STA 2023 REVIEW I – Chapters 1-3 (not all-inclusive)

1. True/False

- a) The Empirical Rule applies to mound-shaped data
- b) A sample is the complete set of observations or measurements of interest to an experimenter.
- c) The stem-and-leaf display is a tool used to graph qualitative data
- d) The union of two events, A and B, is the event containing all the sample points that are either in event A or event B or both events A and B.
- e) In a skewed right distribution, the mean is greater than the median
- 2. Use the sample below to find the following:

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- a) mean
- b) median
- c) mode
- d) standard deviation
- e) range
- 3. Identify the following variables as Qualitative or Quantitative
 - a) The declared major of a college student
 - b) The cost of a fast-food meal
 - c) The favorite brand of soft-drink of a consumer
- 4. At one retail store, the mean time for a person to complete an application for employment is 24.5 minutes with standard deviation 3.9 minutes. What is the probability a randomly selected applicant takes longer than 37 minutes to fill out the application?
- 5. Suppose 60% of a group of American citizens is registered to vote and of those registered, 85% voted in the last Presidential Election. What is the probability a randomly selected citizen is both registered to vote and voted in the last Presidential Election?

6. A group of faculty and students were surveyed regarding a campus issue; their opinions are recorded below. Use the following table to answer the following questions:

OPINION	In Favor	Opposed	No Opinion
Faculty	20	34	0
Student	93	70	23

- a) What proportion of the responses were in opposition to the issue?
- b) What proportion of those opposed were faculty?
- c) What proportion of the responses were either from students or in favor of the issue?
- d) Are the events S(Student) and N(No Opinion) mutually exclusive events? Thoroughly justify your answer.
- e) Are the events S(Student) and N(No Opinion) independent events? Thoroughly justify your answer.

KEY (brief answers provided; show all work on the exam)

- 1. T, F, F, T, T
- 2. a) 3.5 b) 5 c) 6 d) 4.2 e) 11
- 3. Qual, Quan, Qual
- 4. At most 11%
- 5. .51
- 6. a) .43 b) .33 c) .86 d) No, $P(S \cap N) = .10 \neq 0$
 - e) No, $P(S) = .78 \neq 1.00 = P(S|N)$