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This institutional report package contains both a general report and data CD. The general report contains demographics, overall mean performance, concept analysis, and comparison to national norms (if available). More in-depth analyses can be performed by the Center for an additional cost, contact Kevin Harris for more information.

The data CD contains a Microsoft[®] Excel spreadsheet of all of the tests returned to the Center. Incomplete tests are marked in red and not included in the general report. The data CD also contains a copy of the general report and CAT material order forms.

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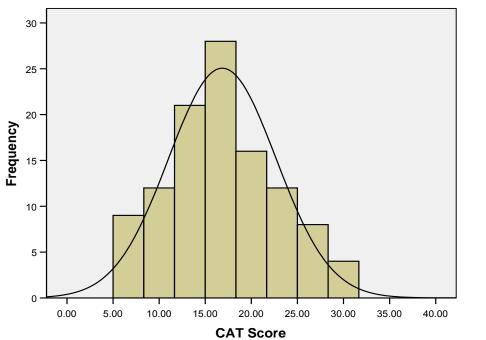
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All Students



Mean =16.8515 Std. Dev. =5.83595 N =110

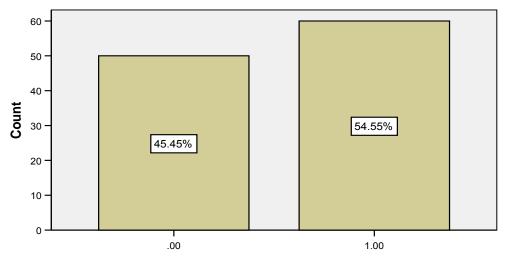
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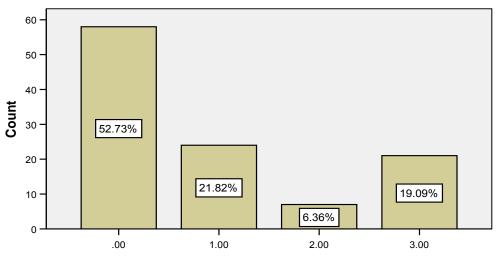
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	Female	63	57.3	57.3	100.0
	Total	110	100.0	100.0	

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Junior	35	31.8	31.8	31.8
	Senior	75	68.2	68.2	100.0
	Total	110	100.0	100.0	

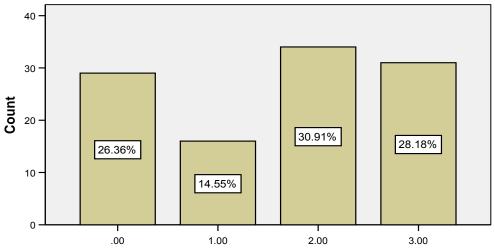
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Valid	18	Frequency			
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	20	14	12.7	12.7	13.6
	21	26	23.6	23.6	37.3
	22	19	17.3	17.3	54.5
	23	10	9.1	9.1	63.6
	24	7	6.4	6.4	70.0
	25	4	3.6	3.6	73.6
	26	5	4.5	4.5	78.2
	27	2	1.8	1.8	80.0
	29	4	3.6	3.6	83.6
	30	3	2.7	2.7	86.4
	31	2	1.8	1.8	88.2
	32	3	2.7	2.7	90.9
	42	1	.9	.9	91.8
	43	2	1.8	1.8	93.6
	45	1	.9	.9	94.5
	48	2	1.8	1.8	96.4
	51	1	.9	.9	97.3
	52	1	.9	.9	98.2
	60	1	.9	.9	99.1
	61	1	.9	.9	100.0
	Total	110	100.0	100.0	



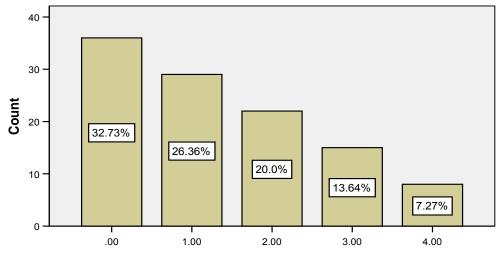
Q1: Summarize the pattern of results in a graph without making inappropriate inferences. (0 - 1 pt)



