

# Basic Statistics

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# INTRODUCTION

- Statistics is the science of collecting, organizing, analyzing, and interpreting numerical data.
- It helps us understand patterns, make predictions, and support decisions using data.

## Two main types of statistics

Descriptive Statistics

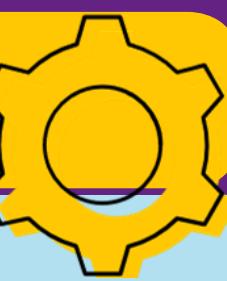
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# 1. Descriptive Statistics

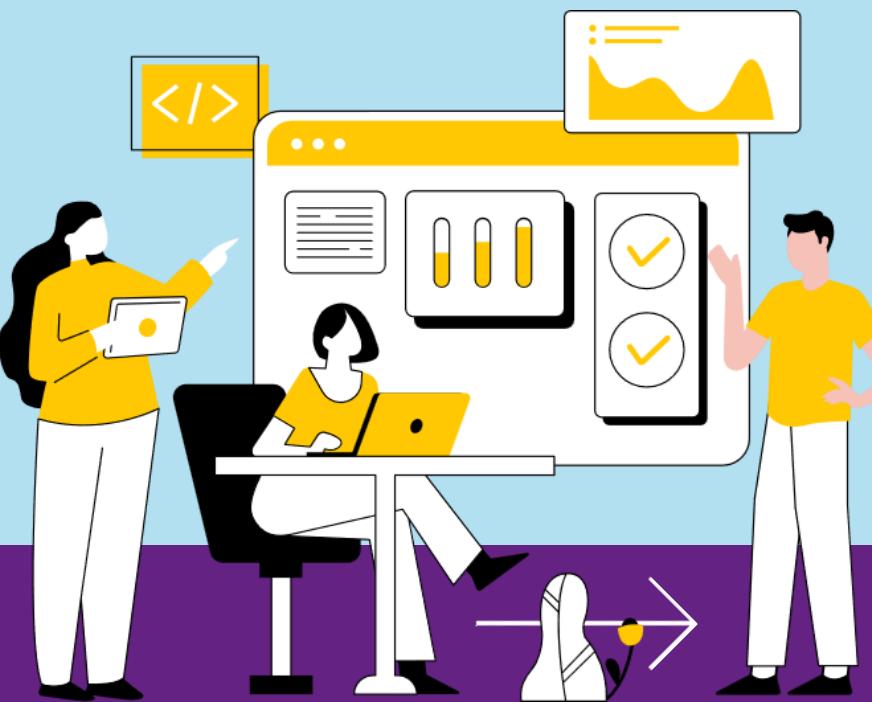


- **Purpose:** To summarize and describe data.
- **What it does:** Organizes raw data into a meaningful form.

## Examples of tools:

- Measures of central tendency (mean, median, mode)
- Measures of spread (range, variance, standard deviation)
- Tables, charts, and graphs

**Weather Summaries: The average temperature in Basra during November**



## 2. Inferential Statistics

- **Purpose:** To make predictions or draw conclusions about a population based on a sample.
- **What it does:** Uses probability theory to generalize from data.

### Examples of tools:

-  **Hypothesis Testing** → document + calculator
-  **Confidence Intervals** → bell curve with interval line
-  **Regression Analysis** → scatter plot with best-fit line
-  **ANOVA** → three boxplots side by side



Educational Research: Predicting student performance based on a sample of class .



# Summary

## Applied Statistics



### Descriptive Statistics

Used to describe data



### Inferential Statistics

Helps us make predictions



# نشاط

النشاط الجماعي (10 دقائق)

1. “When you read a report saying that *the average height of students in our university is 170 cm*, what kind of statistics is that?  
A. “If we use that data to *predict* the average height of all university students in Iraq, what kind of statistics ?

