Compare Data

1. Which of these are used to compare two different data sets?

A. Mean

C. Range

Solution:

B. Median

D. All of these

2. Use mean, median, and range to compare the two data sets given below.

Data Set A: Shoe Size					
7 5 3.5 4 4.5					
5.5	6	8	6.5	13	

Data Set B: Shoe Size				
6	7.5	8.5	8	10
5	4	6.5	9	12

Solution:

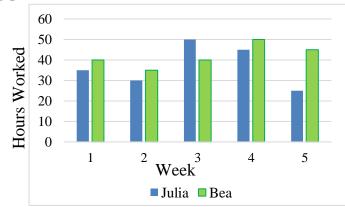
3. Compare the data sets.

A: Hours Spent for Studying				
4	2	0	1	4
2	1	2	4	0

B: Hours Spent for Studying				
5	2	2	3	1
7	1	6	4	4

Solution:

- 4. Double bar-graph on your right displays the hours worked by Julia and Bea for five weeks period. Use the graph to solve the following problems.
 - a. Compare the mean of the hours worked for Julia and Bea.
 - b. Compare the range of the hours worked.
 - c. Find the median of hours worked for both Julia and Bea.
 - d. How do the data sets compare?



Solution:

a.

b.

c.

d.

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Answer Key

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Solution:

The mean and median in data set B is greater than data set A.

The range in data set A is greater than data set B.

	A	В
Mean	6.3	7.65
Median	5.75	7.75
Range	9.5	8

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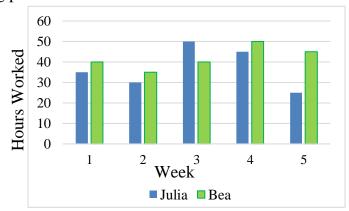
Solution:

Data set B is larger data than A. The mean, median, and range in data set B is greater than data set A.

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Median	2	3.5
Range	4	6

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Solution:

- a. The mean of the hours worked by Bea is greater than Julia
- b. The range of the hours worked by Bea is lesser than Julia
- c. Refer on the table on your right
- d. By finding the mean, median and range.

	Julia	Bea
Mean	37	42
Range	25	15
Median	35	40

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