

Chapter 2

Section 2-1

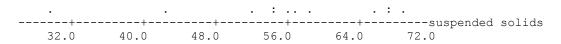
2-1. Sample average:
$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i}{n} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{12} x_i}{12} = \frac{673.1}{12} = 56.09$$

Sample standard deviation:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{12} x_i = 673.10 \qquad \sum_{i=1}^{12} x_i^2 = 39168$$

$$S = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i^2 - \frac{\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i\right)^2}{n}}{n-1}} = \sqrt{\frac{39168 - \frac{(673.10)^2}{12}}{12 - 1}} = \sqrt{\frac{1412.70}{11}} = \sqrt{128.43} = 11.33$$

Dot diagram:



2-2. Sample average:
$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i}{n} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{19} x_i}{19} = \frac{272.82}{19} = 14.36 \text{ min}$$

Sample standard deviation:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{19} x_i = 272.82 \qquad \sum_{i=1}^{19} x_i^2 = 10334$$

$$s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i^2 - \frac{\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i\right)^2}{n}}{n-1}} = \sqrt{\frac{10334 - \frac{(272.82)^2}{19}}{19-1}} = \sqrt{\frac{6416.59}{18}} = \sqrt{356.48 \text{ (min)}^2} = 18.88 \text{ min}$$

Dot diagram

2-3. Sample average:
$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i}{n} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{7} x_i}{7} = \frac{9019}{7} = 1288.43$$
 angstroms

Sample standard deviation:
$$\sum_{i=1}^{7} x_i = 9019 \qquad \sum_{i=1}^{7} x_i^2 = 11621835$$

$$s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum\limits_{i=1}^{n} x_i^2 - \frac{\left(\sum\limits_{i=1}^{n} x_i\right)^2}{n}}{n-1}} = \sqrt{\frac{11621835 - \frac{(9019)^2}{7}}{7-1}} = \sqrt{\frac{1497.71}{6}} = \sqrt{249.62 \text{ (angstroms)}^2} = 15.80 \text{ angstroms}$$

Dot diagram:

2-4. **Sample average**:
$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i}{n} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{18} x_i}{18} = \frac{2272}{18} = 126.22 \text{ kN}$$

Sample standard deviation:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{18} x_i = 2272 \qquad \sum_{i=1}^{18} x_i^2 = 298392$$

$$s^{2} = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i}^{2} - \frac{\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i}\right)^{2}}{n}}{n-1}} = \sqrt{\frac{298392 - \frac{(2272)^{2}}{18}}{18 - 1}} = \sqrt{\frac{11615.11}{17}} = \sqrt{683.24 (kN)^{2}} = 26.14 \text{ kN}$$

Dot Diagram:

2-5. **Sample average**:
$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i}{n} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{8} x_i}{8} = \frac{351.8}{8} = 43.98$$

Sample standard deviation:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{8} x_i = 351.8 \qquad \sum_{i=1}^{8} x_i^2 = 16528.40$$

$$s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i^2 - \frac{\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i\right)^2}{n}}{n-1}} = \sqrt{\frac{16528.04 - \frac{(351.8)^2}{8}}{8-1}} = \sqrt{\frac{1058}{7}} = \sqrt{151.143} = 12.29$$

Dot diagram:

2-6. Sample average:
$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i}{n} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{9} x_i}{9} = \frac{19.56}{9} = 2.173 \text{ mm}$$

Sample standard deviation

$$s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i^2 - \frac{\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i\right)^2}{n}}{n-1}} = \sqrt{\frac{45.953 - \frac{\left(19.56\right)^2}{9}}{9-1}} = \sqrt{\frac{3.443}{8}} = \sqrt{0.4304} = 0.6560 \text{ mm}$$

Dot Diagram:

2-7. **Sample average:**

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{35} x_i}{35} = \frac{28368}{35} = 810.514 \text{ watts/m}^2$$

Sample variance:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{35} x_i = 28368$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{35} x_i^2 = 23552500$$

$$s^{2} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i}^{2} - \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i}\right)^{2}}{n-1} = \frac{23552500 - \frac{(28368)^{2}}{35}}{35 - 1} = \frac{559830.743}{34}$$
$$= 16465.61 \quad (watts/m^{2})^{2}$$

Sample standard deviation:

$$s = \sqrt{16465.61} = 128.32 \text{ watts/} m^2$$

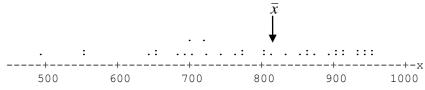
The sample standard deviation could also be found using

$$s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} (x_i - \bar{x})^2}{n-1}}$$

where

$$\sum_{i=1}^{35} (x_i - \bar{x})^2 = 559830.743$$

Dot Diagram (rounding of the data is used to create the dot diagram)



The sample mean is the point at which the data would balance if it were on a scale.

2-8. **High Dose Group:**

Sample average:

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{22} x_i}{22} = \frac{1158.2}{22} = 52.65$$

Sample variance:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{22} x_i = 1158.2$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{22} x_i^2 = 92270.6$$

$$s^{2} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i}^{2} - \frac{\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i}\right)^{2}}{n}}{n-1} = \frac{92270.6 - \frac{\left(1158.2\right)^{2}}{22}}{22 - 1} = \frac{31296.63}{21}$$

Sample standard deviation:

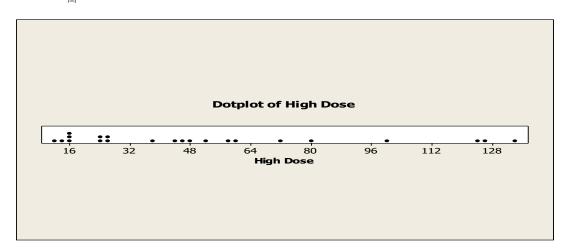
$$s = \sqrt{1490.32} = 38.60$$

The sample standard deviation could also be found using

$$s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} (x_i - \bar{x})^2}{n-1}}$$

where

$$\sum_{i=1}^{22} (x_i - \bar{x})^2 = 31296.6$$



Control Group:

Sample average:

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{22} x_i}{22} = \frac{8418.7}{22} = 382.67$$

Sample variance:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{22} x_i = 8418.7$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{22} x_i^2 = 6901280$$

$$s^{2} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i}^{2} - \frac{\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i}\right)^{2}}{n}}{n-1} = \frac{6901280 - \frac{(8418.7)^{2}}{22}}{22 - 1} = \frac{3679711.38}{21}$$

$$= 175224.35$$

Sample standard deviation:

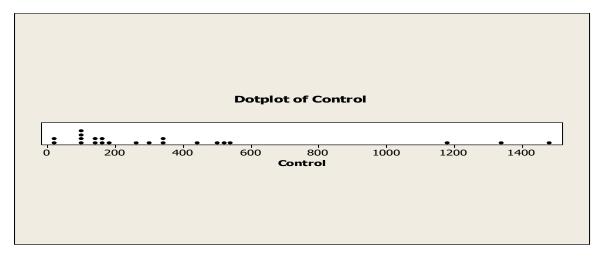
$$s = \sqrt{175224.35} = 418.60$$

The sample standard deviation could also be found using

$$s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} (x_i - \bar{x})^2}{n-1}}$$

where

$$\sum_{i=1}^{22} (x_i - \overline{x})^2 = 3679711.59$$



The control group has higher variance.

2-9. The only two data sets that may have resulted from a designed experiment is in Exercise 2-4 and 2-8.

Section 2-2

2-10. The stem and leaf display for weld strength $\,$ N $\,$ = $\,$ 100 Leaf Unit = 1.0

```
1 532 9
 1 533
 2 534 2
 4 535 47
 5 536 6
 9 537 5678
20 538 12345778888
26 539 016999
37 540 11166677889
46 541 123666688
(13) 542 0011222357899
41 543 01111556
33 544 00012455678
22 545 233447899
13 546 23569
 8 547 357
 5 548 11257
```

2-11. a) Stem-and-leaf display for cycles: unit = 100 1|2 represents 1200

```
1
      0T|3
 1
      0F|
 5
      0S|7777
10
      00|88899
22
      1*|00000011111
33
      1T|2222223333
(15)
      1F|4444455555555555
22
      1S|66667777777
11
      10|888899
 5
      2*|011
 2
      2T|22
```

b) No, only 5/70 survived beyond 2000 cycles.

2-12. Stem-and-leaf of Suspended solids N=60Leaf Unit = 1.0

```
2 9
 1
       3 1
 3
       3 9
 8
       4 22223
12
       4 5689
20
       5 01223444
       5 5666777899999
(13)
27
       6 11244
22
       6 556677789
13
      7 022333
 7
      7 6777
 3
       8 01
       8 9
```

2-13. Stem-and-leaf display for yield: unit = 1 - 1|2 represents 12

```
1
      70|8
 1
      8 * |
 7
      8T|223333
      8F|4444444555555
21
      88|6666666667777777
38
(11)
      80|88888999999
41
      9*|0000000001111
27
      9T|22233333
19
      9F|44444445555
 7
      9S|666677
 1
      90|8
```

2-14. Stem-and-leaf of High Dose N = 22 Leaf Unit = 1.0

It's not symmetric – right skewed.

Stem-and-leaf of Control N = 22Leaf Unit = 100 11 0 00001111111 11 0 2233 0 4455

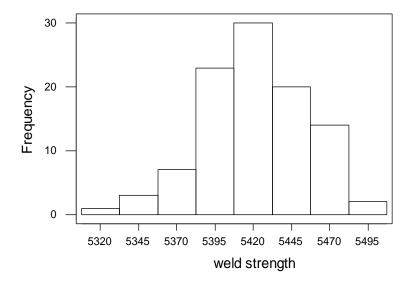
It's not symmetric – right skewed.

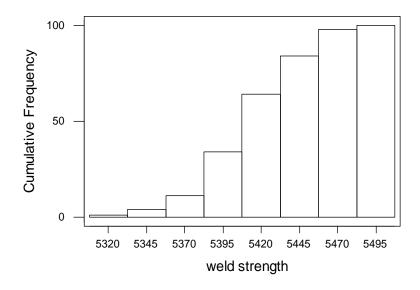
Their shapes are similar.

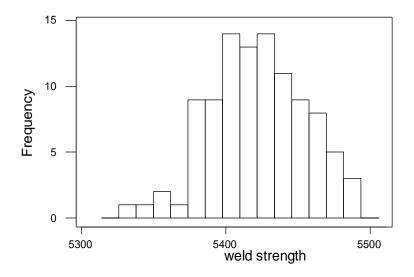
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2-15. Stem-and-leaf of solar intensity measurements \,\,\mathrm{N}\,\,=\,35\, Leaf Unit = 10\,
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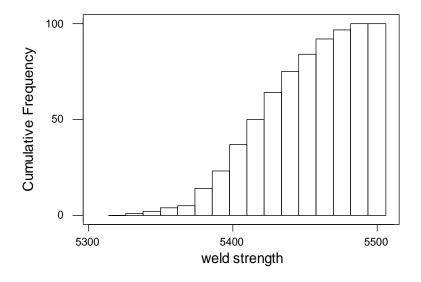
It's not symmetric - left skewed.

