

# L9 HW

- Due Feb 12 at 11:59pm
- Points 14
- Questions 14
- Time Limit None
- Allowed Attempts 3

## Instructions



You get two attempts on all homework quizzes.

In all quizzes and homeworks in this course, round your answers to **THREE DECIMAL** places unless otherwise indicated.

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## Attempt History

|        | Attempt                   | Time       | Score        |
|--------|---------------------------|------------|--------------|
| KEPT   | <a href="#">Attempt 2</a> | 3 minutes  | 14 out of 14 |
| LATEST | <a href="#">Attempt 2</a> | 3 minutes  | 14 out of 14 |
|        | <a href="#">Attempt 1</a> | 14 minutes | 10 out of 14 |

⚠️ Answers will be shown after your last attempt

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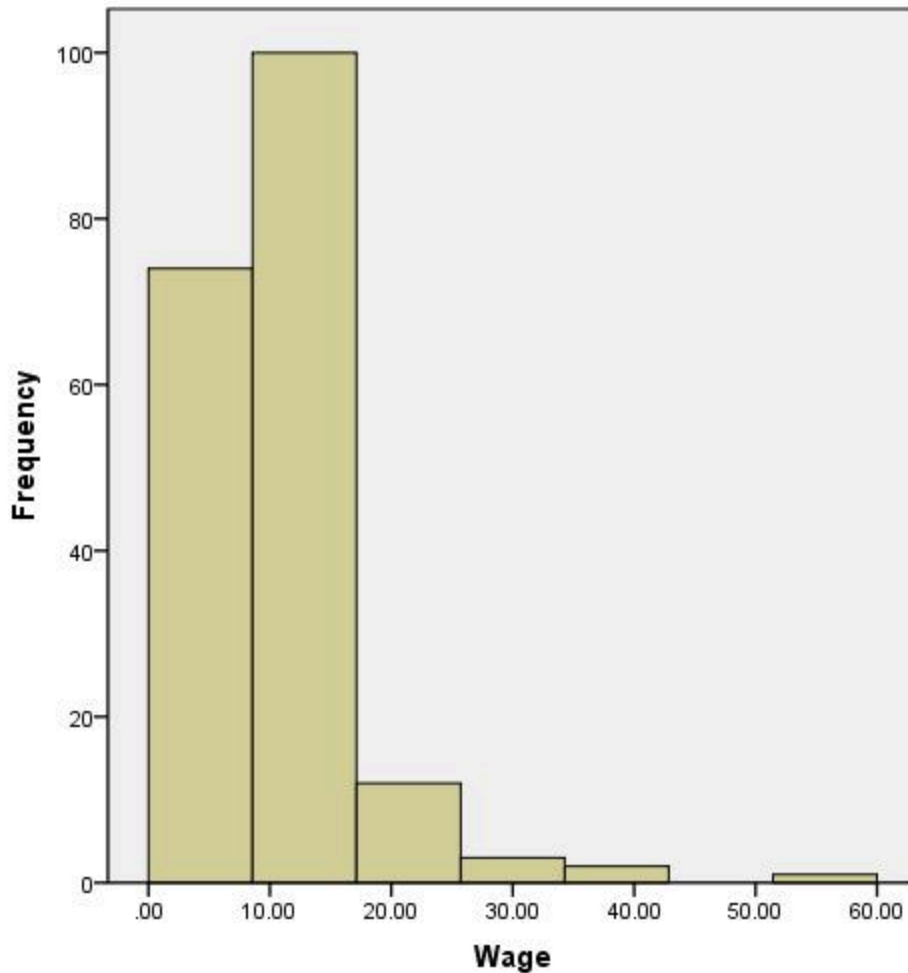
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This attempt took 3 minutes.



Question 1

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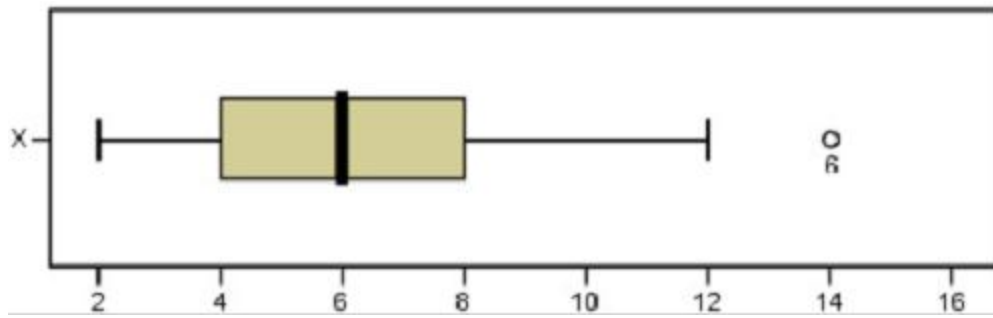
The teacher recorded the mean and median of the hourly wage for each student. Unfortunately, he forgot to label them. The numbers he wrote down were: \$11.25/hour and \$9.38/hour. Which would be the mean and which would be the median?

- ☐ The mean is \$9.38/hour. The median is \$11.25/hour.
- ☒ The mean is \$11.25/hour. The median is \$9.38/hour.
- ☐ This cannot be determined from the information given



**Use the following information to answer the next 3 questions.**

The number of hours students spent studying for an exam were recorded. The data are represented by the boxplot below.



## Question 2

1 / 1 pts

What is the 75th percentile of the recorded study times?

- ☐ 2
- ☐ 4
- ☒ 8
- ☐ 10
- ☐ 12
- ☐ This cannot be determined from the boxplot



## Question 3

1 / 1 pts

Approximately what percentage of the data lie between 4 and 8 hours?

- ☐ about 25%
- ☐ about 33%
- ☒ about 50%
- ☐ about 75%
- ☐ This cannot be determined from the boxplot.



## Question 4

1 / 1 pts

What is the standard deviation of the data recorded in the boxplot?

- ☐ 2
- ☐ 4
- ☐ 10
- ☒ This cannot be determined from the boxplot



## Question 5

1 / 1 pts

Suppose you take the Medical College Admission Test (MCAT) and your score is the 32nd percentile. How do you interpret this result?

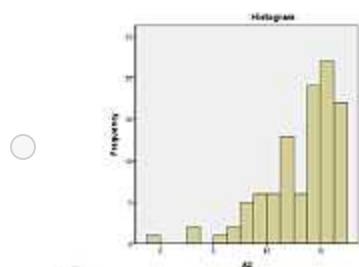
- ☐ You scored 32 points higher than the average person who took the exam.
- ☐ 32% of the people who took the exam scored higher than you did.
- ☐ You answered only 32% of the questions correctly.
- ☒ You scored as high as or higher than 32% of the people who took the exam.



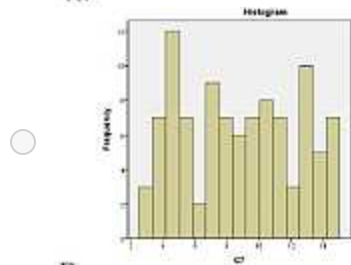
### Question 6

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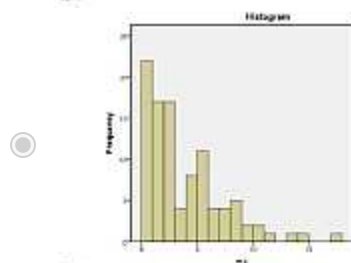
Which one of the following histograms was made from data that are definitely skewed right?



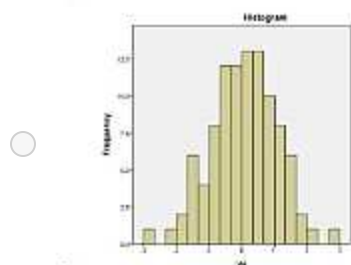
A.



B.



C.



D.



### Question 7

1 / 1 pts

Which of the following sets of numbers has the largest standard deviation? (No calculations are required.)

- ☐ {4,5,6,7}

- ☐ {12,13,14,15}
- ☐ {18,18,18,18}
- ☒ {1,2,9,10}
- ☐ ⋮

**Use the following information to answer the next 2 questions.**

For a statistics project, one group of students studied the ages of students on the BYU-Idaho campus. They collected data from a random sample of  $n = 100$  students. The sample mean was 21.2 and the sample standard deviation was 2.61. An excerpt of their data is given below.

| ID | Gender | Age        |
|----|--------|------------|
| 1  | Female | 21         |
| 2  | Male   | 18         |
| 3  | Male   | 12 (error) |
| 4  | Female | 20         |
| ⋮  | ⋮      | ⋮          |
| 99 | Male   | 25         |

The group notices an error in their data. The age of one of the males (ID=3) was entered incorrectly. He is actually 21 years old.



#### Question 8

1 / 1 pts

When the error is corrected, what will happen to the sample mean?

- ☒ The mean will increase.
- ☐ The mean will decrease.
- ☐ The mean will stay the same.
- ☐ It is not possible to determine this without the full data set.



#### Question 9

1 / 1 pts

When the error is corrected, what will happen to the sample median?

- ☐ The median will increase.
- ☐ The median will decrease.
- ☐ The median will stay the same.
- ☒ It is not possible to determine this without the full data set.



#### Question 10

1 / 1 pts

Test scores were recorded for students in a statistics class. The scores for the first test had a standard deviation of 3.8 points. The scores from the second test had a standard deviation of 4.8 points. Choose the correct statement below.

- ☐ The average test grade rose by 1 point
- ☐ The scores of the second test were closer together than the first
- ☐

The higher standard deviation of the second test indicates higher average scores on the second test than on the first

- ☒ None of the above are true



#### Question 11

1 / 1 pts

Open the data file: [OldFaithful-1.xlsx](#)

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The data contains a variable called Duration which is the time in minutes that Old Faithful's eruption lasts. Find the mean and standard deviation of the time eruptions last.

Enter the mean:



#### Question 12

1 / 1 pts

Enter the standard deviation:



#### Question 13

1 / 1 pts

Which of the following statements best describes the standard deviation.

- ☐ The standard deviation helps me decide the value that the data is centered around.
- ☐ The standard deviation helps me decide how far the data points are from each other.
- ☒ The standard deviation helps me decide how far the data points are from the mean.
- ☐ The higher the standard deviation the closer the data points are to the mean.



## Question 14

1 / 1 pts

Which of the following data sets is probably left skewed?

- ☐ A data set which has the following information: mode = 10, median = 13, mean = 15.
- ☐ A data set which has the following information: mode = 10, median = 10, mean = 10.
- ☐ A data set which has the following information: mode = 10, median = 11, mean = 11.
- ☒ A data set which has the following information: mode = 15, median = 11, mean = 7.

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