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Statistics/Univariate Data Unit

Vocabulary: Below is a list of terms you will need to be familiar with for this unit. Please write the definitions and examples for each.

1. Variable
a characteristic that can be measured/counted
2. Individuals (elements)
people/objects in a study
3. Observational Study
understand cause + effect by observation
4. Sample Survey
small set of people surveyed to get results
5. Population
entire pool from which a sample is drawn
6. Sample
subset of population
7. Census
acquiring info about the population
8. Experiment
procedure to make a discovery based on a hypothesis
9. Bias
systematic error that has prejudice in favor of something
10. Convenience Sample
sample of most available subjects
11. Voluntary Sample
people self-select into survey
12. Simple Random Sample
people chosen randomly
13. Mean
average
14. Median
middle # of list
15. Mode
appears most
16. Midrange
midpoint of range (avg of max + min)
17. Five-Number Summary
 - min
 - 1st quartile
 - 3rd quartile
 - median
 - max
18. Outliers
detached from main data group
19. Quartile
one of 4 equal groups into which a population can be divided
20. Variance / Standard Deviation
extent of deviation from mean (spread of data)

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Identifying Populations and Samples

Name: _____

Use the scenario to identifying populations and samplings.

Answers

- 1) A beverage company wanted to see if people in the United States liked their new logo.
Which choice **best** represents a population?
- A. A selection of logo artists.
 - ☒ B. Every person in the United States.
 - C. A selection of shoppers from different states.
 - D. 3,800 children age 5 - 15
- 2) A musician wanted to see what people who bought his last album thought about the songs.
Which choice **best** represents a sample?
- A. Every person who bought the album.
 - B. A selection of people who didn't want to buy the album.
 - C. 250 girls who bought the album.
 - ☒ D. A selection of 3,294 people who bought the album.
- 3) A gaming website wanted to find out which console its visitors owned.
Which choice **best** represents a population?
- A. Visitors to the 3DS section.
 - ☒ B. All of the website visitors.
 - C. Visitors to the PS4 section.
 - D. Visitors who are on the website for more than 5 minutes.
- 4) Before a nation wide election, a polling place was trying to see who would win.
Which choice **best** represents a sample?
- A. A selection of voters over age 50.
 - B. A selection of male voters.
 - ☒ C. A selection of voters of different ages.
 - D. All voters.
- 5) A toy store owner tracking how much kids spend each month on toys.
Which choice **best** represents a population?
- ☒ A. All of the kids who buy toys.
 - B. 227 rich kids.
 - C. 228 boys age 7 - 15
 - D. 235 kids from age 10 to 15.
- 6) A mayor wanted to see if the people in his town thought he was doing a good job.
Which choice **best** represents a sample?
- A. 1,000 unemployed voters.
 - B. The mayor's family.
 - C. The residents of the town.
 - ☒ D. 242 voters.

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Univariate Data
Categorical vs. Quantitative Data

Name _____
Date _____

Determine whether the following variables are categorical (C) or quantitative (Q)

1. Brand of vehicle purchased by a customer **C**
2. Price of a CD **Q**
3. Type of M&Ms preferred by students (peanut, plain) **C**
4. Phone number of each student **C**
5. Height of a 1-year old child **Q**
6. Term paper status (turned in on time or turned in late) **C**
7. Gender of the next baby born at a particular hospital. **C**
8. Amount of fluid (oz) dispensed by a machine used to fill bottles with soda **Q**
9. Thickness of the gelatin coating on a Vitamin C capsule **Q**
10. Brand of computer purchased by a customer **C**
11. State that a person is born in **C**
12. Price of a textbook **Q**
13. Zip code of each student in this class **C**
14. Actual weight of coffee in a one pound can **Q**
15. Length of a rattlesnake **Q**

Types of Data:

d. Univariate Data: 1 variable data (This is what we're studying THIS unit)

e. Quantitative data: numbers a quantity (ex. height, weight, age, etc)

f. Categorical data: group names (categories)

- Each individual falls into a category (Ex: Freshmen, sophomore, junior, senior, male, female)

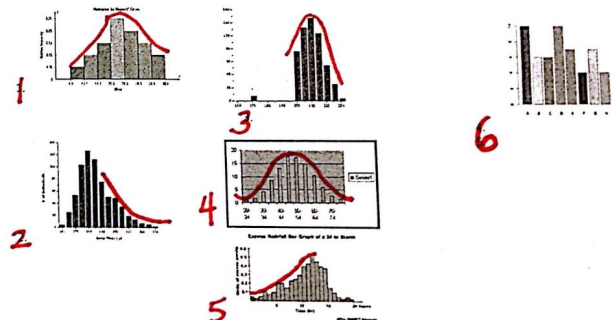
Concerned with how many or what percent fall into each category

g. Continuous Data: every value within the same range is possible

The following vocabulary words can be used to describe graphical displays

Uniform Each bin has approximately the same height	Gaps Spaces between data points	Uni-Modal One bin has the highest value	Bi-Modal Two bins tie for the highest value
Multi-Modal There are more than two ties for the highest bin	Outliers Extreme values that don't appear to belong with the rest of the data	Symmetric The two halves look like approximate mirror images	Normal Looks like a hill with the highest peak near the middle
Long Tails The edges slowly drop off	Short Tails The edges drop off quickly	Skewed Left The longer tail reaches to the left	Skewed Right The longer tail reaches to the right

