

① (a)

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
distance (x)	20.4	22.2	29.9	37.8	25.5	30.2	35.3	16.5
Commission (y)	17.7	24.1	20.3	28.3	34.9	29.3	23.6	26.8
r_x	2	3	5	8	4	6	7	1
r_y	1	4	2	6	8	7	3	5
$d(r_x - r_y)$	1	-1	3	2	-4	-1	4	-4
d^2	1	1	9	4	16	1	16	16

$$\sum d^2 = 64$$

$$r_s = 1 - \frac{6 \sum d^2}{n(n^2 - 1)}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{6(64)}{8(8^2 - 1)}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{16}{21}$$

$$= \frac{5}{21}$$

$$\approx 0.2381 \text{ (4DP)} \quad [5]$$

(b) $H_0: \rho = 0$ (there is no correlation)

$H_1: \rho > 0$ (there is positive correlation)

critical value ≈ 0.6429
(5%; $n = 8$)

$0.2381 < 0.6429 \Rightarrow$ The test is not significant; accept H_0 .

There is insufficient evidence to suggest that any positive correlation exists between the distance travelled by car and the amount of commission earned. [4]

② (a) H_0 : there is no association between the results of candidates and the test centre.

H_1 : there is an association between the results of candidates and the test centre.

	A		B		C	
Observed frequency (O_i)	99	108	110	116	68	119
Expected frequency (E_i)	92.48	114.52	100.97	125.03	83.55	103.45
$\frac{O_i^2}{E_i}$	105.98	101.85	119.84	107.62	55.34	136.89

$$\chi^2 = \sum \frac{O_i^2}{E_i} - N$$

$$= 627.52 - 620$$

$$\chi^2 = 7.52 \quad (E_i, \frac{O_i^2}{E_i} \text{ and } \chi^2 \text{ to 2 DP})$$

$$v = (3-1)(2-1) = 2$$

$$\chi^2_{2} (5\%) = 5.991 \text{ (tables)}$$

$7.52 > 5.991 \Rightarrow$ the test is significant; reject H_0 .

The researcher's studies show that there is an association between the driving test centre and the results of candidates'. [10]

(b) The researcher should further investigate centre C as it contributes most to the test statistic, χ^2 . [2]

③ (a) The sample is non-random and not representative of the true population; it will be biased towards those who arrive early to work. [2]

(b) • Divide population into three individual strata: (i) Bristol; (ii) Dudley; (iii) Glasgow.

Bristol:	Dudley:	Glasgow:
$\frac{856}{2500} \times 150 = 51.36$	$\frac{429}{2500} \times 150 = 25.74$	$\frac{1215}{2500} \times 150 = 72.9$
≈ 51	≈ 26	≈ 73

Number each strata using the table of random numbers. i.e. 1 to 1815 for Glasgow, 1 to 429 for Dudley, and 1 to 856 for Bristol. Choose a random starting point using table of random numbers and select samples at regular intervals. [3]

(c) Since stratified sampling is random and quota sampling is non-random due to the interviewing process involved, it is less likely for a stratified sample to be biased. [1]

④(a) let adults = A and children = C.

$$H_0: \mu_A = \mu_C$$

$$H_1: \mu_A < \mu_C$$

$$Z = \frac{59.1 - 61.2 - 0}{\sqrt{\left(\frac{5.9^2}{60} + \frac{5.2^2}{50}\right)}}$$

$Z = -1.9834... < -1.6449 \Rightarrow$ the test is significant; reject H_0 .

There is sufficient evidence to suggest that the mean time taken by children to complete the task is greater than that of adults. [6]

(b) Due to the large sample sizes, the Central Limit Theorem allows us to assume that the sample means of both adults and children are normally distributed. [1]

(c) The sample variance, s^2 , is the same as the population variance, σ^2 . [1]

⑤ (a) H_0 : a uniform distribution, $U[0, 360]$, is a suitable model.
 H_1 : a uniform distribution, $U[0, 360]$, is not a suitable model.

direction of flight	0 - 72	72 - 140	140 - 190	190 - 260	260 - 360
observed (O_i)	78	69	51	108	144
expected (E_i)	90	85	62.5	87.5	125
$\frac{O_i^2}{E_i}$	67.6	$\frac{4761}{85}$	41.616	$\frac{23328}{175}$	165.888

$$\chi^2 = \sum \frac{O_i^2}{E_i} - N$$

$$= 464.4186... - 450$$

$$= 14.41862...$$

$$\therefore \chi^2 \approx 14.419 \text{ (3DP)}$$

$$v = 5 - 1 = 4$$

$$\chi^2_4 (1\%) = 13.277$$

$13.277 < 14.419 \Rightarrow$ The test is significant; reject H_0 .

There is evidence to suggest that a uniform distribution is not a suitable model. Kylie's belief is incorrect. [9]

$$\textcircled{6}(a) X \sim N(21, 2^2)$$

$$Y \sim N(8.5, \sigma^2)$$

$$W = 3X - 4Y$$

$$\Rightarrow W \sim N(29, (36 + 16\sigma^2))$$

$$P(W \leq 44) = 0.9$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left(Z < \frac{44 - 29}{\sqrt{36 + 16\sigma^2}}\right) = 0.9$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left(Z > \frac{15}{\sqrt{36 + 16\sigma^2}}\right) = 0.10$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{15}{\sqrt{36 + 16\sigma^2}} = 1.2816$$