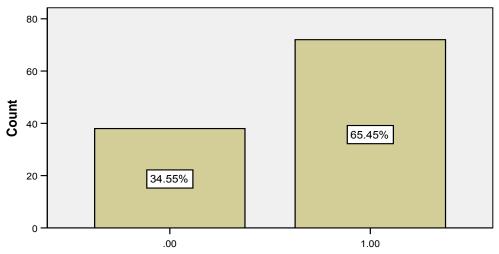
Q2: Evaluate how strongly correlational-type data supports a hypothesis. (0 - 3 pts)



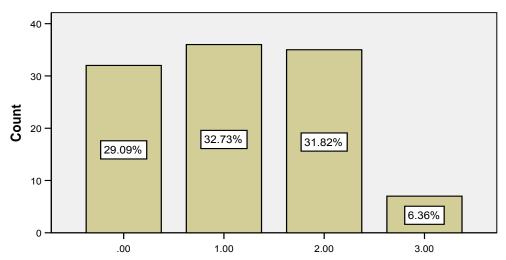
Q3: Provide alternative explanations for a pattern of results that has many possible causes. (0 - 3 pts)



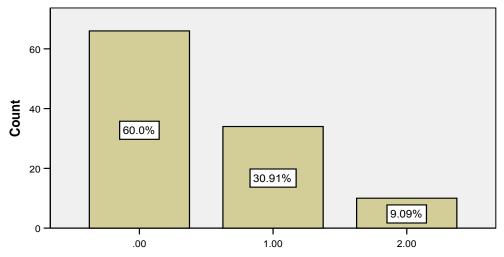
Q4: Identify additional information needed to evaluate a hypothesis. (0 - 4 pts)



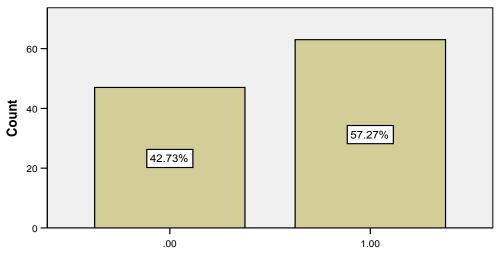
Q5: Evaluate whether spurious information strongly supports a hypothesis. (0 - 1 pt)



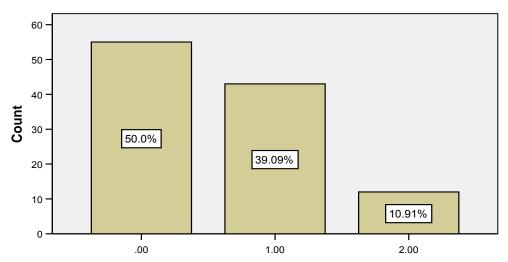
Q6: Provide alternative explanations for spurious associations. (0 - 3 pts)



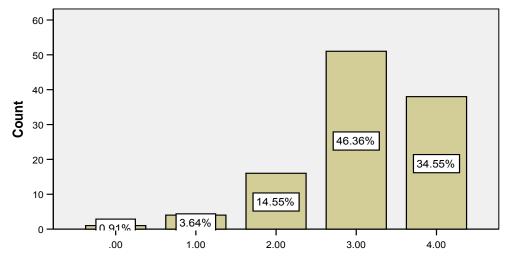
Q7: Identify additional information needed to evaluate a hypothesis. (0 - 2 pts)



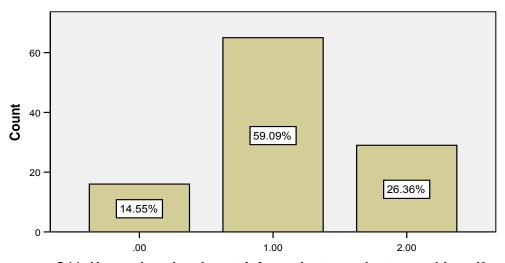
Q8: Determine whether an invited inference is supported by specific information. (0 - 1 pt)



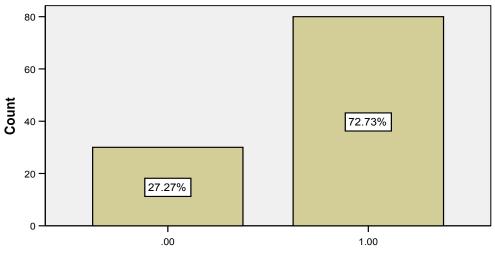
Q9: Provide relevant alternative interpretations for a specific set of results. (0 - 2 pts)



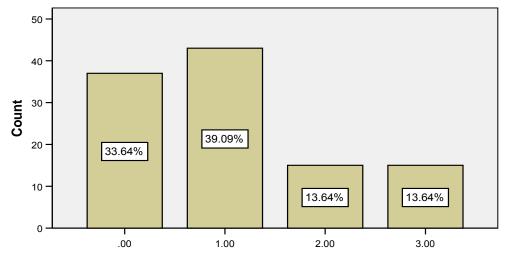
Q10: Separate relevant from irrelevant information when solving a real-world problem. (0 - 4 pts)



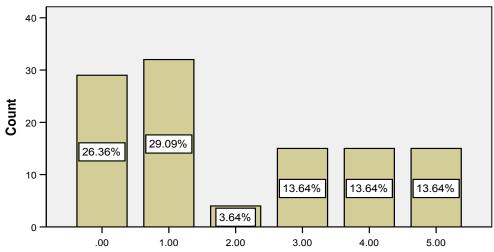
Q11: Use and apply relevant information to evaluate a problem. (0 - 2 pts)



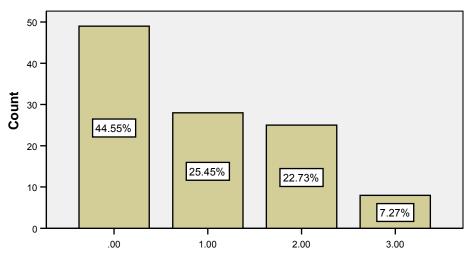
Q12: Use basic mathematical skills to help solve a real-world problem. (0 - 1 pt)



Q13: Identify suitable solutions for a real-world problem using relevant information. (0 - 3 pts)



Q14: Identify and explain the best solution for a real-world problem using relevant information. (0 - 5 pts)



Q15: Explain how changes in a real-world problem situation might affect the solution. (0 - 3 pts)

Colorado State University – Pueblo Institutional Profile (n=110)

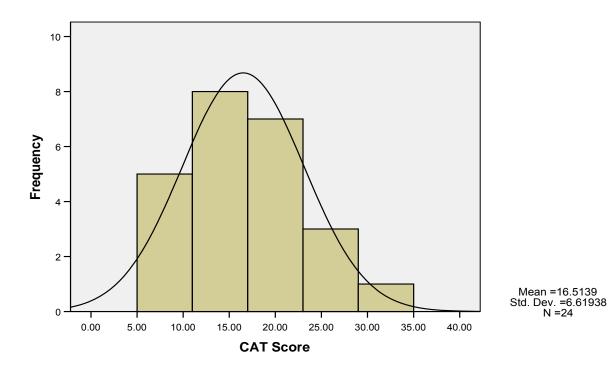
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Interpret Info	Solving	Thinking	Comm.		Skill Assessed by CAT Question	Mean	Avg. % of Obtainable Points
X				Q1	Summarize the pattern of results in a graph without making inappropriate inferences.	.55	55%
Х			Х	Q2	Evaluate how strongly correlational-type data supports a hypothesis.	.92	31%
		х	х	Q3	Provide alternative explanations for a pattern of results that has many possible causes.	1.60	53%
	Х	Х	Х	Q4	Identify additional information needed to evaluate a hypothesis.	1.36	34%
Х				Q5	Evaluate whether spurious information strongly supports a hypothesis.	.65	65%
		Х	Х	Q6	Provide alternative explanations for spurious associations.	1.15	38%
	Х	Х	Х	Q7	Identify additional information needed to evaluate a hypothesis.	.49	25%
X				Q8	Determine whether an invited inference is supported by specific information.	.57	57%
		х	х	Q9	Provide relevant alternative interpretations for a specific set of results.	.61	31%
Х	х			Q10	Separate relevant from irrelevant information when solving a real-world problem.	3.10	78%
Х	Х		Х	Q11	Use and apply relevant information to evaluate a problem.	1.12	56%
	Х			Q12	Use basic mathematical skills to help solve a real-world problem.	.73	73%
Х	X			Q13	Identify suitable solutions for a real-world problem using relevant information.	1.07	36%
Х	Х		Х	Q14	Identify and explain the best solution for a real-world problem using relevant information.	2.00	40%
	х	х	х	Q15	Explain how changes in a real-world problem situation might affect the solution.	.93	31%
	-	-	-	-	CAT Total Score	16.85	44%

