

# Chapter-10

## Correlation and Regression

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### # Important formulas:

$r = \text{Karl Pearson's Correlation Coefficient}$

$$1. r = \frac{\text{Cov}(x, y)}{\sqrt{\text{Var}(x)} \cdot \sqrt{\text{Var}(y)}}$$

where,

$$\text{cov}(x, y) = \frac{1}{n} \sum (x - \bar{x})(y - \bar{y})$$

$$2. r = \frac{n \sum xy - \sum x \cdot \sum y}{\sqrt{n \sum x^2 - (\sum x)^2} \cdot \sqrt{n \sum y^2 - (\sum y)^2}}$$

$$3. r = \frac{\sum (x - \bar{x})(y - \bar{y})}{\sqrt{\sum (x - \bar{x})^2} \cdot \sqrt{\sum (y - \bar{y})^2}}$$

$$4. r = \frac{\sum xy}{n \sigma_x \cdot \sigma_y}$$

$$5. r = \frac{\sum \sum xy}{\sqrt{\sum x^2} \cdot \sqrt{\sum y^2}}$$

### Exercise - 10.1

2. Find the correlation coefficient between the two variables under the following conditions.

- a.  $\text{Cov}(X, Y) = \text{Covariance of the variables } X \text{ and } Y = 18$   
 Variance of  $X$  and  $= 26$  and the variance of  $Y = 81$ .

Solution:

We know,

$$r = \frac{\text{Cov}(X, Y)}{\sqrt{\text{Var}(X)} \cdot \sqrt{\text{Var}(Y)}}$$

$$\text{or, } r = \frac{18}{\sqrt{26} \cdot \sqrt{81}}$$

$$\therefore r = 0.5$$

- b.  $\text{Cov}(X, Y) = -16.5$ ,  $\text{Var}(X) = 2.89$  and  $\text{Var}(Y) = 100$

Solution:

We know,

$$\begin{aligned} r &= \frac{\text{Cov}(X, Y)}{\sqrt{\text{Var}(X)} \cdot \sqrt{\text{Var}(Y)}} \\ &= \frac{-16.5}{\sqrt{2.89} \cdot \sqrt{100}} \\ &= -0.97 \end{aligned}$$

- c.  $\sum (X - \bar{X})^2 = 40$ ,  $\sum (Y - \bar{Y})^2 = 63$  and  $\sum (X - \bar{X})(Y - \bar{Y}) = 35$ .

Solution:

We know,

$$\begin{aligned} r &= \frac{\sum (X - \bar{X})(Y - \bar{Y})}{\sqrt{\sum (X - \bar{X})^2} \cdot \sqrt{\sum (Y - \bar{Y})^2}} \\ &= \frac{35}{\sqrt{40} \cdot \sqrt{63}} \\ &= 0.697 \end{aligned}$$

d.  $n = 15$ ,  $\sigma_x = 3.2$ ,  $\sigma_y = 3.4$  and  $\sum (x - \bar{x})(y - \bar{y}) = 122$ .

Solution:

We know,

$$\gamma = \frac{\sum (x - \bar{x})(y - \bar{y})}{n \sigma_x \cdot \sigma_y}$$

$$= \frac{122}{15 \times 3.2 \times 3.4} \\ = 0.75$$

e.  $n = 10$ ,  $\sum x = 60$ ,  $\sum y = 60$ ,  $\sum x^2 = 400$ ,  $\sum y^2 = 580$  and  $\sum xy = 415$

Solution:

We know,

$$\gamma = \frac{n \sum xy - \sum x \cdot \sum y}{\sqrt{n \sum x^2 - (\sum x)^2} \cdot \sqrt{n \sum y^2 - (\sum y)^2}} \\ = \frac{(415) - (60 \times 60)}{\sqrt{10(400) - (60)^2} \cdot \sqrt{10(580) - (60)^2}} \\ = 0.59$$

f.  $n = 10$ ,  $\bar{x} = 5$ ,  $\bar{y} = 3$ ,  $\sum x^2 = 290$ ,  $\sum y^2 = 300$ ,  $\sum xy = 115$

Solution.

We know,

$$\gamma = \frac{\sum xy - n \bar{x} \bar{y}}{\sqrt{\sum x^2 - n \bar{x}^2} \cdot \sqrt{\sum y^2 - n \bar{y}^2}} \\ = \frac{115 - 10 \times 5 \times 3}{\sqrt{290 - 10 \times 5^2} \cdot \sqrt{300 - 10 \times 3^2}} \\ = -0.38$$

g.

	Series X	Series Y
No. of pair of observation	10	10
Standard deviation	2.05	2.41
Sum of square of deviations from their resp. means:	42	58

Sum of products of deviations of X and Y from their respective means = 36.

Solutions:

Here,  $n = 10$

$$\sigma_x = 2.05$$

$$\sum (x - \bar{x})^2 = 42$$

$$\sum (y - \bar{y})^2 = 58$$

$$\sum (x - \bar{x})(y - \bar{y}) = 36$$

We know,

$$r = \frac{\sum (x - \bar{x})(y - \bar{y})}{\sqrt{\sum (x - \bar{x})^2} \cdot \sqrt{\sum (y - \bar{y})^2}}$$

$$= \frac{36}{\sqrt{42} \cdot \sqrt{58}}$$

$$= 0.73$$

2.a. Calculate Karl Pearson's Correlation Coefficient between the two variables height (in cm) and weight (in kg) from the data given below.

Height:	160	162	165	161	162
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Weight:	63	62	64	60	61
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Solution:

X	Y	$X^2$	$Y^2$	XY
160	63	25600	3969	10080
162	62	26244	3844	1044
165	64	27225	4096	10560
161	60	25921	3600	9660
162	61	26244	3721	9882
$\Sigma X = 810$	$\Sigma Y = 310$	$\Sigma X^2 = 131234$	$\Sigma Y^2 = 19230$	$\Sigma XY = 50226$

Now,

$$r = \frac{n \sum XY - \sum X \cdot \sum Y}{\sqrt{n \sum X^2 - (\sum X)^2} \cdot \sqrt{n \sum Y^2 - (\sum Y)^2}}$$

$$= \frac{5 \times 50226 - 810 \times 310}{\sqrt{5 \times 131234 - (810)^2} \cdot \sqrt{5 \times 19230 - (310)^2}}$$

$$= 0.51$$

b. Find the correlation coefficient between the two variables X and Y from the following data.

X :	5	7	1	3	4
Y :	2	3	4	5	6

Solution:

X	Y	$X^2$	$Y^2$	XY
5	2	25	4	10
7	3	49	9	21
1	4	1	16	4
3	5	9	25	15
4	6	16	36	24
$\Sigma X = 20$	$\Sigma Y = 20$	$\Sigma X^2 = 100$	$\Sigma Y^2 = 90$	$\Sigma XY = 74$

Now,

$$r = \frac{n \sum XY - \sum X \cdot \sum Y}{\sqrt{n \sum X^2 - (\sum X)^2} \cdot \sqrt{n \sum Y^2 - (\sum Y)^2}}$$

$$= \frac{5 \times 74 - 20 \times 20}{\sqrt{5 \times 100 - 400} \cdot \sqrt{5 \times 90 - 400}}$$

$$= -0.42$$

c. Calculate Karl Pearson's Correlation Coefficient between the sales and expenses in thousand rupees of 5 firms.

Sales:	43	41	36	34	50
Expenses:	12	24	15	21	19

Solution:

Sales (X)	Expenses (Y)	XY	$X^2$	$Y^2$
43	12	516	1849	144
41	24	984	1681	576
36	15	540	1296	225
34	21	714	1156	441
50	19	950	2500	361
$\Sigma X = 204$	$\Sigma Y = 91$	$\Sigma XY = 3704$	$\Sigma X^2 = 8482$	$\Sigma Y^2 = 1747$

Now,

$$\rho = \frac{n \sum XY - \sum X \cdot \sum Y}{\sqrt{n \sum X^2 - (\sum X)^2} \cdot \sqrt{n \sum Y^2 - (\sum Y)^2}}$$

$$= \frac{5 \times 3704 - (204 \times 91)}{\sqrt{5 \times 8482 - (204)^2} \cdot \sqrt{5 \times 1747 - (91)^2}}$$

$$\rho = -0.07$$

d. Determine the degree of relationship between the ages of the husbands and their wives from the following data

Age of the husband (X):	23	22	24	23	26	27
Age of the wives (Y):	20	18	20	21	21	22

$x$	$y$	$xy$	$x^2$	$y^2$
23	20	460	529	400
22	18	396	484	324
24	20	480	576	400
23	21	483	529	441
26	21	546	676	441
27	22	594	729	484
$\Sigma x = 145$	$\Sigma y = 122$	$\Sigma xy = 2959$	$\Sigma x^2 = 3523$	$\Sigma y^2 = 2490$

We know,

$$r = \frac{n \sum xy - \sum x \cdot \sum y}{\sqrt{n \sum x^2 - (\sum x)^2} \cdot \sqrt{n \sum y^2 - (\sum y)^2}}$$

$$= \frac{6 \times 2959 - 145 \times 122}{\sqrt{6 \times 3523 - (145)^2} \cdot \sqrt{6 \times 2490 - (122)^2}}$$

$$= 0.80$$

3. From the following table calculate Karl Pearson's correlation coefficient between the two variables.

$x:$	6	2	10	4	8
$y:$	9	11	?	8	7

Arithmetic means of  $x$  and  $y$  are 6 and 8 respectively.

Solution:

$x$	$y$	$x = x - \bar{x}$	$y = y - \bar{y}$	$x^2$	$y^2$	$xy$
6	9	0	1	0	1	0
2	11	-4	3	16	9	-12
10	?	4	-3	16	9	-12
4	8	-2	0	16	4	0
8	7	2	-1	64	1	-2
$\Sigma x = 30$	$\Sigma y = 40$			$\Sigma x^2 = 116$	$\Sigma y^2 = 140$	$\Sigma xy = 20$

We know,

$$\bar{x} = 6, \bar{y} = 8$$

We also know,

$$Y = \bar{y} = \frac{9+11+12+8+7}{5}$$

$$\therefore Z = 5$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned}\gamma_0 &= \frac{\sum xy}{\sqrt{\sum x^2} \cdot \sqrt{\sum y^2}} \\ &= \frac{-26}{\sqrt{40} \cdot \sqrt{20}} \\ &= -0.92\end{aligned}$$

4. In order to find the correlation coefficient between the two variables  $x$  and  $y$  from 12 pair of observation, the following calculations were made.

$$\sum x = 30, \sum y = 5, \sum x^2 = 670, \sum y^2 = 285, \sum xy = 334$$

On subsequent verification, it was found that the pair ( $x = 11, y = 4$ ) was copied wrong; the correct value being ( $x = 10, y = 14$ ). Find the correct value of correlation coefficient.

Solution:

$$\text{Given, } \sum x = 30, \sum y = 5, \sum x^2 = 670, \sum y^2 = 285$$

$$\sum xy = 334$$

If  $x = 11$  and  $y = 4$  was copied wrong then the corrected value will be;

$$\text{Corrected } \sum x = 30 - 11 + 10 = 29$$

$$\text{Corrected } \sum y = 5 - 4 + 14 = 15$$

$$\text{Corrected } \sum x^2 = 670 - 11^2 + 10^2 = 649$$

$$\text{Corrected } \sum y^2 = 285 - 4^2 + 14^2 = 465$$

$$\text{Corrected } \sum xy = 334 - 11 \times 4 + 10 \times 14 = 430$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Corrected, } \gamma &= \frac{n \cdot \text{corr. } \sum xy - \text{corr. } \sum x \cdot \text{corr. } \sum y}{\sqrt{n \cdot \text{corr. } \sum x^2 - (\text{corr. } \sum x)^2} \cdot \sqrt{n \cdot \text{corr. } \sum y^2 - (\text{corr. } \sum y)^2}}\end{aligned}$$

$$= 12 \times 430 - 29 \times 15$$

$$\sqrt{12 \times 649 - (29)^2} \cdot \sqrt{12 \times 465 - (15)^2}$$

$$= 0.775$$