

02 Descriptive Statistics-II

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1 Measuring Variability and spread

1.1 "Range" to differentiate dataset

So far we've looked at calculating averages for sets of data, but quite often, the average only gives part of the picture. Averages give us a way of determining where the center of a set of data is, but they don't tell us how the data varies. Each player has the same average score, but there are clear differences between each data set. We need some other way of measuring these differences.

We can differentiate between each set of data by looking at the way in which the scores spread out from the average. Each player's scores are distributed differently, and if we can measure how the scores are dispersed, the coach will be able to make a more informed decision.

1.2 Measuring the range

We can easily do this by calculating the *range*. The range tells us over how many numbers the data extends, a bit like measuring its width. To find the range, we take the largest number in the data set, and then subtract the smallest. The smallest value is called the *lower bound*, and the largest value is the *upper bound*.

Let's take a look at the set of scores for one of the players and see how this works. Here are the scores:

To calculate the range, we subtract the lower bound from the upper bound. Looking at the data, the smallest value is 7, which means that this is the lower bound. Similarly, the upper bound is the largest value, or 13. Subtracting the lower bound from the upper bound gives us:

Range = upper bound - lower bound

= 13 - 7

= 6

so, the range is 6

Note: The range is a way of measuring how spread out a set of values are. It's given by Upper bound - Lower bound where the upper bound is the highest value, and the lower bound the lowest.

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In [13]: # import required libraries
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
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import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
%matplotlib inline
plt.style.use('fivethirtyeight')
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Importing India premere league dataset

```
In [14]: dataset = pd.read_csv('./data/statistics/IPL_venue_won.csv')
print(dataset.keys())
print('\n')
print(dataset.info())
```

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dataset.head()
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Index(['Venue_Name', 'Won_By'], dtype='object')
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<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 577 entries, 0 to 576
Data columns (total 2 columns):
Venue_Name    577 non-null object
Won_By        568 non-null float64
dtypes: float64(1), object(1)
memory usage: 9.1+ KB
None
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Out[14]:
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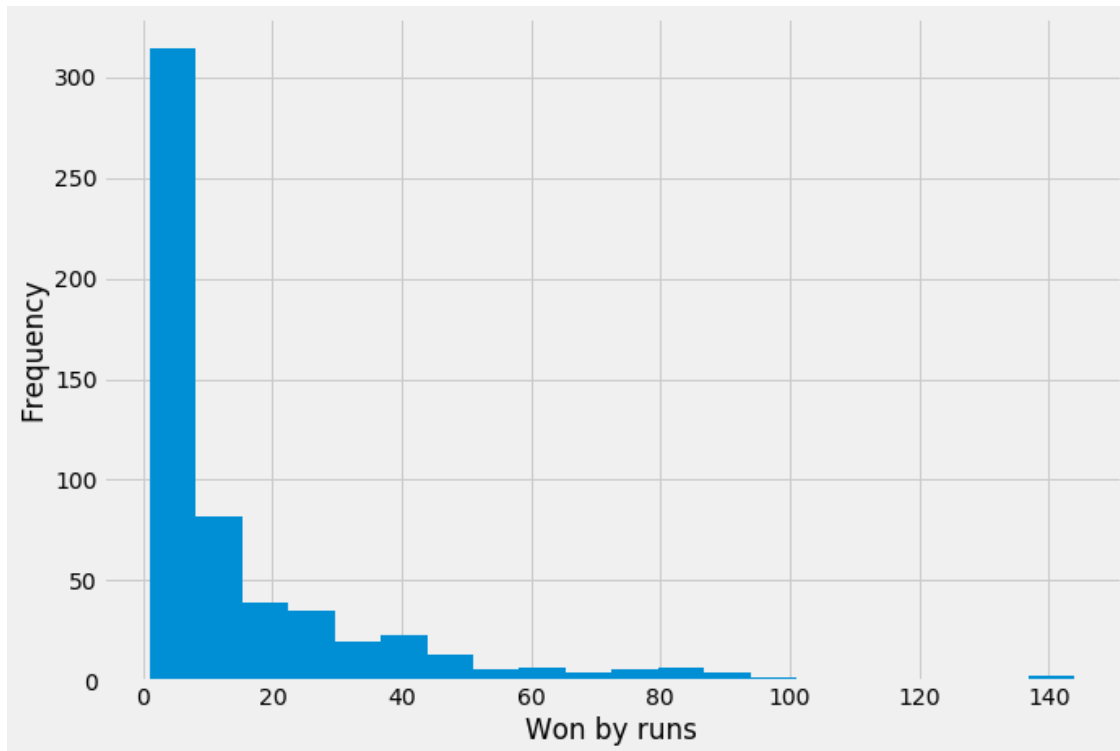
	Venue_Name	Won_By
0	M Chinnaswamy Stadium	140.0
1	Punjab Cricket Association Stadium, Mohali	33.0
2	Feroz Shah Kotla	9.0
3	Wankhede Stadium	5.0
4	Eden Gardens	5.0

