

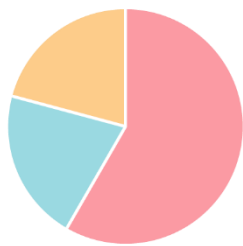
English Expression I : **【English × Data Science】** How to describe charts/graphs

**【Goals】** After lessons,

- You should be able to describe charts/graphs in English.
- You should be able to make a presentation about “weather and beverages” with Google Slides in English.

**1 Chart Types**

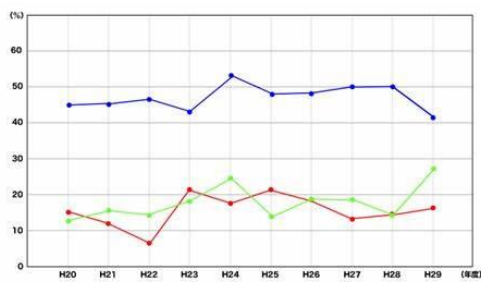
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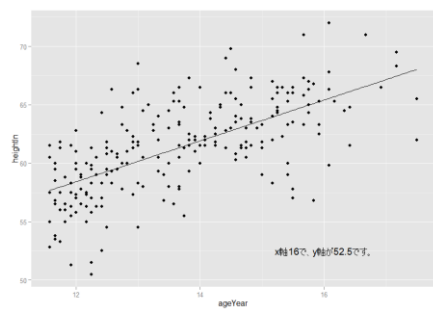
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第一下半期：支店別売上データ表

支店名	7月	8月	9月
札幌	54,264	26,426	25,121
東京	35,486	21,122	26,684
大阪	45,685	22,555	26,854
福岡	14,215	15,005	14,265

## 2 Parts of Charts

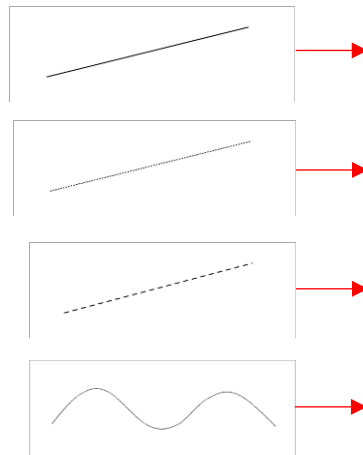
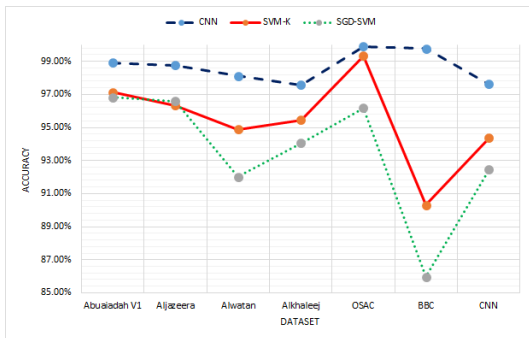
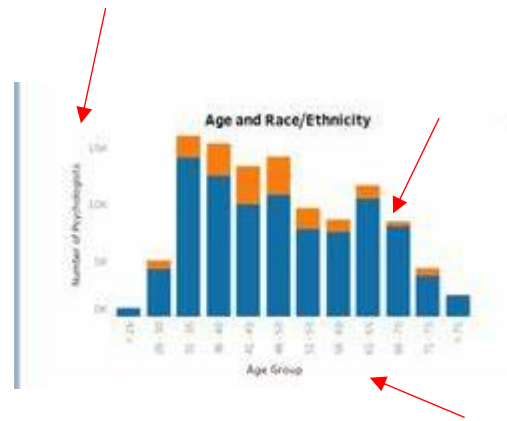
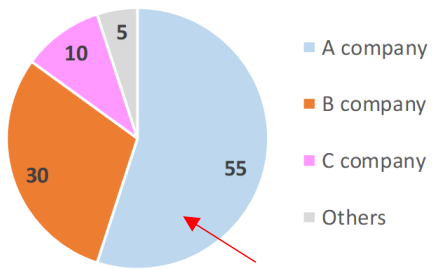
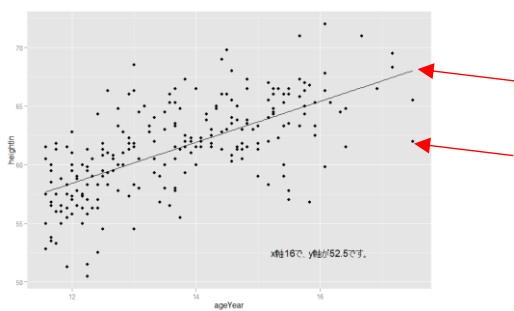


