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Act #1

The following set of data includes ten observations on October snow cover for Eurasia during the past ten years (in million km²).

6.5, 7.9, 9.2, 10.0, 10.7, 12.0, 12.5, 14.5, 14.9, 21.9

a. Find the average of the data (mean).

$$\frac{6.5 + 7.9 + 9.2 + 10.0 + 10.7 + 12.0 + 12.5 + 14.5 + 14.9 + 21.9}{10}$$

$$\text{Mean} = 12.01$$

$$\text{Sample variance} = 8.41077$$

$$\text{Sample deviation} = 2.90013$$

b. Find the sample variance and sample deviation.

$$\bar{x} = 12.01$$

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

$$75.6969$$

$$= \frac{(6.5 - 12.01)^2}{10}$$

$$(-5.51)^2 = 30.3601 \quad (-0.01)^2 = .0001 \quad n=10$$

$$(-4.11)^2 = 16.8921 \quad (.49)^2 = .2401$$

$$(-2.81)^2 = 7.8961 \quad (2.49)^2 = 6.2001$$

$$(-2.01)^2 = 4.0401 \quad (2.89)^2 = 8.3521$$

$$(-1.31)^2 = 1.7161 \quad \frac{75.6969}{9} = 8.41077$$

$$x_i - \bar{x} \quad 21.9 - 12.01$$

$$6.5 - 12.01 = -5.51 \quad 9.89$$

$$7.9 - 12.01 = -4.11$$

$$9.2 - 12.01 = -2.81$$

$$10.0 - 12.01 = -2.01$$

$$10.7 - 12.01 = -1.31$$

$$12.0 - 12.01 = -0.01$$

$$12.5 - 12.01 = .49$$

$$14.5 - 12.01 = 2.49$$

$$14.9 - 12.01 = 2.89$$