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: Keywords :

Logistic Regression , Scaling , Level of Significance , p-value

: Objective :

The primary objective of this project is to delve into the captivating relationship between personality traits, specifically introversion and extroversion, and music preferences, focusing on the dichotomy of modern and traditional genres. By conducting surveys and questionnaires, this study aims to establish a correlation between individuals' personality types and their inclination towards either modern or traditional music.

Through meticulous analysis and exploration, the project seeks to unravel the underlying factors that contribute to this connection, shedding light on the psychological and emotional aspects that may influence one's musical taste. By investigating the distinct patterns in music preferences based on personality traits, the study aims to enhance our comprehension of the intricate interplay between personality and music.

Furthermore, this project aims to foster a deeper appreciation for individual differences and their impact on musical preferences. By recognizing the diversity in music tastes and the underlying psychological factors at play, it can contribute to a greater understanding of human behavior and the role of music in our lives. This understanding has the potential to inform various fields, including music therapy, where tailored interventions can be designed to suit individuals' specific personality traits and music preferences, ultimately enhancing therapeutic outcomes.

Additionally, this project seeks to provide insights and practical implications for the music industry. By understanding the connection between personality and music preferences, music professionals can better target their marketing strategies, tailor their music production, and curate playlists that resonate with specific personality types. This knowledge can contribute to the creation of more personalized and engaging musical experiences for listeners, resulting in increased satisfaction and engagement with the music industry.

Overall, this project aims to contribute to the existing body of knowledge on the connection between personality and music preferences, offering insights into the ways in which individuals' personalities shape their musical choices and expanding our understanding of the role of music in our daily lives. By examining potential moderating factors and considering practical implications, this study seeks to provide a comprehensive analysis that can inform various disciplines and enhance our appreciation for the diverse and profound impact of music on individuals' lives.

: Introduction :

The relationship between personality traits and music preferences has intrigued researchers and enthusiasts alike. Extensive research has shown that personality characteristics play a significant role in shaping an individual's preferred music genres (Rentfrow & Gosling, 2003). For instance, introverted individuals may lean towards more introspective and calming music styles, while extroverted individuals may gravitate towards energetic and social music genres (Rentfrow & Gosling, 2006). Understanding the connection between personality and music preferences can provide valuable insights into human behavior and the role of music in our lives.

In this project, we aim to investigate whether there is a relationship between personality (introvert/extrovert) and music preferences (modern/traditional). We hypothesize that there may be distinct patterns in music preferences based on an individual's personality traits. To explore this, a Google Form survey was designed, comprising 11 statements, including seven personality-related statements and four unrelated statements sourced from reputable websites. Respondents were asked to indicate their agreement with the statements using a four-option scale. Additionally, participants were asked to specify their music preference, choosing between traditional music (folk, classical etc.) and modern music (pop, hip-hop, rap, indie, etc.). The target population consisted of undergraduate students aged 17-23. The survey was tailored accordingly, with a filtering question to ensure that only undergraduate students proceeded to the subsequent sections. From the collected responses (80 from the target population), frequencies of each response option were determined for the seven personality-related questions. The Likert Scaling method was used to assign a score based on response rankings (-- \lesssim - \lesssim + \lesssim ++), and individual question scores were aggregated to calculate a total score to the participants, which was then incorporated into the Logistic Regression Model. In addition we have discussed the potential avenues for criticism, identified areas for enhancement and suggestions for future research of this project.

: COLLECTION OF DATA :

To collect data for this project on the relationship between personality and music preferences, a survey was conducted using a Google Form. The survey was designed to gather information from undergraduate students aged between 17-23, who formed the target population of the study. Participants were invited to participate in the survey through various channels such as social media (Linkedin,Reddit,Whatsapp) and announcements in friend's circle.

The survey consisted of two sections. The first section included questions to determine the participants' eligibility as undergraduate students, including a filtering question asking if they were currently enrolled as a undergraduate. If participants answered affirmatively, they proceeded to the second section of the survey, which focused on gathering data related to their personality traits and music preferences.

