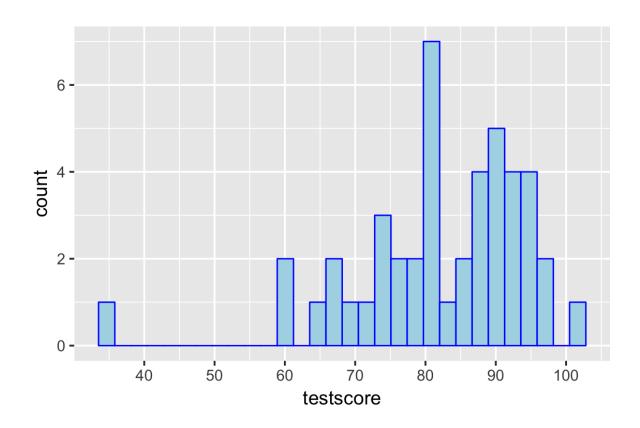
# Five number summary

- 1. min
- 2. lower fourth
- 3. median
- 4. upper fourth
- 5. max

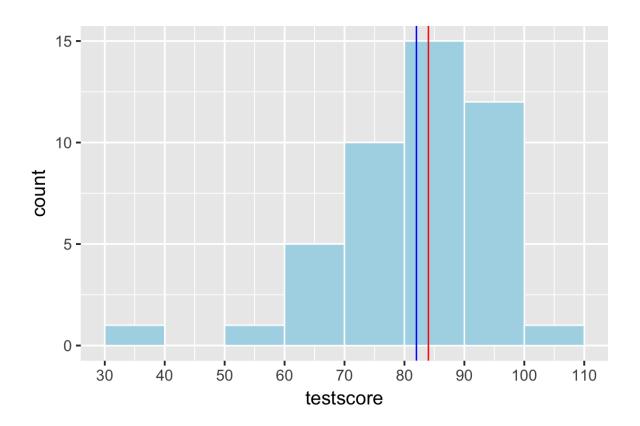
```
summary(prices)
```

```
## Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max.
## 379 506 572 593 699 799
```

## Test score data



## Fewer bins



### Test score dataset

Original data set of scores:

35, 59, 61, 64, 66, 66, 70, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 76, 78, 79, 80, 80, 81, 81, 82, 82, 82, 84, 86, 88, 88, 88, 88, 89, 89, 90, 91, 91, 92, 92, 92, 92, 94, 94, 94, 94, 96, 98, 102

Mean: 82

**Median: 84** 

Trimmed dataset (min and max removed):

59, 61, 64, 66, 66, 70, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 76, 78, 79, 80, 80, 81, 81, 82, 82, 82, 84, 86, 88, 88, 88, 88, 89, 89, 90, 91, 91, 92, 92, 92, 92, 94, 94, 94, 94, 96, 98

Mean: 82.63 (corrected)

Median: 84 (corrected)

How much was trimmed?  $\frac{1}{45}$  = 2.22%

### Trimmed means

Suppose we want to **trim 15%**.

$$.15 \times 45 = 6.75 \text{ values}$$

#### Trim 6:

$$\frac{6}{45}$$
 = 0.133

$$\overline{x}_{tr(13.33)}$$
 = 83.667

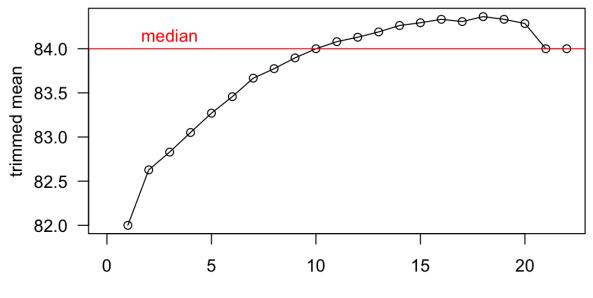
#### **Trim 7:**

$$\frac{7}{45}$$
 = 0.156

$$\overline{x}_{tr(15.56)}$$
 = 83.774

#### Interpolate:

### Median vs. trimmed mean



number of values trimmed from each side

### Sample and population means

population mean:  $\mu$  = sum of N population values / N

sample mean: 
$$\bar{x} = \frac{x_1 + x_2 + ... + x_n}{n} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i}{n}$$

population median:  $\widetilde{\mu}$ 

sample median:  $\widetilde{x}$ 

## Measures of variability

#### deviations from the mean

 $x_1 - \overline{x}$ ,  $x_2 - \overline{x}$ , etc.

Data: 3, 8, 11, 14

Mean: 9

value deviation deviation<sup>2</sup>

3

-6

36

8

-1

1

11

2

4

14

5

25

### **Sum of squared deviations**

 $S_{xx}$ : 36 + 1 + 4 + 25 = 66

### **Population variance**

$$\sigma^2 = 66/4 = 16.5$$

$$\sigma^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{N} (x_i - \mu)^2 / N$$

## Sample variance

### **Sum of squared deviations:**

$$S_{xx}$$
: 36 + 1 + 4 + 25 = 66

#### Sample variance:

$$s^2 = 66 / 3 = 22$$

$$s^2 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} (x_i - \bar{x})^2}{n-1}$$

#### Why n-1?

Short answer: using **n** would result in an underestimation, since the values in the sample are closer to the sample mean than to the true population mean (which we don't know)