2-16	. Variable Weld strength	N 100	Median 5421.5	Q1 5399.0	Q3 5445.8	5 th 5366.45	95 th 5480.8
2-17	. Variable Cycles	N 70	Median 1436.5	Q1 1097.8	Q3 1735.0	5 th 772.85	95 th 2113.5
2-18	. Variable	N	Median	Q1	Q3	5 th	95 th
	Solids	60	59.45	52.03	68.35	39.455	79.965
2-19	. Variable	N	Median	Q1	Q3	5 th	95 th
	Yield	90	89.25	86.10	93.125	83.055	96.58

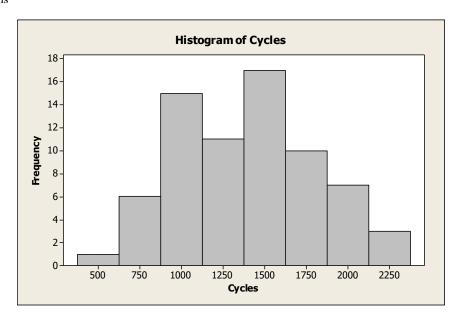


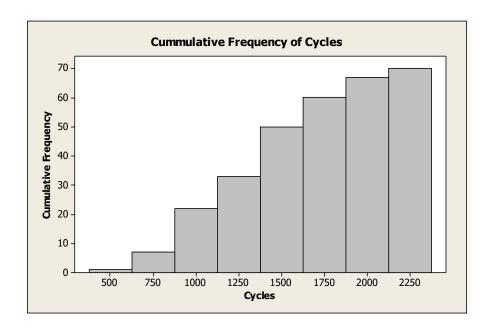


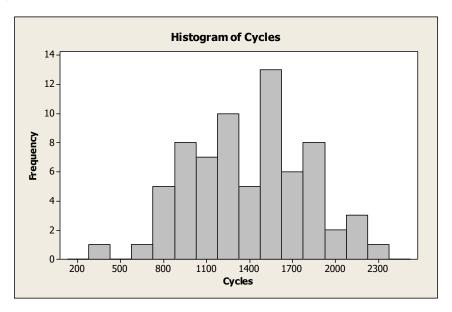


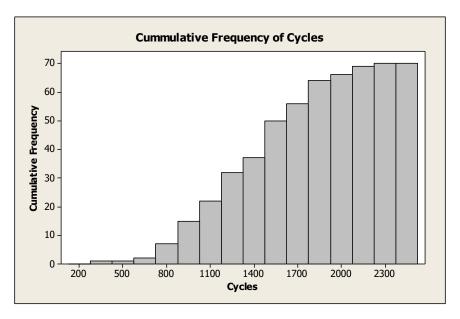


Yes, both histograms display similar information based on this dataset.

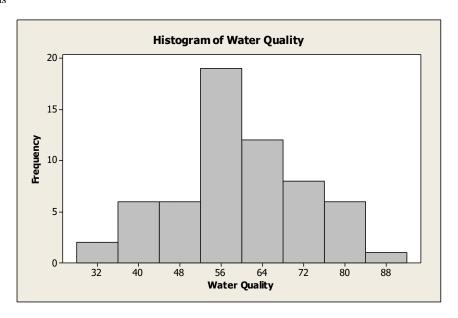


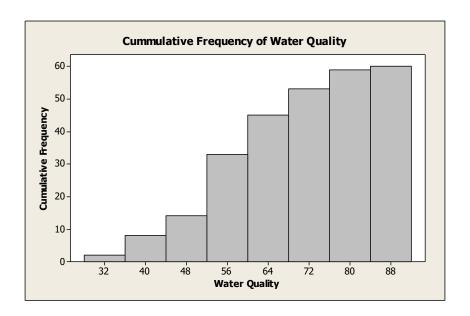


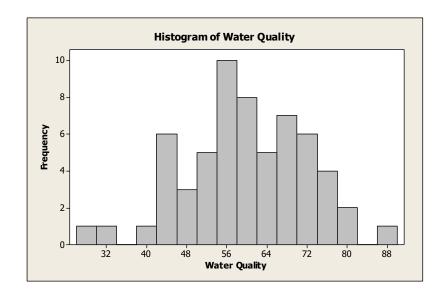


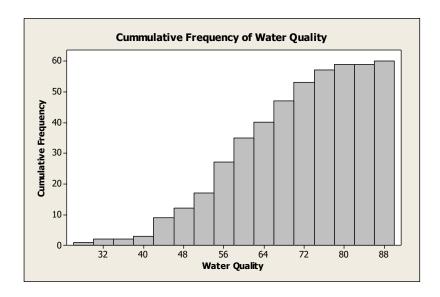


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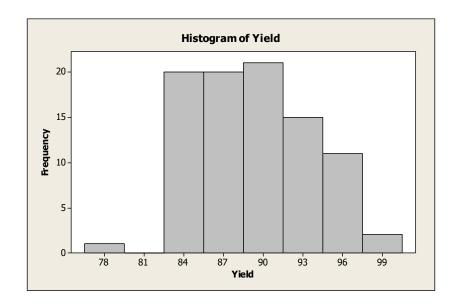