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					Junior – Senior Comparison Report					
Evaluate and Interpret	Problem Solving	Creative Thinking	Effective Comm.		Skill Assessed by CAT Question	Junior Senior (n=75)		(n=75)	r	
Info	G 5119	9	00			Mean	Mean	Probability of difference ^a	Effect Size	
х				Q1	Summarize the pattern of results in a graph without making inappropriate inferences.	0.54	0.55			
Х			Х	Q2	Evaluate how strongly correlational-type data supports a hypothesis.	0.77	0.99			
		X	Х	Q3	Provide alternative explanations for a pattern of results that has many possible causes.	1.28	1.76	*	+41	
	Х	Х	Х	Q4	Identify additional information needed to evaluate a hypothesis.	1.14	1.46			
Х				Q5	Evaluate whether spurious information strongly supports a hypothesis.	0.69	0.64	0.64		
		X	Х	Q6	Provide alternative explanations for spurious associations.	1.20	1.13			
	Х	Х	X	Q7	Identify additional information needed to evaluate a hypothesis.	0.49	0.49	0.49		
Х				Q8	Determine whether an invited inference is supported by specific information.	0.60	0.56			
		X	Х	Q9	Provide relevant alternative interpretations for a specific set of results.	0.74	0.55			
Х	Х			Q10	Separate relevant from irrelevant information when solving a real-world problem.	3.08	3.11			
Х	Х		Х	Q11	Use and apply relevant information to evaluate a problem.	0.86	1.24	**	+64	
	Х			Q12	Use basic mathematical skills to help solve a real-world problem.	0.66	0.76			
Х	Х			Q13	Identify suitable solutions for a real-world problem using relevant information.	0.80	1.20	*	+.41	
Х	Х		Х	Q14	Identify and explain the best solution for a real-world problem using relevant information.	2.11	1.94			
	Х	Х	Х	Q15	Explain how changes in a real-world problem situation might affect the solution.	0.86	0.96			
					CAT Total Score	15.81	17.34			

a * p<.05 **p<.01 ***p<.001 (2 -tailed)

The map of skills covered by each question above is a suggested theoretical guide for interpreting results.

College of Education, Engineering & Professional Studies



Descriptive Statistics

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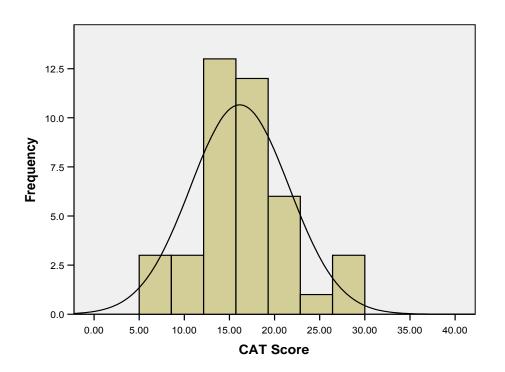
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Valid	Male	11	45.8	45.8	45.8
	Female	13	54.2	54.2	100.0
	Total	24	100.0	100.0	

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Junior	9	37.5	37.5	37.5
	Senior	15	62.5	62.5	100.0
	Total	24	100.0	100.0	

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	20	2	8.3	8.3	8.3
	21	7	29.2	29.2	37.5
	22	7	29.2	29.2	66.7
	23	1	4.2	4.2	70.8
	24	2	8.3	8.3	79.2
	30	3	12.5	12.5	91.7
	42	1	4.2	4.2	95.8
	52	1	4.2	4.2	100.0
	Total	24	100.0	100.0	

