

Homework #2 (Unit 1 – Summarizing Data)

Solutions

#1a.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (X_1 + X_2 + X_3 + X_4)^2 &= \left[\sum_{i=1}^4 X_i \right]^2 \\
 &= (3 + 1 + 4 + 6)^2 \\
 &= 14^2 \\
 &= 196.
 \end{aligned}$$

#1b.

$$\begin{aligned}
 X_1^2 + X_2^2 + X_3^2 + X_4^2 &= \sum_{i=1}^4 X_i^2 \\
 &= 3^2 + 1^2 + 4^2 + 6^2 \\
 &= 9 + 1 + 16 + 36 \\
 &= 62.
 \end{aligned}$$

#1c.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{i=1}^4 (X_i - 1)^2 &= (3-1)^2 + (1-1)^2 + (4-1)^2 + (6-1)^2 \\
 &= 2^2 + 0^2 + 3^2 + 5^2 \\
 &= 4 + 0 + 9 + 25 \\
 &= 38.
 \end{aligned}$$

Note:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{i=1}^4 (X_i - 1)^2 &= \sum_{i=1}^4 [X_i^2 - 2X_i + 1] \\
 &= \sum_{i=1}^4 X_i^2 - 2 \sum_{i=1}^4 X_i + 1 \sum_{i=1}^4 1 \\
 &= 62 - (2)(14) + (1)(4) \\
 &= 38.
 \end{aligned}$$

#1d.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{i=1}^4 3X_i &= 3 \sum_{i=1}^4 X_i \\
 &= 3(14) \\
 &= 42
 \end{aligned}$$

2a. A stem and leaf diagram might come in handy. Stems are shaded, leaves are not.

3	68851865		3	1 5 5 6 6 8 8 8
4	50165165310	→	4	0 0 1 1 1 3 5 5 5 6 6
5	39113		5	1 1 3 3 9
6	90		6	0 9

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{MEAN} \quad \bar{x} &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{26} X_i \\
 &= \frac{1}{n} (1156) = 44.46 \quad \text{so} \quad \bar{x} = 44.5
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{MEDIAN} \quad \text{First solve} \left(\frac{n+1}{2} \right) = \left(\frac{26+1}{2} \right) = 13.5$$

Median is midpoint of 13th and 14th observation.

$$\tilde{x} = \frac{1}{2} (41 + 43) \quad \text{so} \quad \tilde{x} = 42$$

MODE This sample is tri - modal 38,41,45

RANGE Maximum - Minimum
= 69 – 31 so range = 38

VARIANCE Let's save ourselves the trouble of a very long brute force formula by using the formula for grouped data.

Let j index the unique values. There are 14 unique values.

j	X_j	f_j	$(x_j - \bar{x})^2$	$f_j(x_j - \bar{x})^2$
1	31	1	182.25	182.25
2	35	2	90.25	180.50
3	36	2	72.25	144.50
4	38	3	42.25	126.75
5	40	2	20.25	40.50
6	41	3	12.25	36.75
7	43	1	2.25	2.25
8	45	3	0.25	0.75
9	46	2	2.25	4.50
10	51	2	42.25	84.50
11	53	2	72.25	144.50
12	59	1	210.25	210.25
13	60	1	240.25	240.25
14	69	1	600.25	600.25
TOTALS		26		1998.50

$$S^2 = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^{14} f_j (x_j - \bar{x})^2}{\left(\sum_{j=1}^{14} f_j \right) - 1} = \frac{1998.50}{25} \quad \text{So } S^2 = 79.94$$

Standard deviation $S = \sqrt{S^2}$ So $S = 8.94$

25th Percentile

First solve $(.25)(n) = (.25)(26) = 6.5$

So 25th percentile is the 7th observation

$$P_{25} = 38$$

75th Percentile

First solve $(.75)(n) = (.75)(26) = 19.5$

So 75th percentile is the 20th observation

$$P_{75} = 51$$

#2b.

