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### Introduction

According to Anderson, teenagers normally need 11 to 15 milligrams of iron every day. If you do not get your recommended daily allowance of iron, the National Institute of Health claims that you could get anemia. The Kids Health Website says that anemia is a common blood disorder in which the level of healthy blood cells becomes too low. This makes you feel dizzy and tired. A good place to get this nutrient is to eat breakfast cereal.

### Purpose

We want to figure out how much elemental iron we can get out of our favorite breakfast cereals.

### Hypothesis

If we test cereals for iron content, then we think that we will find elemental iron in Mini Frosted Spooners, Malt "O" Meal, and Marshmallow Mateys. We think this because the nutrition labels list iron.

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