



Statistics Ex 7.2 Q9

Answer :

Let the assumed mean be $A = 25$ and $h = 5$.

marks (x_i):	no. of students (f_i):	$d_i = x_i - A$ $= x_i - 25$	$u_i = \frac{1}{h}(d_i)$	$f_i u_i$
5	15	-20	-4	-60
10	50	-15	-3	-150
15	80	-10	-2	-160
20	76	-5	-1	-76
25	72	0	0	0
30	45	5	1	45
35	39	10	2	78
30	9	15	3	27
45	8	20	4	32
50	6	25	5	30
	$\sum f_i = 400$			$\sum f_i u_i = -234$

We know that mean, $\bar{X} = A + h \left(\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^n f_i u_i \right)$

Now, we have $N = \sum f_i = 400$, $\sum f_i u_i = -234$, $h = 5$ and $A = 25$.

Putting the values in the above formula, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 \bar{X} &= A + h \left(\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^n f_i u_i \right) \\
 &= 25 + 5 \left(\frac{1}{400} \times (-234) \right) \\
 &= 25 - \frac{234}{80} \\
 &= 25 - 2.925 \\
 &= 22.075
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the mean marks is 22.075.

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