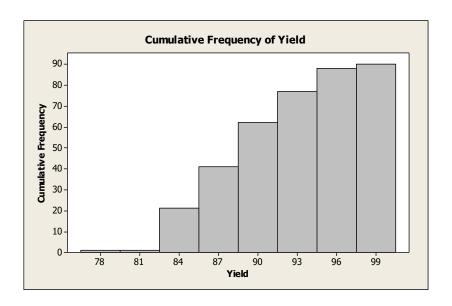


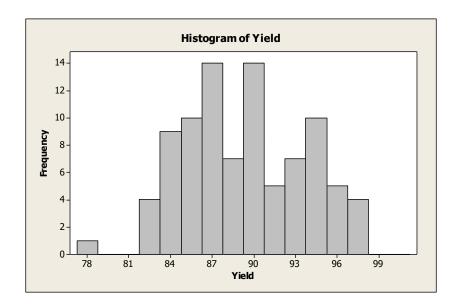


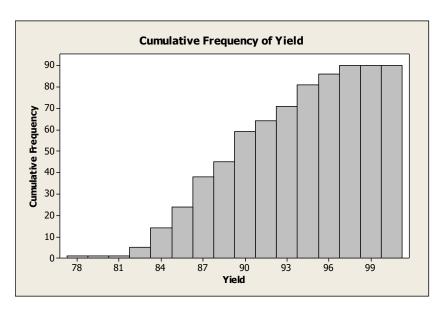


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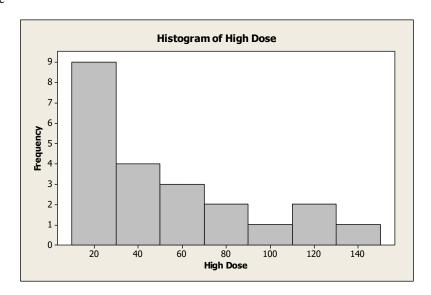


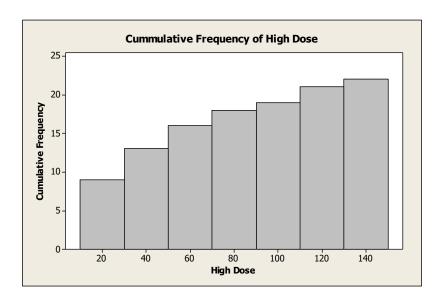




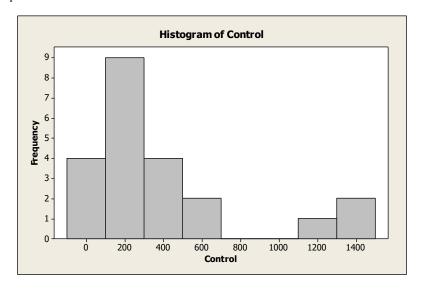
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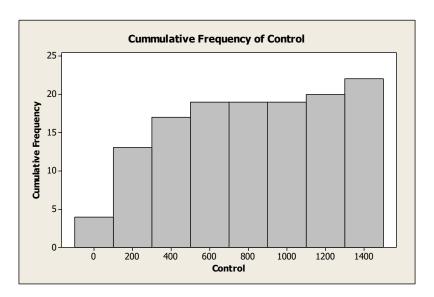
2-24. High Dose



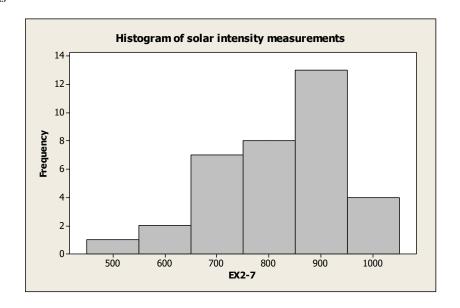


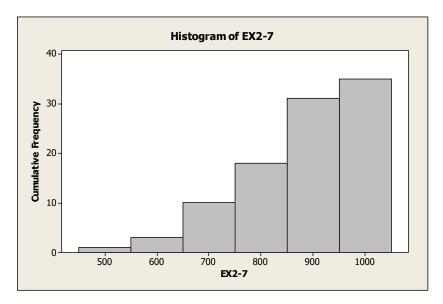
Control group



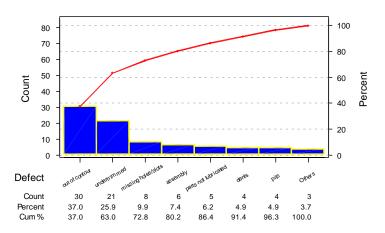


They both look similar.





Pareto Chart for Defect



Roughly 63% of defects are described by parts out of contour and parts under trimmed.

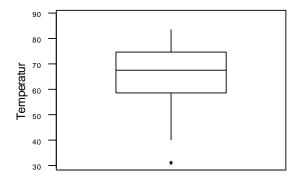
Section 2-4

- 2-27. a) Sample Mean: 65.86, Sample Standard Deviation: 12.16
 - b) Q₁: 58.5, Q₃: 75
 - c) Median: 67.5
 - d) Sample Mean: 66.86, Sample Standard Deviation: 10.74, Q_1 : 60, Q_3 : 75,

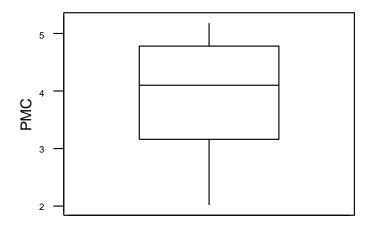
Median: 68

The mean has increased while the sample standard deviation has decreased. The lower quartile has increased while the upper quartile has remained unchanged. The median has increased slightly due to the removal of the data point. The smallest value appears quite different than the other temperature values.

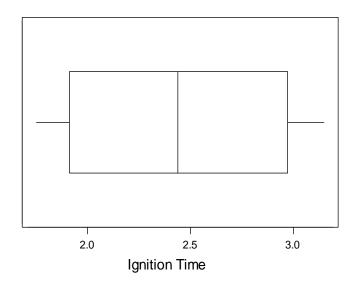
e) Using the entire data set, the box plot is



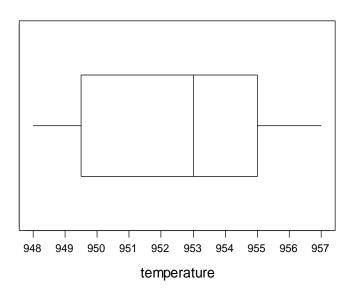
The value of 31 appears to be one possible outlier.