In the second section, participants were asked to indicate their gender and age within the specified range. They were then presented with a series of 11 statements, divided into two categories: personality statements and music preference statements. Seven of the statements were selected from reputable websites known for assessing personality traits, such as www.123test.com, www.truity.com, and www.16personalities.com. The remaining four statements were unrelated "no link" statements included to maintain the integrity of the survey. The seven questions related to personality in the questionnaire were as follows:

- 1. YOU FEEL COMFORTABLE IN PUBLIC SPEAKING OR PERFORMING IN FRONT OF OTHERS**
- 2. YOU RARELY WORRY ABOUT WHETHER YOU MAKE A GOOD IMPRESSION ON PEOPLE OR NOT**
- 3. WORKING INDEPENDENTLY CAN BE LESS EFFICIENT THAN IN GROUP**
- 4. IT IS MORE PREFERABLE TALKING TO OTHERS TO GET PERSPECTIVE ON A PROBLEM RATHER THAN TRYING TO SOLVE ALONE**
- 5. YOU ENJOY WEEKENDS WITH FRIENDS RATHER THAN FAMILY**
- 6. IN A MEETING OR DISCUSSION , IT IS MORE EFFICIENT TO CONTRIBUTE IDEAS VERBALLY RATHER THAN WRITTEN COMMUNICATION**
- 7. ONE TO ONE LEARNING IS LESS PRODUCTIVE THAN GROUP LEARNING**

Participants were required to respond to each statement using a four-option scale: "positively agree (++)", "agree (+)", "disagree (-)", or "strongly disagree (--)".

Furthermore, participants were asked to indicate their music preference by selecting either traditional music (folk, classical) or modern music (pop, hip hop, rap, indie, etc.).

Once participants completed the survey, the responses were automatically recorded and stored in a Google Sheets spreadsheet for further analysis. A total of 100 responses were collected from the Google Form, out of which 80 were from the target population i.e of undergraduate students.

The collected data included the frequency of each response option (--/-/+ /++) for each of the seven personality statements. To analyze the data, Likert scaling was applied to each of the seven statements. Scores were assigned to each response option, ranging from higher to lower rankings (++, +, -, --). These scores were then summed up for each participant to obtain a total score representing their personality trait.

By utilizing the Google Form survey and collecting responses from a targeted undergraduate student population, this project obtained valuable data to examine the potential relationship between personality traits and music preferences.

The data collected from the survey was carefully analyzed, and the frequency distribution of each question was presented using visually captivating bar diagrams. These elegant diagrams offer a simple way to showcase the participants' responses to the personality-related questions.

The bar diagrams provide valuable insights into the variations in opinions and preferences. They help to uncover subtle trends and clusters of responses that may have otherwise been overlooked.

By presenting the frequency distribution in this visually pleasing manner, the findings become more accessible and engaging for both researchers and readers. The bar diagrams serve as a captivating way to communicate the distribution of responses and facilitate a deeper exploration of the relationship between personality traits and music preferences.

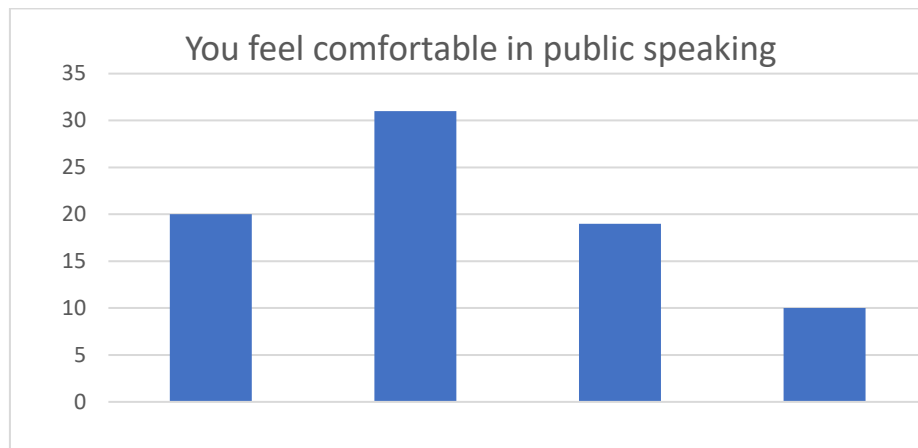
In essence, the use of these beautifully designed bar diagrams enhances the overall presentation of the data, offering a simple and aesthetically pleasing representation of the frequency distribution. It adds a touch of elegance to the project while effectively conveying the patterns and trends that emerge from the participants' responses.

