



## Problem of the Week

### Problem A

### Counting Kits

Squirrels have babies twice each year, usually in March or April and again in July or August. Baby squirrels are called kits and a group of kits in one birth is called a litter.

The table below shows the number of kits a squirrel had over four years.

Month and Year of Birth	Number of Kits in the Litter
March 2020	4
July 2020	8
April 2021	6
August 2021	3
March 2022	5
August 2022	4
April 2023	6
July 2023	4

What is the average (mean) number of kits the squirrel had in a litter?

