

# Stats 1 - January 2012

① a) Probabilities

	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
CF	2	4	5	9	17	23	27

$$\text{Median} = \frac{27+1}{2} = 14^{\text{th}} \text{ value} = 10$$

$$LQ = \frac{27+1}{4} = 7^{\text{th}} \text{ value} = 9$$

$$UQ = \frac{3(27+1)}{4} = 21^{\text{st}} \text{ value} = 11$$

$$\rightarrow IQR = 11 - 9 = 2$$

b) Do not group results in the final 2 best classes

② a) weak positive  $\rightarrow$  probably correct

b) Above 1  $\rightarrow$  definitely incorrect

c) Negative correlation  $\rightarrow$  probably incorrect

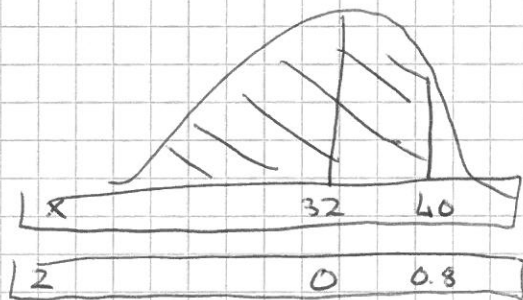
③  $X \sim N(32, 10^2)$

a) i)  $P(X < 40)$

$$= P\left(Z < \frac{40 - 32}{10}\right)$$

$$= P(Z < 0.8)$$

$$= 0.78814$$



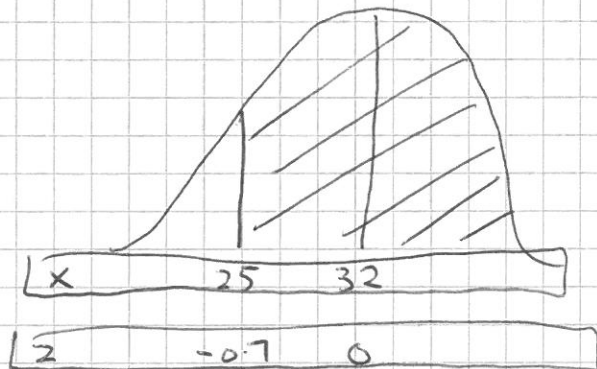
ii)  $P(X > 25)$

$$= P\left(Z > \frac{25 - 32}{10}\right)$$

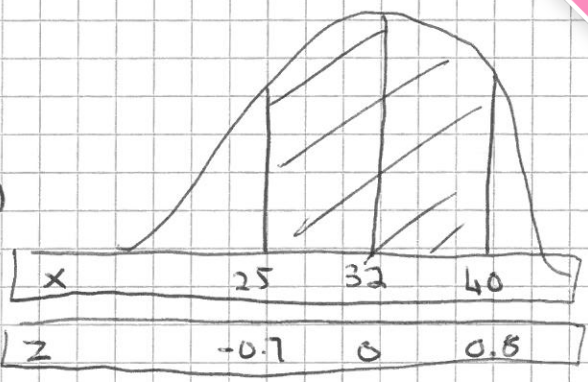
$$= P(Z > -0.7)$$

$$= P(Z < 0.7)$$

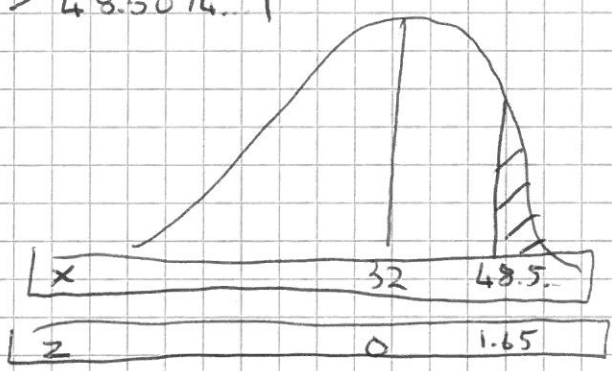
$$= 0.75804$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{iii) } P(25 < X < 40) &= P(-0.7 < Z < 0.8) \\
 &= P(Z < 0.8) - P(Z < -0.7) \\
 &= P(Z < 0.8) - [1 - P(Z < 0.7)] \\
 &= 0.78814 - [1 - 0.75804] \\
 &= 0.546
 \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{b) } P(\text{Bill} > \text{\$}65) &= P(X > 65/1.34) \\
 &= P(X > 48.5074) \\
 &= P(Z > \frac{48.5074 - 32}{10}) \\
 &= P(Z > 1.65074) \\
 &= P(Z > 1.65) \\
 &= 1 - P(Z < 1.65) \\
 &= 1 - 0.95053 = 0.04947
 \end{aligned}$$



- c) (1) Other fuels available, such as diesel  
 (2) Other vehicles, such as lorries

