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Clause Repair Shop

Directions: Each sentence below is **incorrect** because it joins two dependent clauses without an independent clause. Identify the problem and revise the sentence so it includes at least **one independent clause**. Write your corrected sentence on the line provided.

1. Because the rain was heavy, since the wind was strong.

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2. Although I studied for the test, since I reviewed my notes.

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3. If the lights go out, because the storm gets worse.

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4. Before the show started, while the audience was getting seated.

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5. Since it was cold outside, although the snow looked pretty.

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Challenge Sentences

Revise these into strong complex sentences. Try adding **different independent clauses** to make them more creative.

6. Because she was tired, although she finished her chores.

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7. While the dog barked loudly, before the mail carrier walked away.

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8. If you practice every day, since you want to improve.

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