

# Data Understanding - (Time taken 1hr 15mins)

The data in this analysis is from Zeraki School. It contains data of Form1 -Form4 students, their Admission numbers, stream, the marks and grades they got in different subjects for different exams. (Cat 1, end term and premock for form 4)

The subject Analysis was done using mean marks as the ranking criteria as mean points would have resulted to ties due to the huge number of students

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In [1]: #These are the Libraries I will use to do the analysis:

import pandas as pd ## Converting the students' data into a dataframe for easier analysis
import numpy as np # For numerical computing
import scipy.stats # for statistical analysis

import re ## The regular expression module for removing
           #patterns in subject marks for all students e.g grades and - or + in grades
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## Data Pre-processing

### FORM 4 Pre-Mock Analysis

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In [2]: # Creating a form 4 Premock Dataframe for tabular analysis

form4_df=pd.read_excel("f4 t2 pre-mock_V2-edit.xls")

form4_df
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Out[2]:

	STREAM	ADMNO	NAME	ENG	KIS	MAT	BIO	PHY	CHE	HIS	GEO	CRE	HSC	AD	AGR
0	WEST	6827	NaN	58 C+	53 B+	77 A-	66 B	77 A-	66 B	NaN	NaN	79 A-	NaN	NaN	NaN
1	WEST	6924	NaN	56 C+	48 A	81 A-	63 B-	NaN	70 B+	NaN	71 A-	76 A-	NaN	NaN	NaN
2	EAST	6947	NaN	47 C-	59 A-	89 A	69 B	71 B+	70 B+	NaN	NaN	65 B+	NaN	NaN	NaN
3	WEST	6743	NaN	56 C+	51 B-	97 A	50 C	76 A-	71 B+	NaN	67 B+	75 A-	NaN	NaN	NaN
4	CENTRAL	6891	NaN	55 C+	59 A	67 B	65 B	66 B	65 B	NaN	75 A	77 A-	NaN	NaN	NaN
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
330	NORTH	6741	NaN	28 E	32 C	28 E	34 D-	NaN	30 D-	33 E	NaN	50 D	NaN	NaN	35 D
331	ALPHA	6780	NaN	32 D-	31 D	20 E	26 E	NaN	28 E	NaN	37 D	50 D	29 C-	NaN	NaN
332	EAST	6818	NaN	27 E	15 D-	23 E	31 D-	NaN	23 E	NaN	30 D-	31 C-	29 D	NaN	NaN
333	CENTRAL	6631	NaN	X	X	X	X	NaN	X	NaN	X	X	X	NaN	NaN
334	WEST	6713	NaN	17 E	38 C+	0 D-	X	X	18 E	NaN	NaN	33 D-	NaN	NaN	47 C-

335 rows × 20 columns



Removing the name column is it does not have any values and admission numbers since they dont have much relevance in the overall analysis

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In [3]: form4_df.drop(columns=["ADMNO", "NAME"], inplace =True)
form4_df
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Out[3]:

	STREAM	ENG	KIS	MAT	BIO	PHY	CHE	HIS	GEO	CRE	HSC	AD	AGR	COM	FRE	GEI
0	WEST	58 C+	53 B+	77 A-	66 B	77 A-	66 B	NaN	NaN	79 A-	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN
1	WEST	56 C+	48 A	81 A-	63 B-	NaN	70 B+	NaN	71 A-	76 A-	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	82 A	NaN
2	EAST	47 C-	59 A-	89 A	69 B	71 B+	70 B+	NaN	NaN	65 B+	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN
3	WEST	56 C+	51 B-	97 A	50 C	76 A-	71 B+	NaN	67 B+	75 A-	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN
4	CENTRAL	55 C+	59 A	67 B	65 B	66 B	65 B	NaN	75 A	77 A-	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
330	NORTH	28 E	32 C	28 E	34 D-	NaN	30 D-	33 E	NaN	50 D	NaN	NaN	35 D	NaN	NaN	NaN
331	ALPHA	32 D-	31 D	20 E	26 E	NaN	28 E	NaN	37 D	50 D	29 C-	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN
332	EAST	27 E	15 D-	23 E	31 D-	NaN	23 E	NaN	30 D-	31 C-	29 D	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN
333	CENTRAL	X	X	X	X	NaN	X	NaN	X	X	X	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN
334	WEST	17 E	38 C+	0 D-	X	X	18 E	NaN	NaN	33 D-	NaN	NaN	47 C-	NaN	NaN	NaN

335 rows × 18 columns



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In [4]: # Function to count grades in all the subjects
def count_grades(column):
    grade_counts = {}

    for entry in column:
        if isinstance(entry, str):
            # Splitting the entry into grade and the rest
            parts = entry.split()

            if len(parts) == 2:
                grade = parts[1]
                if grade in grade_counts:
                    grade_counts[grade] += 1
                else:
                    grade_counts[grade] = 1

    return grade_counts

# Looping through the columns (excluding non-numeric columns like 'STREAM')
for column in form4_df.columns[1:]:
    grade_counts = count_grades(form4_df[column])
    print(f"Column: {column}")
    for grade, count in grade_counts.items():
        print(f"{grade}: {count}")
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Column: ENG

