

Statistics MCQ Question Bank

First Paper

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1 Basic Concept of Statistics

1. **Who is known as the Father of modern statistics?**
(a) P.C. Mahalanobis (b) Kazi Motaher Hossain (c) Karl Pearson (d) R.A. Fisher
2. **Which is not a function of statistics?**
(a) Data collection (b) Data organization (c) Analysis (d) Database creation
3. **Which one is an example of an infinite population?**
(a) Students of Dhaka University (b) Cadets of SCC
(c) Minor planets in the solar system (d) Red blood cells in a person's body
4. **A researcher collected data on age and income of the people in a city. The variables are –**
i. bi-variate
ii. quantitative
iii. qualitative
Which one is correct?
(a) i and ii (b) i and iii (c) ii and iii (d) i, ii and iii
5. **Which of the following is correct?**
(a) $\sum_{i=1}^{20} cx_i = nc \sum_{i=1}^{20} x_i$ (b) $\sum_{i=1}^{20} cx_i = nc \sum_{i=1}^{20} x_i$ (c) $\sum_{i=1}^{20} cx_i = c \sum_{i=1}^{20} x_i$ (d) $\sum_{i=1}^{20} cx_i = c^2 \sum_{i=1}^{20} x_i$
6. **Which cannot be performed using Univariate data?**
(a) Central tendency (b) Dispersion (c) Skewness (d) Regression
7. **Cities ranked according to habitability level show – measurement scale**
(a) Nominal (b) Ratio (c) Interval (d) Ordinal
8. **Which is not an example of shift of scale?**
(a) $y_i = \frac{x_i}{a}$ (b) $y_i = cx_i$ (c) $y_i = x_i - 2$ (d) $y_i = \frac{cx_i}{d}$
9. **If $\sum_{i=1}^{20} x_i^2 = 20$ and $\sum_{i=1}^{20} x_i = 30$, what is the value of $\sum_{i=1}^{20} x_i^2 + \sum_{i=1}^{20} x_i + 100$?**
(a) 130 (b) 200 (c) 150 (d) 2130
10. **A subset of a population is called–**
(a) Constant (b) Variable (c) Sample (d) Scale
11. **What is $\sum_{i=1}^n bx_i$ equal to?**
(a) $b \sum_{i=1}^n nx_i$ (b) $b \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$ (c) $\sum_{i=1}^n nx_i$ (d) $bn \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$
12. **How many measurement scales are there?**
(a) 2 (b) 3 (c) 4 (d) 5
13. **Which of the following is a continuous variable?**
(a) Number of goals (b) Natural number
(c) Summation of Fibonacci series (d) Success rate

14. **In which scale of measurement, zero is regarded as true zero?**
 (a) Nominal scale (b) Interval scale (c) Ratio scale (d) Ordinal scale
15. **Which measurement scale does height belong to?**
 (a) Nominal (b) Ordinal (c) Interval (d) Ratio
16. **Which is a discrete variable?**
 (a) Weight (b) Amount of rainfall (c) Distance (d) Grade in a subject
17. **Which is a discrete variable?**
 (a) Length of a rope (b) Weight of books in a library
 (c) Distance (d) No. of particles in atoms
18. **If $x_1 = 2, x_2 = -3, x_3 = 7$, and $x_4 = 12$, $\sum_{i=1}^4 x_i^2 = ?$**
 (a) 26 (b) 106 (c) 206 (d) 216
19. **If $x_1 = 5, x_2 = -4, x_3 = 9$, and $x_4 = 0$, what is $\sum_{i=1}^4 x_i^2$?**
 (a) 82 (b) 97 (c) 107 (d) 122
20. **If $x_1 = 3, x_2 = 2, x_3 = -6$, and $x_4 = 4$, what is $\sum_{i=1}^4 x_i^2$?**
 (a) 45 (b) 65 (c) 85 (d) 89
21. **If $x_1 = 4, x_2 = 1, x_3 = -2$, and $x_4 = 3$, find $\sum_{i=1}^4 (x_i^2 + 3)$?**
 (a) 40 (b) 50 (c) 42 (d) 56
22. **If $x_1 = 4, x_2 = -2, x_3 = 1$, and $x_4 = 5$, calculate $\sum_{i=1}^4 (2x_i^2 - x_i)$?**
 (a) 38 (b) 42 (c) 46 (d) 84
23. **If $x_1 = 3, x_2 = 1, x_3 = 0$, and $x_4 = 2$, find $\sum_{i=1}^4 x_i^2 - \sum_{i=1}^4 x_i$?**
 (a) 7 (b) 9 (c) 8 (d) 13
24. **If $x_1 = 5, x_2 = 4, x_3 = -3$, and $x_4 = 2$, find $\sum_{i=1}^4 (x_i^2 + x_i)$?**
 (a) 58 (b) 62 (c) 66 (d) 72
25. **If $x_1 = 2, x_2 = 3, x_3 = -1$, and $x_4 = 0$, calculate $\sum_{i=1}^4 (x_i^2 - 2)$?**
 (a) 0 (b) 6 (c) 8 (d) 10

