



ASSIGNMENT 3
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1. A SOAP FACTORY PRODUCES KOJIC SOAP BARS. THE AVERAGE WEIGHT OF THE BAR SOAP IS 50 G WITH STANDARD DEVIATION OF 3 G. THE SOAPS ARE PACKED IN BOXES CONTAINING 10 KOJIC BAR SOAPS. THE BOXES HAVE A MEAN WEIGHT OF 500 G WITH STANDARD DEVIATION OF 4 G.

A. FIND THE MEAN AND VARIANCE OF THE WEIGHT OF A FULL BOX.

Given:

$$\mu \text{ of soap} = 50g$$

$$\sigma \text{ of soap} = 3g$$

$$\mu \text{ of box} = 500g$$

$$\sigma \text{ of box} = 4g$$

$$n \text{ of soaps per box} = 10$$

$$\mu \text{ of full box} = ?$$

$$\sigma^2 \text{ of full box} = ?$$

mean weight of 10 soaps is

$$10 \times 50g = 500g$$

the box alone weighs 500g so,

$$500g + 500g = 1000g$$

mean weight of a full box is

$$1000g$$

since the standard dev of soap is 3g, its variance will be $9g^2$, but since we have 10 soaps in a box it will be

$$10 \times 9g = 90g^2$$

however, standard dev of the box only is 4g which will result to a variance of $16g^2$

Now, considering the box containing the soaps, it will be

$$\text{Variance}(10 \text{ soaps} + \text{box}) = 90g^2 + 16g^2$$

Variance of a full box is

$$106g^2$$

B. IF THE SOAP FACTORY WILL PRODUCE A SPECIAL BATCH OF KOJIC SOAP BAR WHICH IS 3 TIMES HEAVIER, FIND THE MEAN AND VARIANCE OF THE SPECIAL BATCH.

Since mean weight of soaps is 3x heavier or became 150g,

$$10 \times 150g = 1500g$$

the box alone still weighs 500g so,

$$1500g + 500g = 2000g$$

mean weight of a full box of special box is 2000g

since the standard dev of soap and box does not change, the variance will still be

$$= 106g^2$$