Table: Revenue and profit of A-company

Million \$	2016	2017	2018	2019
Revenue	10	8	12	15
Profit	2	0.5	2.5	3

Red arrows point to the 'Revenue' and 'Profit' rows, and the '2019' column.



### 3 English Phrases to Describe Charts

数字	figure	数値	value
平均	average	最大の	maximum
最低の	minimum	累計の	cumulative
割合	rate, ratio	パーセント	percentage
分布	distribution	シェア	share
比例する	proportional	反比例する	inversely proportional
～を表す	show, indicate, represent, describe		

増加する	increase	減少する	decrease
～%増加する	increase by ~%	～%減少する	decrease by ~%
大幅に増える	soar	大幅に減る	drop
2倍になる	double	半分になる	halve
急激に	rapidly	緩やかに	slowly, gradually
着実に	steadily	わずかに	slightly
横ばいの	stagnant		

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#### 4 How to Describe charts

When you describe charts, you should ...

Point 1. Explain what the chart is about.

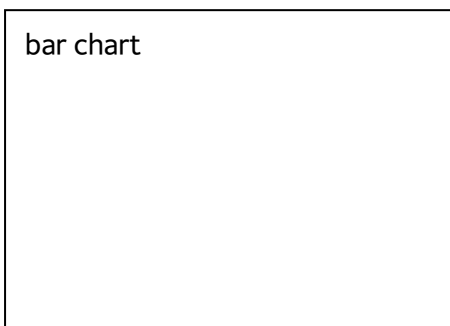
Point 2. Explain how to see/read the chart.

What the vertical or the horizontal axis represents

What the solid line or the dotted line represents, etc...

Point 3. Describe what can be read from the chart.

#### ★Example 1★



This **bar chart** shows the participants in the three classes. The **horizontal axis** represents classes, and the **vertical axis** represents the number of participants. **Compared with** the other two classes, Class B has the most participants. Class C has the lowest number of participants and has half of those in Class B.

#### ☆Question-1☆

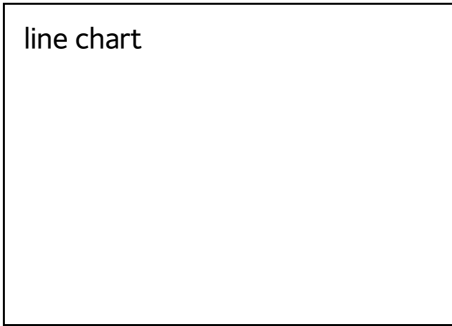
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#### ☆Question-2 (T/F questions)☆

- ① The total number of participants is 45. ( T / F )
- ② Class B has 15 more participants than Class C. ( T / F )
- ③ Class B and C together have the same number of participants as double of Class A. ( T / F )

★Example 2★



This **line chart** shows the population **transitions** for the three cities. The horizontal axis represents years, and the vertical axis represents population. The **broken line** represents the population of City B and shows that it has increased gradually since 2010. **As you can see here**, the population of City C is **expected to decrease by over 70 %** by 2030.

