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Table 4.12 Mean and standard deviation of moderated school assessments, raw examination marks and correlation coefficients* for WACE course examinations, by sex, 2012

| Course | Sex of student | Total** | Moderated school assessments |  | Raw examination marks |  | Correlation coefficient |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Mean | Std dev | Mean | Std dev |  |
| Accounting and Finance Stage 2 - Written | Male | 21 | 59.85 | 17.09 | 61.23 | 21.89 |  |
|  | Female | 21 | 62.62 | 12.51 | 63.68 | 19.37 |  |
|  | Persons | 42 | 61.24 | 14.86 | 62.45 | 20.45 | 0.88 |
| Accounting and Finance Stage 3 - Written | Male | 630 | 59.43 | 14.69 | 62.60 | 19.55 |  |
|  | Female | 551 | 60.62 | 13.77 | 63.94 | 17.79 |  |
|  | Persons | 1181 | 59.99 | 14.28 | 63.23 | 18.75 | 0.91 |
| Ancient History Stage 2 - Written | Male | 4 | 59.11 | 13.37 | 48.63 | 17.68 |  |
|  | Female | 6 | 66.92 | 13.94 | 50.75 | 20.31 |  |
|  | Persons | 10 | 63.79 | 13.56 | 49.90 | 18.29 | 0.91 |
| Ancient History Stage 3 - Written | Male | 97 | 62.05 | 13.80 | 62.21 | 14.52 |  |
|  | Female | 115 | 60.52 | 12.81 | 59.66 | 14.11 |  |
|  | Persons | 212 | 61.22 | 13.26 | 60.83 | 14.32 | 0.84 |
| Animal Production Systems Stage 2 - Written | Male | 1 | 72.58 | 0.00 | 67.61 | 0.00 |  |
|  | Female | 4 | 67.67 | 12.48 | 68.87 | 13.01 |  |
|  | Persons | 5 | 68.65 | 11.03 | 68.62 | 11.28 | 0.94 |
| Animal Production Systems Stage 3 - Written | Male | 14 | 60.92 | 15.58 | 53.45 | 14.67 |  |
|  | Female | 18 | 59.52 | 16.97 | 49.75 | 14.62 |  |
|  | Persons | 32 | 60.13 | 16.13 | 51.37 | 14.52 | 0.86 |
| Applied Information Technology Stage 2 - Written | Male | 132 | 58.50 | 12.91 | 55.20 | 16.27 |  |
|  | Female | 101 | 64.01 | 13.23 | 58.15 | 15.16 |  |
|  | Persons | 233 | 60.88 | 13.30 | 56.48 | 15.83 | 0.75 |
| Applied Information Technology Stage 3-Written | Male | 464 | 59.60 | 14.13 | 55.73 | 13.78 |  |
|  | Female | 337 | 62.13 | 12.73 | 57.75 | 13.50 |  |
|  | Persons | 801 | 60.66 | 13.61 | 56.58 | 13.69 | 0.79 |
| Arabic Stage 3 - Written | Male | 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |  |
|  | Female | 8 | 73.52 | 13.15 | 71.44 | 17.45 |  |
|  | Persons | 8 | 73.52 | 13.15 | 71.44 | 17.45 | 0.90 |
| Aviation Stage 3 - Practical | Male | 48 | 64.75 | 13.86 | 38.85 | 5.99 |  |
|  | Female | 4 | 55.42 | 5.82 | 33.00 | 7.87 |  |
|  | Persons | 52 | 64.03 | 13.61 | 38.40 | 6.26 | 0.69 |
| Aviation Stage 3 - Written | Male | 49 | 61.75 | 14.21 | 44.50 | 11.65 |  |
|  | Female | 4 | 57.97 | 4.45 | 38.77 | 8.13 |  |
|  | Persons | 53 | 61.46 | 13.74 | 44.07 | 11.46 | 0.81 |
| Biological Sciences Stage 2 - Written | Male | 3 | 47.21 | 11.75 | 51.00 | 16.55 |  |
|  | Female | 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |  |
|  | Persons | 3 | 47.21 | 11.75 | 51.00 | 16.55 | 0.95 |

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Table 4.12 Mean and standard deviation of moderated school assessments, raw examination marks and correlation coefficients* for WACE course examinations, by sex, 2012 (cont)

