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Measures of Skewness: Karl Pearson's, Bowley's, and Kelly's and coefficient of Skewness and kurtosis is based on moments.

## Measures Of Skewness.

### Skewness:

Skewness is a measure to study a statistical distribution. If a distribution is not symmetrical is called skew.

If the frequency ~~area~~<sup>curve</sup> has a long tail to the right is called skew to the right.

If the frequency curve has a long tail to the left is called skew to the left.

### 1. Pearson's co-efficient of skewness:

$$= \frac{\text{Mean} - \text{Mode}}{\text{standard deviation}} \quad \text{[or]} = \frac{3(\text{mean} - \text{median})}{\text{standard deviation}}$$

### Empirical Relation:

[It is used when there is 2 same no in Analysis table]

$$\text{Mean} - \text{Mode} = 3(\text{mean} - \text{median})$$

### 2. Bowley's co-efficient of skewness:

$$= \frac{Q_3 + Q_1 - 2M}{Q_3 - Q_1} \quad \text{[or]} \quad \frac{Q_3 + Q_1 - 2Q_2}{Q_3 - Q_1}$$

Where;  $Q_1 = l_1 + \frac{N/4 - m_1}{f_1} \times c$

$Q_2 = l_2 + \frac{N/2 - m_2}{f_2} \times c$

$Q_3 = l_3 + \frac{3N/4 - m_3}{f_3} \times c$

where,  $l_1$  - lower limit of the  $Q_1$  class

$m_1$  - c.f of preceding class

$f_1$  - frequency of the  $Q_1$  class

$c$  - class interval

$N$  - Total frequency

$Q_2$  - Second quartile is called median.

	Individual	Discrete	Continuous
Mean ( $\bar{x}$ )	$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum x}{N}$ N - no. of observation	$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum f x}{N}$ N - total frequency	$\bar{x} = A + \frac{\sum f d}{N} \times c$ where, A - assumed mean N - tot. frequency c - class interval $d = \frac{x_i - A}{c}$
Median (M)	<u>ODD</u> $\frac{n+1}{2}$ <u>EVEN</u> $\frac{n}{2}$ and $(\frac{n}{2} + 1)$	$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum f x}{N}$ N - total frequency	$M = l + \frac{N/2 - m}{f} \times c$

	Individual	Discrete	Continuous
Mode			$\text{mode} = l + \frac{f_1 - f_0}{2f_1 - (f_0 + f_2)} \times c$ <p>where,</p> <p><math>l</math> - lower limit of the modal class</p> <p><math>f_1</math> - freq. of modal class</p> <p><math>f_0</math> - freq. of premodal class</p> <p><math>f_2</math> - " " postmodal class.</p> <p><math>c</math> - class interval</p>
	$\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2}{n}}$ <p>(or)</p> $\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{\sum d^2}{n} - \left(\frac{\sum d}{n}\right)^2}$	$\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{\sum f (x_i - \bar{x})^2}{N}}$ <p>(or)</p> $\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{\sum f d^2}{N} - \left(\frac{\sum f d}{N}\right)^2}$	$\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{\sum u^2}{n} - \left(\frac{\sum u}{n}\right)^2}$ $\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{\sum D^2}{n} - \left(\frac{\sum D}{n}\right)^2}$ $\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{\sum f D^2}{N} - \left(\frac{\sum f D}{N}\right)^2}$

1. Find the pearson's coefficient of skewness for the following frequency distribution:

Annual sales (in '000 Rs)	No. of items
0-20	20
20-40	50
40-60	59
60-80	30
80-100	25
100-120	16

[ or  
A = 70 ]

X	Mid value	f	$d = \frac{x-A}{c}$	$d^2$	$fd$	$fd^2$
0-20	10	20	$-2 \frac{0-50}{20}$	4	-40	80
20-40	30	$f_0 = 50$	$-1 \frac{20-50}{20}$	1	-50	50
40-60	A (50)	$f_1 = 59$	$0 \frac{40-50}{20}$	0	0	0
60-80	70	$f_2 = 30$	1	1	30	30
80-100	90	25	2	4	50	100
100-120	110	16	3	9	48	144
		N = 200			$\sum fd = 38$	$\sum fd^2 = 404$

$$\text{Mean} = A + \frac{\sum fd}{N} \times c$$

$$A = 50, \sum fd = 38, N = 200, c = 20$$

$$= 50 + \frac{38}{200} \times 20$$

$$= 50 + 3.8$$

$$\text{Mean} = 53.8$$

$$\text{Mode} = l + \frac{f_1 - f_0}{2f_1 - (f_0 + f_2)} \times c$$

$$l = 40, f_1 = 59, f_2 = 30, f_0 = 50$$

$$= 40 + \frac{59 - 50}{2(59) - (50 + 30)} \times 20$$

$$= 40 + \frac{9}{38} \times 20$$

$$= 40 + 4.73$$

$$\text{Mode} = 44.73$$

$$\text{standard deviation (s)} = \sqrt{\frac{\sum d^2}{N} - \left(\frac{\sum d}{N}\right)^2 \times c}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{406}{200} - \left(\frac{38}{200}\right)^2 \times 20}$$

$$= \sqrt{2.02 - 0.0361 \times 20}$$

$$= \sqrt{1.9839 \times 20}$$

$$= 1.408 \times 20$$

$$\text{standard deviation} = 28.16$$

$$\text{pearson's co-efficient} = \frac{\text{Mean} - \text{Mode}}{\text{standard deviation}}$$
$$= \frac{53.8 - 44.73}{28.16}$$

$$= \frac{9.07}{28.16} = 0.32$$

$$\text{pearson's coefficient} = 0.32$$

2 Calculate the pearson's coefficient of skewness for the following data: (Individual)

25, 15, 23, 40, 27, 25, 23, 25, 20

Sol:-

$x$	$d = x - A$	$d^2$
25	-2	4
15	-12	144
23	-4	16
40	13	169
27 <sup>A</sup>	0	0
25	-2	4
23	-4	16
25	-2	4
20	-7	49
$\Sigma f = 223$	$\Sigma d = -20$	$\Sigma d^2 = 406$

$$\text{Mean} = \frac{\Sigma x}{N}$$

$$= \frac{223}{9}$$

$$\bar{x} = 24.7$$

$$\text{Mode} = 25$$

Individual  
↓  
Repeated Values

standard deviation ( $\sigma$ ) =

$$\sqrt{\frac{\Sigma d^2}{N} - \left(\frac{\Sigma d}{N}\right)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{406}{9} - \left(\frac{-20}{9}\right)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{45.11 - (-2.22)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{45.11 - 4.92}$$

$$= \sqrt{40.19}$$

$$\text{Standard deviation} = 6.339$$

$$\text{pearson's co-efficient} = \frac{\text{Mean} - \text{Mode}}{S.D}$$

$$= \frac{24.7 - 25}{6.339}$$

$$= \frac{-0.3}{6.339}$$

$$\text{pearson's co-efficient} = -0.04$$

3. Calculate the Pearson's coefficient of skewness of the following data:

7, 4, 10, 9, 15, 12, 7, 9, 7

Sol.

$x$	$d = x - A$	$d^2$
7	-8	64
4	-11	121
10	-5	25
9	-6	36
(15) <sup>A</sup>	0	0
12	-3	9
7	-8	64
9	-6	36
7	-8	64
$\Sigma x = 80$	$\Sigma d = -55$	$\Sigma d^2 = 419$

$$\text{Mean} = \frac{\Sigma x}{N}$$

$$= \frac{80}{9}$$

$$\text{Mean} = 8.88$$

$$\text{Mode} = 7$$

Standard

deviation  $\Rightarrow$

$$\sqrt{\frac{\Sigma d^2}{N} - \left(\frac{\Sigma d}{N}\right)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{419}{9} - \left(\frac{-55}{9}\right)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{46.55 - (-6.11)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{46.55 - 37.33}$$

$$= \sqrt{9.22}$$

$$\text{Standard deviation} = 3.03$$

$$\text{Pearson's co-efficient} = \frac{\text{Mean} - \text{Mode}}{S.D.}$$

$$= \frac{8.88 - 7}{3.03} = \frac{1.88}{3.03}$$

$$\text{pearson's co-efficient} = 0.62$$



4. Find the Pearson's co-efficient of skewness from the following data:

$x$	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Size	7	10	14	35	102	136	43	8

Sol:

$x$	$f$	$fx$	$d = x - A$ $= x - 6$	$d^2$	$fd$	$fd^2$
3	7	21	-4	16	-28	112
4	10	40	-3	9	-30	90
5	14	70	-2	4	-28	56
6	35	210	-1	1	-35	35
$A \text{ (7)}$	102	714	0	0	0	0
8	136	1088	1	1	136	136
9	43	387	2	4	86	172
10	8	80	3	9	24	72
	$\Sigma f = 355$	$\Sigma fx = 2610$			$\Sigma fd = 125$	$\Sigma fd^2 = 673$

$$\text{Mean} = \frac{\Sigma fx}{N}$$

$$= \frac{2610}{355}$$

$$\text{Mean} = 7.352$$

$$\text{Mode} = 3$$

Mode = Initial value (3)

$$S.D. = \sqrt{\frac{\Sigma fd^2}{N} - \left(\frac{\Sigma fd}{N}\right)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{673}{355} - \left(\frac{125}{355}\right)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{1.895 - 0.123}$$

$$= \sqrt{1.772}$$

$$S.D. = 1.331$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{pearson's co-efficient} &= \frac{\text{Mean} - \text{Mode}}{\text{standard deviation}} \\ &= \frac{7.352 - 3}{1.331} \\ &= \frac{4.352}{1.331} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{pearson's co-efficient} = 3.269$$

5. Find the pearson's co-efficient of skewness from following data:

class	10-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70-79	80-89
frequency	5	9	14	20	25	15	8	4

Sol:

$x$	$m$	$f$	$d = \frac{m-A}{c}$	$d^2$	$fd$	$fd^2$
9.5-19.5	14.5	5	$\frac{14.5-54.5}{10} = -4$	16	-20	80
19.5-29.5	24.5	9	-3	9	-27	81
29.5-39.5	34.5	14	-2	4	-28	56
39.5-49.5	44.5	20 <sup>f<sub>0</sub></sup>	-1	1	-20	20
49.5-59.5	54.5 <sup>A</sup>	25 <sup>f<sub>1</sub></sup>	0	0	0	0
59.5-69.5	64.5	15 <sup>f<sub>2</sub></sup>	1	1	15	15
69.5-79.5	74.5	8	2	4	16	32
79.5-89.5	84.5	4	3	9	12	36
		$\Sigma f = 100$			$\Sigma fd = -52$	$\Sigma fd^2 = 320$

$$\text{Mean} = A + \frac{\sum fd}{N} \times c$$

$$= 54.5 + \frac{(-52)}{100} \times 10$$

$$= 54.5 - 5.2$$

$$\text{Mean} = 49.3$$

$$\text{Mode} = l + \frac{f_1 - f_0}{2f_1 - (f_0 + f_2)} \times c$$

$$l = 49.5; f_1 = 25; f_0 = 20; f_2 = 15$$

$$= 49.5 + \frac{25 - 20}{2(25) - (20 + 15)} \times 10$$

$$= 49.5 + \frac{5}{15} \times 10$$

$$2f_1 - f_0 - f_2$$

$$2(25) - 20 - 15$$

$$50 - 20 - 15$$

$$30 - 15$$

$$15$$

$$49.5 + \frac{50}{15} \times 10$$

$$52.83$$

# Bowley's co-efficient of skewness:

1. Find Out the Bowley's co-efficient of skewness from the following data:

\* 21 - midvalue  
 3 ← → 3  
 18 - 24 (m=21)

21 - 27 → (Difference 6)

Mid value	21	27	33	39	45	51	57
frequency	18	22	40	50	38	12	4

Sol:

C.I	Mid value	f	cf
18-24	21	18	18
24-30	27	22	$m_1$ 40
$l_1$ 30-36	33	$f_1$ 40	$m_2$ 80 $Q_1$
$l_2$ 36-42	39	$f_2$ 50	$m_3$ 130 $Q_2$
$l_3$ 42-48	45	$f_3$ 38	168 $Q_3$
48-54	51	12	180
54-60	57	4	184
		$\Sigma f = 184$	

$$B = \frac{Q_3 + Q_1 - 2Q_2}{Q_3 - Q_1}$$

$$Q_1 = l_1 + \frac{N/4 - m_1}{f_1} \times c$$

$$= 30 + \frac{184/4 - 40}{40} \times 6$$

$$= 30 + \frac{6}{40} \times 6$$

$$= 30 + 0.9$$

$$Q_1 = 30.9$$

$$Q_3 = l_3 + \frac{3N/4 - m_3}{f_3} \times c$$

$$= 42 + \frac{3 \left( \frac{184}{4} \right) - 130}{38} \times 6$$

$$= 42 + \frac{138 - 130}{38} \times 6$$

$$= 42 + \frac{8}{38} \times 6$$

$$= 42 + 1.26$$

$$Q_3 = 43.26$$

$$Q_2 = l_2 + \frac{\frac{N}{2} - m_2}{f_2} \times c$$

$$= 36 + \frac{184 - 80}{50} \times 6$$

$$= 36 + \frac{12}{50} \times 6$$

$$= 36 + 1.44$$

$$Q_2 = 37.44$$

Bowley's co-efficient of skewness:

$$= \frac{Q_3 + Q_1 - 2Q_2}{Q_3 - Q_1}$$

$$= \frac{43.26 + 30.9 - 2(37.44)}{43.26 - 30.9}$$

$$= \frac{74.16 - 74.88}{12.36}$$

$$= \frac{-0.72}{12.36}$$

$$\text{Bowley's co-eff.} = -0.058$$

2.

Payments of commission	No. of sales man
100-120	4
120-140	10
140-160	16
160-180	29
180-200	52
200-220	80
220-240	42
240-260	43
260-280	17
280-300	7

Sol.

C.I	d	f
100-120	4	4
120-140	10	14
140-160	16	30
160-180	29	59 $m_1$
$l_1$ 180-200	52 $f_1$	$m_2$ 111 $Q_1$
$l_2$ 200-220	80 $f_2$	$m_3$ 191 $Q_2$
$l_3$ 220-240	42 $f_3$	233 $Q_3$
240-260	43	256
260-280	17	273
280-300	7	280
	$\Sigma f = 280$	

$$Q_1 = \left(\frac{N}{4}\right)^{th} \text{ item} = \frac{280}{4} = 70$$

$$Q_2 = \left(\frac{N}{2}\right)^{th} \text{ item} = \frac{280}{2} = 140$$

$$Q_3 = 3\left(\frac{N}{4}\right)^{th} \text{ item} = 3(70) = 210$$

$$Q_1 = l_1 + \frac{\frac{N}{4} - m_1}{f_1} \times c$$

$$= 180 + \frac{70 - 59}{52} \times 20$$

$$= 180 + \frac{11}{52} \times 20$$

$$= 180 + 4.23$$

$$Q_1 = 184.23$$

$$Q_2 = l_2 + \frac{\frac{N}{2} - m_2}{f_2} \times c$$

$$= 200 + \frac{140 - 111}{80} \times 20$$

$$= 200 + 0.3625 \times 20$$

$$= 200 + 7.25$$

$$Q_2 = 207.25$$

$$Q_3 = l_3 + \frac{3\left(\frac{N}{4}\right) - m_3}{f_3} \times c$$

$$= 220 + \frac{210 - 191}{42} \times 20$$

$$= 220 + \frac{19}{42} \times 20$$

$$= 220 + 9.04$$

$$Q_3 = 229.04$$

Bowley's coefficient of skewness

$$= \frac{Q_3 + Q_1 - 2Q_2}{Q_3 - Q_1}$$

$$= \frac{229.04 + 184.23 - 2(207.25)}{229.04 - 184.23}$$

$$= \frac{413.27 - 414.5}{44.81}$$

$$= \frac{-1.23}{44.81}$$

Bowley's coefficient =  $\pm 0.0274$ .

3. For a distribution Bowley's coefficient of skewness is  $-0.36$ . lower Quartile is  $8.6$  and Median is  $12.3$ . What is the Quartile coefficient of dispersion.

Sol:

$$\text{Quartile coefficient of dispersion} = \frac{Q_3 - Q_1}{Q_3 + Q_1} \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

Given:

$$\text{Bowley's coefficient} = -0.36$$

$$Q_1 = 8.6$$

$$Q_2 = 12.3$$

$$\text{Bowley's coefficient of skewness} = \frac{Q_3 + Q_1 - 2Q_2}{Q_3 - Q_1}$$



$$-0.36 = \frac{Q_3 + 8.6 - 2(12.3)}{Q_3 - 8.6}$$

$$-0.36(Q_3 - 8.6) = Q_3 + 8.6 - 24.6$$

$$-0.36Q_3 + 3.096 = Q_3 - 16$$

$$3.096 + 16 = Q_3 + 0.36Q_3$$

$$19.096 = Q_3(1 + 0.36)$$

$$19.096 = Q_3(1.36)$$

$$Q_3 = \frac{19.096}{1.36}$$

$$Q_3 = 14.041$$

Sub  $Q_3$  and  $Q_1$  in equ ①

$$\text{Co-efficient of dispersion} = \frac{Q_3 - Q_1}{Q_3 + Q_1}$$

$$= \frac{14.0411 - 8.6}{14.0411 + 8.6}$$

$$= \frac{5.4411}{22.6411}$$

$$= 0.2403$$

$$= 0.2403$$

$$\text{Coefficient of dispersion} = 0.2403$$

4. Find out the Bowley's coefficient of skewness from the following data:

Mid Value	75	100	125	150	175	200	225	250
frequency	35	40	48	100	125	80	50	22

Sol:

C.I	M	f	Cf
62.5 - 87.5	75	35	35
87.5 - 112.5	100	40	75
112.5 - 137.5	125	48	123
$L_1$ 137.5 - 162.5	150	100 <sup>f<sub>1</sub></sup>	$m_2$ 223 <sup>Q<sub>1</sub></sup>
$L_2$ 162.5 - 187.5	175	125 <sup>f<sub>2</sub></sup>	$m_3$ 348 <sup>Q<sub>2</sub></sup>
$L_3$ 187.5 - 212.5	200	80 <sup>f<sub>3</sub></sup>	428 <sup>Q<sub>3</sub></sup>
212.5 - 237.5	225	50	478
237.5 - 262.5	250	22	500
		$\Sigma f = 500$	

$$Q_1 = \left(\frac{N}{4}\right)^{\text{th}} \text{ item} = \frac{500}{4} = 125$$

$$Q_2 = \left(\frac{N}{2}\right)^{\text{th}} \text{ item} = \frac{500}{2} = 250$$

$$Q_3 = 3\left(\frac{N}{4}\right)^{\text{th}} \text{ item} = 3(125) = 375$$

$$Q_1 = L_1 + \frac{\frac{N}{4} - m_1}{f_1} \times c$$

$$= 137.5 + \frac{125 - 123}{100} \times 25$$

$$= 137.5 + \frac{.2}{100} \times 25$$

$$= 137.5 + 0.5$$

$$Q_1 = 138$$

$$Q_2 = L_2 + \frac{\frac{N}{2} - m_2}{f_2} \times c$$

$$= 162.5 + \frac{250 - 223}{125} \times 25$$

$$= 162.5 + \frac{27}{125} \times 25$$

$$= 162.5 + 5.4$$

$$Q_2 = 167.9$$

$$Q_3 = L_3 + \frac{3\left(\frac{N}{4}\right) - m_3}{f_3} \times c$$

$$= 187.5 + \frac{375 - 348}{80} \times 25$$

$$= 187.5 + \frac{27}{80} \times 25$$

$$= 187.5 + 8.437$$

$$Q_3 = 195.93$$

Bowley's Co-efficient of skewness

$$= \frac{Q_3 + Q_1 - 2Q_2}{Q_3 - Q_1}$$

$$= \frac{195.93 + 138 - 2(167.9)}{195.93 - 138}$$

$$= \frac{333.93 - 335.8}{57.93}$$

$$= \frac{-1.87}{57.93}$$

Bowley's Co-efficient = -0.032

5 In distribution mean = 65, Median = 70 and Co-efficient of skewness is -0.6. Find

i) Mode

ii) Co-efficient of Variation

Sol.

