

Direct and Indirect Questions

Yes/No

1. Direct: My realtor asked me, "Are you willing to make an offer?"
Indirect: My realtor asked me if I was willing to make an offer.
2. Direct: The teacher questioned, "Did you finish your homework?"
Indirect: The teacher questioned if we finished our homework.
3. Direct: The boss asked, "Have you finished the job yet?"
Indirect: The boss asked if we had finished the job yet.

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4. Direct: The author asked, "What kind of books do you like?"
Indirect: The author asked what kind of book I liked.
5. Direct: The chef asked, "When will you be ready for dinner?"
Indirect: The chef asked when we would be ready for dinner.
6. Direct: I asked my husband, "Where are my keys?"
Indirect: I asked my husband where the keys are.