## Formulae for Mean and Standard Deviation – MEI Board

For a list of numbers	For frequency distributions
Mean, $\bar{x} = \frac{\sum x}{n}$	Mean, $\bar{x} = \frac{\sum fx}{\sum f}$
(Not given in the formulae booklet)	(Not given in the formulae booklet)
$S_{xx} = \sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2$ $= \sum x_i^2 - \frac{(\sum x_i)^2}{n}$ $= \sum x_i^2 - n\bar{x}^2$ (Given in the formulae booklet)	$S_{xx} = \sum f x_i^2 - \frac{(\sum f x_i)^2}{n}$ $= \sum f x_i^2 - n \bar{x}^2$ (Not given in the formulae booklet)
Sample Variance, $S^2 = \frac{S_{xx}}{n-1}$ (Given in the formulae booklet)	
Sample Standard Deviation, $S = \sqrt{\frac{S_{xx}}{n-1}}$ (Given in the formulae booklet)	