

# Math 2311

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Class Notes for Section 1.5 – 2.2

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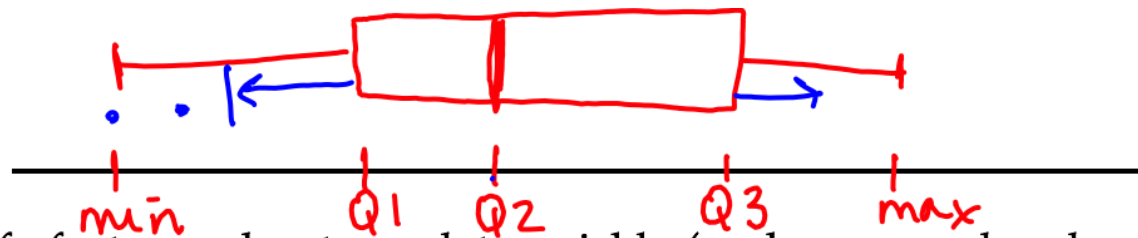
Last week:

- Population - everyone
  - Sample - subset of pop.
  - Mean
  - Median
  - Mode
  - Five number summary - min, Q1, Q2, Q3, max
  - IQR
  - Variance
  - Standard Deviation
- measures of center
- spread

We also talked about some graphs:

- Bar plot - categorical
- Histogram - quantitative
- Stem and leaf plot
- Dot plot ✓ 

1.5 continued:



**Boxplots** not only help identify features about our data quickly (such as spread and location of center) but can be very helpful when comparing data sets.

How to make a box plot:

1. Order the values in the data set in ascending order (least to greatest).
2. Find and label the median.
3. Of the lower half (less than the median – do not include), find and label Q1.
4. Of the upper half (greater than the median – do not include), find and label Q3.
5. Label the minimum and maximum.
6. Draw and label the scale on an axis.
7. Plot the five number summary.
8. Sketch a box starting at Q1 to Q3.
9. Sketch a segment within the box to represent the median.
10. Connect the min and max to the box with line segments.

Note: If data contains outliers, a **box and whiskers plot** can be used instead to display the data. In a box and whiskers plot, the outliers are displayed with dots above the value and the segments begin (or end) at the next data value within the outlier interval.

>boxplot(heights)

outliers: 1.5 (IQR)

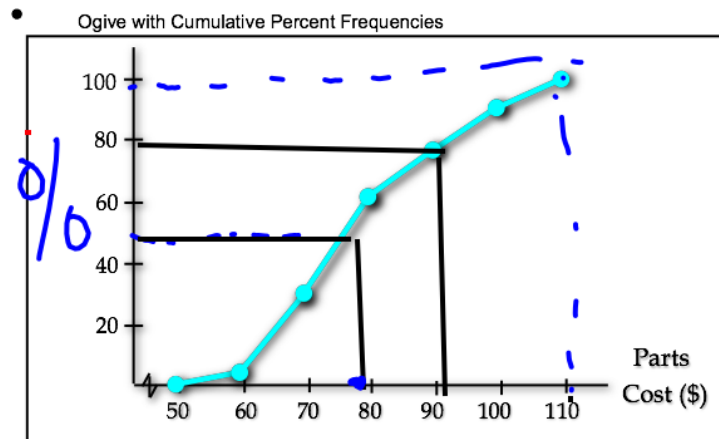
A **pie chart** is a circular chart, divided into sectors, indicating the proportion of each data value compared to the entire set of values. Pie charts are good for categorical data.

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>pie(numcols, labels=colors)
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A **cumulative frequency plot** of the percentages (also called an **ogive**) can be used to view the total number of events that occurred up to a certain value.

Example: Here is an ogive for Hudson Auto Repair's cost of parts sold:

Example: Hudson Auto Repair



80% are less than 90  
50% are less than 78

data	freq	cumul. freq
5	2	2
6	4	6
7	2	8
9	1	9
11	3	12

Where is the median of this data?

