



Daffodil International University

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Faculty of Science & Information Technology

Midterm Examination, Fall 2025

Course Code: SPA 101; Course Title: Statistics I

Sections & Teachers: TBN (43_A-43_D, 43_N); TK (43_I-43_M); MSAM (43_E-43_H, 43-O)

Marks: 25

Time: 1 Hour 30 Mins

Answer ALL Questions

[The figures in the right margin indicate the full marks and corresponding course outcomes. All portions of each question must be answered sequentially.]

each question must be answered by

1.	a)	Suppose that a new antibody drug is 'currently under study. It is given to patients once the symptoms have revealed themselves. Of interest is the average (mean) length of time in months' patients live once they start the treatment. A set of 40 patients were selected from the start of treatment until their deaths. Among them, three data (in months) are 34, 45, and 47 were collected. Describe what the key terms refer to in the scenario (Population, Sample, Parameter, Statistic, Variable, and Data).	3	CLO-1 Level-2																		
	b)	Comment the correct data type (qualitative or quantitative) and the correct level of measurements. i. The time (in minutes) it takes you to commute to campus. ii. The colors of the houses around the park	2																			
2.	a)	The following distribution represents the income (in Tk) of a mobile repairing shop in different days. 35, 54, 20, 47, 26, 72, 38, 41, 24, 32, 69, 78, 61, 34, 29, 45, 56, 67, 75, 43, 37, 59, 52, 63, 50 i. Derive a frequency distribution table with cumulative relative frequencies. ii. Sketch an appropriate graph for the given data. iii. Investigate the Mean, Median and Mode from the frequency distribution in part (i).	4+2+4=10	CLO-2 Level-3																		
	b)	Investigate Q_2 , D_8 , and P_{80} of income (in Tk) and comment on the findings.	3																			
3.	a)	A study looks at how students' sleep habits affect their test performance. The table below shows the average hours of sleep per night and their corresponding exam scores for 8 students: <table border="1" style="margin: 10px auto; width: 80%;"><tr><td>Sleep Hours (X)</td><td>3</td><td>4</td><td>5</td><td>6</td><td>7</td><td>8</td><td>9</td><td>10</td></tr><tr><td>Exam Score (Y)</td><td>45</td><td>50</td><td>52</td><td>58</td><td>65</td><td>70</td><td>75</td><td>78</td></tr></table> i. Sketch a Box and Whisker Plot for X and Y. ii. Investigate X and Y according to their variability.	Sleep Hours (X)	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Exam Score (Y)	45	50	52	58	65	70	75	78	2+2=4	CLO-3 Level-3
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	b)	Attain the shape characteristics of the distribution of Exam Score (Y). (N.B. $\mu_1 = 61.63$, $\mu_2 = 130.73$, $\mu_3 = 287.80$, $\mu_4 = 26437.67$)	3																			