Measure the Lines!

Put the zero of your ruler on the dot. Read straight across. Write the length under each line.

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How long is each wavy line? Measure to the nearest centimetre.

A. 

Length: _____ cm

B. 

Length: _____ cm

C. 

Length: _____ cm

D. 

Length: _____ cm

E. 

Length: _____ cm

F. 

Length: _____ cm

Tip: always start at the 0, not at the ruler's edge — or every line reads one centimetre too long!

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Answer Key — Measure the Lines

Grown-ups: check the guesses against these lengths.

Line A: 4 cm

Line B: 7 cm

Line C: 10 cm

Line D: 12 cm

Line E: 15 cm

Line F: 18 cm

A line that lands between two whole centimetres takes the nearer one — that is measuring to the nearest centimetre.