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Description of Investigation and Student Report
Be an Investigator

Every year the United States Post Office comes out with a stamp to honor the Chinese New Year. In 2004, the stamp showed a picture of a monkey to honor the Year of the Monkey. The Year of the Monkey stamp costs 37¢.

You are working as an assistant at the post office. Your job is to help answer questions that people ask about stamps. For each question, give the plan you used to answer the question and the answer.

Information

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Student Report Sheet**

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