

204 First state whether the following statements are true (T) or false (F), then turn them from Direct speech into Reported speech.

1. "Ostriches can fly," he said. ... *He said (that) ostriches could fly.* ... *F.*
2. "The Amazon is the widest river in the world," she said.
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3. "The Earth is the largest planet in the universe," he said.
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4. "Penguins live in the desert," she said.
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5. "It's hot at the South Pole," he said.
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6. "Luxembourg has the best football team in the world," he said.
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7. "Dolphins are mammals," he said.
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8. "The Sahara desert is the largest desert in the world," he said.
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