

## 20. [Word Numbers]

### Skill 20.1 Expressing word numbers in numerals.

MM7 1 2 3 4  
MM8 1 2 3 4

Rule 1: Leave a space, or put a comma, between the thousands and the hundreds.

Rule 2: Write a zero in any place that is left empty between other digits.

**Q.** Express in numerals:  
Four thousand and twenty-five.

**A.** 4025

<i>Th.</i>	<i>H</i>	<i>T</i>	<i>U</i>
4	0	2	5

First write the digit 4 for the thousands, leave a space, then write the digit 0, because there are no hundreds. Finally write 25, corresponding to the words twenty-five.

**a)** Express in numerals:  
Seventy-six

76

**b)** Express in numerals:  
Eight hundred and twelve

**c)** Express in numerals:  
Two hundred and nine

**d)** Express in numerals:  
One hundred and twenty-six

**e)** Express in numerals:  
Seven thousand, six hundred and four

**f)** Express in numerals:  
Forty-eight thousand, one hundred

**g)** Express in numerals:  
Nineteen thousand

**h)** Express in numerals:  
Five thousand and seventeen

**i)** Express in numerals:  
Sixty-one thousand and two

**j)** Express in numerals:  
Two hundred thousand

**k)** Express in numerals:  
Two million

**l)** Express in numerals:  
Thirty million

In a number, each digit has a special place value. Generally, when writing a number in words, starting from the left, we write the word for each digit (unless it is a 0), followed by its place value.

Rule: For the numbers 21 to 99 use a hyphen (-) to separate the word for the tens from the word for the units.

Some two digit numbers have names that do not follow the usual rules. Use the following:

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|-----------|------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| 10 ten    | 50 fifty   | 90 ninety   | 14 fourteen  | 18 eighteen |
| 20 twenty | 60 sixty   | 11 eleven   | 15 fifteen   | 19 nineteen |
| 30 thirty | 70 seventy | 12 twelve   | 16 sixteen   |             |
| 40 forty  | 80 eighty  | 13 thirteen | 17 seventeen |             |

**Q.** Write the number 23 in words.

**A.** *Twenty-three*

<i>T</i>	<i>U</i>
<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>

*2 is in the TENS column, meaning 2 tens.*

*3 is in the UNITS column, meaning 3 units.*

*2 tens and 3 units become in words: twenty and three, written as twenty-three.*

**a)** Write the number 62 in words.

**sixty-two**  
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**b)** Write the number 35 in words.  
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**c)** Write the number 71 in words.  
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**d)** Write the number 49 in words.  
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**e)** Write the number 28 in words.  
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**f)** Write the number 99 in words.  
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**g)** Write the number 36 in words.  
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**h)** Write the number 87 in words.  
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**i)** Write the number 59 in words.  
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**j)** Write the number 64 in words.  
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**k)** Write the number 32 in words.  
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**l)** Write the number 25 in words.  
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- Rule 1: Describe the number of hundreds first. Always write 'hundred' not 'hundreds'.  
 Rule 2: Place the word 'and' after the word 'hundred', if other values follow.  
 Rule 3: Don't write anything for any 0's.

**Q.** Write the number 862 in words.

**A.** *Eight hundred and sixty-two*

<i>H</i>	<i>T</i>	<i>U</i>
<i>8</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>2</i>

*8 is in the HUNDREDS column, meaning 8 hundreds.  
 6 is in the TENS column, meaning 6 tens.  
 2 is in the UNITS column, meaning 2 units.  
 8 hundreds, 6 tens and 2 units become in words:  
 eight hundred and sixty-two.*

**a)** Write the number 401 in words.

four hundred and one

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**b)** Write the number 560 in words.

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**c)** Write the number 211 in words.

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**d)** Write the number 876 in words.

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**e)** Write the number 300 in words.

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**f)** Write the number 189 in words.

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**g)** Write the number 472 in words.

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**h)** Write the number 285 in words.

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**i)** Write the number 934 in words.

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**j)** Write the number 441 in words.

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**k)** Write the number 369 in words.

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**l)** Write the number 277 in words.

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Rule 1: Describe the number of thousands first. Always write 'thousand' not 'thousands'.