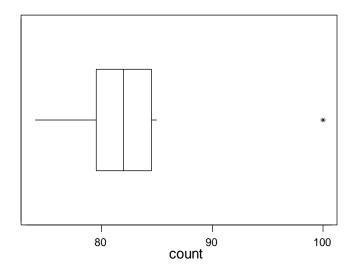
2-29. a) Sample mean = 2.415, Sample standard deviation = 0.534 b)



c)

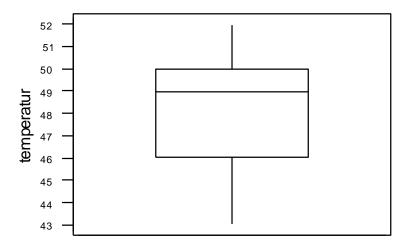


2-31. a) Sample mean: 83.11, sample variance = 50.55, sample standard deviation = 7.11 b) Q_1 = 79.5, Q_3 = 84.50 c)



d) Sample mean = 81, sample standard deviation = 3.46, $Q_1 = 79.25$, $Q_3 = 83.75$. The sample mean and the sample standard deviation have decreased. The lower quartile has decreased slightly while the upper quartile has decreased.

c) The data appear to be skewed.

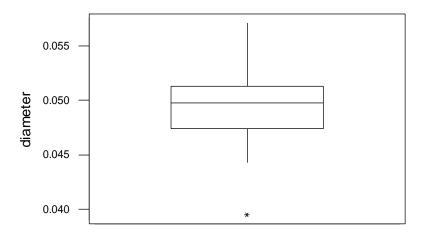


d) 5th Percentile: 43.25, 95th Percentile: 52

2-33. a) Sample Mean: 0.04939, Sample Variance: 0.00001568

b) Q₁: 0.04738, Q₃: 0.0513 c) Sample Median: 0.04975

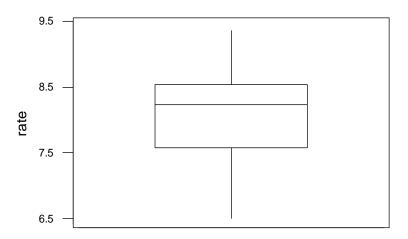
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a) Sample Mean: 8.059, Sample Variance: 0.661 b) $Q_1\colon 7.575,\,Q_3\colon 8.535$ 2-34.

c) Sample Median: 8.235

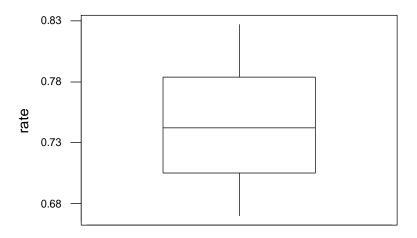
d)



e) 5th Percentile: 6.175, 95th Percentile: 9.3315

a) Sample Mean: 0.7481, Sample Variance: 0.00226 b) Q_1 : 0.7050, Q_3 : 0.7838 2-35.

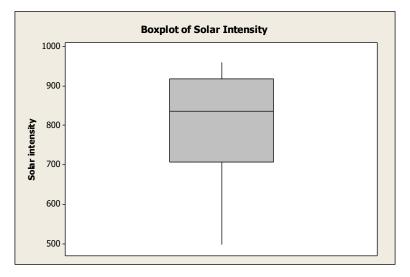
c) Sample Median: 0.742



2-36. a) Sample Mean: 810.5, Sample Variance: 16465.61

b) Q₁: 708, Q₃: 918 c) Sample Median: 835

d)

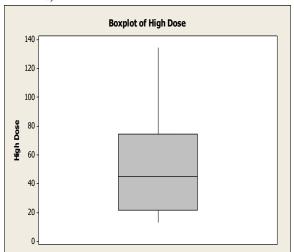


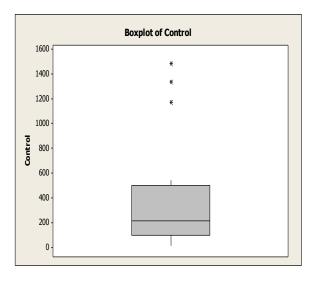
e) 5th Percentile: 546, 95th Percentile: 957.6

2-37. a) High Dose: Sample Mean: 52.65, Sample Variance: 1490.32 Control: Sample Mean: 382.7, Sample Variance: 175224.35

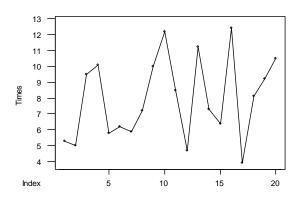
b) High Dose: Q₁: 21.70, Q₃:74.38
Control: Q₁: 101.9, Q₃: 501.1
c) High Dose: Sample Median: 45
Control: Sample Median: 215.4

d)



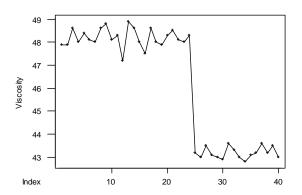


e) High Dose: 5th Percentile: 13.125, 95th Percentile: 133.67 Control: 5th Percentile: 17.045, 95th Percentile: 1460.23 All summary statistics are larger for the control group. 2-38.



Computer response time appears random. No trends or patterns are obvious.

