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Q. The frequency distribution of daily working expenditure of families in a locality is as follows : [JEE-Main Online 2012]

Expenditure in ₹ (x)	0 – 50	50 – 100	100 – 150	150 – 200	200 – 250
Number of families (f) :	24	33	37	b	25

If the mode of the distribution is '140' then the value of b is

(A) 34

(B) 31

(C) 26

✓ (D) 36

$$37 > b$$

$$\text{mode} = l + \frac{(f_m - f_{m-1}) \times h}{2f_m - f_{m-1} - f_{m+1}}$$

$$140 = \frac{(37 - 33) \times 50}{2 \times 37 - 33 - b} + 100$$

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Q. The median of 100 observations grouped in classes of equal width is 25 . If the median class interval is 20 – 30 and the number of observations less than 20 is 45 , then the frequency of median class is :

[JEE-Main Online 2012]

(A) 10

(B) 20

(C) 15

(D) 12

$$M = l + \frac{\left(\frac{N}{2} - F\right)}{f} \times h$$

$$25 = 20 + \frac{\left(\frac{100}{2} - 45\right)}{f} \times 10$$

$f = 10$

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Q. The variance of first 50 even natural numbers is

[JEE Main-2014]

(A) $\frac{437}{4}$

(B) $\frac{833}{4}$

(C) 833

(D) 437

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{\sum_{r=1}^{50} (2r)^2}{50} - \left(\frac{\sum_{r=1}^{50} (2r)}{50} \right)^2$$
$$= 833$$

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Q. In a set of $2n$ distinct observations, each of the observation below the median of all the observations is increased by 5 and each of the remaining observations is decreased by 3 . Then the mean of the new set of observations:

[JEE Main Online 2014]

- ✓ (A) Increases by 1.
(C) Decreases by 2.

- (B) Decreases by 1.
(D) Increases by 2.

T_1, T_2, \dots

$$\frac{T_n + T_{n+1}}{2}$$

T_{2n}

$$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i + 5) + \sum_{i=n+1}^{2n} (x_i - 3)}{2n} = \mu + 1$$

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Q. Let \bar{X} and M.D. be the mean and the mean deviation about \bar{X} of n observations $x_i, i = 1, 2, \dots, n$. If each of the observations is increased by 5, then the new mean and the mean deviation about the new mean, respectively, are:

[JEE-Main Online 2014]

(A) \bar{X} , M.D.

✓ (B) $\bar{X} + 5$, M.D.

(C) \bar{X} , M.D. + 5

(D) $\bar{X} + 5$, M.D. + 5

$$(MD)' = \frac{\sum |x_i + 5 - (\bar{X} + 5)|}{n} = \underline{\underline{MD}}$$

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Q. The mean of the data set comprising of 16 observations is 16 . If one of the observation valued 16 is deleted and three new observations valued 3,4 and 5 are added to the data, then the mean of the resultant data, is : **[JEE Main-2015]**

✓ ~~(A)~~ 14.0

(B) 16.8

(C) 16.0

(D) 15.8

$$\sum_{i=1}^{16} x_i = 16 \times 16$$

$$\mu' = \frac{256 - 16 + 3 + 4 + 5}{18}$$

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Q. A data consists of n observations :

x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n . **If $\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i + 1)^2 = 9n$ and $\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - 1)^2 = 5n$, then the standard deviation of this data is:**

[JEE Main-2019]

(A) $\sqrt{7}$

(B) 5

(C) 2

✓ (D) $\sqrt{5}$

$$\sqrt{\frac{\sum x_i^2}{n} - \left(\frac{\sum x_i}{n}\right)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{6 - 1} = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i + 1)^2 = 9n$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 + 2\sum_{i=1}^n x_i + \sum_{i=1}^n 1 = 9n$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 + 2\sum_{i=1}^n x_i + n = 9n$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 + 2\sum_{i=1}^n x_i = 8n$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 = 6n$$

$$4\sum_{i=1}^n x_i = 4n$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n x_i = n$$

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Q. If mean and standard deviation of 5 observations x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5 are 10 and 3, respectively, then the variance of 6 observations x_1, x_2, \dots, x_5 and $\underline{-50}$ is equal to

[JEE-Main Online 2019]

(A) 582.5

(B) 509.5

✓ (C) 507.5

(D) 586.5

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{i=1}^5 x_i &= 50 \\ \frac{\sum_{i=1}^5 x_i^2}{5} - (10)^2 &= 9 \\ \sum_{i=1}^5 x_i^2 &= 545 \\ \sigma^2 &= \frac{3045}{6} - 0\end{aligned}$$

