A cause or a reason

A cause is that which produces and effect, which makes a thing happen.

A reason is a fact which is put forward as a motive or explanation or in order to justify some conclusion.

Test

Complete the sentences with "cause" or "reason"

1. **I don't see any … why you can't come with us.**
   cause **reason**
2. **The … for his success was because of hard work.**
   cause **reason**
3. **Carelessness is often the … of fires.**
   cause **reason**
4. **Speeding is often … of car accidents.**
   cause **reason**
5. **What was the … of the explosion?**
   cause **reason**
6. **She gave a good … for her seemingly suspicious behavior.**
   cause **reason**
7. **What … do you have for being in such a bad mood?**
   cause **reason**
8. **Scientists attribute changes in the weather to natural …**
   cause **reason**

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9. Never stay away from school without good …

cause reason

10. The … of the accident was the ice on the road.

cause reason

11. He is the … of all our troubles.

cause reason

12. It would only … him more trouble, both with the trip and wagging tongues.

cause reason

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