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| Control Group | 21 | 36 | 22.47 | 22.59 |
| Experimental Group 1 | 38 | 28 | 25.67 | 38.19 |
| Experimental Group 2 | 28 | 45 | 33.46 | 31.85 |

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