26. If $x_1 = 2, x_2 = 3, x_3 = 4, x_4 = 6$, and $x_5 = 5$, $\sum_{i=1}^4 x_i^2 = ?$
- (a) 80 (b) 87 (c) 90 (d) 105
27. If $f_i = 3, 5, 7$ and $x_i = 2, 4, 7$; ; what is the value of $\sum_{i=1}^3 f_i x_i^2$?
- (a) 450 (b) 350 (c) 345 (d) 435
28. If $x_1 = 3, x_2 = -1, x_3 = 2$, and $x_4 = 0$, find $\sum_{i=1}^4 (x_i^3 + 2x_i)$?
- (a) 12 (b) 18 (c) 24 (d) 28
29. If $x_1 = 4, x_2 = 1, x_3 = -2$, and $x_4 = 3$, calculate $\sum_{i=1}^4 (x_i^2 + 4x_i - 1)$?
- (a) 16 (b) 24 (c) 34 (d) 50
30. If $x_1 = 1, x_2 = 2, x_3 = -3$, and $x_4 = 4$, find $\sum_{i=1}^4 (3x_i^3 - x_i^2)$?
- (a) 108 (b) 114 (c) -8 (d) 201
31. If $x_1 = 5, x_2 = 0, x_3 = -1$, and $x_4 = 2$, determine $\sum_{i=1}^4 (x_i^3 + x_i^2 + 3)$?
- (a) 173 (b) 174 (c) 164 (d) 172

Answer the next three questions based on the following information.

The values of x_i and f_i are given below:

x_i	1	2	3	4
f_i	2	3	4	1

32. Find $\sum_{i=1}^4 f_i x_i$.
- (a) 20 (b) 21 (c) 22 (d) 24
33. Compute $\sum_{i=1}^4 f_i x_i^2$.
- (a) 30 (b) 35 (c) 66 (d) 64
34. Determine $\sum_{i=1}^4 f_i^2 x_i$.
- (a) 74 (b) 49 (c) 78 (d) 65
35. Capital and profit belong to a variable which is—
- Bivariate
 - Quantitative
 - Qualitative

Which one is correct?

- (a) i and ii (b) i and iii (c) ii and iii (d) i, ii and iii

36. Which one falls in the category of interval scale?

- (a) Temperature (b) Speed (c) Distance (d) Film rating

37. Which one falls in the category of nominal scale?

- (a) Height (b) Temperature (c) Gender (d) Age

38. Which of the following is an example of an ordinal scale?

- (a) Temperature (b) IQ Score (c) Educational Level (d) Weight

39. Which of the following is an example of a ratio scale?

- (a) Temperature (b) Time (c) Blood Pressure (d) Speed

40. Which of the following is an example of an interval scale?

- (a) Weight (b) Income (c) Temperature (d) Height

41. In which scale of measurement, zero is regarded as true zero?

- (a) Nominal scale (b) Interval scale (c) Ratio scale (d) Ordinal scale

42. Which is a discrete variable?

- (a) Weight (b) Amount of rainfall (c) Distance (d) Grade in a subject

43. Which one is product of square?

- (a) $\prod x_i^2$ (b) $(\prod x_i)^2$ (c) $\sum x_i^2 \times \sum x$ (d) $\sum x_i^2$

44. For which variable, determining number of terms is not possible?

- (a) Discrete variable (b) Continuous variable (c) Quantitative variable (d) Qualitative variable

Answer the next three question based on the following information.

A farmer collects growth (in cm) of 10 plants in a month and finds that

$$\sum x_i = 7 \text{ and } \sum x_i^2 = 15$$

45. Which is considered statistics?

- (a) Jaman obtained 75 in statistics (b) Shafiq lives at Road no. 5
(c) Mean monthly income in a city is 60,000 taka (d) Width of a book is 10 cm

46. What is the value of $\sum (x_i + 4)$ if $x = \{2, 3\}$?

- (a) 23 (b) 47 (c) 22 (d) 13

47. If $x_1 = 2, x_2 = 3, x_3 = 5, x_4 = 7$ and $y_1 = 3, y_2 = 4, y_3 = 5, y_4 = 8$; $\sum_{i=2}^4 x_i y_i = ?$

- (a) 14 (b) 201 (c) 93 (d) 117

48. From the following table, $\sum_{i=1}^4 x_i y_i = ?$

X	1	5	3	2
Y	20	12	3	14

- (a) 14 (b) 201 (c) 99 (d) 109

49. What is the value of $\sum(x_i - 4)^2$?
 (a) 23 (b) 135 (c) 484 (d) 119
50. If the square of summation is subtracted the sum of square, the value is -
 (a) -8 (b) 34 (c) 8 (d) -34
51. Which one is not an example of ratio scale?
 (a) Room no. (b) Income (c) Number of accidents (d) Weight
52. Which one is discrete?
 (a) Weight (b) Amount of rainfall
 (c) Temperature (d) No. of member in a family
53. Which type of scale of measurement are religion and blood group?
 (a) Interval (b) Ratio (c) Nominal (d) Ordinal
- Answer the next two questions based on the following information

$$X = 20, 25, 30, 40$$

54. Find $\sum(X_i + 10)$
 (a) 150 (b) 155 (c) 125 (d) 250
55. $\sum(X_i - 30)^2$
 (a) 225 (b) 230 (c) 420 (d) 235

2 Collection, Organization, and Presentation of Data

56. How many sources of data are there?
 (a) 5 (b) 4 (c) 3 (d) 2
57. What is the raw material of research?
 (a) Data (b) Theory (c) Graph (d) Mean
58. Data obtained through direct observation is called—
 (a) Primary data (b) Secondary data (c) Original Data (d) Informal data

Answer the next THREE questions based on the following information

Radius of 80 trees are recorded and this frequency distribution is constructed.

