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#### Abstract

A semi-quantitative exposure assessment tool introduced to the ergonomics community in the mid-1990's was examined for its predictive and external validity in the window manufacturing industry. The Strain Index (Moore and Garg, 1995) has been proposed as a method to accurately distinguish jobs that are "safe" from those that are "hazardous" when evaluating a worker's risk of developing distal upper extremity disorders. The Strain Index was validated in a pork-processing plant. The jobs assessed were simple in nature and the results suggested that a criterion threshold Strain Index (SI) score of 5.0 was suitable to distinguish "safe" versus "hazardous" exposures when performing work.


This study evaluates the usefulness of the Strain Index semi-quantitative job analysis methodology in a complex work environment, where the jobs performed are primarily assembly in nature, and the exertional cycles are lengthy and multi-faceted. Forty-two separate exposures, representative of a wide variety of jobs within the industry were analyzed by investigators who were blinded to health outcomes. Each exposure was classified as either "safe" or "hazardous" based on the Strain Index score generated against the Moore and Garg (1995) criterion threshold of 5.0. Exposure-related subjective pain (pain, stiffness, tingling, and numbness) data obtained from worker questionnaires was examined to ascertain whether the categories of "safe" versus "hazardous" could be used as a possible means of early detection for jobs perceived as problematic. Workers Compensation Board of Manitoba "Employer Record of Injury or Occupational Disease"
records were then examined to reveal possible association between specific exposures and the prevalence of distal upper extremity disorders. $2 \times 2$ contingency tables were used to evaluate the association between "safe" and "hazardous" exposures and subjective pain, and morbidity. Receiver-operator characteristic curves were then used to determine the Strain Index score values with the best trade-off between sensitivity and specificity for both subjective pain and morbidity. With respect to subjective pain, the criterion threshold Strain Index score of 50.0 offered the best discrimination point (sensitivity $=0.565$; specificity $=0.706 ;$ positive predictive value $=0.722 ;$ negative predictive value $=0.545$; odds ratio $=3.12 ;$ Fisher's (2-tailed) $p=0.1159$ ). Similarly, with respect to morbidity, a Strain Index score of 50.0 provided the best threshold criterion value as well (sensitivity $=$ $0.833 ;$ specificity $=0.583 ;$ positive predictive value $=0.25$; negative predictive value $=$ 0.955 ; odds ratio $=7.0$; Fisher's $(2$-tailed) $p=0.087)$. It is suggested that the Strain Index score of 5.0 is not the best discriminator between "safe" and "hazardous" jobs in the window manufacturing industry, as it generates high levels of false positives. Rather, the value of 50.0 has been found to be the Strain Index criterion threshold score of choice.

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## LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

| ACGIH | American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists |
| :---: | :---: |
| CTD | Cumulative trauma disorder |
| DUE | Distal upper extremity |
| FN | False negatives |
| FP | False positives |
| FTE | Full Time Employee |
| HAL | Hand Activity Level |
| KEY | Keyserling |
| msi50 | Strain Index score calculated from the median of the task variables from the exposure trials |
| NIOSH | National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health |
| OSHA | Occupational Safety and Health Administration |
| OWAS | Ovako Working Posture Analysing System |
| REBA | Rapid Entire Body Assessment |
| RULA | Rapid Upper Limb Assessment |
| si50 | Strain Index score calculated from the median of the Strain Index score from the trials |
| SI | Strain Index |
| TLV | Threshold Limit Value |
| TN | True negatives |
| TP | True positives |

## LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS cont'd

VIRA Video film technique for Registration and Analysis of working postures and movements

WOPALAS Working Posture Analysing System

## CHAPTER 1

## INTRODUCTION

Plagued with countless cases of musculoskeletal injuries related to assembly and manual materials handling, the manufacturing sector in Manitoba, representing 38.4\% of all Workers Compensation Board (WCB) time loss injuries in the year 2000 (N. Alberg, personal communication, July 6, 2001), has been targeted by Manitoba Labour and Immigration's Workplace Safety and Health Branch to reduce its injury rates.