Visualizing histogram

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In [15]: dataset['Venue_Name'].nunique()
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Out[15]: 35
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In [16]: plt.figure(figsize=(10,7))
dataset['Won_By'].plot.hist(bins = 20)
plt.xlabel('Won by runs')
plt.show()
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In [17]: Range = dataset['Won_By'].max() - dataset['Won_By'].min()
         print('The Range of dataset is {}'.format(Range))
```

The Range of dataset is 143.0

The range is a simple way of saying what the spread of a set of data is, but it's often not the best way of measuring how the data is distributed within that range. If your data has outliers, using the range to describe how your values are dispersed can be very misleading because of its sensitivity to **outliers**.

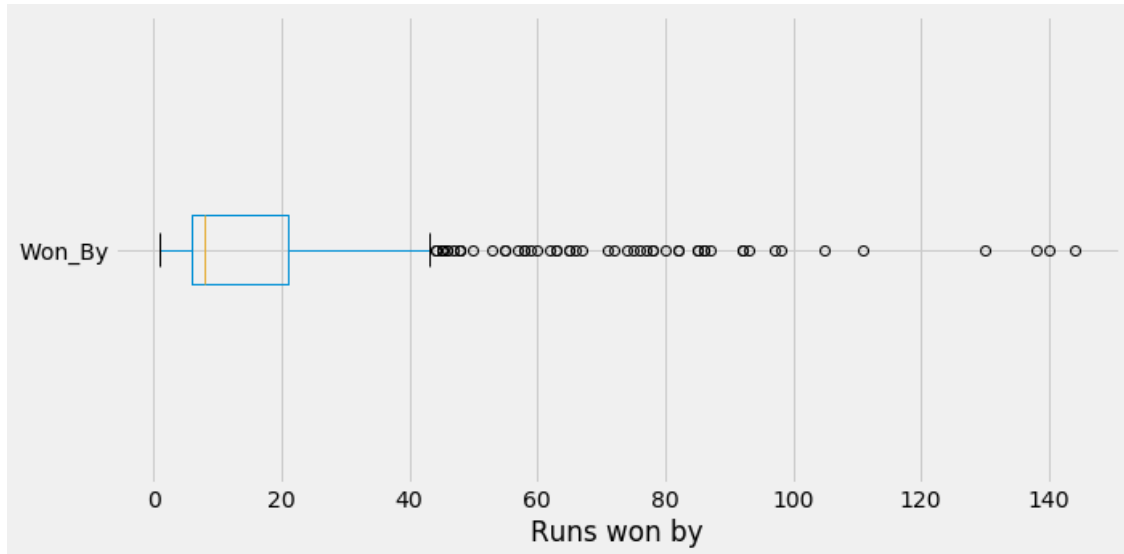
The primary problem with the range is that it only describes the width of your data. Because the range is calculated using the most extreme values of the data, it's impossible to tell what that data actually looks like—and whether it contains outliers. There are many different ways of constructing the same range, and sometimes this additional information is important.

2 Box Plot

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In [18]: plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
         dataset['Won_By'].plot.box(vert = False)
         plt.xlabel('Runs won by')
         plt.show()
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3 Variance

The variance is a way of measuring spread, and it's the average of the distance of values from the mean squared.

This method of measuring spread is called the variance, and it's a very common way of de-

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scribing the spread of a set of data. Here's a general form of the equation:

4 Standard Deviation

Statisticians use the variance a lot as a means of measuring the spread of data. It's useful because it uses every value to come up with the result, and it can be thought of as the average of the distances from the mean squared.

All we need to do is take the square root of the variance. We call this the *standard deviation*.

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In [19]: print('Variance :',dataset.var())
          print('Standard Deviation :',dataset.std())
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Variance : Won_By      479.970511
dtype: float64
Standard Deviation : Won_By      21.908229
dtype: float64
```

5 Z - Scores

Z – score is measure of distance from mean. Units for Z- score is “standard deviation”It help to find answer for question below.

How far is any given data point from the mean ? (Distance)

Z - score can help us answer

How many standard deviation away (above and below) from the mean is a data point ?

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In [20]: dataset.head()
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Out[20]:
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	Venue_Name	Won_By
0	M Chinnaswamy Stadium	140.0
1	Punjab Cricket Association Stadium, Mohali	33.0
2	Feroz Shah Kotla	9.0
3	Wankhede Stadium	5.0
4	Eden Gardens	5.0

