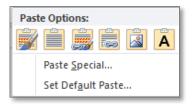
## Task 4.1 Creating a table from Excel data

If you have calculations to perform, enter your figures into Excel then copy and paste them into your document. You can choose from a variety of *Paste Options*.



*Live Preview* shows you how each option will look before you make a choice.

## Try this...

- 1. Click on *Start* and *All Programs* and open *Microsoft Excel 2010* from the *Microsoft Office* group.
- Click on the *File* tab, and *Open*, then in the *Documents* library, navigate to the folder *Thesis* ► *Practice files* and open the file *chapter 1\_data.xlsx*.
- 3. Select from cell A1 to cell F6 and on the Home tab, click Copy.
- 4. Use the Word icon on the taskbar at the bottom to return to the document *intro\_chapter1.docx*.
- 5. Press **Ctrl** and **End** to move to the end of the document, click after the table and press **Return** or **Enter** to create a new paragraph.

Make sure you have at least one blank paragraph between the tables before you paste, otherwise Word will attempt to join them together.

- 6. On the *Home* tab, click the *down arrow* at *Paste* in the *Clipboard* group.
- Run your cursor over the paste options to see how they will look, then choose Use
  Destination Styles

The table displays as a simple grid. You can now format it as you wish.

- 8. Click anywhere in the table, then on the *Table Tools Design* tab.
- In the *Table Styles* group, click on the *More* button and choose *Medium Shading* 1 - Accent 1 (2<sup>nd</sup> column, 4<sup>th</sup> row).
- 10. In the Table Style Options group, deselect First Column and Banded Rows.

The table design changes.

11. Click on the *Table Tools Layout* tab, and in the *Cell Size* group, click on *AutoFit* then select *AutoFit Window*.

The table expands to fit the page – the page is the table's 'window'.

- 12. Click in the first row and in the *Data* group, click on *Repeat Header Rows*.
- **13.** Scroll to the next page to check that the header has repeated.