

Worksheet 1 – Understanding Distance and Comparing Towns

Part A – Comparing Distances

Study the distances between these towns (approximate values):

From → To	Distance (km)
Kingston → Spanish Town	21 km
Kingston → Ocho Rios	65 km
Kingston → Mandeville	96 km
Kingston → Montego Bay	179 km
Kingston → Port Antonio	95 km

1. Which town is **closest** to Kingston? _____
 2. Which town is **farthest** from Kingston? _____
 3. Arrange the towns from **nearest to farthest** from Kingston.

 4. What is the **difference in distance** between Ocho Rios and Montego Bay?
_____ km
 5. The distance from Kingston to Port Antonio is 95 km. How many **metres** is this?
_____ m
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Part B – Word Problems

1. A bus travels from Kingston to Mandeville (96 km) and then to Montego Bay (179 km).
What is the total distance travelled?

2. A truck travels 45 km from Kingston to Linstead, then 21 km to Spanish Town.
What is the **total distance**?

3. The distance from Ocho Rios to Montego Bay is 98 km.
How much **farther** is this than the trip from Kingston to Ocho Rios?