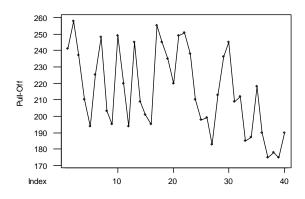
2-39. a)



Stem-and-leaf display for Problem 2-32. Viscosity: unit = $0.1 \ 1|2$ represents 1.2

- 2 420|89
- 12 43*|0000112223
- 16 430|5566
- 16 44*
- 16 44o
- 16 45*
- 16 45o
- 16 46*
- 16 46o
- 17 47*|2
- (4) 470|5999
- 19 48*|000001113334
- 7 480|5666689
- b) The plots indicates that the process is not stable and not capable of meeting the specifications.

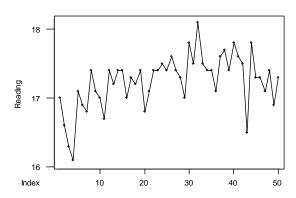
2-40. a)



- b) Stem-and-leaf display for Problem 2-33. Force: unit = 1 1/2 represents 12
 - 3 17|558
 - 6 18|357
 - 14 19|00445589
 - 18 20|1399
 - (5) 21|00238
 - 17 22|005
 - 14 23|5678
 - 10 24|1555899
 - 3 25|158

In the time series plot there appears to be a downward trend beginning after time 30.

2-41.

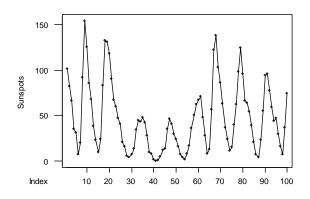


- 3 165|0
- 4 166|0
- 5 167|0
- 7 168|00
- 9 169|00
- 13 170|0000
- 18 171 00000
- 20 172|00
- 25 173|00000
- 25 174|00000000000000
- 12 175 0000
- 8 176|000
- 5 177|0
- 4 178|000

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The data appear skewed.

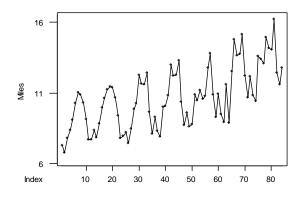
2-42. a)



b) Stem-and-leaf display for Problem 2-35. Sunspots: unit = 1 1/2 represents 12

- 17 0|01224445677777888
- 29 1|001234456667
- 39 2|0113344488
- 50 3|00145567789
- 50 4|011234567788
- 38 5|04579
- 33 6|0223466778
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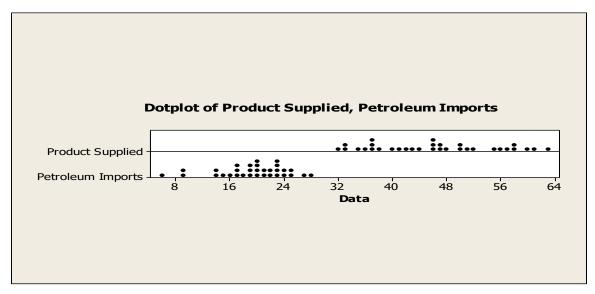
The data appears to decrease between 1790 and 1835, and after 1839 the stem and leaf plot indicates skewed data.



- b) Stem-and-leaf display for Problem 2-36. Miles: unit = 0.1 1|2 represents 1.2
 - 1 617
 - 10 7|246678889
 - 22 8|013334677889
 - 33 9|01223466899
- (18) 10|022334456667888889
- 33 11|012345566
- 24 12|11222345779
- 13 13|1245678
- 6 14|0179
- 2 15|1
- 1 16|2

There is an increasing trend in the data.

2-44. Digidot plot

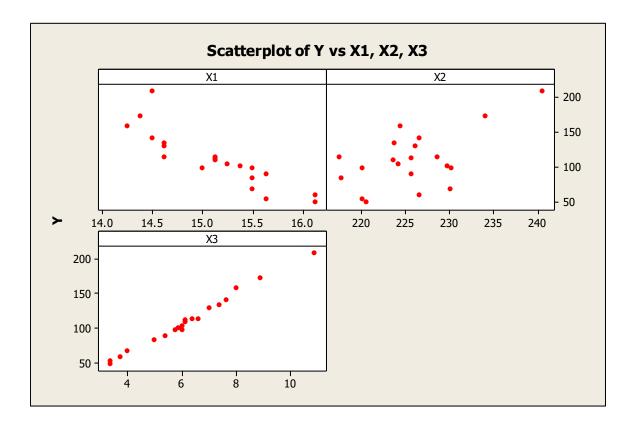


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Leaf Unit = 1.0
 4
     3 2334
9
     3 66778
14
    4
       00124
(7)
    4
       5566779
11
    5
       0014
7
     5
       5688
3
     6
       013
Stem-and-leaf of Petroleum Imports N = 32
Leaf Unit = 1.0
     0
        6
3
    0 89
3
    1
5
    1
       33
 6
    1 4
11
    1
       66777
16
    1
       89999
16
    2
       000011
10
       2233
     2
        4445
 2
     2
        67
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Stem-and-leaf of Product Supplied N = 32

Section 2-6

2-45. a) X1 has negative correlation with Y, X2 and X3 have positive correlation with Y.



