





# **Mathematics**

Quarter 4- Module 5 Week 6-7 Analyzing and Interpreting Research Data Using Other Statistical Methods



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Statistical knowledge helps you use the proper methods to collect the data, employ the correct analyses, and effectively present the results. It is a crucial process behind how we make discoveries in science, make decisions based on data, and make predictions.

In this module, you will realize the importance of statistics to research in getting exact kind of description, having definite procedure, summarize results in a meaningful and convenient form, and draw general conclusions.

The most essential learning competency (MELC) for this module will be:

• Uses appropriate measures of position and other statistical methods in analyzing and interpreting research data. (M10SP-IVf-g-1)

After going through this module, you are expected to:

- 1. Recall different measures of central tendency and variability;
- 2. Identify other statistical methods needed in analyzing and interpreting research data; and
- 3. Use appropriate measures of position and other statistical methods in analyzing and interpreting research data.

Before you start doing the activities in this lesson, find out how much you already know about this module. Answer the pre-test on the next page in a separate sheet of paper.

#### PRE-ASSESSMENT

**Directions**: Read each mathematical statement carefully. Write the letter of your choice in a separate sheet of paper.

1.	Which	of the	following	is the	formula	for w	eighted	mean?
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Δ	$\sum X$
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B. 
$$\frac{N}{2}$$

B. 
$$\frac{N}{2}$$
 C.  $\frac{\sum fx}{\sum f}$ 

D. 
$$\frac{\sum CF}{fc}$$

2. Of the 250 subjects of the research study, 40 said very much adequate or 5; 60 said very adequate or 4; 50 said adequate or 3; 55 said fairly adequate or 2; and 45 said inadequate or 1. What is the weighted mean of the research study?

B. 2.98

C. 3.89

D. 3.98

3. Using the result in number 2, what will be the findings in the research study?

A. very much adequate

B. very adequate

C. adequate

D. fairly adequate

4. A national achievement test is administered annually to 3rd graders. The test has a mean score of 100 and a standard deviation of 15. If Jane's z-score is 1.20, what was her score on the test?

B. 106

C. 112

D. 118

5. What can you say about Jane's z-score of 1.20?

A. Her test score is equal to the mean.

B. Her test score is less than the mean.

C. Her test score is greater than the mean.

D. Her test score is 1.20 standard deviation greater than the mean.

#### For numbers 6-10 refer on the given data below.

The following data are the scores of 10 learners from different sections for the same 20-item Mathematics Test. You are interested in understanding how scores vary from different sections.

Learners	Leadership	Arguilla	Норе	Love
1	15	7	4	20
2	12	10	2	19
3	15	15	20	12
4	20	20	15	18
5	19	10	16	8

6. What is the mean of Leadership?

A. 12.2

B. 14.2

C. 16.2

D. 18.2

Which section has the largest coefficient of variation?

A. Arguilla

B. Hope

C. Leadership

D. Love

8. Which section has the smallest coefficient of variation?

A. Arguilla

B. Hope

C. Leadership

D. Love

- 9. Which section has the most variability of test scores?
  - A. Arguilla
- B. Hope
- C. Leadership
- D. Love
- 10. What does the most variability of test scores mean?
  - A. Scores spread further around the mean.
  - B. Scores compress further around the mean.
  - C. Scores spread evenly below and above the mean.
  - D. All of the above-mentioned interpretation.

#### For numbers 11-15 refer on the given data below.

Data Set	$\bar{x}$	s
A	50	2
В	50	1.5
С	50	4

- 11. What is the coefficient of variation of Data Set A?
  - A. 3%
- B. 4%
- C. 6%
- D. 8%
- 12. What is the coefficient of variation of Data Set B?
  - A. 3%
- B. 4%
- C. 6%
- D. 8%
- 13. What is the coefficient of variation of Data Set C?
  - A. 3%
- B. 4%
- C. 6%
- D. 8%

- 14. Which data set is the most variable?
  - A. Data Set A
- B. Data Set B
- C. Data Set C
- D. None of these
- 15. Which data set is the least variable?
  - A. Data Set A
- B. Data Set B
- C. Data Set C
- D. None of these

Well done. Now let's proceed to our module in Analyzing and Interpreting Research Data Using Other Statistical Methods.



This section will test how well you can still remember concepts on the different statistical measures learned from your lower Mathematics. If you have forgotten the terms, be able to recall them by referring to your notes, books and other references. These concepts are needed in understanding this module

#### Activity 1: Let's Test your vocabulary.

Arrange the jumbled letters to form a word related to statistical measures then complete the table by writing the needed information.

	TERM	DEFINITION	FORMULA
1.NAEM			
2.ANDEMI			
3.DEOM			
4.RADDANTS			
NOVIADETI			
5.CERIANVA			

#### **Activity 2: Remember Me!**

Given the sample data: 46 69 32 60 52 41. Calculate the required measures from the table below.

