

Class I: Introduction +
measures of location Monday
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Paper 3: - Quantitative Methods (Q.M)
Techniques (Q.T)
- Business statistics

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Participants' Expectations

- ✓ More of calculations
- ✓ A lot of methods
- ✓ A lot of formulars
- ✓ Full of statistics
- ✓ Paper being hard
- ✓ Graphs

- ✓ Lot of notes
• Hard to complete the syllabus.

3 1/2 months

✓ Dealing with BIG figures

✓ Pure mathematics

✓ Using Log books - Table

✓ Twisted Questions / Tricky

✓ Logical Questions

✓ Limited choice of Questions

✓ Limited time with longer arithmetic

ABE

✓
✓

My Expectation(s)

- ✓ PASSING
- ✓ COMMITMENT

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Papers Quantitative meth

Quantitative

- ✓ compute
- ✓ Graph
- ✓ Read Tables

Qualitative

- ✓ Define
- ✓ outline
- ✓ Interpret.

Measures of Location

✓ A measure of location is value to which a given data set tends to concentrate; It is also called the measure of Central Tendency.

✓ Measures of location include:

- The mean
- The Mode
- The Median
- The Quantiles

✓ Quartiles

✓ Deciles

✓ Percentiles

The Mean

✓ It is defined to be the average of a given data

• Place

• Point in time

• Area

set; The mean may be categorised into:

- The arithmetic mean
- The weighted mean
- The Geometric mean
- The Harmonic mean

① The Arithmetic mean

Case I: For ungrouped data.

✓ Given a set of data x_i , the arithmetic mean, \bar{x} , is given by:

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{N}$$

x_i = data set values
 N = number of data values
 \sum = sigma notation for "sum of"
 i = position

where:

x_i = data set values

N = number of data values.

\sum = sigma notation for "sum of"

Example:

The revenue (us\$) generated by W-Inc were as noted:

Month	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May
Revenue (us\$)	600	550	650	450	750

Determine the average revenue using the arithmetic mean.

Recall:

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{N} ; \quad \begin{array}{l} i=3 \\ x_i = \underline{\underline{650}} \\ \downarrow \\ x_3 \end{array}$$

$$x_i = \{600, 550, 650, 450, 750\}$$

$$\bar{x} = \frac{600 + 550 + 650 + 450 + 750}{5} = \frac{3000}{5}$$

$$\bar{x} = \underline{\underline{600 \text{ USD}}}$$

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Class II

NB: In some instances a data value may repetitive shall generate a frequency distribution and then apply the formular:

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (f_i \cdot x_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n f_i}$$

where:

f_i = frequency of the data set values

x_i = data set values

Example:

The scores of some students that sat exam A were as noted:

~~60~~ ~~80~~ ~~75~~ ~~60~~ ~~85~~
~~70~~ ~~75~~ ~~60~~ ~~80~~ ~~90~~

$$60 + 60 + 60 + 60$$

$$60 + 60 = \boxed{60 \times 6}$$

\downarrow \downarrow
 x \cdot f

~~95~~ ~~90~~ ~~70~~ ~~60~~ ~~55~~
~~90~~ ~~55~~ ~~60~~ ~~95~~ ~~90~~
~~60~~ ~~85~~ ~~75~~ ~~90~~ ~~70~~

60 x 6

Recall:

Determine the average score.

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (f_i \cdot x_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n f_i}$$

Score(x)	Tally	f_i	$f_i \cdot x_i$
60	1	6	360 $\rightarrow 6 \times 60$
70	11	3	210
95		2	190
90		5	450
80		2	160
75		3	225
55		2	110
85		2	170
Total ²⁵		25	1875

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1875}{25} = 75$$

$$\bar{x} = \underline{\underline{75}}$$

Case II: For Grouped Data

Once the class mark (mid-value) has been obtained, we apply the formula:

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (f_i \cdot x_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n f_i} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n f_i$$

where;

f_i = class frequency

x_i = class mark

i.e. x_i = $\frac{\text{Lower class limit / boundary} + \text{upper class limit / boundary}}{2}$

Example:

of 20 units

The costs of production in J-Inc were as noted.

Costs'00 usd	60-80	80-100	100-120	120-140	140-200
units	4	2	8	3	3

Determine the average cost of production $\bar{x} = 112,00$

Recall: $\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (f_i \cdot x_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n f_i}$

$4 + 2 + a + 3 + b = 20$

$\sum_{i=1}^n f_i$

$9 + a + b = 20$
 $a + b =$

Costs'00(usd)	x_i '00	f_i	$f_i \cdot x_i$ '00
6000 - 8000 60 - 80	$\frac{60+80}{2} = 70$	4	$(70 \times 4) = 280$
8000 - 10000 80 - 100	90	2	180
100 - 120	110	8	880
120 - 140	130	3	390
* 140 - 200 *	170	3	510
Total		20	2240

$$\bar{x} = \frac{2240}{20} = 112 \times 100$$

11200

$$\bar{x} = \underline{11200 \text{ USD}}$$

Determining the arithmetic mean using an assumed mean [working mean].

