STAT 110 – Chapter 13 Definitions – Part II

standard score – the number of standard deviations above or below the mean at which an observation is located (also known as z-score.)

standard score =
$$\frac{\text{observation - mean}}{\text{standard deviation}}$$
 $Z = \frac{X - X}{S}$

cth percentile – a value such that c percent of the observations lies below it and the rest lie above it

observation = mean + (standard score)(standard deviation)

$$x = \overline{x} + (z)(s)$$