توزيع الطلبة إلى مجموعتين:

*Group A: gathers examples of descriptive statistics from real life*

*Group B: gathers examples of inferential statistics*



# Frequency Distribution

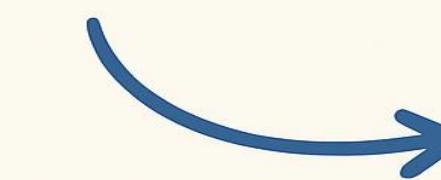
- Organizing Raw Data for Better Insights



## FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION

### RAW DATA

50 60 70 60 80  
90 70 60 70

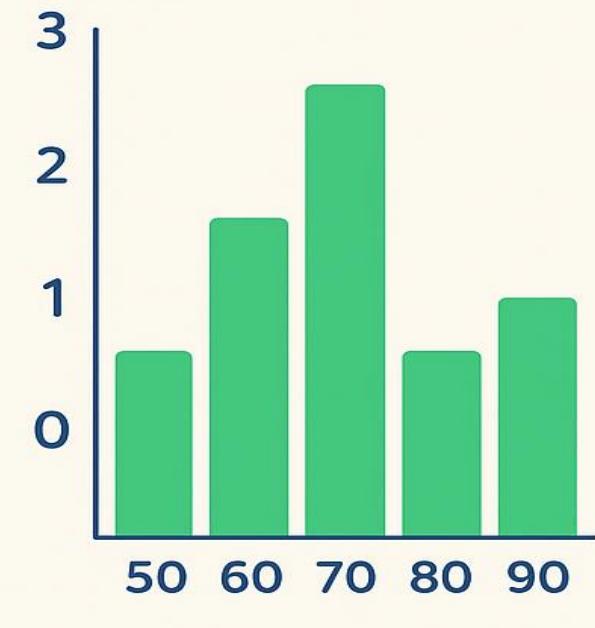


### CLASSES

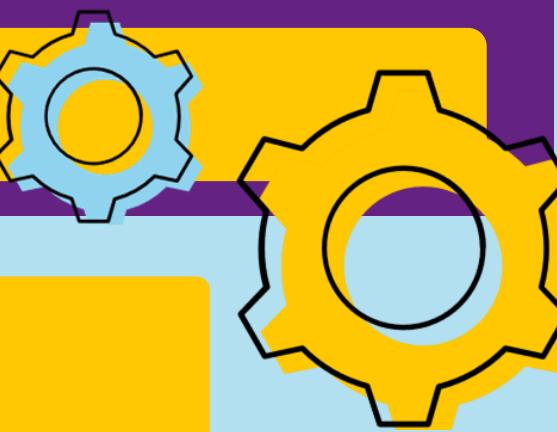
50–59	1
60–69	3
70–79	3
80–89	1
90–100	2

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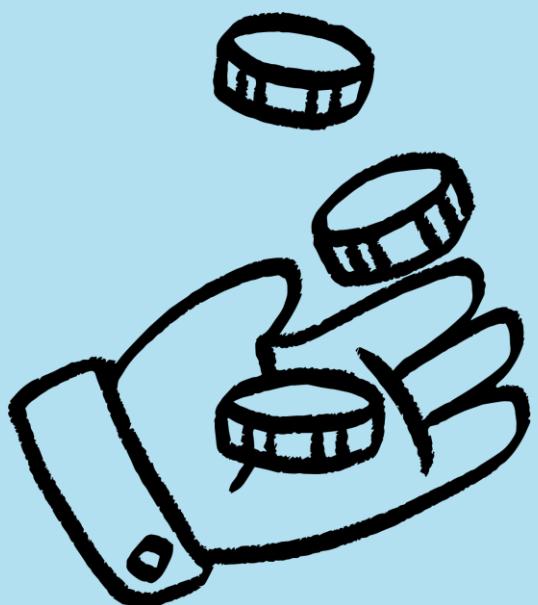
CLASS	FREQUENCY
50–59	1
60–69	3
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# Cumulative Frequency



- Cumulative frequency is the running total of the frequencies from the beginning up to that class.
- It helps us answer questions like: "How many students scored less than 90?"



 Example Dataset

Score Range	Frequency	Cumulative Frequency
0-49	3	3
50-69	5	8
70-79	7	15
80-89	4	19
90-100	6	25

👉 So, less than 90 → cumulative frequency = 19 students.



# Calss work Activity :

Students classify the fields as *Active* or *Inactive* and create a **frequency table**.