C+: 34

C-: 96

B-: 7

C: 64

D+: 80

D: 40

D-: 10

E: 3

Column: KIS

B+: 27

A: 8

A-: 22

B-: 54

C+: 52

B: 50

C: 45

D+: 17

X: 2

C-: 33

D-: 4

D: 18

E: 2

Column: MAT

A-: 18

A: 10

B: 32

B+: 17

C: 40

C+: 37

B-: 45

C-: 30

D-: 20

E: 29

D: 22

D+: 34

Column: BIO

B: 8

B-: 23

C: 69

B+: 2

C+: 40

A-: 1

C-: 60

D+: 61

D: 33

D-: 27

E: 9

Column: PHY

A-: 4

B+: 5

B: 9

B-: 23

C: 26

C+: 30

D+: 16

C-: 28

D: 15

D-: 6

E: 1

Column: CHE

B: 11

B+: 6

C+: 31

B-: 28

C: 58

C-: 42

D+: 55

D: 43

D-: 24

E: 36

Column: HIS

C: 15

B: 8

C-: 16

B-: 9

D+: 10

A-: 2

C+: 18

D-: 6

D: 8

E: 5

B+: 1

Column: GEO

A-: 8

B+: 11

A: 24

B: 12

C+: 25

B-: 17

X: 10

C: 17

C-: 8

D+: 3

D: 2

D-: 1

Column: CRE

A-: 28

B+: 36

B: 47

C+: 46

B-: 67

A: 6

X: 2

C: 49

C-: 29

E: 5

D-: 5

D+: 11

D: 3

Column: HSC

A-: 1

B: 3

D: 6

C+: 8

B-: 1

C-: 6

C: 1

B+: 1

D+: 1

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Column: AD
A-: 1
B: 3
B-: 5
C+: 3
D: 1
Column: AGR
C: 5
C+: 6
B+: 1
D+: 14
C-: 11
D: 7
D-: 3
Column: COM
A-: 7
A: 5
C: 2
B-: 8
B: 11
C+: 3
D+: 1
Column: FRE
A: 1
B+: 4
A-: 2
B-: 2
C: 5
B: 10
C+: 3
C-: 3
Column: GER
C+: 3
C: 7
C-: 3
A-: 1
D: 1
Column: MUS
B-: 3
B: 1
C+: 2
C: 4
B+: 2
C-: 1
D+: 1
Column: BST
A: 1
A-: 9
B: 16
B+: 11
C+: 14
B-: 13
C-: 8
C: 8
D-: 1
D+: 1
D: 2
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In [5]: columns_to_clean = ["ENG", "KIS", "MAT", "BIO", "PHY", "CHE", "HIS", "GEO", "CRE", "HS
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grade_pattern = r'[A-Za-z]+'

for column in columns_to_clean:
    form4_df[column] = form4_df[column].apply(lambda x: re.sub(grade_pattern, '', str(x)))

# Defining a regular expression pattern to match '+' and '-' signs in the grades
plus_minus_pattern = r'[-+]'

for column in columns_to_clean:
    form4_df[column] = form4_df[column].str.replace(plus_minus_pattern, '', regex=True)

# the FORM 4 Dataframe contains the values with both Letter grades and '+' and '-' removed
form4_df

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Out[5]:

	STREAM	ENG	KIS	MAT	BIO	PHY	CHE	HIS	GEO	CRE	HSC	AD	AGR	COM	FRE	GER
0	WEST	58	53	77	66	77	66			79						
1	WEST	56	48	81	63		70		71	76					82	
2	EAST	47	59	89	69	71	70			65						
3	WEST	56	51	97	50	76	71		67	75						
4	CENTRAL	55	59	67	65	66	65		75	77						
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
330	NORTH	28	32	28	34		30	33		50			35			
331	ALPHA	32	31	20	26		28		37	50	29					
332	EAST	27	15	23	31		23		30	31	29					
333	CENTRAL															
334	WEST	17	38	0			18			33			47			

335 rows × 18 columns

## Function for Calculating Subject mean

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In [6]: def calculate_subject_means(form4_df, subject_columns):

    subject_means = {}

    for subject_column in subject_columns:
        # Converting the subject column to numeric, forcing non-numeric values to NaN
        form4_df[subject_column] = pd.to_numeric(form4_df[subject_column], errors='coerce')

        # Calculating the mean of the subject column, excluding NaN values
        subject_mean = form4_df[subject_column].mean()

        # Storing the subject mean in the dictionary
        subject_means[subject_column] = subject_mean

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return subject_means

# Specifying the subject columns for which I want to calculate mean

subject_columns = ["ENG", "KIS", "MAT", "BIO", "PHY", "CHE", "HIS", "GEO", "CRE", "HSC",
                   "COM", "FRE", "GER", "MUS", "BST"]

# Calculating the mean of the specified subject columns using the function
subject_means = calculate_subject_means(form4_df, subject_columns)

for subject, mean in subject_means.items():
    print(f"Mean {subject}: {mean}")

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Mean ENG: 46.221556886227546
Mean KIS: 42.83532934131737
Mean MAT: 53.16766467065868
Mean BIO: 47.2012012012012
Mean PHY: 52.11042944785276
Mean CHE: 45.42215568862275
Mean HIS: 53.724489795918366
Mean GEO: 58.88405797101449
Mean CRE: 62.308383233532936
Mean HSC: 40.857142857142854
Mean AD: 61.15384615384615
Mean AGR: 45.57446808510638
Mean COM: 50.91891891891892
Mean FRE: 63.166666666666664
Mean GER: 54.4
Mean MUS: 58.214285714285715
Mean BST: 61.75

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## FORM ONE

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In [7]: ## combining all Form One 2015 Data

Form_1_2015=["f1 t1 2015_V2-edit.xls", "f1 t2 2015_V2-edit.xls", "f1 t3 2015_V2-edit.xls"]

## Creating an empty list where the merged form 1 2015 data will be appended

m_dfs=[]