Rule 2: Place a comma between the word thousand and the numeral for the hundreds.

Rule 3: Write 'and' between the word thousand and the following numerals when hundreds are missing.

**Q.** Write the number 6300 in words.

**A.** *Six thousand, three hundred*

<i>Th.</i>	<i>H</i>	<i>T</i>	<i>U</i>
<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

6 thousands, 3 hundreds, 0 tens and 0 units  
become in words:  
six thousand, three hundred.

**a)** Write the number 1012 in words.  
one thousand and twelve

**b)** Write the number 5500 in words.

**c)** Write the number 3010 in words.

**d)** Write the number 9054 in words.

**e)** Write the number 1800 in words.

**f)** Write the number 4002 in words.

**g)** Write the number 6057 in words.

**h)** Write the number 8400 in words.

**i)** Write the number 2433 in words.

**j)** Write the number 7651 in words.

**k)** Write the number 1007 in words.

**l)** Write the number 6301 in words.

Describe the number of thousands by following the rules for 2-digit numbers.

**Q.** Write the number 30042 in words.

**A.** *Thirty thousand and forty-two*

<i>Tens of thousands</i>	<i>Th.</i>	<i>H</i>	<i>T</i>	<i>U</i>
<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>

30 thousands, 0 hundreds, 4 tens and 2 units become in words:  
*thirty thousand and forty-two.*

**a)** Write the number 78 100 in words.

**seventy-eight thousand,**  
**one hundred**

**b)** Write the number 12 000 in words.

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**c)** Write the number 30 060 in words.

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**d)** Write the number 93 500 in words.

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**e)** Write the number 46 009 in words.

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**f)** Write the number 59 100 in words.

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**g)** Write the number 18 130 in words.

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**h)** Write the number 25 050 in words.

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**i)** Write the number 38 409 in words.

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**j)** Write the number 92 628 in words.

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**k)** Write the number 62 740 in words.

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**l)** Write the number 88 312 in words.

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Describe the number of thousands by following the rules for 3-digit numbers.

**Q.** Write the number 305 000 in words.

**A.** *Three hundred and five thousand*

<i>Hundreds of thousands</i>	<i>Tens of thousands</i>	<i>Th.</i>	<i>H</i>	<i>T</i>	<i>U</i>
<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

305 thousands, 0 hundreds, 0 tens and 0 units become in words:  
*three hundred and five thousand.*

**a)** Write the number 620 000 in words.  
**six hundred and twenty thousand**

**b)** Write the number 500 000 in words.  
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**c)** Write the number 480 000 in words.  
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**d)** Write the number 709 000 in words.  
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**e)** Write the number 170 000 in words.  
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**f)** Write the number 805 000 in words.  
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**g)** Write the number 230 000 in words.  
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**h)** Write the number 915 000 in words.  
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**i)** Write the number 119 200 in words.  
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**j)** Write the number 403 600 in words.  
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**k)** Write the number 465 800 in words.  
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**l)** Write the number 731 400 in words.  
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Rule 1: Describe the number of millions first, always writing 'million' not 'millions' and then describe the number of thousands etc.

Rule 2: Place a comma after the word million if thousands or hundreds follow.

Rule 3: Write 'and' between the word million and the following numerals when the numerals describing the thousands and hundreds are missing.

**Q.** Write the number 2 019 045 in words.

**A.** *Two million, nineteen thousand and forty-five*

Millions	Hundreds of thousands	Tens of thousands	Th.	H	T	U
2	0	1	9	0	4	5

2 millions, 19 thousands, 0 hundreds, 4 tens and 5 units become in words:  
two million, nineteen thousand and forty-five.

**a)** Write the number 6 000 800 in words.

**six million, eight hundred**  
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**b)** Write the number 1 053 000 in words.

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**c)** Write the number 3 200 800 in words.

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**d)** Write the number 4 607 000 in words.

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**e)** Write the number 7 000 900 in words.

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**f)** Write the number 8 600 200 in words.

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**g)** Write the number 5 400 200 in words.

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**h)** Write the number 6 500 100 in words.

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**i)** Write the number 7 600 900 in words.

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**j)** Write the number 8 700 500 in words.

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