	Colorado State University – Pueblo College of Education, Engineering & Professional Studies (n=24)								
Evaluate and	Problem	Creative	Effective		Olill Assessed by OAT Overtion	Institution/I	Department		
Interpret Info	Solving	Thinking	Comm.		Skill Assessed by CAT Question	Mean	Avg. % of Obtainable Points		
x				Q1	Summarize the pattern of results in a graph without making inappropriate inferences.	.54	54%		
Х			Х	Q2	Evaluate how strongly correlational-type data supports a hypothesis.	.83	28%		
		X	×	Q3	Provide alternative explanations for a pattern of results that has many possible causes.	1.69	56%		
	Х	Х	Х	Q4	Identify additional information needed to evaluate a hypothesis.	1.33	33%		
Х				Q5	Evaluate whether spurious information strongly supports a hypothesis.	.75	75%		
		Х	Х	Q6	Provide alternative explanations for spurious associations.	1.04	35%		
	Х	Х	Х	Q7	Identify additional information needed to evaluate a hypothesis.	.46	23%		
Х				Q8	Determine whether an invited inference is supported by specific information.	.54	54%		
		Х	Х	Q9	Provide relevant alternative interpretations for a specific set of results.	.63	31%		
Х	Х			Q10	Separate relevant from irrelevant information when solving a real-world problem.	2.88	72%		
Х	Х		Х	Q11	Use and apply relevant information to evaluate a problem.	1.08	54%		
	Х			Q12	Use basic mathematical skills to help solve a real-world problem.	.63	63%		
Х	X			Q13	Identify suitable solutions for a real-world problem using relevant information.	1.13	38%		
Х	Х		Х	Q14	Identify and explain the best solution for a real-world problem using relevant information.	2.17	43%		
	X	X	х	Q15	Explain how changes in a real-world problem situation might affect the solution.	.82	27%		
		-	-	-	CAT Total Score	16.51	43%		

College of Humanities & Social Sciences



Mean =16.1463 Std. Dev. =5.4808 N =41

Descriptive Statistics

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Valid N (listwise)	41				

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
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	Female	31	75.6	75.6	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

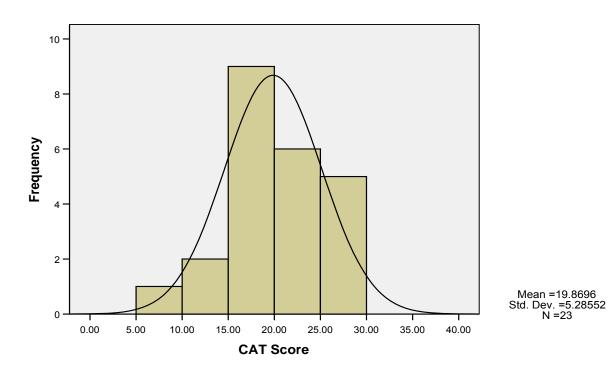
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	Senior	30	73.2	73.2	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	20	3	7.3	7.3	7.3
	21	8	19.5	19.5	26.8
	22	8	19.5	19.5	46.3
	23	2	4.9	4.9	51.2
	24	3	7.3	7.3	58.5
	25	2	4.9	4.9	63.4
	26	2	4.9	4.9	68.3
	27	2	4.9	4.9	73.2
	31	1	2.4	2.4	75.6
	32	3	7.3	7.3	82.9
	43	2	4.9	4.9	87.8
	45	1	2.4	2.4	90.2
	48	1	2.4	2.4	92.7
	51	1	2.4	2.4	95.1
	60	1	2.4	2.4	97.6
	61	1	2.4	2.4	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

Colorado State University – Pueblo College of Humanities & Social Sciences (n=41)

