

American Math 6th Grade HW 30; Histograms; Mean Absolute Deviation; Box Plots; Dot Plots

Use the data in the chart and the description below to complete Exercises 1–2.

The data set lists the heights of the Houston Rockets players during the 2011–2012 basketball season.

Players' Heights						
81	80	79	72	72	78	82
80	80	76	87	65	79	82
80	79	81	71	77		

1. Complete the frequency table.
Use an interval of 5.

Players' Heights	
Heights (in.)	Frequency
65–69	

2. Complete the histogram.

Players' Heights

Use the above histogram or the set of data for Exercises 3 and 4.

3. Find the range, the median, and the mean of the players' heights.

a. range

b. median

c. mode

4. Based on this data, what do you think is the average height of players in the National Basketball Association? Explain how you decided on your answer including which display of data you used.

Find the *mean absolute deviation (MAD)* for Exercise 5. Show your work.

5. The number of approved soy-based containers produced in 10 stamping runs of 240 containers: 225, 227, 227, 228, 230, 230, 231, 238, 238, and 240

The high temperatures for 2 weeks are shown at the right. Use the data set for Exercises 6–11.

High Temperatures							
68	74	72	65	61	64	64	
70	76	78	70	69	61	62	

Show your work for each one.

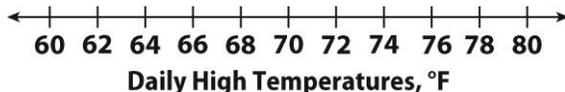
6. Order the data from least to greatest.

7. Find the median. _____

8. Find the lower quartile. _____

9. Find the upper quartile. _____

10. Make a box plot for the data.



11. Make a dot plot for the data.