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In [8]: # Iterating through all form 1 students to be merged into one dataframe

for form_1 in Form_1_2015:
    F1_2015_df=pd.read_excel(form_1)
    m_dfs.append(F1_2015_df)

merged_f1_2015=pd.concat(m_dfs, ignore_index=True)

merged_f1_2015

```



Out[8]:

	STREAM	ADMNO	NAME	ENG	KIS	MAT	BIO	PHY	CHE	HIS	GEO	CRE	HSC	AD	AGR
0	NORTH	6848	NaN	78 A-	80 A	94 A	92 A	96 A	86 A	85 A	95 A	89 A	94 A	NaN	NaN
1	EAST	6862	NaN	70 B+	77 A-	83 A	94 A	98 A	90 A	84 A	91 A	92 A	NaN	NaN	98 A
2	ALPHA	6732	NaN	75 A-	73 B+	83 A	95 A	86 A	91 A	90 A	93 A	86 A	90 A	NaN	NaN
3	SOUTH	6790	NaN	73 B+	90 A	83 A	90 A	89 A	78 A-	95 A	85 A	84 A	83 A	NaN	NaN
4	SOUTH	6808	NaN	67 B	78 A-	80 A	98 A	97 A	91 A	88 A	94 A	92 A	92 A	NaN	NaN
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1003	SOUTH	6625	NaN	53 C	54 C	50 C	50 C	37 D	57 C+	35 D	59 C+	48 C-	NaN	60 B-	NaN
1004	EAST	6788	NaN	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	NaN	X	X	NaN	NaN
1005	NORTH	6675	NaN	49 C-	X	NaN	0 E	X	NaN	X	X	X	X	NaN	NaN
1006	NaN	6617	NaN	0 Y	61 B-	74 B+	66 B	58 C+	0 Y	77 A-	89 A	78 A-	54 C	NaN	NaN
1007	WEST	6749	NaN	X	X	35 D	26 E	X	X	X	32 D-	48 C-	NaN	X	NaN

1008 rows × 20 columns



### Counting Grades in all subjects

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In [9]: # Function to count grades in all the subjects
def count_grades(column):
    grade_counts = {}

    for entry in column:
        if isinstance(entry, str):
            # Splitting the entry into grade and the rest
            parts = entry.split()

            if len(parts) == 2:
                grade = parts[1]
                if grade in grade_counts:
                    grade_counts[grade] += 1
                else:
                    grade_counts[grade] = 1

    return grade_counts

# Looping through the columns (excluding non-numeric columns like 'STREAM')
for column in merged_f1_2015.columns[1:]:
    grade_counts = count_grades(merged_f1_2015[column])
```

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print(f"Column: {column}")  
for grade, count in grade_counts.items():  
    print(f"{grade}: {count}")
```

Column: ADMNO

Column: NAME

Column: ENG

A-: 34

B+: 98

B: 175

A: 8

B-: 241

C+: 197

C: 137

C-: 67

D+: 34

D: 7

D-: 4

E: 2

Y: 1

Column: KIS

A: 17

A-: 47

B+: 124

B: 160

C: 125

C+: 187

B-: 198

D+: 31

C-: 87

D: 19

D-: 6

E: 2

Column: MAT

A: 244

A-: 98

B-: 103

B+: 124

B: 137

C+: 92

C: 78

D+: 37

C-: 53

D: 18

D-: 15

E: 7

Column: BIO

A: 329

B+: 123

A-: 81

B: 86

B-: 106

C+: 88

C: 80

C-: 54

D: 18

D+: 21

D-: 13

E: 8

Column: PHY

A: 282

A-: 88

B+: 111

B: 79

B-: 111  
C+: 60  
C: 80  
C-: 48  
D: 37  
D+: 55  
D-: 30  
E: 23  
Column: CHE  
A: 326  
A-: 193  
B+: 186  
B: 121  
B-: 80  
C+: 42  
D+: 9  
C: 26  
C-: 16  
D: 3  
D-: 1  
Y: 1  
Column: HIS  
A: 187  
A-: 166  
B: 154  
B+: 168  
C+: 89  
B-: 135  
C: 49  
C-: 28  
D+: 11  
D-: 6  
D: 9  
X: 1  
Y: 1  
E: 1  
Column: GEO  
A: 317  
A-: 151  
B: 101  
B+: 154  
C+: 91  
B-: 95  
C-: 24  
C: 47  
D+: 16  
D: 4  
D-: 4  
E: 1  
Column: CRE  
A: 269  
A-: 194  
B: 155  
B+: 185  
C+: 51  
B-: 107  
C: 24  
C-: 16  
D-: 1  
D+: 4

Column: HSC

A: 166  
A-: 102  
B+: 89  
B-: 67  
B: 56  
C: 42  
C+: 52  
C-: 24  
D-: 1  
D: 8  
D+: 14

Column: AD

B+: 15  
B: 11  
A-: 6  
B-: 12  
C+: 17  
C-: 6  
C: 13  
D+: 5  
D: 2  
D-: 1  
A: 10

Column: AGR

A: 140  
A-: 44  
B+: 39  
B: 28  
B-: 15  
C: 5  
C+: 12  
D: 1  
C-: 1

Column: COM

A: 261  
A-: 144  
B+: 165  
C+: 69  
B: 101  
B-: 114  
C-: 48  
C: 70  
D+: 21  
X: 2  
D: 11

Column: FRE

A: 22  
B-: 31  
A-: 26  
B: 37  
B+: 26  
C: 20  
C+: 16  
C-: 5  
D+: 4  
D: 2

Column: GER

A: 49  
A-: 26

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B+: 16
B-: 20
B: 16
C-: 16
C: 13
C+: 7
D-: 1
D+: 5
D: 3
E: 3
Column: MUS
A: 20
A-: 11
B: 17
C: 18
C+: 16
B-: 17
B+: 11
C-: 8
D: 5
D+: 7
D-: 3
E: 4
Column: BST
A: 68
A-: 61
B+: 84
C+: 48
B: 95
B-: 60
C: 37
D+: 11
D: 8
C-: 26
D-: 6
```