| Course | Sex of student | Total** | Moderated school assessments |  | Raw examination marks |  | Correlation coefficient |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Mean | Std dev | Mean | Std dev |  |
| Biological Sciences Stage 3-Written | Male | 577 | 58.11 | 13.39 | 58.39 | 12.43 |  |
|  | Female | 1094 | 61.10 | 13.68 | 59.14 | 12.97 |  |
|  | Persons | 1671 | 60.07 | 13.65 | 58.88 | 12.79 | 0.90 |
| Business Management and Enterprise Stage 2 <br> - Written | Male | 91 | 57.97 | 12.34 | 55.13 | 17.58 |  |
|  | Female | 95 | 63.10 | 14.13 | 62.43 | 17.21 |  |
|  | Persons | 186 | 60.59 | 13.49 | 58.86 | 17.72 | 0.81 |
| Business Management and Enterprise Stage 3 <br> - Written | Male | 253 | 58.85 | 14.64 | 53.21 | 18.16 |  |
|  | Female | 259 | 60.78 | 13.69 | 54.33 | 17.61 |  |
|  | Persons | 512 | 59.83 | 14.19 | 53.78 | 17.88 | 0.86 |
| Career and Enterprise Stage 2 - Written | Male | 77 | 57.83 | 14.12 | 60.26 | 17.43 |  |
|  | Female | 83 | 65.58 | 11.56 | 65.45 | 14.20 |  |
|  | Persons | 160 | 61.85 | 13.39 | 62.95 | 16.00 | 0.64 |
| Career and Enterprise Stage 3 - Written | Male | 64 | 56.50 | 11.65 | 47.89 | 11.15 |  |
|  | Female | 108 | 63.59 | 13.82 | 55.79 | 13.07 |  |
|  | Persons | 172 | 60.95 | 13.47 | 52.85 | 12.94 | 0.74 |
| Chemistry Stage 2 - Written | Male | 4 | 51.33 | 25.89 | 25.71 | 27.06 |  |
|  | Female | 18 | 62.43 | 11.20 | 33.85 | 15.30 |  |
|  | Persons | 22 | 60.41 | 14.72 | 32.37 | 17.45 | 0.90 |
| Chemistry Stage 3-Written | Male | 2546 | 60.07 | 14.41 | 61.54 | 17.30 |  |
|  | Female | 2194 | 59.88 | 14.35 | 60.34 | 17.12 |  |
|  | Persons | 4740 | 59.98 | 14.38 | 60.99 | 17.23 | 0.93 |
| Children, Family and the Community Stage 2 - Written | Male | 1 | 39.73 | 0.00 | 44.00 | 0.00 |  |
|  | Female | 214 | 60.64 | 14.00 | 69.32 | 15.81 |  |
|  | Persons | 215 | 60.54 | 14.04 | 69.20 | 15.87 | 0.84 |
| Children, Family and the Community Stage 3 <br> - Written | Male | 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |  |
|  | Female | 55 | 62.19 | 13.76 | 49.06 | 10.82 |  |
|  | Persons | 55 | 62.19 | 13.76 | 49.06 | 10.82 | 0.75 |
| Chinese: Background Speakers Stage 3-Written | Male | 25 | 58.84 | 13.34 | 54.24 | 7.49 |  |
|  | Female | 40 | 64.79 | 11.31 | 60.20 | 9.44 |  |
|  | Persons | 65 | 62.50 | 12.37 | 57.91 | 9.16 | 0.78 |
| Chinese: Second Language Stage 2 - Practical | Male | 1 | 91.13 | 0.00 | 29.00 | 0.00 |  |
|  | Female | 2 | 94.90 | 7.21 | 28.00 | 2.83 |  |
|  | Persons | 3 | 93.64 | 5.55 | 28.33 | 2.08 | 0.77 |
| Chinese: Second Language Stage 2 - Written | Male | 1 | 60.82 | 0.00 | 41.80 | 0.00 |  |
|  | Female | 2 | 75.78 | 23.83 | 54.04 | 17.02 |  |
|  | Persons | 3 | 70.79 | 18.93 | 49.96 | 13.95 | 1.00 |

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Table 4.12 Mean and standard deviation of moderated school assessments, raw examination marks and correlation coefficients* for WACE course examinations, by sex, 2012 (cont)

| Course | Sex of student | Total** | Moderated school assessments |  | Raw examination marks |  | Correlation coefficient |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Mean | Std dev | Mean | Std dev |  |
| Chinese: Second Language Stage 3 - Practical | Male | 16 | 62.25 | 16.80 | 34.25 | 5.23 |  |
|  | Female | 35 | 68.85 | 14.88 | 35.86 | 3.14 |  |
|  | Persons | 51 | 66.78 | 15.65 | 35.35 | 3.94 | 0.70 |
| Chinese: Second Language Stage 3 - Written | Male | 17 | 55.33 | 12.27 | 45.14 | 15.49 |  |
|  | Female | 35 | 65.41 | 12.20 | 54.89 | 8.83 |  |
|  | Persons | 52 | 62.11 | 13.01 | 51.70 | 12.19 | 0.85 |
| Computer Science Stage 2 - Written | Male | 55 | 63.68 | 13.71 | 58.75 | 15.01 |  |
|  | Female | 19 | 53.15 | 16.38 | 44.97 | 18.35 |  |
|  | Persons | 74 | 60.98 | 15.06 | 55.21 | 16.93 | 0.85 |
| Computer Science Stage 3 - Written | Male | 292 | 59.96 | 13.45 | 52.26 | 19.29 |  |
|  | Female | 45 | 63.32 | 15.48 | 57.34 | 22.76 |  |
|  | Persons | 337 | 60.40 | 13.76 | 52.94 | 19.83 | 0.89 |
| Dance Stage 2 - Practical | Male | 3 | 50.44 | 16.06 | 22.97 | 1.94 |  |
|  | Female | 67 | 60.56 | 13.49 | 29.84 | 6.80 |  |
|  | Persons | 70 | 60.12 | 13.63 | 29.55 | 6.81 | 0.85 |
| Dance Stage 2 - Written | Male | 2 | 64.69 | 17.70 | 21.67 | 12.48 |  |
|  | Female | 69 | 60.91 | 13.70 | 25.23 | 9.13 |  |
|  | Persons | 71 | 61.02 | 13.68 | 25.13 | 9.14 | 0.76 |
| Dance Stage 3 - Practical | Male | 16 | 65.72 | 11.46 | 37.85 | 5.59 |  |
|  | Female | 260 | 60.62 | 13.71 | 33.86 | 6.92 |  |
|  | Persons | 276 | 60.92 | 13.62 | 34.09 | 6.90 | 0.82 |
| Dance Stage 3 - Written | Male | 16 | 55.13 | 12.77 | 52.81 | 17.71 |  |
|  | Female | 267 | 62.15 | 13.56 | 61.44 | 15.30 |  |
|  | Persons | 283 | 61.75 | 13.60 | 60.96 | 15.54 | 0.73 |
| Design Stage 2 - Practical | Male | 54 | 56.14 | 14.02 | 18.78 | 5.47 |  |
|  | Female | 90 | 65.23 | 13.73 | 22.02 | 5.43 |  |
|  | Persons | 144 | 61.82 | 14.48 | 20.80 | 5.65 | 0.77 |
| Design Stage 2 - Written | Male | 54 | 57.91 | 14.45 | 47.78 | 17.17 |  |
|  | Female | 88 | 64.60 | 12.21 | 53.94 | 17.32 |  |
|  | Persons | 142 | 62.06 | 13.46 | 51.60 | 17.46 | 0.74 |
| Design Stage 3 - Practical | Male | 217 | 58.28 | 13.54 | 18.75 | 6.02 |  |
|  | Female | 255 | 64.13 | 14.82 | 20.66 | 6.30 |  |
|  | Persons | 472 | 61.44 | 14.53 | 19.79 | 6.24 | 0.79 |
| Design Stage 3 - Written | Male | 217 | 57.96 | 12.58 | 27.12 | 7.63 |  |
|  | Female | 256 | 63.49 | 13.39 | 29.85 | 7.55 |  |
|  | Persons | 473 | 60.95 | 13.30 | 28.60 | 7.70 | 0.75 |