- Use Excel:

create a **frequency table**:

**A. Histogram**

**B. Bar Chart**



Iraq's Major Oil Fields – Sample Data				
No.	Oil Field	Region	Status	Daily Production   (thousand barrels)
1	Rumaila	South	Active	1,300
2	West Qurna 1	South	Active	800
3	Majnoon	South	Active	250
4	Kirkuk	North	Active	400
5	Qayyarah	North	Active	30
6	East Baghdad	Central	Inactive	0
7	Akkaz	West	Inactive	0
8	Al-Ahdab	Central	Active	140
9	Nasiriyah	South	Active	90
10	Hamrin	North	Inactive	0



# Activity 2:



# Activity 3 :

A class interval table is given:

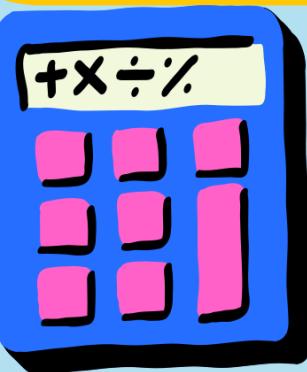
Class Interval	Frequency (f)
0-10	5
10-20	7
20-30	8
30-40	10

What is the **cumulative frequency (cf)** for the class 20–30?

- A) 8
- B) 12
- C) 20



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# Basic Statistics

Part 2



Do you  
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Mean?



