# 1. ŠTEVILA

| + | addition       | plus          |  |
|---|----------------|---------------|--|
| - | subtraction    | minus         |  |
| * | multiplication | multiplicated |  |
| ÷ | division       | devided       |  |

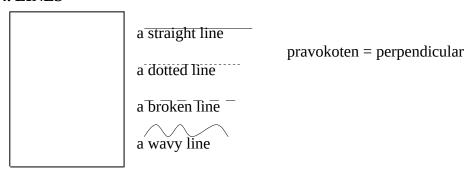
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|-----------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| 3 + 2 = 5       | three plus two equales five         |  |
| 7.250           | seven point two five                |  |
| 444             | four hundred and forty four         |  |
| $3^2$           | three squared                       |  |
| $3^3$           | three cubed                         |  |
| 34              | three to the power four             |  |
| 3-4             | three to the minus four             |  |
| $\sqrt{5}$      | the square root of five             |  |
| <sup>3</sup> √7 | the cube root of seven              |  |
| 33%             | thirty - three percent              |  |
| 75/2B           | seventy - five slash (stroke) two B |  |
| 55 – 77         | double five dash double seven       |  |
| *               | Asterisk                            |  |
| @               | At                                  |  |
|                 | dot                                 |  |

# 2. FRACTIONS

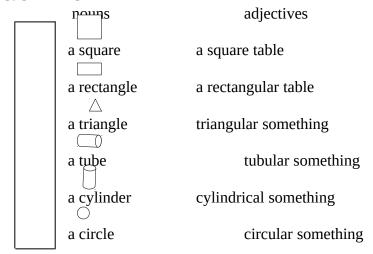
| 1/2   | one (a) half                           |
|-------|--|
| 3⁄4   | three quarters                         |
| 1/7   | one (a) seventh                        |
| 3/7   | three seventh                          |
| 1/10  | one (a) tenth                          |
| 5/561 | five over five hundred and sixty - one |

# 3. TABLES (poštevanka)

# 4. LINES



## 5. SHAPES



## **6. DIMENSIONS**

| The mountain is 1000 m high | The height of mountain is |  |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| The well is 50 m deep       | The depth of well is      |  |
| The room is 5 m long        | The length of room is     |  |
| The pipes are 2 cm thick    | The tightness of pipes    |  |
| The river is 20 m wide      | The width of river is     |  |
| The pillars aren't strong   | The strength of           |  |
|                             | The weight of             |  |

| Loose  | To loosen     |
|--------|---------------|
| Tight  | To tighten    |
| Wide   | To widen      |
| Thick  | To thicken    |
| Deep   | To deepen     |
| Long   | To lengthen   |
| High   | To heighten   |
| Strong | To strengthen |
| Short  | To shorten    |

## 7. DEFINITIONS

**A** knife **is** the device **we use** for cutt**ing**.

Namesto »a device« lahko uporabimo tudi:

- a tool
- a machine
- an instrument
- an apparatus
- an element

A crane is a machine used for lifting cargo.

A fuse is a device used for protecting electrical circuits.

Loudspeakers are devices used for producing sound.

A microwave is a device we use for cooking.

A bulb is an element we used for producing light.

#### 8. HOUSEHOLD GADGETS

#### Are:

- microwave
- blender
- food processor
- refrigerator
- deep freezer
- dish washer
- washing machine
- electric slicer
- kettle

#### 9. EDUCATION

First there is:

- nursery
- elementary school (primary)
- secondary school: gymnasium
  - Vocational school
- university (faculty is a department)

#### Classes:

- lectures
- seminars
- lab practice
- tutorials
  - obvezen compulsory

a lecture = a talk given by lecturer

a seminar = a discussion between a lecturer and group of students

a tutorial = a discussion between a tutor and 1- 2 students

thesis = a written work you produce at the end of your studies

when you graduate you get a degree you become B. Sc. in computer science

post-graduate study:

- M. A. = master degree
- Ph. D. = doctorate

M. Sc. = Master of Science

D. Sc. = doctor of science

M. A. thesis, Ph. D. thesis: defend your thesis

Academic year

#### You can:

- apply for the exam
- to pass the exam
- to fail the exam
- to sit the exam

## 10. MOVEMENTS

#### rasti:

- to increase
- to grow up
- to rise
- to grow
- to expand

## padati:

- to decrease
- to fall
- to lower

navpična rast: to shot up

navpičen padec: to bottom, plunge

valovati: to fluctuate

to stabilize

to remain steady, unchanged

to reach a peak, to peak

to bottom

to grow, to expand

to shrink, to decline

## **11. HAVE TO**

#### **PRESENT**

We have to fill in the form. MORAMO
Do you have to fill in the form? ALI MORATE
We don't have to fill in the form. NI NAM TREBA

#### **PAST**

We had to fill in the form. MORALI SMO
Did you have to fill in the form? ALI STE MORALI
We didn't have to fill in the form. NI NAM BILO TREBA

#### **FUTURE**

We'll have to fill in the form. MORALI BOMO
Will you have to fill in the form? ALI BOSTE MORALI
We won't have to fill in the form. NE BO NAM TREBA

**MUST** 

PRESENT: He must be ill. NOW

PAST: He must have been ill. YESTERDAY

Must, should, could, might + HAVE + 3. oblika glagola (+ed) za PAST TIME

### 12. PREPOSITION

#### of time:

time: at 5. PMday: on Monday

- date: on 17. September

month: in Julyyear: in 1999season: in summerholiday: at Xmas

### of place:

big town: in New York
 small town: at Bled
 floor: on 3rd floor
 street: in Oxford street
 avenue: on 5<sup>th</sup> avenue

#### 13. REPORTED STATEMENTS

direct question: V + S reported question: S + V

What's the time?

Can you tell me what the time is?

When is the leap year?

Can you tell me when the leap year is?

Where are you from?

Can you tell me where you are from?

Why did you come late?

Can you tell me why you come late?

How much does it cost?

Can you tell me how much it costs?

*Where is the post office?* 

Can you tell me where the post office is?

How much is the membership?

Can you tell me how much the membership fee is?

*How much was the subscription?* 

Can you tell me how much the subscription was?

Have you been to Australia?

Can you tell me whether if you've been to Australia?

Did you buy this computer in B&B?

Can you tell me if you bought this computer in B&B? Do you offer the discount?
Can you tell me whether you offer the discount?
Were you dissatisfied with accommodation?
Can you tell me if you where dissatisfied with accommodation?

#### 14. MEETINGS

Meeting can be: called, held, organized, postponed, and cancelled.

People on meeting are participants. The chairman runs the meeting.

The secretary writes the minutes.

RSVP = repond'ez s'il vous plaîl

AGM = annual general meeting (skupščina)

The agenda (dnevni red)

The agenda items:

- presence and absence
- minutes of previous meeting
- matters arising
- AUB (razno)

#### Phrases:

Are we all agreed?

Let's move to the second item of the agenda.

Let's get started.

Time's up.

Could I make a point?

#### **15. PHONE**

#### calls:

- international,
- local,
- trunk, (medkrajevni)
- collect. (plača tisti, ki ga kličeš)

## Phones are:

- coin operated,
- card

party line = dvojček

The line can be:

- busy,
- engaged (napeljana)
- occupied

telephone book, dictionary, the operator (centrala)

to put you through, hold the line please, hold on please

Number can be: extension (internal), area code, and country code

Phrases:

Could I speak to ...

Sorry, he's not in ...

Look up the number in phone book.

Peter speaking.

I didn't catch it, could you repeat it, please.

Can I help you?

#### 16. PHASES WITH LOOK

look at = pogledati

look for = iskati

look after = skrbeti

look up the number, the word in dictionary

look up to somebody = respect sbd

look into = investigate

look forward to = anticipate with pleasure

look like = resemble (be alike)

#### 17. ABRIEVIATIONS

RSVP = answer please

C/O = care of (delam pri)

encl = enclosure (priloga)

p. p. = per pro = on behalf

pp. pages

c. c. = carbon copies

c. f. = con fer = compare

e. g. = exampli gratia = for example

i. e. = id est = that is

et al = and others

ibid = in the same place

## 18. FORMAL LETTER

Address Date

My address

Dear Sir or Madam

Za odstavek samo spustiš vrstico, ne delaš zamika.

Best whishes

Dear Sir ... Yours faithfully

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Dear Mr. Jones ... Yours sincerely I'm (prepovedano) ... I am
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#### Phrases:

Thank you, very much for your letter dated 15. September.

Sorry for such a delay in writing to you.