Description	Value
Mean	
Median	
Mode	
Variance	
Standard Deviation	

Now that you are done recalling the previous lessons on the different measures in statistics, you are now ready for the next lesson.

## Module 6

### Analyzing and Interpreting Research Data using Other Statistical Methods

In this module, you will learn other statistical methods needed in analyzing and interpreting research data.



#### WEIGHTED MEAN/WEIGHTED AVERAGE

**Weighted Mean** is an average computed by giving different weights to some of the individual values. If all the weights are equal, then the weighted mean is the same as the arithmetic mean. It represents the average of a given data.

#### Example 1:

Suppose that a marketing firm conducts a survey of 1,000 households to determine the average number of TVs each household owns. The data show a large number of households with two or three TVs and a smaller number with one or four. Every household in the sample has at least one TV and no household has more than four. Find the mean number of TVs per household.

Number of TVs per Household	Number of Households
1	73
2	378
3	459
4	90

#### Solution:

Number of TVs per	Number of Households	
Household	(f)	fx
(x)		
1	73	(1)(73) = 73
2	378	(2)(378) = 756
3	459	(3)(459) = 1377
4	90	(4)(90) = 360
	$\sum f = 1000$	$\sum fx = 2566$

Weighted Mean = 
$$\frac{\sum fx}{\sum f}$$
  
=  $\frac{2566}{1000}$ 

Weighted Mean = 2.566 ≈ 3

The mean number of TVs per household in this sample is  $2.566 \approx 3$ .

#### Example 2.

Of the 100 subjects of the research study, 20 said very much adequate or 5; 35 said very adequate or 4; 18 said adequate or 3; 15 said fairly adequate or 2; and 12 said inadequate or 1. What is the weighted mean of the research study?

#### Solution:

Rating	Number of subjects	
(x)	in the study (f)	fx
5	20	(5)(20) = 100
4	35	(4)(35) = 140
3	18	(3)(18) = 54
2	15	(2)(15) = 30
1	12	(1)(12) = 12
	$\sum f = 100$	$\sum fx = 336$

Weighted Mean = 
$$\frac{\sum fx}{\sum f}$$
  
=  $\frac{336}{100}$ 

Weighted Mean = 3.36 ≈ 3

Interpretation: The findings of the research study is Adequate.

#### STANDARD DEVIATION (s)

The **Standard Deviation** (s) is the measure of dispersion/variability that involves all scores in the distribution rather than through extreme scores. It is also the most widely used measure of dispersion/variability.

#### Formula:

Ungrouped Data

$$s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum (X - \bar{X})^2}{n - 1}}$$

where: s standard deviation

symbol for "summation"

individual scores mean of all scores

total number of scores

#### Grouped Data

$$s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum f(X - \bar{X})^2}{n - 1}}$$

where: s standard deviation

symbol for "summation"

midpoint of the class interval

mean of all scores

frequency of the class interval

total number of frequency

Example 1. Find the standard deviation (s) given the scores 16, 12, 16, 10, 18, 15, 12, 8, 15 and 8.

#### Solution:

Step 1: Compute for the Mean 
$$(\overline{X})$$

$$\overline{X} = \frac{sum\ of\ all\ scores}{total\ number\ of\ scores} = \frac{16+12+16+10+18+15+12+8+15+8}{10} = \frac{130}{10} = 13$$
Step 2: Compute for X -  $\overline{X}$  and  $(X - \overline{X})^2$ ,  $\sum (X - \overline{X})^2$  and fill in the table

Scores (X)	$X - \overline{X}$	$(X - \bar{X})^2$
16	16-13 = 3	32 = 9
12	12-13 = -1	-12 = 1
16	16-13 =3	9
10	10-13 = -3	9
18	18-13 = 5	25
15	15-13 =2	4
12	12-13 -1	1
8	8 - 13 = -5	25
15	15-13 = 2	4
8	8-13 = -5	25
		$\sum (X - \bar{X})^2 = 112$

Step 3: Apply the formula for standard deviation of Ungrouped Data

$$S = \sqrt{\frac{\sum (X - \bar{X})^2}{n - 1}}$$
$$= \sqrt{\frac{112}{10 - 1}}$$
$$= \sqrt{\frac{112}{9}}$$

$$s = 3.53$$

Example 2. Find the standard deviation (s) given the frequency distribution table below.

