

**Task 1.** Complete the second sentence in each pair, replacing the words and phrases in **bold** with words from the box. You will need to use some words more than once.

about	another	decrease	fall	fluctuated	gives	increase	information
peak	reached	rise	sharp	slight			

1 The graph **shows** the number of customers visiting a bookshop over a six-month period.

The graph **gives information about** the number of customers visiting a bookshop over a six-month period.

2 Customer numbers **increased slightly** in May.

There was a.....in customer numbers in May.

3 Customer numbers **decreased slightly** the following month.

There was a.....in customer numbers the following month.

4 Customer numbers **rose sharply** in July.

There was a.....in customer numbers in July.

5 Customer numbers **fell again** in August.

There was..... in customer numbers in August.

6 Customer numbers **peaked** in September.

Customer numbers..... a.....in September.

7 There were **fluctuations** in customer numbers during the six-month period.

Customer numbers.....during the six-month period.