2	5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5
2	6 6 6 6 6
2	8 8 8
3	0 1
3	4 4

$$MEAN \quad \bar{x} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{31} X_i = \frac{1}{21}(568) = 27.04 \quad \text{So } \bar{x} = 27.0$$

$$MEDIAN \quad \text{Solving } \left(\frac{n+1}{2} \right) = \left(\frac{21+1}{2} \right) = 11$$

Median is the 11th observation,

$$\text{So } \tilde{x} = 26$$

MODE

$$\text{mode} = 25$$

RANGE Maximum - Minimum

$$= 34 - 25, \quad \text{So}$$

$$\text{Range} = 9$$

Variance There are 6 unique values.

j	X_j	f_j	$(x_j - \bar{x})^2$	$f_j(x_j - \bar{x})^2$
1	25	9	4	36
2	26	5	1	5
3	28	3	1	3
4	30	1	9	9
5	31	1	16	16
6	34	2	49	98
TOTALS		21	80	167

$$S^2 = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^6 f_j (x_j - \bar{x})^2}{\left(\sum_{j=1}^6 f_j \right) - 1} = \frac{167}{20} \quad \text{So} \quad S^2 = 8.35$$

Standard deviation $S = \sqrt{S^2} = \sqrt{8.35}$ So $S = 2.89$

25th Percentile

Solving $(.25)(n) = (.25)(21) = 5.25$

So 25th percentile is 6th observation

$$P_{25} = 25$$

Note - I get this by noticing from the table above that the smallest value (=25) occurs with a frequency of 9 times in the sample.

75th Percentile

Solving $(.75)(n) = (.75)(21) = 15.75$

So 75th percentile is 16th observation

$$P_{75} = 28$$

Note – I get this by noticing in the table that the value = 28 occurs with a frequency of 3 times in the sample and comes after the first 9 observations all equal to 25 and after the next 5 observations all equal to 26, so that the value of 28 is the 15th, 16th and 17th observations in the ordered sample.

#2c. Let's produce a side-by-side box plot using lock5stat.com, which was introduced in “Show me #1”

__step 1. Launch www.lock5stat.com. The home page should appear

__step 2. From the left navigation bar, click on **StatKey**

__step 3. Click on **One Quantitative Variable and One Categorical Variable**

Descriptive Statistics and Graphs

One Quantitative Variable

One Categorical Variable

One Quantitative and One Categorical Variable

Two Categorical Variables

Two Quantitative Variables

__step 4. Click on **Edit Data**

Student Survey (TV by Gender) ▼

Show Data Table

Edit Data

Dotplot

Histogram

Box plot

__step 6. Delete the data that is shown, taking care to keep the header “label, value”

label, value

M, 0

M, 0

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M, 0

M, 0

M, 0

M, 1

M, 1

M, 1

M, 1

M, 1

M, 1

M, 1

M, 1

M, 1

M, 1

M, 2

M, 2

M, 2

M, 2

☒ Data has header row

Manually edit the values above or paste a tab or comma separated file into the box and click Ok. The file must have only two columns where the first column is the categorical variable and the second is the quantitative.

Ok

__step 7 Enter the data for the panic disorder group, row by row. Then enter the data for the controls, row by row. Check your work before clicking the OK. Then click **OK**