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Q. The mean and variance of seven observations are 8 and 16 , respectively. If 5 of the observations are 2, 4, 10, 12, 14 , then the product of the remaining two observations is:

[JEE Main 2019]

(A) 40

(B) 45

✓ (C) 48

(D) 49

$$42 + x + y = 56 \Rightarrow x + y = 14$$

$$\frac{460 + x^2 + y^2}{7} - 64 = 16$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 100$$

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Q. The mean and variance of 20 observations are found to be 10 and 4 respectively. On rechecking, it was found that an observation 9 was incorrect and the correct observation was 11 . Then the correct variance is: **[JEE-Main 2020]**

(A) 4.01

✓ (B) 3.99

(C) 3.98

(D) 4.02

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Q. The mean and the standard deviation (s.d.) of 10 observations are 20 and 2 respectively. Each of these 10 observations is multiplied by p and then reduced by q , where $p \neq 0$ and $q \neq 0$. If the new mean and new s.d. become half of their original values, then q is equal to:

[JEE-Main 2020]**(A) -10****(B) -5****(C) 10****✓ (D) -20**

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Q. Let the observations x_i ($1 \leq i \leq 10$) satisfy the equations, $\sum_{i=1}^{10} (x_i - 5) = 10$ and $\sum_{i=1}^{10} (x_i - 5)^2 = 40$. If μ and λ are the mean and the variance of the observations, $x_1 - 3, x_2 - 3, \dots, x_{10} - 3$, then the ordered pair (μ, λ) is equal to:

[JEE-Main 2020]

(A) (6, 6)

☒ **(B) (3, 3)**

(C) (3, 6)

(D) (6, 3)

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Q. If the mean and variance of eight numbers 3, 7, 9, 12, 13, 20, x and y be 10 and 25 respectively, then xy is equal to **[JEE-Main 2020]**

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Q. If the variance of the first n natural numbers is 10 and the variance of the first m even natural numbers is 16, then $m + n$ is equal to.

[JEE-Main 2020]

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Q. Consider the given data with frequency distribution

[JEE-Advance 2023]

x_i	3	8	11	10	5	4
f_i	5	2	3	2	4	4

x_i	3	4	5	8	10	11
f_i	5	4	4	2	2	3
cf	5	9	13	15	17	20

$$\frac{N}{2} = 10$$

Match each entry in List-I to the correct entries in List-II

List-I		List-II	
(P)	The mean of the above data is $= 6$	(1)	2.5
(Q)	The median of the above data is $= 5$	(2)	5
(R)	The mean deviation about the mean of the above data is $\frac{15+4+15+8+8+4}{20} = 2.7$	(3)	6
(S)	The mean deviation about the median of the above data is $\frac{10+6+18+10+0+4}{20} = 2.4$	(4)	2.7
		(5)	2.4

The correct option is

✓ (A) (P) → (3), (Q) → (2), (R) → (4), (S) → (5)

(B) (P) → (3), (Q) → (2), (R) → (1), (S) → (5)

(C) (P) → (2), (Q) → (3), (R) → (4), (S) → (1)

(D) (P) → (3), (Q) → (3), (R) → (5), (S) → (5)

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Q. Median from the following distribution

Class	5 – 10	10 – 15	15 – 20	20 – 25	25 – 30	30 – 35	35 – 40	40 – 45
frequency	5	6	15	10	5	4	2	2

is cf 5 11 ✓ 26 36 41 45 47 49

(A) 19.0 (B) 19.2 (C) 19.3 ✓ (D) 19.5

$$\frac{N}{2} = \frac{49}{2} = 24.5$$

$$M = l + \left(\frac{\frac{N}{2} - F}{f} \right) \times h = 15 + \left(\frac{24.5 - 11}{15} \right) \times 5$$

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Q. Mean deviation about mean from the following data :

x_i	3	9	17	23	27
f_i	8	10	12	9	5

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(A) 7.15

✓ (B) 7.09

(C) 8.05

(D) None of these

$$\frac{\sum f_i x_i}{\sum f_i} = \frac{24 + 90 + 204 + 207 + 135}{44} = 15$$

$$M.D = \frac{\sum f_i |x_i - M|}{\sum f_i} = \frac{96 + 60 + 24 + 72 + 60}{44}$$

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Q. The median for the following frequency distribution :

x:	1	2	3	4	5 ✓	6	7	8	9
f:	8	10	11	16	20	25	15	9	6

is: cf 8 18 29 45 65 90 105 114 120

(A) 4

✓ **(B) 5**

(C) 6

(D) None of these

$$\frac{N}{2} = \frac{\sum f}{2} = 60$$
$$M = 5$$