In an attempt to find methodologies useful in significantly reducing these figures, the purpose of this research is to examine the application of the Strain Index approach to job risk assessment. If the underlying validity of this approach can be established and the scoring of "safe" versus "hazardous" jobs distinguished, then the Strain Index may provide a very necessary "first step" in aiding employers and Joint Workplace Safety and Health Committees in the identification of problematic jobs.

In response to the growing necessity by practitioners to make informed decisions regarding the work-relatedness of a disease, investigators have attempted to establish causal relationships regarding distal upper extremity (DUE) disorders and exposure. Studies have focussed on associations involving single or multiple generic risk factors (Armstrong, 1983, Armstrong, Radwin, Hansen, and Kennedy, 1986, Armstrong \& Lifshitz, 1987, Armstrong, Fine, Goldstein, Lifshitz, and Silverstein, 1987; Bernard, 1997;

Keyserling, 2000; Kuorinka \& Forcier, 1995; Moore, Rucker and Knox, 2001; Rodgers, 1988, 1992; Silverstein, Fine, and Armstrong, 1986a), quantification of intensity or their interactions (Armstrong et al., 1987; Keyserling, 2000; Silverstein, Fine, and Armstrong, 1987), job and/or task variables and increased prevalence or incidence (Armstrong et al. 1987; Moore \& Garg, 1994; Silverstein et al. 1987), and hazard assessment as it relates to morbidity (Knox \& Moore, in press; Moore \& Garg, 1995; Moore, Rucker, and Knox, 2001; Rucker \& Moore, in press).

Historically, there has been a lack of standardization and objectivity in gathering exposure data, as field measurements are often difficult and unsafe to obtain during normal work procedures. Professional judgement, although desirable, is subjective and often influenced by personal bias (Moore \& Garg, 1995). Suggestions have been made that the work-relatedness of a disease (Kusnetz and Hutchinson, 1979), or the presence of a hazardous exposure (Moore \& Garg, 1995) should only be defined using a job analysis. The physiological model proposed by Rodgers (1988, 1992), McAtamney and Corlett's Rapid Upper Limb Assessment (RULA) (1993), and Moore and Garg's Strain Index (1995) are examples of methodologies for assessment based on physiological, biomechanical or epidemiological principles.

First introduced in 1995, the Strain Index was proposed as a semi-quantitative job analysis methodology believed useful for predicting the risk of distal upper extremity disorders to workers when evaluating job-related exertional demands. The Strain Index is
based on the multiplicative interactions of six task variables representing physical stress: intensity of exertion, duration of exertion, efforts/minute, hand/wrist posture, speed of work, and duration/day. Each of the six task variables when measured or estimated, is assigned a rating value at one of five corresponding levels. The rating value for each task variable is then assigned a multiplier. The product of the six multipliers generates a final Strain Index (SI) score for a given exposure. Initial validation of the Strain Index was conducted using data collected in a pork processing plant (Moore \& Garg, 1994). When compared with distal upper extremity morbidity and incidence rates, a threshold criterion SI score of 5.0 was suggested to best distinguish between jobs that are "safe" and those that are "hazardous".

There were a number of limitations and assumptions surrounding the Strain Index which must be considered when assessing the usefulness of this analytical tool. These include, but are not limited to: the threshold criterion SI score of 5.0 being established based on a relatively small number of job categories $(n=25)$; the jobs were representative of one industry and little variation amongst some of the task variables was observed; three of the task variables rely on qualitative estimates; the investigators were not blinded for health outcomes; and, test-retest reliability and inter-rater variability were not formally evaluated.

Most recently, Knox and Moore (in press) and Rucker and Moore (in press) have stated that their studies in turkey processing, and manufacturing (hose connector and
chair) respectively, shed additional evidence of the external and predictive validity of the Strain Index. The call for further validation of the Strain Index remains however (Moore \& Garg, 1995; Knox \& Moore, in press; Rucker \& Moore, in press), as this semiquantitative job analysis methodology requires a larger and broader pool of data from which to establish the best SI threshold criterion score to distinguish "safe" from "hazardous" jobs.

