## Interquartile Range(IQR)

• What is the purpose of IQR?

To know the outlier range present in the dataset.

IQR = Q3-Q1

Lesser Outlier Less Than Outlier range= Q1- 1.5\*IQR Greater Outlier
Greater Than

Outlier range= Q3+ 1.5\*IQR

#### Reason for multiplying 1.5 with IQR to find the lesser outlier, and greater outlier

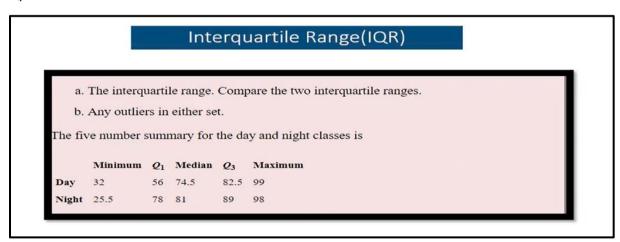
Multiplying the IQR by 1.5 helps us decide which numbers in a dataset are much smaller or much larger than most of the numbers. This factor of 1.5 was chosen because it usually does a good job of finding unusual numbers without incorrectly flagging normal numbers as unusual. It's a simple and effective way to spot outliers.

#### Important points to note:

The 1.5 multiplier is a rule of thumb, and it might not be suitable for all datasets, especially those with a significant number of outliers or non-normal distributions.

There are other, more robust methods for outlier detection, and the IQR rule is a simple starting point.

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How to identifies outliers:

• **Lower Bound:** Q1 - (1.5 \* IQR) - Any data point below this value is considered a lesser outlier.

• **Upper Bound:** Q3 + (1.5 \* IQR) - Any data point above this value is considered a greater outlier.

## To find IQR

### Solution-

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Lower Bound= Q1 - 
$$(1.5 * IQR) = Q1 + (1.5(Q3 - Q1))$$
  
=  $56 - (1.5 * (82.5 - 56))$   
=  $56 - 39.75$   
=  $16.25$  No out layer found because minimum number is above the outlier limit  
Upper Bound= Q3 +  $(1.5 * IQR) = Q1 + (1.5(Q3 - Q1))$   
=  $82.5 + (1.5 * (82.5 - 56))$   
=  $82.5 + 39.75$ 

= 122.25 No outlier found because maximum number is within the outlier limit

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