The charts are shown below :

1. YOU FEEL COMFORTABLE IN PUBLIC SPEAKING OR PERFORMING IN FRONT OF OTHERS.

This question aims to assess an individual's level of comfort and confidence when speaking or performing in public settings. It provides insights into whether individuals are more extroverted and thrive in social situations or if they lean towards introversion and may feel more reserved in public speaking or performing.

Fig : 1



2. YOU RARELY WORRY ABOUT WHETHER YOU MAKE A GOOD IMPRESSION ON PEOPLE OR NOT.

This question explores an individual's concern for the impressions they leave on others. It provides insights into their level of self-consciousness and their inclination to prioritize others' opinions. People who indicate that they rarely worry about making a good impression may exhibit a more confident and self-assured personality.

Fig : 2



3. WORKING INDEPENDENTLY CAN BE LESS EFFICIENT THAN IN GROUP.

This question delves into an individual's perception of working alone versus working in a group setting. It aims to understand whether they believe collaborative efforts are more effective and productive or if they prefer to work independently and find it more efficient. It provides insights into their preferences for teamwork and their ability to thrive in different work environments.

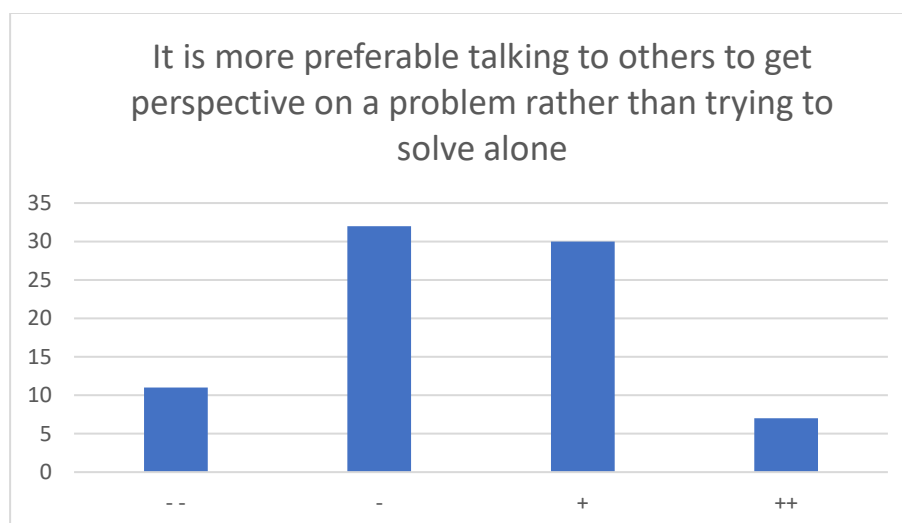
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4. IT IS MORE PREFERABLE TALKING TO OTHERS TO GET PERSPECTIVE ON A PROBLEM RATHER THAN TRYING TO SOLVE ALONE.

This question assesses an individual's inclination to seek input and advice from others when facing problems or challenges. It provides insights into their preference for collaboration, social interaction, and the value they place on diverse perspectives in problem-solving processes.

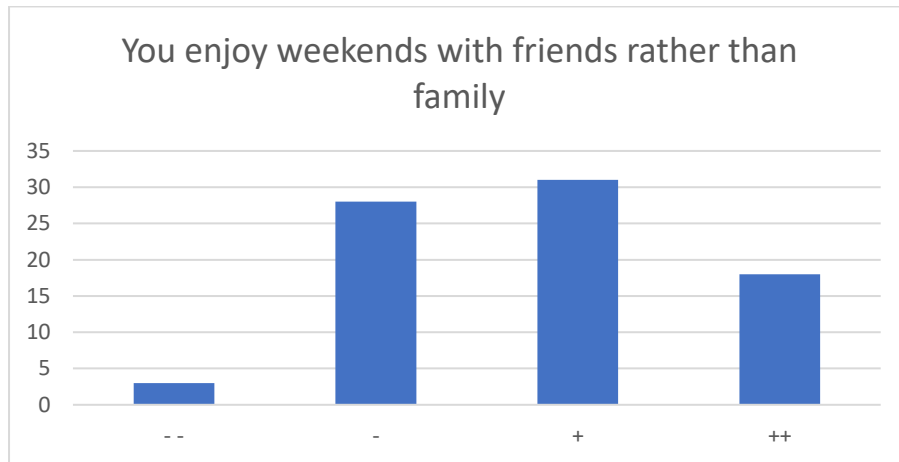
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5. YOU ENJOY WEEKENDS WITH FRIENDS RATHER THAN FAMILY.

