



## Shopping problems 1

Calculate the average (mean) by adding up the figures and then dividing by the number of figures:

**average = total amount divided by the total number of figures**

Below are the shopping bills for 5 different households over 5 weeks. Work out what the average shopping bill is for each household over the 5 weeks.

1. £20, £30, £50, £40, £60

2. £60, £90, £70, £80, £100

3. £60, £40, £50, £80, £70

4. £50, £40, £60, £50, £60

5. £90, £70, £30, £50, £90

Now check your answers with the answer sheet.