Would (could) you please?

Please do not hesitate to contact me by phone (number), e-mail or in writing.

To order = naročiti

To subscribe to = naročiti se na

Subscription = naročnina

Subscriber = naročnik

I look forward to hearing from you soon.

to your answer.

to meeting you in Ljubljana.

to your positive answer.

I thank you in advance.

### 19. Negative prefixes

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l + il: legal + il = illegal
r + ir: regular + ir = irregular
m, p, b + im: possible + im = impossible
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#### 19. Passive voice

Active: Slovenia produces good wine.

Passive: Good wine is produced by (in) Slovenia.

Obj. + pomožni glagol + past participle (3 obl. ali ed) + by

When will they give the results? (on Monday)

The results will be given on Monday.

Do they speak Portuguese in Ecuador? (no)

Portuguese is not spoken in Ecuador.

How must we play the game? (by the rules)

The game must be played according to the rules.

When did you pay the bill? (last week)

The bill was paid last week.

Have they improved the acoustics? (already)

The acoustics has already been improved.

What data did they publish? (accrued)

Accrued data was published.

What information have they given to Peter? (up to date)

Peter has been given up to date information.

Who did they elect the president of the association? (Mary)

Mary was elected the president of the association.

# **20. Do, make**

| DO          | MAKE          |                |
|-------------|---------------|----------------|
| Your best   | Noise         | Effort         |
| Damage      | Mistake       | A lot of money |
| Research    | Plans         | Confession     |
| Business    | Telephone cal | Progress       |
| Favor       | Appointment   | Room           |
| Do you good | Complain      | Excuses        |

# 21. Adjectives and prepositions

| Accustomed TO | Ready FOR       | Similar TO          | Depend ON        |
|---------------|-----------------|---------------------|------------------|
| Afraid OF     | Relevant TO     | Sorry FOR           | Differ FROM      |
| Ashamed OF    | Responsible FOR | Suitable FOR        | Escape FROM      |
| Aware OF      | Typical OF      | Suspicious OF       | Insist ON        |
| Capable OF    | Absent FROM     | Terrified OF        | Operate ON       |
| Depended ON   | Better AT       | Terrible AT         | Prevent sbd FROM |
| Famous FOR    | Guilty OF       | Tired OF            | Recover FROM     |
| Full OF       | Late FOR        | Borrow sth FROM     | Rely ON          |
| Good AT       | Apposed TO      | Concentrate ON      | Resign FROM      |
| Jealous OF    | Satisfied WITH  | Congratulate sbd ON | Retire FROM      |
| Proud OF      | Short OF        | Decide ON           | Suffer FROM      |

# 22. Razlike:

| Practice      | You need more practice.            |  |
|---------------|------------------------------------|--|
| Practise      | You have to practise more.         |  |
| Advice        | (N) Nasvet                         |  |
| Advise        | (V) Svetovati                      |  |
| Affect        | (V) Vpliv                          |  |
| Effect        | (N) Učinek                         |  |
| Loose         | Zrahljan                           |  |
| Lose          | Izgubiti                           |  |
| Beside        | Sedi zraven Miha                   |  |
| Besides       | Zraven Audija so še Mercedes, BMW, |  |
| Stationary    | Papirnica, pisarniški material     |  |
| Stationery    | Fixed                              |  |
| Economic      | Ekonomija                          |  |
| Economical    | Varčen                             |  |
| Sensitive     | Občutljiv                          |  |
| Sensible      | Misli na vse                       |  |
| Comprehensive | Knowledge (obsežen)                |  |
| Understanding | Razumevajoč                        |  |

| Channel  | Men made                                |
|----------|---|
| Canal    | Nature made                             |
| Story    | Zgodba                                  |
| Storey   | Nadstopje                               |
| Amount   | Neštevno                                |
| Number   | Števno                                  |
| Between  | Two                                     |
| Among    | More                                    |
| Farther  | Distance                                |
| Further  | Time                                    |
| Hardly   | Positive (ne moreš uporabiti negativno) |
| Scarcely | Negativno                               |
| Lying    | Lagati, ležati                          |
| Laying   | Položiti                                |
| Than     | Primerjati                              |
| Then     | Za tem                                  |
| There    | Tam                                     |
| Their    | Njihov                                  |
| Theirs   | Njihov                                  |
| There's  | There is                                |
| They're  | They are                                |
| Whose    | Čigav                                   |
| Who's    | Who is                                  |
| Witch    | Čarovnica                               |
| Which    | Kateri                                  |

