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The tilde (~) is a typographical symbol commonly used to accent letters in Spanish and Portuguese. It is also used in English in informal writing, where it means "approximately", "about", or "around." For example:

*We'll be there in **~half** an hour.*

*It cost **~\$100**.*

It is also used in math and computer programming. The tilde is not used in formal writing.

Trace and write the tilde.

Rewrite each sentence, replacing the bold word with a tilde.

1. We'll meet around 3 p.m.

2. There were approximately 100 people there.
