



Session 03: Statistische Messgrößen

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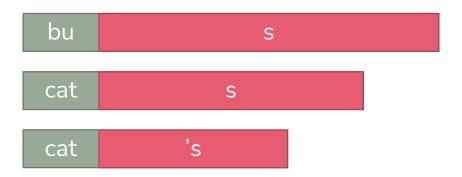
Statistische Messgrößen



Für die folgenden Beispiele werden wir Daten folgender Studie nutzen:

The duration of word-final /s/ differs across morphological categories in English: Evidence from pseudowords¹

Wort-finales /s/ zeigt je nach Bedeutung unterschiedliche Dauern



¹Schmitz, D., Baer-Henney, D., & Plag, I. (2021). The duration of word-final /s/ differs across morphological categories in English: Evidence from pseudowords. Phonetica, 78(5-6), 571-616. doi: 10.1515/phon-2021-2013

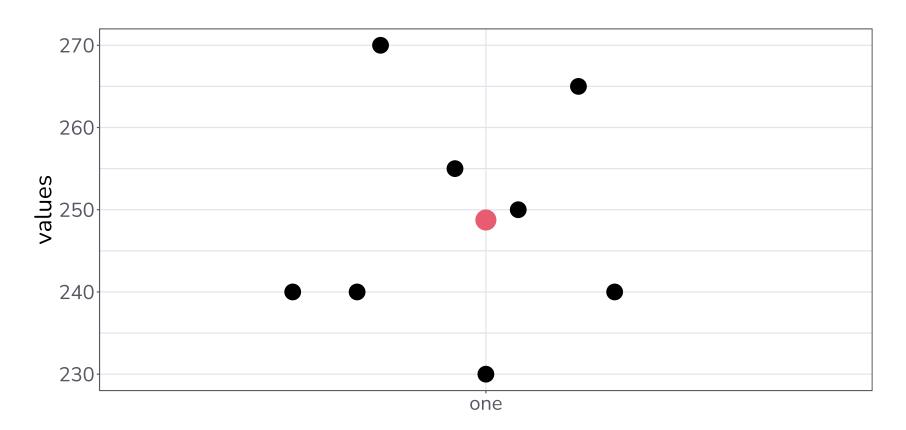
Statistische Messgrößen



- Measures of Central Tendency
 - Mean / Durchschnitt, Arithmetisches Mittel
 - MEDIAN
 - Mode / Modus
- Measures of Dispersion
 - Range / Spannweite
 - Interquartile Range / Interquartilspannweite
 - SAMPLE COVARIANCE / STICHPROBENVARIANZ
 - STANDARD DEVIATION / STANDARDABWEICHUNG
 - STANDARD ERROR / STANDARDFEHLER
- Shape of Distribution
 - SKEWNESS / SCHIEFE



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The sum of all values divided by the number of values





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$$A = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_1 = \frac{a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n}{n}$$

Example:

$$A = \frac{270 + 240 + 240 + 255 + 250 + 265 + 230 + 240}{8} = 248.75$$



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The sum of all values divided by the number of values

```
mean (data$sDur)
## [1] 0.1315305

mean (data$baseDur)
## [1] 0.3190967

mean (data$speakingRate)
## [1] 3.449667
```



• MEAN / DURCHSCHNITT, ARITHMETISCHES MITTEL
The sum of all values divided by the number of values

```
mean (data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "nm"])
## [1] 0.156608

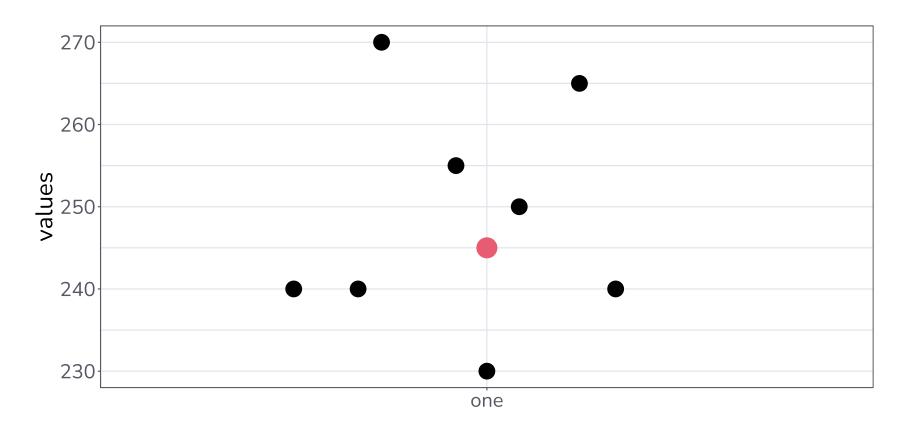
mean (data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "pl"])
## [1] 0.1317052

mean (data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "is"])
## [1] 0.1062782
```



