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Reading Homework 7
Chapter 7: Getting the message (page 33-35)

Read the sentences about the reading. Each sentence contains one mistake. Rewrite it correctly.

0. The first email message was sent in **1974**.

→ 1971

1. The first telegraph machines needed **twenty wires**.

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2. Samuel Morse invented a telegraph that needed **two wires**.

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3. Morse code was made from **long and loud sounds**.

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4. American telegraph companies put up **5,800 kilometres** of wires.

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5. Telex was invented in the **1930s**.

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6. Telex machines used **telephone wires**.

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7. Companies continued to use telex until the **1990s**.

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8. In the 1980s, people began to buy **mobile phones**.

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9. In the 1990s, emails became easier because there were **many different systems**.

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10. Instant messaging software became popular at the beginning of the **twentieth century**.

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