

Sentence lengths

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

Sentence Number	Number of words
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? _____