

GCSE Exam Questions

Histograms | Statistics



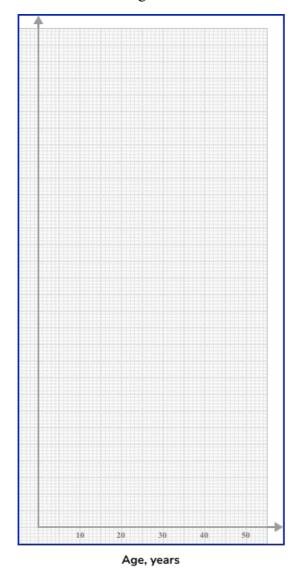
1) (a) The frequency table shows the ages of guests at a hotel.

Age, years	Frequency	Frequency Density
$0 \le x < 5$	6	
$5 \leq x < 10$	13	
$10 \leq x < 20$	14	
$20 \leq x < 30$	15	
$30 \leq x < 50$	12	

Complete the frequency density column.

(3)

(b) Use the table to draw a histogram for the data.

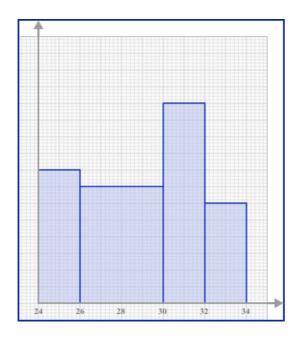


(3)

(6 marks)



2) The histogram shows information about the mass of 20 new-born calves on a farm.



Use the histogram to estimate the number of calves with a mass of more than 31 kg.

(5 marks)



3) The widths of flowers in a garden were collected.

An incomplete histogram and table is shown below.



Width, mm

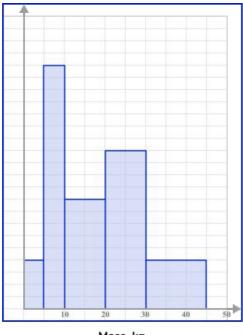
Width, mm	Frequency	Frequency Density
$12 \leq x < 14$		
$14 \leq x < 16$	9	
$16 \leq x < 20$	14	
$20 \leq x < 28$	4	
$28 \leq x < 32$		

Use the information provided to complete the histogram and table.

(5 marks)



4) The histogram shows information about the mass of stones in a field.



Mass, kg

Use the histogram to estimate the interquartile range.

(6 marks)



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	Question			Ans	wer			Mark
1) (a)	The frequency table shows the ages of guests at a hotel.		(a) Age, years		Frequency Frequency Density			
	Age, years	Frequency	Frequency		$0 \le x < 5$ $5 \le x < 10$	6	2.6	
	$0 \le x < 5$	6	Density		$10 \le x < 20$	14	1.4	
	$5 \le x < 10$	13			$-20 \le x < 30$	15	1.5	
	$10 \leq x < 20$	14			$30 \le x < 50$	12	0.6	
	$20 \le x < 30$	15		\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \		<u> </u>		
	$30 \le x < 50$	12			At least 1 Fred			(1)
	Complete the fro	•	ty column.		3 Frequency I All Frequency			(1)
(b)	Use the table to	draw a histog	ram for the data.	(b)	3			
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				Frequency Density	1.5			
				Frequ				
					1			
					0.5			
					10	20 30	40 50	
						Age, years		
	10	20 30	40 50			nsity used for	vertical scale	(1)
					3 bars correct			(1)
		Age, years		4	All bars correct	દા		(1)

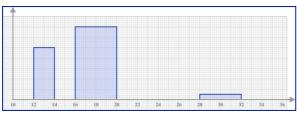


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	Question	Answer	Mark
2)	The histogram shows information about the mass of 20 newborn calves on a farm.	Attempt to find "areas" of bars Frequency $(30 - 32) = 6$ Frequency $(32 - 34) = 3$ Frequency $(31 - 32) = 3$ 6	(1) (1) (1) (1)

Use the histogram to estimate the number of caves with a mass of more than 31kg.

The widths of flowers in a garden were collected. An incomplete histogram and table is shown below.



Width, mm

Width, mm	Frequency	Frequency Density
$12 \leq x < 14$		
$14 \leq x < 16$	9	
$16 \leq x < 20$	14	
$20 \leq x < 28$	4	
$28 \leq x < 32$		

Use the information provided to complete the histogram and table.



Width, mm	Frequency	Density
$12 \leq x < 14$	5	2.5
$14 \leq x < 16$	9	4.5
$16 \leq x < 20$	14	3.5
$20 \leq x < 28$	4	0.5
$28 \leq x < 32$	1	0.25

Frequency density $(16 - 20) = 3.5$	(1)
Correctly label vertical axis	(1) (1)
All frequency density values correct	(1)
All frequency values correct	(1)
Remaining bars correctly drawn	(1)



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Question	Answer	Marks
The histogram shows information about the mass of stones in a field. Mass, kg Use the histogram to estimate the interquartile range.	Total area/frequency found e.g. 70 $\frac{8}{10} \text{ of } 2^{nd} \text{ group} = LQ$ $\frac{9}{13} \text{ or } \frac{4}{13} \text{ of } 4^{th} \text{ group} = UQ$ $LQ = 9$ $UQ = 26.9$ $IQR = UQ - LQ = 17.9 \text{kg}$	(1) (1) (1) (1) (1)

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