Table 4.12Mean and standard deviation of moderated school assessments, raw examination
marks and correlation coefficients* for ATAR course examinations, by gender,
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	Gender of		Moderate	ed school	Raw exa	mination	Correlation
Course	student	Total**	assess	ments	marks		coefficient
			Mean	Std dev	Mean	Std dev	
Accounting and Finance - Written	Male	507	67.97	18.72	67.00	20.92	
	Female	360	67.32	18.52	66.24	21.22	
	Persons	867	67.70	18.63	66.69	21.04	0.92
Ancient History - Written	Male	41	58.22	14.29	57.15	16.56	
	Female	39	58.07	16.37	54.61	19.62	
	Persons	80	58.14	15.24	55.91	18.04	0.84
Animal Production Systems - Written	Male	8	55.98	10.15	53.41	15.26	
,	Female	22	68.10	12.82	67.83	14.14	
	Persons	30	64.87	13.17	63.98	15.59	0.90
Applied Information Technology - Written	Male	281	60.82	13.79	59.68	15.72	
	Female	113	66.81	13.47	66.38	13.90	
	Other	1	70.32	0.00	77.49	0.00	
	Persons	395	62.56	13.93	61.64	15.50	0.87
Arabic - Written	Male	11	70.47	10.94	67.25	12.31	
	Female	10	72.25	16.06	72.55	13.63	
	Persons	21	71.32	13.29	69.78	12.91	0.88
Auslan - Written	Male	1	93.59	0.00	92.60	0.00	
	Female	6	88.29	4.29	88.49	4.54	
	Persons	7	89.05	4.40	89.07	4.42	0.66
Aviation - Practical	Male	24	85.54	6.87	85.31	8.49	
	Female	2	85.21	4.83	82.77	3.98	
	Persons	26	85.52	6.67	85.12	8.22	0.68
Aviation - Written	Male	24	61.44	12.51	61.70	12.81	
	Female	2	57.41	12.12	53.60	8.63	
	Persons	26	61.13	12.29	61.08	12.60	0.94
Biology - Written	Male	579	59.28	11.07	58.99	12.39	
	Female	1011	61.94	11.79	61.12	12.75	
	Other	3	73.10	14.05	68.25	12.36	
	Persons	1593	61.00	11.61	60.36	12.66	0.89
Business Management and Enterprise - Written	Male	498	58.52	17.44	57.46	18.95	
	Female	438	61.05	16.86	60.27	18.07	
	Persons	936	59.70	17.21	58.77	18.59	0.89
Career and Enterprise - Written	Male	43	59.45	13.44	56.49	20.52	
	Female	79	68.10	11.73	67.40	13.45	
	Persons	122	65.05	12.98	63.55	17.03	0.84
Chemistry - Written	Male	2117	58.01	17.85	56.99	18.97	

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Table 4.12Mean and standard deviation of moderated school assessments, raw examination
marks and correlation coefficients* for ATAR course examinations, by gender,
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	Gender of		Moderate	ed school	Raw exa	mination	Correlation
Course	student	Total**	assess	sments	marks		coefficient
			Mean	Std dev	Mean	Std dev	
	Female	1874	57.56	17.02	56.94	18.42	
	Other	4	61.52	26.02	56.04	31.12	
	Persons	3995	57.80	17.47	56.97	18.72	0.94
Children, Family and the Community - Written	Male	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Female	62	61.55	9.70	60.86	9.88	
	Persons	62	61.55	9.70	60.86	9.88	0.85
Chinese: Background Language - Written	Male	6	66.86	9.53	63.33	10.48	
	Female	9	77.51	6.64	76.33	7.22	
	Persons	15	73.25	9.32	71.13	10.61	0.74
Chinese: First Language - Written	Male	30	39.67	25.57	37.98	26.48	
	Female	36	56.53	19.31	56.26	19.52	
	Persons	66	48.87	23.75	47.95	24.54	0.95
Chinese: Second Language - Practical	Male	41	82.25	9.81	81.10	10.62	
	Female	50	80.07	11.14	80.00	12.27	
	Persons	91	81.05	10.56	80.49	11.51	0.90
Chinese: Second Language - Written	Male	41	69.86	15.20	69.49	16.74	
	Female	51	64.97	18.51	62.03	20.06	
	Persons	92	67.15	17.20	65.35	18.92	0.94
Computer Science - Written	Male	367	58.23	16.63	56.41	19.30	
	Female	66	55.27	16.99	54.89	17.03	
	Persons	433	57.78	16.70	56.18	18.96	0.91
Dance - Practical	Male	4	76.29	14.35	72.75	12.60	
	Female	129	67.48	11.02	66.79	11.32	
	Persons	133	67.74	11.17	66.97	11.35	0.85
Dance - Written	Male	4	60.95	7.67	69.56	5.11	
	Female	130	61.45	13.02	60.05	14.69	
	Persons	134	61.44	12.87	60.34	14.58	0.81
Design - Practical	Male	130	55.21	13.71	55.21	15.41	
	Female	186	60.44	15.13	59.05	16.13	
	Persons	316	58.29	14.77	57.47	15.92	0.81
Design - Written	Male	129	57.83	10.30	57.33	13.02	
	Female	182	65.20	10.25	63.89	11.15	
	Persons	311	62.14	10.88	61.17	12.37	0.78
Drama - Practical	Male	143	67.78	14.35	67.49	14.49	
	Female	298	70.34	11.81	69.39	13.25	
	Other	2	70.10	15.37	63.42	26.91	

