

# Stat 222 - Exercise 1

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**Exercise.** Refer to the height-weight data set in the Lesson 2 Folder in the Class Drive. Assume the data is taken from certain population through random sampling. Let  $X, Y$  be the height and weight, respectively, of a randomly selected person in the population. Find the observed value of the following statistics in Excel or R.

1.  $\bar{X}$
2.  $S_Y^2$  (sample variance of  $Y$ )
3.  $Y_{(2)}$
4.  $M'_{X,2}$  (second sample raw moment of  $X$ )

Using the data set, we get the following summary statistics.

```
#Load the 'readxl' library to be able to parse Excel files. Then we assign the variable name 'weight_height'  
library(readxl)  
weight_height <- read_excel("Downloads/weight-height.xlsx")  
summary(weight_height)
```

```
##      Gender      Height      Weight  
## Length:10000   Min.    :54.26   Min.    : 64.7  
## Class :character 1st Qu.:63.51   1st Qu.:135.8  
## Mode  :character Median :66.32   Median :161.2  
##              Mean  :66.37   Mean   :161.4  
##              3rd Qu.:69.17   3rd Qu.:187.2  
##              Max.   :79.00   Max.    :270.0
```

To get the mean of the height column, we use the following code:

```
# Get the mean of the Height column by column name  
xbar <- mean(weight_height$Height)
```

This means that the mean height of the data set is...

```
## [1] 66.36756
```

For the sample variance of  $Y$ , we use the following code:

```
# Get the variance of the Weight column by column name  
var_y <- var(weight_height$Weight)
```

Using this, the variance of the weight column is...

Statistics	Answer
$\overline{X}$	66.368
$S^2_Y$	1030.952
$Y_{(2)}$	68.983
$M_{X,2}$	4419.455

```
## [1] 1030.952
```

In order to obtain the second lowest value in the Weight column, we will use the following code:

```
# Sort the Weight column from lowest to highest, and we assign it to the 'weight_order' variable.
weight_order <- sort(weight_height$Weight)
```

From this, it's easy to obtain the second smallest value, which is...

```
## [1] 68.98253
```

Lastly, to get the second sample raw moment of height, we can use the moments package.

```
# Load the moments package then get the second raw moment by specifying the order.
library(moments)
second_raw_moment_height <- moment(weight_height$Height, order=2)
```

Which will then give us the second sample raw moment for the height column...

```
## [1] 4419.455
```

In summary, the following are the observed values for the statistics: