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## Basic

1) As part of a science experiment, a student measured the reaction times of 30 students. These are given below correct to the nearest hundredth of a second. The experiment took place at 9am.

| 0.32 | 0.44 | 0.31 | 0.47 | 0.29 | 0.41 | 0.45 | 0.28 | 0.19 | 0.17 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 0.33 | 0.46 | 0.42 | 0.33 | 0.22 | 0.49 | 0.34 | 0.16 | 0.44 | 0.35 |
| 0.25 | 0.37 | 0.41 | 0.40 | 0.28 | 0.37 | 0.41 | 0.15 | 0.24 | 0.23 |

a) Use the above information to complete the tally chart below.

| Reaction times (s) | Tallu | Frequencu |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $0.15 \leq \dagger<0.20$ |  |  |
| $0.20 \leq \dagger<0.25$ |  |  |
| $0.25 \leq \dagger<0.30$ |  |  |
| $0.30 \leq \dagger<0.35$ |  |  |
| $0.35 \leq \dagger<0.40$ |  |  |
| $0.40 \leq \dagger<0.45$ |  |  |
| $0.45 \leq \dagger<0.50$ |  |  |

b) Draw a histogram to present this information.


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c) The same experiment was repeated at 4 pm on the same day with the same 30 students. Their times are given below correct to the nearest hundredth of a second.

| 0.34 | 0.27 | 0.38 | 0.53 | 0.30 | 0.40 | 0.49 | 0.33 | 0.19 | 0.18 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 0.27 | 0.51 | 0.45 | 0.31 | 0.22 | 0.48 | 0.41 | 0.22 | 0.46 | 0.35 |
| 0.25 | 0.32 | 0.46 | 0.44 | 0.25 | 0.41 | 0.41 | 0.19 | 0.41 | 0.33 |

Using a similar tally chart to that above represent this second part of the experiment in a histogram.

d) Discuss any differences in the results from the two parts of the experiment.

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## Core

2) A company wishes to set up a health and safety forum, which is to consist of 20 staff members. To keep the forum representative of all staff, numbers from each of the areas listed were calculated using a stratified sample technique.

How many of each type of employee should be in the forum?

|  | Number Employed | Forum |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Senior Managers | 8 |  |
| Supervisors | 19 |  |
| Administrators | 10 |  |
| Manual Staff | 150 |  |
| Deliveru Staff | 13 |  |

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## Advanced

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## Advanced

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The same experiment was repeated at 4 pm on the same day with 20 different students. Their times are given below correct to the nearest hundredth of a second.

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a) Draw a frequency polygon of both sets of information.


b) Discuss your findings and any shortcomings with regard to the experiment.

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## ANSWERS

## Basic

1) a)

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| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $0.15 \leq \dagger<0.20$ | IIII | 4 |
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| $0.30 \leq \dagger<0.35$ | I冊 | 5 |
| $0.35 \leq \dagger<0.40$ | III | 3 |
| $0.40 \leq \dagger<0.45$ | INIII | 7 |
| $0.45 \leq \dagger<0.50$ | IIII | 4 |

b)

c)


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| $0.40 \leq \dagger<0.45$ | H冊II | 7 |
| $0.45 \leq \dagger<0.50$ | IIII | 4 |

b)

c)

2)

|  | Number Emploued | Forum |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Senior Managers | 8 | 1 |
| Supervisors | 19 | 2 |
| Administrators | 10 | 1 |
| Manual Staff | 150 | 15 |
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## ANSWERS


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2) Morning:


## Afternoon:



