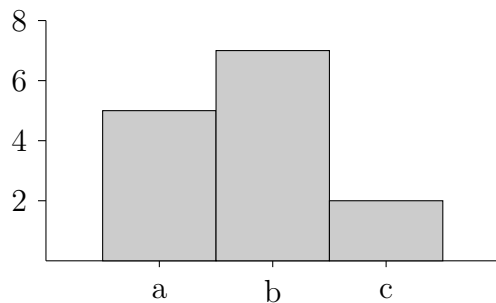


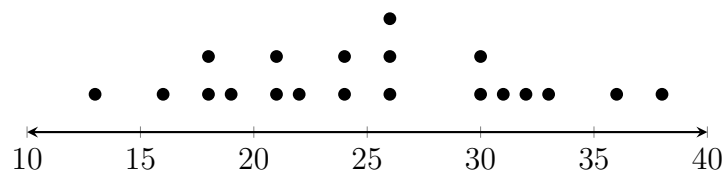
Instructions: This is just a test of the emergency exam broadcast system. If it were a real exam, this note would be followed by instructions on how to complete

Is this the real life? Is this just fantasy?

1. What is the value of $\frac{2}{3}$ as a decimal?
2. Here is a histogram:



3. This is a dot plot:



4. Find the class width of the set: 21, 31, 33, 55, 62, 74, 77, 84

5. (2 pts) Solve the inequality $\frac{1.0}{x+2} \geq \frac{3.0}{x+1}$:

$$1.0x + 2.0 \geq 3.0x + 3.0 \quad (-\infty, -2.5] \cup (-2, -1)$$

6. (2 pts) Solve the inequality $\frac{7.0}{x-1} \geq \frac{5.0}{x+4}$:

$$7.0x - 7.0 \geq 5.0x + 20.0 \quad [-16.5, -4) \cup (1, \infty)$$

7. (2 pts) Solve the polynomial equation: $x^2 + 2x - 15 = 0$.

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + 2x - 15 &= (x+5)(x-3) \\ \Rightarrow x &\in \{-5, 3\} \end{aligned}$$

8. (4 pts) Solve the polynomial equation: $4x^2 - 7x - 25 = 0$.

$$4x^2 - 7x = 25$$

$$x^2 - \frac{7x}{4} = \frac{25}{4}$$

$$x^2 - \frac{7x}{4} + \frac{49}{64} = \frac{449}{64}$$

$$\left(x - \frac{7}{8}\right)^2 = \frac{449}{64}$$

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$$x - \frac{7}{8} = \pm \frac{\sqrt{449}}{8}$$

$$x \in \left\{ \frac{7}{8} - \frac{\sqrt{449}}{8}, \frac{7}{8} + \frac{\sqrt{449}}{8} \right\}$$