Math 310 Spring 2009Test #1 Statistics & Probability ANSWERS Version A

SHOW WORK as if making a solutions guide for students. Use backs of paper for scratch.

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#1-3 On 10 days, Feb 1- 10, Marty's kitten ate the following amounts (in grams).

39

39

42

55

47

19

forget titles, labels, scales, & legends!

Hope you DIDN'T

Classify the data in an (6) 1. ordered stem-and-leaf diagram.

Amounts, in grams, eaten daily by Marty's Kitten on the first 10 days of February

1	9				
2					
3	3	5	9	9	
4	2	7	8		
5	2	5			

48

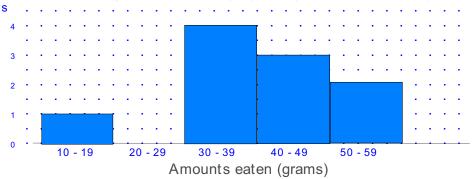
Legend:

5 2 5

Shows the kitten ate 52g & 55g on two of the days

2. Draw a histogram using classes which correspond to those in problem (1).





For the data in problem 1, find the quartile marks, and present a box and whiskers plot. (10) 3.Ordered data: 19 33 35 39 39 42 47 48 52 55

 $Q_1 = 35$

 $Q_2 = 40.5$ $Q_3 = 48$

Std Dev =

Quartile marks divide the data into four equal parts (numbers of data)

Amounts, in grams, eaten daily by Marty's kitten on the days 2/1-10



Showing your work, for the six guiz scores in the frequency table at right: (12) 4. calculate the mean. b. calculate the **standard deviation**.

Quiz	Number of
score	students
10	4
6	1
2	1

4a. Mean =
$$\frac{\Sigma(x)}{n}$$

= $\frac{4 \cdot 10 + 6 + 2}{6}$ = $\frac{48}{6}$ = 8

For this data, a mean lower than 2 or higher than 10 is clearly impossible!

4b. Variance =
$$\frac{\Sigma(x - \text{mean})^2}{n}$$

= $\frac{4 \cdot (10 - 8)^2 + (6 - 8)^2 + (2 - 8)^2}{6}$ = $\frac{4 \cdot 4 + 4 + 36}{6}$ = $\frac{56}{6}$

(9) 5. Construct a pie chart illustrating the allocation of expenditures according to the Budget of the LAC Unified School District, for school year 2007-8 which is summarized below.

(These figures have been rounded):
Salaries (Cert & Classified): \$ 4 billion
Employee Benefits: \$ 1 billion
Instructional Supplies: \$ 0.3 billion
Miscellaneous Expenses: \$ 0.7 billion

\$ 0.7 billion

Total 6.0 billion

In the space below, show in detail how you find the portion to allocate for Employee Benefits.



Since E.B. accounts for 1/6 of the total, E.B. should appear as 1/6 of the pie chart. Therefore the sector for E.B. should have a central angle measuring 1/6 of $360^{\circ} = 60^{\circ}$.



- & Supplies has central angle $0.3 \cdot 60^{\circ} = 18^{\circ}$
- & Miscellaneous has $0.7 \cdot 60^{\circ} = 42^{\circ}$

(Quick little check: $60^\circ + 240^\circ + 18^\circ + 42^\circ = 360^\circ$)You can see the real details at page 54 of: http://notebook.lausd.net/pls/ptl/docs/PAGE/CA_LAUSD/LAUSDNET/OFFICES/CFO_HOME/BSFPD_HOME/SUPERINTENDENT'S% 2007-08% 20ADOPTED% 20FINAL% 20BUDGET.PDF

On the first science test, the mean score of the 30 students in Archer's class was 80; the mean score of the 20 students in Jacob's class was 75.

To compute the mean, put all the points back into the pot, and redistribute! Archer's class will contribute 30.80 = 2400 points. Jacob's class will contribute 20.75 = 1500 points. Thus 3600 points will be distributed among 50 students.

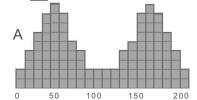
Combined mean =
$$\frac{30.80 + 20.75}{50} = \frac{2400 + 1500}{50} = \frac{3900}{50} = 78$$

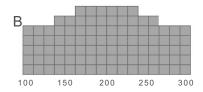
Note we could get the same result by saying 3/5 of the group averaged 80, 2/5 averaged 75,

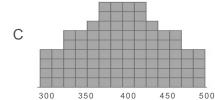
So the combined mean is $80 \cdot (3/5) + 75 \cdot (2/5) = 78$

What is the mean for both science classes combined?

- - 7b. Of the three distributions shown below which one (A or B or C) has the smallest standard deviation?
 C ← Write in the box A or B or C. C, the one which is MOST clustered near the mean.



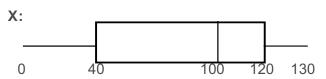




3) 8. Data X has the box plot shown at right.

The range of X is 130.

The interquartile range for X is 80.