(4)  $X \sim B(40, 0.15)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{a) i) } P(X = 6) &= {}^{40}C_6 \times 0.15^6 \times 0.85^{34} \\
 &= 0.174156\dots
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{ii) } P(X \leq 5) = 0.4325 \quad (\text{from tables})$$

$$\text{iii) } P(5 < X < 10)$$

can be: 6, 7, 8, 9

$$= P(X \leq 9) - P(X \leq 5)$$

$$= 0.9328 - 0.4325$$

$$= 0.5003$$

b)  $X \sim B(32, 0.15)$

mean =  $np = 32 \times 0.15 = 4.8$

var =  $np(1-p) = 32 \times 0.15 \times 0.85 = 4.08$

SD =  $\sqrt{4.08} = 2.01990\dots$

c) From calc:  $\sum x = 77$ ,  $\sum x^2 = 609$

$\bar{x} = 7.7$ ,  $s = 1.337\dots$

**MEAN** Sample mean is bigger ( $7.7 > 4.8$ )

**SD** Sample SD is smaller ( $1.337 < 2.0190\dots$ )

$\therefore$  model appears unsuitable.

5) a) calorific depends on moisture level

b) From calc:  $a = 5.3538\dots$  (intercept)

$b = -0.07582\dots$  (gradient)

$\rightarrow y = 5.3538 - 0.07582x$

c) **a** calorific value when no moisture / dry

**b** each 1% increase in moisture leads to 0.76 MWh/tonne decrease

d)  $x = 27 \rightarrow y = 5.3538 - 0.07582(27)$   
 $= 3.3066\dots$

e) Actual = 2.5

Predicted =  $y = 5.3538 - 0.07582(33)$   
 $= 2.7001$

Residual = Actual - Predicted

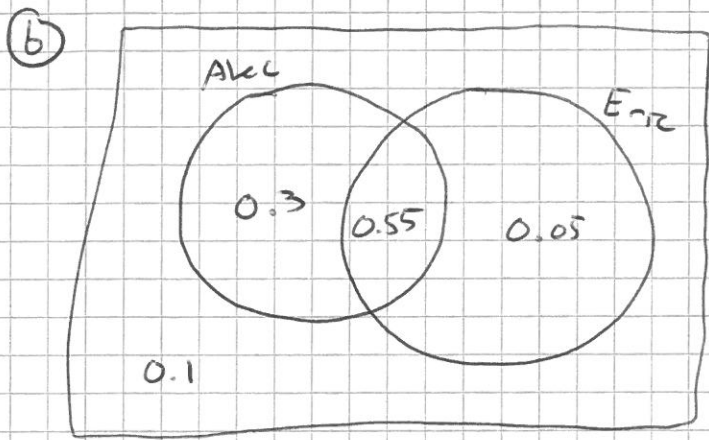
$= 2.5 - 2.7001 = -0.2$

f) Small residuals  $\rightarrow$  reasonable accuracy.

g) i) outside the range of the observed data (2)

ii)  $x = 80 \rightarrow y = 5.3538 - 0.07582(80)$   
 $= -0.71118$

calorific value cannot be negative.



a) i)  $P(A' \cap E') =$   
 ii)  $P(A \cap E) = 0.4$   
 iii)  $P(\text{Just 1})$   
 $= 0.3 + 0.05 = 0.35$

b) i)  $P(A \cap E \cap C) = 0.55 \times 0.3 = 0.165$   
 ii)  $P(A, E, C') = 0.55 \times 0.7 = 0.385$   
 $P(A, E', C) = 0.3 \times 0.75 = 0.225$   
 $P(A', E, C) = 0.05 \times 0.75 = 0.0375$   
 $P(A, E, C) = 0.165$   
0.8225 or  $13/16$

7) a) i)  $\bar{x} = \frac{\sum x}{n} = \frac{2290}{50} = 45.8$

$$s^2 = \frac{\sum (x - \bar{x})^2}{n-1} = \frac{28225.50}{49} = 576.0306...$$

$$\rightarrow s = \sqrt{576.03...} = 24.00062...$$

ii) mean - 2 x sd should still have data

$$\rightarrow 45.8 - 2(24.0...) = -2.2$$

Negative, and impossible to have negative salaries.

b) i) sample size  $> 30$ , so because of Central Limit Theorem.

ii)  $\bar{x} = 45.8$ ,  $s = 24.00$ ,  $n = 50$

99% multiplier (2 tailed) = 2.5758

$$x = \bar{x} \pm z \times \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$N = 45.8 \pm 2.5758 \times \frac{24}{\sqrt{50}}$$

$$\mu = 45.8 \pm 8.7425...$$

$$\mu = (37.06, 54.54) \quad \text{£ thousands.}$$

c) Average > £55k: £55k lies outside of the confidence interval.

∴ reject this claim

25% > £60k: from sample, 6/50 earn more than £60k, = 12%

∴ reject this claim