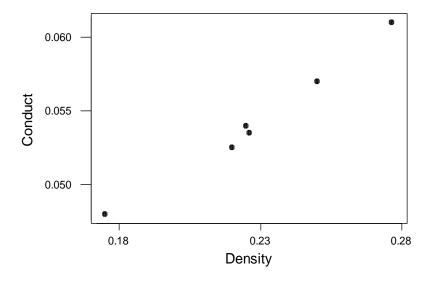
b)
$$r_{x_1} = \frac{S_{x_1 y}}{\sqrt{S_{x_1 x_1} S_{yy}}} = \frac{-375.185}{\sqrt{5.875 \times 30725.23}} = -0.883$$

$$r_{x_2} = \frac{S_{x_2 y}}{\sqrt{S_{x_2 x_2} S_{yy}}} = \frac{2486.19}{\sqrt{591.778 \times 30725.23}} = 0.585$$

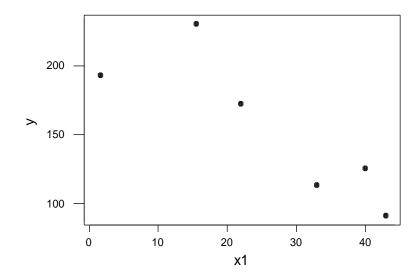
$$r_{x_3} = \frac{S_{x_3 y}}{\sqrt{S_{x_2 x_2} S_{yy}}} = \frac{1415.5}{\sqrt{65.778 \times 30725.23}} = 0.995$$

X1 has a strong negative correlation with Y, X3 has a strong positive correlation with Y and X2 has a moderate positive correlation with Y. The correlation coefficients agree with the scatter plot in part (a).

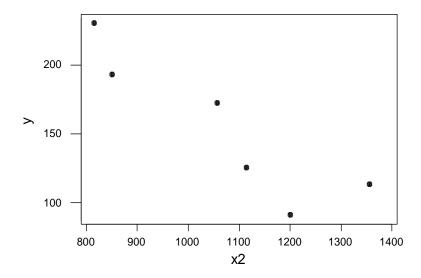
2-46. a) Positive sign



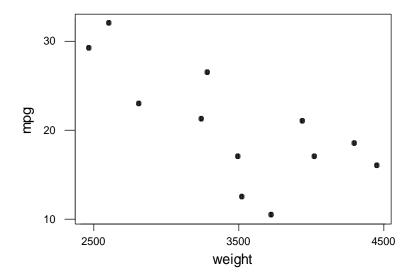
b) 0.993. X has a strong positive correlation with Y



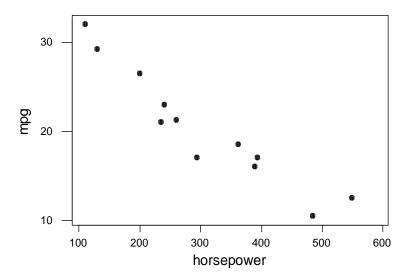
y versus x2



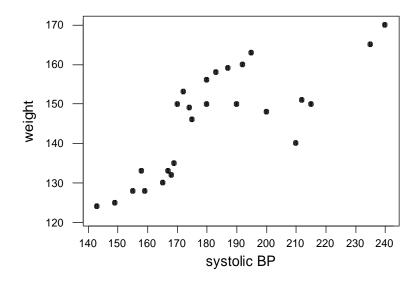
b) y versus x_1 : -0.852; y versus x_2 : -0.898. X1 and X2 have a moderately strong negative correlation with Y



MPG versus horsepower



b) MPG versus weight: -0.709; MPG versus horsepower: -0.947. Weight has a strong negative correlation with MPG while weight has a moderate negative correlation with MPG



b) 0.773. Weight has a moderate positive correlation with systolic BP.

Supplemental Exercises

- 2-50. a) Sample Mean = 7.1838; The sample mean value is close enough to the target value to accept the solution as conforming. There is slight difference due to inherent variability.
 - b) $s^2 = 0.000427$, s = 0.02066; A major source of variability would include measurement to measurement error. A low variance is desirable since it may indicate consistency from measurement to measurement.

2-51. a)
$$\sum_{i=1}^{6} x_i^2 = 10,433$$
 $\left(\sum_{i=1}^{6} x_i\right)^2 = 62,001$ $n = 6$

$$s^2 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{6} x_i^2 - \frac{\left(\sum_{i=1}^{6} x_i\right)^2}{n}}{n-1} = \frac{10,433 - \frac{62,001}{6}}{6-1} = 19.9\Omega^2 \qquad s = \sqrt{19.9\Omega^2} = 4.46\Omega$$
b) $\overline{x} = \frac{246}{6} = 41.5 \qquad n = 6$

$$s^2 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{6} (x_i - \overline{x})^2}{n-1} = \frac{99.5}{5} = 19.9\Omega^2; \qquad s = \sqrt{19.9\Omega^2} = 4.46\Omega$$

- c) $s^2 = 19.9\Omega^2$ $s = 4.46\Omega$; Shifting the data from the sample by a constant amount has no effect on the sample variance or standard deviation.
- d) Yes, the rescaling is by a factor of 10. Therefore, s^2 and s would be rescaled by multiplying s^2 by 10^2 (resulting in $1990\Omega^2$) and s by 10 (44.6 Ω).
- 2-52. a) Sample Range = 3.2, $s^2 = 0.866$, s = 0.931
 - b) Sample Range = 3.2, $s^2 = 0.866$, s = 0.931;

These are the same as in part a). Any constant would produce the same results.