Six Billion \$ Budget of Expenditures by

Miscellaneous >

Employee Benefits 1billion

.7 billion

Supplies 3.3 billion

LAC USD for academic year 2007-2008

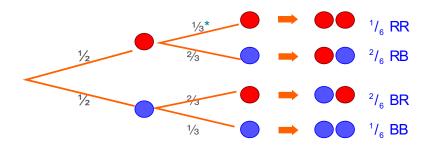
Salaries

4 billion

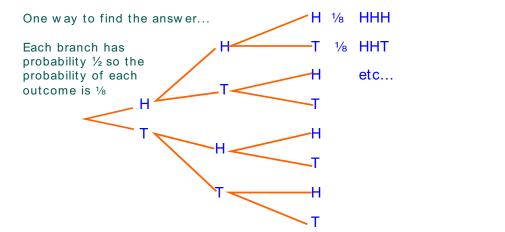
The middle fifty-percent of data lies between 40 and 120.

MATH 310 Test #1: Probability SHOW appropriate work! ANSWERS

- Blocks spelling the word "DUDE" (D & U & D & E) are placed in a bag. 9. (6) One block is selected at random from the bag.
 - List a Sample Space (SS) for this experiment. a. { D, U, E} and {D₁, D₂, U, E} are both acceptable answers.
 - List the event that the block is a "D". b. and $\{D_1, D_2\}$ (Must be consistent with SS given in part a.)
 - What is the probability of the event in part b? C. 1/2
- A fair die is rolled. What is the probability that: 10. (5)
 - the number that turns up is EVEN? $P(\{2,4,6\}) = {}^{3}/_{6} = {}^{3}/_{6}$ a.
 - the number that turns up is a MULTIPLE OF 3? b. $P({3,6}) = {}^{2}/_{6}$
 - the number that turns up is EVEN or a MULTIPLE OF 3? $P(E \cap M) = P(E) + P(M) P(EM) = \frac{3}{6} + \frac{2}{6} \frac{1}{6} = \frac{4}{6} = \frac{2}{3}$ C.
- (17) 11. A box contains four marbles: two RED, two BLUE. Two marbles are randomly taken from the jar; the first is held in the right hand, the second in the left.
 - Draw a complete tree diagram for this experiment. a.
 - What is the probability the second marble is RED, given the first marble is RED*? b.
 - What is the probability the marbles drawn are both RED? $P(RR) = \frac{1}{\epsilon}$ C.
 - What is the probability the first marble is RED and the second one is BLUE? P(RB) = d.
 - What is the probability that two different-color marbles are obtained? P(RB or BR) = $2 \cdot \frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$ e.



- b. *P(2nd Red | 1st Red) = 1/3 because the condition (1st Red) says the box looks like above right
- 12a. (2) A fair coin has been tossed and has turned up heads. What is the probability that the next toss will be tails? \frac{1}{2} It's still a fair coin!
 - 12b. Find the probability of obtaining EXACTLY ONE head in three tosses of a fair coin, showing how you got your answer.



P(exactly one head)

= P(HTT or THT or TTH)

P(HTT) + P(THT) + P(TTH)

 $^{3}/_{8}$

Your chance of winning is ONE out of FIVE.

(8) 13a. In a game in which your odds are 1:4, what is the probability of winning?

Let's picture this:

FOR you: AGAINST you:

 $P(win) = {}^{1}/_{5}$

- 13b. If the probability of rain tomorrow is 20%, what are the odds against rain tomorrow? $20\% = \frac{1}{5}$ Gee, it must be the reverse of above!!!

If the PROBABILITY of rain is one in five, then the ODDS are against rain, four to one.

- The odds are against rain 4 to 1.
- (3) 14. A pair of fair dice is tossed. What is the probability that the sum of dice is more than 2? Just look at the sample space for tossing a pair of fair dice (shown on PN-3).

There we see the sum of the dice can be 2 only if the dice turn up

The rest of the 36 outcomes give sums higher than 2.

 $P(sum > 2) = \frac{35}{36}$

(3) 15. A probability experiment has four possible outcomes: e_1 , e_2 , e_3 , e_4 . The outcome e_1 is twice as likely as each of the remaining outcomes. Find the probability of e_4 .

This is the Sample Space: e_1 , e_2 , e_3 , e_4

But these outcomes are not equally likely; e_1 has twice the chance of being the outcome...

So we can picture the experiment like this:

Five marbles in a jar, and two are labelled e_1 , and the other three are labelled e_2 , e_3 , e_4 . Pick one.



(Check- put probabilities on each; see that all the conditions stated are met by this model.)

(3) 16. Given:

1/4 of the school are Freshmen; 1/2 of the Freshmen are girls; 2/3 of Freshmen girls take math. What part of the school are Freshmen girls taking math?

Two-thirds of one-half of one-fourth,

which is $\frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4} = \frac{2 \cdot 1 \cdot 1}{3 \cdot 2 \cdot 4} = \frac{1}{12}$

In the illustration at right, the large rectangle represents the whole school. The leftmost quarter of that rectangle has been shaded, representing the Freshmen. Half of the Freshmen are shaded rose, representing the Freshmen GIRLS. Shade ½ of the rose area;

then subdivide the entire rectangle into like parts. You should be able to see that you have shaded 2 twenty-fourths of the whole.

The result at left can be illustrated with a tree diagram.

Another method:
Start with a good number of students, say 120.
How many are Freshmen?
How many are Fr. Girls?
How many of the Fr Girls are taking math? Use the results to ATQ.