# Mean ( $\mu$ )

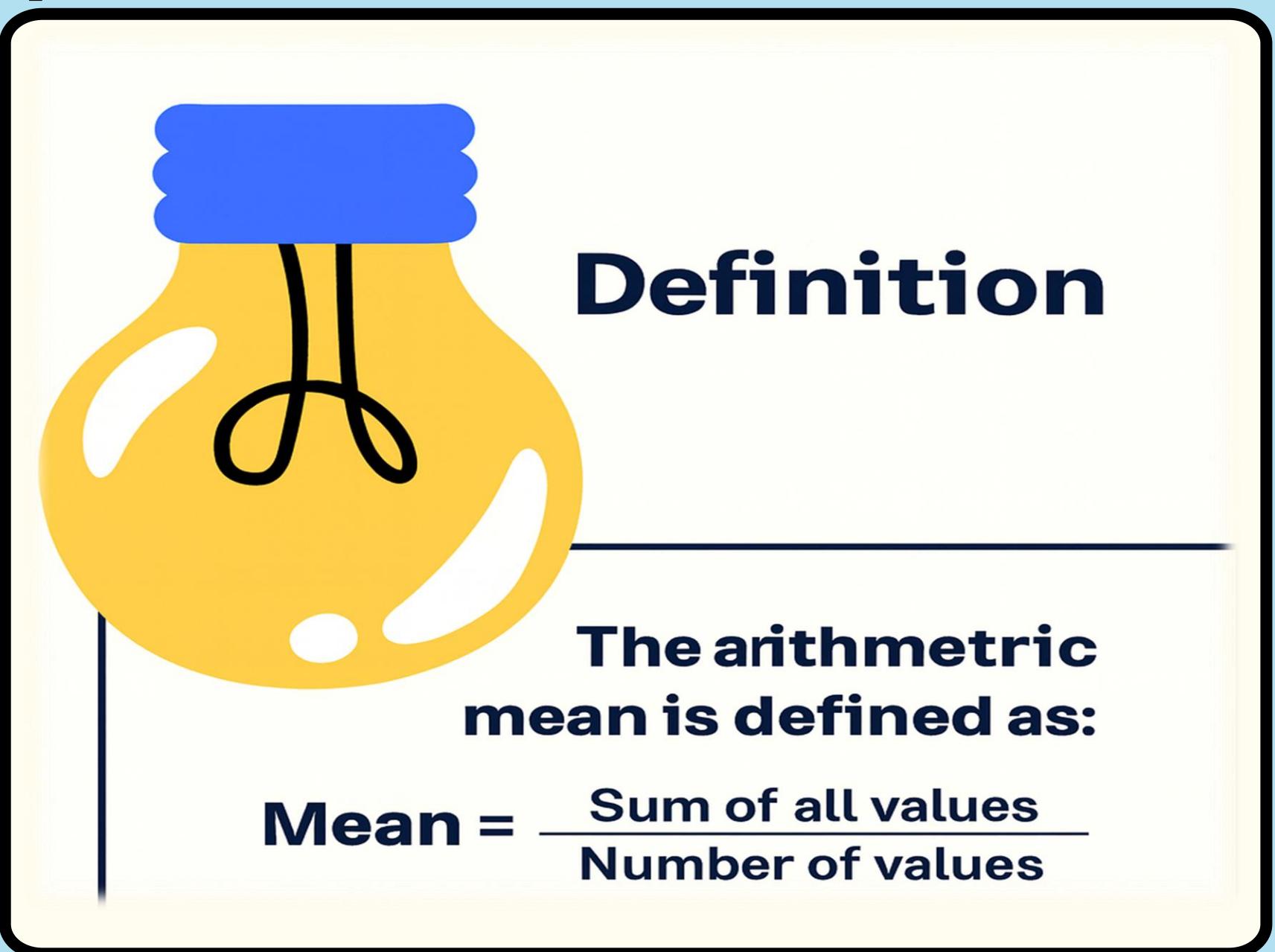
## 1. Introduction

The arithmetic mean, often called the **average**, is one of the most commonly used measures of central tendency in statistics. It provides a single value that summarizes or represents an entire dataset

The mean is used to describe the general tendency of data, representing a “typical” or “central” value. In engineering and industrial fields, **it helps identify average production rates, performance levels, or operational efficiency**.



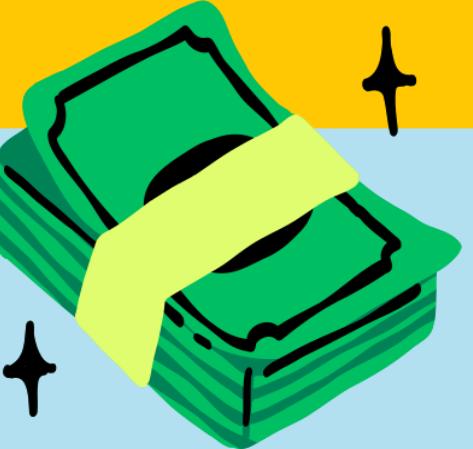
# Mean ( $\mu$ )



$$\bar{X} = \frac{\sum X_i}{n}$$



## Example : Salaries (in \$1000s)



Problem: Find the mean of salaries: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6

Solution:

$$\bar{X} = \frac{2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 6}{5} = \frac{20}{5} = 4$$



Answer: The mean salary = 4 (thousand dollars)



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SD?



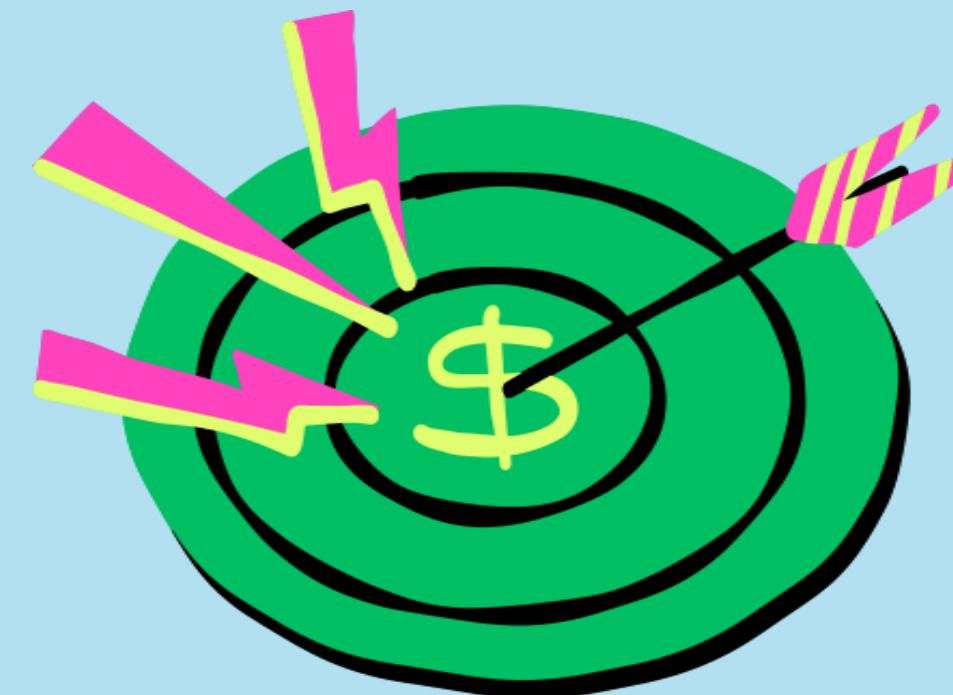
# INTRODUCTION

- The **standard deviation** is a key statistical measure that tells you how spread out the values in a dataset are. It quantifies the amount of variation or dispersion from the mean (average).