label, value

panic, 53

panic, 59

panic, 45

panic, 36

panic, 69

panic, 51

panic, 51

panic, 38

panic, 40

panic, 41

panic, 46

panic, 45

panic, 53

panic, 41

panic, 46

panic, 45

panic, 60

panic, 43

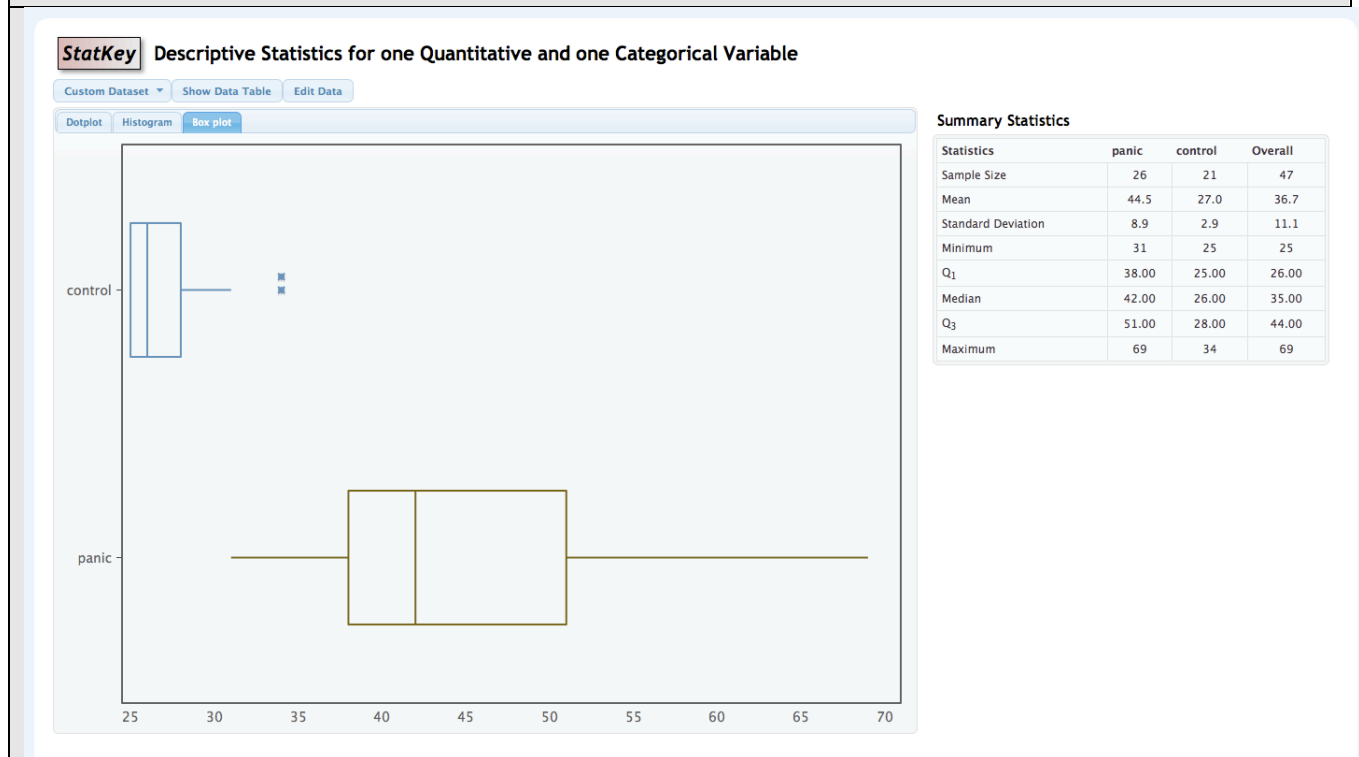
panic, 41

☒ Data has header row

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Ok

__step 8. StatKey will return a dot plot. Click on **BOX PLOT**



#3a.

Class Endpoints	Class Midpoint	Frequency	Relative Frequency	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Relative Freq.
5-14.99	10	5	.067	5	.067
15-24.99	20	10	.133	15	.200
25-34.99	30	20	.267	35	.467
35-44.99	40	22	.293	57	.760
45-54.99	50	13	.173	70	.933
55-64.99	60	5	.067	75	1.000
TOTALS			1.000		

#3b.

Midpoint X_j	Frequency f_j	$X_j f_j$	$(x_j - \bar{x})$	$f_j (x_j - \bar{x})^2$
10	5	50	-25.7	3302.45
20	10	200	-15.7	2464.90
30	20	600	-5.7	649.80
40	22	880	4.3	406.78
50	13	650	14.3	2658.37
60	5	300	24.3	2952.45
Total	75	2680		12434.75

$$MEAN \quad \bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^6 f_j x_j}{\sum_{j=1}^6 f_j} = \frac{2680}{75} \quad \text{So } \bar{x} = 35.7$$

MEDIAN *Note to reader* – I’ve consulted a number of texts on this. There is no single correct answer. With interval data, whatever median you calculate is an approximation. Here is what is suggested in Think and Explain with Statistics (Lincoln E. Moses, page 64)

$$\text{First solve } \frac{n+1}{2} = \frac{75+1}{2} = 38^{th} \text{ observation}$$

Examination of the table reveals that the 38th observation is in the interval 35 to 44.99

Set the following quantities:

The letter l = lower limit of interval = 35

The letter u = upper limit of interval = 44.99

R = cumulative frequency up to the lower limit of interval = 35

M = # observations contained in interval = 22

N = total # observations = 75

An approximate solution for the median is calculated as

$$\tilde{x} = l + \left[\frac{N/2 - R}{M} \right] (u - l) = 35 + \left[\frac{75/2 - 35}{22} \right] (44.99 - 35) = 36.135 \text{ or } \mathbf{37}$$

VARIANCE

$$S^2 = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^6 f_j (x_j - \bar{x})^2}{\left(\sum_{j=1}^6 f_j\right) - 1} = \frac{12434.75}{74} \text{ so } S^2 = 168.04$$

Standard deviation $S = \sqrt{S^2}$ so $S = 13.0$