This question examines an individual's social preferences during leisure time. It aims to determine whether they prefer spending their weekends with friends, emphasizing their sociability and enjoyment of social interactions, or if they lean towards prioritizing family time, highlighting their inclination for closer, familial relationships.

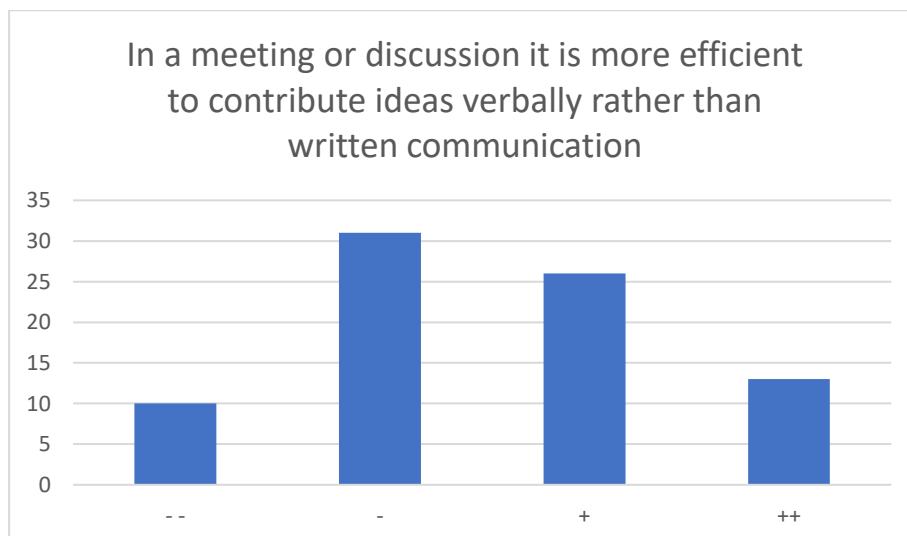
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6. IN A MEETING OR DISCUSSION, IT IS MORE EFFICIENT TO CONTRIBUTE IDEAS VERBALLY RATHER THAN WRITTEN COMMUNICATION.

This question focuses on an individual's perception of the most effective mode of communication in a meeting or discussion setting. It provides insights into their communication style and their belief in the power of verbal expression and real-time interaction as opposed to written communication.

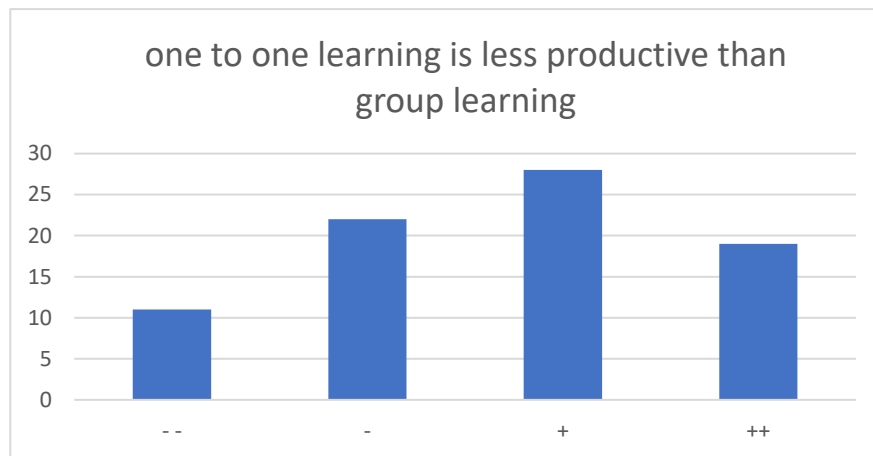
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7. ONE TO ONE LEARNING IS LESS PRODUCTIVE THAN GROUP LEARNING .

This question explores an individual's perspective on the effectiveness of different learning approaches. It aims to determine whether they believe that one-on-one learning, involving personalized attention and focused interaction, is less productive than group learning, which incorporates collaboration and shared knowledge. It provides insights into their preferences for learning styles and environments.