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$$median(a) = \frac{a_{[\#x \div 2]} + a_{[\#x \div 2 + 0.5]}}{2}$$

Example:

1245

230, 240, 240, 240, 250, 255, 265, 270



230, 240, 240, 240, 250, 255, 265,



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```
median (data$sDur)
## [1] 0.118175

median (data$baseDur)
## [1] 0.306315

median (data$speakingRate)
## [1] 3.355
```



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```
median (data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "nm"])
## [1] 0.15425

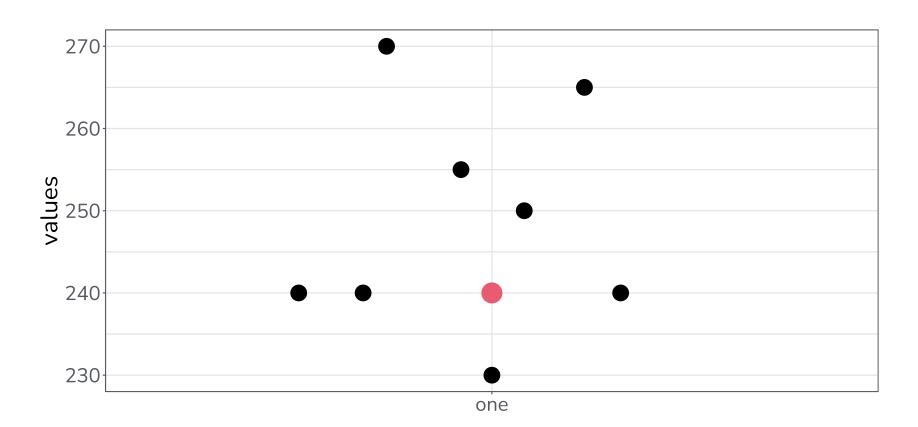
median (data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "pl"])
## [1] 0.121815

median (data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "is"])
## [1] 0.101505
```



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$$Modus = L + \frac{(f_m - f_1)h}{2f_m - f_1 - f_2}$$

Example:







270, 240, 240, 255, 250, 265, 230, 240



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```
mode_stat(data$sDur)
## [1] 0.1311

mode_stat(data$baseDur)
## [1] 0.25162

mode_stat(data$speakingRate)
## [1] 2.94
```



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```
mode_stat(data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "nm"])
## [1] 0.096

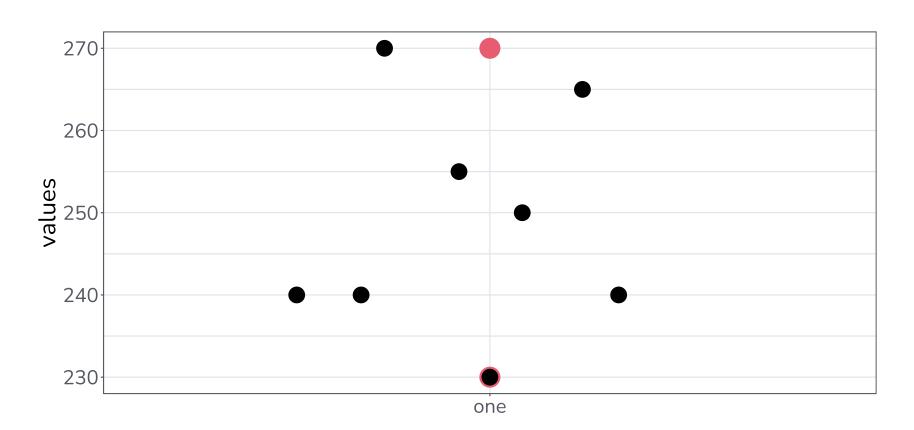
mode_stat(data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "pl"])
## [1] 0.04176

mode_stat(data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "is"])
## [1] 0.1605
```



