

Data Comparison Using Data Sets

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

Data Set A: Math Score				
52	53	60	54	57
62	58	72	63	65

Data Set B: Math Score				
50	58	63	70	56
64	68	60	55	52

Solution:

2. How do the following data sets compare?

A: Miles Driven to School					
102	88	92	104	100	90
94	96	86	84	108	80

B: Miles Driven to School					
140	136	88	90	84	97
99	132	94	86	125	105

Solution:

3. Use the data sets below to solve the problems listed below.

Score: Team A				
82	90	97	70	78

Score: Team B				
76	64	104	93	77

- a. Which of the following shows the comparison of the mean scores for each data set?

- A. $82 > 77$ C. $83 > 82$
B. $83.4 > 82.8$ D. $97 < 104$

Solution:

- b. Which of the following shows the comparison of the median scores for each data set?

- A. $97 < 104$ C. $83.4 > 82.8$
B. $82 < 77$ D. $76 < 78$

Solution:

- c. Which of the following shows the comparison of the range for each data set?

- A. $19 < 40$ C. $27 < 40$
B. $83.4 > 82.8$ D. $97 < 104$

Solution:

- d. Which of the following shows the comparison of the mode for each data set?

- A. C. $27 < 40$ C. $97 < 104$
B. $83.4 > 82.8$ D. No Mode

Solution:

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Answer Key

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Solution:

A
Mean = 59.6
Median = 59
Range = 20

B
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Median = 59
Range = 20

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Solution:

To compare data find the value of mean, median, and range.

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Solution: **B**

- b. Which of the following shows the comparison of the median scores for each data set?

- A. $97 < 104$ C. $83.4 > 82.8$
B. $82 < 77$ D. $76 < 78$

Solution: **A**

- c. Which of the following shows the comparison of the range for each data set?

- A. $19 < 40$ C. $27 < 40$
B. $83.4 > 82.8$ D. $97 < 104$

Solution: **D**

- d. Which of the following shows the comparison of the mode for each data set?

- A. C. $27 < 40$ C. $97 < 104$
B. $83.4 > 82.8$ D. No Mode

Solution: **D**