**Removing the name column is it does not have any values and admission number since they dont have much relevance in the overall analysis**

```
In [10]: #Dropping NAME and ADMNo Columns

merged_f1_2015.drop(columns=["NAME", "ADMNO",], inplace = True)

merged_f1_2015
```

Out[10]:

	STREAM	ENG	KIS	MAT	BIO	PHY	CHE	HIS	GEO	CRE	HSC	AD	AGR	COM	FRE	GE
0	NORTH	78 A-	80 A	94 A	92 A	96 A	86 A	85 A	95 A	89 A	94 A	NaN	NaN	84 A	NaN	NaN
1	EAST	70 B+	77 A-	83 A	94 A	98 A	90 A	84 A	91 A	92 A	NaN	NaN	98 A	92 A	NaN	NaN
2	ALPHA	75 A-	73 B+	83 A	95 A	86 A	91 A	90 A	93 A	86 A	90 A	NaN	NaN	93 A	NaN	NaN
3	SOUTH	73 B+	90 A	83 A	90 A	89 A	78 A-	95 A	85 A	84 A	83 A	NaN	NaN	92 A	NaN	NaN
4	SOUTH	67 B	78 A-	80 A	98 A	97 A	91 A	88 A	94 A	92 A	92 A	NaN	NaN	96 A	NaN	NaN
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1003	SOUTH	53 C	54 C	50 C	50 C	37 D	57 C+	35 D	59 C+	48 C-	NaN	60 B-	NaN	61 B-	NaN	NaN
1004	EAST	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	NaN	X	X	NaN	NaN	X	NaN	NaN
1005	NORTH	49 C-	X	NaN	0 E	X	NaN	X	X	X	X	NaN	NaN	48 C-	NaN	NaN
1006	NaN	0 Y	61 B-	74 B+	66 B	58 C+	0 Y	77 A-	89 A	78 A-	54 C	NaN	NaN	82 A	NaN	NaN
1007	WEST	X	X	35 D	26 E	X	X	X	32 D-	48 C-	NaN	X	NaN	X	NaN	4 C

1008 rows × 18 columns

## Removing the grades from the numerical marks

The assumption is that they affect python in getting the mean marks since they are categorical values and not numerical

the grades will be added later

```
In [11]: columns_to_clean = ["ENG", "KIS", "MAT", "BIO", "PHY", "CHE", "HIS", "GEO", "CRE", "HSC", "AD", "AGR", "COM", "FRE", "GE"]

grade_pattern = r'[A-Za-z]+'

for column in columns_to_clean:
    merged_f1_2015[column] = merged_f1_2015[column].apply(lambda x: re.sub(grade_pattern, '', x))

# Now merged_f1_2015 contains the marks only but no grades

merged_f1_2015
```

Out[11]:

	STREAM	ENG	KIS	MAT	BIO	PHY	CHE	HIS	GEO	CRE	HSC	AD	AGR	COM	FRE	GER
0	NORTH	78 -	80	94	92	96	86	85	95	89	94			84		
1	EAST	70 +	77 -	83	94	98	90	84	91	92			98	92		
2	ALPHA	75 -	73 +	83	95	86	91	90	93	86	90				93	
3	SOUTH	73 +	90	83	90	89	78 -	95	85	84	83			92		
4	SOUTH	67	78 -	80	98	97	91	88	94	92	92			96		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1003	SOUTH	53	54	50	50	37	57 +	35	59 +	48 -		60 -		61 -		
1004	EAST															
1005	NORTH	49 -			0									48 -		
1006	NaN	0	61 -	74 +	66	58 +	0	77 -	89	78 -	54			82		
1007	WEST			35	26				32 -	48 -						48 -

1008 rows × 18 columns



In [12]:

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# Defining a regular expression pattern to match '+' and '-' signs in the grades
# The r' below is the raw string literal notation for ensuring that + and - in
# grades are treated as literal values and not as operators so that the code runs

plus_minus_pattern = r'[-+]'

for column in columns_to_clean:
    merged_f1_2015[column] = merged_f1_2015[column].str.replace(plus_minus_pattern, '')

# Now merged_f1_2015 contains the values with both letter grades and '+' and '-' removed
merged_f1_2015
```



Out[12]:

	STREAM	ENG	KIS	MAT	BIO	PHY	CHE	HIS	GEO	CRE	HSC	AD	AGR	COM	FRE	GER
0	NORTH	78	80	94	92	96	86	85	95	89	94			84		
1	EAST	70	77	83	94	98	90	84	91	92			98	92		
2	ALPHA	75	73	83	95	86	91	90	93	86	90			93		
3	SOUTH	73	90	83	90	89	78	95	85	84	83			92		
4	SOUTH	67	78	80	98	97	91	88	94	92	92			96		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1003	SOUTH	53	54	50	50	37	57	35	59	48		60		61		
1004	EAST															
1005	NORTH	49			0									48		
1006	NaN	0	61	74	66	58	0	77	89	78	54			82		
1007	WEST			35	26				32	48						48

1008 rows × 18 columns

```

In [13]: def calculate_subject_means(merged_f1_2015, subject_columns):
    ## This function returns A dictionary where keys are subject names and values are

    subject_means = {}

    for subject_column in subject_columns:
        # Converting the subject column to numeric, forcing non-numeric values to NaN
        merged_f1_2015[subject_column] = pd.to_numeric(merged_f1_2015[subject_column],
            errors='coerce')

        # Calculating the mean of the subject column, excluding NaN values
        subject_mean = merged_f1_2015[subject_column].mean()

        # Storing the subject mean in the dictionary
        subject_means[subject_column] = subject_mean

    return subject_means

# Specifying the subject columns for which I want to calculate the mean

subject_columns = ["ENG", "KIS", "MAT", "BIO", "PHY", "CHE", "HIS", "GEO", "CRE", "HSC",
    "COM", "FRE", "GER", "MUS", "BST"]