$$\sqrt{36 + 16\sigma^2} = \frac{15}{1.2816}$$

$$36 + 16\sigma^2 = \left(\frac{15}{1.2816}\right)^2$$

$$16\sigma^2 = \left(\frac{15}{1.2816}\right)^2 - 36$$

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{16} \left[\left(\frac{15}{1.2816}\right)^2 - 36 \right]$$

$$\sigma^2 = 6.31165\dots$$

$$\sigma = \sqrt{6.31165\dots}$$

$$\sigma = 2.5123\dots \approx \underline{\underline{2.51}} \text{ (2DP) [8]}$$

$$(b) B = 2X + \sum_{i=1}^3 A_i$$

$$B = 2X + A_1 + A_2 + A_3$$

$$\Rightarrow B \sim N(126, 91)$$

$$P(B \leq 145 | B > 120)$$

$$= \frac{P(B \leq 145 \cap B > 120)}{P(B > 120)}$$

$$= \frac{P(120 < B < 145)}{1 - P(B < 120)}$$

$$= \frac{P\left(\frac{120 - 126}{\sqrt{91}} < Z < \frac{145 - 126}{\sqrt{91}}\right)}{1 - P\left(Z < \frac{120 - 126}{\sqrt{91}}\right)}$$

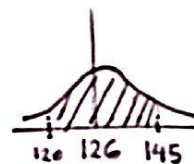
$$= \frac{P(-0.63 < Z < 1.99)}{1 - P(Z < -0.63)}$$

$$= \frac{P(Z < 1.99) - P(Z > 0.63)}{1 - P(Z > 0.63)}$$

$$= \frac{\Phi(1.99) - 1 + \Phi(0.63)}{\Phi(0.63)}$$

$$= \frac{0.9767 - 1 + 0.7357}{0.7357}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{0.9683}} \text{ (4DP) [7]}$$



$$\textcircled{7} \text{ (a)} \quad \sum x = 1152$$

$$\sum x^2 = 167218$$

$$n = 8$$

$$\hat{\mu} = \frac{\sum x}{n}$$

$$= \frac{1152}{8}$$

$$\therefore \hat{\mu} = 144 \text{ g}$$

$$s^2 = \frac{\sum x^2 - n\hat{\mu}^2}{n-1}$$

$$= \frac{167218 - 8(144)^2}{8-1}$$

$$\therefore s^2 = 190 \text{ g}^2 \text{ [4]}$$

(b) $\sum_{i=1}^8 (x_i - \mu)^2$ contains an unknown population parameter, μ , and hence, cannot be

a statistic. [1]

$$\text{(c)} \quad Y = \frac{1}{8} \left(\sum_{i=1}^8 x_i^2 - 8\bar{x}^2 \right)$$

$$E(Y) = E \left[\frac{1}{8} \left(\sum_{i=1}^8 x_i^2 - 8\bar{x}^2 \right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} E \left(x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_8^2 - 8\bar{x}^2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \left[E(x_1^2) + \dots + E(x_8^2) - E(8\bar{x}^2) \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \left[8E(x^2) - 8E(\bar{x}^2) \right]$$

$$E(Y) = E(x^2) - E(\bar{x}^2) \quad *$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow E(Y) &= \text{Var}(x) + E(x)^2 - \text{Var}(\bar{x}) - E(\bar{x})^2 \\ &= \text{Var}(x) - \text{Var}(\bar{x}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Var}(x) &= E(x^2) - E(x)^2 \\ \Rightarrow \text{Var}(x) + E(x)^2 &= E(x^2) \\ \Rightarrow \text{Var}(\bar{x}) + E(\bar{x})^2 &= E(\bar{x}^2) \end{aligned}$$

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$$E(Y) = \sigma^2 - \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$$

$$= \sigma^2 - \frac{\sigma^2}{8}$$

$$\therefore E(Y) = \frac{7\sigma^2}{8} \quad [2]$$

$$(d) \text{ bias} = E(Y) - \sigma^2$$

$$= \frac{7\sigma^2}{8} - \sigma^2$$

$$= -\frac{\sigma^2}{8}$$

$$|\text{bias}| = \frac{\sigma^2}{8} \quad [2]$$

⑧ (a) let X = no. of sizes obtained by each student in 30 rolls

$$X \sim B(30, \frac{1}{6})$$

$$E(X) = np$$

$$= 30(\frac{1}{6})$$

$$= 5$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = np(1-p)$$

$$= 5(\frac{5}{6})$$

$$= \frac{25}{6}$$

By the Central Limit Theorem, $\bar{X} \approx \sim N(5, \frac{25/6}{50}) \quad [3]$

$$\therefore \bar{X} \sim N(5, \frac{1}{12})$$

(b) critical values = ± 1.9600

Rejecting H_0 at upper tail,

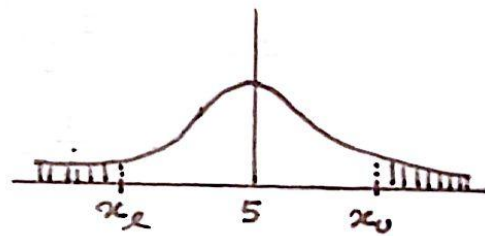
$$\frac{x_0 - 5}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{12}}} \geq 1.96$$

$$x_0 \geq 1.96\sqrt{\frac{1}{12}} + 5$$

Rejecting H_0 at lower tail,

$$\frac{x_L - 5}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{12}}} \leq -1.96$$

$$x_L \leq 5 - 1.96\sqrt{\frac{1}{12}}$$



\therefore The critical region is $\bar{X} \leq 4.43$ and $\bar{X} \geq 5.57$. (3 SF) [4]