Median

Example 1:

Find the median of 12, 34, 8, 16, 25, 3 and 10.

Arrange the data in an increasing order.

Middle number is 12.

Median: 12

Example 2:

Find the median of 5, 14, 22, 35, 20, 15, 6 and 28.

Arrange the data in an increasing order.

Middle numbers are 15 and 20.

Median:
$$\frac{15+20}{2} = 17.5$$

Find the median for each set of numbers.

1) 23, 37, 11, 58, 13, 45

Median:

2) 85, 42, 64, 71, 39, 56, 26

Median:

3) 41, 13, 21, 83, 54, 37, 18, 66, 72

Median :

4) 53, 22, 76, 46, 68, 32, 15, 29

Median : _____

5) 17, 24, 8, 19, 6, 34, 10, 28, 48, 12

Median:

6) 60, 52, 11, 29, 46, 9, 33

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25, 11, 9, 18, 21, 24, 16, 13, 30, 12

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Median : ____**41**___

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Median : ____**39**____

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Median: 57°F

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Median: 17 pages