# Calculating the mean of the specified subject columns using the function
subject_means = calculate_subject_means(merged_f1_2015, subject_columns)

for subject, mean in subject_means.items():
    print(f"Mean {subject}: {mean}")

```

Mean ENG: 61.82388059701493  
Mean KIS: 60.123629112662016  
Mean MAT: 66.58151093439363  
Mean BIO: 70.12909632571996  
Mean PHY: 64.20318725099601  
Mean CHE: 66.79482071713147  
Mean HIS: 68.83482587064677  
Mean GEO: 73.53731343283582  
Mean CRE: 71.88270377733599  
Mean HSC: 67.22222222222223  
Mean AD: 63.45918367346939  
Mean AGR: 77.76491228070175  
Mean COM: 73.46819085487077  
Mean FRE: 68.62433862433862  
Mean GER: 65.10285714285715  
Mean MUS: 55.67883211678832  
Mean BST: 68.34920634920636

## FORM 2

```
In [14]: ## combining all Form two Data

Form_2_2017=["f2 t1 2017_V2-edit.xls", "f2 t2 2017_V2-edit.xls", "f2 t3 2017_V2-edit.xls"]

## Creating an empty List where the merged form 2 2017 data will be appended

m_2017_dfs=[]
```

```
In [15]: # Iterating through all form 2 students to be merged into one dataframe

for form_2 in Form_2_2017:
    F2_2017_df=pd.read_excel(form_2)
    m_2017_dfs.append(F2_2017_df)

merged_f2_2017=pd.concat(m_2017_dfs, ignore_index=True)

merged_f2_2017
```

Out[15]:

	STREAM	ADMNO	NAME	ENG	KIS	MAT	BIO	PHY	CHE	HIS	GEO	CRE	HSC	AD	AG
0	EAST	6977	NaN	67 B+	65 A-	77 A	91 A	91 A	89 A	NaN	NaN	85 A	NaN	NaN	NaN
1	WEST	7112	NaN	63 B+	78 A	89 A	89 A	80 A-	82 A	NaN	93 A	85 A	NaN	NaN	NaN
2	EAST	7259	NaN	71 B+	70 A	76 A-	93 A	88 A-	85 A	96 A	NaN	89 A	NaN	NaN	NaN
3	EAST	7193	NaN	66 B+	67 A-	88 B+	92 A	88 A-	87 A	NaN	NaN	85 A	NaN	NaN	NaN
4	ALPHA	7035	NaN	70 B+	70 A	78 A-	86 A	71 B+	87 A-	88 A	NaN	83 A	NaN	NaN	NaN
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1020	ALPHA	7065	NaN	24 C+	0 C	12 E	35 D	NaN	0 E	38 B-	NaN	0 C+	NaN	NaN	C
1021	NORTH	7228	NaN	33 C	25 D	11 E	36 C-	NaN	27 D-	NaN	37 C-	50 B-	NaN	NaN	NaN
1022	CENTRAL	7288	NaN	34 C	27 C	20 D	45 D-	NaN	34 D-	39 D+	NaN	48 B	NaN	NaN	NaN
1023	CENTRAL	7240	NaN	31 C	27 D-	4 E	14 E	NaN	9 E	28 E	NaN	45 C-	NaN	NaN	32
1024	ALPHA	6951	NaN	45 X	75 X	40 X	63 X	63 X	50 X	73 X	NaN	73 X	NaN	NaN	NaN

1025 rows × 20 columns



```
In [16]: # Function to count grades in a column
def count_grades(column):
    grade_counts = {}

    for entry in column:
        if isinstance(entry, str):

            parts = entry.split()

            if len(parts) == 2:
                grade = parts[1]
                if grade in grade_counts:
                    grade_counts[grade] += 1
                else:
                    grade_counts[grade] = 1

    return grade_counts

# Looping through the columns (excluding non-numeric columns like 'STREAM')
for column in merged_f2_2017.columns[1:]:
    grade_counts = count_grades(merged_f2_2017[column])
    print(f"Column: {column}")
```

```
for grade, count in grade_counts.items():  
    print(f"{grade}: {count}")
```

Column: ADMNO

Column: NAME

Column: ENG

B+: 217

A-: 117

B: 217

B-: 225

C: 67

C+: 112

D+: 8

C-: 23

D: 1

A: 33

X: 1

Column: KIS

A-: 223

A: 71

B+: 240

B: 180

B-: 137

C+: 80

C: 50

D: 7

D+: 8

C-: 19

D-: 3

X: 1

Column: MAT

A: 80

A-: 60

B+: 80

B: 105

B-: 125

C+: 99

C-: 113

C: 111

D+: 85

D: 59

D-: 43

E: 62

X: 1

Column: BIO

A: 170

A-: 148

B+: 128

B: 158

B-: 144

C+: 86

C: 68

C-: 47

D+: 34

D: 20

D-: 13

E: 6

X: 1

Column: PHY

A: 52

A-: 52

B+: 69

B: 69

B-: 71  
C+: 39  
C: 35  
C-: 17  
D+: 13  
D: 5  
D-: 7  
E: 4  
X: 1  
Column: CHE  
A: 78  
A-: 87  
B+: 99  
B: 115  
B-: 137  
C+: 121  
C: 121  
C-: 86  
D+: 75  
D-: 34  
D: 47  
E: 21  
X: 1  
Column: HIS  
A: 197  
A-: 114  
B+: 86  
B: 69  
B-: 44  
C+: 21  
C: 19  
C-: 8  
D+: 5  
D-: 2  
E: 4  
D: 1  
X: 1  
Column: GEO  
A: 29  
A-: 40  
B: 38  
B+: 25  
B-: 28  
C+: 22  
C: 17  
C-: 7  
E: 3  
D+: 2  
D-: 1  
Column: CRE  
A: 340  
A-: 234  
B+: 190  
B: 142  
B-: 72  
C+: 27  
C: 10  
C-: 6  
D+: 1  
X: 1

Column: HSC

A-: 3

B: 8

B-: 8

C: 9

C-: 7

D+: 2

C+: 11

B+: 6

A: 1

Column: AD

B+: 18

A: 3

A-: 14

B: 9

B-: 2

C: 1

Column: AGR

A: 105

A-: 33

B+: 16

B: 17

B-: 8

C+: 7

C: 3

C-: 3

Column: COM

A: 48

A-: 38

B+: 25

B: 12

C+: 6

B-: 9

C: 5

C-: 1

D+: 1

D-: 1

Column: FRE

A: 9

A-: 16

B+: 6

B: 11

C+: 5

B-: 9

C: 7

D+: 4

C-: 6

Column: GER

A: 22

A-: 14

C: 10

B: 12

B+: 10

C+: 7

B-: 10

C-: 3

E: 2

D: 3

D+: 4

Column: MUS