**Two main types of standard deviation**

**for a population**

**01.**



**for a sample**

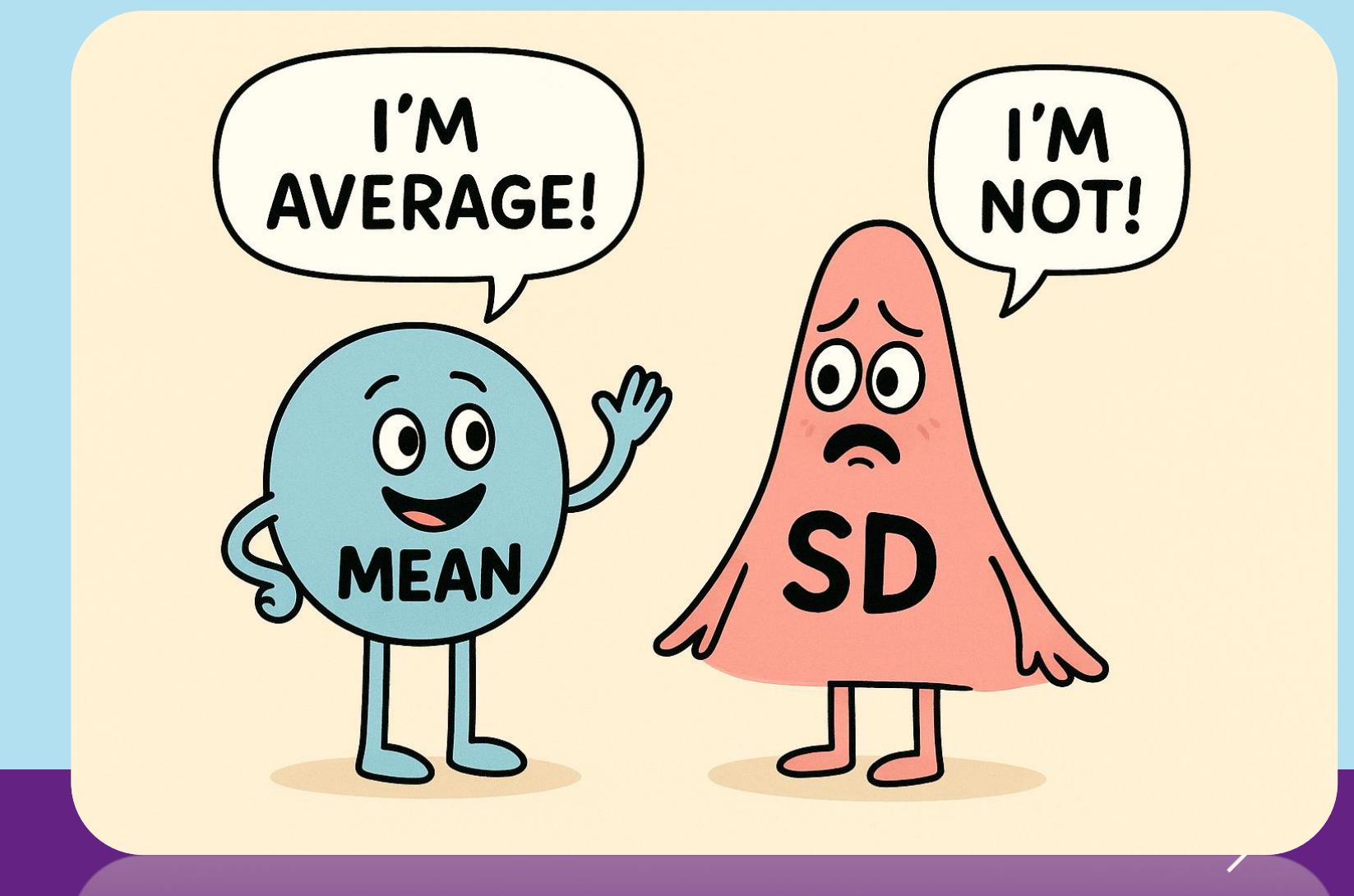
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# Definition

Standard Deviation is a **measure of dispersion** in a dataset.

- It tells us how far the values spread out from the **mean (average)**.
- A **small SD** means the data points are close to the mean.
- A **large SD** means the data points are more spread out



# Applications of Standard Deviation



- **Education:**  
To measure variation in student scores (e.g., how consistent exam results are).
- **Manufacturing:**  
To check consistency in product quality (low SD means stable production).