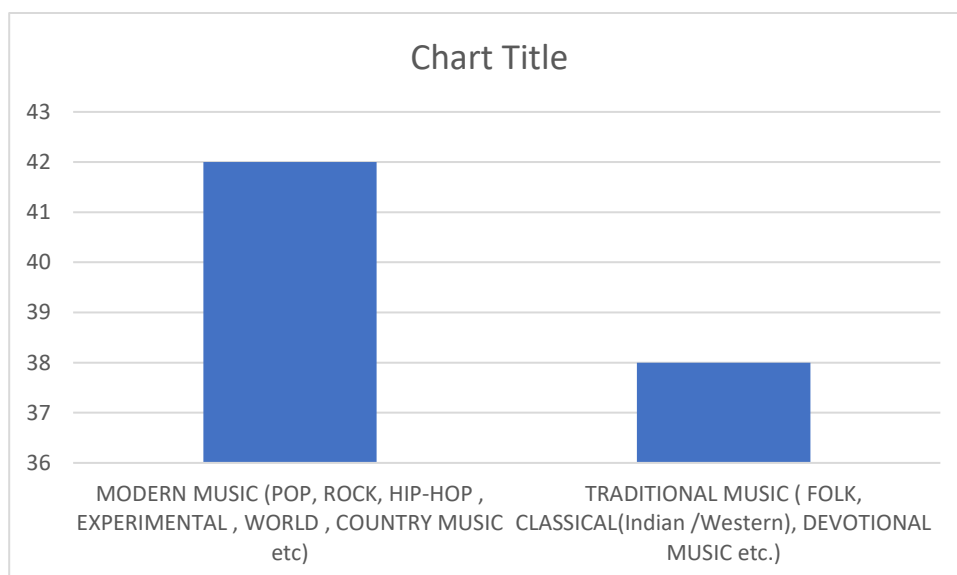
Fig : 7



8. WHICH GENRE OF MUSIC DO YOU LIKE THE MOST ?

This question serves to elicit information regarding the respondent's music preference in modern or traditional music.

Fig : 8



: Introduction To The Models And Procedures :

- **The Logistic Regression Model:**

Logistic Regression Model (also Known as Logit Model) is often used for classification and predictive analytics. Logistic Regression estimates the probability of an event occurring such as YES or NO, based on a given data set of independent variables. Since the outcome is a probability (say $\pi(x)$), the dependent variable is bounded between 0 and 1. Here, $\pi(x) = \text{Prob}[Y = 1 | X]$, is the probability of success.

$$\pi(x) = \frac{e^{\alpha + \beta x}}{1 + e^{\alpha + \beta x}} \quad \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

is called the logistic regression function which is an S-shaped curve.

After a bit of manipulation of (i) we have

$$\ln\left(\frac{\pi(x)}{1 - \pi(x)}\right) = \alpha + \beta x \quad \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

The link function is the logit function $\ln\left(\frac{\pi(x)}{1 - \pi(x)}\right)$ of π symbolized by “logit(π)”. π is resrestricted to the 0-1 range . The logit can be any real number.

(2) can be written as $y = \alpha + \beta x$

Where y = output /dependent variable &

X = independent / predictor variable

- Likert's Scaling (Category-Scale Method) :

In many psychological problems, individuals are rated or ranked by judges for their possession of some characteristics not readily measurable in terms of performance. Honesty, responsibility, tactfulness etc. are examples of such traits. Suppose that there are two judges rating a group of individuals and the frequency distribution of rating of two judges are known. The problem is to assign 'weights' or numerical scores to the ratings, so that rating of two judges may be compared or combined.

Let us assume that the distribution of the trait (say x) is normal with mean 0 and s.d 1. Now suppose that the individual with trait values from x_1 to x_2 are given a particular rating. The scale value for rating is taken to be the mean trait value of all these individuals and so is given by the formula :

$$\text{Scale Value} = \frac{\int_{x_1}^{x_2} x \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} dx}{\int_{x_1}^{x_2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} dx}$$

$$= \frac{\phi(x_1) - \phi(x_2)}{\Phi(x_1) - \Phi(x_2)}$$

Where $\phi(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} dx$ and

$$\Phi(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{u^2}{2}} du$$

From the observed distribution of ratings, it is easy to find $\Phi(x_1)$ and $\Phi(x_2)$ and hence $\phi(x_1)$ and $\phi(x_2)$

This method is due to Likert and the scale is known as Likert's Scale. This is also called category scale method.

If on the other hand, the n individuals in the group are ranked by different judges, the scale values corresponding to the ranks can be obtained under the same assumptions as before, i.e. under the assumption of normality of the trait concerned.