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Table 4.12Mean and standard deviation of moderated school assessments, raw examination
marks and correlation coefficients* for ATAR course examinations, by gender,
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	Gender of		Moderated school		Raw exa	Correlation	
Course	student	Total**	assess	sments	ma	rks	coefficient
			Mean	Std dev	Mean	Std dev	
	Persons	443	69.51	12.72	68.75	13.71	0.81
Drama - Written	Male	142	58.97	15.25	57.12	19.17	
	Female	301	67.61	14.28	66.42	16.94	
	Other	2	61.95	3.69	48.78	0.31	
	Persons	445	64.82	15.10	63.37	18.17	0.84
Earth and Environmental Science - Written	Male	48	48.81	11.48	47.98	13.65	
	Female	61	51.18	13.15	49.41	14.61	
	Persons	109	50.14	12.44	48.78	14.15	0.86
Economics - Written	Male	1062	60.21	16.06	59.69	16.91	
	Female	761	59.95	16.28	58.72	17.27	
	Other	1	72.77	0.00	72.50	0.00	
	Persons	1824	60.11	16.15	59.29	17.06	0.91
Engineering Studies - Written	Male	192	64.43	16.01	62.70	17.21	
	Female	31	56.48	17.56	51.26	21.68	
	Persons	223	63.32	16.43	61.11	18.28	0.86
English - Written	Male	4282	56.82	9.05	56.75	10.96	
	Female	4825	61.08	9.42	59.84	11.20	
	Other	7	52.64	5.72	52.21	10.18	
	Persons	9114	59.07	9.49	58.38	11.19	0.71
English as an Additional Language or Dialect	Male	392	56.68	20.17	55.12	21.33	
- Written	Female	422	63.65	14.31	63.75	15.08	
	Persons	814	60.29	17.72	59.59	18.85	0.93
Food Science and Technology - Written	Male	20	49.08	12.61	51.60	15.13	
	Female	97	62.69	11.96	60.44	13.14	
	Persons	117	60.36	13.07	58.93	13.84	0.77
French: Background Language - Practical	Male	2	82.51	2.11	82.50	10.61	
	Female	5	85.02	8.00	85.00	6.12	
	Persons	7	84.30	6.70	84.29	6.73	0.77
French: Background Language - Written	Male	2	72.82	8.81	76.32	6.29	
	Female	5	65.82	11.46	64.20	10.64	
	Persons	7	67.82	10.59	67.66	10.82	0.90
French: Second Language - Practical	Male	92	74.82	15.32	74.95	16.19	
	Female	232	75.39	14.83	74.68	16.36	
	Persons	324	75.23	14.95	74.76	16.29	0.89
French: Second Language - Written	Male	94	64.24	12.58	63.62	13.06	
	Female	235	63.75	13.20	63.10	14.02	