50% → 78

Some Questions to think about:

1. Which of the following would be best to use for categorical data:

- a. Pie chart
  - b. Dot plot
  - c. Stem and leaf plot
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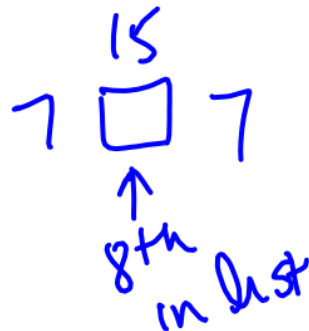
Use this stem plot to answer the next 2:  
This data represents the number of cans of soda sold from a particular vending machine.

Stems = 10s digit, Leaves = ones digit

3		01238
4		05
5		1236789
6		2

2. What is the median of the data?

- a. 45
- b. 51
- c. 51.5
- d. 5.1
- e. 4.5



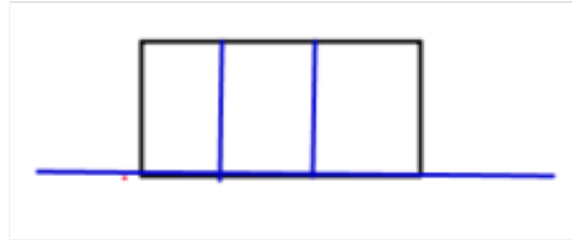
3. What is the range of the data?

- a. 3.2
- b. 32
- c. 3.1
- d. 31

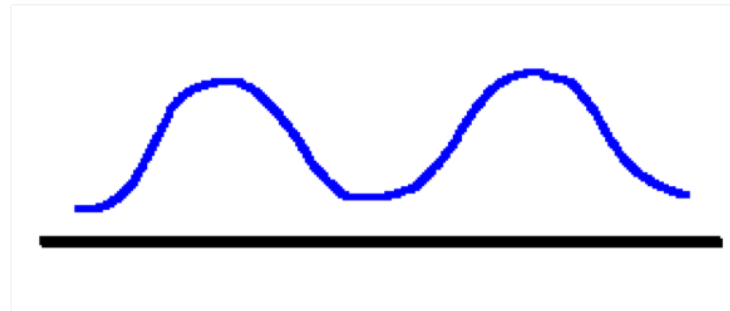
$$62 - 30 = 32$$

## Patterns and shapes:

Uniform graphs

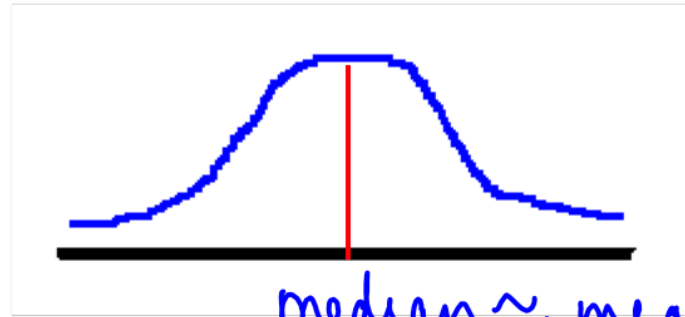


Symmetric graphs



## Some other features

Bell Shaped



median  $\approx$  mean

Skewed right



median  $<$  mean

Skewed left



median  $>$  mean



## 2.1 - Counting Techniques

**Combinatorics** is the study of the number of ways a set of objects can be arranged, combined, or chosen; or the number of ways a succession of events can occur. Each result is called an **outcome**. An **event** is a subset of outcomes. When several events occur together, we have a **compound event**.

The **Fundamental Counting Principle** states that the total number of ways a compound event may occur is  $n_1 \cdot n_2 \cdot n_3 \cdot \dots \cdot n_i$  where  $n_1$  represents the number of ways the first event may occur,  $n_2$  represents the number of ways the second event may occur, and so on.