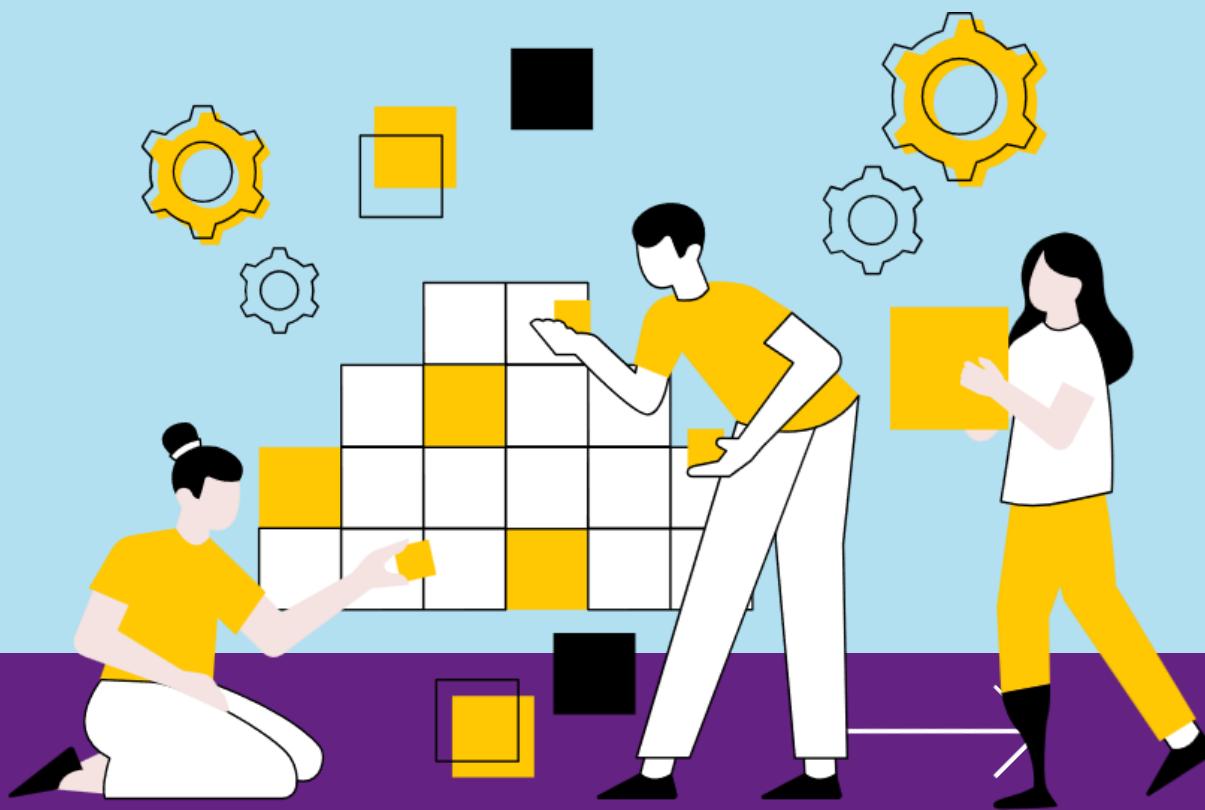
# 1. Standard deviation for a population



$$\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (x_i - \mu)^2}$$



$\sigma$ : standard deviation  
 $N$ : number of data points  
 $x_i$  :each individual data point  
 $\mu$ : mean of the dataset



