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SKILL

## Skills Readiness

## 84 Find Measures of Central Tendency

Example: Find the mean, median, and mode of the data set: $10,12,13,15,10$.

| Mean | Median | Mode |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| The mean is the average of the data <br> values: $\frac{\text { sum of all the values }}{\text { number of values }}$ | The median is the middle <br> number when the values are in <br> order from least to greatest. | The mode is the data <br> value that appears <br> the most often. |
| $\frac{10+12+13+15+10}{5}=\frac{60}{5}=12$ | $10,10,12,13,15$ | 10 is the only data <br> value that appears <br> more than one time. |

## Practice on Your Own

Find the mean, median, and mode of each data set.

1. $7,6,11,9,7$
Mean = $\qquad$
Median = $\qquad$
Mode = $\qquad$
2. $2,2,3,3,4,4,4$
Mean = $\qquad$
Median = $\qquad$
Mode = $\qquad$
3. $5,4,4,4,7,6,6,6$
Mean = $\qquad$
Median = $\qquad$
Mode = $\qquad$
4. $3,1,7,10,4$
Mean $=$ $\qquad$
Median = $\qquad$
Mode = $\qquad$

| 7. $5,13,1,9,5,10$, |
| :--- |
| Mean $=$ |

Median = $\qquad$
Mode = $\qquad$
8. $7,7,7,9,9,9$
Mean $=$ $\qquad$
Median = $\qquad$
Mode = $\qquad$
3. $4,5,6,7,8,9$
Mean = $\qquad$
Median = $\qquad$
Mode $=$ $\qquad$
6. $22,16,24,18$
Mean = $\qquad$
Median = $\qquad$
Mode = $\qquad$
9. $42,35,15,18,25$
Mean = $\qquad$
Median = $\qquad$
Mode = $\qquad$

## Check

Find the mean, median, and mode of each data set.

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { 10. } 4,12,7,10,7 \\
& \text { Mean }= \\
& \text { Median }= \\
& \text { Mode }= \\
& \text { 13. } 2,10,5,9,4,6 \\
& \text { Mean }= \\
& \text { Median }= \\
& \text { Mode }=
\end{aligned}
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11. $15,10,15,25,10,15$

Mean $=$ $\qquad$
Median = $\qquad$
Mode = $\qquad$
14. $9,9,4,4,5,5,5$

Mean $=$ $\qquad$
Median = $\qquad$
Mode = $\qquad$
12. $8,8,8,9,9,9$

Mean = $\qquad$
Median = $\qquad$
Mode $=$ $\qquad$
15. $12,23,18,36,11$

Mean $=$ $\qquad$
Median = $\qquad$
Mode $=$ $\qquad$