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Table 4.12Mean and standard deviation of moderated school assessments, raw examination
marks and correlation coefficients* for ATAR course examinations, by gender,
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	Gender of		Moderate	ed school	Raw exa	mination	Correlation
Course	student	Total**	assess	sments	marks		coefficient
			Mean	Std dev	Mean	Std dev	
	Persons	329	63.89	13.01	63.25	13.73	0.94
Geography - Written	Male	514	61.76	13.21	61.36	15.29	
	Female	677	64.30	12.60	63.19	13.93	
	Persons	1191	63.20	12.92	62.40	14.55	0.87
German: Second Language - Practical	Male	4	60.46	25.87	58.58	25.67	
	Female	16	73.03	19.45	73.70	20.97	
	Persons	20	70.51	20.76	70.67	22.13	0.94
German: Second Language - Written	Male	4	56.47	13.05	56.96	16.06	
	Female	15	59.07	14.68	58.55	14.56	
	Persons	19	58.53	14.04	58.22	14.43	0.97
Health Studies - Written	Male	143	53.80	13.55	53.42	14.56	
	Female	470	61.65	12.36	60.52	14.34	
	Persons	613	59.82	13.06	58.87	14.69	0.85
Hebrew - Written	Male	1	52.51	0.00	47.13	0.00	
	Female	3	67.11	6.58	60.00	11.05	
	Persons	4	63.46	9.06	56.78	11.08	0.94
Human Biology - Written	Male	1224	59.21	12.82	58.53	14.18	
	Female	2456	61.33	13.85	60.69	14.66	
	Persons	3680	60.63	13.55	59.97	14.53	0.91
Indonesian: First Language - Written	Male	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Female	3	44.92	7.16	44.83	8.31	
	Persons	3	44.92	7.16	44.83	8.31	0.59
Indonesian: Second Language - Practical	Male	16	64.25	17.53	62.88	18.93	
	Female	38	65.87	13.50	65.47	14.51	
	Persons	54	65.39	14.65	64.70	15.81	0.89
Indonesian: Second Language - Written	Male	16	58.22	23.79	59.20	24.00	
	Female	38	63.42	18.86	62.58	20.59	
	Persons	54	61.88	20.35	61.58	21.48	0.97
Integrated Science - Written	Male	7	55.96	7.13	54.63	3.57	
	Female	6	51.33	15.76	47.17	18.68	
	Persons	13	53.82	11.61	51.19	12.91	0.69
Italian: Background Language - Practical	Male	1	72.50	0.00	70.00	0.00	
	Female	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Persons	1	72.50	0.00	70.00	0.00	N/A
Italian: Background Language - Written	Male	1	68.06	0.00	76.12	0.00	
	Female	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	

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Table 4.12Mean and standard deviation of moderated school assessments, raw examination
marks and correlation coefficients* for ATAR course examinations, by gender,
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	Gender of		Moderate	d school	Raw exa	mination	Correlation
Course	student	Total**	assess	ments	ma	rks	coefficient
			Mean	Std dev	Mean	Std dev	
	Persons	1	68.06	0.00	76.12	0.00	N/A
Italian: Second Language - Practical	Male	38	65.60	18.59	65.41	20.67	
	Female	130	68.82	17.52	67.45	19.20	
	Persons	168	68.09	17.76	66.98	19.50	0.90
Italian: Second Language - Written	Male	37	65.79	14.13	67.01	15.66	
	Female	130	66.02	14.13	65.08	15.20	
	Persons	167	65.97	14.09	65.51	15.27	0.93
Japanese: Second Language - Practical	Male	109	70.99	17.96	71.84	20.21	
	Female	136	71.49	19.38	70.48	19.87	
	Persons	245	71.27	18.72	71.09	19.99	0.88
Japanese: Second Language - Written	Male	110	63.27	18.17	62.45	19.12	
	Female	138	60.54	19.05	59.07	20.66	
	Other	1	26.15	0.00	21.29	0.00	
	Persons	249	61.61	18.78	60.41	20.14	0.95
Literature - Written	Male	500	65.86	8.38	65.47	9.39	
	Female	1049	67.21	9.06	66.39	10.37	
	Other	3	77.84	1.55	77.45	7.94	
	Persons	1552	66.79	8.87	66.11	10.08	0.71
Marine and Maritime Studies - Written	Male	51	60.42	9.09	60.08	9.46	
	Female	60	64.96	11.13	63.51	12.85	
	Persons	111	62.87	10.45	61.94	11.49	0.86
Materials Design and Technology - Practical	Male	70	69.57	12.27	68.89	13.45	
	Female	66	83.17	11.01	82.90	12.63	
	Persons	136	76.17	13.49	75.69	14.78	0.83
Materials Design and Technology - Written	Male	70	66.69	9.63	64.05	15.35	
	Female	66	75.59	11.72	75.22	11.44	
	Persons	136	71.01	11.55	69.47	14.66	0.75
Mathematics Applications - Written	Male	3412	64.00	15.97	62.85	18.69	
	Female	3870	65.18	15.85	64.53	17.51	
	Other	4	59.44	16.30	55.22	18.11	
	Persons	7286	64.63	15.92	63.74	18.09	0.89
Mathematics Methods - Written	Male	2199	65.98	18.16	66.07	19.11	
	Female	1406	62.76	17.99	61.23	19.75	
	Other	4	67.75	10.61	62.99	12.79	
	Persons	3609	64.72	18.15	64.18	19.50	0.93
Mathematics Specialist - Written	Male	896	64.33	17.81	63.46	18.78	

