

Max's Fruit Shop Bar Chart

Learning objective: To read and interpret data from a bar chart.

Look at the bar chart below. Use the information to answer the questions. Use the word bank if you need help.

Max the monkey is running a fruit shop. He counts how many pieces of fruit he sells in one morning. The chart shows his sales: Apples: 5, Bananas: 8, Pears: 3, Oranges: 6. (Imagine a bar chart where the y-axis shows numbers 0 to 10 and the x-axis shows Apples, Bananas, Pears, and Oranges).

Word bank: bar chart · total · most · least · difference

1. Which fruit did Max sell the most of? (1 mark)

2. Which fruit did Max sell the least of? (1 mark)

3. How many apples and pears did Max sell altogether? (2 marks)

4. What is the difference between the number of bananas and the number of pears sold? (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a new bar for the chart showing that Max sold 4 plums. Use a ruler to make your bar neat.

Extension challenge: If each apple costs £1, how much money did Max make from selling 5 apples?