### Standard deviation

### **Square root of variance**

- Population s.d. =  $\sqrt{\sigma^2}$
- Sample s.d. =  $\sqrt{s^2}$
- same units as original values
- Variance of test scores: 156.636
- Standard deviation of test scores: 12.515

### EXERCISE (p. 47, #62)

Consider the following information on ultimate tensile strength  $(lb/in^2)$  for a sample of n=4 hard zirconium copper wire specimens:

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\overline{x} = 76,831

s = 180

smallest x_i = 76,683

largest x_i = 77,048
```

Set up equations to determine the values of the two middle sample observations. *Do not solve.* 

### EXERCISE: sd for n = 3

Find the sample mean, variance, and standard deviation:

### X1 X2 X3 mean var sd

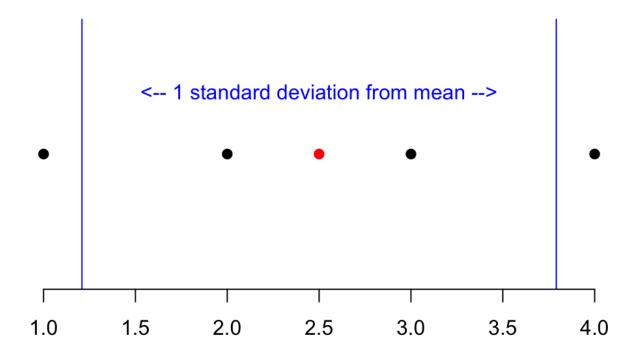
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1 2 3
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- 2 4 6
- 0 5 10
- 99 100 101
- -8 -5 -2

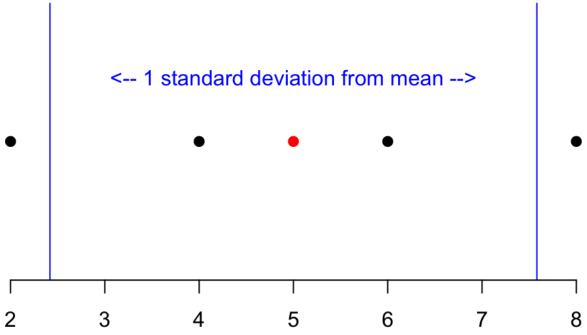
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X1 X2 X3 X4 set1 1 2 3 4
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X1 X2 X3 X4 mean var sd set1 1 2 3 4 2.5 1.67 1.29
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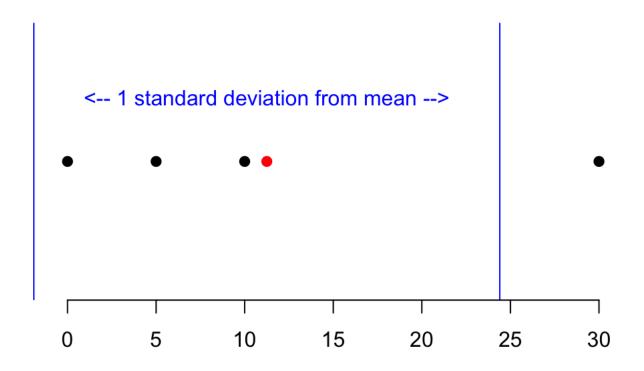
**X1 X2 X3 X4 mean var sd** set1 1 2 3 4 2.5 1.67 1.29



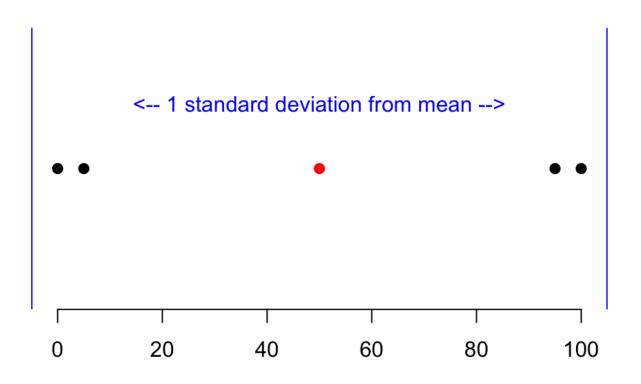




**X1 X2 X3 X4 mean var sd** set3 0 5 10 30 11.2 173 13.2



**X1 X2 X3 X4 mean var sd** set4 0 5 95 100 50 3017 54.9



# STAT UN1201 – Chapter 2

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### **Probability**

In 1654, writer Antoine Gombaud "Chevalier de Méré" wanted to know if the following bets are profitable:

- getting at least one six on 4 dice rolls
- getting at least one double-six on 24 dice rolls

### Vocabulary (2.1)

- experiment process whose outcome is subject to uncertainty (ex. rolling a die)
- **sample space** set of all possible outcomes of an experiment S = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6}

### Experiment with an infinite sample space

• ex. flip a coin until you get tails

#### sample space

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S = \{T, HT, HHT, HHHT, ...\}
```

#### event

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you get tails in less than 8 flips
A = {T, HT, HHHT, HHHHHT, HHHHHHT}
```

### Vocabulary (2.1)

- event collection of outcomes contained in the sample space
- **simple event** one outcome (ex. getting a 5) A = {5}
- **compound event** more than one outcome (ex. rolling > 3) B = {4, 5, 6}