

Homework #3

Solutions Stat 202-Carver

- 1.7. Shown are two possible stemplots; the first uses split stems (described on page 11 of the text). The scores are slightly left-skewed; most range from 70 to the low 90s.

(b)		(a)	
5	58	5	58
6	0	6	058
6	58	7	00235558
7	0023	8	000035557
7	5558	9	00022338
8	00003		
8	5557		
9	0002233		
9	8		

- 1.8. Preferences will vary. However, the stemplot in Figure 1.8 shows a bit more detail, which is useful for comparing the two distributions.

- 1.9. (a) The stemplot of the altered data is shown on the right. (b) Blank stems should always be retained (except at the beginning or end of the stemplot), because the gap in the distribution is an important piece of information about the data.

1	6
2	
2	5568
3	34
3	55678
4	012233
4	8
5	1

- 1.33. Shown is the stemplot; as the text suggests, we have trimmed numbers (dropped the last digit) and split stems. 359 mg/dl appears to be an outlier. Overall, glucose levels are not under control: Only 4 of the 18 had levels in the desired range.

0	799
1	0134444
1	5577
2	0
2	57
3	
3	5

- 1.34. The back-to-back stemplot on the right suggests that the individual-instruction group was more consistent (their numbers have less spread) but not more successful (only two had numbers in the desired range).

Individual		Class
	0	799
22	1	0134444
99866655	1	5577
22222	2	0
8	2	57
	3	
	3	5