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Table 4.12 Mean and standard deviation of moderated school assessments, raw examination marks and correlation coefficients* for WACE course examinations, by sex, 2012 (cont)

| Course | Sex of student | Total ${ }^{\text {** }}$ | Moderated school assessments |  | Raw examination marks |  | Correlation coefficient |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Mean | Std dev | Mean | Std dev |  |
| Drama Stage 2 - Practical | Male | 15 | 63.61 | 16.81 | 66.10 | 18.61 |  |
|  | Female | 39 | 59.21 | 12.18 | 63.19 | 13.79 |  |
|  | Persons | 54 | 60.43 | 13.60 | 64.00 | 15.15 | 0.75 |
| Drama Stage 2 - Written | Male | 15 | 56.99 | 14.52 | 28.25 | 8.89 |  |
|  | Female | 36 | 63.95 | 13.59 | 32.76 | 8.39 |  |
|  | Persons | 51 | 61.90 | 14.09 | 31.43 | 8.70 | 0.84 |
| Drama Stage 3 - Practical | Male | 267 | 60.36 | 13.95 | 64.18 | 14.04 |  |
|  | Female | 657 | 61.39 | 12.71 | 64.76 | 12.62 |  |
|  | Persons | 924 | 61.09 | 13.08 | 64.59 | 13.04 | 0.76 |
| Drama Stage 3 - Written | Male | 270 | 56.38 | 13.10 | 26.46 | 7.24 |  |
|  | Female | 662 | 62.29 | 13.07 | 29.09 | 6.73 |  |
|  | Persons | 932 | 60.58 | 13.35 | 28.33 | 6.98 | 0.78 |
| Earth and Environmental Science Stage 2 - Written | Male | 11 | 62.78 | 14.58 | 50.42 | 10.38 |  |
|  | Female | 6 | 64.85 | 12.13 | 40.24 | 15.54 |  |
|  | Persons | 17 | 63.51 | 13.41 | 46.83 | 12.96 | 0.57 |
| Earth and Environmental Science Stage 3 - Written | Male | 134 | 59.61 | 13.51 | 53.30 | 16.56 |  |
|  | Female | 114 | 61.88 | 13.73 | 54.76 | 16.16 |  |
|  | Persons | 248 | 60.65 | 13.63 | 53.97 | 16.36 | 0.89 |
| Economics Stage 2 - Written | Male | 21 | 56.42 | 14.61 | 50.07 | 17.57 |  |
|  | Female | 17 | 67.66 | 13.27 | 63.21 | 16.34 |  |
|  | Persons | 38 | 61.45 | 14.96 | 55.95 | 18.06 | 0.91 |
| Economics Stage 3 - Written | Male | 981 | 59.73 | 14.26 | 53.05 | 17.71 |  |
|  | Female | 898 | 60.38 | 14.13 | 52.82 | 18.17 |  |
|  | Persons | 1879 | 60.04 | 14.20 | 52.94 | 17.93 | 0.91 |
| Engineering Studies Stage 2 - Written | Male | 54 | 61.79 | 12.01 | 43.58 | 22.54 |  |
|  | Female | 2 | 67.98 | 3.22 | 52.93 | 11.31 |  |
|  | Persons | 56 | 62.01 | 11.85 | 43.91 | 22.25 | 0.60 |
| Engineering Studies Stage 3 - Written | Male | 195 | 60.29 | 13.36 | 59.04 | 14.86 |  |
|  | Female | 8 | 53.37 | 14.33 | 49.72 | 11.43 |  |
|  | Persons | 203 | 60.02 | 13.43 | 58.67 | 14.83 | 0.83 |
| English as an Additional Language or Dialect Stage 2 <br> - Practical | Male | 147 | 59.01 | 13.71 | 15.11 | 3.84 |  |
|  | Female | 126 | 63.70 | 12.03 | 15.78 | 3.48 |  |
|  | Persons | 273 | 61.18 | 13.14 | 15.42 | 3.69 | 0.65 |
| English as an Additional Language or Dialect Stage 2 <br> - Written | Male | 147 | 58.51 | 14.49 | 38.19 | 11.68 |  |
|  | Female | 126 | 62.49 | 13.18 | 40.38 | 11.94 |  |
|  | Persons | 273 | 60.35 | 14.02 | 39.20 | 11.83 | 0.86 |