This thesis documents the application of the Strain Index in window manufacturing, where $9.6 \%$ of all manufacturing WCB time loss claims occurred in the province of Manitoba in the year 2000 (N. Alberg, personal communication, July 6, 2001), The objective of the work is to establish underlying validity of the approach and to distinguish "safe" and "hazardous" Strain Index scores for this industry. The usefulness of reported subjective pain by workers as an early indicator of problematic jobs is also evaluated. It is hypothesized that the Strain Index methodology will be capable of identifying "safe" versus "hazardous" job exposures. However, due to the primarily complex and multi-faceted nature of the window manufacturing jobs, the criterion threshold value of 5.0 may need to be reassessed. It is also hypothesized that the report of subjective pain by workers may be found to provide valuable insight into the early identification of problematic jobs, as high mobility of this workforce leads to scepticism regarding the potential under-reporting of morbidity claims.

## CHAPTER 2

## REVIEW OF THE LITERATURE

In 1995, the Strain Index was introduced to the ergonomics community as a proposed semi-quantitative job methodology which could evaluate exertional demands, the key component believed to cause ergonomic risk to workers (Moore \& Garg, 1995; Hegmann, Garg, and Moore, 1997). A recent comparison of the OSHA, RULA, and KEY checklists for predicting health outcomes in a car manufacturing environment showed that the checklists for the upper extremity performed poorly and their outputs were very unreliable and inaccurate (Brodie, 1996). The Strain Index has been a welcomed change from the standard checklist format (Freivalds \& Kong, 2000) used by many in industry for the purpose of conducting job risk assessment.

The attractiveness of the Strain Index is best explained by its approach to examine the multiplicative interactions of six task variables (intensity of exertion, percent duration of exertions, efforts per minute, hand/wrist posture, speed of work, and duration of task per day) to determine the risk of distal upper extremity disorders, based on existing knowledge and theory relating to biomechanical, epidemiological, and physiological principles (Moore \& Garg, 1995). It requires the three recognized categories of data collection -- subjective judgments, systematic observations, and direct measurements as described by Burdorf and van der Beek (1999), and the final Strain Index score takes into
consideration the duration, frequency, and level of exposure for a given job. The search for a common metric, one which can convert data collection from disparate measurement methods into exposure measures of the same units has been of interest to investigators, as it would facilitate a method to consistently measure exposure across jobs and facilitate data reduction (Burdorf \& van der Beek, 1999; Wells, et al., 1997; Winkel \& Mathiassen, 1994). Burdorf and van der Beek (1999) reported that the Strain Index is one example of a common metric that is based on actual workplace measurements and expert judgment, yielding a distinctive dose-response relationship between the Strain Index score and the incidence rate of distal upper extremity disorders.

The value of the Strain Index methodology is not limited to the identification of "safe" versus "hazardous" jobs for risk of distal upper extremity disorders. Rather, it has been suggested that the Strain Index would be of importance in providing ergonomic guidelines in work design (Hegman et al., 1997; Lin \& Radwin, 1998; Moore \& Garg, 1997), preventing worker discomfort and musculoskeletal disorders in repetitive handintensive tasks (Lin \& Radwin, 1998), and as a preventative measure in the identification of hand activities likely to be related to the development of specific disorders such as DeQuervain's tenosynovitis (Moore, 1997) and flexor tendon entrapment (Moore, 2000).

Despite its newness, investigators have referenced the Strain Index methodology (Brodie, 1996; Burdorf \& van der Beek, 1999; Burt, et al., 2000; Colombini, 1998;

Freivalds \& Kong, 2000; Gorsche, et al., 1999; Joseph, Reeve, Kilduff, Hall-Counts, and