Example:

How many ways can you create a pizza choosing a meat and two veggies if you have 3 choices of meats and 4 choices for veggies?

$$\begin{array}{c} \underline{3} \cdot \underline{4} \cdot \underline{3} = 36 \\ \uparrow \qquad \uparrow \\ \text{veggies} \quad \text{veggies} - 1 \\ \text{(used one)} \end{array}$$

A **permutation** of a set of  $n$  objects is an ordered arrangement of the objects.

$${}_n P_n = n(n-1)(n-2)\dots 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1 = n!$$

$${}_n P_r = \frac{n!}{(n-r)!}$$

Examples:

In how many ways can 6 people be seated in a row?

$$6 \cdot 5 \cdot 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1 = 720$$
$$6!$$

In how many ways can 3 of the six symbols, &^%\$#@ be arranged?

$$\underline{6} \cdot \underline{5} \cdot \underline{4} = 120$$

$$\frac{6!}{(6-3)!}$$

$$({}_n P_r) 3 = 120$$

When we allow repeated values, The number of orderings of  $n$  objects taken  $r$  at a time, with repetition is  $n^r$ .

Example:

In how many ways can you write 4 letters on a tag using each of the letters C O U G A R with repetition?

$$6 \cdot 6 \cdot 6 \cdot 6 = 6^4$$

The number of permutations,  $P$ , of  $n$  objects taken  $n$  at a time with  $r$  objects alike,  $s$  of another kind alike, and  $t$  of another kind alike is

$$P = \frac{n!}{r!s!t!}$$

Example:

How many different words (they do not have to be real words) can be formed from the letters in the word MISSISSIPPI?

$$\frac{11!}{(4! \cdot 4! \cdot 2!)}$$

I's      S's      P's

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> factorial(11)/(factorial(4)*factorial(4)*factorial(2))  
[1] 34650
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The number of circular permutations of  $n$  objects is  $(n - 1)!$

Example:

In how many ways can 12 people be seated around a circular table?

$$11!$$

order doesn't matter

A **combination** gives the number of ways of picking  $r$  unordered outcomes from  $n$  possibilities. The number of combinations of a set of  $n$  objects taken  $r$  at a time is

$${}_n C_r = \binom{n}{r} = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!}$$

$${}_n C_r = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!} \quad \text{choose}(n,r)$$

Example:

In how many ways can a committee of 5 be chosen from a group of 12 people?

$${}_{12} C_5 = 792$$

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$$22. \frac{6}{\underbrace{6 \cdot 5 \cdot 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1}_{6!}} \cdot \frac{4}{\underbrace{4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1}_{4!}}$$

## Section 2.2 – Sets and Venn Diagrams

A set is a collection of objects. Two sets are equal if they contain the same elements.

Set  $A$  is a subset of set  $B$  if every element that is in set  $A$  is also in set  $B$ . The notation for this is  $A \subseteq B$ .

Set  $A$  is a proper subset of set  $B$  if every element that is in set  $A$  is also in set  $B$  *and* there is at least one element in set  $B$  that is not in set  $A$ . The notation for this is  $A \subset B$ .

The union of  $A$  and  $B$ , which is written as  $A \cup B$ , is the set of all elements that belong either to set  $A$  or to set  $B$  (or that belong to both  $A$  and  $B$ ).

The intersection of  $A$  and  $B$ , which is written as  $A \cap B$ , is the set of all elements that belong to both to set  $A$  and set  $B$ . If the intersection of two sets is empty (the empty set is denoted by  $\emptyset$ ), then the sets are disjoint or mutually exclusive and we write

$$A \cap B = \emptyset$$

The complement of set  $A$ , which is written as  $A^c$ , is the set of all elements that are in the universal set but are not in set  $A$ .