## 2. Standard deviation for a sample



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



$\bar{x}$ : sample mean  
s: sample standard deviation  
n: sample size



# Example :

**Dataset: Values: 4, 5, 8, 10**

**Steps 1**

**Mean:**

$$\bar{X} = \frac{4+5+8+10}{4} = \frac{27}{4} = 6.75$$

**Steps 2**

**Deviations from mean ( Variance):**

**4 - 6.75: -2.75**

**5 - 6.75: -1.75**

**8 - 6.75: 1.25**

**10 - 6.75: 3.25**



# Example :

## Steps 3



### Squared deviations:

$$(-2.75)^2 = 7.5625$$

$$(-1.75)^2 = 3.0625$$

$$(1.25)^2 = 1.5625$$

$$(3.25)^2 = 10.5625$$

**Sum:**  $7.5625 + 3.0625 + 1.5625 + 10.5625 = 22.75$

## Steps 4

### Population variance and SD:

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{22.75}{4} = 5.6875$$

$$\sigma = \sqrt{5.6875} \approx 2.385$$

### Sample variance and SD (if this is a sample):

$$s^2 = \frac{22.75}{4 - 1} = \frac{22.75}{3} \approx 7.5833$$



$$s = \sqrt{7.5833} \approx 2.753$$



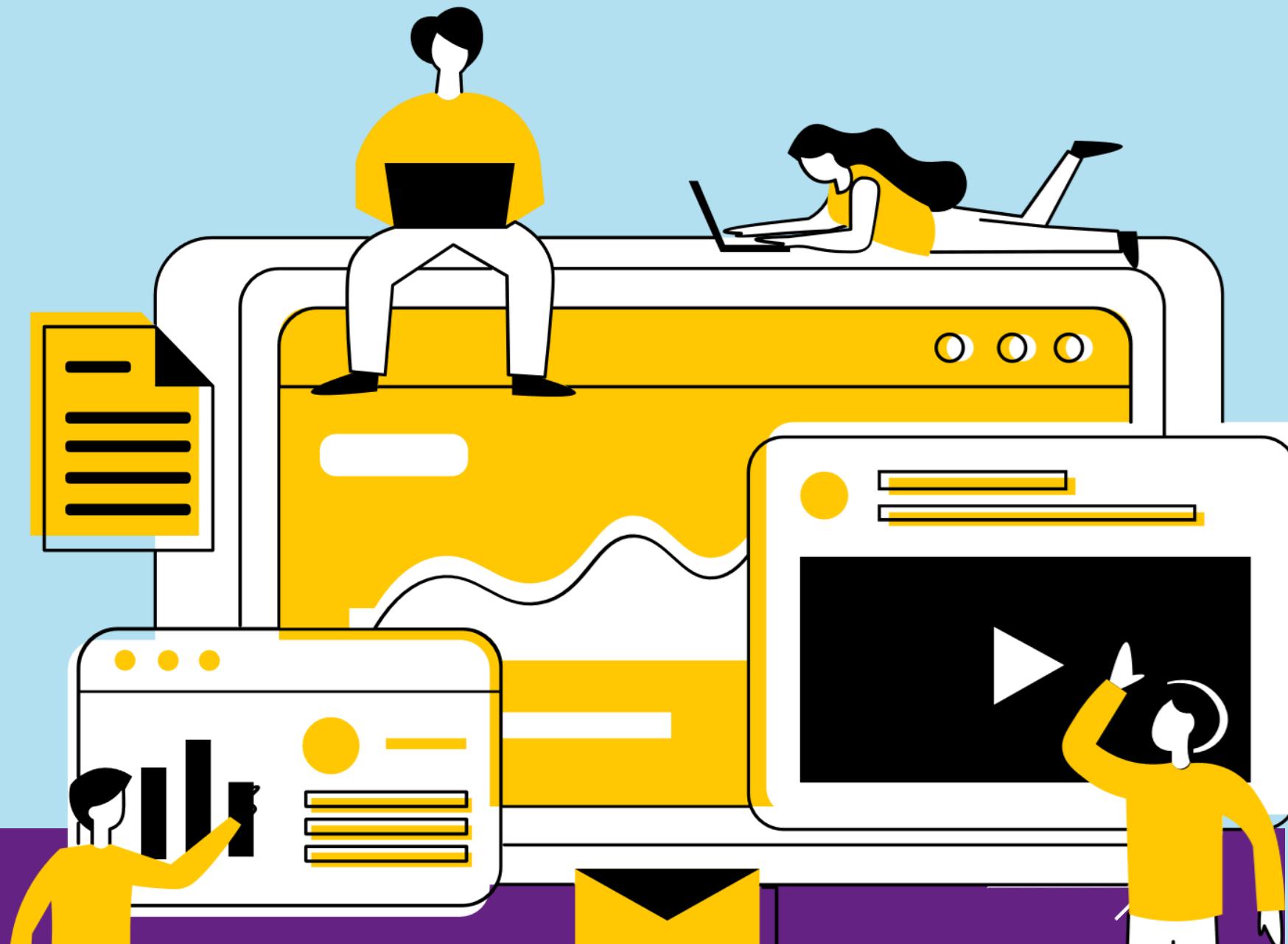
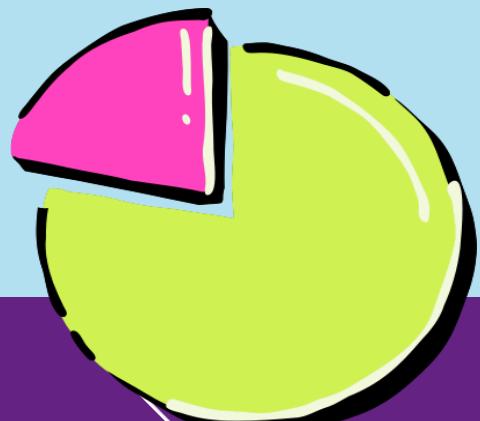
# Activity Together Groups