Evaluate and	Problem	Creative	Effective		Obill Assessed by CAT Overtion	Institution/I	Department
Interpret Info	Solving	Thinking	Comm.		Skill Assessed by CAT Question	Mean	Avg. % of Obtainable Points
Х				Q1	Summarize the pattern of results in a graph without making inappropriate inferences.	.56	56%
Х			Х	Q2	Evaluate how strongly correlational-type data supports a hypothesis.	1.12	37%
		Х	x	Q3	Provide alternative explanations for a pattern of results that has many possible causes.	1.48	49%
	Х	Х	Х	Q4	Identify additional information needed to evaluate a hypothesis.	1.46	37%
Х				Q5	Evaluate whether spurious information strongly supports a hypothesis.	.56	56%
		Х	Х	Q6	Provide alternative explanations for spurious associations.	1.17	39%
	Х	Х	Х	Q7	Identify additional information needed to evaluate a hypothesis.	.34	17%
X				Q8	Determine whether an invited inference is supported by specific information.	.54	54%
		Х	Х	Q9	Provide relevant alternative interpretations for a specific set of results.	.63	32%
Х	Х			Q10	Separate relevant from irrelevant information when solving a real-world problem.	3.10	78%
Х	Х		х	Q11	Use and apply relevant information to evaluate a problem.	1.05	53%
	Х			Q12	Use basic mathematical skills to help solve a real-world problem.	.78	78%
Х	Х			Q13	Identify suitable solutions for a real-world problem using relevant information.	.90	30%
Х	Х		Х	Q14	Identify and explain the best solution for a real-world problem using relevant information.	1.63	33%
	х	Х	х	Q15	Explain how changes in a real-world problem situation might affect the solution.	.81	27%
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	±	•	CAT Total Score	16.15	43%

College of Science & Mathematics



Descriptive Statistics

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
CAT Score	23	8.00	28.00	19.8696	5.28552
Valid N (listwise)	23				

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
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	Female	10	43.5	43.5	100.0
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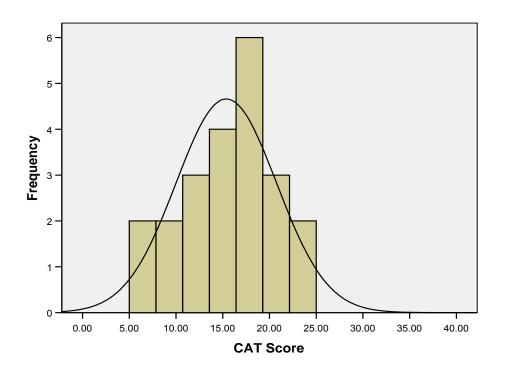
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Junior	9	39.1	39.1	39.1
	Senior	14	60.9	60.9	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0	

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	18	1	4.3	4.3	4.3
	20	6	26.1	26.1	30.4
	21	4	17.4	17.4	47.8
	22	1	4.3	4.3	52.2
	23	5	21.7	21.7	73.9
	25	2	8.7	8.7	82.6
	26	1	4.3	4.3	87.0
	29	1	4.3	4.3	91.3
	31	1	4.3	4.3	95.7
	48	1	4.3	4.3	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0	

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College of Science & Mathematics (n=23)	

Evaluate and	Problem	Creative	Effective		Chill Assessed has CAT Question	Institution/I	Department
nterpret Info	Solving	Thinking	Comm.		Skill Assessed by CAT Question	Mean	Avg. % of Obtainable Points
X				Q1	Summarize the pattern of results in a graph without making inappropriate inferences.	.52	52%
Х			Х	Q2	Evaluate how strongly correlational-type data supports a hypothesis.	.96	32%
		×	Х	Q3	Provide alternative explanations for a pattern of results that has many possible causes.	1.91	64%
	Х	Х	Х	Q4	Identify additional information needed to evaluate a hypothesis.	1.47	37%
Х				Q5	Evaluate whether spurious information strongly supports a hypothesis.	.78	78%
		Х	Х	Q6	Provide alternative explanations for spurious associations.	1.57	52%
	Х	Х	Х	Q7	Identify additional information needed to evaluate a hypothesis.	.74	37%
X				Q8	Determine whether an invited inference is supported by specific information.	.70	70%
		х	х	Q9	Provide relevant alternative interpretations for a specific set of results.	.70	35%
Х	Х			Q10	Separate relevant from irrelevant information when solving a real-world problem.	3.35	84%
Х	Х		Х	Q11	Use and apply relevant information to evaluate a problem.	1.17	59%
	Х			Q12	Use basic mathematical skills to help solve a real-world problem.	.74	74%
Χ	Х			Q13	Identify suitable solutions for a real-world problem using relevant information.	1.26	42%
Х	Х		Х	Q14	Identify and explain the best solution for a real-world problem using relevant information.	2.61	52%
	X	X	X	Q15	Explain how changes in a real-world problem situation might affect the solution.	1.39	46%
	<u>L</u>	!	<u>L</u>	-	CAT Total Score	19.87	52%

