

### 3.1 HOMEWORK HANDOUT: MEASURES OF CENTRAL TENDENCY & SPREAD

#### PART A

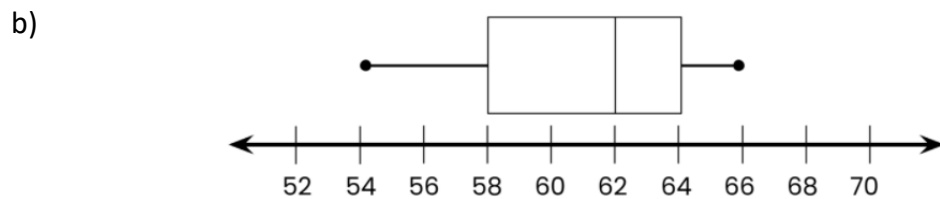
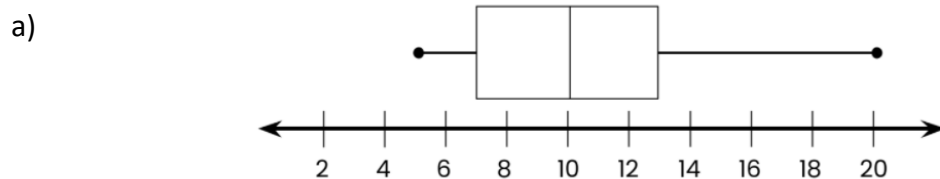
1. Determine the Mean, Median, Mode, and Range for each of the data sets.

- a) 73, 49, 80, 54, 30, 81, 43, 78, 56, 34, 53, 17
- b) 14, 38, 80, 90, 98, 18, 96, 87, 55
- c) 58, 57, 18, 13, 54, 54, 56, 90
- d) 96, 13, 58, 78, 78, 32, 95, 23, 25, 22

2. Determine the quartiles ( $Q_1$ ,  $Q_2$ ,  $Q_3$ ) and the Interquartile Range for each data set.

- a) 22, 16, 4, 21, 3, 23, 8, 12, 11
- b) 1, 23, 11, 4, 21, 18, 16, 10, 2, 14, 25, 19, 8
- c) 17, 20, 3, 10, 21, 9, 2, 24, 1, 8, 23, 25

3. For each of the box plots below, state the minimum, maximum, median, lower quartile and upper quartile.



4. A grocery store logged how many pounds of oranges it sold over 10 days. Using the data below, determine the minimum, maximum, and quartiles and create a box plot of the information.

**39, 29, 46, 45, 27, 37, 48, 50, 47, 28**

5. One baseball team logged the number of games they won over course of 13 seasons. Using the data below, determine the minimum, maximum, and quartiles and create a box plot of the information.

**39, 31, 43, 50, 41, 28, 38, 32, 44, 27, 46, 30, 40**

6. First National Bank recorded the number of transactions over 12 randomly selected days. Using the data below, determine the minimum, maximum, and quartiles and create a box plot of the information.

**86, 77, 92, 81, 88, 93, 80, 95, 76, 89, 75, 94**

7. Sarah recorded the number of tickets that were sold over 11 days at her art show. Using the data below, determine the minimum, maximum, and quartiles and create a box plot of the information.

**77, 90, 82, 94, 84, 91, 99, 80, 100, 89, 75**

### PART B

8. The mean cost of university tuition for five students was \$8000 per year. If the first four students paid \$7500, \$8100, \$8300, and \$8250, how much was the tuition for the fifth student?

9. In a class of 20 students the median mark on the last test was 74% and the range was 32 percent. Create a list of marks that could be possible for this class.

10. Determine a data set that satisfies the given information:

- a) three numbers with a mean of 8, median of 10, and a range of 8.
- b) four numbers with a mean of 7.5, median of 7, and mode of 6.
- c) five numbers with a mean of 4, mode of 2, and range of 6.

11. Two students collected information about the wing spans of bats. Student A collected 6 sample measurements with a mean of 13 cm. Student B collected 4 measurements. The overall mean of the combined measurements of both students was 13.4 cm. Determine the missing data value for each student.

Student	Data set (wingspans in cm)						Mean (cm)
A	13	-	16	12	10	15	<b>13</b>
B	13	16	-	13			

### ANSWERS

- 1) a) mean=54, median=53.5, mode=none, range=64 b) mean=64, median=80, mode=none, range=84 c) mean=50, median=55, mode=54, range=77 d) mean=52, median=45, mode=78, range=83
- 2) a)  $Q_1=6, Q_2=12, Q_3=21.5, IQ\ range=15.5$  b)  $Q_1=6, Q_2=14, Q_3=20, IQ\ range=14$
- c)  $Q_1=5.5, Q_2=13.5, Q_3=22, IQ\ range=16.5$
- 3) a) min=5, max=20,  $Q_1=7, Q_2=10, Q_3=13$  b) min=54, max=66,  $Q_1=58, Q_2=62, Q_3=64$
- 4) min=27, max=50,  $Q_1=29, Q_2=42, Q_3=47$  5) min=27, max=50,  $Q_1=30.5, Q_2=39, Q_3=43.5$
- 6) min=75, max=95,  $Q_1=78.5, Q_2=87, Q_3=92.5$  7) min=75, max=100,  $Q_1=80, Q_2=89, Q_3=94$
- 8) \$7850 9) answer will vary, min=58 middle 2 marks must average 74, max=90
- 10) a) 3, 10, 11 b) 6, 6, 7, 10 c) 2, 2, 2, 6, 8 or 2, 2, 3, 5, 8 11) A: 12 cm B: 14 cm