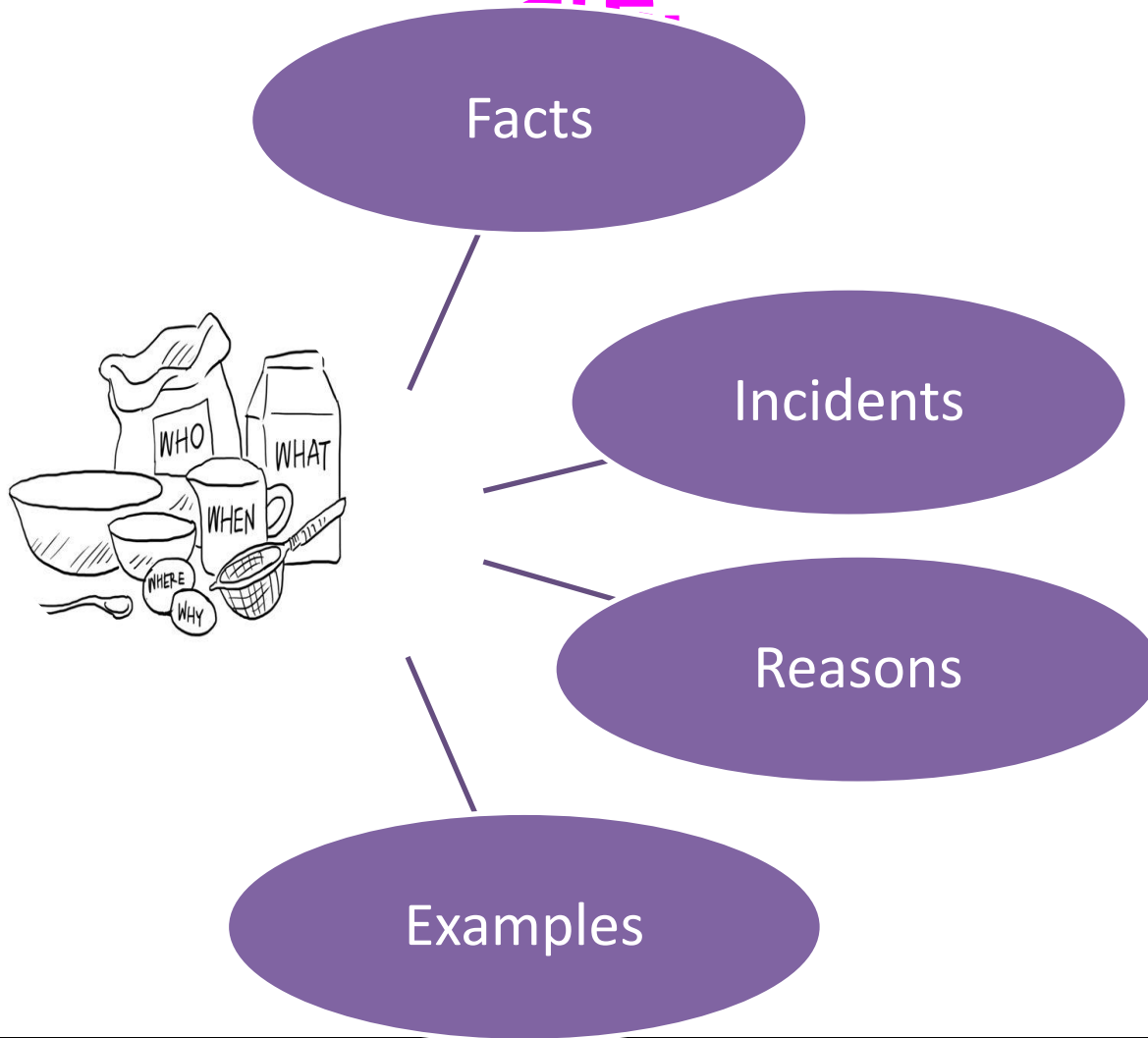
The supporting sentences are:

Topic Sentence

The types of supporting sentences are:

Facts

Incidents

Reasons

Examples

Identify the topic sentence.

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- A. Fact
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2. Information traffic from the Web travels over the Internet.

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3. On the other hand, the Web is like a delivery service.

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4. Delivery service trucks use highways to move packages from one place to another.

