

# The Olympics

## Men's 100m Sprint Finishing Times

This table shows the time taken for 12 athletes who took part in a 100m sprint.

Athlete	Time (seconds)
Yohan Blake	10.2
Usain Bolt	10.3
Richard Thompson	11.7
Bruny Surin	11.2
Nesta Carter	12.1
Leroy Burrell	10.6
Mike Rodgers	11.8
Shawn Crawford	11.6
Justin Gatlin	12.7
Linford Christie	11.5
Maurice Greene	12.1
Frank Fredericks	10.9



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Use what you have learned about decimal points to answer the following questions.

1. Who had the fastest time?

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2. Who had the slowest time?

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3. Which athletes took longer than 12 seconds?

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4. Which athletes ran faster than Leroy Burrell?

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5. Whose finishing times are between 11 and 12 seconds?

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6. Which athletes were faster than Justin Gatlin, but slower than Richard Thompson?

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7. What time would an athlete need to run to finish 2 seconds faster than Mike Rodgers?

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8. What time would an athlete need to run to finish 3 seconds slower than Usain Bolt?

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9. Can you put the athletes' times in the correct order? The fastest runner will finish in 1st place, and the slowest runner will finish in 12th place.

Athlete	Time (seconds)	Placed
		1st
		2nd
		3rd
		4th
		5th
		6th
		7th
		8th
		9th
		10th
		11th
		12th

# The Olympics Answers

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**1. Who had the fastest time?**

Yohan Blake

**2. Who had the slowest time?**

Justin Gatlin

**3. Which athletes took longer than 12 seconds?**

Nesta Carter, Maurice Greene and Justin Gatlin

**4. Which athletes ran faster than Leroy Burrell?**

Yohan Blake and Usain Bolt

**5. Whose finishing times are between 11 and 12 seconds?**

Bruny Surin, Linford Christie, Shawn Crawford, Richard Thompson and Mike Rodgers

**6. Which athletes were faster than Justin Gatlin, but slower than Richard Thompson?**

Mike Rodgers, Nesta Carter and Maurice Greene

**7. What time would an athlete need to run to finish 2 seconds faster than Mike Rodgers?**

9.8 seconds

**8. What time would an athlete need to run to finish 3 seconds slower than Usain Bolt?**

13.3 seconds

**9. Can you put the athletes' times in the correct order?**

1st - Yohan Blake

7th - Shawn Crawford

2nd - Usain Bolt

8th - Richard Thompson

3rd - Leroy Burrell

9th - Mike Rodgers

4th - Frank Fredericks

10th - Nesta Carter

5th - Bruny Surin

11th - Maurice Greene

6th - Linford Christie

12th - Justin Gatlin