



Exercise 9D

Question 5:

Class	Frequency f_i	Mid-value x_i	$u_i = \left(\frac{x_i - A}{h}\right)$	$f_i u_i$	C.F.
100-150	6	125	-2	-12	6
150-200	7	175	-1	-7	13
200-250	12	225	0	0	25
250-300	3	275	1	3	28
300-350	2	325	2	4	30
	$N = 30$			$\sum f_i u_i = -12$	

Let assumed mean = 225 and $h = 50$

$$(i) \text{ Mean} = A + h \left(\frac{\sum f_i u_i}{N} \right) = 225 + 50 \left(\frac{-12}{30} \right) = 225 - 20 = 205$$

$$(ii) \frac{N}{2} = \frac{30}{2} = 15$$

Cumulative frequency just after 15 is 25

\therefore corresponding class interval is 200 - 250

\therefore Median class is 200 - 250

Cumulative frequency c just before this class = 13

$$\text{So, } l = 200, f = 12, \frac{N}{2} = 15, h = 50, c = 13$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{Median} &= l + h \left(\frac{\frac{N}{2} - c}{f} \right) = 200 + 50 \left(\frac{15 - 13}{12} \right) \\ &= 200 + \frac{50 \times 2}{12} = 200 + \frac{25}{3} = 200 + 8.33 = 208.33 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, Mean = 205 and Median = 208.33

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