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Table 4.12 Mean and standard deviation of moderated school assessments, raw examination marks and correlation coefficients* for WACE course examinations, by sex, 2012 (cont)

| Course | Sex of student | Total** | Moderated school assessments |  | Raw examination marks |  | Correlation coefficient |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Mean | Std dev | Mean | Std dev |  |
| English as an Additional Language or Dialect Stage 3 <br> - Practical | Male | 419 | 59.33 | 12.49 | 16.10 | 3.83 |  |
|  | Female | 487 | 62.29 | 13.12 | 16.71 | 3.78 |  |
|  | Persons | 906 | 60.92 | 12.91 | 16.43 | 3.81 | 0.71 |
| English as an Additional Language or Dialect Stage 3 <br> - Written | Male | 421 | 58.85 | 12.44 | 44.98 | 8.60 |  |
|  | Female | 486 | 62.70 | 12.94 | 46.55 | 9.13 |  |
|  | Persons | 907 | 60.91 | 12.85 | 45.82 | 8.92 | 0.79 |
| English Stage 2 - Written | Male | 1179 | 59.73 | 12.22 | 49.06 | 14.11 |  |
|  | Female | 1007 | 63.04 | 11.97 | 52.31 | 13.16 |  |
|  | Persons | 2186 | 61.25 | 12.22 | 50.56 | 13.78 | 0.69 |
| English Stage 3-Written | Male | 4129 | 58.16 | 11.91 | 49.77 | 10.68 |  |
|  | Female | 4883 | 62.19 | 12.03 | 52.42 | 10.59 |  |
|  | Persons | 9012 | 60.34 | 12.14 | 51.21 | 10.71 | 0.73 |
| Food Science and Technology Stage 2 - Written | Male | 47 | 49.31 | 13.54 | 29.80 | 14.18 |  |
|  | Female | 197 | 63.55 | 12.10 | 43.63 | 12.00 |  |
|  | Persons | 244 | 60.80 | 13.58 | 40.97 | 13.57 | 0.82 |
| Food Science and Technology Stage 3 - Written | Male | 14 | 50.62 | 15.51 | 44.61 | 16.97 |  |
|  | Female | 82 | 62.37 | 12.95 | 51.01 | 12.42 |  |
|  | Persons | 96 | 60.65 | 13.91 | 50.08 | 13.27 | 0.81 |
| French Stage 2 - Practical | Male | 1 | 79.17 | 0.00 | 25.00 | 0.00 |  |
|  | Female | 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |  |
|  | Persons | 1 | 79.17 | 0.00 | 25.00 | 0.00 | N/A |
| French Stage 2 - Written | Male | 1 | 72.41 | 0.00 | 55.17 | 0.00 |  |
|  | Female | 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |  |
|  | Persons | 1 | 72.41 | 0.00 | 55.17 | 0.00 | N/A |
| French Stage 3 - Practical | Male | 124 | 62.44 | 15.45 | 21.56 | 5.32 |  |
|  | Female | 344 | 62.00 | 14.01 | 21.38 | 4.73 |  |
|  | Persons | 468 | 62.11 | 14.39 | 21.42 | 4.88 | 0.84 |
| French Stage 3 - Written | Male | 122 | 63.52 | 14.18 | 43.81 | 11.55 |  |
|  | Female | 347 | 60.29 | 13.72 | 41.70 | 10.85 |  |
|  | Persons | 469 | 61.13 | 13.90 | 42.25 | 11.06 | 0.89 |
| Geography Stage 2 - Written | Male | 32 | 56.28 | 13.07 | 45.98 | 15.62 |  |
|  | Female | 33 | 65.65 | 13.34 | 58.74 | 12.65 |  |
|  | Persons | 65 | 61.04 | 13.93 | 52.46 | 15.47 | 0.88 |
| Geography Stage 3 - Written | Male | 881 | 58.65 | 12.91 | 52.52 | 12.44 |  |
|  | Female | 1013 | 61.35 | 13.48 | 54.12 | 13.08 |  |
|  | Persons | 1894 | 60.09 | 13.28 | 53.37 | 12.81 | 0.85 |

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Table 4.12 Mean and standard deviation of moderated school assessments, raw examination marks and correlation coefficients* for WACE course examinations, by sex, 2012 (cont)

| Course | Sex of student | Total ${ }^{\star \star}$ | Moderated school assessments |  | Raw examination marks |  | Correlation coefficient |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Mean | Std dev | Mean | Std dev |  |
| German Stage 3 - Practical | Male | 39 | 64.95 | 14.03 | 19.01 | 3.57 |  |
|  | Female | 30 | 67.14 | 16.88 | 18.91 | 4.33 |  |
|  | Persons | 69 | 65.90 | 15.25 | 18.96 | 3.89 | 0.73 |
| German Stage 3-Written | Male | 39 | 60.80 | 15.56 | 42.67 | 9.78 |  |
|  | Female | 30 | 67.39 | 14.14 | 46.69 | 9.71 |  |
|  | Persons | 69 | 63.66 | 15.21 | 44.42 | 9.88 | 0.90 |
| Health Studies Stage 2 - Written | Male | 13 | 58.80 | 13.90 | 54.00 | 12.58 |  |
|  | Female | 43 | 64.46 | 12.58 | 53.44 | 17.85 |  |
|  | Persons | 56 | 63.15 | 12.99 | 53.57 | 16.67 | 0.64 |
| Health Studies Stage 3-Written | Male | 43 | 53.76 | 14.54 | 53.13 | 17.05 |  |
|  | Female | 186 | 62.80 | 12.59 | 61.73 | 14.62 |  |
|  | Persons | 229 | 61.10 | 13.42 | 60.11 | 15.44 | 0.71 |
| Hebrew Stage 3 - Written | Male | 2 | 81.40 | 2.94 | 82.69 | 1.68 |  |
|  | Female | 2 | 78.88 | 4.65 | 77.38 | 3.36 |  |
|  | Persons | 4 | 80.14 | 3.49 | 80.03 | 3.76 | 0.86 |
| Human Biological Science Stage 2 - Written | Male | 43 | 56.12 | 13.95 | 52.35 | 16.39 |  |
|  | Female | 123 | 61.21 | 14.18 | 56.02 | 15.94 |  |
|  | Persons | 166 | 59.89 | 14.26 | 55.07 | 16.09 | 0.93 |
| Human Biological Science Stage 3-Written | Male | 1273 | 58.30 | 13.75 | 57.85 | 16.40 |  |
|  | Female | 2725 | 60.61 | 14.10 | 59.89 | 16.57 |  |
|  | Persons | 3998 | 59.87 | 14.03 | 59.24 | 16.54 | 0.91 |
| Indonesian: Second Language Stage 2 - Practical | Male | 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |  |
|  | Female | 3 | 57.08 | 20.94 | 23.00 | 8.66 |  |
|  | Persons | 3 | 57.08 | 20.94 | 23.00 | 8.66 | 1.00 |
| Indonesian: Second Language Stage 2 - Written | Male | 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |  |
|  | Female | 3 | 41.20 | 10.95 | 24.29 | 7.30 |  |
|  | Persons | 3 | 41.20 | 10.95 | 24.29 | 7.30 | 1.00 |
| Indonesian: Second Language Stage 3 - Practical | Male | 30 | 63.48 | 16.21 | 27.93 | 7.29 |  |
|  | Female | 38 | 60.37 | 11.96 | 26.08 | 6.44 |  |
|  | Persons | 68 | 61.74 | 13.97 | 26.90 | 6.84 | 0.87 |
| Indonesian: Second Language Stage 3 - Written | Male | 30 | 59.28 | 16.13 | 35.31 | 10.05 |  |
|  | Female | 38 | 61.80 | 13.06 | 35.47 | 9.17 |  |
|  | Persons | 68 | 60.69 | 14.44 | 35.40 | 9.49 | 0.90 |
| Integrated Science Stage 2 - Written | Male | 13 | 59.38 | 11.18 | 50.60 | 10.36 |  |
|  | Female | 28 | 63.63 | 15.04 | 49.91 | 16.54 |  |
|  | Persons | 41 | 62.28 | 13.94 | 50.13 | 14.73 | 0.81 |