Given:

Mean  $\bar{x} = 65$

Median = 70

Coefficient of skewness = -0.6

Co-efficient of Variation =  $\frac{\sigma}{\bar{x}} \times 100 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$

Co-efficient of skewness =  $\frac{3(\text{Mean} - \text{Median})}{\text{Standard deviation}}$

$$\text{skewness} = \frac{3(65-70)}{S.D}$$

$$S.D = \frac{3(65-70)}{\text{skewness}}$$

$$\sigma = \frac{-15}{-0.6}$$

$$\sigma = 25$$

Sub  $\sigma = 25$  in equ (1)

$$\text{Coefficient of Variation} = \frac{25}{65} \times 100$$

$$= 0.3846 \times 100$$

$$= 38.46$$

$$\text{Mean} - \text{Mode} = 3(\text{Mean} - \text{Median})$$

$$65 - \text{Mode} = 3(65 - 70)$$

$$65 - \text{Mode} = 3(-5)$$

$$-\text{Mode} = -15 - 65$$

$$-\text{Mode} = -80$$

$$\text{Mode} = 80$$

6. From a cube distribution the Mean Value is Rs 20 and the median price is Rs 17 if the Co-efficient of Variation is the 20%. Find the Pearson's Co-efficient of skewness.

Sol:

$$\text{Coefficient of Variation} = \frac{\sigma}{\bar{x}} \times 100$$

$$\text{Co-efficient of variation} \times \frac{\bar{x}}{100} = \sigma$$

$$\sigma = \frac{20}{100} \times \frac{20}{100}$$

$$= \frac{400}{10,000}$$

$$\sigma = 0.04$$

$$\text{pearson's co-efficient of skewness} = \frac{3(\text{Mean} - \text{Median})}{\text{S.D}}$$

$$= \frac{3(20 - 17)}{0.04}$$

$$= \frac{3(3)}{0.04}$$

$$= \frac{.9}{0.04}$$

$$\text{pearson's co-efficient} = 225$$

In a distribution sum of two quadrants is  $78.2$  and its difference is  $14.3$  and if its median is  $35.7$

find the coefficient of skewness.

Sol:

$$Q_3 + Q_1 = 78.2$$

$$Q_3 - Q_1 = 14.3$$

$$Q_2 = 35.7$$

$$\text{Coefficient of skewness} = \frac{Q_3 + Q_1 - 2Q_2}{Q_3 - Q_1}$$

$$= \frac{78.2 - 2(35.7)}{14.3}$$

$$= \frac{78.2 - 71.4}{14.3}$$

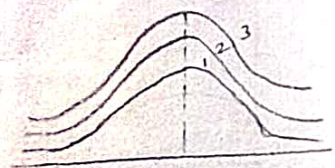
$$\text{Coefficient of skewness} = 0.4755$$

kurtosis Based On Moments:

kurtosis is a measure of flatness or peakness of a distribution

Types of kurtosis:

1. Mesokurtic
2. Platykurtic
3. Leptokurtic



1 - M  
2 - P  
3 - L

1. Mesokurtic:

Normal curve (Bell shaped) is called Mesokurtic

2. Platykurtic:

The curve which is more flat topped than the normal curve is called platykurtic.

3. Leptokurtic:

The curve which is more peaked than the normal curve is called leptokurtic.

Measures of kurtosis:-

The measures of kurtosis of a frequency distribution are based upon the fourth moment about the mean of the distribution.

i.e:

$$\beta_2 = \frac{\mu_4}{\mu_2^2}$$

where,

$\mu_4$  - 4<sup>th</sup> moment.

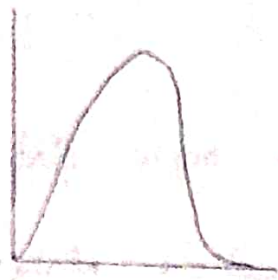
$\mu_2$  - 2<sup>nd</sup> moment.

\* If  $\beta_2 = 3$ , the distribution is said to be normal. and the curve is a normal curve (mesokurtic)

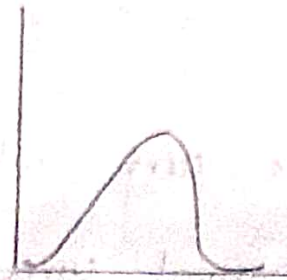
\* If  $\beta_2 > 3$ , the distribution is said to be more peaked, and the curve is leptokurtic.



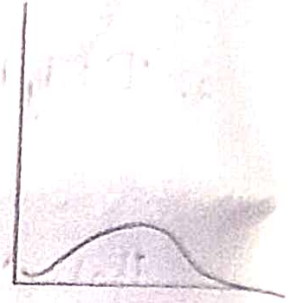
\* I.  $\beta < 3$ , the distribution is said to be flat topped and the curve is platykurtic.



