Phrases And Clauses Exercise

State whether the given group of words is a phrase or clause.

1. because of his health problems
   Phrase
   Clause

2. though he was ill
   Phrase
   Clause

3. as you are my friend
   Phrase
   Clause
4. once upon a time

Phrase

Clause

5. a few months ago

Phrase

Clause

6. once in a while

Phrase

Clause

7. as soon as he arrived
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11. after working hard for years

12. even if you forbid me

Answers
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though he was ill (clause)
as you are my friend (clause)
once upon a time (phrase)
a few months ago (phrase)
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once in a while (phrase)
as soon as he arrived (clause)
if you are in a hurry (clause)
a well-known writer (phrase)
despite working hard (phrase)
after working hard for years (phrase)
even if you forbid me (clause)