



6.1	9.4	8.1	3.2	6.5	7.2	7.8	4.9	3.5	6.6	6.1	5.1	4.9	4.2
6.4	8.1	6.0	8.2	6.8	5.9	5.2							
6.5	5.4	5.9	9.3	5.4	6.5	7.4							
6.0	12.6	6.8	5.6	5.8	6.2	5.6	6.4	9.5	7.2	5.6	4.7	4.5	7.0
7.7	6.9	5.4	6.3	8.1	4.9	5.3	5.0	4.7	5.7	4.9	5.3	6.4	7.5
4.4	4.9	7.6	3.6	8.3	5.6	6.2	5.0						
7.4	5.2	5.0	6.5	8.0	6.2	5.0	4.8	6.2	4.9				
7.0	7.7	4.7	5.0	6.0	9.0	5.7	7.1	5.0	5.6				
4.9	7.8	7.1	7.1	11.5	5.4	5.2							
6.1	6.8	5.4	3.5	7.1	5.7	5.4							
5.7	6.1	4.2	8.8	7.4	5.5								
5.3	5.9	5.2	6.4	4.5	5.1	5.6	6.1						
8.1	8.1	5.1	8.3	7.5	7.6	10.9	6.5	9.0	5.9	6.8	9.0	6.5	6.0
5.8	5.0	6.4	4.7	4.5	6.2	5.2	7.9	5.5	4.9	7.2	4.9	4.5	6.0
6.3	8.3	5.5	7.8	5.4	5.3	6.6	3.6	7.3	5.3	8.9	6.8	7.1	8.7
6.4	3.3	7.0	7.7	6.7	7.6	7.6	7.1	5.6	5.9	4.1	7.5	7.7	5.4
4.8	5.5	8.8	7.2	6.3	10.0	4.3	4.9	5.7	5.1	6.7	6.0	5.6	7.2
7.0	7.8	6.3	6.1	8.4									

Figure 4-27. Listing of the ASCII File partbprp.dst

save the file in a "text only" format. This eliminates any character or paragraph formatting that otherwise would be included. For example, Figure 4-27 shows the contents of an ASCII file called partbprp.dst (the default file extension for data files for the Input Analyzer is .dst) containing observations on 187 Part B Prep times; note that the values are separated by blanks or line feeds, there are different numbers of observations per line and there is no particular order or layout to the data.

To fit a distribution to these data, run the Input Analyzer (e.g., select Tools > Input Analyzer from Arena). In the Input Analyzer, load the data file into a data fit window by creating a new window (File > New or the  button) for your fitting session (not for a data file), and then attaching your data file using either File > Data File > Use Existing or the  button. The Input Analyzer displays a histogram of the data in the top part of the window and a summary of the data characteristics in the bottom part, as shown in Figure 4-28.

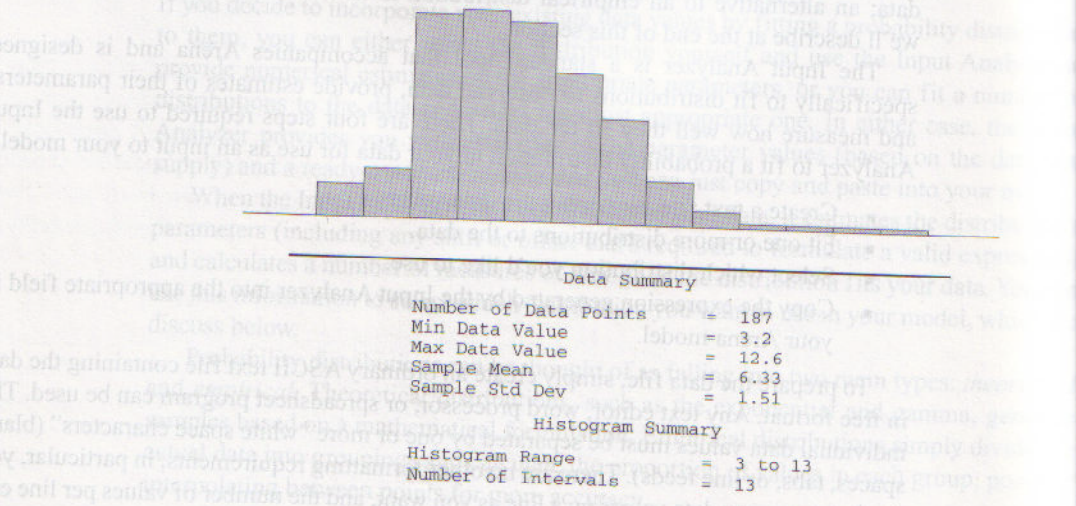


Figure 4-28. Histogram and Summary of partbprp.dst