$\beta_2 > 3$   
Lepto



$\beta_2 = 3$   
Meso



$\beta_2 < 3$   
Platy

\* Central moments =  $\mu'_r$  ( $\mu_1 = \mu'_1$ )

$$\beta_1 = \frac{\mu'_3}{\mu'_2}$$

$$\mu_3 = \mu'_3 - 3\mu'_2\mu'_1 + 2\mu_1^3$$

$$\beta_1 = \frac{\mu_3}{\mu_2^3}$$

$$\mu_4 = \mu'_4 - 4\mu'_3\mu'_1 + 6\mu'_2\mu_1^2 - 3\mu_1^4$$

$$\beta_2 = \frac{\mu_4}{\mu_2^2}$$

$$\mu_1 = \mu'_1$$

$$\mu_2 = \mu'_2 - (\mu'_1)^2$$

1. The first 4 central moments of a distribution are 0, 2.5, 0.7, 8.75. Test the skewness and kurtosis of a distribution.

Sol.:

$$\mu'_1 = 0 ; \mu'_2 = 2.5 ; \mu'_3 = 0.7 ; \mu'_4 = 8.75$$

The coefficient of skewness,  $\beta_1 = \frac{\mu_3}{\mu_2^3}$

$$\beta_1 = \frac{(0.7)^2}{(2.5)^3}$$

$$= \frac{0.49}{15.625}$$

$$\beta_1 = 0.031$$

$\therefore \beta_1$  is positive, the distribution is positively skewed.

$$\mu_3 = \mu_3' - 3\mu_2'\mu_1' + 2\mu_1'^3$$

$$= 0.7 - 3(2.5)(0) + 2(0)^3$$

$$\mu_3 = 0.7$$

$$\mu_2 = \mu_2' - (\mu_1')^2$$

$$= 2.5 - (0)^2$$

$$\mu_2 = 2.5$$

$$\beta_2 = \frac{\mu_4}{\mu_2^2}$$

$$\mu_4 = \mu_4' - 4\mu_3'\mu_1' + 6\mu_2'\mu_1'^2 - 3\mu_1'^4$$

$$= 8.75 - 4(0.7)(0) + 6(2.5)(0)^2 - 3(0)^4$$

$$\mu_4 = 8.75$$

$$\mu_2 = (2.5)^2$$

$$\beta_2 = \frac{8.75}{(2.5)^2} = \frac{8.75}{6.25}$$

$$\beta_2 = 1.4$$

$\therefore$  The gn kurtosis is platykurtic.

2. The first 4 moments of the distribution about the values are 2, 20, 40, 150. find the Measures of kurtosis and comment the distribution

Sol:

$$\mu_1' = 20, \mu_2' = 20, \mu_3' = 40, \mu_4' = 150$$

$$\beta_1 = \frac{\mu_3'^2}{\mu_2'^3}$$

$$\mu_2 = \mu_2' - (\mu_1')^2$$

$$= 20 - (2)^2$$

$$= 20 - 4$$

$$\mu_2 = 16$$

$$\mu_3 = \mu_3' - 3\mu_2'\mu_1' + 2\mu_1'^3$$

$$= 40 - 3(20)(2) + 2(2)^3$$

$$= 40 - 120 + 16$$

$$\mu_3 = -64$$

$$\mu_4 = \mu_4' - 4\mu_3'\mu_1' + 6\mu_2'\mu_1'^2 - 3\mu_1'^4$$

$$= 150 - 4(40)(2) + 6(20)(2)^2 - 3(2)^4$$

$$\mu_4 = 262$$

$$\beta_1 = \frac{\mu_3^2}{\mu_2^3}$$

$$= \frac{(-64)^2}{(16)^3}$$

$$= \frac{4096}{4096}$$

$\beta_1 = 1$   $\therefore \beta_1$  is positive, the distribution is positively skewed

$$\beta_2 = \frac{\mu_4}{\mu_2^2}$$

$$= \frac{262}{(16)^2}$$

$$= \frac{262}{256}$$

$$\beta_2 = 1.023$$

$\therefore$  The given kurtosis is platykurtic

2 Given  $Q_1 = 18$ ;  $Q_3 = 25$ ; mode = 21 and mean = 18.

Find coefficient of skewness

Sol:

$$\text{Coefficient of skewness} = \frac{\text{mode} - 2(\text{mean})}{3(\text{median}) - 2(\text{mean})}$$

$$= \frac{21 - 36}{3(\text{median}) - 36}$$

$$3 \text{ median} = 57$$

$$\text{Median} = 19$$

$$\text{Coeff. of } sk = \frac{Q_3 + Q_1 - 2(Q_2)}{Q_3 - Q_1}$$

$$= \frac{25 + 18 - 2(19)}{25 - 18}$$

$$= \frac{25 + 18 - 38}{7}$$

$$= \frac{5}{7}$$

$$\text{Coefficient of } sk = 0.714$$

1. From a moderately skewed distribution of retail prices for men's shoes, it is found that the mean price is Rs. 20 and the median price is Rs. 17. If the coefficient of variation is 20%, find the pearsonian sk of distribution.

