

The bagel bakers worked in teams of four: two made the dough and shaped the bagels, one boiled the bagels, and one baked them. They were paid according to the number of bagels they made and usually produced 6,400 bagels a night.

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1. How were bagels made according to lines 18-19?

**Fill In the Missing Information in the Table Below**

Two workers _____
_____ boiled the bagels.
One _____

In the 1960's a bagel machine was invented. The machine was able to make between 200 and 400 bagels an hour. Although the machine makes many bagels in a time, some bakers continue to make bagels in the old-fashioned way. Bagels lovers claim that freshness is the most important thing. They say that after only four hours a bagel cannot be considered fresh.

1. What is the difference between making bagels by hand and by machine (lines 22-27)?

The machine \_\_\_\_\_

2. What is the meaning of the word "fresh" as it is used in line 27?

**Mark the correct dictionary definition.**

- i. **fresh adj.** Clean and clear
- ii. **fresh adj.** Prepared a short time ago
- iii. **fresh adj.** Not tired