Unit 3 Review #1

# Section I – Percentiles

Use the dot plot below to answer the questions.



- 1. Joseph could do 33 pushups in a minute. What is their percentile?
- 2. Patricia could do 31 pushups in a minute. What is their percentile?
- 3. Roderick could do 35 pushups in a minute. What is their percentile?

# Section II – Solve for Z-Scores

- 4. Layla scored a 65 on her Spanish final exam. What was her z-score if the average on the test was a 69 and the standard deviation was 4?
- 5. Gabriela scored a 76 on her Statistics final exam. What was her z-score if the average on the test was an 84 and the standard deviation was 7?
- 6. Between Layla and Gabriela, who did relatively better on their final exam? Why?

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#### Section III – Empirical Rule

7. The Unit 2 Statistics test had an average of 65 after 55 students took the test. Label the normal distribution if the  $\sigma = 5.5$ .



- a. What percentage of scores were between 59.5 and 70.5?
- b. What percentage of scores were outside of 48.5 and 81.5?
- c. What percentage of scores were less than 59.5?
- d. What percentage of scores were between 59.5 and 81.5?
- e. What percentage of scores were between 48.5 and 59.5?
- f. What percentage of scores were between 65 and 76?
- g. How many students made below a 65?
- h. How many students made above an 81.5?
- i. What score separated the top 16%?
- j. What score separated the bottom 2.5%?

#### Section IV – Using the Z-table (Easy)

For the numbers below, find the percentile rank (two decimal places) (percent of individuals scoring **<u>BELOW</u>**):

- 8. z = 0.24
- 9. z = -1.25
- 10. z = 0.08

11. z = -0.47

- 12. z = 3.2
- 13. z = -2.3
- 14. A fifth grader takes a standardized achievement test ( $\mu = 125$  and  $\sigma = 15$ ) and scores a 133. What is the child's percentile rank?

#### Section V – Using the Z-table (Medium)

For the numbers below, find the percent of cases falling **<u>ABOVE</u>** the z-score:

15. z = 0.24

16. z = -1.25

- 17. z = 0.08
- 18. A patient recently diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease takes a cognitive ability test and scores a 51. The mean on the test is 52 and has a standard deviation of 5. What percentage of people scored **higher** on the cognitive test?

For the numbers below, find the percent of cases falling **<u>BETWEEN</u>** the z-score:

19. -0.32 < z < -0.23

20. 0.03 < z < 2.7

21. -1.4 < z < 1.84

22. Pat and Chris both took a spatial abilities test (mean = 80, std. dev. = 8). Pat scores a 76 and Chris scored a 94. What percent of individuals scored between Pat and Chris?

- 23. The Welcher Adult Intelligence Test Scale is composed of a number of subtests. On one subtest, the raw scores have a mean of 35 and a standard deviation of 6. Assuming these raw scores form a normal distribution:
  - a. What is the probability of getting a raw score between 28 and 38?

b. What is the probability of getting a raw score between 41 and 44?

#### Section VI – Using the Z-Table Reverse

- 24. Find the z-score that gives a probability of 0.2810.
- 25. Find the z-score that give the area above 0.1515.
- 26. For a normal distribution, find the z-score that separates the distribution as follows:
  - a. Separate the **highest** 27% from the rest of the distribution.
  - b. Separate the **lowest** 42% from the rest of the distribution.
  - c. Separate the **highest** 70% from the rest of the distribution.
  - d. Separate the **lowest** 89% from the rest of the distribution.

## Section VII – Solving for the observation (x-value) HINT: Z is given, set up equation and solve for x.

**27.** Sam took the ACT and his score was one standard deviation (z=1) above the average. If the ACT has a mean of 20.8 and a standard deviation of 4.8, what was Sam's score?

**28.** Jimmy took the SAT and his Math section score was two standard deviations below (z=-2) the average. If the Math section of the SAT has an average of 533 and a standard deviation of 100, what was Jimmy's math section score?

## Section VIII – Solving for the observation (x-value) HINT: Use the table first to find the z-score, then solve for x.

- 29. The Welcher Adult Intelligence Test Scale is composed of a number of subtests. On one subtest, the raw scores have a mean of 35 and a standard deviation of 6. Assuming these raw scores form a normal distribution:
  - a) What number represents the 70<sup>th</sup> percentile (what number separates the lower 70% of the distribution)?

b) What number represents the 99.83<sup>rd</sup> percentile?

- 30. Scores on the SAT form a normal distribution with  $\mu = 500$  and  $\sigma = 100$ .
  - a) What is the minimum score necessary to be in the **bottom** 17% of the SAT distribution?

b) Find the range of values that defines the **top** 40% of the distribution of SAT scores.

31. If a math test scores were normally distributed with a mean of 81 and a standard deviation of 5, what score is in the 90<sup>th</sup> percentile?

32. If a Math test scores were normally distributed with a mean of 79 and a standard deviation of 7, what score is in the 23<sup>rd</sup> percentile?

33. If a Biology test scores were normally distributed with a mean of 67 and standard deviation of 3, what score had a probability of 89.44%?

34. If a factory created bolts that lengths followed a normally distribution with a mean of 3.5 inches and a standard deviation of 0.2 inches, what bolt length would be in the **bottom** 0.41%?

35. Matthew scored in the 94.52<sup>nd</sup> percentile on his IQ test which has an average of 110 and  $\sigma = 20$ . What did he score on his IQ test?