- ✓ Guess
- ✓ predicting
- ✓ suppose

Case I: For ungrouped Data.

✓ Here we apply the formula:

$$\bar{x} = A + \frac{\sum (x_i - A)}{N}$$

where;

A = assumed mean

x_i = data set values

N = Number of data set values

Example:

The wages of 5 employees were: 600, 900, 850, 750, 650. Using an assumed mean of 780, determine the average wage.

Recall:

$$\bar{x} = \textcircled{A} + \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - A)}{N} \right]$$

$$\boxed{x_a = A}$$

x_i	A	$x_i - A$
600	780	-180

900	780	120
850	780	70
750	780	-30
650	780	-130
Total		-150

$\overset{0}{\curvearrowright}$
+120

$$\bar{x} = 780 + \left[\frac{-150}{5} \right]$$

$$= 780 - 30 = 750$$

$$\bar{x} = \underline{\underline{750}}$$

Case II: For Grouped Data.

✓ Once the class mark has been obtained, we use the formula:

$$\bar{x} = A + \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n [f_i \cdot (x_i - A)]}{\sum_{i=1}^n f_i} \right]$$

where:

A = assumed mean

x_i = class mark

f_i = class frequency

Example:

The units sold by K-Inc were as noted

units	10-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60
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No clients	4	2	1	8	1
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Determine the average number of units sold using a working mean of 37 units.

Recall:

$$\bar{x} = A + \left[\frac{\sum [f_i \cdot (x_i - A)]}{\sum f} \right]$$

units	x_i	f_i	A	$(x_i - A)$	$f_i(x_i - A)$
10-20	$\frac{10+20}{2}$ 15	4	37	-22	-88
20-30	25	2	37	-12	-24
30-40	35	1	37	-2	-2
40-50	45	8	37	8	64
50-60	55	1	37	18	18
Total		16			-32

$$\bar{x} = 37 + \left[\frac{-32}{16} \right] = 37 - 2 = 35$$

$$\bar{x} = \underline{\underline{35 \text{ units}}}$$

Determining the arithmetic mean using the stepwise [coding] method

Case I: For ungrouped data.

✓ Here, the arithmetic mean shall be given by:

$$\bar{x} = A + \left[\frac{\sum d}{N} \right] \times h$$

where;

A = assumed mean

$$d = \left[\frac{x_i - A}{h} \right];$$

N = size of the data set

x_i = data set values

h = common term [divisor]

Example:

Given the costs of production; 600, 800, 900, 1200, 550; with an assumed mean of 850, determine the average cost by the coding method

Recall:

$$\bar{x} = A + \left[\frac{\sum d}{N} \right] \times h$$

$$\Rightarrow d = \frac{x_i - A}{h}$$

x_i	A	h	$(x_i - A)$	$d = \left(\frac{x_i - A}{h} \right)$
600	850	100	-250	-2.5
800	850	100	-50	-0.5
900	850	100	50	0.5
1200	850	100	350	3.5
550	850	100	-300	-3
		Total		-2

$$\bar{x} = 850 + \left(\frac{-2}{5} \right) \times \frac{100}{1} \quad \left(\frac{-2}{5} \times 100 \right)$$

$$= 850 - 40 = 810$$

$$\bar{x} = \underline{\underline{810 \text{ USD}}}$$

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Case II: For Grouped Data. $\rightarrow h$

* Here, the common term (factor) may be taken to be the same as the class width; we apply the formula:

$$\bar{x} = A + \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (f_i \cdot d)}{\sum f} \right] \times h$$

Where:

A = assumed mean

f_i = class frequency

$$d = \frac{x_i - A}{h}$$

x_i = class mark

h = common term (factor)

Example:

The sales made by X-Inc were taken and recorded as shown:

Sales '00 us\$	50-100	100-150	150-200	200-250	250-300
units	4	8	5	6	2

Determine the average sales with an assumed mean of 100 by the coding (step wise) method

Recall:

$$\bar{x} = A + \left[\frac{\sum(f \cdot d)}{\sum f} \right] \times h \quad h = 50$$

Sales ✓ 100 Ugx	f	x	A	(x _i - A)	h	d = $\frac{x_i - A}{h}$	f · d
* 50 - 100 *	4	$\frac{50+100}{2}$ 75	100	-25	50	-0.5	-2
100 - 150	8	125	100	25	50	0.5	4
150 - 200	5	175	100	75	50	1.5	7.5
200 - 250	6	225	100	125	50	2.5	15
250 - 300	2	275	100	175	50	3.5	7
Total	25						31.5

$$\bar{x} = 100 + \left(\frac{31.5}{25} \right) \times 50$$

$$= 100 + 63 = 163 \times 100$$

$$\bar{x} = \underline{\underline{16300 \text{ Ugx}}}$$

The weighted (mean) Average

✓ Here, a scalar value (weight) is attached to the variable depending on how much value that variable contributes.