**Examples:**

Use the following information to answer the questions:

$$U = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10\} \leftarrow \text{union of everything - Universal Set}$$

$$A = \{1, 2, 5, 6, 9, 10\}$$

$$B = \{3, 4, 7, 8\}$$

$$C = \{2, 3, 8, 9, 10\}$$

**Find:**

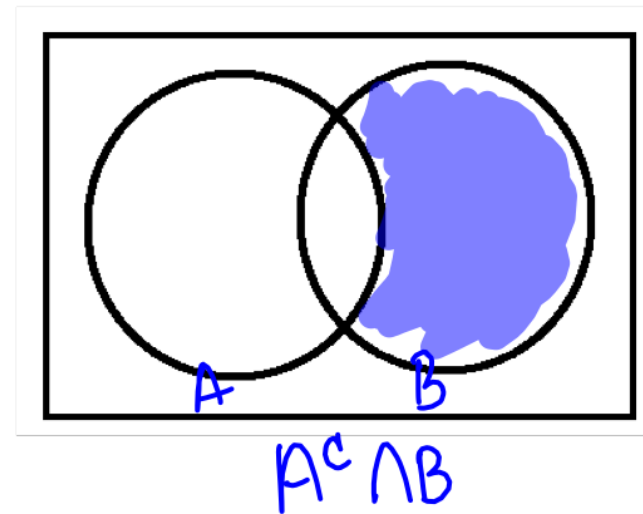
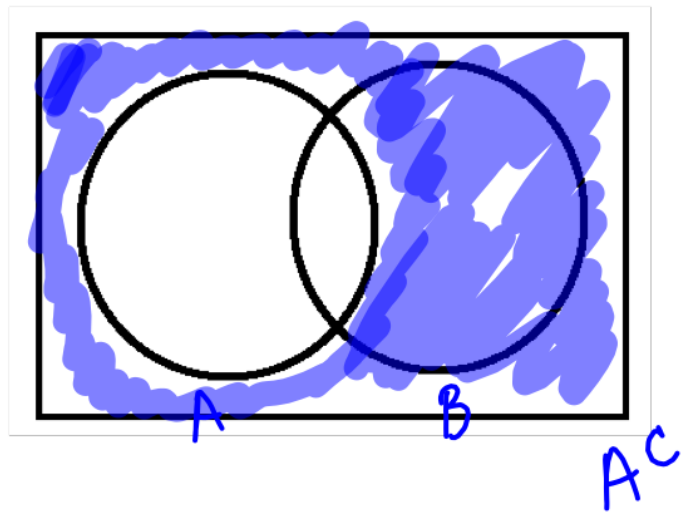
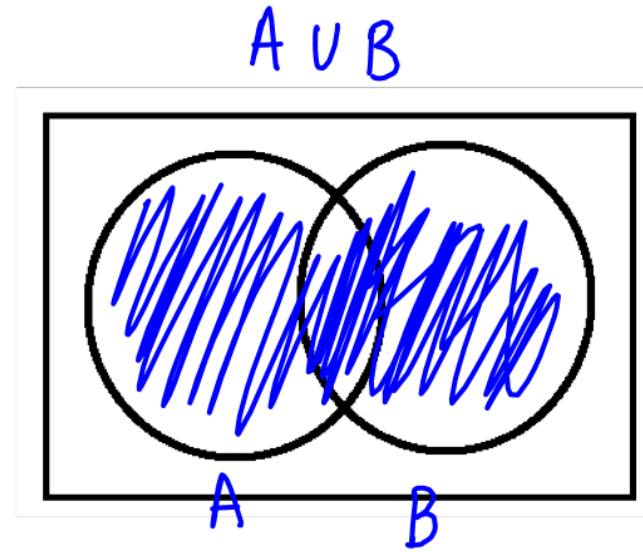
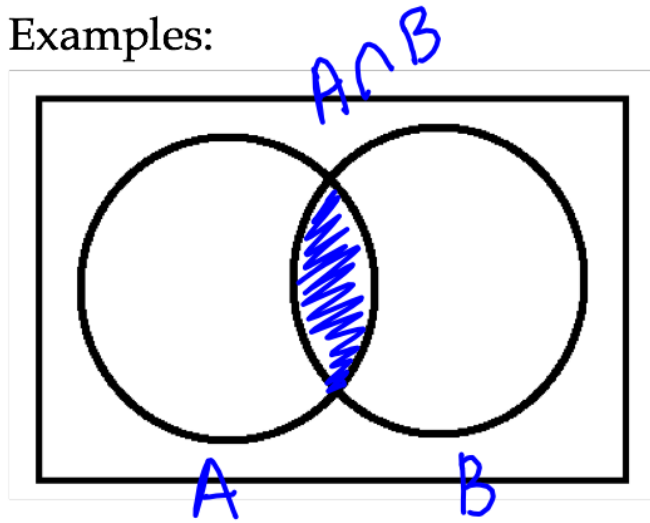
$$\underline{A^c = \{3, 4, 7, 8\}} \quad A \cup C = \{1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10\} \quad A \cap B = \{\} = \emptyset \quad A^c \cap C = \{3, 8\}$$