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Table 4.12Mean and standard deviation of moderated school assessments, raw examination
marks and correlation coefficients* for ATAR course examinations, by gender,
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	Gender of		Moderate	ed school	Raw exa	mination	Correlation
Course	student	Total**	assess	sments	ma	rks	coefficient
			Mean	Std dev	Mean	Std dev	
	Female	399	61.98	18.47	60.86	20.35	
	Other	1	50.90	0.00	51.46	0.00	
	Persons	1296	63.59	18.04	62.65	19.30	0.94
Media Production and Analysis - Practical	Male	185	64.65	13.37	64.52	14.29	
	Female	246	66.58	11.81	65.84	12.48	
	Other	1	76.83	0.00	66.29	0.00	
	Persons	432	65.78	12.52	65.28	13.27	0.76
Media Production and Analysis - Written	Male	179	64.42	13.75	62.21	16.64	
	Female	236	67.65	11.77	65.87	15.70	
	Other	1	62.41	0.00	69.44	0.00	
	Persons	416	66.25	12.73	64.30	16.18	0.75
Modern Greek - Written	Male	1	95.22	0.00	96.43	0.00	
	Female	1	91.72	0.00	96.43	0.00	
	Persons	2	93.47	2.47	96.43	0.00	N/A
Modern History - Written	Male	541	59.90	11.80	58.91	14.74	
	Female	915	60.45	12.88	58.79	15.39	
	Persons	1456	60.24	12.49	58.84	15.15	0.82
Music - Practical	Male	138	75.10	13.72	73.65	16.05	
	Female	153	73.20	12.46	72.68	14.18	
	Other	1	59.38	0.00	54.59	0.00	
	Persons	292	74.05	13.09	73.08	15.09	0.82
Music - Written	Male	140	64.26	15.27	63.74	16.98	
	Female	155	60.39	13.77	58.49	15.99	
	Other	1	58.70	0.00	56.44	0.00	
	Persons	296	62.21	14.58	60.96	16.62	0.92
Outdoor Education - Written	Male	48	53.49	13.02	52.43	14.14	
	Female	75	59.00	15.52	56.97	16.70	
	Persons	123	56.85	14.79	55.20	15.85	0.88
Philosophy and Ethics - Written	Male	70	68.84	9.47	68.19	10.36	
	Female	94	63.70	9.92	61.76	15.05	
	Other	1	60.16	0.00	62.50	0.00	
	Persons	165	65.86	10.01	64.49	13.55	0.80
Physical Education Studies - Practical	Male	750	66.67	10.72	66.33	11.94	
,	Female	608	62.72	12.63	61.87	13.69	
	Persons	1358	64.90	11.77	64.33	12.94	0.80
Physical Education Studies - Written	Male	807	55.51	12.21	54.91	13.03	

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Course			Moderated school		Raw exa	Correlation	
Course	student	Total**	assess	ments	marks		coefficient
			Mean	Std dev	Mean	Std dev	
	Female	632	56.77	12.20	55.86	12.78	
	Persons	1439	56.06	12.22	55.33	12.92	0.88
Physics - Written	Male	1834	62.26	17.95	61.79	19.54	
	Female	575	61.18	17.77	59.35	19.15	
	Other	1	62.54	0.00	47.08	0.00	
	Persons	2410	62.00	17.90	61.20	19.47	0.94
Plant Production Systems - Written	Male	8	54.03	7.95	52.54	12.69	
	Female	14	64.83	11.51	62.34	11.80	
	Persons	22	60.90	11.46	58.78	12.77	0.85
Politics and Law - Written	Male	257	56.47	13.76	55.72	15.83	
	Female	487	57.61	14.26	56.12	16.12	
	Persons	744	57.22	14.09	55.98	16.01	0.88
Psychology - Written	Male	352	53.31	14.92	52.12	16.54	
	Female	1407	57.38	14.27	56.54	15.68	
	Other	3	63.42	13.84	73.60	6.69	
	Persons	1762	56.58	14.49	55.68	15.95	0.89
Religion and Life - Written	Male	296	56.82	10.72	55.91	12.48	
	Female	599	58.89	10.11	57.96	11.41	
	Persons	895	58.20	10.36	57.28	11.81	0.76
Russian - Written	Male	4	76.51	17.55	76.07	16.97	
	Female	4	65.46	22.54	65.53	24.41	
	Persons	8	70.98	19.61	70.80	20.26	0.98
Sinhala - Written	Male	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Female	3	75.68	17.54	74.58	19.44	
	Persons	3	75.68	17.54	74.58	19.44	0.98
Turkish - Written	Male	2	55.54	12.54	53.38	11.31	
	Female	2	60.29	5.82	62.44	1.85	
	Persons	4	57.91	8.44	57.91	8.44	0.92
Visual Arts - Practical	Male	92	63.11	12.44	62.72	13.05	
	Female	469	66.03	11.80	65.29	12.45	
	Other	1	62.29	0.00	60.00	0.00	
	Persons	562	65.54	11.94	64.86	12.56	0.82
Visual Arts - Written	Male	89	62.36	10.84	59.18	15.24	
	Female	462	64.64	10.66	63.53	13.39	
	Other	1	57.82	0.00	61.97	0.00	
	Persons	552	64.26	10.71	62.82	13.77	0.77

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