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Table 4.12 Mean and standard deviation of moderated school assessments, raw examination marks and correlation coefficients* for WACE course examinations, by sex, 2012 (cont)

| Course | Sex of student | Total** | Moderated school assessments |  | Raw examination marks |  | Correlation coefficient |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Mean | Std dev | Mean | Std dev |  |
| Integrated Science Stage 3 - Written | Male | 54 | 60.89 | 13.14 | 53.23 | 12.75 |  |
|  | Female | 37 | 61.48 | 14.04 | 54.75 | 14.62 |  |
|  | Persons | 91 | 61.13 | 13.44 | 53.85 | 13.48 | 0.84 |
| Italian Stage 2 - Practical | Male | 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |  |
|  | Female | 5 | 45.49 | 15.89 | 11.44 | 4.73 |  |
|  | Persons | 5 | 45.49 | 15.89 | 11.44 | 4.73 | 0.93 |
| Italian Stage 2 - Written | Male | 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |  |
|  | Female | 8 | 69.11 | 14.57 | 49.56 | 11.26 |  |
|  | Persons | 8 | 69.11 | 14.57 | 49.56 | 11.26 | 0.70 |
| Italian Stage 3 - Practical | Male | 66 | 58.77 | 17.06 | 18.65 | 6.43 |  |
|  | Female | 185 | 62.48 | 13.77 | 20.46 | 5.42 |  |
|  | Persons | 251 | 61.50 | 14.76 | 19.99 | 5.75 | 0.86 |
| Italian Stage 3 - Written | Male | 67 | 57.85 | 14.85 | 44.07 | 10.80 |  |
|  | Female | 184 | 61.69 | 12.84 | 46.20 | 9.39 |  |
|  | Persons | 251 | 60.67 | 13.48 | 45.63 | 9.81 | 0.89 |
| Japanese: Second Language Stage 2 - Practical | Male | 7 | 66.48 | 18.80 | 7.86 | 4.06 |  |
|  | Female | 15 | 63.49 | 15.54 | 8.67 | 3.60 |  |
|  | Persons | 22 | 64.44 | 16.25 | 8.41 | 3.67 | 0.88 |
| Japanese: Second Language Stage 2 - Written | Male | 7 | 60.82 | 23.35 | 36.69 | 16.21 |  |
|  | Female | 17 | 61.71 | 13.56 | 38.83 | 10.97 |  |
|  | Persons | 24 | 61.45 | 16.44 | 38.20 | 12.38 | 0.93 |
| Japanese: Second Language Stage 3 - Practical | Male | 83 | 59.09 | 15.57 | 12.11 | 4.40 |  |
|  | Female | 222 | 63.21 | 15.20 | 13.11 | 4.30 |  |
|  | Persons | 305 | 62.09 | 15.39 | 12.84 | 4.34 | 0.91 |
| Japanese: Second Language Stage 3 - Written | Male | 85 | 55.94 | 16.01 | 40.57 | 16.10 |  |
|  | Female | 223 | 61.27 | 13.68 | 46.26 | 13.72 |  |
|  | Persons | 308 | 59.80 | 14.53 | 44.69 | 14.62 | 0.96 |
| Literature Stage 3-Written | Male | 552 | 60.61 | 13.34 | 65.15 | 10.76 |  |
|  | Female | 1256 | 61.90 | 12.79 | 66.26 | 10.33 |  |
|  | Persons | 1808 | 61.50 | 12.97 | 65.92 | 10.47 | 0.71 |
| Marine and Maritime Studies Stage 2 - Written | Male | 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |  |
|  | Female | 13 | 61.77 | 14.19 | 61.58 | 11.06 |  |
|  | Persons | 13 | 61.77 | 14.19 | 61.58 | 11.06 | 0.73 |
| Marine and Maritime Studies Stage 3 - Written | Male | 2 | 51.36 | 1.60 | 59.38 | 2.18 |  |
|  | Female | 14 | 64.43 | 15.04 | 69.54 | 11.54 |  |
|  | Persons | 16 | 62.80 | 14.70 | 68.27 | 11.30 | 0.87 |