$$(B \cup C)^c = \{1, 5, 6\} \quad A \cap B \cap C = \emptyset$$

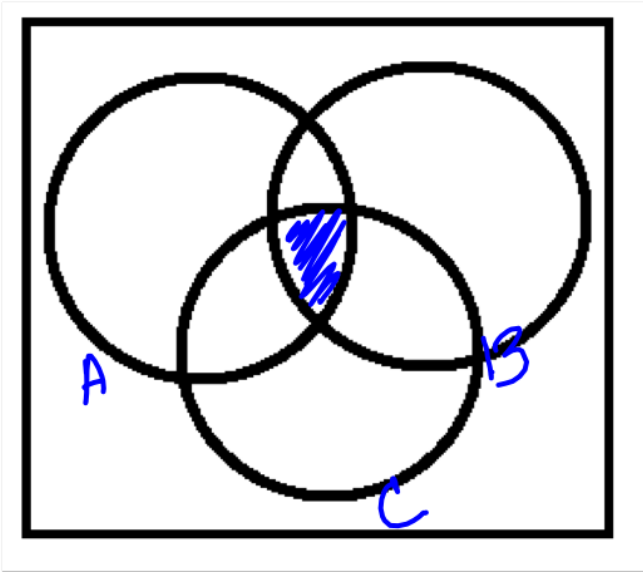
$$B \cup C = \{2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10\}$$

Venn diagrams can be used to represent sets.

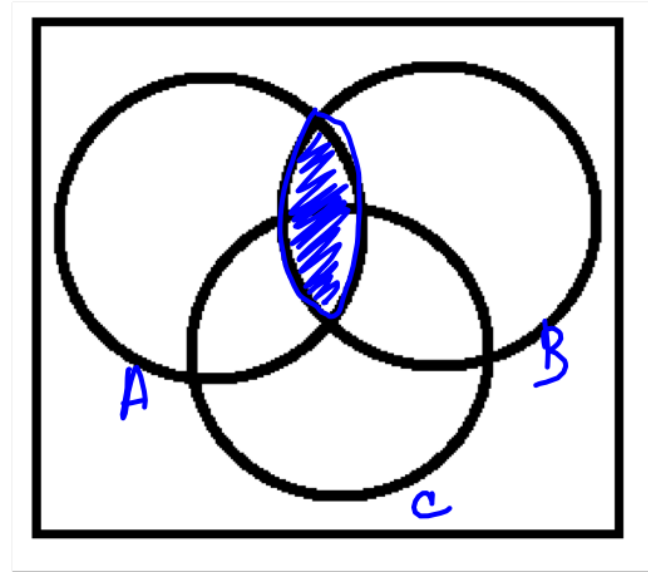
Examples:







$A \cap B \cap C$



$A \cap B$

$(A \cap B) \cup C$



Draw a Venn Diagram for the following situation: A group of 100 people are asked about their preference for soft drinks. The results are as follows:

55 Like Coke

25 Like Diet Coke

45 Like Pepsi

15 like Coke and Diet Coke

5 Like all 3 soft drinks

25 Like Coke and Pepsi

5 Only like Diet Coke

*try to  
All in*