: Likert's Scaling of the Responses :

The set of seven personality related statements in the questionnaire consist of four responses (namely ++ ,+ , - , - -) which aims to capture inclination towards extroversion or introversion of a person but is not readily measurable . Hence we use the Likert's scale or the category-scale method to assign scale-values to each response. For example if a person has responded '++' to the first statement we assign the scale value obtained for '++' with the response. As a result, a set of seven scale values is obtained for each individual, reflecting their responses to the psychology related statements. Summing up these scale values yields a collective score, which can be termed as 'Personality Measure' and serves as the the collective measure for the set of seven statements.

The Scale Values are computed for each question by using the formula 23.4(in likart scaling description) as follows :

S1. YOU FEEL COMFORTABLE IN PUBLIC SPEAKING OR PERFORMING IN FRONT OF OTHERS

Table no : 1.1

Sign	++	+	-	- -
frequency	10	19	31	20

Table no : 1.2

Rating	++	+	-	- -
Area Under Normal Curve $\Phi(x_2) - \Phi(x_1)$	0.125	0.2375	0.3875	0.25
Area below the rating $\Phi(x_1)$	0.875	0.6375	0.25	0
Lower limit x_1	1.15	0.361	-0.6745	$-\infty$
Upper limit x_2	∞	1.15	0.361	-0.6745
Ordinate of x1 $\phi(x_1)$	0.206	0.374	0.3178	0
Ordinate of x2 $\phi(x_2)$	0	0.206	0.374	0.3118
Scale value $\frac{\phi(x_1) - \phi(x_2)}{\Phi(x_1) - \Phi(x_2)}$	1.648	0.707	-0.145	-1.2712

S2. YOU RARELY WORRY ABOUT WHETHER YOU MAKE A GOOD IMPRESSION ON PEOPLE OR NOT .

Table no : 2.1

Sign	++	+	-	--
frequency	16	33	26	5

Table no : 2.2

Rating	++	+	-	- -
Area Under Normal Curve $\Phi(x_2) - \Phi(x_1)$	0.2	0.4125	0.325	0.0625
Area below the rating $\Phi(x_1)$	0.8	0.3875	0.0625	0
Lower limit x_1	0.84	-0.27	-1.81	$-\infty$
Upper limit x_2	∞	0.84	-0.27	-1.81
Ordinate of x_1 $\phi(x_1)$	0.280	0.385	0.077	0
Ordinate of x_2 $\phi(x_2)$	0	0.280	0.385	0.077
Scale value $\frac{\phi(x_1) - \phi(x_2)}{\Phi(x_1) - \Phi(x_2)}$	1.4	0.254	-0.94	-1.232

S3. WORKING INDEPENDENTLY CAN BE LESS EFFICIENT THAN IN GROUP.

Table no : 3.1

Sign	++	+	-	--
frequency	15	20	34	11

Table no : 3.2

Rating	++	+	-	- -
Area Under Normal Curve $\Phi(x_2) - \Phi(x_1)$	0.1875	0.25	0.425	0.1375
Area below the rating $\Phi(x_1)$	0.8125	0.5625	0.1375	0
Lower limit x_1	0.92	0.126	-1.10	$-\infty$
Upper limit x_2	∞	0.92	0.126	-1.10
Ordinate of x1 $\phi(x_1)$	0.261	0.396	0.218	0
Ordinate of x2 $\phi(x_2)$	0	0.261	0.396	0.218
Scale value $\frac{\phi(x_1) - \phi(x_2)}{\Phi(x_1) - \Phi(x_2)}$	1.392	0.54	-0.418	-1.585

S4. IT IS MORE PREFERABLE TALKING TO OTHERS TO GET PERSPECTIVE ON A PROBLEM RATHER THAN TRYING TO SOLVE ALONE .

Table no : 4.1

Sign	++	+	-	--
frequency	11	32	30	7

Table no : 4.2

Rating	++	+	-	- -
Area Under Normal Curve $\Phi(x_2) - \Phi(x_1)$	0.1375	0.4	0.375	0.0875
Area below the rating $\Phi(x_1)$	0.8625	0.4625	0.0875	0
Lower limit x_1	1.15	0.09	-1.44	$-\infty$
Upper limit x_2	∞	1.15	0.09	-1.44
Ordinate of x1 $\phi(x_1)$	0.206	0.397	0.141	0
Ordinate of x2 $\phi(x_2)$	0	0.206	0.397	0.141
Scale value $\frac{\phi(x_1) - \phi(x_2)}{\Phi(x_1) - \Phi(x_2)}$	1.498	0.477	-0.683	-1.611

S5. YOU ENJOY WEEKENDS WITH FRIENDS RATHER THAN FAMILY.

