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# DETAILED SOLUTIONS: STATISTICS (HOTS)

Mathematics | Class IX | (2026/STAT-HOTS/09/001)

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## Section A: Multiple Choice Questions

1. **Answer: (c) 11.33**

**Solution:** Mean =  $\frac{\sum x}{n} \implies 9 = \frac{x+(x+3)+(x+5)+(x+7)+(x+10)}{5} \implies 45 = 5x + 25 \implies 5x = 20 \implies x = 4$ .

Last three observations:  $x + 5 = 9, x + 7 = 11, x + 10 = 14$ .

Mean =  $\frac{9+11+14}{3} = \frac{34}{3} = 11.33$ .

2. **Answer: (c) is increased by  $a$**

**Solution:** If  $y_i = x_i + a$ , then  $\bar{y} = \frac{\sum(x_i+a)}{n} = \frac{\sum x_i + na}{n} = \bar{x} + a$ .

3. **Answer: (b) 7**

**Solution:** Class Mark = 10, Width ( $h$ ) = 6.

Lower limit = Class Mark  $-\frac{h}{2} = 10 - 3 = 7$ .

4. **Answer: (b) 64**

**Solution:**  $n = 10$  (even). Median = average of 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> terms.

$65 = \frac{x+(x+2)}{2} \implies 130 = 2x + 2 \implies x = 64$ .

5. **Answer: (b) 51**

**Solution:** Old Sum =  $100 \times 50 = 5000$ .

New Sum =  $5000 - 50 + 150 = 5100$ . New Mean =  $\frac{5100}{100} = 51$ .

6. **Answer: (b) 10**

**Solution:** Min value = 210, Max value = 406. Range =  $406 - 210 = 196$ .

Class size = 20. Number of classes =  $\frac{196}{20} \approx 9.8$ . Thus, 10 classes are needed.

7. **Answer: (c) 0**

**Solution:** Sum of deviations from mean is always zero.  $\sum x_i - \sum \bar{x} = n\bar{x} - n\bar{x} = 0$ .

8. **Answer: (c) 35**

**Solution:** 5 classes of width 5 starting at 10: [10-15], [15-20], [20-25], [25-30], [30-35].

Upper limit is 35.

## Section B: Short Answer Questions

1. **Solution:** Sum of 25 obs =  $25 \times 36 = 900$ .

Sum of first 13 =  $13 \times 32 = 416$ . Sum of last 13 =  $13 \times 40 = 520$ .

13<sup>th</sup> observation = (Sum of first 13 + Sum of last 13) - Sum of 25  
=  $(416 + 520) - 900 = 936 - 900 = 36$ .

2. **Solution:** (Class intervals: 0-10, 10-20, 20-30, 30-40, 40-50).

Freq: 0 - 10 : 2; 10 - 20 : 5; 20 - 30 : 7; 30 - 40 : 3; 40 - 50 : 3. Total = 20.

3. **Solution:** New Mean =  $20 - 5 = 15$ .

Property: If a constant  $k$  is subtracted from every observation, the mean is reduced by  $k$ .

4. **Solution:** Arranged data: 0,0,1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,3,3,4,4.

Mode = 2 (highest freq 9). Median ( $n = 20$ ) = average of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> (both are 2) = 2.

## Section C: Short Answer Questions

- Solution:** Sum (Mon-Sun) =  $7 \times 28 = 196$ .  
Sum (M-Th) =  $4 \times 26 = 104$ . Sum (Th-Sun) =  $4 \times 30 = 120$ .  
Thu Temp = (Sum M-Th + Sum Th-Sun) - Sum Mon-Sun  
=  $(104 + 120) - 196 = 224 - 196 = 28^\circ\text{C}$ .
- Histogram Adjustment:** Minimum class width = 5.  
Adj. Freq for 15-25:  $\frac{10}{10} \times 5 = 5$ .  
Adj. Freq for 25-45:  $\frac{8}{20} \times 5 = 2$ .  
Adj. Freq for 45-75:  $\frac{15}{30} \times 5 = 2.5$ .
- Solution:** Squares: 1, 4, 9, 16, 25. Mean of squares =  $\frac{1+4+9+16+25}{5} = \frac{55}{5} = 11$ .  
Mean of 1-5 = 3. Square of mean =  $3^2 = 9$ .  
Comparison: Mean of squares (11) > Square of mean (9).

## Section D: Long Answer / HOTS Questions

- Solution:** Plot class marks (5, 15, 25, 35, 45) against frequencies.  
**Inference:** Section A has more students in the high score range (20-40), whereas Section B is heavily concentrated in the 10-20 range, implying Section A performed better.
- Solution:** (1)  $\sum x_i - 5n = 20 \implies n\bar{x} - 5n = 20$ .  
(2)  $\sum x_i - 8n = 14 \implies n\bar{x} - 8n = 14$ .  
Subtract (2) from (1):  $3n = 6 \implies n = 2$ .  
Substitute  $n$ :  $2\bar{x} - 10 = 20 \implies 2\bar{x} = 30 \implies \bar{x} = 15$ .
- Solution:**  
(ii) Party A won max seats (75).  
(iii) **Mean:**  $\frac{75+55+37+29+10+37}{6} = \frac{243}{6} = 40.5$ .  
**Median:** Data: 10, 29, 37, 37, 55, 75. Median =  $\frac{37+37}{2} = 37$ .