Long, 2000; Lin \& Radwin, 1998; Muggleton, Allen, and Chappell, 1999; Punnett \& van der Beek, 2000; Occhipinti, 1998; Spielholz, Silverstein, and Stuart, 1999; Tanaka, Wild, Cameron, and Freund, 1997), noting it as a "recognized tool" (Stephens \& Kilduff, 2000), and applauding it as a quantitative method for assessing various physical factors of manual work (Tanaka, et al., 1997). It has also been criticized as one of a group of publications related to exposure methodology (Drury, 1987; Silverstein, Fine, and Armstrong, 1986b; Tanaka \& McGlothlin, 1993) as being "inadequate", for providing only partial or incomplete definition of the variables (Occhipinti, 1998). Yet, at the same time, Occhipinti (1998) recognized the intent of these methodologies to incorporate a range of risk factors within a concise index of exposure. Other studies have referred to the Strain Index when discussing issues pertaining to the under-reporting of work-related disorders in the workplace (Pransky, Synder, Dembe, and Himmelstein, 1999), the reproducibility of a self-report questionnaire for upper extremity musculoskeltal disorder risk factors (Spielholz, et al., 1999) and the association of occupational and nonoccupational risk factors with the prevalence of self-reported carpal tunnel syndrome (Tanaka, et al., 1997).

## Validation of the Strain Index

In order to pass judgement on an exposure assessment tool, it is necessary to conduct research to test the instrument's reliability and predictive and external validity. In other words, "is it possible to produce the same outcome when the tool is used by an evaluator on different occasions, or by more than one evaluator at the same time?" (test
-retest and inter-rater reliability), "does the tool have the ability to discriminate between opposing exposure types, for example, "safe" versus "hazardous?" (predictive validity), and "can the tool be used in a variety of different jobs and industries effectively?" (external validity).

The Strain Index goes beyond the standard output of a checklist to accurately predict an external outcome such as risk of musculoskeletal disorders and takes it to a higher level, where it can be used to predict risk of injury (Brodie, 1996). The Strain Index methodology requires only the collection of data, the assignment of rating values and determination of multipliers for the six task variables, and the calculation of a Strain Index score using simple multiplication (Moore \& Garg, 1995; Hegmann, Garg and Moore; 1997).

Using data from a previous pork processing study, Moore and Garg (1995) evaluated the Strain Index methodology on 25 job categories representative of typical work practices within the industry. They reported that 12 positive and 13 negative job categories were identified when compared against morbidity records. Further evaluation showed Strain Index scores for the jobs with associated morbidity ("positive") ranging from 4.5 to 81 , and for those with no associated morbidity ("negative"), between 0.5 and 4.5. The difference between groups was statistically significant $(t=4.05, d f=23, p$ $<0.01$ ). A Strain Index criterion threshold score of 5.0 was then suggested as offering the best discrimination between jobs that are "safe" and those that are "hazardous" for distal
upper extremity injuries to workers. Using this criterion, the Strain Index was able to correctly classify 11 of the 12 positive jobs and all of the 13 negative jobs, yielding a sensitivity of 0.92 and a specificity of 1.00 .

Although this outcome appears extremely favourable, there were a number of limitations and assumptions surrounding the Strain Index which must be considered when assessing the value of this analytical tool. These include, but are not limited to: the threshold criterion SI score of 5.0 being established based on a relatively small number of job categories $(\mathrm{n}=25)$; the jobs were representative of one industry and little variation amongst some of the task variables was observed; three of the task variables rely on qualitative estimates; the investigators were not blinded for health outcomes; and, test -retest reliability and inter-rater variability was not formally evaluated. Fully aware of the preliminary nature of their work, Moore and Garg (1995) called for additional research to be conducted to test the reliability, predictive and external validity of the Strain Index.

Subsequent to their initial study, Moore and $\operatorname{Garg}(1996,1997)$ reported the usefulness of the Strain Index in evaluating and redesigning jobs involving a demonstration project in the red meat packing industry. The focus of this project was on the use of participatory ergonomic teams to address musculoskeletal hazards. Strain Index exposure data was collected and analyzed as an additional tool in the evaluative process (problem identification, problem evaluation, solution development, solution implementation, and solution evaluation). For the three jobs evaluated, pulling leaf lard ( $\mathrm{SI}=27$ ), snatching
guts ( $\mathrm{SI}=30.4$ ), and pulling ribs $(\mathrm{SI}=18)$, the Strain $\operatorname{Index}$ scores were consistent with the observed morbidity. Redesign of the jobs resulted in the Strain Index scores dropping to 3.0 for the leaf lard pull, and 4.5 for the rib pulling. Unfortunately, the solution for the snatching of guts was not acceptable by the United States Drug Administration (USDA) standards for this industry (Moore \& Garg, 1997).

