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# **Plausibility**

## **Definition**

Plausibility of data values is the degree to which data values match knowledge of the real.

### Relations

Plausibility is a characteristic of	data	values
Plausibility		

#### Note

The can determine plausibility by comparing data with what you read in the newspaper or what you observed yourself. It may warrant further investigation into the accuracy of the data.

# **Example**

These declining traffic numbers are not plausible because there was more traffic jam than before.

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