Hasan School of Business



Mean =15.3788 Std. Dev. =5.38103 N =22

Descriptive Statistics

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
CAT Score	22	5.00	24.00	15.3788	5.38103
Valid N (listwise)	22				

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
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	Female	9	40.9	40.9	100.0
	Total	22	100.0	100.0	

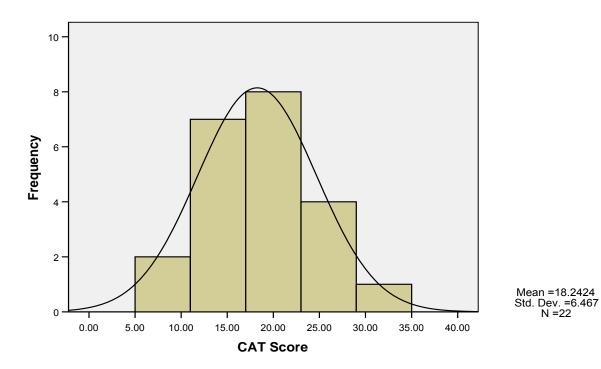
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Junior	6	27.3	27.3	27.3
	Senior	16	72.7	72.7	100.0
	Total	22	100.0	100.0	

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	20	3	13.6	13.6	13.6
	21	7	31.8	31.8	45.5
	22	3	13.6	13.6	59.1
	23	2	9.1	9.1	68.2
	24	2	9.1	9.1	77.3
	26	2	9.1	9.1	86.4
	29	3	13.6	13.6	100.0
	Total	22	100.0	100.0	

		Colorado State University – Pueblo
		Hasan School of Business (n=22)

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Problem	Creative	Effective		Skill Assessed by CAT Ougstion	Institution/I	Department		
Solving	Thinking	Comm.		Onli Assessed by OAT Question	Mean	Avg. % of Obtainable Points		
			Q1	Summarize the pattern of results in a graph without making inappropriate inferences.	.55	55%		
		Х	Q2	Evaluate how strongly correlational-type data supports a hypothesis.	.59	20%		
	Х	Х	Q3	Provide alternative explanations for a pattern of results that has many possible causes.	1.41	47%		
Х	Х	Х	Q4	Identify additional information needed to evaluate a hypothesis.	1.08	27%		
			Q5	Evaluate whether spurious information strongly supports a hypothesis.	.59	59%		
	Х	Х	Q6	Provide alternative explanations for spurious associations.	.82	27%		
X	X	Х	Q7	Identify additional information needed to evaluate a hypothesis.	.55	27%		
			Q8	Determine whether an invited inference is supported by specific information.	.55	55%		
	Х	Х	Q9	Provide relevant alternative interpretations for a specific set of results.	.45	23%		
Х			Q10	Separate relevant from irrelevant information when solving a real-world problem.	3.09	77%		
Х		Х	Q11	Use and apply relevant information to evaluate a problem.	1.22	61%		
Х			Q12	Use basic mathematical skills to help solve a real-world problem.	.73	73%		
Х			Q13	Identify suitable solutions for a real-world problem using relevant information.	1.14	38%		
Х		Х	Q14	Identify and explain the best solution for a real-world problem using relevant information.	1.85	37%		
X	Х	Х	Q15	Explain how changes in a real-world problem situation might affect the solution.	.77	26%		
		-	-	CAT Total Score	15.38	54%		
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Descriptive Statistics

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
CAT Score	22	5.00	31.00	18.2424	6.46700
Valid N (listwise)	22				

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Male	9	40.9	40.9	40.9
	Female	13	59.1	59.1	100.0
	Total	22	100.0	100.0	

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Junior	2	9.1	9.1	9.1
	Senior	20	90.9	90.9	100.0
	Total	22	100.0	100.0	

