

Problem 1. (Political Science: Georgia Democrats)

How Democratic is Georgia? County by county results are shown for a recent election. For your convenience, the data have been sorted in increasing order.

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46 46 46 47 48 49 49 49 49 50 51 52 52 53 53 53
53 53 55 56 56 57 57 59 62 66 66 68

(a) Find the mean, median, and mode. Find Q_1 and Q_3 . Find the 10th and 90th percentile.

(b) Make a box-and-whisker plot of the data. Find the interquartile range.

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- (c) Make a frequency table using five classes. Draw the histogram. Then estimate the mean and sample standard deviation using the frequency table. Compute a 75% Chebyshev interval centered about the mean.

- (d) If you have a statistical calculator or computer, use it to find the actual sample mean and sample standard deviation. Otherwise, use the values $\sum x = 2769$ and $\sum x^2 = 132179$ to compute the sample mean and sample standard deviation.