Sol:

$$\text{pearson's co-efficient of } sk = \frac{3(\text{mean} - \text{median})}{S.D}$$

$$\text{mean} = 20 ; \text{median} = 17$$

$$C.V = \frac{S.D \times 100}{\text{mean}}$$

$$20 = \frac{SD \times 100}{20}$$

$$\frac{20}{100} = \frac{\sigma}{20} \times 100$$

$$20 = \frac{\sigma}{20} \times 100$$

$$\frac{1}{5} = \frac{\sigma}{20} \times 100$$

$$5\sigma = 20$$

$$\frac{20}{5} = 100\sigma$$

$$\sigma = \frac{20}{5}$$

$$\sigma = \frac{4}{100}$$

$$\sigma = 4$$

$$\sigma = 0.04$$

$$\text{Co-efficient of } sk = \frac{3(20-17)}{0.04}$$

$$= \frac{3(3)}{0.04}$$

$$= \frac{9}{0.04}$$

$$\text{Co-efficient of } sk = 2.25$$

2. For a moderately skewed data, the arithmetic mean is 200, the co-efficient of variation is 8 and Karl Pearson's co-efficient of skewness is 0.3. Find the mode and median.

Sol:

$$\bar{x} = 200, C.V = 8, sk = 0.3$$

$$C.V = \frac{SD \times 100}{\text{Mean}}$$

$$8 = \frac{\sigma}{200} \times 100$$

$$\sigma = 8 \times 2$$

$$\sigma = 16$$

$$\text{Coefficient of } s_k = \frac{\text{Mean} - \text{Mode}}{\sigma}$$

$$0.3 = \frac{200 - \text{mode}}{16}$$

$$\text{mode} = 200 - 4.8$$

$$\text{mode} = 195.2$$

$$\text{Mode} = 3(\text{median}) - 2(\bar{x})$$

$$195.2 = 3(\text{median}) - 2(200)$$

$$195.2 = 3(\text{median}) - 400$$

$$3 \text{ median} - 400 = 195.2$$

$$3 \text{ median} = 195.2 + 400$$

$$\text{median} = \frac{595.2}{3}$$

$$\text{median} = 198.4$$

$$\text{Median} = 198.4 \quad \text{Mode} = 195.2$$

3. For a group of 20 items,  $\sum x = 1452$  and  $\sum x^2 = 144280$  and mode = 63.7. Find the Pearson's co-efficient of skewness.

Sol:-

$$sk = \frac{\text{Mean} - \text{Mode}}{\sigma}$$

$$\text{Mean} = \frac{\sum x}{N} = \frac{1452}{20} = 72.6$$

$$\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{\sum x^2}{N} - \left(\frac{\sum x}{N}\right)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{144280}{20} - \left(\frac{1452}{20}\right)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{7214 - 5270.76}$$

$$= \sqrt{1943.24}$$

$$\sigma = 44.08$$

$$sk = \frac{72.6 - 63.7}{44.08}$$

$$= \frac{8.9}{44.08}$$

$$sk = 0.202$$



Find the quartile co-efficient of skewness of the two groups given below, which group is more skewed.

Mark	A	B
55-58	12	20
58-61	17	22
61-64	23	25
64-67	18	13

Sol:

For group A:

C.I	f	cf
55-58	12	12
$\frac{N}{4}$ 58-61	17 $f_1$	29 $Q_1$
61-64	23	52
64-67	18	70
	$\Sigma f = 70$	

$$Q_1 = L_1 + \frac{\frac{N}{4} - m_1}{f_1} \times c$$

$$= 58 + \frac{17.5 - 12}{17} \times 3$$

$$= 58 + \frac{5.5}{17} \times 3$$

$$= 58 + 0.9705$$

$$Q_1 = 58.9705$$

$$Q_2 = L_2 + \frac{\frac{N}{2} - m_2}{f_2} \times C$$

$$= 61 + \frac{35 - 29}{23} \times 3$$

$$= 61 + \frac{6}{23} \times 3$$

$$Q_2 = 61.78$$

$$Q_3 = L_3 + \frac{3\left(\frac{N}{4}\right) - m_3}{f_3} \times C$$

$$= 64 + \frac{3(17.5) - 52}{18} \times 3$$

$$= 64 + \frac{0.083}{8.749}$$

$$Q_3 = 64.083$$

$$\text{Bowley's coeff of sk} = \frac{Q_3 + Q_1 - 2Q_2}{Q_3 - Q_1}$$

$$= \frac{64.083 + 58.97 - 2(61.78)}{64.083 - 58.97}$$

$$= \frac{123.053 - 123.56}{5.113}$$

Bowley's co-efficient of skewness  
 $= -0.099.$

For group B:

C.I	f	cf
55-58	20	20 $Q_1$
58-61	22	42 $Q_2$
61-64	25	67 $Q_3$
64-67	13	80
	$\Sigma f = 80$	

$$Q_1 = L_1 + \frac{\frac{N}{4} - m_1}{f_1} \times c$$

$$= 55 + \frac{20 - 20}{20} \times 3$$

$$Q_1 = 55$$

$$Q_2 = L_2 + \frac{\frac{N}{2} - m_2}{f_2} \times c$$

$$= 58 + \frac{40 - 20}{22} \times 3$$

$$= 58 + \frac{20}{22} \times 3$$

$$= 58 + 2.727$$

$$Q_2 = 60.727$$

$$Q_3 = L_3 + \frac{3\left(\frac{N}{4}\right) - m_3}{f_3} \times c$$

$$= 61 + \frac{3(20) - 42}{25} \times 3$$

$$= 61 + \frac{18}{25} \times 3$$

$$= 61 + 2.16$$

$$Q_3 = 63.16$$

Bowley's co-efficient of skewness =  $\frac{Q_3 + Q_1 - 2Q_2}{Q_3 - Q_1}$

$$= \frac{63.16 + 55 - 2(60.727)}{63.16 - 55}$$

$$= \frac{118.16 - 121.454}{8.16}$$

$$= \frac{-3.294}{8.16}$$

Bowley's co-efficient of skewness =  $-0.4036$

## Homework:

1. Calculate Karl Pearson's coefficient of skewness from the given data:

Income	400-500	500-600	600-700	700-800	800-900
No. of employees	8	16	20	17	3

Sol:

∴ Mean:

C.I	f	m	$d' = \frac{m-A}{c}$	$f d'$
400-500	8	450	-2	-16
500-600	16	550	-1	-16
600-700	20	650	0	0
700-800	17	750	1	17
800-900	3	850	2	6
	$\Sigma f = 64$			$\Sigma f d' = -9$

$$\text{Mean} = A + \frac{\Sigma f d'}{N} \times c$$

$$= 650 + \frac{(-9)}{64} \times 100$$

$$= 650 - 14.06$$

$$\text{Mean} = 635.94$$

Mode:

Grouping Table:

C.I	C <sub>1</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	C <sub>3</sub>	C <sub>4</sub>	C <sub>5</sub>	C <sub>6</sub>
400 - 500	8	8+16 24				
500 - 600	16		16+20 (36)	8+16+20 44		
600 - 700	(20)				16+20+20 56	20+17+13
700 - 800	17	(37)			53	40
800 - 900	3		20			

Analysis Table:

C.I	C <sub>1</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	C <sub>3</sub>	C <sub>4</sub>	C <sub>5</sub>	C <sub>6</sub>	T
400 - 500				1			1
500 - 600			1	1	1		3
600 - 700	1	1	1	1	1	1	(6)
700 - 800		1			1	1	3
800 - 900						1	1

$$\text{Mode} = L + \left[ \frac{f_1 - f_0}{2f_1 - f_0 - f_2} \right] \times c$$

$$f_0 = 16, f_1 = 20, f_2 = 17, L = 600$$

$$= 600 + \left[ \frac{20 - 16}{2(20) - 16 - 17} \right] \times 100$$

$$= 600 + 57.142$$

$$\text{Mode} = 657.142$$

$$S.D = \sqrt{\frac{\sum fd^2}{N} - \left( \frac{\sum fd}{N} \right)^2}$$

C.I	f	m	$d' = \frac{m-A}{c}$	$d'^2$	$f d'$	$f d'^2$
400-500	8	450	-2	4	-16	32
500-600	16	550	-1	1	-16	16
600-700	20	650	0	0	0	0
700-800	17	750	1	1	17	17
800-900	3	850	2	4	6	12
	$\Sigma f = 64$				$\Sigma f d' = -9$	$\Sigma f d'^2 = 77$

$$S.D = \sqrt{\frac{77}{64} - \left(\frac{-9}{64}\right)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{1.203 - (0.019)}$$

$$= \sqrt{1.184}$$

$$S.D = 1.088$$

Difference b/w dispersion and skewness:

Dispersion	Skewness
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* It shows us the spread of individual values about the central value.</li> <li>* It is useful to study the variability in data.</li> <li>* It judges the truthfulness</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* It shows us departure of symmetry.</li> <li>* It is useful to study the concentration in lower or higher variables.</li> <li>* It judges the difference</li> </ul>

of the central tendency

\* It is a type of average of deviation -

Average of the second Order.

\* It shows the degree of variability.

between the central tendency.

\* It is not an average, but is measured by the use of the mean, the median and the mode

\* It shows whether the concentration is in higher or lower value.



2. From the given data given below:

$$\text{mean} = 150, \text{ median} = 142, Q_1 = 62, Q_3 = 195,$$

$$d_1 = 30, d_9 = 230, \sigma = 30$$

i) Karl Pearson's co-eff. of skewness

ii) Bowley's co-eff. of skewness

iii) Kjerfve's Kelly's co-eff. of skewness

Sol:

iii) Kelly's co-efficient of skewness:

$$\text{gn: } d_1 = 30, d_9 = 230, \text{ median} = 142$$

$$= \frac{d_9 + d_1 - 2(\text{median})}{d_9 - d_1}$$

$$= \frac{230 + 30 - 2(142)}{230 - 30}$$

$$= \frac{230 + 30 - 284}{200}$$

$$= \frac{260 - 284}{200}$$

$$= -0.12$$

i) Karl Pearson's co-efficient of skewness:

$$= \frac{3(\text{mean} - \text{median})}{s.d}$$

$$= \frac{3(150 - 142)}{30}$$

$$= \frac{3(8)}{30} = \frac{24}{30}$$

$$= 0.8$$

ii) Bowley's coefficient of skewness:

$$= \frac{Q_3 + Q_1 - 2Q_2}{Q_3 - Q_1}$$

$$= \frac{195 + 62 - 2(142)}{195 - 62}$$

$$= \frac{195 + 62 - 284}{133}$$

$$= \frac{-27}{133}$$

$$= -0.2030$$