```
B-: 6
C: 2
C+: 4
C-: 5
D+: 2
D: 2
A-: 5
A: 1
B: 3
B+: 3
Column: BST
A: 76
A-: 30
B: 18
B+: 38
B-: 16
C+: 6
C: 1
C-: 1
```

```
In [17]: columns_to_clean = ["ENG", "KIS", "MAT", "BIO", "PHY", "CHE", "HIS", "GEO", "CRE", "HIS"]

grade_pattern = r'[A-Za-z]+'

for column in columns_to_clean:
    merged_f2_2017[column] = merged_f2_2017[column].apply(lambda x: re.sub(grade_pattern, '', x))

# Now merged_f2_2017 contains the marks only but no grades

merged_f2_2017
```



Out[17]:

	STREAM	ADMNO	NAME	ENG	KIS	MAT	BIO	PHY	CHE	HIS	GEO	CRE	HSC	AD	AGR
0	EAST	6977	NaN	67 +	65 -	77	91	91	89			85			
1	WEST	7112	NaN	63 +	78	89	89	80 -	82		93	85			
2	EAST	7259	NaN	71 +	70	76 -	93	88 -	85	96		89			
3	EAST	7193	NaN	66 +	67 -	88 +	92	88 -	87			85			
4	ALPHA	7035	NaN	70 +	70	78 -	86	71 +	87 -	88		83			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1020	ALPHA	7065	NaN	24 +	0	12	35		0	38 -		0 +			0 +
1021	NORTH	7228	NaN	33	25	11	36 -		27 -		37 -	50 -			
1022	CENTRAL	7288	NaN	34	27	20	45 -		34 -	39 +		48			
1023	CENTRAL	7240	NaN	31	27 -	4	14		9	28		45 -			32
1024	ALPHA	6951	NaN	45	75	40	63	63	50	73		73			

1025 rows × 20 columns



```
In [18]: # Defining a regular expression pattern to match '+' and '-' signs in the grades
plus_minus_pattern = r'[-+]'

for column in columns_to_clean:
    merged_f2_2017[column] = merged_f2_2017[column].str.replace(plus_minus_pattern, '')

# Now merged_f2_2017 contains the values with both letter grades and '+' and '-' removed
merged_f2_2017
```

Out[18]:

	STREAM	ADMNO	NAME	ENG	KIS	MAT	BIO	PHY	CHE	HIS	GEO	CRE	HSC	AD	AGR
0	EAST	6977	NaN	67	65	77	91	91	89			85			
1	WEST	7112	NaN	63	78	89	89	80	82		93	85			
2	EAST	7259	NaN	71	70	76	93	88	85	96		89			
3	EAST	7193	NaN	66	67	88	92	88	87			85			
4	ALPHA	7035	NaN	70	70	78	86	71	87	88		83			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1020	ALPHA	7065	NaN	24	0	12	35		0	38		0			0
1021	NORTH	7228	NaN	33	25	11	36		27		37	50			
1022	CENTRAL	7288	NaN	34	27	20	45		34	39		48			
1023	CENTRAL	7240	NaN	31	27	4	14		9	28		45			32
1024	ALPHA	6951	NaN	45	75	40	63	63	50	73		73			

1025 rows × 20 columns

```

In [19]: def calculate_subject_means(merged_f2_2017, subject_columns):

    subject_means = {}

    for subject_column in subject_columns:
        # Converting the subject column to numeric, forcing non-numeric values to NaN
        merged_f2_2017[subject_column] = pd.to_numeric(merged_f2_2017[subject_column],
            errors='coerce')

        # Calculating the mean of the subject column, excluding NaN values
        subject_mean = merged_f2_2017[subject_column].mean()

        # Storing the subject mean in the dictionary
        subject_means[subject_column] = subject_mean

    return subject_means

# Specifying the subject columns for which I want to calculate mean
subject_columns = ["ENG", "KIS", "MAT", "BIO", "PHY", "CHE", "HIS", "GEO", "CRE", "HSC",
                  "COM", "FRE", "GER", "MUS", "BST"]

# Calculating the mean of the specified subject columns using the function
subject_means = calculate_subject_means(merged_f2_2017, subject_columns)

for subject, mean in subject_means.items():
    print(f"Mean {subject}: {mean}")

```

Mean ENG: 58.72673849167483  
Mean KIS: 63.38370951913641  
Mean MAT: 53.158357771260995  
Mean BIO: 60.70283479960899  
Mean PHY: 61.56221198156682  
Mean CHE: 58.51565557729941  
Mean HIS: 69.29772329246936  
Mean GEO: 63.278301886792455  
Mean CRE: 69.05865102639297  
Mean HSC: 61.8  
Mean AD: 64.36170212765957  
Mean AGR: 69.03125  
Mean COM: 71.27397260273973  
Mean FRE: 61.054794520547944  
Mean GER: 61.94845360824742  
Mean MUS: 54.0  
Mean BST: 70.41397849462365

## FORM 3

In [20]: *## combining all Form Three Data*

