Investigation

All questions can be done by hand or with the use of technology.

Compare *any two* of the following sets of data. **Be specific** when giving conclusions.

Canadian Housing Prices by City (\$)					
Canadian City	June 2006	June 2005	2002		
Vancouver	508 435	422 843	301 473		
Victoria	538 913	469 588	242 503		
Calgary	367 033	245 803	198 350		
Edmonton	254 240	199 409	150 165		
Regina	137 022	132 054	100 751		
Saskatoon	160 548	139 728	118 999		
Ottawa	260 458	254 725	200 711		
Foronto	358 035	345 065	275 975		
Montreal	222 879	210 740	143 589		
Fredericton	136 371	134 334	114 185		
Saint John	127 586	125 455	104 052		
Halifax	201 316	184 853	148 737		
Sources: MIS and Remay					

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1. State the two sets of data that you wish to compare here:

2. Find the measures of central tendency for each. State any conclusions found.

Mean:	<u>1st Set</u>	2 nd Set
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Mode:	<u>1st Set</u>	2 nd Set
Conclusions	:	

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3. Find the measures of spread for each. State any conclusions found.

Range:	<u>1st Set</u>	2 nd Set
Standard Deviation	s <u>1st Set</u>	2 nd Set

Conclusions:

4. Make a frequency distribution for each set of data and draw both histograms on the same axis.

Interval	Data Set 1		Data Set 2	
	Tally	Frequency	Tally	Frequency
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