

## EXERCISE 22.1

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**1. Define the following terms:**

- (i) Observations**
- (ii) Data**
- (iii) Frequency of an observation**
- (iv) Frequency distribution**

**Solution:**

(i) Observation is the activity of paying close attention to someone or something in order to get information in numerical form.

(ii) Data: The collection of observations is known as data.

(iii) Frequency of an observation: The number of times an observation occurs in a given data is called the frequency of an observation.

(iv) Frequency distribution: It is a method of presenting raw data in a form that can be easily understood.

**2. The final marks in Mathematics of 30 students are as follows:**

**53, 61, 48, 60, 78, 68, 55, 100, 67, 90**

**75, 88, 77, 37, 84, 58, 60, 48, 62, 56**

**44, 58, 52, 64, 98, 59, 70, 39, 50, 60**

**(i) Arrange these marks in the ascending order. 30 to 39 one group, 40 to 49 second group, etc.**

**(ii) What is the highest score?**

**(iii) What is the lowest score?**

**(iv) What is the range?**

**(v) If 40 is the pass mark how many have failed?**

**(vi) How many have scored 75 or more?**

**(vii) Which observations between 50 and 60 have not actually appeared?**

**(viii) How many have scored less than 50?**

**Solution:**

(i) Ascending order of the numbers in groups:

(30-39): 37, 39  
(40 – 49): 44, 48, 48  
(50 – 59): 50, 52, 53, 55, 56, 58, 58, 59  
(60 – 69): 60, 60, 60, 61, 62, 64, 67, 68  
(70 – 79): 70, 75, 77, 78  
(80 – 89): 84, 88  
(90 – 99): 90, 98  
(100-109): 100

(ii) The highest score is 100.

(iii) The lowest score is 37.

(iv) Range is = Maximum observation – Minimum observation.  
=  $100 - 37$   
= 63.

(v) If 40 is the pass mark, then only 2 students have failed.

(vi) 8 students have scored 75 or more.

(vii) 51, 54 and 57 are not there between 50 and 60.

(viii) 5 students scored less than 50.

**3. The weights of new born babies (in kg) in a hospital on a particular day are as follows:**

**2.3, 2.2, 2.1, 2.7, 2.6, 3.0, 2.5, 2.9, 2.8, 3.1, 2.5, 2.8, 2.7, 2.9, 2.4**

**(i) Rearrange the weights in descending order.**

**(ii) Determine the highest weight.**

**(iii) Determine the lowest weight.**

**(iv) Determine the range.**

**(v) How many babies were born on that day?**

**(vi) How many babies weigh below 2.5 kg?**

**(vii) How many babies weigh more than 2.8?**

**(viii) How many babies weigh 2.8 kg?**

**Solution:**

(i) Weights in descending order:

3.1, 3.0, 2.9, 2.9, 2.8, 2.8, 2.7, 2.7, 2.6, 2.5, 2.5, 2.4, 2.3, 2.2, 2.1

(ii) Highest weight: 3.1 Kg.

(iii) Lowest weight: 2.1 Kg.

(iv) Range = Maximum observation – Minimum observation

= (3.1-2.1) kg

= 1.0 Kg.

(v) A total of 15 babies were born on that day.

(vi) 4 babies weigh below 2.5 kg.

(vii) 4 babies weigh more than 2.8 kg.

(viii) 2 babies weigh 2.8 kg.

**4. Following data gives the number of children in 40 families:**

1, 2, 6, 5, 1, 5, 1, 3, 2, 6, 2, 3, 4, 2, 0, 0, 4, 4, 3, 2

2, 0, 0, 1, 2, 2, 4, 3, 2, 1, 0, 5, 1, 2, 4, 3, 4, 1, 6, 2

**Represent it in the form of a frequency distribution.**

**Solution:**

Required frequency table for given data is:

Number of Children	Frequency
0	5
1	7
2	11
3	5
4	6
5	3
6	3

5. Prepare a frequency table of the following scores obtained by 50 students in a test:

42 51 21 42 37 37 42 49 38 52  
7 33 17 44 39 7 14 27 39 42  
42 62 37 39 67 51 53 53 59 41  
29 38 27 31 54 19 53 51 22 61  
42 39 59 47 33 34 16 37 57 43

**Solution:**

Required frequency-distribution table for given data:

Marks	Number of Students
7	2
14	1
16	1
17	1
19	1
21	1
22	1
27	2
29	1
31	1
33	2
34	1
37	4
38	2
39	4
41	1
42	6
43	1
44	1
47	1
49	1
51	3
52	1
53	3
54	1

57	1
59	2
61	1
62	1
67	1

6. A die was thrown 25 times and following scores were obtained:

1    5    2    4    3  
6    1    4    2    5  
1    6    2    6    3  
5    4    1    3    2  
3    6    1    5    2

Prepare a frequency table of the scores.

