
29th September, 1956.

My dear Frank,

Many thanks for the material. We seem to agree very decently on the actual figures, but I wonder if we could make the * calculations more explicit by some such form with three lines, for females, males, and sex difference, all adding to the values for both sexes such as that which I am enclosing herewith. The figures I give on this sheet I have worked out afresh yesterday, and I do not suppose they differ from the truth by quite so much as yours do. I agree fully, however, that χ^2 for the difference between regressions is only about 0.75, just as you had found.

Sincerely yours,

Encs.

* [cf. Statistical Tables, 6th edn, p.18]
- JHB

[With Fisher's letter to F. Yates: 29 Sept. 1956]

	$[x^2]$	$[xy]$	$[y^2]$
Females	2335.395	-1363.207	5445.80
Males	3676.584	-4554.164	7910.32
Sex Difference	<u>145.016</u>	<u>-83.695</u>	<u>35.92</u>
Both sexes	6204.995	-6001.066	13412.04

Values can readily be calculated

- (i) Residual from single regression line 7608.20
- (ii) Residual from parallel lines 7549.93
- (iii) Sum of residuals from independent lines 6136.10

	Residual	χ^2
Distance between parallels	58.27	0.0710
Difference between regression	613.83	0.7479