Radius (cm)	0-10	10-20	20-30	30-40
No. of Trees	20	15	21	24

59. How many trees have radius between 10 and 30?
 (a) 30 (b) 15 (c) 36 (d) 21
60. How many trees have radius at least 20?
 (a) 44 (b) 45 (c) 24 (d) 21
61. What percent of trees have radius between 20 and 40?
 (a) 44% (b) 56% (c) 46% (d) 53%

62. Which formula is used to find angles for Pie Chart?
 (a) $\theta_i = \frac{f_i}{N} \times 100$ (b) $\theta_i = \frac{f_i}{100} \times 360$ (c) $\theta_i = \frac{f_i}{N} \times 360$ (d) $\theta_i = \frac{f_i}{N-1} \times 360$
63. Who invented Stem and Leaf plot?
 (a) Karl Pearson (b) R.A. Fisher (c) David Cox (d) John Tukey
64. If all the rats in Sylhet is a population, all the rats in Sylhet Airport is –
 (a) Data (b) Sample (c) Statistics (d) Frequency
65. Which rule is suggested by H.G. Sturges for determining number of class (k)?
 (a) $K = 1 + 3.322 \log N$ (b) $K = 1 + 3.222 \log N$ (c) $K = 1 - 3.222 \log N$ (d) $K = 1 + 2.332 \log N$
66. To show runs per over in a cricket match, which diagram can be used?
 (a) Histogram (b) Bar Diagram (c) Ogive (d) Frequency polygon

3 Measures of Central Tendency

3.1 General Questions

67. Which statement is correct
 (a) Quartiles are well defined (b) Outliers affect Median
 (c) Median is always present in data (d) Quadratic mean is widely used
68. When is the statement $AM = GM = HM$ true?
 (a) When the values are natural numbers (b) When all the values are equal
 (c) When all the values have equal frequency (d) When mode is greater than median
69. If a value is zero, which measure is not usable?
 (a) Arithmetic Mean (b) Harmonic Mean (c) Geometric Mean (d) Mode
70. How many measure of central tendency are there?
 (a) 2 (b) 3 (c) 4 (d) 5
71. Which measure of central tendency is suitable for qualitative variable?
 (a) Arithmetic Mean (b) Harmonic Mean (c) Quadratic Mean (d) Mode
72. In presence of negative values, which measure is not usable?
 (a) Arithmetic Mean (b) Geometric Mean (c) Quadratic Mean (d) Harmonic Mean
73. Inappropriate for algebraic analysis–
 i. Median
 ii. Mode
 iii. Geometric Mean
 Which one is true?
 (a) i (b) ii (c) i & ii (d) ii & iii

Answer the next two questions based on the following information

Accident	4	6	7	8	9
Frequency	2	0	4	5	1

74. **Fifth Decile is –**
 (a) 0 (b) 8.5 (c) 7.5 (d) 8
75. **Which of the following is mode?**
 (a) 4 (b) 8 (c) 0 (d) 7
76. **Which measure always gives a value from within the values?**
 (a) Arithmetic Mean (b) Geometric Mean (c) Median (d) Mode
77. **Which one is not a proper measure of central tendency?**
 (a) 2nd Quartile (b) Third Decile (c) 3rd Quintile (d) 110th Percentile
78. **Which one is smallest?**
 (a) $\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \text{Median})^2$ (b) $\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2$ (c) $\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \sigma)^2$ (d) $\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \text{Mode})^2$
79. **Which measure is not used in determining skewness?**
 (a) Arithmetic Mean (b) Geometric Mean (c) Median (d) Mode
80. **When is the relationship $AM = HM = GM$ true?**
 (a) All values are equal (b) The values form a geometric progression
 (c) The values form an arithmetic progression (d) All values are distinct
81. **In the presence of outlier(s), which measure of central tendency is suitable?**
 (a) Arithmetic mean (b) Median (c) Quadratic mean (d) Power mean
82. **If a rate is defined as $R = \frac{c}{d}$, where c is constant, then which measure is perfect?**
 (a) Weighted arithmetic mean (b) Harmonic mean
 (c) Quadratic mean (d) Weighted geometric mean
83. **Which measure might have more than one value?**
 (a) Arithmetic mean (b) Geometric mean (c) Quadratic mean (d) Mode
84. **Which relationship is correct?**
 (a) $AM \times GM = HM^2$ (b) $AM \times HM = GM^2$ (c) $AM \times HM = GM^3$ (d) $AM \div GM = HM^2$
85. **With negative observations, which cannot be used**
 i. Arithmetic Mean
 ii. Geometric Mean
 iii. Harmonic Mean
Which one is correct?
 (a) i and ii (b) i and iii (c) ii and iii (d) i, ii and iii
86. **A good measure of central tendency -**
 i. is loosely defined
 ii. takes into consideration all values
 iii. easily understandable
Which one is correct?
 (a) i and ii (b) i and iii (c) ii and iii (d) i, ii and iii
87. **The arithmetic mean and geometric mean of two non-zero positive numbers are 15 and 10, respectively. What is harmonic mean?**
 (a) 6.61 (b) 6.67 (c) 7.66 (d) 6.76