In addition to the Moore and Garg research group, use of the Strain Index, although somewhat limited, have been attempted by others.

In 1996, the National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) began to evaluate current methods for assessing ergonomic risk to the upper extremities. The Strain Index was compared against OWAS, VIRA, Postural Analysis in Simulated Real Time, Ergonomic Job Analysis, Hand Exertion Classification System, RULA, REBA, WOPALAS, and Guidelines for rating work-related factors. The Strain Index scored positively for (a) involving at least three levels for the upper limb, (b) explicit criteria, and (c) having a balanced evaluation of all stressors; negative ratings were noted for (d) the Index's ability to rate ergonomic stressors separately, and (e) its ability to apply to a variety of jobs. Only the WOPALAS methodology and the Guidelines for rating workrelated factors scored higher, with four out of five, and five out of five, respectively. The goal of the NIOSH meetings is to agree on the use of a more universal observational method when evaluating basic ergonomic stressors to the upper extremities. It is hoped that using this approach, the chosen methodology can be utilized in a wide range of jobs
and industries (Burt, et al., 2000).

Frievalds and Kong (2000) attempted to validate a quantitative risk assessment upper extremities (CTD) model developed using grip force and hand motion data input from a "touch glove" with the Strain Index for 11 jobs. In this study, the regression of the predicted incident rate with the actual incident rate was significant $\left(\mathrm{r}^{2}=0.51 ; \mathrm{p}=0.5\right)$ for the CTD risk model, but not for the Strain Index model $\left(r^{2}=0.17 ; p=0.2\right)$.

Another comparative study to evaluate the accuracy of various assessment tools and to evaluate ergonomic risk and associated outcomes has been reported by Joseph, et al. (2000). Approximately 750 jobs, with two operators performing each job, at six car manufacturing and assembly plants were chosen for their study. The Strain Index (Max task) was compared against Expert Opinion DUE, OSHA A score, Rodgers Max DUE score, RULA Job Level Max Task, and the RULA Max C score for two situations: (a) DUE symptoms with congruent medical findings and, (b) DUE symptoms only. A Strain Index threshold criterion score of 7.0 was used. The researchers reported that most of the assessment tools tested showed poor sensitivity, leading to an unacceptable level of false positives. When compared against the other methodologies, the Strain Index however had the second highest sensitivity readings, second only to the RULA Max C score.

Most recently, two studies examining the predictive and external validity of the Strain Index have been completed in turkey processing (Knox \& Moore, (in press)) and
chair, and hose connector manufacturing (Rucker \& Moore, (in press)).

The methodology and analytical techniques of the Knox and Moore (in press) and Rucker and Moore (in press) studies are similar. Each looked at a variety of 28 simple jobs within their particular industries and evaluated the Strain Index for both left and right sides ( 56 exposures) of the worker's body, as well as for the overall job as a whole. For the latter, the highest SI score obtained for either side of the body, for the specified job was used as the overall score for that job. As per the original Moore and Garg (1995) Strain Index paper, a threshold criterion Strain Index score of 5.0 was used to discriminate between "safe" and "hazardous" sides and jobs. In turkey processing, at least 10 job cycles were observed and video taped for all the jobs studied. For both the chair, and hose connector manufacturing jobs, a minimum of 5 job cycles were evaluated in a similar fashion. Following the data collection and tabulation of the SI scores, OSHA logs were reviewed for the three year period prior to the study period to obtain morbidity records relating to the workers performing the specified jobs. The turkey processing jobs, when evaluated for each of the 56 sides, had a corresponding $75 \%$ morbidity rate; the manufacturing jobs, had a corresponding $12.5 \%$ morbidity when the 56 sides were evaluated.

