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## **Chapter 1 Test**

For #1 to #5, choose the best answer.

- 1. Which type of graph is best for showing changes in data over time?A bar graph B circle graph C line graph D pictograph
- 2. What type of graph is this?
  - A bar graph
  - **B** circle graph
  - C line graph
  - **D** pictograph



- 3. Which type of graph uses percents to compare categories to the whole?A bar graph B circle graph C line graph D pictograph
- **4.** Bill represented the data about hours of sunshine in several cities using a bar graph. How is this graph misleading?

City	Sunshine (h)
Winnipeg	2379
Regina	2367
Edmonton	2305
Vancouver	1920



- **A** The bars on the graph are not wide enough.
- **B** The horizontal scale is not labelled properly.
- **C** The intervals on the vertical scale are not equal.
- **D** The scale starts at 0.

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- **5.** Which type of graph is best used to compare this data across categories?
  - A bar graph
  - **B** circle graph
  - **C** line graph
  - $\boldsymbol{\mathsf{D}}$  pictograph

Wake-Up Time	Grade 8 Students
6:30 a.m.	12
7:00 a.m.	34
7:30 a.m.	28
8:00 a.m.	16

## **Short Answer**

- **6. a)** Redraw the bar graph in #4 to display the data accurately.
  - **b)** State two conclusions you can make based on the graph.
  - c) State an advantage of representing the data on a bar graph.
- Todd recorded the results of a survey of grade 8 students about what kind of movies they like best.
  - a) Display the data using a circle graph.
  - **b)** Display the data using a bar graph.
  - c) Which graph best shows the most popular type of movie? Explain.
  - d) Which graph best shows that comedy is twice as popular as drama? Explain.

## **Extended Response**

- **8.** Two teams are competing for a trophy based on the most wins over four seasons.
  - a) Create a graph to display their records over the past four seasons.
  - **b)** Use the same data to create a graph that is misleading. Explain how it is misleading.

	Games Won			
Team	Season 1	Season 2	Season 3	Season 4
Thunder Hawks	38	32	43	29
Range Riders	35	37	28	41

Movie Category	Votes
Comedy	36
Drama	18
Action	26
Romance	20