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- B. Incident
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The supporting sentences are:

1st Detail: Fact ⇨ related to the Internet

1. The Internet is like a system of highways.

Minor detail:

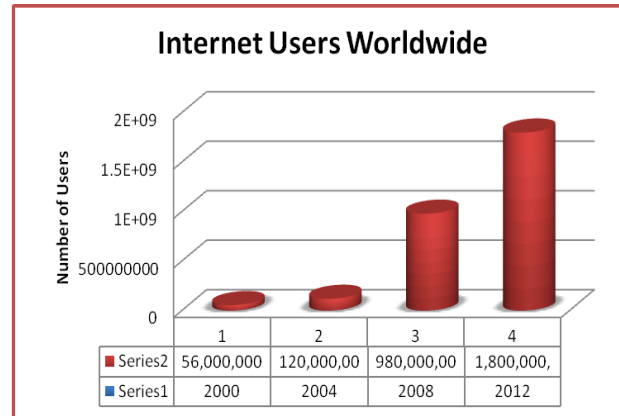2. Information traffic from the Web travels over the Internet.

2nd Detail: Fact ⇨ related to the Web

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Minor detail:

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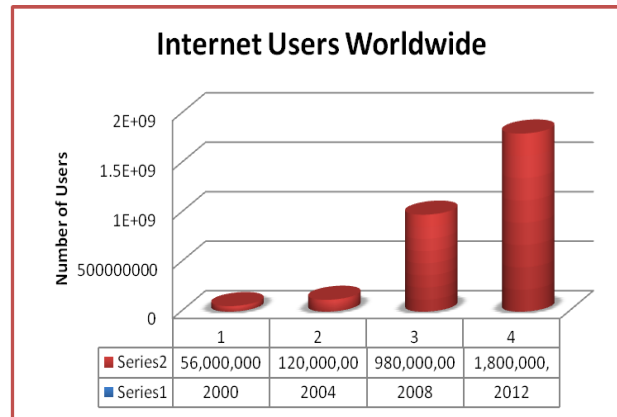
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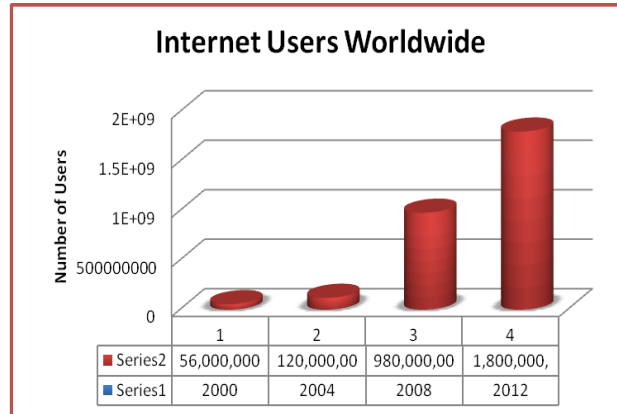
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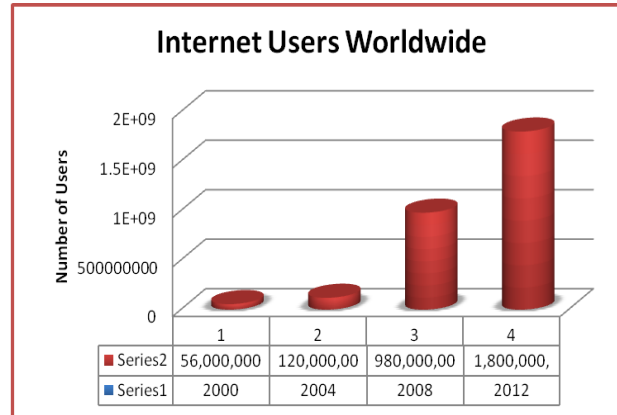|	1	2	3	4
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1. **The first world-wide-*web software* was created by Tim Berners-Lee in 1990.**

- A. Fact
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- C. Reason
- D. Example

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2.   It was then released to the public in 1991.

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3. By then, the number of internet hosts had grown to more than 600,000 as web browsers took off.

- A. Fact
- B. Incident
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- D. Example

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4. In 1992, there were over a million computers connected to the Internet.

- A. Fact
- B. Incident
- C. Reason
- D. Example

Identify the type of the supporting sentence.

5. This doubled to over two million in 1993, the same year in which the White House and United Nations were connected.

- A. Fact
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6.   By 1994, the number of internet hosts grew to more than three million and the web grew by more than 341,000 per cent.