3.2 Arithmetic Mean

88. If $\sum(x_i - k) = 0$, what is the value of k ?
(a) n (b) \bar{x} (c) x (d) $n\bar{x}$
89. Arithmetic Mean is –
i. Rigidly defined
ii. Unaffected by sample fluctuation
iii. Suitable for algebraic analysis
Which one is correct?
(a) i and ii (b) i and iii (c) ii and iii (d) i, ii and iii
90. Find the arithmetic mean: 6, 9, 12, \dots , 84
(a) 40 (b) 45 (c) 50 (d) 55
91. The arithmetic mean of first 10 natural numbers is:
(a) 6 (b) 8.5 (c) 5.5 (d) 5.6
92. Arithmetic Mean of first 25 natural numbers is –
(a) 12 (b) 13 (c) 14 (d) 26
93. An equation is: $y = 5x + 9$. If $\bar{x} = 20, \bar{y} = ?$
(a) 100 (b) 209 (c) 109 (d) 29
94. Arithmetic Mean of two numbers is 25. If a number is 40, what is the other number?
(a) 40 (b) 50 (c) 25 (d) 10
95. Number of students in two classes are 50 and 55 and their combined arithmetic mean (AM) of marks is 82. If AM of the first class is 75, what is the AM of the other class?
(a) 88.36 (b) 88.40 (c) 84.55 (d) 78.33
96. The summation of deviation of each value from their arithmetic mean is –
(a) 0 (b) 1 (c) 2 (d) 4
97. For grouped data, which formula is correct for Arithmetic Mean?
(a) $\bar{X} = \frac{\sum f_i x_i}{\sum f_i}$ (b) $\bar{X} = \frac{\sum x_i}{N}$ (c) $\bar{X} = \frac{\sum f_i x_i}{n}$ (d) $\bar{X} = \frac{\sum f_i}{N}$
98. Arithmetic mean of the series 2, 12, 22, \dots , 92 is–
(a) 45 (b) 46 (c) 47 (d) 55
99. What is the arithmetic mean of first n odd natural numbers?
(a) $\frac{n+1}{n}$ (b) n (c) $n+1$ (d) $\frac{n+1}{2}$
100. What is the arithmetic mean of first n even natural numbers?
(a) $\frac{n+1}{2}$ (b) $n+1$ (c) n (d) $\frac{n-1}{2}$
101. The arithmetic mean of first n natural numbers–
(a) $\frac{n}{2}$ (b) $\frac{n+1}{2}$ (c) $\frac{n^2}{2}$ (d) $\frac{n^2-1}{2}$
102. Arithmetic means of three groups having equal no. of items are 30, 32, and 34. What is the combined mean?
(a) 30.33 (b) 32.67 (c) 32.00 (d) 33.00

3.3 Harmonic Mean

103. Which formula is correct for harmonic mean?

- (a) $\frac{n}{\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{f_i}{x_i}}$ (b) $\frac{f_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{f_i}{x_i}}$ (c) $\frac{\sum f_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{f_i}{x_i}}$ (d) $\frac{\sum f_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{x_i}}$

104. What is true of harmonic mean?

- i. uses all values in the data
- ii. undefined if the any value is zero
- iii. affected by extreme values

Which one is correct?

- (a) i and ii (b) i and iii (c) ii and iii (d) i, ii and iii

105. What is the harmonic mean of these values: 10, 12, 13, 15, 20, 25

- (a) 12.49 (b) 14.93 (c) 14.39 (d) 13.49

106. A rate is defined as $R = \frac{c}{d}$; c and d are arbitrary numbers. If c is constant, which mean is used?

- (a) Arithmetic Mean (b) Geometric Mean
(c) Harmonic Mean (d) Weighted Geometric Mean

107. A rate is defined as $R = \frac{c}{d}$; c and d are arbitrary numbers. If d is constant, which mean is used?

- (a) Arithmetic Mean (b) Geometric Mean
(c) Harmonic Mean (d) Weighted Geometric Mean

108. A rate is defined as $R = \frac{c}{d}$; c and d are arbitrary numbers. If neither c or d is constant, which mean is used?

- i. Weighted Arithmetic Mean
- ii. Weighted Harmonic Mean
- iii. Harmonic Mean

Which one is correct?

- (a) i and ii (b) i and iii (c) ii and iii (d) i, ii and iii
(a) Arithmetic Mean (b) Geometric Mean
(c) Harmonic Mean (d) Weighted Geometric Mean

109. Which is the representation of Harmonic Mean?

- (a) Mean of Reciprocal (b) Reciprocal of Mean
(c) Reciprocal of Mean of Reciprocal (d) None of the above

3.4 Geometric Mean

110. Question

- (a) Choice (b) Choice (c) Choice (d) Choice

111. Which data set is suitable for Geometric Mean?

- (a) 1, -1, 2, 4, 6, 7 (b) 1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32 (c) 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6 (d) 1, 1, 2, 3, 4, 4, 5

112. Find geometric mean: 2, 4, 8, 16

- (a) 6.65 (b) 6.56 (c) 5.66 (d) 5.56

Answer the next three questions based on the following information

The data collected in a research is this: 1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32

113. Which measure is suitable?

- (a) Arithmetic Mean (b) Geometric Mean (c) Median (d) Mode

114. What is the arithmetic mean of the data?

- (a) 8.5 (b) 10 (c) 8 (d) 10.5

115. What is the geometric mean?

- (a) 8.5 (b) 5.66 (c) 6.55 (d) 16

3.5 Mode

116. Which of the following may be used to determine mode?

- (a) Histogram (b) Frequency Curve (c) Ogive (d) Frequency Polygon

117. What is the mode the set: 7, 8, 8, 9, 9, 13, 17, 9, 8, 8

- (a) 17 (b) 9
(c) 8 (d) Cannot be determined

3.6 Median

118. Which can be measured from the Ogive?

- (a) Arithmetic Mean (b) Geometric Mean (c) Median (d) Mode

119. Median can be determined from the—

- (a) Histogram (b) Frequency curve (c) Ogive (d) Pie Chart

Answer the next two (2) questions based on the following information

Class	≤ 20	20-25	25-50	50-60	60-70	≥ 70
Frequency	5	10	10	7	5	3
Cumulative Frequency	5	15	25	32	37	40

120. How many values are between 20 and 70?

- (a) 20 (b) 32 (c) 35 (d) 37

121. Which one is the median class?

- (a) 20-25 (b) 25-50 (c) 50-60 (d) 60-70

122. What is the median of the following values: 4, 5, 2, 1, 8, 3

- (a) 1.5 (b) 2 (c) 3.5 (d) 4

3.7 Partition Values

Answer the next three questions as per the following information.

42 44 59 64 70 72 74 91 94 are 9 values.

123. What is the 50th percentile?

- (a) 64 (b) 70 (c) 72 (d) 71

124. Below which value lie 70 percent values?

- (a) 42 (b) 44 (c) 59 (d) 74

125. Above which value lie 30% observations?

- (a) 3rd Quartile (b) Median (c) 30th Percentile (d) 70th percentile

4 Measures of Dispersion

126. Which of the following is the best measure of dispersion?

- (a) Range (b) Mean deviation
(c) Standard deviation (d) Coefficient of variation

127. What is the minimum possible value of standard deviation?

- (a) ∞ (b) -1 (c) 0 (d) 1

128. For two values, range is found to be 8. What are the values of mean deviation and standard deviation

- (a) (2,4) (b) (4,4) (c) (4,8) (d) (8,8)

129. What is the standard deviation of first 10 natural numbers?

- (a) 2.87 (b) 3.02 (c) 0 (d) 2.78

130. Which measure is unit-free?

- (a) Range (b) Mean deviation
(c) Standard deviation (d) Coefficient of variation

5 Moments, Skewness, and Kurtosis

5.1 Moments

131. Which is not a type of Moments

- (a) Central Moments (b) Raw Moments (c) Corrected Moments (d) Rectified Moments

132. The second moment around w is –

- (a) $\frac{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^n}{w}$ (b) $\frac{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2}{w}$ (c) $\frac{\sum (x_i - w)^2}{n}$ (d) $\frac{\sum (x_i - w)^n}{2}$

133. Which relationship is correct?

- (a) $\mu'_1 = \bar{x} + a$ (b) $\mu'_1 = \bar{x} - a$ (c) $\mu'_2 = \bar{x} + a$ (d) $\mu_1 = \bar{x} - a$

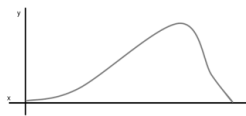
134. What is formula of rth raw moment for grouped data about a?

- (a) $\frac{\sum f_i (x_i - a)^r}{n}$ (b) $\frac{\sum f_i (x_i - \bar{x})^r}{n}$ (c) $\frac{\sum (x_i - a)^r}{n}$ (d) $\frac{\sum (x_i + a)^r}{n}$

135. Which quantity uniquely characterizes a distribution?
 (a) Median (b) Quantile (c) Moments (d) Trend
 Which one is correct?
 (a) i and ii (b) i and iii (c) ii and iii (d) i, ii and iii
136. Which can be used to measure dispersion?
 (a) μ'_2 (b) μ_1 (c) μ_2 (d) μ'_1
137. The formula of coefficient of variance (CV) is –
 (a) $\frac{\sqrt{\mu_2}}{n} \times 100$ (b) $\frac{\mu_2}{\mu_1} \times 100$ (c) $\frac{\sqrt{\mu_2}}{\bar{x}} \times 100$ (d) $\frac{\mu_3}{\sigma} \times 100$
138. First moment around zero is –
 (a) 0 (b) 1 (c) -1 (d) Arithmetic Mean
139. Which moment is equal to zero?
 (a) First raw moment around 1 (b) Second central moment
 (c) First central moment (d) Second raw moment around 0
140. Which might have a negative value?
 (a) μ_4 (b) μ_3 (c) μ'_2 (d) μ_2
141. 2nd Central Moment is –
 (a) $\mu_2 - \mu'_1$ (b) $\mu_2 + \mu'_1$ (c) $\mu_2 - \mu'^2_1$ (d) $\mu'_2 - \mu'^2_1$
142. First central moment is equal to –
 (a) 1 (b) 0 (c) -1 (d) $\bar{x} - a$
143. First moment around a is equal to –
 (a) 1 (b) 0 (c) -1 (d) $\bar{x} - a$
144. The first raw moment about 3 is -5. What is the value of arithmetic mean?
 (a) 2 (b) -2 (c) 0 (d) 8
145. Moments can be–
 i. positive
 ii. not negative
 iii. positive or negative
 Which one is correct?
 (a) i and ii (b) i and iii (c) ii and iii (d) i, ii and iii

5.2 Skewness

146. The following graph is an example of –

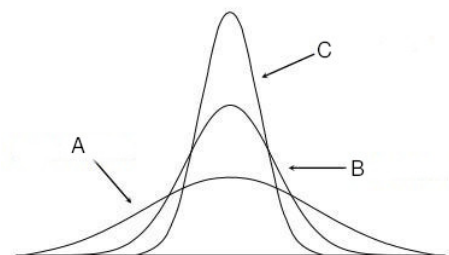


147. If $\gamma_1 > 0$, the data is –
 (a) Negatively skewed (b) Positively skewed (c) Symmetric (d) Uncertain

148. Which relationship is correct?
 (a) $M_o = 2Me - \bar{x}$ (b) $M_o = 3Me - \bar{x}$ (c) $M_o = 3Me - 2\bar{x}$ (d) $M_o = 2Me - 3\bar{x}$
 (a) Positive Skew (b) Negative Skew (c) No Skew (d) Not detectable
149. Characteristics of a skewed distributon are –
 i. $Mean \neq Median \neq Mode$
 ii. Differences of upper and lower quartiles from median are unequal
 iii. Frequency curve is asymmetric
150. In a distribution, $\mu_2 = 25$, $\mu_3 = 20$, and $\mu_4 = 2200$; the distribution is –
 (a) Negatively skewed (b) leptokurtic (c) Platykurtic (d) Symmetric
151. For a data, $Q_3 = 41.6$, $Q_1 = 17.2$, $Median = 29$, & $AM = 30$; What is Coefficient of skewness?
 (a) 24.4 (b) 1 (c) 0.03 (d) 29.45
152. In case of positive skewness, which one is correct?
 (a) $Mean > Median > Mode$ (b) $Mean < Median < Mode$
 (c) $Mean = Median = Mode$ (d) $Mean > Median < Mode$
153. For a symmetrical distribution, $\beta_1 =$
 (a) 1 (b) -1 (c) 0 (d) 3
154. $\sqrt{\beta_1} = -0.23$ implies–
 (a) Left Skew (b) Symmetry (c) Right Skew (d) Mesokurtic
155. First 3 moments about 2 are 1, 2 and 8, respectively. What is the arithmetic mena?
 (a) 1 (b) 2 (c) 3 (d) 4
156. What is the second central moments of first 10 natural numbers?
 (a) 9.90 (b) 9.09 (c) 8.25 (d) 5.67
157. Frequencies of higher values are smaller in – distribution
 (a) Positively skewed (b) Negatively skewed (c) Symmetric (d) Mesokurtic
158. Which formula is correct for determining skewness?
 (a) $\gamma_1 = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_3^2}{\mu_2^3}}$ (b) $\gamma_1 = \sqrt{\beta_1^2}$ (c) $\gamma_1 = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_3}{\mu_2^3}}$ (d) $\frac{\mu_2}{\sqrt{\mu_3^2}}$

5.3 Kurtosis

159. Which curve is platykurtic?



- (a) A (b) B (c) C (d) None
160. **How many types of kurtosis are there?**
 (a) 2 (b) 3 (c) 4 (d) 5
161. **The standard deviation of a mesokurtik distribution is 2. What is the value of the 4th central moment?**
 (a) 4 (b) 8 (c) 16 (d) 48
162. $\beta_2 = \sqrt{9}$ **implies data are—**
 (a) Leptokurtic (b) Platykurtic (c) Mesokurtic (d) Symmetric
163. **For a mesokurtik distribution, $\beta_2 =$ —**
 (a) 0 (b) -3 (c) 3 (d) 1
164. **What is the relationship between γ_2 and β_2 ?**
 (a) $\gamma_2 = \beta_2 + 3$ (b) $\gamma_2 = 2\beta_2 - 3$ (c) $\gamma_2 = \beta_2 - 1$ (d) $\gamma_2 = \beta_2 - 3$

5.4 Misc

165. **What is formula of the left inner fence for a box and whisker plot?**
 (a) $Q_1 - 1.5 \times IQR$ (b) $Q_3 + 1.5 \times IQR$ (c) $Q_1 - 3 \times IQR$ (d) $Q_3 + 1.5 \times IQR$
166. **What is the formula of IQR?**
 (a) $IQR = Q_3 + Q_1$ (b) $IQR = Q_3 - Q_1$ (c) $IQR = 2Q_3 - Q_1$ (d) $IQR = \frac{Q_3 - Q_1}{2}$
167. **Which is not used in constructing Box & Whisker Plot?**
 (a) Mode (b) X_L (c) $Q_1 \& Q_3$ (d) $Q_1, Q_2 \& Q_3$
168. **In a symmatric distribution—**
 i. Arithmetic Mean = Mode = Median
 ii. $Q_2 - Q_1 = Q_3 - Q_2$
 iii. $Q_1 - X_L = X_H - Q_3$
 Which one is true?
 (a) i & ii (b) ii & iii (c) i & iii (d) i, ii & iii
169. **Which is not included in five number summary?**
 (a) Arithmetic Mean (b) X_H (c) Q_2 (d) Q_3

6 Correlation and Regression

7 Time Series

170. **Which is not a time series data?**
 (a) Number of calls received per week (b) No. of road accidents on different days
 (c) No. of earthquakes in different regions (d) No. of particals decayed in each second

171. Which is a type of trend?

- i. Linear trend
- ii. Non-linear trend
- iii. Cyclic trend

Which one is correct?

- (a) i and ii
- (b) i and iii
- (c) ii and iii
- (d) i, ii and iii

172. Which can measure trend most precisely?

- (a) Graphical method
- (b) Semi-average method
- (c) Moving average method
- (d) Quarter-average method

173. Which is the multiplicative time series model?

- (a) $Y_t = T_t \times S_t \times C_t \times R_t$
- (b) $Y_t = T_t \times D_t \times C_t \times R_t$
- (c) $Y_t = T_t \times P_t \times C_t \times R_t$
- (d) $Y_t = T_t \times G_t \times C_t \times R_t$

Answer the next two questions based on the following information

Commodity wise export shipments (In million US\$) of Frozen and live fish in Bangladesh are given below.

Months	2022-23 (July-Dec)	2023-24 (Jan-Jun)	2022-23 (July-Dec)
Amount	246.38	175.19	215.13

Table 1: Source:BB

174. Which component of time series is most evident?

- (a) Irregular variation
- (b) Cyclic variation
- (c) Trend
- (d) Seasonal variation

175. Which value is most probable in the next period?

- (a) 200
- (b) 190
- (c) 130
- (d) 220

176. A linear trend goes along a –

- (a) a curved line
- (b) a wave
- (c) straight line
- (d) circle

177. A non-linear trend goes along a –

- (a) a curved line
- (b) a wave
- (c) a cubic pattern
- (d) Any of the above

178. Which measure of trend is subjective?

- (a) Semi-average method
- (b) Graphical method
- (c) Moving average method
- (d) None of the above

Answer the next THREE questions based on the following information

Year	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
USD Exchange Rate	78.35	79.49	82.87	83.26	84.60	84.37	85.80	106.70

Table 2: Source–Investing.com

179. What is the second value of semi-average method?

- (a) 85.40
- (b) 90.37
- (c) 91.73
- (d) 89.78

180. **What kind of a trend do the data have?**
 (a) Upward (b) Downward
 (c) Both upward & downward (d) No trend
181. **Which component of time series is visible in the later part of the data?**
 (a) Seasonal Variation (b) General Trend (c) Irregular Variation (d) Cyclic Variation
182. **Time Series has how many components?**
 (a) 2 (b) 3 (c) 4 (d) 5
183. **Which component involves period more than one (01) year?**
 (a) Seasonal Variation (b) Cyclic Variation (c) Irregular Variation (d) Random Variation
184. **Which one is not a component of Time Series**
 (a) Seasonal Variation (b) Cyclic Variation (c) General Trend (d) Regular Variation
185. **A company is constantly getting greater revenue than previous year; this is–**
 (a) Seasonal Variation (b) General Trend (c) Irregular Variation (d) Cyclic Variation
186. **Which is not a method of finding general trend?**
 (a) Graphical Method (b) Moving Average (c) Semi-Average (d) Moving Median

Answer the next two questions based on the following table:

Year	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Sales	5	35	34	40	42	204

187. **In Semi-Average method, what is the 2nd average?**
 (a) 74 (b) 24.67 (c) 95.33 (d) 28
188. **What is the last value of 3-yearly moving average?**
 (a) 93.55 (b) 95.53 (c) 95.33 (d) 59.33
189. **Which component of time series is affected by economic changes due to war?**
 (a) Trend (b) Seasonal Variation (c) Irregular Variation (d) Cyclic Variation
190. **Demand for warm clothes is higher in winter season and less in summer. Which component of time series deals with this change?**
 (a) Trend (b) Seasonal Variation (c) Irregular Variation (d) Cyclic Variation
191. **Death rates of a country for 7 years are given below:**

Year	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Rate	5	7	6	8	7	12	13

In semi-average method, which year will be excluded?

- (a) 2012 (b) 2013 (c) 2015 (d) 2009
192. **Which component of time series represents a natural disaster?**
 (a) Seasonal Variation (b) General Trend (c) Irregular Variation (d) Cyclic Variation
193. **How many models of time series are there to combine the components?**
 (a) 2 (b) 3 (c) 4 (d) 5

194. **Which one reflects an irregular variation?**

- (a) Fluctuation in production due to war (b) Price hike due to famine
(c) Rise of Temperature to drought (d) Any of the above

8 Published Statistics in Bangladesh

195. **Limitations of published statistics in Bangladesh are –**

- i. Wrong data collection method
ii. Insufficient data
iii. Lack of proper training

Which one is correct?

- (a) i and ii (b) i and iii (c) ii and iii (d) i, ii and iii

196. **How many sources of published statistics are there in Bangladesh?**

- (a) 2 (b) 3 (c) 4 (d) 6

197. **Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics collect –**

- (a) Official statistics (b) Non-official statistics(c) Semi-official statistics(d) None of the above

198. **Which statistics are published by an NGO?**

- (a) Official statistics (b) Non-official statistics(c) Semi-official statistics(d) None of the above

199. **The primary source of official statistics in Bangladesh is –**

- (a) WHO (b) BBS (c) CPD (d) UNDP

200. **In Bangladesh, a census is usually done every – years**

- (a) 20 (b) 15 (c) 10 (d) 12

Answer Key:

1. (d) R.A. Fisher
2. (d) Database creation
3. (d) Red blood cells in a person's body
4. (a) i and ii
5. (b) $\sum_{i=1}^{20} cx_i = nc \sum_{i=1}^{20} x_i$
6. (d) Regression
7. (d) Ordinal
8. (a) $y_i = \frac{x_i}{a}$
9. (c) 150
10. (c) Sample
11. (b) $b \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$
12. (c) 4
13. (d) Success rate
14. (c) Ratio scale
15. (d) Ratio
16. (d) Grade in a subject
17. (d) No. of particles in atoms
18. (c) 206
19. (d) 122
20. (b) 65
21. (c) 42
22. (d) 84
23. (c) 8
24. (b) 62
25. (b) 6
26. (a) 90
27. (d) 435
28. (c) 24
29. (d) 50
30. (a) 108
31. (b) 174
32. (d) 24
33. (c) 66
34. (a) 74
35. (a) i and ii
36. (a) Temperature
37. (c) Gender
38. (c) Educational Level
39. (b) Time
40. (c) Temperature
41. (c) Ratio scale
42. (d) Grade in a subject
43. (a) $\prod x_i^2$
44. (b) Continuous variable
45. (c) Mean monthly income in a Geometric Mean
46. (d) 13
47. (c) 93
48. (c) 99
49. (d) 119
50. (d) -34
51. (a) Room no.
52. (d) No. of member in a family
53. (c) Nominal
54. (b) 155
55. (a) 225
56. (d) 2
57. (a) Data
58. (a) Primary data
59. (c) 36
60. (b) 45
61. (a) 44%
62. (c) $\theta_i = \frac{f_i}{N} \times 360$
63. (d) John Tukey
64. (b) Sample
65. (a) $K = 1 + 3.322 \log N$
66. (b) Bar Diagram
67. (a) Quartiles are well defined
68. (b) When all the values are equal
69. (c) 60,000
70. (d) 5
71. (d) Mode
72. (b) Geometric Mean
73. (c) i & ii
74. (c) 7.5
75. (b) 8
76. (d) Mode
77. (d) 110th Percentile
78. (a) $\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \text{Median})^2$
79. (b) Geometric Mean
80. (a) All values are equal
81. (b) Median
82. (b) Harmonic mean
83. (d) Mode
84. (b) $AM \times HM = GM^2$
85. (c) ii and iii
86. (c) ii and iii
87. (b) 6.67
88. (b) \bar{x}
89. (b) i and iii
90. (a) 40
91. (c) 5.5
92. (b) 13
93. (c) 109
94. (d) 10
95. (a) 88.36
96. (a) 0
97. (a) $\bar{X} = \frac{\sum f_i x_i}{\sum f_i}$

98. (c) 47
99. (b) n
100. (b) $n + 1$
101. (b) $\frac{n+1}{2}$
102. (c) 32.00
103. (a) $\frac{n}{\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{f_i}{x_i}}$
104. (a) i and ii
105. (c) 14.39
106. (c) Harmonic Mean
107. (a) Arithmetic Mean
108. (a) i and ii
108. (c) Harmonic Mean
109. (c) Reciprocal of Mean of Reciprocal
110. (a) Choice
111. (b) 1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32
112. (c) 5.66
113. (b) Geometric Mean
114. (d) 10.5
115. (b) 5.66
116. (a) Histogram
117. (c) 8
118. (c) Median
119. (c) Ogive
120. (b) 32
121. (b) 25-50
122. (c) 3.5
123. (b) 70
124. (d) 74
125. (d) 70th percentile
126. (c) Standard deviation
127. (c) 0
128. (a) (2,4)
129. (a) 2.87
130. (d) Coefficient of variation
131. (d) Rectified Moments
132. (a) $\frac{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^n}{w}$
133. (b) $\mu'_1 = \bar{x} - a$
134. (a) $\frac{\sum f_i (x_i - a)^r}{n}$
135. (c) Moments
136. (c) μ_2
137. (c) $\frac{\sqrt{\mu_2}}{\bar{x}} \times 100$
138. (d) Arithmetic Mean
139. (c) First central moment
140. (b) μ_3
141. (d) $\mu'_2 - \mu_1'^2$
142. (b) 0
143. (d) $\bar{x} - a$
144. (b) -2
145. (b) i and iii
147. (b) Positively skewed
148. (c) $M_o = 3Me - 2\bar{x}$
148. (a) Positive Skew
150. (b) leptokurtic
151. (d) 29.45
152. (a) $Mean > Median > Mode$
153. (c) 0
154. (a) Left Skew
155. (c) 3
156. (c) 8.25
157. (a) Positively skewed
158. (a) $\gamma_1 = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_3^2}{\mu_2^3}}$
159. (a) A
160. (b) 3
161. (d) 48
162. (c) Mesokurtic
163. (c) 3
164. (d) $\gamma_2 = \beta_2 - 3$
165. (a) $Q_1 - 1.5 \times IQR$
166. (b) $IQR = Q_3 - Q_1$
167. (a) Mode
168. (d) i, ii & iii
169. (a) Arithmetic Mean
170. (c) No. of earthquakes in different regions
171. (a) i and ii
172. (c) Moving average method
173. (a) $Y_t = T_t \times S_t \times C_t \times R_t$
174. (d) Seasonal variation
175. (b) 190
176. (a) a curved line
177. (d) Any of the above
178. (b) Graphical method
179. (b) 90.37
180. (a) Upward
181. (c) Irregular Variation
182. (c) 4
183. (b) Cyclic Variation
184. (d) Regular Variation
185. (b) General Trend
186. (d) Moving Median
187. (c) 95.33
188. (c) 95.33
189. (c) Irregular Variation
190. (b) Seasonal Variation
191. (b) 2013
192. (c) Irregular Variation
193. (a) 2
194. (d) Any of the above
195. (d) i, ii and iii
196. (b) 3
197. (a) Official statistics
198. (c) Semi-official statistics
199. (b) BBS
200. (c) 10