



We encourage classroom teachers to pose this problem to your students and share their creative solutions. Please include a brief analysis of the specific strategy; examples of original student work or high-quality digital images; and your name, the school name and address, and your e-mail address. E-mail submissions to **Edward S. Mooney** at mooney@ilstu.edu, or send to him at Illinois State University, Campus Box 4520, Normal, IL 61790-4520, by **April 15, 2011**. Published solutions will be credited.

Average Jeans

According to Jeans Guide (www.jeansguide.net/jeans-interesting-facts), people—on average—own 7 pairs of wearable jeans. Collect data to determine the average number of jeans owned by people in your class or school. Explain how you collected the data, and present your findings and conclusions.

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