

Diet Wtloss

A 3.709
A 7.087
A 6.754
A 8.994
A 9.077
A 6.413
A 5.877
A 2.572
A 7.520
A 6.881
A 7.265
A 3.477
A 3.755
A 8.760
A 7.032
A 9.052
A 10.062
A 4.840
A 6.449
A 9.019
A -1.715
A 4.718
A 4.007
A 7.241
A 2.128
A 6.968
A 4.853
A 0.055
A 2.680
A 3.746
A 7.033
A 5.033
A 5.569
A 6.712
A 3.663
A 2.741
A 6.256
A 5.349
A 7.300
A 5.445
A 4.970
A 3.613
A 7.568
A 5.861
A 4.157
A 0.203
A 4.441
A 5.875
A 5.715
A 0.280
B -1.087
B 1.819
B 0.074
B 1.755
B 1.889
B 3.089
B 4.008
B 4.551
B 1.372
B 3.413
B -4.148
B 2.823
B 2.865
B 4.369
B 6.337
B 6.308
B 3.494
B 10.539
B 3.840
B 5.123
B 5.485
B -1.894
B 8.016
B 2.310
B 3.882
B 7.030
B 7.727
B 0.105
B 3.650
B 4.547
B 4.985
B 5.159
B 4.760
B 4.934
B 3.106
B 5.598
B 2.162
B 6.520
B 7.046
B 1.757
B 1.848

Diet A	n	50
	Mean	5.341
	SD	2.536

The sample size for Diet A is n = 50 (50 individuals undertook Diet A)

The sample mean weight loss for Diet A is $\bar{x} = 5.341$. The average weight loss for those individuals who undertook Diet A is 5 341 kg, so the diet appears to have been effective.

The sample standard deviation of the weight loss for Diet A is $s = 2.536$ kg. Since the mean weight loss is a little larger than 2s, then a high proportion of those individuals on Diet A had a positive weight loss, again emphasising the effectiveness of the diet.

Diet B	n	50
	Mean	3.710
	SD	2.769

The sample size for Diet B is n = 50 (50 individuals undertook Diet B)

The sample mean weight loss for Diet B is $\bar{x} = 3.710$. The average weight loss for those individuals who undertook Diet B is 3 710 kg, so the diet appears to have been less effective as compared to Diet A .

The sample standard deviation of the weight loss for Diet B is $s = 2.769$ kg. Since the mean weight loss is a little larger than 2s, then a high proportion of those individuals on Diet B had a positive weight loss, again emphasising the effectiveness of the diet.

Conclusion: Both Diet A and B had a positive weight loss but Diet A is more effective than Diet B.

B	1.096
B	2.145
B	8.435
B	6.099
B	3.972
B	2.409
B	0.569
B	7.013
B	2.594