Table no : 5.1

Sign	++	+	-	--
frequency	3	28	31	18

Table no : 5.2

Rating	++	+	-	- -
Area Under Normal Curve $\Phi(x_2) - \Phi(x_1)$	0.0375	0.35	0.3875	0.225
Area below the rating $\Phi(x_1)$	0.9625	0.6125	0.225	0
Lower limit x_1	1.81	0.276	-0.746	$-\infty$
Upper limit x_2	∞	1.81	0.276	-0.746
Ordinate of x1 $\phi(x_1)$	0.077	0.384	0.302	0
Ordinate of x2 $\phi(x_2)$	0	0.077	0.384	0.302
Scale value $\frac{\phi(x_1) - \phi(x_2)}{\Phi(x_1) - \Phi(x_2)}$	2.053	0.877	-0.212	-1.342

S6. IN A MEETING OR DISCUSSION, IT IS MORE EFFICIENT TO CONTRIBUTE IDEAS VERBALLY RATHER THAN WRITTEN COMMUNICATION .

Table no : 6.1

Sign	++	+	-	--
frequency	10	31	26	13

Table no : 6.2

Rating	++	+	-	- -
Area Under Normal Curve $\Phi(x_2) - \Phi(x_1)$	0.125	0.3875	0.325	0.1625
Area below the rating $\Phi(x_1)$	0.875	0.4875	0.1625	0
Lower limit x_1	1.15	-0.049	-1.08	$-\infty$
Upper limit x_2	∞	1.15	-0.049	-1.08
Ordinate of x1 $\phi(x_1)$	0.206	0.398	0.223	0
Ordinate of x2 $\phi(x_2)$	0	0.206	0.398	0.223
Scale value $\frac{\phi(x_1) - \phi(x_2)}{\Phi(x_1) - \Phi(x_2)}$	1.648	0.495	-0.538	-1.372

S7. ONE TO ONE LEARNING IS LESS PRODUCTIVE THAN GROUP LEARNING .

Table no : 7.1

Sign	++	+	-	--
frequency	11	22	28	19

Table no : 7.2

Rating	++	+	-	- -
Area Under Normal Curve $\Phi(x_2) - \Phi(x_1)$	0.1375	0.275	0.35	0.2375
Area below the rating $\Phi(x_1)$	0.8625	0.5875	0.2375	0
Lower limit x_1	1.08	0.210	-0.74	$-\infty$
Upper limit x_2	∞	1.08	0.210	-0.74
Ordinate of x1 $\phi(x_1)$	0.223	0.390	0.303	0
Ordinate of x2 $\phi(x_2)$	0	0.223	0.390	0.303
Scale value $\frac{\phi(x_1) - \phi(x_2)}{\Phi(x_1) - \Phi(x_2)}$	1.62	0.607	-0.25	-1.27

- We now compute the collective score which we will term as ‘Personality Scores’ by summing up the values from the set of seven scale values we obtain for each individual.
- An example using the first 5 individuals from our dataset is shown as follows :

Table no : 8

Serial number of individuals	Scale value for Q1	Scale value for Q2	Scale value for Q3	Scale value for Q4	Scale value for Q5	Scale value for Q6	Scale value for Q7	Total Score	Music Preference (Traditional =0, Modern =1)
1	-0.145	0.254	-0.418	-0.683	-0.212	-0.538	-1.27	-3.012	1
2	0.707	-0.94	-0.418	-1.611	-1.342	-0.538	-1.27	-5.412	1
3	0.707	1.4	0.54	0.477	-0.212	-1.372	-0.25	1.29	0
4	0.707	0.254	-1.585	-0.683	-1.342	-1.372	0.607	-3.414	1
5	1.648	0.254	1.392	0.477	-0.212	-1.372	-1.27	0.917	0

: Analysis :

- **Testing the Significance of Personality Testing :**

In order to examine the relationship between personality traits (introvert/extrovert) and music preferences (traditional/modern) among undergraduate students aged 17-23, a simple logistic regression model was employed.

