

Tenth Mathematics

Statistics

1. Marks obtained in Summative Assessment – II by 75 students of Class X in Mathematics are given below.

Marks	20 – 30	30 – 40	40 – 50	50 – 60	60 – 70	70 – 80	80 – 90	90 – 100
No. of Students	2	6	12	14	18	10	8	5

Find the Mean of the marks of the class students.

Procedure: As the method of finding Mean is not mentioned in the question you can find it by any one of the three methods.

- (1) Direct Method
- (2) Assumed Mean Method
- (3) Step Deviation Method

►► Table for finding the Mean by Step – deviation Method.

Marks	No. of Students(f_i)	x_i	$d_i = x_i - a$	$u_i = \frac{x_i - a}{h}$	$f_i u_i$
20–30	2				
30–40	6				
40–50	12				
50–60	14				
60–70	18				
70–80	10				
80–90	8				
90–100	5				
Total	$\Sigma f_i = 75$				$\Sigma f_i u_i =$

►► Complete the above table by finding class marks (x_i) $d_i = x_i - a$, i.e., deviation of 'a' from each of the x_i 's where 'a' is one among the x_i 's preferably from the classes 50 – 60 or 60 – 70.

▶▶ Find $u_i = \frac{x_i - a}{h}$

where h is the class of size i.e.,

10 finally find the column of $f_i u_i$

▶▶ $\bar{x} = a + \left(\frac{\sum f_i u_i}{\sum f_i} \right) \times h$

Substitute the values from the table and simplify to get the mean of the marks of the class students.

- ▶▶ Usually, when the values of x_i 's and f_i 's are smaller we prefer to find Mean of the grouped data by Direct Method. If the values of x_i 's and f_i 's are larger where finding their product $f_i x_i$ is time consuming Assumed Mean Method is preferred. If all the d_i 's have a common factor then the Step-deviation Method is convenient to use.

2. Fill in the missing values in the following frequency distribution table.

Class Intervals	Frequency	Cumulative Frequency
0 – 10	?	4
10 – 20	5	9
20 – 30	8	?
30 – 40	?	?
40 – 50	15	44
50 – 60	10	?
60 – 70	?	60

Procedure: ▶▶ In the above frequency distribution table cumulative frequencies are given along with the class – intervals and frequencies.

- ▶▶ For the class '0 – 10' frequency and cumulative frequency values are equal.
- ▶▶ After finding cumulative frequency of the class '20 – 30', you cannot proceed further as both frequency and cumulative frequency are missing for the class 30 – 40.
- ▶▶ Check whether you can get cumulative frequency of class 30 – 40 from the frequency and cumulative frequency of class 40 – 50. i.e., $44 - 15 = ?$
- ▶▶ Proceed similarly to find the remaining values.

1. The formula to find Median of a grouped data is...?

A) $l + \left[\frac{\frac{n}{2} - CF}{f} \right] \times h$

B) $h + \left[\frac{\frac{n}{2} - CF}{f} \right] \times l$

C) $l + \left[\frac{\frac{n}{2} - f}{CF} \right] \times h$

D) $h + \left[\frac{\frac{n}{2} - f}{CF} \right] \times l$

Ans: A

2. The Mode marks of a class in Maths is 56. What can be inferred from this information?

- A) The average marks of the class is 56.
- B) Most of the students in the class scored 56 marks.
- C) The middle most mark of the class is 56.
- D) None of the above

Ans: B

Writer: V. Padma Priya