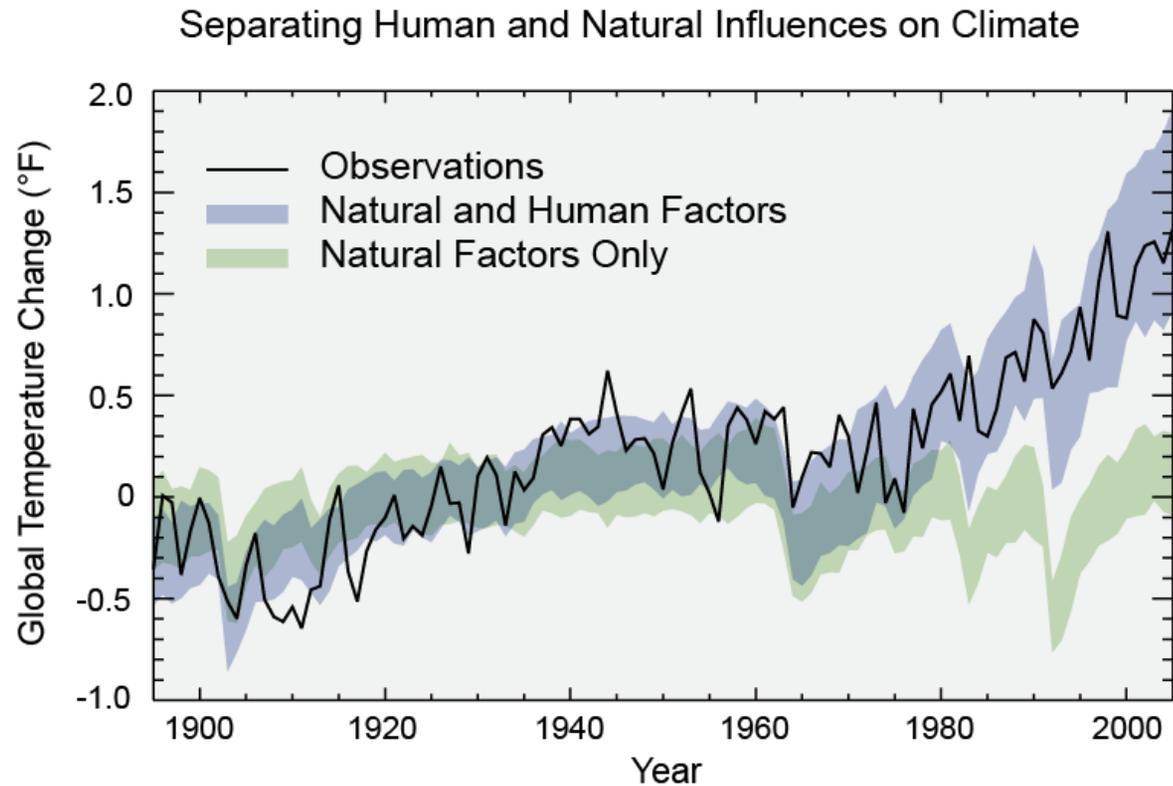


Causes of Climate Change

Earth's climate is a very complex system that is affected by many factors, including changes in Earth's movement and orbit, changes in solar energy, and volcanic eruptions.

The following graph shows changes in global temperature since 1900 (the black line). It also shows the amount of the change that is caused by natural factors alone (the green line). What questions do you have about this graph? What conclusions could you draw from it?



Source: <http://www3.epa.gov/climatechange/images/science/models-observed-human-natural.png>