Participants were asked to rate their agreement with each statement using a 4-point scale: strongly agree (++), agree (+), disagree (-), and strongly disagree (--). The data of 7 personality questions from 80 undergraduate students was collected. For a particular question each of the four responses(-- , - , + ,++) are assigned different likert score . So we got seven personality scores for each of the individuals and we combine them to get a single score. Thus we use those 80 combined score as predictor variable(x) and music preference (1 or 0) as response variable(y).

On fitting the logistic regression model in R using the seven questions as the predictor variables and music preference as the dependent variable, we obtained the following result:

Coefficients:

Table no : 9

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	0.10251	0.22784	0.450	0.653
TOTAL.SCORE	0.09754	0.05963	-1.636	0.102

We see that the p-value for the personality score is relatively high and we can accept the null hypothesis : $\beta = 0$ (which indicates that there is no significant association between personality scores(x) and music preference(y) at 5% level of significance.

: Conclusion :

In conclusion, our project examined the relationship between personality traits (introvert, extrovert) and music preferences (modern, traditional) among undergraduate students aged 17-23. Through logistic regression analysis of the data from our small-scale survey of 80 individuals, we found that the p-value associated with the personality score was relatively high. Although our null hypothesis was accepted at 5% level but it may be treated as a rejection at a 11% level of significance. It is important to note that the p-value would likely decrease with a larger sample size.

This suggests that there may indeed be a significant relationship between music and personality that our study, due to its limited scale, was unable to detect. While our findings did not demonstrate a statistically significant association, the observed p-value indicates that with a larger number of participants, the relationship between music and personality is likely to become more apparent.

Therefore, we conclude that further research with larger sample sizes and broader demographics is necessary to confirm and explore the significant relationship between music and personality. By including a more diverse range of participants, future studies can provide a more robust understanding of the intricate dynamics at play.

In summary, while our current findings did not show a significant association between personality traits and music preferences within our limited sample, we anticipate that with a larger-scale study, a meaningful relationship between music and personality will emerge. Continued research in this area will contribute to a deeper understanding of the complex interplay between personality traits and music preferences among undergraduate students.

: Future Research Prospect :

The exploration of the relationship between personality and music preference holds significant promise for future research endeavors. While your project has shed light on the connection between these two factors, there are intriguing avenues to be explored that can enhance our understanding even further. One potential direction is to conduct longitudinal studies that follow individuals over time, examining how their personality traits and music preferences evolve and interact. This would provide valuable insights into the dynamic nature of this relationship and potentially uncover factors that influence changes in music preference based on personality changes or vice versa.

Furthermore, delving into the underlying psychological mechanisms that drive the relationship between personality and music preference can be a fruitful area for future investigation. For instance, employing experimental designs and psychophysiological measures, such as heart rate variability or electrodermal activity, could offer insights into the emotional and physiological responses triggered by different music genres in individuals with varying personality traits. Understanding the mechanisms through which music affects individuals with different personalities can contribute to the development of personalized music interventions and therapies.

In addition to individual-level analysis, exploring the social and cultural aspects of music preference and personality is another exciting avenue for future research. Investigating how social norms, peer influence, and cultural factors shape an individual's music preference and interact with their personality traits can provide a comprehensive understanding of this intricate relationship. Furthermore, examining how music preference and personality vary across different cultures and age groups can help uncover the universal and culturally specific aspects of this phenomenon.

Lastly, incorporating advanced technologies and methodologies, such as machine learning algorithms and big data analysis, can offer novel insights into the intricate relationship between personality and music preference. By leveraging large-scale datasets from music streaming platforms and combining them with personality assessments, researchers can uncover patterns, trends, and associations that were previously unexplored.

Overall, future research on the relationship between personality and music preference holds immense potential for deepening our understanding of human behavior, individual differences, and the role of music in our lives. By exploring the dynamic nature, underlying mechanisms, cultural influences, and leveraging cutting-edge methodologies, researchers can make significant contributions to the field and pave the way for innovative applications in areas such as mental health, personalized music therapy, and targeted marketing strategies.

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: Appendix :

Code for results in Table no: 9

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1 df<- read.csv("F:\\SUMIT\\OneDrive\\Desktop\\A Journey Through Melody_A Survey Of Musical Tastes.csv")
2
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4
5 # Fit a logistic regression model
6
7 model <- glm(Music ~ TOTAL.SCORE, data = df, family = "binomial")
8
9 # Display the model coefficients
10
11 summary(model)
```

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