∴ We hence use the formula:

$$\text{Weighted average, } \bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (W_i \cdot x_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n W_i}$$

where;

W_i = Weight of the variable

x_i = Variable in question

Example:

The household expenditure was as summarised:

Item	Weight (units)	Rate (ugx)
Sugar	10	5000
salt	4	800
soap	8	7000
soda	6	12000
Rice	12	6000

Determine the weighted average cost incurred by the house hold.

Recall:

$$(\bar{x}) \bar{w} = \frac{\sum (W_i \cdot x_i)}{\sum W_i}$$

x_i	N_i	$N_i \cdot x_i$
5000	10	50000
800	4	3200
7000	8	56000
12000	6	72000
6000	12	72000
Total	40	253200

$$\bar{x} = \frac{253200}{40} = 6330$$

$$\bar{x} = \underline{\underline{6330 \text{ Ugx}}}$$

Expectation, $E(x)$ \bar{x}

✓ Given a random variable x , the mean (expectation) of x shall be given by:

- ✓ Hope
- ✓ may (NOT)
- ✓ Probability.
- ✓ unsure.

$$E(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n [x_i \cdot P(x)] \checkmark \checkmark$$

where: x_i = the data set values

$P(x)$ = probability of variable x

Example:

The checks of five employees were as noted.

Employee	A	B	C	D	E
check (us\$)	800	1200	900	700	1600
Expectation, $P(x)$	0.25	0.15	0.30	0.20	0.10

Determine the average pay for the 5 employees.

Recall:

$$E(x) = \sum [x_i \cdot P(x)]$$

x_i	$P(x)$	$x \cdot P(x)$ ✓✓
800	0.25	200
1200	0.15	180
900	0.30	270
700	0.20	140
1600	0.1	160
Total		950

$$E(x) = 950 \text{ USD}$$

The Geometric Mean

✓ This kind of the mean is used in situations where changes in the variable are exponential in nature.

✓ It is defined to be the n^{th} root of the product of the data set values; it is given by:

$$G.M = \sqrt[n]{(x_1 \cdot x_2 \cdot x_3 \dots x_n)}$$

where; $x_i = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$ data set values

$n =$ Number of data set values

Example:

The number of students that registered for a course was as noted.

Day	Mon	Tues	wed	Thur	Fri
No of students	40	60	120	25	250

Determine the average no of students using the geometric mean.

Recall: $G.M = \sqrt[n]{(x_1 \cdot x_2 \cdot \dots \cdot x_n)}$

$$G.M = \sqrt[3]{(40 \times 60 \times 120 \times 25 \times 250)}$$

$$= 70.97.$$

$$G.M = 70.97.$$

NB: sometimes logarithms may be used to determine the G.M; hence we use the formula:

$$G.M = \text{anti log} \left[\frac{\sum \log x_i}{N} \right]$$

$$\hookrightarrow \log^{-1} \left[\frac{\sum \log x_i}{N} \right]$$

Refer to the number of students:

Day	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fred
students' No	40	60	120	25	250

Determine the Geometric mean.

Recall:

$$G.M = \log^{-1} \left[\frac{\sum \log x_i}{N} \right]$$

x_i	$\log x_i$
40	1.6021

$\log 40$

60	1.7782
120	2.0792
25	1.3979
250	2.3979
Total	9.2553

$$G.M = \log^{-1} \left[\frac{9.2553}{5} \right]$$

$\downarrow 1.85106$

shift \rightarrow 10^x \rightarrow \log

\rightarrow $G.M = \underline{\underline{70.97}}$

Geometric mean for Grouped / frequency data

Once the class mark has been obtained, we apply the formula:

$$G.M = \log^{-1} \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (f_i \log x)}{\sum_{i=1}^n f_i} \right]$$

where:

f_i = class frequency

x_i = mid-mark

Example:

The cost of production for J-Inc was as summarised

Cost Ugx	60-80	80-100	100-200	200-400	400-900
No of units	4	8	2	3	3

Determine the average cost of production using the geometric mean

Recall:

$$G.M = \log^{-1} \left[\frac{\sum (f \cdot \log x)}{\sum f} \right]$$

Cost (Ugx)	x	f	log x	f · log x
60-80	70	4	1.8451	7.3804
80-100	90	8	1.9542	15.6336
100-200	150	2	2.1761	4.3522
200-400	300	3	2.4771	7.4313
400-900	650	3	2.8129	8.4387
Total		20		43.2362

$$G.M = \log^{-1} \left[\frac{43.2362}{20} \right] = 145.15$$