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Table 4.12 Mean and standard deviation of moderated school assessments, raw examination marks and correlation coefficients* for WACE course examinations, by sex, 2012 (cont)

| Course | Sex of student | Total** | Moderated school assessments |  | Raw examination marks |  | Correlation coefficient |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Mean | Std dev | Mean | Std dev |  |
| Materials Design and Technology Stage 2 - Practical | Male | 55 | 55.33 | 11.66 | 11.35 | 4.53 |  |
|  | Female | 50 | 68.93 | 15.32 | 16.56 | 5.26 |  |
|  | Persons | 105 | 61.80 | 15.09 | 13.83 | 5.53 | 0.83 |
| Materials Design and Technology Stage 2 - Written | Male | 52 | 60.82 | 13.47 | 31.77 | 6.27 |  |
|  | Female | 48 | 62.89 | 12.26 | 33.03 | 5.43 |  |
|  | Persons | 100 | 61.82 | 12.88 | 32.38 | 5.88 | 0.68 |
| Materials Design and Technology Stage 3 - Practical | Male | 132 | 57.08 | 13.68 | 20.45 | 5.91 |  |
|  | Female | 92 | 69.22 | 13.08 | 25.51 | 4.55 |  |
|  | Persons | 224 | 62.06 | 14.68 | 22.53 | 5.93 | 0.81 |
| Materials Design and Technology Stage 3 - Written | Male | 132 | 55.72 | 12.70 | 26.47 | 7.81 |  |
|  | Female | 91 | 67.17 | 11.86 | 31.21 | 5.72 |  |
|  | Persons | 223 | 60.39 | 13.56 | 28.40 | 7.40 | 0.75 |
| Mathematics Stage 2AB - Written | Male | 172 | 60.05 | 14.28 | 73.17 | 26.25 |  |
|  | Female | 207 | 60.58 | 13.27 | 74.65 | 23.12 |  |
|  | Persons | 379 | 60.34 | 13.73 | 73.98 | 24.57 | 0.88 |
| Mathematics Stage 2CD - Written | Male | 1776 | 59.29 | 13.67 | 74.97 | 24.63 |  |
|  | Female | 2301 | 60.41 | 13.68 | 78.00 | 23.76 |  |
|  | Persons | 4077 | 59.93 | 13.69 | 76.68 | 24.19 | 0.88 |
| Mathematics Stage 3AB - Written | Male | 2189 | 59.16 | 13.77 | 82.49 | 23.05 |  |
|  | Female | 2435 | 60.43 | 13.82 | 81.70 | 22.50 |  |
|  | Persons | 4624 | 59.83 | 13.81 | 82.07 | 22.76 | 0.88 |
| Mathematics Stage 3CD - Written | Male | 2203 | 60.08 | 14.94 | 98.79 | 26.39 |  |
|  | Female | 1536 | 59.51 | 14.28 | 96.98 | 25.84 |  |
|  | Persons | 3739 | 59.84 | 14.67 | 98.05 | 26.18 | 0.93 |
| Mathematics: Specialist Stage 3AB - Written | Male | 21 | 63.07 | 15.11 | 84.31 | 26.76 |  |
|  | Female | 11 | 59.89 | 11.93 | 75.27 | 21.24 |  |
|  | Persons | 32 | 61.98 | 13.98 | 81.20 | 25.03 | 0.91 |
| Mathematics: Specialist Stage 3CD - Written | Male | 1056 | 59.28 | 14.88 | 77.70 | 25.38 |  |
|  | Female | 431 | 61.05 | 13.78 | 79.36 | 23.67 |  |
|  | Persons | 1487 | 59.79 | 14.59 | 78.18 | 24.90 | 0.94 |
| Media Production and Analysis Stage 2 - Practical | Male | 30 | 60.89 | 14.17 | 23.42 | 6.80 |  |
|  | Female | 38 | 62.32 | 15.04 | 22.18 | 5.47 |  |
|  | Persons | 68 | 61.69 | 14.57 | 22.73 | 6.08 | 0.77 |
| Media Production and Analysis Stage 2 - Written | Male | 27 | 59.09 | 11.85 | 31.97 | 9.80 |  |
|  | Female | 34 | 64.39 | 13.75 | 33.74 | 9.55 |  |
|  | Persons | 61 | 62.05 | 13.11 | 32.96 | 9.62 | 0.76 |

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Table 4.12 Mean and standard deviation of moderated school assessments, raw examination marks and correlation coefficients* for WACE course examinations, by sex, 2012 (cont)