```
Form_3_2017=["f3 t1 2017_V3-edit.xls", "f3 t2 2017_V2-edit.xls", "f3 t3 2017_V2-edit.xls"]  
  
## Creating an empty List where the merged form 3 2017 data will be appended  
  
f3_dfs=[]
```

In [21]: *# Iterating through all form 3 students to be merged into one dataframe*

```
for form_3 in Form_3_2017:  
    F3_2017_df=pd.read_excel(form_3)  
    f3_dfs.append(F3_2017_df)  
  
merged_f3_2017=pd.concat(f3_dfs, ignore_index=True)  
  
merged_f3_2017
```

Out[21]:

	STREAM	ADMNO	NAME	ENG	KIS	MAT	BIO	PHY	CHE	HIS	GEO	CRE	HSC	AD	AGI
0	ALPHA	6732	NaN	77 A-	70 B+	71 B+	77 A-	75 A-	72 B+	NaN	65 B	63 B-	NaN	NaN	NaN
1	EAST	6947	NaN	63 B-	67 B	82 A	82 A	58 C+	80 A-	NaN	NaN	56 C+	NaN	NaN	NaN
2	ALPHA	6833	NaN	74 B+	60 B-	88 A	80 A-	70 B+	78 A-	NaN	NaN	70 B+	NaN	NaN	NaN
3	WEST	6743	NaN	69 B	63 B-	88 A	66 B	65 B	77 A-	NaN	47 C-	61 B-	NaN	NaN	NaN
4	SOUTH	6820	NaN	70 B+	54 C	73 B+	69 B	68 B	71 B+	NaN	57 C+	67 B	NaN	NaN	NaN
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1003	SOUTH	6625	NaN	54 C	42 D+	33 D-	33 D-	NaN	28 E	NaN	33 D-	37 D	NaN	NaN	NaN
1004	ALPHA	6828	NaN	39 D	34 D-	25 E	34 D-	NaN	37 D	NaN	51 C	36 D	NaN	NaN	52 C
1005	EAST	6770	NaN	54 C	46 C-	31 D-	36 D	NaN	16 E	44 D+	NaN	26 E	37 D	NaN	NaN
1006	EAST	6818	NaN	34 D-	35 D	23 E	45 C-	NaN	22 E	NaN	37 D	30 D-	30 D-	NaN	NaN
1007	SOUTH	6944	NaN	X	X	X	X	X	X	NaN	NaN	X	NaN	NaN	NaN

1008 rows × 20 columns



```
In [22]: # Function to count grades in a column
def count_grades(column):
    grade_counts = {}

    for entry in column:
        if isinstance(entry, str):
            # Splitting the entry into grade and the rest
            parts = entry.split()

            if len(parts) == 2:
                grade = parts[1]
                if grade in grade_counts:
                    grade_counts[grade] += 1
                else:
                    grade_counts[grade] = 1

    return grade_counts

# Looping through the columns (excluding non-numeric columns like 'STREAM')
for column in merged_f3_2017.columns[1:]:
    grade_counts = count_grades(merged_f3_2017[column])
    print(f"Column: {column}")
    for grade, count in grade_counts.items():
        print(f"{grade}: {count}")
```

Column: ADMNO

Column: NAME

Column: ENG

A-: 16

B-: 205

B+: 49

B: 130

C+: 175

C: 192

C-: 105

A: 2

D+: 83

D: 32

E: 3

D-: 14

Column: KIS

B+: 105

B: 177

B-: 233

C: 145

A-: 16

A: 3

C+: 197

C-: 77

D+: 30

D: 18

E: 1

D-: 4

Column: MAT

B+: 70

A: 22

A-: 41

C+: 92

B-: 106

B: 60

C: 140

C-: 116

D: 74

D-: 63

D+: 119

E: 103

Column: BIO

A-: 31

A: 13

B: 98

B+: 71

B-: 165

C: 149

C+: 181

C-: 130

D+: 81

D-: 22

D: 48

E: 15

Y: 2

Column: PHY

A-: 13

C+: 62

B+: 28

B: 43

C: 83  
B-: 56  
C-: 63  
D+: 55  
A: 20  
D: 35  
D-: 18  
E: 15  
Column: CHE  
B+: 66  
A-: 44  
B: 83  
B-: 135  
A: 11  
C+: 110  
C: 153  
D+: 103  
C-: 118  
D: 64  
D-: 58  
E: 60  
Column: HIS  
A: 68  
A-: 64  
B+: 56  
B-: 26  
B: 38  
C: 10  
C+: 23  
D: 2  
D+: 5  
Column: GEO  
B: 51  
C-: 35  
C+: 29  
B-: 57  
C: 44  
B+: 47  
D: 19  
D+: 27  
D-: 22  
E: 14  
A: 41  
A-: 31  
Y: 2  
Column: CRE  
B-: 152  
C+: 126  
B+: 131  
B: 137  
C: 128  
A-: 99  
C-: 81  
D+: 58  
D: 22  
D-: 17  
E: 7  
A: 48  
Column: HSC  
B+: 5

B-: 19  
B: 12  
C: 14  
A-: 5  
C+: 16  
D+: 8  
C-: 7  
D-: 2  
E: 1  
D: 1  
Column: AD  
A: 2  
A-: 4  
B-: 9  
B: 7  
C+: 7  
D+: 2  
C-: 1  
B+: 3  
C: 2  
Column: AGR  
A-: 18  
A: 10  
B+: 28  
B: 32  
B-: 27  
C+: 15  
C: 7  
C-: 3  
Column: COM  
A: 5  
B: 24  
B+: 22  
B-: 15  
A-: 11  
C+: 15  
C: 10  
C-: 7  
D+: 1  
D: 1  
Column: FRE  
B: 5  
B-: 12  
C: 13  
C-: 10  
D: 8  
C+: 12  
D+: 15  
D-: 5  
E: 6  
B+: 6  
A-: 1  
Column: GER  
A: 2  
B: 6  
A-: 4  
C+: 5  
B+: 11  
B-: 9  
C-: 2

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D: 1
C: 5
Column: MUS
C+: 8
B-: 9
D+: 1
B: 5
C: 6
B+: 2
C-: 5
A-: 4
D-: 1
D: 1
Column: BST
A: 24
B+: 54
B-: 43
A-: 34
B: 36
C+: 23
C: 16
C-: 11
D+: 7
```

```
In [23]: columns_to_clean = ["ENG", "KIS", "MAT", "BIO", "PHY", "CHE", "HIS", "GEO", "CRE", "HS

grade_pattern = r'[A-Za-z]+'

for column in columns_to_clean:
    merged_f3_2017[column] = merged_f3_2017[column].apply(lambda x: re.sub(grade_patte

# Now merged_f3_2017 contains the marks only but no grades

merged_f3_2017
```



