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- Mean:
- The $\qquad$ of a group of numbers is called the mean. Do not round the number.
- Mean =
- What is the mean of the data below?

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\text { - } 2,4,6,8,10,12
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- Advantages:


## Workspace:

- Most $\qquad$ measure in fields such as $\qquad$ engineering, and computer science.
- It is unique - there is only one answer.
- Useful when comparing sets of data.
- Disadvantages:
- Affected by $\qquad$ values.
- Median:
- The $\qquad$ value, or the $\qquad$ of the $\qquad$ two values, when the data is arranged in numerical order. Think of a "median" being in the middle of a highway.
- What is the median for the set of \#'s below? Circle it.
- $1,2,3,4,5$
- How do I find the median for an even set of \#'s?
- $5,5,10,10,10,15,15,15,20,25$
- Advantages:

- Extreme values do not affect the median as strongly as they do the mean.
- Useful when comparing sets of data.
- It is unique - there is only one answer.
- Disadvantages:
- Not as popular as mean.


## - Mode:

- The $\qquad$
- It is possible to have $\qquad$ mode, and it is possible to have $\qquad$ mode. If there is no mode-write "no mode", do not write zero (0).
- Can you find the mode in this number set?
- $6,7,8,10,12,14,1115,14,20$

- What is the mode in this number series?
- $65,70,75,76,77,80,82,84,86,89,90,92,93,95,97$
- Advantages:


## Answer:

- Extreme values do not affect the mode.
- Disadvantages:
- Not as popular as mean and median.
- Not necessarily unique - may be more than one answer.
- When no values repeat in the data set, the mode is every value and is useless.
- When there is more than one mode, it is difficult to interpret and/or compare.
- Range:
- The range is the $\qquad$ Greatest value - Least value $=$ Range
- What is the range in this number series?


## Answer:

- 9, 2, 1, 6, 7

- Can you find the mean, median, mode, and range for the following list of values: $13,18,13,14,13,16,14$, 21, 13
- Mean= $\qquad$
- Median= $\qquad$
- Mode= $\qquad$
- Range= $\qquad$
- Can you find the mean, median, mode, and range for the following list of values: $1,2,4,7$
- Mean= $\qquad$
- Median= $\qquad$
- Mode= $\qquad$
- Range= $\qquad$


## Workspace:

## Mean, Median, Mode, and Range Notes

- Mean:
- The average of a group of numbers is called the mean. Do not round the number.
- Mean = Sum of data / \# of data
- What is the mean of the data below?
- $2,4,6,8,10,12$
- Advantages:
- Most popular measure in fields such as business, engineering, and computer science.
- It is unique - there is only one answer.
- Useful when comparing sets of data.
- Disadvantages:
- Affected by extreme values.
- Median:
- The middle value, or the mean of the middle two values, when the data is arranged in numerical order. Think of a "median" being in the middle of a highway.
- What is the median for the set of \#'s below?
- $1,2,3,4,5$
- How do I find the median for an even set of \#'s?
- $5,5,10,10,10,15,15,15,20,25$
- Advantages:
- Extreme values do not affect the median as strongly as they do the mean.
- Useful when comparing sets of data.
- It is unique - there is only one answer.
- Disadvantages:
- Not as popular as mean.
- Mode:
- The number that appears the most.
- It is possible to have more than one mode, and it is possible to have no mode. If there is no mode-write "no mode", do not write zero ( 0 ) .
- Can you find the mode in this number set?
- $6,7,8,10,12,14,11,15,14,20$
- What is the mode in this number series?
- $65,70,75,76,77,80,82,84,86,89,90,92,93,95,97$
- Advantages:
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- When there is more than one mode, it is difficult to interpret and/or compare.
- Range:
- The range is the difference between the least number and the greatest number. Greatest value - Least value = Range
- What is the range in this number series?
- 9,2,1,6,7
- Can you find the mean, median, mode, and range for the following list of values:
- $13,18,13,14,13,16,14,21,13$
- Can you find the mean, median, mode, and range for the following list of values:
- $1,2,4,7$