Scores	Frequency
18-20	3
15-17	10
12-14	15
9-11	6
6-8	8
3-5	3
0-2	5
	n = 50

Step 1: Compute for the mean

Note: To compute for the midpoint(X) get the middle score of each interval

Scores	Frequency (F)	Midpoint (X)	FX
18-20	3	19	57
15-17	10	16	160
12-14	15	13	195
9-11	6	10	60
6-8	8	7	56
3-5	3	4	12
0-2	5	1	5
	n = 50		$\Sigma$ FX = 545

$$\bar{X} = \frac{\sum FX}{n} = \frac{545}{50} = 10.9$$

Scores	Frequency (F)	Midpoint (X)	X - X	$(X - \bar{X})^2$	$f(X - \bar{X})^2$
18-20	3	19	8.1	65.61	196.83
15-17	10	16	5.1	26.01	260.1
12-14	15	13	2.1	4.41	66.15
9-11	6	10	-0.9	0.81	4.86
6-8	8	7	-3.9	15.21	121.68
3-5	3	4	-6.9	47.61	142.83
0-2	5	1	-9.9	98.01	490.05
	n = 50				$\sum f(X - \bar{X})^2 = 1282.5$

Step 2: Compute for X -  $\bar{X}$ ,  $(X - \bar{X})$ ,  $f(X - \bar{X})^2$ ,  $\sum f(X - \bar{X})^2$  and fill in the table.

Step 3: Apply the formula for standard deviation (s) of Grouped Data

$$S = \sqrt{\frac{\sum f(X - \bar{X})}{n - 1}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1282.5}{50 - 1}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1282.5}{49}}$$

$$= \sqrt{26.17}$$

$$S = 5.12$$

#### **COEFFICIENT OF VARIATION (CV)**

The **Coefficient of Variation (CV)** is a measure of relative variability. It is the <u>ratio</u> of the <u>standard deviation</u> to the <u>mean (average)</u>. The CV is particularly useful when you want to compare results from two different surveys or tests that have different measures or values.

#### Formula:

$$CV = \frac{standard\ deviation(s)}{Mean(\bar{X})} X \ 100$$

#### Example

A researcher is comparing two multiple-choice tests with different conditions. In the first test, a typical multiple-choice test is administered. In the second test, alternative choices (i.e. incorrect answers) are randomly assigned to test takers. The results from the two tests are:

	Regular Test	Randomized Answers
Mean	59.9	44.8
SD	10.2	12.7

Trying to compare the two test results is challenging. Comparing standard deviations doesn't really work, because the means are also different. Calculation using CV helps to make sense of the data:

	Regular Test	Randomized Answers
Mean	59.9	44.8
SD	10.2	12.7
CV	17.03	28.35

Looking at the standard deviations of 10.2 and 12.7, you might think that the tests have similar results. However, when you adjust for the difference in the means, the results have more significance:

Regular test: CV = 17.03

Randomized answers: CV = 28.35

This means that Randomized answers are <u>more variable/more spread</u> to the mean than the Regular Test.

#### Remember:

- The higher the Coefficient of Variation the more variable it is, which means that the data is more spread to the mean.
- The Coefficient of Variation should only be used to compare positive data on a <u>ratio scale</u>. The CV has little or no meaning for measurements on an <u>interval scale</u>.

#### STANDARD SCORE (z-score)

A **standard score** (aka, a **z-score**) indicates how many standard deviations an element is from the mean. A standard score can be calculated from the following formula.

$$z = \frac{(X - \mu)}{\sigma}$$

where:

z - z-score

X - value of the element

 $\mu$  - mean of the population

σ - standard deviation.

Here is how to interpret z-scores.

• A z-score less than 0 represents an element less than the mean.

- A z-score greater than 0 represents an element greater than the mean.
- A z-score equal to 0 represents an element equal to the mean.
- A z-score equal to 1 represents an element that is 1 standard deviation greater than the mean; a z-score equal to 2, 2 standard deviations greater than the mean; etc.
- A z-score equal to -1 represents an element that is 1 standard deviation less than the mean; a z-score equal to -2, 2 standard deviations less than the mean; etc.

#### Example 1.

A national achievement test is administered annually to 3rd graders. The test has a mean score of 150 and a standard deviation of 12. If Mike's score in the test is 172, what was his z- score?

#### Solution

$$z = \frac{(X - \mu)}{\sigma}$$

$$= \frac{172 - 150}{12}$$

$$= \frac{22}{12}$$

$$z = 1.83$$

Mike's z-score is 1.83 which means that his score is 1.83 standard deviation greater than the mean.

#### Example 2.

Suppose Rica took the same test in example 1 and her z-score is 1.32. What would be her test score?

#### Solution

$$z = \frac{(X - \mu)}{\sigma}$$

$$1.25 = \frac{X - 150}{12}$$

$$(1.25)(12) = X - 150$$

$$15 = X - 150$$

$$150 + 15 = X$$

$$165 = X$$

Rica's score in the test is 165.



