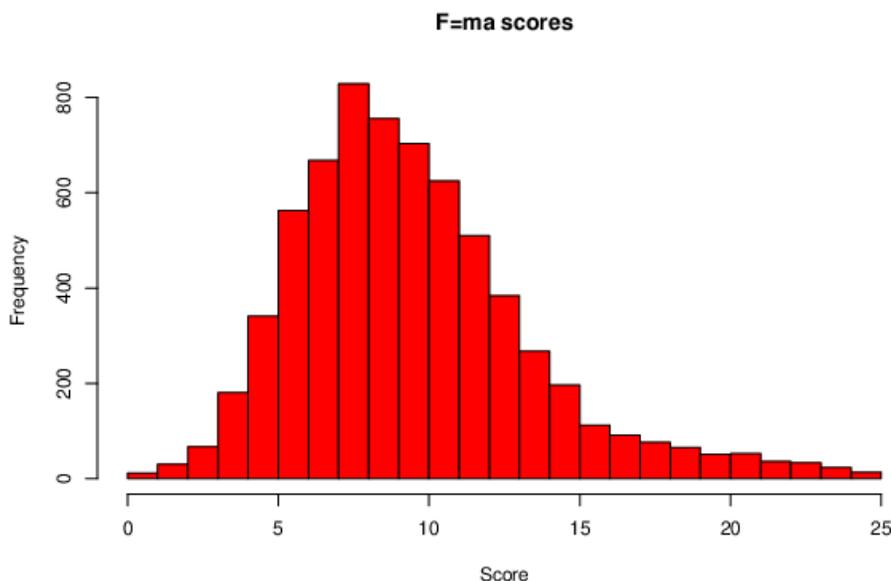


2026 $F = ma$ Contest Results

In 2026 there was one $F = ma$ exam administered on February 12, 2026. The data from the exam is in the table below.

F=ma: Statistics	
Number of scored exams	6682
Minimum Score	0
Maximum Score	25
Median Score	8
Mean Score	8.90
Standard Deviation	3.94

Score distribution for the exam is in the histograms below. The vertical scale is the number of scores; the horizontal scale is the score.



Our goal is to invite about 400 top students to take the USAPhO exam. This year, the minimum score necessary to get an invitation to the 2026 USAPhO is:

16 points.

The number of students who scored 16 or more is **440**.