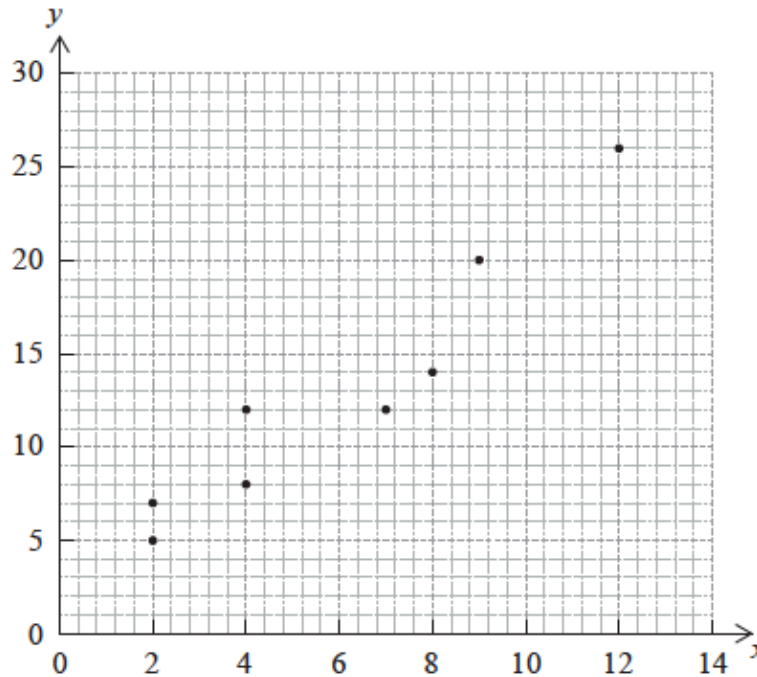


ASSIGNMENT: Scatter Plots, Correlation, and Z-scores

$$z = \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma} \quad \text{where } \mu = \text{mean and } \sigma = \text{standard deviation}$$

4. Consider the following set of data which is plotted on the scatter diagram below.

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|---|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|---|
| x | 2 | 4 | 7 | 12 | 4 | 8 | 9 | 2 |
| y | 5 | 8 | 12 | 26 | 12 | 14 | 20 | 7 |



- (a) Write down the coordinates of the mean point (\bar{x}, \bar{y}) . *[2 marks]*
- (b) Write down the value of r , the Pearson's product-moment correlation coefficient for this set of data. *[2 marks]*
- (c) Draw the regression line for y on x on the set of axes above. *[2 marks]*

21.) A van can take either Route A or Route B for a particular journey.

If Route A is taken, the journey time may be assumed to be normally distributed with mean 46 minutes and a standard deviation 10 minutes.

If Route B is taken, the journey time may be assumed to be normally distributed with mean μ minutes and standard deviation 12 minutes.

- (a) For Route A, find the probability that the journey takes **more** than 60 minutes. (2)
- (b) For Route B, the probability that the journey takes **less** than 60 minutes is 0.85. Find the value of μ . (3)
- (c) The van sets out at 06:00 and needs to arrive before 07:00.
- (i) Which route should it take?
- (ii) Justify your answer. (3)