

# Sentence lengths

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**This task is about collecting and interpreting data.**

For this task you will need a piece of your own writing with at least 10 sentences in it.

- a) Count how many words there are in each of the first 10 sentences of your piece of writing. Enter your results in this table.

**Length of sentences in my writing**

| <b>Sentence Number</b> | <b>Number of words</b> |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| 1                      |                        |
| 2                      |                        |
| 3                      |                        |
| 4                      |                        |
| 5                      |                        |
| 6                      |                        |
| 7                      |                        |
| 8                      |                        |
| 9                      |                        |
| 10                     |                        |

- b) Altogether, how many words are there in the 10 sentences? \_\_\_\_\_
- c) i) The shortest of these sentences is sentence number \_\_\_\_\_
- ii) The longest of these sentences is sentence number \_\_\_\_\_
- d) What is the average length of the 10 sentences? \_\_\_\_\_
- e) What is the range of the 10 sentence lengths? \_\_\_\_\_