2-53. a)
$$\overline{x}_{n+1} = \frac{\sum\limits_{i=1}^{n+1} x_i}{n+1} = \frac{\sum\limits_{i=1}^{n} x_i + x_{n+1}}{n+1}$$
; $\overline{x}_{n+1} = \frac{n\overline{x}_n + x_{n+1}}{n+1}$; $\overline{x}_{n+1} = \frac{n}{n+1}\overline{x}_n + \frac{x_{n+1}}{n+1}$
b) $ns_{n+1}^2 = \sum\limits_{i=1}^{n} x_i^2 + x_{n+1}^2 - \frac{\left(\sum\limits_{i=1}^{n} x_i + x_{n+1}\right)^2}{n+1}$

$$= \sum\limits_{i=1}^{n} x_i^2 + x_{n+1}^2 - \frac{\left(\sum\limits_{i=1}^{n} x_i^2\right)^2}{n+1} - \frac{2x_{n+1}\sum\limits_{i=1}^{n} x_i}{n+1} - \frac{x_{n+1}^2}{n+1}$$

$$= \sum\limits_{i=1}^{n} x_i^2 + \frac{n}{n+1} x_{n+1}^2 - \frac{n}{n+1} 2x_{n+1}\overline{x}_n - \frac{\left(\sum\limits_{i=1}^{n} x_i\right)^2}{n+1}$$

$$= \left[\sum\limits_{i=1}^{n} x_i^2 - \frac{\left(\sum\limits_{i=1}^{n} x_i\right)^2}{n+1} + \frac{n}{n+1} \left[x_{n+1}^2 - 2x_{n+1}\overline{x}_n\right] \right]$$

$$= \sum\limits_{i=1}^{n} x_i^2 - \frac{\left(\sum\limits_{i=1}^{n} x_i\right)^2}{n} + \frac{(n+1)\left(\sum\limits_{i=1}^{n} x_i\right)^2 - n\left(\sum\limits_{i=1}^{n} x_i\right)^2}{n(n+1)} + \frac{n}{n+1} \left[x_{n+1}^2 - 2x_n\overline{x}_n\right]$$

$$= (n-1)s_n^2 + \frac{n}{n+1} + \frac{n}{n+1} \left[x_{n+1}^2 - 2x_n\overline{x}_n\right]$$

$$= (n-1)s_n^2 + \frac{n}{n+1} \left(x_{n+1} - 2x_n\overline{x}_n + \overline{x}_n^2\right)$$

$$= (n-1)s_n^2 + \frac{n}{n+1} \left(x_{n+1} - 2x_n\overline{x}_n + \overline{x}_n^2\right)$$

$$= (n-1)s_n^2 + \frac{n}{n+1} \left(x_{n+1} - 2x_n\overline{x}_n + \overline{x}_n^2\right)$$

c)
$$\bar{x}_n = 41.5$$
 $x_{n+1} = 46$ $sn^2 = 19.9$ $n = 6$

$$\bar{x}_{n+1} = \frac{6(41.5) + 46}{6+1}$$

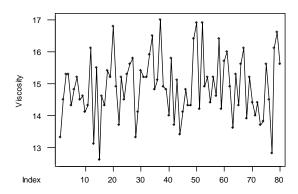
$$= 42.14$$

$$s_{n+1} = \frac{\sqrt{(6-1)19.9 + \frac{6}{6+1}46 - 41.5}}{6}$$

- 2-54. The trimmed mean is pulled toward the median by eliminating outliers.
 - a) 10% Trimmed Mean = 89.29
 - b) 20% Trimmed Mean = 89.19, Difference is very small
 - c) No, the differences are very small, due to a very large data set with no significant outliers.
 - d) If nT/100 is not an integer, calculate the two surrounding integer values and interpolate between the two. For example, if nT/100 = 2/3, one could calculate the mean after trimming 2 and 3 observations from each end and then interpolate between these two means.

- 2-55. a) Sample 1: 4; Sample 2: 4 Yes, the two appear to exhibit the same variability.
 - b) Sample 1: 1.604, Sample 2: 1.852 No, sample 2 has a larger standard deviation.
 - c) The sample range is a crude estimate of the sample variability as compared to the sample standard deviation since the standard deviation uses the information from every data point in the sample whereas the range uses the information contained in only two data points - the minimum and maximum.

2-56. a)



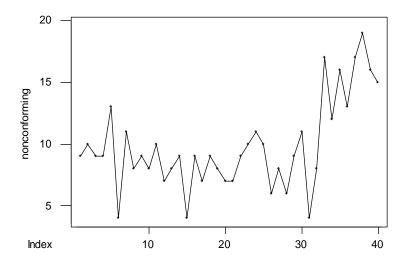
The data appears to vary between 12.5 and 17, with no obvious pattern.

- b) The plot indicates that the two processes generate similar results. This is evident since the data appear to be centered around the same mean.
- c) 1st 40 observations: Sample Mean = 14.87, Sample Variance = 0.899 2nd 40 observations: Sample Mean = 14.92, Sample Variance = 1.05

The quantities indicate the processes do yield the same mean level. The variability also appears to be about the same, with the sample variance for the 2nd 40 observations being slightly larger than that for the 1st 40.

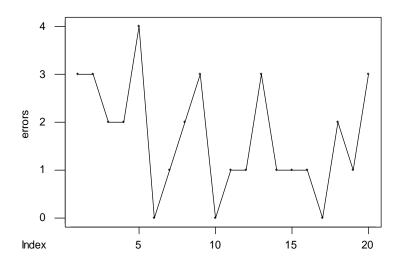
- 2-57. a) Stem-and-leaf of nonconforming; N = 40, Leaf Unit = 0.10
 - 3 4 000
 - 3 5
 - 5 6 00
 - 9 7 0000
 - 15 8 000000
 - (9) 9 000000000
 - 16 10 0000
 - 12 11 000
 - 9 12 0
 - 8 13 00
 - 6 14
 - 6 15 0
 - 5 16 00
 - 3 17 00
 - 1 18
 - 1 190
 - b) Sample Mean: 9.8; Sample Standard deviation: 3.611

c) There appears to be an increase in the average number of nonconforming springs made during the 40 days.



- 2-58. a) Stem-and-leaf of errors N = 20, Leaf Unit = 0.10
 - 3 0 000
 - 10 1 0000000
 - 10 2 0000
 - 6 3 00000
 - b) Sample average: 1.7, Sample Standard deviation: 1.174

c)



The time series plot indicates a slight decrease in the number of errors.