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Lesson ~~1-5~~ → When is The Median Better

The median and the mean both summarize the central point of a data spread

When the data is bell-shaped or uniform, the median and mean are the same and statisticians usually use mean

Here is when the Median is preferred

- ① When there is an outlier or outliers (median is less impacted by outliers)
- ② When the data is skewed left or right (median is closer to the peak)

