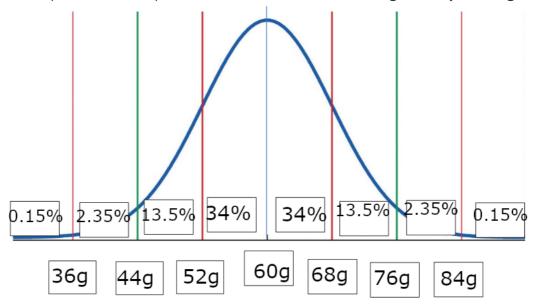
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## **Problem 1**

1. Draw a picture of the empirical rule for this data - label the weights and percentages.

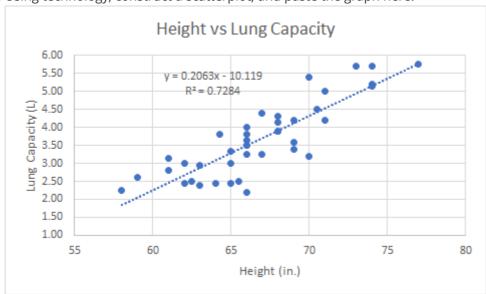


- 2. What percentage of carrots do you expect would weigh between 44g and 60g? 47.5%
- 3. What weight of carrot represents the 16th percentile? 68g
- 4. Interpret the 16th percentile in a complete sentence, and in the context of the problem. The 16th percentile says that 16% of carrots weigh more than 68g.
- 5. A recent harvest found numerous carrots to weigh 38g. Is this weight considered unusual for this sample? Explain.
  - This weight is not unusual, because it is within  $3\sigma$  of the median.
- 6. What percentage of carrots do you expect to weigh less than 68g? 84%

## **Problem 2**

1. Indicate which variable is the response variable. Lung capacity is the response variable.

2. Using technology, construct a scatterplot, and paste the graph here.



- 3. Using technology, report the correlation value of these data.  $0.853\,$
- 4. Interpret the correlation value in the context of the problem. Be sure to indicate the strength and direction of the linear relationship.
  The correlation value indicates a strong, positive correlation between the height of an individual, and their lung capacity.
- 5. Provide the equation of the regression line for these data or paste the output.

$$y = -10.119 + 0.2063x \tag{1}$$

(see question 2 image)

6. Interpret the slope of this line, in the context of the problem and in a complete sentence.

for every inch gained in height, an individual gains 0.2063L in lung capacity.

7. Using technology, report the coefficient of determination,  $\mathbb{R}^2$  for these data.

$$R^2 = 0.7284 \tag{2}$$

(see question 2)

- 8. Interpret the coefficient of determination in the context of the problem.

  The coefficient of determination shows that a linear correlation is a good match for the spread of the data.
- 9. Calculate the residual for an individual with a height of 61 inches. Show your work.

$$y = -10.119 + 0.2063x$$

$$y = -10.119 + 0.2063 * (61in)$$

$$y = 2.468L$$

$$e = 2.8L - 2.468L$$

$$e = 0.332$$
(3)

10. A residual plot was produced using these data. Based on the plot in the document, do you believe a linear model is a valid model for these data? Give some justification using the residual plot.

A linear model is a valid model for these data, because the residual plot has values on both sides of the zero line, with residual values generally within 1.

## **Problem 3**

- 1. Based on the comparative box plots, do smokers or non-smokers have the higher lung capacity, on average? Explain how you know.
  - Non-smokers, because their IQR is higher than the smokers.
- 2. Based on the comparative box plots, your colleague states that the spread of the lung capacity data appears approximately the same for both smokers and non-smokers. Do you agree? Explain.

The spread is not the same for smokers and nonsmokers, because the non-smokers spread is much more centered than the smokers.

## **Problem 4**

1. Using these data, calculate the following summary statistics and fill in the table to 3 decimal places.

Mean	Std. Dev.	Min.	Q1	Median	Q3	Max	IQR
3.73	1.044	2.25	2.963	3.625	4.375	5.75	1.413

2. Find the lower and upper outlier fences for the non-smoker lung capacity data. [Show your work or paste technology output.] Interpret the lower and upper outlier fences in a complete sentence.

$$Fence = Q_{1/3} \pm 1.5 * IQR$$

$$LF = Q1 - 1.5 * IQR; \ UF = Q3 + 1.5 * IQR$$

$$LF = 2.963 - 1.5 * 1.413; \ UF = 4.375 + 1.5 * 1.413$$

$$LF = 2.963 - 5.4375; \ UF = 4.375 + 5.4375$$

$$|LF = -2.475; \ UF = 9.813|$$

- 3. What would you report as a typical lung capacity for this sample of non-smokers? Explain why you chose this value.

  I would choose between 2.68 and 4.77, because that is where 68% of data lies.
- 4. Calculate and interpret the z-score for a patient with a lung capacity of 5 liters. [Show your work]

$$Z = \frac{x - \overline{x}}{\sigma}$$

$$Z = \frac{5L - 3.73L}{1.044}$$

$$Z = 1.218$$
(6)

This z-score indicates that the patient has a lung capacity 1.218 standard deviations higher than the average.

If your program of study requires it, would you be interested in taking Intro to Statistics II online, were it offered? [Note, it is not currently offered online.]

No.

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