



Exercise 14F

Question 5:

We prepare the following frequency table :

(X_i)	(f_i)	$f_i X_i$
3	6	18
5	8	40
7	15	105
9	P	9P
11	8	88
13	4	52
	$\Sigma f_i = 41 + P$	$\Sigma f_i X_i = 303 + 9p$

$$\text{Mean} = \frac{\Sigma f_i X_i}{\Sigma f_i} = \frac{303 + 9P}{41 + P}$$

But mean = 8 (given)

$$\therefore \frac{303 + 9P}{41 + p} = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow 303 + 9p = 8(41 + p)$$

$$\Rightarrow 303 + 9p = 328 + 8p$$

$$\Rightarrow 9p - 8p = 328 - 303$$

$$\Rightarrow P = 25$$

\therefore the value of $P = 25$

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