#### Activity 3: What is my Weight to you?

Compute for the weighted mean of the sample Math Attitudes Survey and give appropriate interpretation of the result.

	MATH ATTITUDES SURVEY							
1.	. Math is one of my favorite subjects.							
	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree			
	1	2	3	(4)	5			
2.	I feel confident th	nat I can lea	ırn new Mat	h topics.				
	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree			
	1	2	3	4)	5			
3.	I enjoy Math class	в.		•				
	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree			
	1	2	3	<b>(</b> 4)	5			
4.	In the past years	I have enjo	yed Math cla	ass.				
	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strong <u>ly</u> Agree			
	1	2	3	4	(5)			
5.	Math is an import	tant subject	to learn.		•			
	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strong <u>l</u> y Agree			
	1	2	3	4	<b>(5)</b>			
6.	I receive good gra	des in Matl	ı class.		•			
	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strong <u>ly</u> Agree			
	1	$\bar{2}$	3	4	<b>(5)</b>			
					•			

Weighted Mean:	Description:
Interpretation:	



#### Activity 4: What's My Real Score?

Complete the table below and answer the questions that follow.

The Grade 10 Learners as part of their Performance Assessment are task to conduct a survey of 50 Learners Towards their 20-Item Summative Test. The result of the survey is as follows:

Learner No.	Leadership	Arguilla	Норе	Love
1	20	15	6	13
2	18	12	8	18
3	12	11	12	12
4	16	20	5	11
5	8	16	10	10

Section	Mean $(\overline{X})$	Standard Deviation (s)	Coefficient of Variation (%)
Leadership			
Arguilla			
Норе			
Love			

#### Questions:

- 1. Which section is the most variable according to coefficient of variation?
- 2. Which section is the least variable according to coefficient of variation?
- 3. What is the z-score of a learner with a score of 15 in Arguilla?
- 4. Interpret the result in #3.



#### POST ASSESSMENT

**Directions**: Read each question carefully. Write the letter of your choice in a separate sheet of paper.

1.	the z-s	score for a stude:	nt who earned a 75		
	A.	0.83	B. 0.38	C0.38	D0.83
	said vo 7 said	ery adequate or 4	1; 12 said adequate	0 said very much ad or 3; 13 said fairly a ed mean of the resea C. 2.20	dequate or 2; and
3.	A.	the result in nur very much adec adequate	•	the findings in the r B.very adequate D. fairly adequate	research study?
	has a r -1.25,	nean score of 10 what was her sco	0 and a standard de ore on the test?	l annually to 3rd graviation of 12. If Rhea	a's z-score is
	A.	80	B. 85	C. 90	D. 100
5.	What c	an you say abou	t Rhea's z-score of -	1.25 in question nur	nber 4?

- A. Her test score is equal to the mean.
- B. Her test score is less than the mean.
- C. Her test score is -1.25 standard deviation less than the mean.
- D. Her test score is -1.25 standard deviation greater than the mean.

#### For numbers 6-10 refer on the given data below.

The following data are the scores of 5 learners from different sections for the same 20-item Mathematics Test. You are interested in understanding how scores vary from different sections.

Learners	Leadership	Arguilla	Норе	Love
1	9	15	8	6
2	11	12	10	11
3	14	20	4	15
4	20	13	12	20
5	16	4	20	19

6.	What is	the	mean	of	Arguilla?
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- A. 12.2
- B. 12.4
- C. 12.6
- D. 12.8

- 7. What is the mean of Hope?
  - A. 10.0
- B. 10.4
- C. 10.8
- D. 11.2

- 8. What is the standard deviation of Love?
  - A. 2.48
- B. 5.19
- C. 40.56
- D. 49.14
- 9. Which section has the most variability of test scores?
  - A. Arguilla
- B. Hope
- C. Leadership
- D. Love

- 10. What is the z-score equivalent of 10 in Hope?
  - A. -0.15
- B. -0.30
- C. -0.45
- D. -0.60

#### For numbers 11-15 refer on the given data below.

Data Set	$\bar{x}$	s
A	18.2	2
В	14.12	1.5
С	15.3	4

1 1	l Wha	at is the	coefficient	of variation	of Data 9	Set A2
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- A. 8.99
- B. 9.99
- C. 10.99
- D. 11.99
- 12. What is the coefficient of variation of Data Set B?
  - A. 8.62
- B. 9.62
- C. 10.62
- D. 11.62

13. What is the coefficient of variation of Data Set C?

A. 26.14

B. 20.14

C. 14.14

D. 8.14

14. Which data set is the most variable?

A. Data Set A

B. Data Set B

C. Data Set C

D. None of these

15. Which data set is the least variable?

A. Data Set A

B. Data Set B

C. Data Set C

D. None of these

Congratulations! Job well done.

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