# 23. Spelling

| Accommodation | Emphasis     | Interesting | Predominantly |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| Achieve       | Experimental | Interviewed | Raised        |
| Applicable    | Foreigner    | Knowledge   | Referring     |
| Beginning     | Frequently   | Laborers    | Research      |
| Choice        | Government   | Maintaining | Resources     |
| Criticism     | Height       | Medicine    | Successful    |
| Development   | Hypothesis   | Necessary   | Techniques    |
| Disappeared   | Increasingly | Occupation  | Thorough      |
| Divided       | Insufficient | Occurred    | Whether       |
| Which         | Writing      |             |               |

# 24. Work

Applying for job:

1. learn from: media, ads, job centers

- 2. interested in job: send for the application form, you fill it in, send it of + you also enclose: covering letter, C. V., certificates of your education, references
- 3. they made a short-list
- 4. short-listed candidates are invited to the interview
- 5. you must send off the form by the deadline

## The interview:

| The candidate  | Employer                                |
|--|---|
| - salary   | - previous job                          |
| <ul> <li>working time (flexible, fixed)</li> </ul>   | - skills                                |
| <ul> <li>working condition</li> </ul>                | - marital status                        |
| - premises   | - capabilities                          |
| - paid lunch   | - responsibilities                      |
| - moonlighting                                       | - ready to work in stressful conditions |
| <ul> <li>working extra hours</li> </ul>              | - residence                             |
| - perks (the use of car,)                            | - team work                             |
| - benefits   | - reasons for taking this job           |
| - promotion  | - your ambitions                        |
| - vacation   | - your previous pay                     |
| <ul> <li>possibility of further education</li> </ul> |   |

I've got a job.

I go to work.

I'm at work.

My job is ...

## 25. Opposites

| Subtract       | Add        | Hardware   | Software     |
|----------------|------------|------------|--------------|
| Authorize      | Forbid     | Infinite   | Closed       |
| Automated      | Manual     | Landscape  | Portrait     |
| Backward       | Forward    | Monospaced | Proportional |
| Boot up        | Shut down  | Multiply   | Divide       |
| Character base | Graphical  | Open       | Close        |
| Column         | Row        | Parallel   | Serial       |
| Confirm        | Cancel     | Physical   | Virtual      |
| Contiguous     | Fragmented | Problem    | Solution     |
| Continue       | Interrupt  | Simplex    | Duplex       |
| Delete         | Restore    | Single     | Multiple     |
| Flexible       | Rigid      | Transmit   | Receive      |

# 27. Glossary of some expressions and synonyms used in academic text

| Biti mnenja, verjeti Biti sestavljen iz Consist of, made up of, composed of Cilj, namen Target, goal, intention Dobiti To obtain, to receive, to gain Čeprav Although, though Dokaz Proof, evidence, Dokazati To prove, to give proof, to demonstrate Doseči To reach, to achieve Glavni Main, principal, general Izpeljati, voditi (raziskavo) Kategorija, tip, vrsta Category, type, species Ker, zaradi Because, due to, since, as Klasičen, običajen Classic, usual, traditional Končati Finish, end, to complete Na splošno Generally, usually, in most cases Naslednji Next, following Ocenjevati To estimate, to value Omogočiti Enable, allow, make possible Osredotočiti se na Focus on, concentrate on Poleg tega Besides, moreover, as well Pomanjkljivosti Deficiency, disadvantage, limitations Pomemben Important, significant, Ponazoriti To show, to illustrate, give an example Poskušati To attempt, to try Povečati To raise, to enlarge, to magnify Povezati To link, to bind Predlagati To check, to verify Razdeliti, klasificirati To classify, to divide          |
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| Sestavni del Part, element, component   |
| Sklepati Draw a conclusion, to infer  |
| Spodbujati To stimulate, to encourage   |
| Trditi To claim, to state   |
| Učinkovit Efficient, effective  |
| Ugotoviti To find, to establish,  |
| Uporabiti To use, to apply  |
| Upoštevti To accept, to consider  |
| Vpliv Influence,  |
| Z drugimi besedami In other words, to put it in another way   |
| Zaključiti (študijo) To end, to complete, to finish   |
| Zato Because of, therefore  |
| Zmanjšati To reduce, to lower, to decrease  |

| Značilnosti | Features, characteristics |
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#### 28. The use of definite and indefinite article

## **A/an** uporabljamo:

- pred samoglasniki (izgovorjava) e. g. an hour
- za števne samostalnike v ednini, ki jih prvič omenjamo

**The** uporabljamo pred samostalniki v ednini in množini, ki jih že poznamo, oz. smo jih že omenili. E.g. Children are playing in the playground. The children look very happy.

