

POLS210
Review 1

Using the SPSS results below, complete the following

I. Bivariate statistics

Table 1: Classical Music by AGE CATEGR

		Age Categories				Total
		18-29	30-39	40-49	50+	
Classical Music (3)	Like It	117 43.8%	163 48.8%	158 53.6%	279 52.7%	717 50.3%
	Mixed Feelings	73 27.3%	82 24.6%	67 22.7%	118 22.3%	340 23.9%
	Dislike It	77 28.8%	89 26.6%	70 23.7%	132 25.0%	368 25.8%
Total		267 100.0%	334 100.0%	295 100.0%	529 100%	1425 100.0%

Cramer's V = .051, P=.283

Somer's d = -.049, P=.033

1. Write a hypothesis with direction.
2. Write a null hypothesis.
3. Which measure of association is the most appropriate to measure the strength of association?
What is the correct value?
4. What is the significance level?
5. What is the confidence level?
6. What is the direction?
7. Give a substantive interpretation.
8. Do you reject the null hypothesis? Why?
9. Do the results support the hypothesis with direction?
Why?

II. Multivariate Statistics

Table 2: Classical Music by AGE CATEGR Controlling for Sex

Respon dent's			Age Categories				Total
			18-29	30-39	40-49	50+	
Male	Classical Music (3)	Like It	50 42.0%	66 44.0%	61 45.5%	102 50.0%	279 46.0%
		Mixed Feelings	37 31.1%	41 27.3%	34 25.4%	47 23.0%	159 26.2%
		Dislike It	32 26.9%	43 28.7%	39 29.1%	55 27.0%	169 27.8%
	Total	119 100.0%	150 100.0%	134 100.0%	204 100.0%	607 100.0%	
Female	Classical Music (3)	Like It	67 45.3%	97 52.7%	97 60.2%	177 54.5%	438 53.5%
		Mixed Feelings	36 24.3%	41 22.3%	33 20.5%	71 21.8%	181 22.1%
		Dislike It	45 30.4%	46 25.0%	31 19.3%	77 23.7%	199 24.3%
	Total	148 100.0%	184 100.0%	161 100.0%	325 100.0%	818 100.0%	

Male

Cramer's V = .033, P=.113

Somer's d = -.024, P=.115

Female

Cramer's V = .045, P=.123

Somer's d = -.014, P=.135

1. What is the control variable?
2. Does the original association remain the same? Why?
3. Which measure of association is the most appropriate to measure the strength of association between Classical Music and AGE CATEGR?
4. Overall do the results support the hypothesis with direction Why?