| Course | Sex of <br> student | Total ${ }^{\star \star}$ | Moderated school assessments |  | Raw examination marks |  | Correlation coefficient |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Mean | Std dev | Mean | Std dev |  |
| Media Production and Analysis Stage 3 - Practical | Male | 403 | 61.01 | 14.36 | 24.16 | 5.81 |  |
|  | Female | 569 | 62.55 | 13.38 | 24.74 | 5.24 |  |
|  | Persons | 972 | 61.91 | 13.81 | 24.50 | 5.49 | 0.72 |
| Media Production and Analysis Stage 3 - Written | Male | 398 | 58.37 | 13.84 | 26.84 | 7.51 |  |
|  | Female | 564 | 62.74 | 12.78 | 28.67 | 7.11 |  |
|  | Persons | 962 | 60.93 | 13.40 | 27.91 | 7.33 | 0.77 |
| Modern Greek Stage 3 - Written | Male | 1 | 76.59 | 0.00 | 77.17 | 0.00 |  |
|  | Female | 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |  |
|  | Persons | 1 | 76.59 | 0.00 | 77.17 | 0.00 | N/A |
| Modern History Stage 2 - Written | Male | 3 | 49.40 | 6.79 | 45.67 | 11.43 |  |
|  | Female | 9 | 65.19 | 17.45 | 54.83 | 15.98 |  |
|  | Persons | 12 | 61.24 | 16.76 | 52.54 | 15.06 | 0.81 |
| Modern History Stage 3-Written | Male | 886 | 59.05 | 13.47 | 56.15 | 14.29 |  |
|  | Female | 1784 | 61.06 | 13.35 | 57.12 | 13.93 |  |
|  | Persons | 2670 | 60.39 | 13.42 | 56.80 | 14.06 | 0.84 |
| Music Stage 2 - Practical | Male | 16 | 63.27 | 15.24 | 26.98 | 7.51 |  |
|  | Female | 11 | 58.10 | 13.32 | 24.69 | 8.43 |  |
|  | Persons | 27 | 61.17 | 14.46 | 26.05 | 7.82 | 0.95 |
| Music Stage 2 - Written | Male | 16 | 56.67 | 18.40 | 15.07 | 8.49 |  |
|  | Female | 11 | 66.33 | 11.72 | 20.52 | 7.38 |  |
|  | Persons | 27 | 60.61 | 16.48 | 17.29 | 8.36 | 0.94 |
| Music Stage 3 - Practical | Male | 179 | 61.93 | 13.80 | 30.27 | 8.64 |  |
|  | Female | 262 | 59.96 | 12.77 | 29.15 | 7.27 |  |
|  | Persons | 441 | 60.76 | 13.22 | 29.60 | 7.86 | 0.83 |
| Music Stage 3 - Written | Male | 181 | 60.02 | 14.36 | 23.44 | 8.97 |  |
|  | Female | 264 | 59.98 | 14.06 | 23.07 | 8.81 |  |
|  | Persons | 445 | 60.00 | 14.16 | 23.22 | 8.87 | 0.95 |
| Outdoor Education Stage 2 - Written | Male | 63 | 58.87 | 11.24 | 46.20 | 18.41 |  |
|  | Female | 38 | 65.89 | 13.07 | 56.76 | 16.36 |  |
|  | Persons | 101 | 61.51 | 12.38 | 50.17 | 18.32 | 0.72 |
| Outdoor Education Stage 3 - Written | Male | 128 | 58.49 | 11.95 | 51.13 | 10.05 |  |
|  | Female | 132 | 64.10 | 12.99 | 53.62 | 11.45 |  |
|  | Persons | 260 | 61.34 | 12.78 | 52.40 | 10.83 | 0.74 |
| Philosophy and Ethics Stage 2 - Written | Male | 2 | 70.37 | 17.78 | 71.25 | 15.91 |  |
|  | Female | 1 | 53.74 | 0.00 | 52.00 | 0.00 |  |
|  | Persons | 3 | 64.83 | 15.82 | 64.83 | 15.81 | 0.99 |

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Table 4.12 Mean and standard deviation of moderated school assessments, raw examination marks and correlation coefficients* for WACE course examinations, by sex, 2012 (cont)

| Course | Sex of student | Total** | Moderated school assessments |  | Raw examination marks |  | Correlation coefficient |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Mean | Std dev | Mean | Std dev |  |
| Philosophy and Ethics Stage 3 - Written | Male | 73 | 63.54 | 13.99 | 61.52 | 15.62 |  |
|  | Female | 69 | 57.54 | 12.26 | 57.71 | 13.28 |  |
|  | Persons | 142 | 60.63 | 13.47 | 59.67 | 14.60 | 0.79 |
| Physical Education Studies Stage 2 - Written | Male | 157 | 59.70 | 13.02 | 35.00 | 10.61 |  |
|  | Female | 113 | 60.81 | 14.95 | 35.32 | 12.08 |  |
|  | Persons | 270 | 60.16 | 13.85 | 35.14 | 11.23 | 0.88 |
| Physical Education Studies Stage 3 - Written | Male | 1136 | 59.52 | 13.35 | 38.69 | 9.40 |  |
|  | Female | 866 | 61.51 | 13.82 | 39.55 | 9.34 |  |
|  | Persons | 2002 | 60.38 | 13.59 | 39.06 | 9.39 | 0.82 |
| Physics Stage 2 - Written | Male | 23 | 61.57 | 12.68 | 67.25 | 15.65 |  |
|  | Female | 8 | 65.73 | 14.69 | 71.51 | 17.19 |  |
|  | Persons | 31 | 62.65 | 13.10 | 68.35 | 15.88 | 0.87 |
| Physics Stage 3 - Written | Male | 2457 | 59.68 | 14.52 | 49.94 | 17.07 |  |
|  | Female | 1043 | 60.42 | 13.86 | 49.11 | 16.19 |  |
|  | Persons | 3500 | 59.90 | 14.33 | 49.69 | 16.81 | 0.92 |
| Plant Production Systems Stage 2 - Written | Male | 1 | 77.27 | 0.00 | 74.81 | 0.00 |  |
|  | Female | 4 | 68.29 | 10.55 | 68.96 | 11.19 |  |
|  | Persons | 5 | 70.09 | 9.98 | 70.13 | 10.04 | 0.85 |
| Plant Production Systems Stage 3 - Written | Male | 12 | 66.89 | 12.15 | 56.76 | 11.29 |  |
|  | Female | 12 | 54.68 | 14.50 | 44.25 | 14.15 |  |
|  | Persons | 24 | 60.79 | 14.50 | 50.51 | 14.06 | 0.84 |
| Politics and Law Stage 2 - Written | Male | 12 | 67.50 | 13.88 | 49.83 | 17.99 |  |
|  | Female | 15 | 58.08 | 12.68 | 40.33 | 14.17 |  |
|  | Persons | 27 | 62.26 | 13.81 | 44.56 | 16.38 | 0.83 |
| Politics and Law Stage 3-Written | Male | 316 | 60.50 | 13.59 | 49.98 | 17.15 |  |
|  | Female | 584 | 60.33 | 14.24 | 49.15 | 18.08 |  |
|  | Persons | 900 | 60.39 | 14.01 | 49.45 | 17.76 | 0.88 |
| Psychology Stage 2 - Written | Male | 25 | 58.83 | 14.48 | 63.89 | 14.58 |  |
|  | Female | 69 | 61.35 | 13.94 | 64.29 | 14.03 |  |
|  | Persons | 94 | 60.68 | 14.05 | 64.19 | 14.10 | 0.87 |
| Psychology Stage 3-Written | Male | 196 | 56.80 | 14.19 | 48.17 | 15.55 |  |
|  | Female | 656 | 61.69 | 13.41 | 53.86 | 16.36 |  |
|  | Persons | 852 | 60.56 | 13.74 | 52.55 | 16.34 | 0.84 |
| Religion and Life Stage 2 - Written | Male | 82 | 57.93 | 12.84 | 56.15 | 20.09 |  |
|  | Female | 95 | 64.18 | 11.64 | 67.00 | 15.13 |  |
|  | Persons | 177 | 61.29 | 12.57 | 61.97 | 18.37 | 0.75 |