RANGE

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$$R = x_{max} - x_{min}$$

Example:

230, 240, 240, 240, 250, 255, 265, **270**

$$R = 280 - 230 = 50$$



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The value between the smallest and the largest value in a set of values

```
range (data$sDur)
## [1] 0.04176 0.32750

range (data$baseDur)
## [1] 0.17995 0.68749

range (data$speakingRate)
## [1] 1.52 6.94
```



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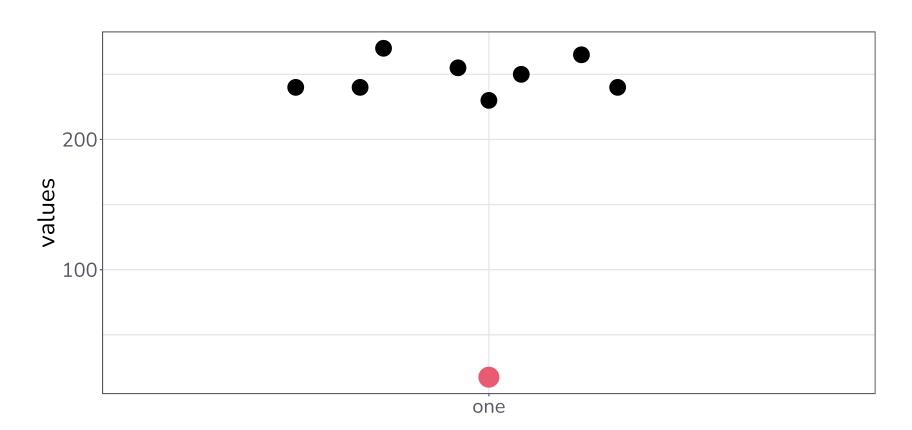
```
range (data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "nm"])
## [1] 0.05202 0.32750

range (data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "pl"])
## [1] 0.04176 0.25289

range (data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "is"])
## [1] 0.04435 0.22428
```



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$$x_{IQM} = \frac{2}{n} \sum_{i=\frac{n}{4}+1}^{\frac{3n}{4}} x_i$$

Example:

- 1. 270, 240, 240, 255, 250, 265, 230, 240 > sort
- 2. 230, 240, 240, 240, 250, 255, 265, 270 > quartiles
- 3. 230, 240, 240, 240, 250, 255, 265, 270 > remove 1st + 4th
- 4. R = 255 240 = 15 > range



Interquartile Range

The range of the interval between the lower and the upper quartile

```
IQR(data$sDur)
## [1] 0.06783

IQR(data$baseDur)
## [1] 0.1067575

IQR(data$speakingRate)
## [1] 1.125
```



Interquartile Range

The range of the interval between the lower and the upper quartile

```
IQR(data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "nm"])
## [1] 0.0910275

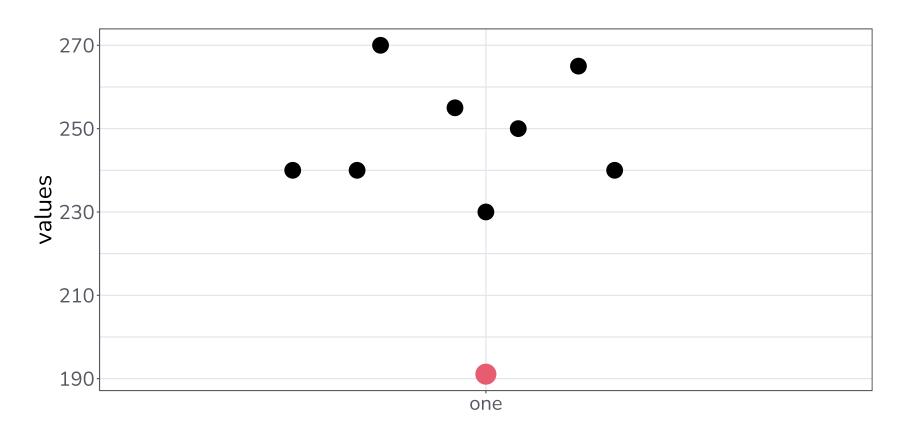
IQR(data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "pl"])
## [1] 0.072535

IQR(data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "is"])
## [1] 0.0363475
```