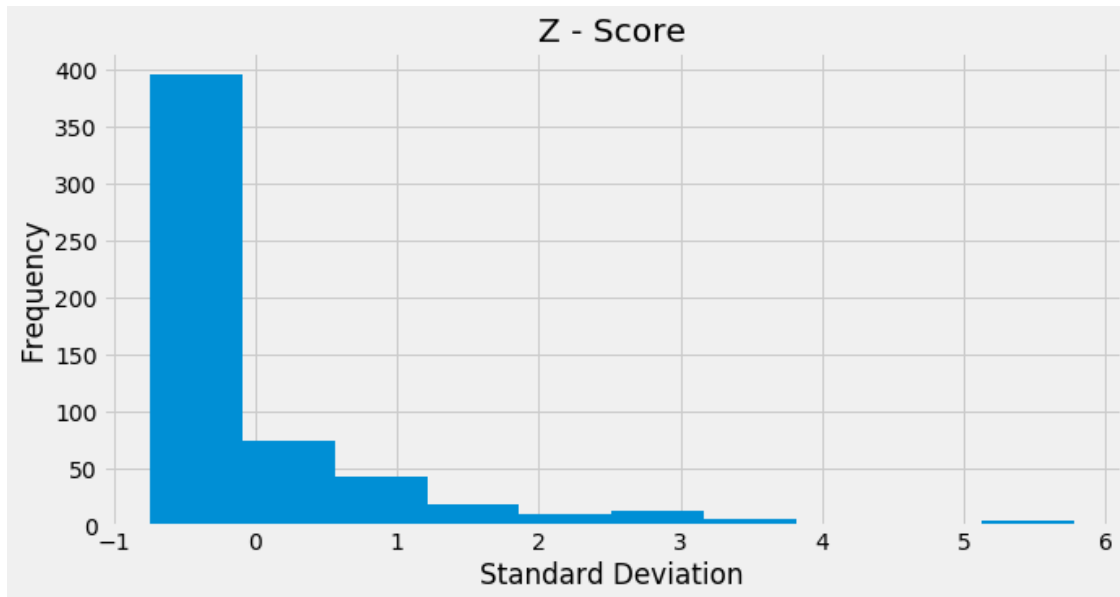
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In [21]: dataset['Z-Score'] = (dataset['Won_By'] - dataset['Won_By'].mean())/ dataset['Won_By'].
dataset.head()
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Out[21]:
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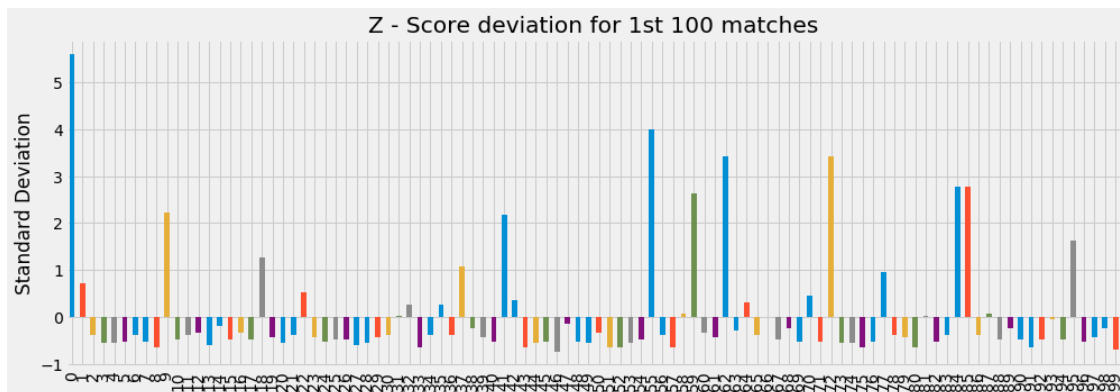
	Venue_Name	Won_By	Z-Score
0	M Chinnaswamy Stadium	140.0	5.598337
1	Punjab Cricket Association Stadium, Mohali	33.0	0.714327
2	Feroz Shah Kotla	9.0	-0.381151
3	Wankhede Stadium	5.0	-0.563731
4	Eden Gardens	5.0	-0.563731

z score visualization

```
In [22]: plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
ax = plt.gca()
dataset['Z-Score'].plot.hist(ax = ax)
plt.xlabel('Standard Deviation')
plt.title('Z - Score')
plt.show()
```



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In [23]: plt.figure(figsize=(15,5))
          ax = plt.gca()
          dataset['Z-Score'][:100].plot.bar(ax = ax)
          plt.ylabel('Standard Deviation')
          plt.title('Z - Score deviation for 1st 100 matches')
          plt.show()
```



So, list of matches whose run be score is greater than 3 times standard deviation (outlier) is:

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In [26]: dataset[dataset['Z-Score'] >= 3]
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Out[26]:
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	Venue_Name	Won_By	Z-Score
0	M Chinnaswamy Stadium	140.0	5.598337
55	Wankhede Stadium	105.0	4.000764

62		St George's Park	92.0	3.407379
72		St George's Park	92.0	3.407379
123		Feroz Shah Kotla	98.0	3.681249
220		M Chinnaswamy Stadium	85.0	3.087865
236	Himachal Pradesh Cricket Association Stadium		111.0	4.274633
320		MA Chidambaram Stadium, Chepauk	86.0	3.133510
343		Sawai Mansingh Stadium	87.0	3.179155
344		Feroz Shah Kotla	86.0	3.133510
351		M Chinnaswamy Stadium	130.0	5.141887
405		Sheikh Zayed Stadium	93.0	3.453024
482		MA Chidambaram Stadium, Chepauk	97.0	3.635604
497		M Chinnaswamy Stadium	138.0	5.507047
553	Dr. Y.S. Rajasekhara Reddy ACA-VDCA Cricket St...		85.0	3.087865
560		M Chinnaswamy Stadium	144.0	5.780917