

Chapter 5 / **Example 3**

# Drawing a frequency histogram

The weights of 50 baby chicks hatched in one week were recorded in the table below.

**a** Organize the data in a table by grouping the data into classes of equal width.

**b** Draw a frequency histogram to represent the data.

22.4	20.0	23.3	25.2	24.1	23.6	19.7	21.3	24.0	24.7
23.6	22.3	21.4	22.4	23.9	25.0	22.2	23.5	21.9	23.0
24.3	21.6	19.9	21.2	23.5	24.6	23.5	19.9	20.2	20.3
23.0	24.6	23.5	22.5	23.0	24.5	24.9	21.3	20.5	20.4
21.4	22.4	23.6	24.5	23.4	22.9	23.8	24.6	21.0	21.3

Press **[stat]** 1:Edit and press **[enter]** **[format]**

Type the lower values of each of the class intervals in the first column. Type 19.5, 20.5, 20.5, ...

Press **[enter]** or **▼** after each number to move to the next cell.

**Note:** If the list contains other numbers, you can clear it by pressing **[stat]** 4:ClrList and press **[enter]**. The home screen displays ClrList. Press **[2nd]** **[1]** **[L1]** and press **[enter]**. Press **[stat]** 1:Edit and press **[enter]** to return to the table.

L1	L2	L3	L4	L5	1
19.5	---	---	---	---	
20					
20.5					
21					
21.5					
22					
22.5					
23					
23.5					
24					
24.5					

L1(11)= 24.5

Press **▶** to move to the next column.

Enter the frequencies of each of the weights in the second column.

L1	L2	L3	L4	L5	2
19.5	3	---	---	---	
20	5				
20.5	1				
21	6				
21.5	2				
22	6				
22.5	4				
23	6				
23.5	5				
24	5				
24.5	6				

L2(11)= 6

Press **[2nd]** **[f1]** **[stat plot]**.

Press **[enter]**.

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STAT PLOTS
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   L1 L2
2:Plot2...Off
   L1 L2
3:Plot3...Off
   L1 L2
4:PlotsOff
5:PlotsOn
  
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Navigate through the list using **▶** **◀** **▲** **▼** keys.

Select Type **▢**, Xlist L1 and Freq L2. Choose any color.

Press **[enter]** after each choice.

To enter L2 press **[2nd]** **[2]** **[L2]** **[format]**

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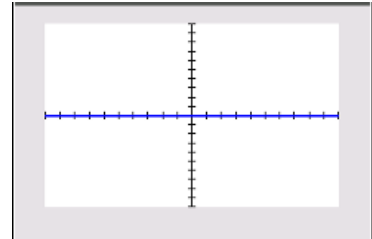
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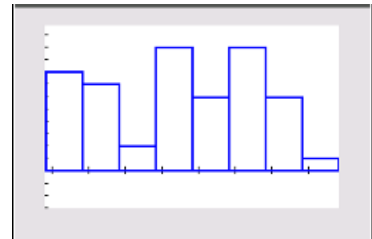
Press **[f5]** **[graph]**.

The GDC displays a bar chart with the default axes. Since the values of  $x$  are all greater than 10, there is nothing to be seen.



For a better view of the bar chart press **[zoom]** 9:ZoomStat.

The bar chart now fits the window but the bars are the wrong widths to match the frequencies.



Press **[f2]** **[window]**.

Change Xmin to 19, Xmax to 26, Xscl to 0.5 and press **[enter]**.

You can also change Ymin to -1 and Ymax to 7.

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WINDOW
Xmin=19
Xmax=26
Xscl=.5
Ymin=-1
Ymax=7
Yscl=1
Xres=1
ΔX=.02651515151515
TraceStep=.0530303030303
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Press **[f5]** **[graph]**.

The GDC displays a histogram of the data.