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$$s^{2} = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (x_{i} - \bar{x})^{2}$$

Example:

230, 240, 240, 240, 250, 255, 265, 270

$$s^{2} = \frac{1}{8-1} \sum_{i=1}^{8} (x_{i} - \bar{x})^{2} = \frac{1337.5}{7} \approx 191.07$$



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```
var (data$sDur)
## [1] 0.002990366

var (data$baseDur)
## [1] 0.007913081

var (data$speakingRate)
## [1] 0.8649482
```



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```
var (data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "nm"])
## [1] 0.003943441

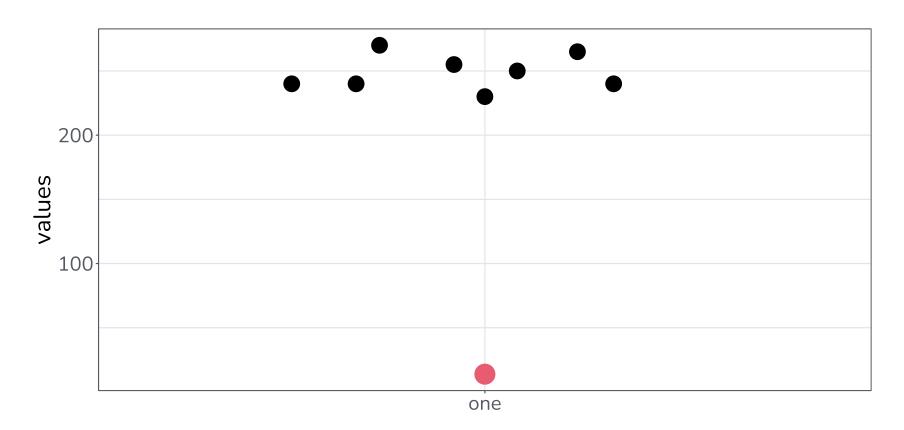
var (data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "pl"])
## [1] 0.002601761

var (data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "is"])
## [1] 0.001255514
```



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$$s \coloneqq + \sqrt{\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$$

Example:

square root of the variance!

230, 240 the variance!

230, 25, 265, 270

$$s = \sqrt{\frac{1337.5}{7}} \approx 13.82$$



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```
sd(data$sDur)
## [1] 0.05468424

sd(data$baseDur)
## [1] 0.0889555

sd(data$speakingRate)
## [1] 0.9300259
```



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```
sd(data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "nm"])
## [1] 0.06279683

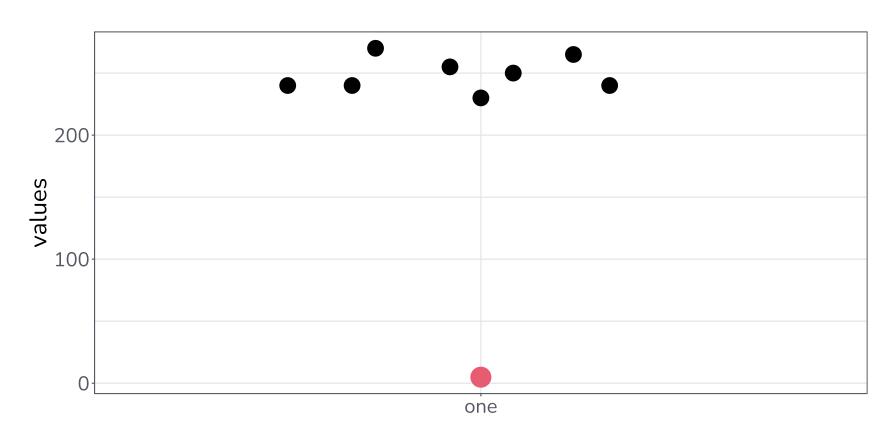
sd(data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "pl"])
## [1] 0.05100746

sd(data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "is"])
## [1] 0.03543323
```