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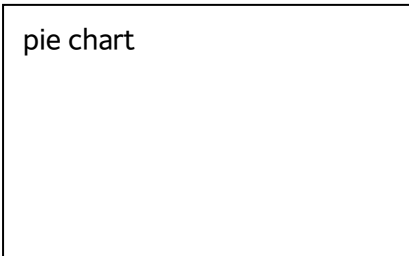
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☆Question-2 (T/F questions)☆

- ① In the year 2030, City A will have 40,000 people. ( T / F )
- ② City B is always the most populated city. ( T / F )
- ③ In 2030, City B is more populated than City A and B combined. ( T / F )

★Example 3★

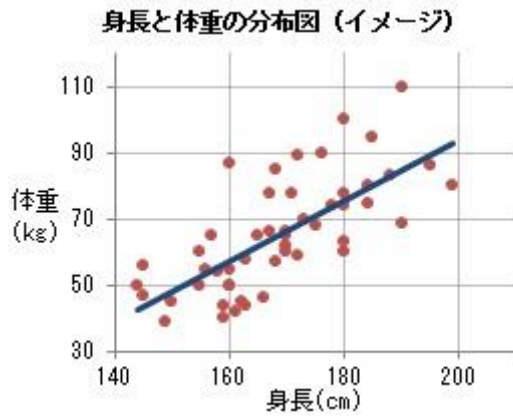


This **pie chart** shows the **ratio** of all grades in the school. The red **segment** shows the percentage of the 1<sup>st</sup>-year students. The 2<sup>nd</sup>-year students **make up** 45 % of the total number of students.

☆Question-1 (T/F questions)☆

- ① The number of students in 2<sup>nd</sup> grade is more than that of first and third grades together. ( T / F )
- ② The number of 1<sup>st</sup> year students is twice as large as that of third year students. ( T / F )
- ③ Twice the number of the difference between 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> year students is less than the amount of 3<sup>rd</sup> year students. ( T / F )

★Example 4★

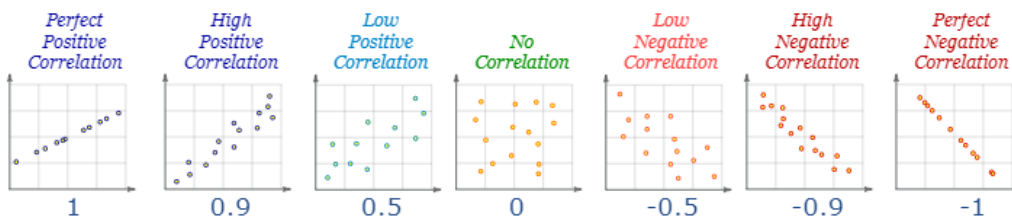


The **scatter chart** on the left shows the **relation** between a person's height and weight. Each **dot** represents an individual person. Both **variables** are trending upward, and they are generally following the set **trendline**, so this chart shows that height vs weight has a **high positive correlation**.

☆Question☆

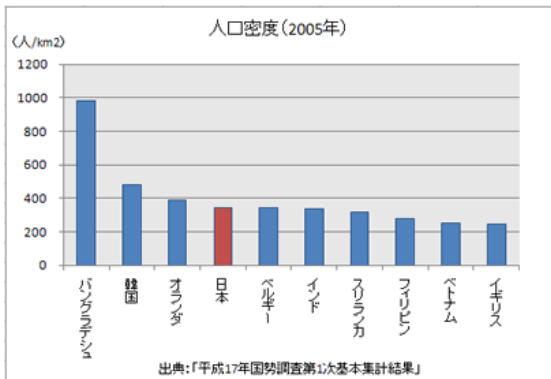
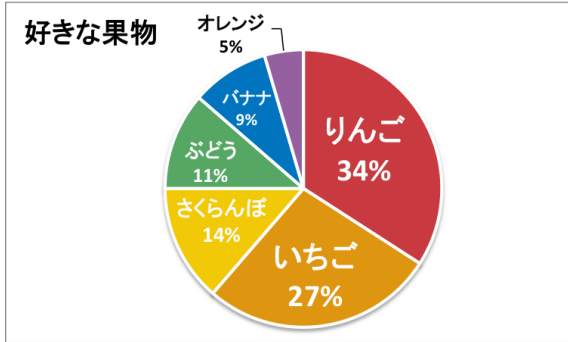
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**Exercise**

Describe the charts below in English.



Grade ( 1 ) Class (       ) No. (       ) Name (       )