



**Find the mode of each dataset.**

1. 9, 9, 3, 2, 6, 12

**mode(s)**

9

2. 6, 6, 2, 9, 6, 9

6

3. 8, 5, 9, 7, 8

8

4. 10, 6, 10, 9, 10, 7, 4

10

5. 12, 7, 10, 9, 8, 10, 11, 4, 8

8 and 10

6. 8, 7, 5, 9, 7

7

7. 9, 3, 9, 10, 11, 7, 7

7 and 9

8. 6, 3, 12, 7, 9, 12, 10, 5, 7

7 and 12

9. 7, 9, 2, 11, 10, 7, 11, 3, 6

7 and 11

10. 9, 5, 2, 11, 2, 8, 3

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11. 4, 10, 6, 9, 6, 5, 11, 10

6 and 10

12. 9, 2, 9, 9, 11, 6, 10, 6, 3

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**Solution Steps**

$$^1) 9, 9, 3, 2, 6, 12$$

Right now the numbers are out of order, so it is difficult to tell which number appears most often. So first put the numbers in order:

2, 3, 6, 9, 9 and 12

The number that appears most often is 9, so 9 is the mode of the set

$$^2) 6, 6, 2, 9, 6, 9$$

Right now the numbers are out of order, so it is difficult to tell which number appears most often. So first put the numbers in order:

2, 6, 6, 6, 9 and 9

The number that appears most often is 6, so 6 is the mode of the set

$$^3) 8, 5, 9, 7, 8$$

Right now the numbers are out of order, so it is difficult to tell which number appears most often. So first put the numbers in order:

5, 7, 8, 8 and 9

The number that appears most often is 8, so 8 is the mode of the set

$$^4) 10, 6, 10, 9, 10, 7, 4$$

Right now the numbers are out of order, so it is difficult to tell which number appears most often. So first put the numbers in order:

4, 6, 7, 9, 10, 10 and 10

The number that appears most often is 10, so 10 is the mode of the set

<sup>5)</sup> 12, 7, 10, 9, 8, 10, 11, 4, 8

Right now the numbers are out of order, so it is difficult to tell which number appears most often. So first put the numbers in order:

4, 7, 8, 8, 9, 10, 10, 11 and 12

The number that appears most often are 8 and 10. Since there is a tie, we say that the list has 2 modes: 8 and 10

<sup>6)</sup> 8, 7, 5, 9, 7

Right now the numbers are out of order, so it is difficult to tell which number appears most often. So first put the numbers in order:

5, 7, 7, 8 and 9

The number that appears most often is 7, so 7 is the mode of the set

<sup>7)</sup> 9, 3, 9, 10, 11, 7, 7

Right now the numbers are out of order, so it is difficult to tell which number appears most often. So first put the numbers in order:

3, 7, 7, 9, 9, 10 and 11

The number that appears most often are 7 and 9. Since there is a tie, we say that the list has 2 modes: 7 and 9

<sup>8)</sup> 6, 3, 12, 7, 9, 12, 10, 5, 7

Right now the numbers are out of order, so it is difficult to tell which number appears most often. So first put the numbers in order:

3, 5, 6, 7, 7, 9, 10, 12 and 12

The number that appears most often are 7 and 12. Since there is a tie, we say that the list has 2 modes: 7 and 12

<sup>9)</sup> 7, 9, 2, 11, 10, 7, 11, 3, 6

Right now the numbers are out of order, so it is difficult to tell which number appears most often. So first put the numbers in order:

2, 3, 6, 7, 7, 9, 10, 11 and 11

The number that appears most often are 7 and 11. Since there is a tie, we say that the list has 2 modes: 7 and 11

<sup>10)</sup> 9, 5, 2, 11, 2, 8, 3

Right now the numbers are out of order, so it is difficult to tell which number appears most often. So first put the numbers in order:

2, 2, 3, 5, 8, 9 and 11

The number that appears most often is 2, so 2 is the mode of the set

<sup>11)</sup> 4, 10, 6, 9, 6, 5, 11, 10

Right now the numbers are out of order, so it is difficult to tell which number appears most often. So first put the numbers in order:

4, 5, 6, 6, 9, 10, 10 and 11

The number that appears most often are 6 and 10. Since there is a tie, we say that the list has 2 modes: 6 and 10

<sup>12)</sup> 9, 2, 9, 9, 11, 6, 10, 6, 3

Right now the numbers are out of order, so it is difficult to tell which number appears most often. So first put the numbers in order:

2, 3, 6, 6, 9, 9, 9, 10 and 11

The number that appears most often is 9, so 9 is the mode of the set