**Solution:**

Required frequency table:

Score	Number of times
1	5
2	5
3	4
4	3
5	4
6	4

7. In a study of number of accidents per day, the observations for 30 days were obtained as follows:

6    3    5    6    4    3    2    5    4    2  
4    2    1    2    2    0    5    4    6    1  
6    0    5    3    6    1    5    5    2    6

Prepare a frequency distribution table.

**Solution:**

Required frequency table for given data:

Number of accidents	Number of Days
0	2
1	3

2	6
3	3
4	4
5	6
6	6

8. Prepare a frequency table of the following ages (in years) of 30 students of class VIII in your school:

13, 14, 13, 12, 14, 13, 14, 15, 13, 14, 13, 14, 16, 12, 14  
13, 14, 15, 16, 13, 14, 13, 12, 17, 13, 12, 13, 13, 13, 14

**Solution:**

Frequency distribution table:

Ages (in years)	Number of Students
12	4
13	12
14	9
15	2
16	2
17	1

9. Following figures relate the weekly wages (in Rs) of 15 workers in a factory:

300, 250, 200, 250, 200, 150, 350, 200, 250, 200, 150, 300, 150, 200, 250

Prepare a frequency table.

(i) What is the range in wages (in Rs)?

(ii) How many Workers are getting Rs 350?

(iii) How many workers are getting the minimum wages?

**Solution:**

Frequency distribution table is:

Wages (in Rs)	Number of workers
150	3
200	5
250	4
300	2
350	1

- (i) The range in wages (in Rs.) =  $350 - 150 = 200$ .
- (ii) Only 1 worker is getting Rs. 350.
- (iii) 3 workers are getting the minimum wages, i.e., Rs. 150.

**10. Construct a frequency distribution table for the following marks obtained by 25 students in a history test in class VI of a school:**

**9, 17, 12, 20, 9, 18, 25, 17, 19, 9, 12, 9, 12, 18, 17, 19, 20, 25, 9, 12, 17, 19, 19, 20, 9**

- (i) What is the range of marks?**  
**(ii) What is the highest mark?**  
**(iii) Which mark is occurring more frequently?**

**Solution:**

Required frequency distribution table is:

Marks	Frequency
9	6
12	4
17	4
18	2
19	4
20	3
25	2

- (i) Range of marks:  $25 - 9 = 16$ .
- (ii) The highest mark is 25.
- (iii) 9 is occurring more frequently.

**11. In a Mathematics test following marks were obtained by 40 students of class VI. Arrange these marks in a table using, tally marks.**

**8    1    3    7    6    5    5    4    4    2**  
**4    9    5    3    7    1    6    5    2    7**  
**7    3    8    4    2    8    9    5    8    6**  
**7    4    5    6    9    6    4    4    6    6**

- (i) Find how many students obtained marks equal to or more than 7?  
(ii) How many students obtained marks below 4?

**Solution:**

Marks	Tally Marks	Frequency
1		2
2		3
3		3
4		7
5		6
6		7
7		5
8		4
9		3

- (i) 12 students obtained marks equal to or more than 7.  
(ii) Only 8 students obtained marks below 4.

12. Following is the choice of sweets of 30 students of class VI: Ladoo, Barfi, Ladoo, Jalebi, Ladoo, Rasgulla, Jalebi, Ladoo, Barfi, Rasgulla, Ladoo, Jalebi, Jalebi, Rasgulla, Ladoo, Rasgulla, Jalebi, Ladoo, Rasgulla, Ladoo, Rasgulla, Jalebi, Ladoo, Rasgulla, Ladoo, Ladoo, Barfi, Rasgulla, Rasgulla, Ladoo.

- (i) Arrange the names of sweets in a table using tally marks.  
(ii) Which sweet is preferred by most of the students?

**Solution:**

Sweets	Tally Marks	Frequency
Ladoo		12
Barfi		3
Jalebi		6
Rasgulla		9

- (ii) Ladoo is preferred by most of the students, 12 students.