## 1. Solution

Let x represent a datum of interest. Let i represent that datum's index. Let  $\ell$  represent that datum's percentile. Let n represent the sample size (number of measurements). In general,

$$\ell = \frac{i}{n}$$

(a) We are given x = 94.469. This means i = 3. We know n = 6. Determine the percentile  $\ell$ .

$$\ell = \frac{3}{6}$$

$$\ell = 0.5$$

So, the answer is 0.5, or 50%.

(b) We are given  $\ell = 1$ . We can use algebra to solve for *i*.

$$\ell = \frac{i}{n}$$

Multiply both sides by n.

$$n\cdot(\ell)=n\cdot\left(\frac{i}{n}\right)$$

Simplify both sides.

$$n\ell = i$$

To make me happy, switch the sides.

$$i = n\ell$$

Now, we can evaluate i.

$$i = (6)(1)$$

$$i = 6$$

Determine the x associated with i = 6.

$$x = 95.637$$

- (c) The mean is  $\frac{567.869}{6}$  = 94.6448333
- (d) If n is odd, then median is  $x_{\frac{n+1}{2}}$ , the value of x when  $i = \frac{n+1}{2}$ . Otherwise median is mean of  $x_{\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor}$  and  $x_{\lceil \frac{n+1}{2} \rceil}$ . So, median = 94.5355.

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(a) We are given x = 50.622. This means i = 5. We know n = 54. Determine the percentile  $\ell$ .

$$\ell = \frac{5}{54}$$

$$\ell = 0.0926$$

So, the answer is 0.0926, or 9.26%.

(b) We are given  $\ell = 0.944$ . We can use algebra to solve for *i*.

$$\ell = \frac{i}{n}$$

Multiply both sides by n.

$$n \cdot (\ell) = n \cdot \left(\frac{i}{n}\right)$$

Simplify both sides.

$$n\ell = i$$

To make me happy, switch the sides.

$$i = n\ell$$

Now, we can evaluate i.

$$i = (54)(0.944)$$

$$i = 51$$

Determine the x associated with i = 51.

$$x = 62.541$$

- (c) The mean is  $\frac{2996.602}{54} = 55.493$
- (d) If n is odd, then median is  $x_{\frac{n+1}{2}}$ , the value of x when  $i = \frac{n+1}{2}$ . Otherwise median is mean of  $x_{\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor}$  and  $x_{\lceil \frac{n+1}{2} \rceil}$ . So, median = 54.698.