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| Main Ideas/Questions | Notes/Examples |  |  |
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| Box and Whisker Plot | A graphic format used to display the median, quartiles, and extremes of a data set on a number line that shows the distribution of the data |  |  |
| Five-Number Summary | The values used to create the box and whisker plot: <br> - Minimum value: the smallest value in the data set <br> - Lower Quartile $\left(Q_{1}\right)$ : median of the lower half of the data set <br> - Median: the value in the middle when the data is ordered from least to greatest <br> - Upper Quartile $\left(Q_{3}\right)$ : median of the upper half of the data set <br> - Maximum Value: the largest value in the data set |  |  |
| Quartiles | - $Q_{1}$ - lower quartile is the left edge of the box <br> - $Q_{3}$ - upper quartile is the right edge of the box |  |  |
| Interquartile Range | - upper quartile - lower quartile $\operatorname{OR} Q_{3}-Q_{1}$ <br> - $Q_{1}$ to $Q_{3}$ (box) represents $50 \%$ of the data set |  |  |
| Drawing Box and Whisker Plots | 1. The resting heart rates, in beats per minute (bpm), of a group of people are given below. Find the five-number summary, draw the box and whisker plot, and then answer the questions that follow. |  |  |
|  | $\{55,72,64,58,50,62,70,84,92,76,68,60\}$ |  | Minimum: $\qquad$ <br> Lower Quartile: $\qquad$ <br> Median: $\qquad$ <br> Upper Quartile: $\qquad$ <br> Maximum: $\qquad$ |
|  | a) What is the range? ${ }^{\text {a }}$ ( W) What is the |  | nterquartile range? |
|  | c) What percent has a resting heart rate less than 66 bpm ? | d) What percent have a resting heart rate of no more than 74 bpm ? |  |
|  | e) What percent have a resting heart rate between 50 and 59 bpm ? | f) What percent has a resting heart rate between 66 and 92 bpm? |  |


| Drawing Box and Whisker <br> Plots (continued) | Directions: Draw the box and whisker plot and give the five-number summary for each data set. |  |  |
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|  | 2. Number of games won by the Detroit Lions in their last 10 seasons:$\{9,7,11,7,4,10,6,2,0,7\}$ |  | Minimum: $\qquad$ <br> Lower Quartile: $\qquad$ <br> Median: $\qquad$ <br> Upper Quartile: $\qquad$ <br> Maximum: $\qquad$ |
|  | 3. The speed of 9 cars on the highway:$\{62,77,80,54,65,67,58,63,70\}$ |  | Minimum: $\qquad$ <br> Lower Quartile: $\qquad$ <br> Median: $\qquad$ <br> Upper Quartile: $\qquad$ <br> Maximum: $\qquad$ |
|  | 4. The high temperature in the last 15 days:$\{58,67,80,72,69,59,59,75,83,84,84,76,64,64,71\}$ |  | Minimum: $\qquad$ <br> Lower Quartile: $\qquad$ <br> Median: $\qquad$ <br> Upper Quartile: $\qquad$ <br> Maximum: $\qquad$ |
| Analyzing Box and Whisker Plots | 5. The box and whisker plot below shows the test scores for a group of 24 students. | a) What is the median score? <br> b) What percent of the students scored between 70 and 85 ? |  |
|  |  | b) What percent between 70 and <br> c) How many st 45 and 85 ? | of the students scored 85? <br> dents scored between |
|  | d) If Kate got an 87, how did she do compared to the class? |  |  |


|  | 6. The fuel efficiency, in miles per gallon (mpg), of a group of cars is shown below. | a) What is the interquartile range? <br> b) What percent of the cars have a fuel efficiency greater than 20 mpg ? <br> c) What percent of the cars have a fuel efficiency less than 26 mpg ? |
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| Analyzing Box and Whisker <br> Plots <br> (continued) | 7. The battery life, in hours, of a group of 16 laptops is shown below. | a) Identify the lower and upper quartiles. |
|  |  | b) What percent of the laptops have a battery life of at least 6 hours? <br> c) How many laptops have a battery life less than 4.5 hours? |
|  | 8. Fifty golfers are competing in a golf tournament. The scores in the first round are shown below. | a) Identify the minimum and the maximum values. |
|  |  | b) What percent of the golfers had a score greater than 70? <br> c) In order to advance to the next round, golfers cannot score above 72. How many are not moving on? |
| Comparing Box and Whisker Plots | 9. Mr. Athens and Mrs. Gillman gave the same test to their math classes. The scores of each class are shown below. | a) What is the difference in the median score? |
|  | Mr. Athens' Class | b) Which class has the greater range of scores? |
|  |  | c) Which class do you feel did better overall? Explain. |

