



**Find the mode of each dataset.**

1. 12, 3, 7, 6, 5, 7, 6, 7

7

2. 7, 8, 3, 6, 11, 11

11

3. 12, 11, 2, 2, 4, 3, 4, 6

2 and 4

4. 11, 9, 9, 3, 4, 8, 6, 3

3 and 9

5. 12, 11, 6, 8, 10, 6, 8, 8

8

6. 8, 2, 10, 2, 5

2

7. 4, 5, 12, 12, 3, 5

5 and 12

8. 6, 7, 12, 12, 10, 5, 7, 11, 10

7, 10 and 12

9. 9, 9, 9, 12, 12, 12, 9, 3

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

5 and 8

11. 9, 11, 3, 2, 9, 5

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12. 6, 12, 8, 8, 7

8

**Solution Steps**

$$^1) 12, 3, 7, 6, 5, 7, 6, 7$$

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, 6, 7, 7, 7 and 12

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

$$^2) 7, 8, 3, 6, 11, 11$$

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, 6, 7, 8, 11 and 11

The number that appears most often is 11, so 11 is the mode of the set

$$^3) 12, 11, 2, 2, 4, 3, 4, 6$$

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, 2, 3, 4, 4, 6, 11 and 12

The number that appears most often are 2 and 4. Since there is a tie, we say that the list has 2 modes: 2 and 4

$$^4) 11, 9, 9, 3, 4, 8, 6, 3$$

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:

3, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 9 and 11

The number that appears most often are 3 and 9. Since there is a tie, we say that the list has 2 modes: 3 and 9

<sup>5)</sup> 12, 11, 6, 8, 10, 6, 8, 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:

6, 6, 8, 8, 8, 10, 11 and 12

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

<sup>6)</sup> 8, 2, 10, 2, 5

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, 5, 8 and 10

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

<sup>7)</sup> 4, 5, 12, 12, 3, 5

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, 4, 5, 5, 12 and 12

The number that appears most often are 5 and 12. Since there is a tie, we say that the list has 2 modes: 5 and 12

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

5, 6, 7, 7, 10, 10, 11, 12 and 12

The number that appears most often are 7, 10 and 12. Since there is a tie, we say that the list has 3 modes: 7, 10 and 12

<sup>9)</sup> 9, 9, 9, 12, 12, 12, 9, 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:

3, 9, 9, 9, 9, 12, 12 and 12

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

<sup>10)</sup> 12, 5, 5, 7, 8, 8, 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:

5, 5, 7, 8, 8, 9 and 12

The number that appears most often are 5 and 8. Since there is a tie, we say that the list has 2 modes: 5 and 8

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

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, 5, 9, 9 and 11

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

<sup>12)</sup> 6, 12, 8, 8, 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:

6, 7, 8, 8 and 12

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