An oil field produces the following barrels per day (BPD) over 7 days:

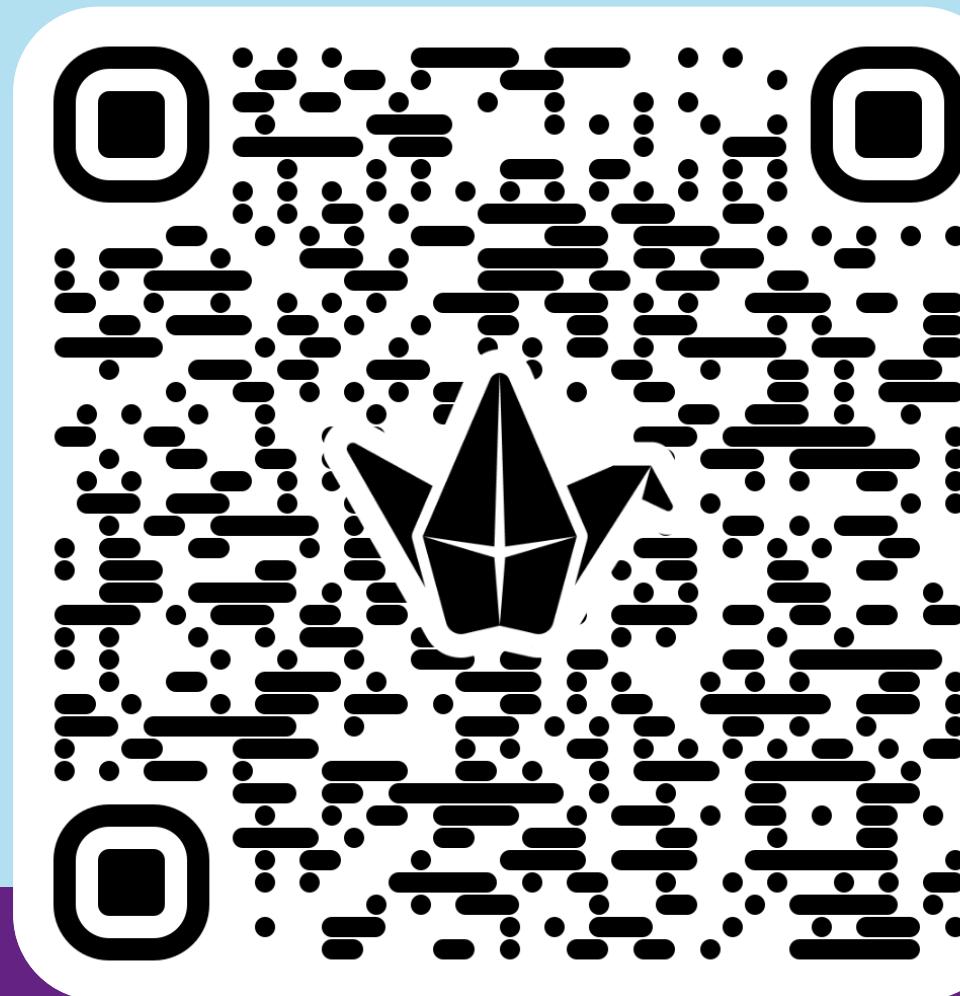
[10,200 | 10,500 | 10,300 | 10,400 | 10,700 | 10,600 | 10,300]

What is the SD :

- for Population
- for a sample



# Class Work Activity



# H.W



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