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	20	1	4.5	4.5	4.5
	21	10	45.5	45.5	50.0
	22	6	27.3	27.3	77.3
	23	4	18.2	18.2	95.5
	30	1	4.5	4.5	100.0
	Total	22	100.0	100.0	

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Interpret Info	Solving	Thinking	Comm.		Skill Assessed by CAT Question	Mean	Avg. % of Obtainable Points
Х				Q1	Summarize the pattern of results in a graph without making inappropriate inferences.	.68	68%
Х			Х	Q2	Evaluate how strongly correlational-type data supports a hypothesis.	1.36	45%
		х	х	Q3	Provide alternative explanations for a pattern of results that has many possible causes.	1.55	52%
	Х	Х	Х	Q4	Identify additional information needed to evaluate a hypothesis.	1.36	34%
Х				Q5	Evaluate whether spurious information strongly supports a hypothesis.	.68	68%
		Х	Х	Q6	Provide alternative explanations for spurious associations.	1.32	44%
	Х	Х	Х	Q7	Identify additional information needed to evaluate a hypothesis.	.73	37%
X				Q8	Determine whether an invited inference is supported by specific information.	.59	59%
		Х	х	Q9	Provide relevant alternative interpretations for a specific set of results.	.64	32%
Х	Х			Q10	Separate relevant from irrelevant information when solving a real-world problem.	3.05	76%
Х	X		X	Q11	Use and apply relevant information to evaluate a problem.	1.45	73%
	Х			Q12	Use basic mathematical skills to help solve a real-world problem.	.64	64%
Х	X			Q13	Identify suitable solutions for a real-world problem using relevant information.	1.32	44%
Х	Х		Х	Q14	Identify and explain the best solution for a real-world problem using relevant information.	2.21	44%
	X	X	х	Q15	Explain how changes in a real-world problem situation might affect the solution.	.67	22%
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	•	•	CAT Total Score	18.24	48%

Comparison to National Norms by College

College	N	ACT	CAT Score	National Norm*
Education, Engineering & Professional Studies	18	20.22	16.51	16.75
Humanities & Social Sciences	20	20.20	16.15	16.76
Science & Mathematics	18	23.44	19.87	18.95
Hasan School of Business	16	21.31	15.38	17.50

^{*} Upper division, 4-year university students.

CAT National User Norms (Upper division undergraduate, 4-year institutions)

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Average Freshman Entrance Score		Average Senior	
ACT (composite)	SAT (Verbal & Quantitative)	CAT Score	
14	680	12.02	
15	740	13.04	
16	780	13.72	
17	830	14.57	
18	870	15.25	
19	910	15.93	
20	950	16.61	
21	990	17.29	
22	1030	17.97	
23	1070	18.65	
24	1110	19.33	
25	1140	19.84	
26	1180	20.52	
27	1220	21.20	
28	1260	21.88	
29	1300	22.56	
30	1340	23.24	
31	1380	23.92	
32	1420	24.60	

Datafile Information

Variable Name	Туре	Description	
std_s1	Scale	Entrance Exam Score as entered by the institution	
qpa	Scale	QPA as entered by the institution	
stude1	Nominal	Student ID Number	
loc-code	Nominal	Local Code as entered by institution	
age	Nominal	Age	
gender	Nominal	Gender (1=Male; 2=Female)	
spanish	Nominal	Spanish/Hispanic/Latino (0=No; 1=Yes)	
primary	Nominal	English is primary language (0=No; 1=Yes)	
profi1	Nominal	Proficiency with English Language (1=Excellent; 2=Very Good; 3=Good; 4=Fair; 5=Poor)	
standing	Nominal	Class Standing (1=Freshman; 2=Sophomore; 3= Junior; 4=Senior)	
white	Nominal	Race: White (0=No; 1=Yes)	
black	Nominal	Race: Black or African American (0=No; 1=Yes)	
amer1	Nominal	Race: American Indian or Alaska Native (0=No; 1=Yes)	
asian	Nominal	Race: Asian (0=No; 1=Yes)	
nativ1	Nominal	Race: Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander (0=No; 1=Yes)	
other1	Nominal	Race: Other (0=No; 1=Yes)	
q1f – q15f	Scale	Computed Score for each question.	
total	Scale	CAT total score	