Use as many of these vocabulary words to describe the following displays

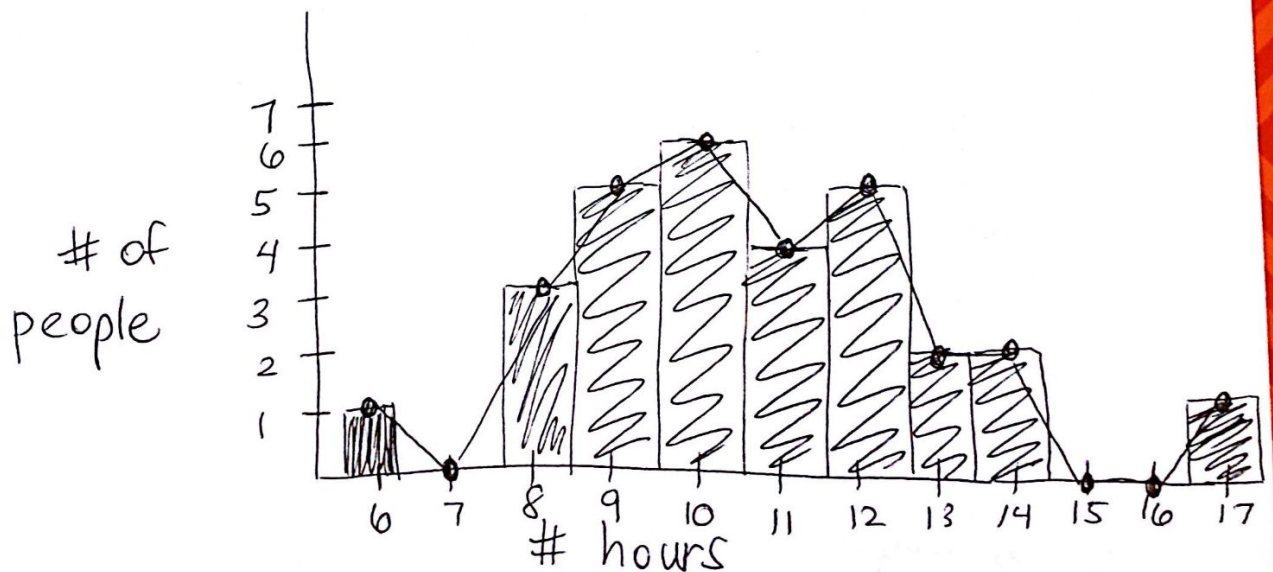


Day 1 HW KEY:

- 1) 100,000 residents
- 2) households of city A
- 3) C
- 4) C

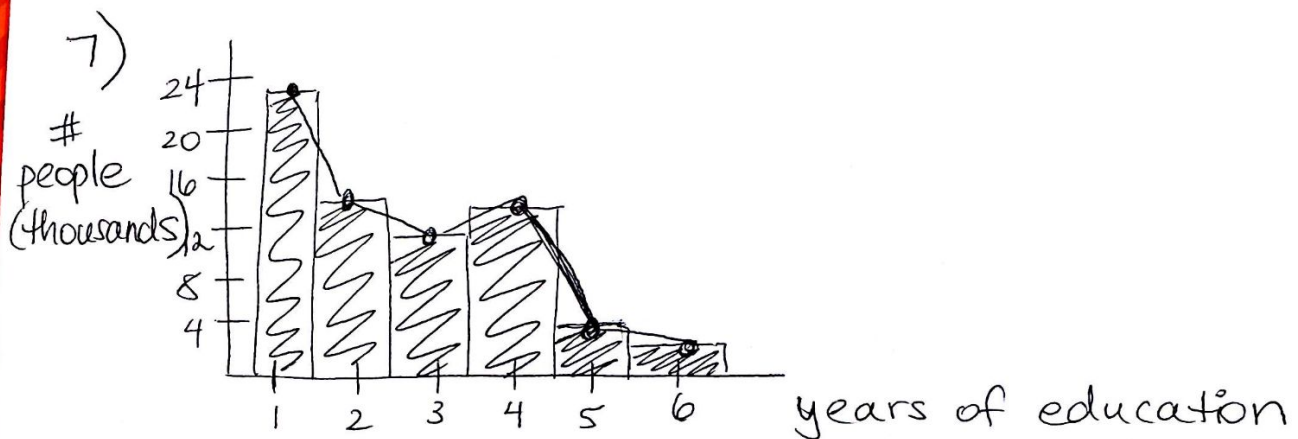
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Hours	Tally	Frequency
6	1	1
7	0	
8	3	
9	5	
10	6	1
11	4	
12	5	
13	2	
14	2	
15	0	
16	0	
17	2	



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Age Group	Tally	Frequency
17-26	1	11
27-36		9
37-46	1	6
47-56		4
57-66		2



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Stem	Leaf
3	9 9
4	0 5 1 2 9 8 1 0
5	2 5 1 3 4 4 8
6	8 5 2 1 3 4 3
7	3 1 0 7
8	2 1