## **Brez člena** uporabljamo:

- pred neštevnimi samostalniki (electricity, power, snow, ...)
- pred samostalniki v množini, ki jih prvič omenjamo

#### Posebnosti:

#### A/an

- before profesions (a doctor, an engineer, ...)
- a few, a little, a huge number, **but**: few people came (There were only a few)
- before nationality names: He is a Spaniard. He is Dane.

#### The:

- when there is only one particular thing: the sun, the king, the capital, ...
- when we refer to things in a general way: the human race, the environment, the past, ...
- when it is clear from a situation, that we mean a particular thing: Pass the salt please. The blackboard is green.
- Is often used before a phrase beginning whit of: the meaning of, the population of, the sound of, in the middle of, ...
- Always with musical instruments
- When we speak about origin of something: The telephone was invented by ....

#### Brez člena:

- is used with uncountable nouns: news, smoke, ...; **but**: the information about ..., the news from Serbia ..., ...
- when we have: go to church, go to school, town, university, ...; **but** he is in prison (zaprt je), he is in the prison (je na obisku); he went to school (he is a student), he went to the school (visit); ...
- with adjectives: Poor people have no money at all. But: The poor should do something. here is noun

## The use of articles with geographical names:

Continents: 0: Africa, Asia, ...

Countries: 0: Slovenia, Croatia, ... **but**: the USA, the UK, the Nederland, the United

Arab Emirates, the People's republic of China, ...

Towns: 0: New York, Bled, ... but: the Hagne

Streets: 0: Oxford street., ...

Rivers: the: the Sava, the Radovna, ...

Islands: 0: Brač, Krk, ... but: the Kornati, ... groups of islands always the

Peaks: 0: Triglav, ... **but**: the Alps, the Balkan, (mountain regions always with the)

Cinemas: the: the Komuna, ...
Theatres: the: the national theatre, ...

Galleries: the: the Art gallery

Hotels: the: the Ritz, ...

Phrases: the: the Houses of Parliament, the University of Ljubljana, ...

## 29. Explanations:

I.

- 1. appendix is usually added to the end of the book (charts, labels, ...)
- 2. index is a list of words in alphabetical order sometimes with explanation
- 3. erratum is a correction of the error
- 4. foot notes are remembers at the bottom of the page
- 5. acronym is a word put together of the first letters of the different words (IBM, USA, UK, ...)

II.

1. Dismissal (odstopiti) and denial (zanikati):

We were not happy about his dismissal from the position of the president. We expect a denial that we were not guilty of the fraud.

2. Expiry (konec) and inquiry (preiskava):

**Expiration** 

The police have made an inquiry.

3. Renewal (obnovitev) and reminder (opomin)

I had a renewal of my season ticket.

You get a reminder if you don't bring your books to the library on time.

4. Thesis (trditev, ki jo je trba dokazati) and dissertation (razprava)

We have to complete our bachelor thesis at the end of our study.

PhD dissertation was handed last week.

5. Diary (dnevnik) and dairy (mlečen)

I don't write a diary.

Dairy products are good for your health.

6. Story (zgodba) and storey (nadstropje)

This is an interesting story.

It's a five storey building.

7. Stationery (pisalne potrebščine) and stationary (nepremičen)

Go to the stationery's and buy some paper.

The weather is stationary.

# 30. C. V. – curriculum vitae

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- name,
- address
- phone number
- e-mail
- date of birth
- marital status
- nationality (Slovenian)

## Education/qualification:

- BSc (UK) BS (USA)
- when not finished: BS expected 200?

## Work experience:

- 1950 ...
- 1951 ...
- 1960 ...
- ...

## Languages:

- French (good)
- German (basic)

## Interests/hobbies:

- ...
- ...

## References:

- ...
- ...

or

available on request