Out[23]:

	STREAM	ADMNO	NAME	ENG	KIS	MAT	BIO	PHY	CHE	HIS	GEO	CRE	HSC	AD	AGR
0	ALPHA	6732	NaN	77 -	70 +	71 +	77 -	75 -	72 +		65	63 -			
1	EAST	6947	NaN	63 -	67	82	82	58 +	80 -			56 +			
2	ALPHA	6833	NaN	74 +	60 -	88	80 -	70 +	78 -			70 +			
3	WEST	6743	NaN	69	63 -	88	66	65	77 -		47 -	61 -			
4	SOUTH	6820	NaN	70 +	54	73 +	69	68	71 +		57 +	67			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1003	SOUTH	6625	NaN	54	42 +	33 -	33 -		28		33 -	37			
1004	ALPHA	6828	NaN	39	34 -	25	34 -		37		51	36			52
1005	EAST	6770	NaN	54	46 -	31 -	36		16	44 +		26	37		
1006	EAST	6818	NaN	34 -	35	23	45 -		22		37	30 -	30 -		
1007	SOUTH	6944	NaN												

1008 rows × 20 columns



In [24]:

```
# Defining a regular expression pattern to match '+' and '-' signs in the grades
plus_minus_pattern = r'[-+]'

for column in columns_to_clean:
    merged_f3_2017[column] = merged_f3_2017[column].str.replace(plus_minus_pattern, '')

# Now merged_f3_2017 contains the values with both letter grades and '+' and '-' removed
merged_f3_2017
```

Out[24]:

	STREAM	ADMNO	NAME	ENG	KIS	MAT	BIO	PHY	CHE	HIS	GEO	CRE	HSC	AD	AGR
0	ALPHA	6732	NaN	77	70	71	77	75	72		65	63			
1	EAST	6947	NaN	63	67	82	82	58	80			56			
2	ALPHA	6833	NaN	74	60	88	80	70	78			70			
3	WEST	6743	NaN	69	63	88	66	65	77		47	61			
4	SOUTH	6820	NaN	70	54	73	69	68	71		57	67			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1003	SOUTH	6625	NaN	54	42	33	33		28		33	37			
1004	ALPHA	6828	NaN	39	34	25	34		37		51	36			52
1005	EAST	6770	NaN	54	46	31	36		16	44		26	37		
1006	EAST	6818	NaN	34	35	23	45		22		37	30	30		
1007	SOUTH	6944	NaN												

1008 rows × 20 columns

```

In [25]: def calculate_subject_means(merged_f3_2017, subject_columns):

    subject_means = {}

    for subject_column in subject_columns:
        # Converting the subject column to numeric, forcing non-numeric values to NaN
        merged_f3_2017[subject_column] = pd.to_numeric(merged_f3_2017[subject_column],
        errors='coerce')

        # Calculating the mean of the subject column, excluding NaN values
        subject_mean = merged_f3_2017[subject_column].mean()

        # Storing the subject mean in the dictionary
        subject_means[subject_column] = subject_mean

    return subject_means

# Specifying the subject columns for which I want to calculate mean
subject_columns = ["ENG", "KIS", "MAT", "BIO", "PHY", "CHE", "HIS", "GEO", "CRE", "HSC",
                  "COM", "FRE", "GER", "MUS", "BST"]

# Calculating the mean of the specified subject columns using the function
subject_means = calculate_subject_means(merged_f3_2017, subject_columns)

for subject, mean in subject_means.items():
    print(f"Mean {subject}: {mean}")

```

Mean ENG: 57.25546719681908  
Mean KIS: 57.47216699801193  
Mean MAT: 48.88071570576541  
Mean BIO: 52.688866799204774  
Mean PHY: 48.04887983706721  
Mean CHE: 51.01592039800995  
Mean HIS: 66.16095890410959  
Mean GEO: 47.711217183770884  
Mean CRE: 56.2544731610338  
Mean HSC: 53.9  
Mean AD: 63.810810810810814  
Mean AGR: 62.871428571428574  
Mean COM: 60.55855855855856  
Mean FRE: 51.11827956989247  
Mean GER: 70.24444444444444  
Mean MUS: 56.642857142857146  
Mean BST: 65.08870967741936

In [ ]: