

## Mountain climate

### Worksheet E

You are going to use the internet to find the **average** monthly rainfall and minimum temperatures in Cusco, in the Andes, in Peru.

Remember: rain, snow and hail are different forms of **precipitation**.



Climate averages for Cusco			
Month	Rainfall mm	Minimum Temperature °C	Sunshine hours
January	163	7	186
February	150	7	168
March	109	7	248
April	51	4	180
May	15	2	155
June	5	1	60
July	5	-1	62
August	10	1	93
September	25	4	150
October	66	6	310
November	76	6	300
December	137	7	279

Use the table to answer the questions.

1. Which is the wettest month in Cusco?

2. How much rain falls in Cusco during July, August and September?

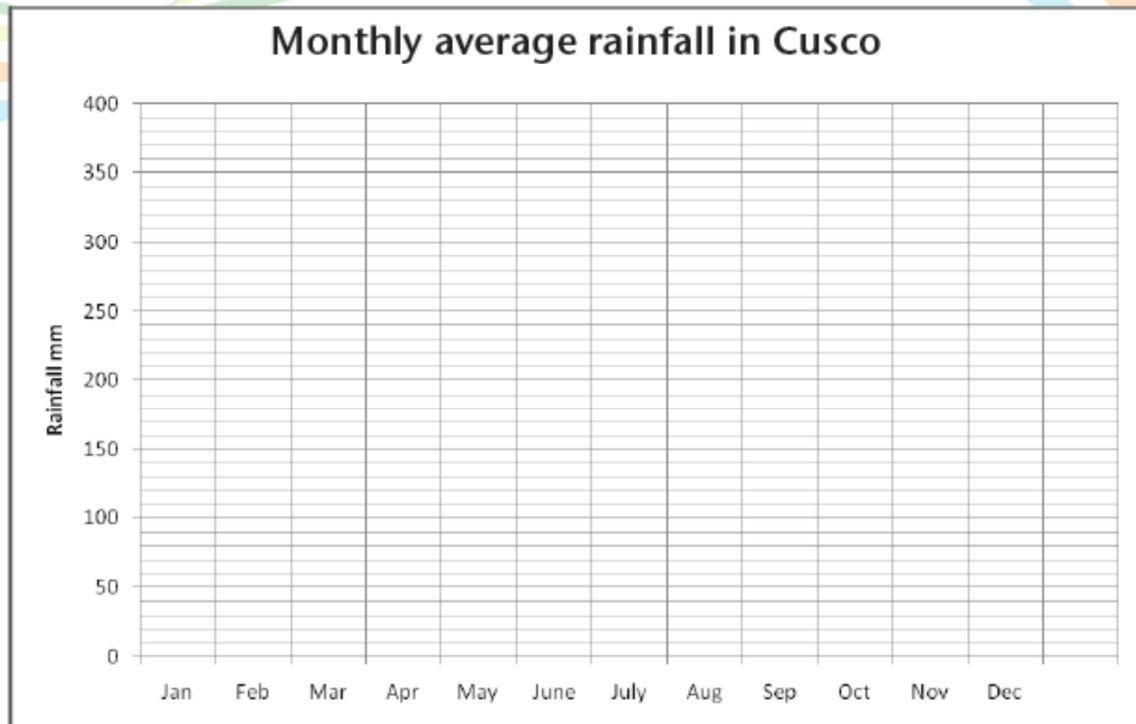
3. Which is the coldest month in Cusco?

4. Using the information you have collected can you describe the climate?

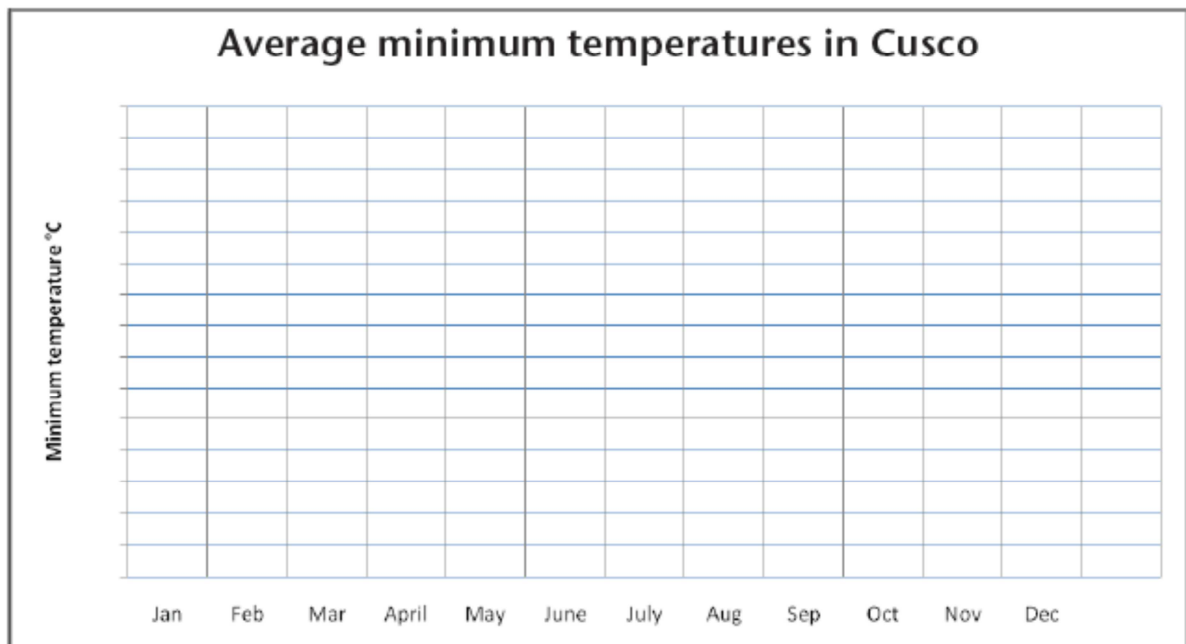
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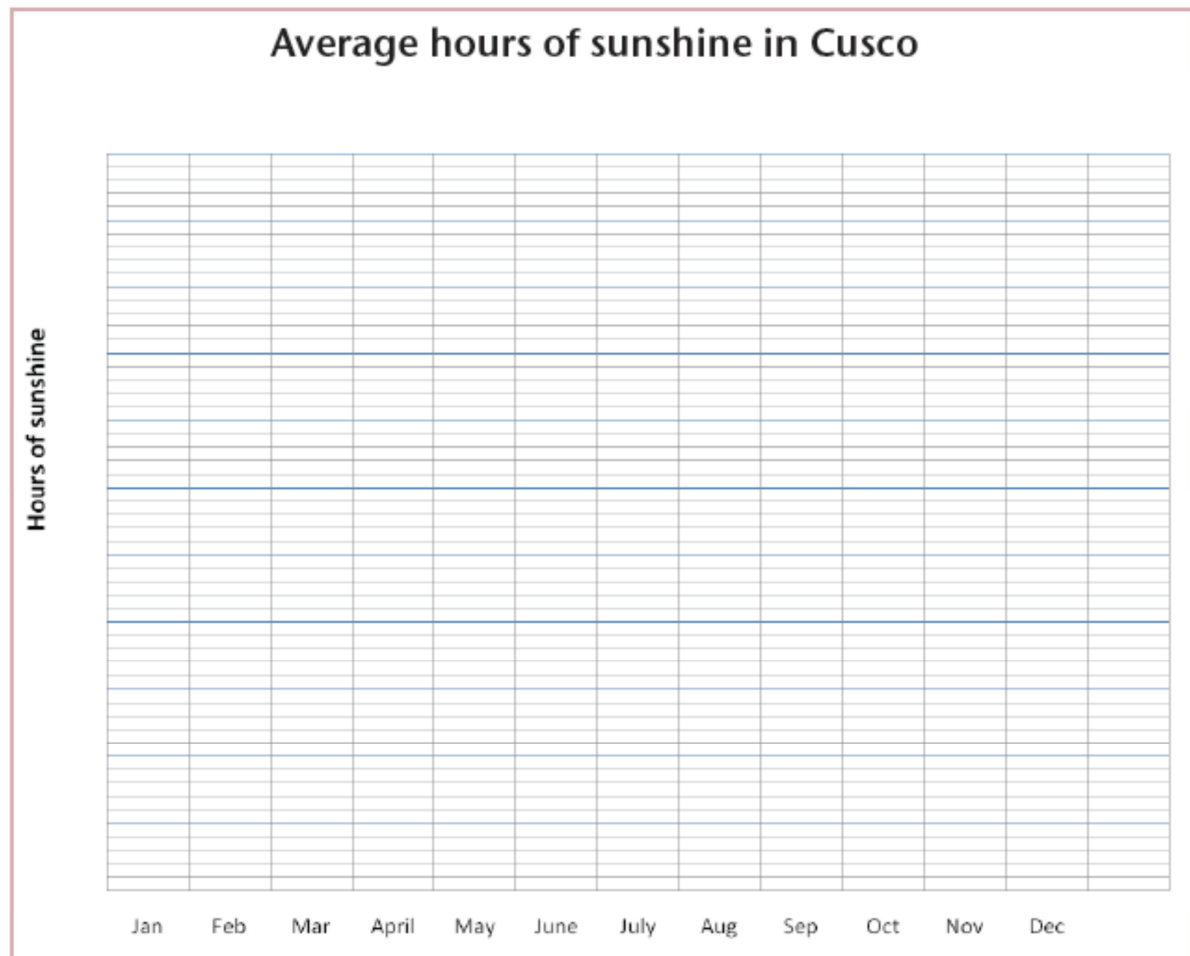
Plot a bar graph showing the average rainfall in Cusco for every month of the year.

**You will need to round rainfall figures to the nearest 10mm.**



Plot a bar graph showing the monthly average minimum temperatures in Cusco.





Plot a bar graph showing the monthly average hours of sunshine.