

## 02\_EDA

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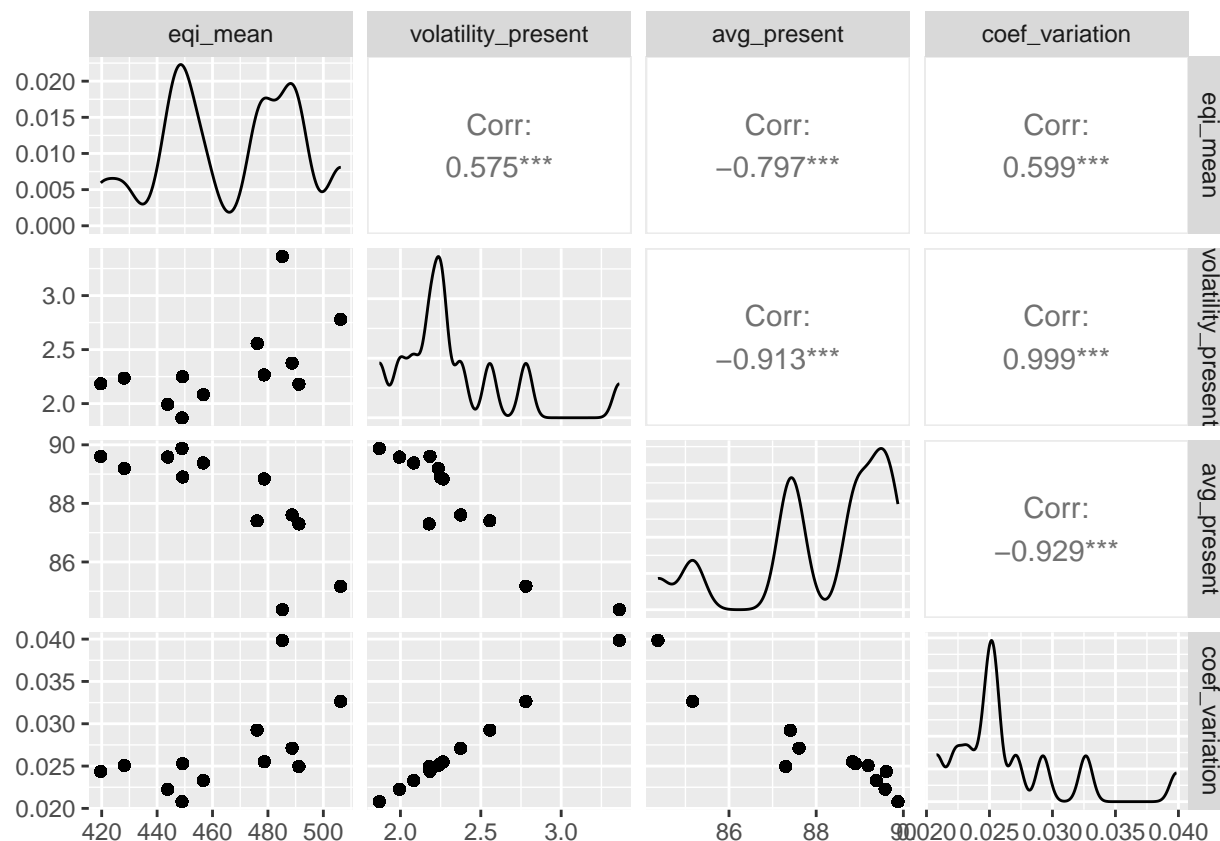
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### Exploratory data analysis

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## Rows: 3,144
## Columns: 13
## $ year          <dbl> 2024, 2024, 2024, 2024, 2024, 2024, 2024, 2024, 202~
## $ term          <dbl> 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, ~
## $ education_region <chr> "Tai Tokerau", "Tai Tokerau", "Tai Tokerau", "Tai T~
## $ category      <chr> "total students", "students attending more than 90p~
## $ count         <dbl> 30315, 13815, 7280, 3954, 5266, NA, NA, NA, 101427,~
## $ percent       <dbl> NA, 45.6, 24.0, 13.0, 17.4, 83.9, 7.2, 8.9, NA, 62.~
## $ volatility_present <dbl> 2.780397, 2.780397, 2.780397, 2.780397, 2.780397, 2~
## $ avg_present    <dbl> 85.16875, 85.16875, 85.16875, 85.16875, 85.16875, 8~
## $ n_obs         <dbl> 32, 32, 32, 32, 32, 32, 32, 32, 32, 20, 20, 20, 20, 20,~
## $ coef_variation <dbl> 0.03264574, 0.03264574, 0.03264574, 0.03264574, 0.0~
## $ eqi_mean      <dbl> 506.2925, 506.2925, 506.2925, 506.2925, 506.2925, 5~
## $ eqi_median    <dbl> 514, 514, 514, 514, 514, 514, 514, 514, 422, 422, 4~
## $ schools_in_region <dbl> 148, 148, 148, 148, 148, 148, 148, 148, 148, 189, 189, 1~
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##           year          term  education_region          category
##           0              0              0              0
##           count          percent volatility_present          avg_present
##           1179           393              0              0
##           n_obs    coef_variation          eqi_mean          eqi_median
##           0              0              360              360
## schools_in_region
##           360
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##           eqi_mean volatility_present avg_present coef_variation
## eqi_mean          1.0000000          0.5750981 -0.7971285          0.5986941
## volatility_present 0.5750981          1.0000000 -0.9126485          0.9989274
## avg_present        -0.7971285        -0.9126485          1.0000000        -0.9287596
## coef_variation      0.5986941          0.9989274        -0.9287596          1.0000000
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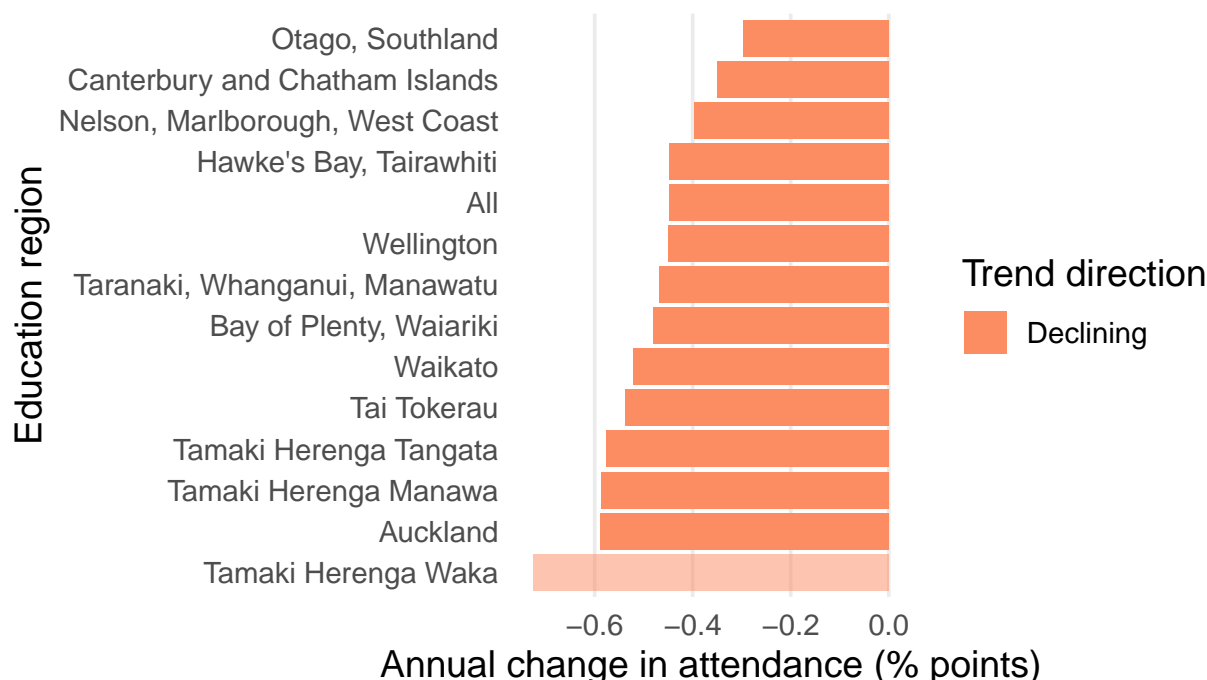


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##      1179        393        360        360
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##          360          0          0              0
##      coef_variation
##          0
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## Attendance trend slopes by region (2)

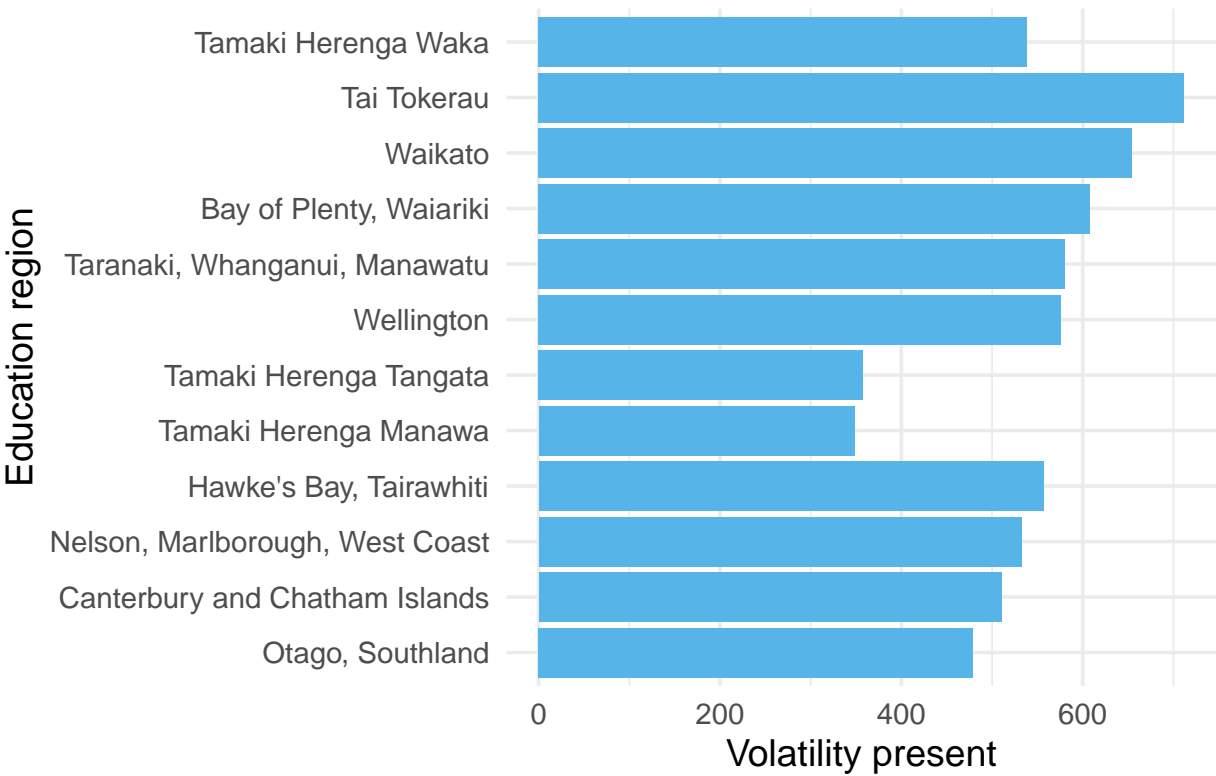
Based on linear regression (percent ~ year).  
Darker bars are statistically significant ( $p < 0$ )



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##
## --- Summary Table for Reporting ---
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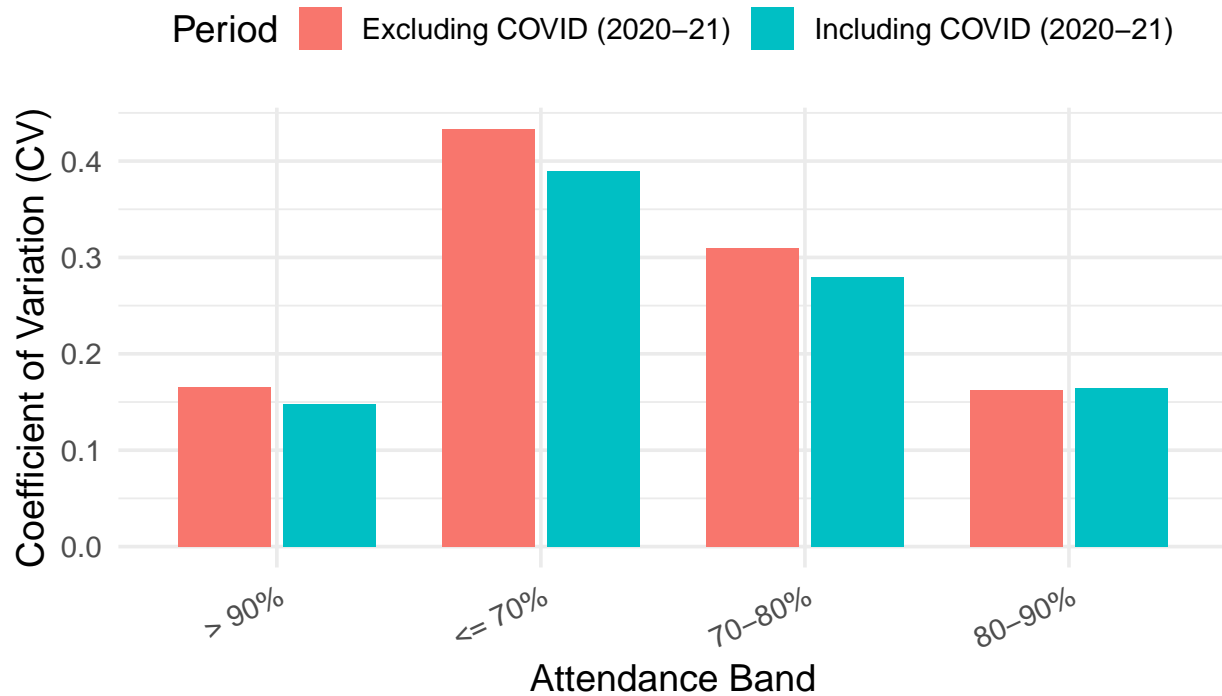
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## # A tibble: 14 x 5
##   Region                                Annual Change (% pts~1 'P-value' 'Trend Direction'
##   <chr>                                <dbl>      <dbl> <chr>
## 1 Otago, Southland                     -0.3       0.001 Declining
## 2 Canterbury and Chatham Is~          -0.35      0     Declining
## 3 Nelson, Marlborough, West~          -0.4       0     Declining
## 4 Hawke's Bay, Tairāwhiti             -0.45      0     Declining
## 5 All                                  -0.45      0     Declining
## 6 Wellington                          -0.45      0     Declining
## 7 Taranaki, Whanganui, Mana~          -0.47      0     Declining
## 8 Bay of Plenty, Waikato              -0.48      0     Declining
## 9 Waikato                             -0.52      0     Declining
## 10 Tai Tokerau                        -0.54      0     Declining
## 11 Tamaki Herenga Tangata              -0.58     0.041 Declining
## 12 Tamaki Herenga Manawa              -0.59     0.033 Declining
## 13 Auckland                           -0.59     0.002 Declining
## 14 Tamaki Herenga Waka                 -0.73     0.094 Declining
## # i abbreviated name: 1: 'Annual Change (% pts)'
## # i 1 more variable: 'Significant (p<0.05)' <lg1>
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Attendance volatility by education region



## Impact of Covid-19 disruption on data and the volatility calculation

### Volatility of Attendance Bands (Coefficient of Variation) Comparison Including and Excluding COVID Years (2020–21)



## Taranaki volatility drilldown

### Volatility in attendance in Taranaki, Whanganui, Man

Yearly coefficient of variation in attendance rates, with 3-year rolling

