

EXERCISE A Use the words in () to write answers to the questions.

Change the adjectives to nouns and write out the abbreviations. Number 1 is an example.

1. How high is Mount Saint Helens? (2,220 m) Its height is 2,220 meters.
2. How long is the table you need? (4'5") _____
3. How deep is the middle of this river? (12') _____
4. How hot is boiling water? (212°F.) _____
5. How high is this office door? (8') _____
6. How tall is the Statue of Liberty? (46 m) _____
7. How heavy is your suitcase? (53 lb.) _____
8. How cold was the coldest day here last year? (24°F.) _____
9. How long is the Franklin Bridge? (2 mi.) _____
10. How wide are train tracks? (4'8½") _____

EXERCISE B Match the questions with the answers.

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| _____ 1. How cold is it outside? | a. It's 450 degrees Fahrenheit. |
| _____ 2. How tall/high is that building? | b. Six stories. |
| _____ 3. How high is that bridge? | c. It's about 4,500 miles away. |
| _____ 4. How hot is this oven? | d. Exactly 5 pounds, 2 ounces. |
| _____ 5. How tall do you think Lisa is? | e. I think she's 5 feet 6 inches tall. |
| _____ 6. How long is your fishing line? | f. It's about 3 feet wide. |
| _____ 7. How deep is the lake at this point? | g. Maybe 30 feet high. |
| _____ 8. How heavy is that big book? | h. I guess it's 40 feet deep. |
| _____ 9. How wide is that window? | i. It's 35 degrees Fahrenheit. |
| _____ 10. How far is it from here to Rome? | j. It's 160 feet long. |

EXERCISE C Make questions with *How* + adjective and the words in ().

Number 1 is an example.

1. Q: How long are these pants?
A: They're 32" long. (pants)
2. Q: _____
A: It's 0°F. (freezer)
3. Q: _____
A: The water's 78°F. (swimming pool)
4. Q: _____
A: It's 45 stories high. (office building)
5. Q: _____
A: It's over 200 years old. (house)
6. Q: _____
A: It's 40 m wide here. (river)
7. Q: _____
A: It's less than a block away. (library)
8. Q: _____
A: He's 7'2" tall. (basketball player)
9. Q: _____
A: She's only 32. (boss)
10. Q: _____
A: They're all 22' long. (boats)