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$$\sigma(\bar{X}) = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$$

σ being the standard deviation of

the population)

Example: \

standard deviation divided by square root of sample size

, z+v, z50, 255, 265, 270

$$\sigma(\bar{X}) = \frac{\frac{1}{8-1} \sum_{i=1}^{8} (x_i - \bar{x})^2}{\sqrt{8}} \approx 4.89$$



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A statistical term that measures the accuracy with which a sample represents a population

```
std.error(data$sDur)
## [1] 0.004464949

std.error(data$baseDur)
## [1] 0.007263186

std.error(data$speakingRate)
## [1] 0.0759363
```



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```
std.error(data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "nm"])
## [1] 0.008880812

std.error(data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "pl"])
## [1] 0.007213545

std.error(data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "is"])
## [1] 0.005011015
```



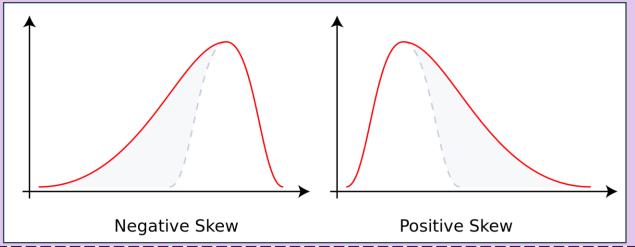
SKEWNESS

Asymmetry in a statistical distribution, in which the curve appears distorted or skewed either to the left or to the right

$$v = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} \left(\frac{x_i - \bar{x}}{s} \right)^3$$

$$\bar{x} = \text{mean} \qquad \text{s = deviation}$$

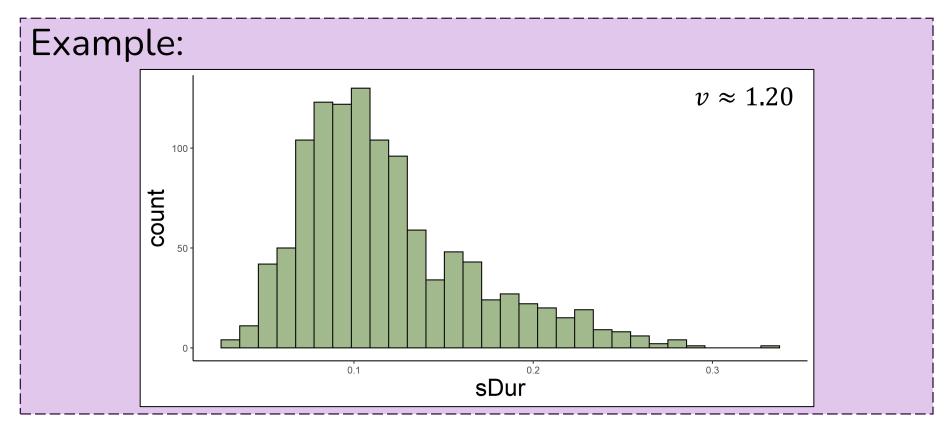






SKEWNESS

Most linguistic data is positively skewed, i.e. there is more data to the left of the distribution than to the right





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```
skewness(data$sDur)
## [1] 0.9483159

skewness(data$baseDur)
## [1] 1.360664

skewness(data$speakingRate)
## [1] 0.8348821
```



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```
skewness(data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "nm"])
## [1] 0.5884803

skewness(data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "pl"])
## [1] 0.6259893

skewness(data$sDur[data$typeOfS == "is"])
## [1] 0.8515867
```