

Trolley Talk

Follow-up resource

Introduction and aim

You are going to use the data you collected on each store or supermarket to compare how sustainable they are. The data tables you have filled in for each store or supermarket contain information on;

1. Packaging of fruit and vegetables
2. Range of UK-grown fruit and vegetables sold
3. Range of recycled products sold
4. Range of eco-friendly products (e.g. Ecover) sold
5. Range of Fairtrade products sold
6. Checkout bags
7. Recycling facilities at the store

Tasks

1. For each table, come up with a suitable method of representing the data, e.g. bar graph, pie chart, pictogram. You should end up with 7 different ones. Make sure they are accurate, clear and have all necessary labels, key and titles.
2. Look at each one. Write a short paragraph to describe what each one shows. Try to be clear and concise, and include figures in your description.
3. Look at all 7 'sets of data' together. Is there one store / supermarket which appears to be more sustainable than the others? Try to write a conclusion to summarise your main findings.