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Table 4.12 Mean and standard deviation of moderated school assessments, raw examination marks and correlation coefficients* for WACE course examinations, by sex, 2012 (cont)

| Course | Sex of student | Total** | Moderated school assessments |  | Raw examination marks |  | Correlation coefficient |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Mean | Std dev | Mean | Std dev |  |
| Religion and Life Stage 3 - Written | Male | 621 | 58.48 | 12.31 | 59.67 | 10.68 |  |
|  | Female | 981 | 62.24 | 12.80 | 62.40 | 10.88 |  |
|  | Persons | 1602 | 60.78 | 12.74 | 61.34 | 10.88 | 0.72 |
| Turkish Stage 3-Written | Male | 3 | 31.05 | 2.65 | 34.29 | 7.87 |  |
|  | Female | 2 | 40.52 | 6.65 | 35.38 | 6.89 |  |
|  | Persons | 5 | 34.84 | 6.44 | 34.73 | 6.58 | 0.35 |
| Visual Arts Stage 2 - Practical | Male | 7 | 65.57 | 13.79 | 27.43 | 5.62 |  |
|  | Female | 70 | 61.98 | 15.13 | 24.45 | 5.43 |  |
|  | Persons | 77 | 62.31 | 14.96 | 24.72 | 5.48 | 0.73 |
| Visual Arts Stage 2 - Written | Male | 7 | 57.68 | 8.90 | 27.00 | 5.36 |  |
|  | Female | 65 | 61.08 | 15.33 | 27.40 | 9.36 |  |
|  | Persons | 72 | 60.75 | 14.81 | 27.36 | 9.03 | 0.87 |
| Visual Arts Stage 3 - Practical | Male | 198 | 61.55 | 15.61 | 21.21 | 5.25 |  |
|  | Female | 911 | 61.52 | 12.78 | 20.93 | 4.62 |  |
|  | Persons | 1109 | 61.52 | 13.32 | 20.98 | 4.73 | 0.80 |
| Visual Arts Stage 3 - Written | Male | 197 | 57.78 | 14.29 | 27.43 | 7.26 |  |
|  | Female | 899 | 61.52 | 13.47 | 28.48 | 6.95 |  |
|  | Persons | 1096 | 60.84 | 13.69 | 28.29 | 7.01 | 0.77 |

[^10]
[^0]:    * Pearson product-moment correlation coefficients between moderated school assessment and raw examination marks for practical and written components of a WACE course/stage.
    ** The populations consist of all Year 12 students who have a numerical school assessment and a raw examination mark for that component of the course/stage concerned.

[^1]:    * Pearson product-moment correlation coefficients between moderated school assessment and raw examination marks for practical and written components of a WACE course/stage.
    ** The populations consist of all Year 12 students who have a numerical school assessment and a raw examination mark for that component of the course/stage concerned.

[^2]:    * Pearson product-moment correlation coefficients between moderated school assessment and raw examination marks for practical and written components of a WACE course/stage.
    ** The populations consist of all Year 12 students who have a numerical school assessment and a raw examination mark for that component of the course/stage concerned.

[^3]:    * Pearson product-moment correlation coefficients between moderated school assessment and raw examination marks for practical and written components of a WACE course/stage.
    ** The populations consist of all Year 12 students who have a numerical school assessment and a raw examination mark for that component of the course/stage concerned.

[^4]:    * Pearson product-moment correlation coefficients between moderated school assessment and raw examination marks for practical and written components of a WACE course/stage.
    ** The populations consist of all Year 12 students who have a numerical school assessment and a raw examination mark for that component of the course/stage concerned.

[^5]:    * Pearson product-moment correlation coefficients between moderated school assessment and raw examination marks for practical and written components of a WACE course/stage.
    ** The populations consist of all Year 12 students who have a numerical school assessment and a raw examination mark for that component of the course/stage concerned.

[^6]:    * Pearson product-moment correlation coefficients between moderated school assessment and raw examination marks for practical and written components of a WACE course/stage.
    ** The populations consist of all Year 12 students who have a numerical school assessment and a raw examination mark for that component of the course/stage concerned.

[^7]:    * Pearson product-moment correlation coefficients between moderated school assessment and raw examination marks for practical and written components of a WACE course/stage.
    ** The populations consist of all Year 12 students who have a numerical school assessment and a raw examination mark for that component of the course/stage concerned.

[^8]:    * Pearson product-moment correlation coefficients between moderated school assessment and raw examination marks for practical and written components of a WACE course/stage.
    ** The populations consist of all Year 12 students who have a numerical school assessment and a raw examination mark for that component of the course/stage concerned.

[^9]:    * Pearson product-moment correlation coefficients between moderated school assessment and raw examination marks for practical and written components of a WACE course/stage.
    ** The populations consist of all Year 12 students who have a numerical school assessment and a raw examination mark for that component of the course/stage concerned.

[^10]:    * Pearson product-moment correlation coefficients between moderated school assessment and raw examination marks for practical and written components of a WACE course/stage.
    ** The populations consist of all Year 12 students who have a numerical school assessment and a raw examination mark for that component of the course/stage concerned.