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The supporting sentences are:

1st Detail: Fact ⇨ 1990

1.   A. The first world-wide-*web software* was created by Tim Berners-Lee in 1990 .

      B. It was then released to the public in 1991.

2nd Detail: Fact ⇨ 1991

2.   By then, the number of internet hosts had grown to more than 600,000 as web browsers took off.

3rd Detail: Fact ⇨ 1992

3.   In 1992, there were over a million computers connected to the Internet.

4th Detail: Fact ⇨ 1993

4.   This doubled to over two million in 1993, the same year in which the White House and United Nations were connected.

5th Detail: Fact ⇨ 1994

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6th Detail: Fact ⇨ 1995

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Let's create supporting sentences:

Introductory sentence:

Connecting to the Internet from your computer is very easy.

Topic sentence:

Here are the basic instructions for setting up an Internet connection using the Internet wizard.

Let's create supporting sentences:

Transition signals:

First, second, once, then, last.

Identify the type of the supporting sentence.

1. First, open the Connect to the Internet wizard by clicking the Start button.

- A. Fact
- B. Incident
- C. Reason
- D. Example

Identify the type of the supporting sentence.

2. **Second, click the Control Panel.**

- A. Fact
- B. Incident
- C. Reason
- D. Example

Identify the type of the supporting sentence.

3. After that, select the Network and Internet.

- A. Fact
- B. Incident
- C. Reason
- D. Example

Identify the type of the supporting sentence.

4. **Once the Network and Internet is open, click the Network and Sharing Center.**

- A. Fact
- B. Incident
- C. Reason
- D. Example

Identify the type of the supporting sentence.

5. Then, choose Set up a connection or network.

- A. Fact
- B. Incident
- C. Reason
- D. Example

Identify the type of the supporting sentence.

6.   Last, click Connect to the Internet.

- A. Fact
- B. Incident
- C. Reason
- D. Example

The supporting sentences are:

1st Detail: Incident ⇨ 1st Step

1.   First, open the Connect to the Internet wizard by clicking the Start button.

2nd Detail: Incident ⇨ 2nd Step

2.   Second, click the Control Panel.

3rd Detail: Incident ⇨ 3rd Step

3.   After that, select the Network and Internet.

4th Detail: Incident ⇨ 4th Step

4.   Once the Network and Internet is open, click the Network and Sharing Center.

5th Detail: Incident ⇨ 5th Step

5.   Then, choose Set up a connection or network.

6th Detail: Incident ⇨ 6th Step

6.   Last, click Connect to the Internet.

Let's create supporting sentences:

Introductory sentence:

The biggest impacts of the internet is actually on our daily lives.

Topic sentence:

For example, many people use the internet to find a job and plan their travel.

Identify the type of the supporting sentence.

1. Previously, seeking a job required several visits to the offices and companies for interviews.

- A. Fact
- B. Incident
- C. Reason
- D. Example

Identify the type of the supporting sentence.

2. Today, all that you are required to do is to email your resume to the company's analysis division.

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3. The result is that you can quickly find out the possibility for getting the job instead of waiting and getting rejected in the end.

- A. Fact
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- D. Example

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4. The internet can now also be used to inquire about the flight timings and delays.

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- B. Incident
- C. Reason
- D. Example

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5. These make it easier to plan for the departure time.

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The supporting sentences are:

1st Detail: Example ⇨ related to seeking job

Minor details:

1. Previously, seeking a job required several visits to the offices and companies for interviews.
2. Today, all that you are required to do is to email your resume to the company's analysis division.
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2nd Detail: Example ⇨ related to planning for travelling

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Study the following paragraph.
Find the topic sentence of this paragraph.

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(Modified from Tina, 2008)

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The supporting sentences are:

1st Detail: Example ⇨ 1st problem

1. For example, teenagers spend hours talking or writing to whom they called friends, but they actually never meet face to face with one another.

2nd Detail: Example ⇨ 2nd problem

2. Also, people can overshare unnecessary information on their social networks.

3rd Detail: Example ⇨ 3rd problem

3. Invitation to play online games becomes annoying and filled our news feed every single minute.

4th Detail: Example ⇨ 3rd problem

4. The worst is that there are many people who are addicted to online chatting and become depressed.

The supporting sentences are:

Topic Sentence

The top bun is your topic sentence

The sentences that come next are your supporting detail. They are like the lettuce, tomato and hamburger patty in the middle

Holding everything together is the bottom bun of the hamburger. It is a concluding sentence.

Introductory Sentence

Topic Sentence

Supporting Sentences

Concluding Sentence

Make sure your write complete supporting sentences!

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