When the evidence of association analyses between hazard and morbidity classifications were conducted for the 28 jobs and 56 sides, both studies showed statistically significant odds ratio results. Knox and Moore (in press) reported the
following results for their turkey processing study: 28 jobs - sensitivity $=0.91$; specificity $=0.83$, positive predictive value -0.95 ; negative predictive value $=0.71$; odds ratio $=$ 50.0; 56 sides - sensitivity $=0.86 ;$ specificity $=0.79 ;$ positive predictive value $=0.92$; negative predictive value $=0.65$; odds ratio $=22.0$. For the chair, and hose connector manufacturing study, Rucker and Moore (in press) reported the following values: 28 jobs sensitivity $=1.00 ;$ specificity $=0.84 ;$ positive predictive value $=0.75 ;$ negative predictive value $=1.00 ;$ empirical odds ratio $=106.6 ; 56$ sides - sensitivity $=1.00 ;$ specificity $=0.84 ;$ positive predictive value $=0.47$; negative predictive value $=1.00$; empirical odds ratio $=$ 73.2). Both studies concluded that the variability of the SI scores was largely due to the temporal patterns of exertion (durations and frequencies). They also stated that the Strain Index is capable of predicting separate exposure hazards, as seen by the results of the analyses for the left and right sides of the workers' bodies. Based of the individual findings of these studies, the authors report that there appears to be evidence that the Strain Index methodology has both predictive and external validity.

Finally, the recently released Moore, Rucker, and Knox study (2001) looked at the validity of the Strain Index and generic risk factors for predicting nontraumatic distal upper extremity morbidity. Specifically, it evaluated the nine individual generic risk factors (high repetitiveness; pinch grip; gloves; high forcefulness - SI; high forcefulness - all; nonneutral posture; vibration; localized compression; cold), eight combinations of the generic risk factors, the presence of any generic risk factor, and the Strain Index for 56 jobs from the turkey processing and chair, and hose connector manufacturing industries. Moore,

Rucker, and Knox reported that the Strain Index had the largest estimated odds ratio (108.3) of any of the exposure factors, and that it also had the best sensitivity, specificity, positive predictive value, and negative predictive value (all approximately 0.90 ) than any of the individual or combinations of generic risk factors. For the purposes of this study, a high predictive value was considered to be $\geq 0.75$, and a low predictive value $<0.75$. The authors concluded that their results indicate that the Strain Index is a better "true" measure of risk than the other generic risk factors studied. They cautioned as well, that there is no "gold standard" for validating the presence or absence of a neuromusculoskeletal hazard, nor is there a consensus method for determining when the occurrence of morbidity represents evidence of a hazard.

## CHAPTER 3

## METHODOLOGY

The design of this research is consistent with a longitudinal study (also known as a cohort study), as it required the status of the exposure to be defined by a Strain Index score before any evaluation of subjective pain and morbidity was made. The cohort represented all workers that performed the study job exposures. The number of workers remained consistent during the observation period, with no migration allowed. Due to the nature of this study, a defined order of process was also necessary in order to ensure that the investigative team was blinded to all health outcomes until the exposure data collection was completed and Strain Index (SI) scores tabulated.

The study methodology was approved by the Faculty of Medicine's Ethics Committee at the University of Manitoba and by the General Manager of the company that volunteered to participate in this thesis project. All participants were required to sign a consent form acknowledging their understanding of the rationale and methods to be used during the project (Appendix A). There was no special compensation given to the workers, by either the company or investigative team, for participating.

In order to avoid confusion when comparing this study to those in the literature,
there are several terms which require clear definition. For the purpose of this study, a "job" refers to a category of work which best described the duties required to be performed by the individual employee. Examples of a "job" would include: cutting metal clad, installing hardware, etc.. As each job may or may not require the worker to use their distal upper extremity on both left and right sides of their body in a significant way, each job has been evaluated using the side(s) most applicable for the duties being performed. Each side of the worker's body has therefore been classified as a separate "exposure". The final definition is "subjective pain". This term is used to describe the symptoms of pain, stiffness, tingling, and numbness, as a collective group, reported by each worker on a confidential questionnaire. The worker may have experienced only one of, a combination of, or all four symptoms of "subjective pain" in a particular part(s) of their distal upper extremity for "subjective pain" to be deemed present.

### 3.1. Selection of Suitable Exposures for Analysis

Forty-two window manufacturing-related exposures, requiring primary use of the distal upper extremity (DUE), were chosen for this study conducted in Manitoba, Canada. These exposures, either left, right, or both sides of the worker's body, were representative of 34 simple and complex, multi-faceted jobs (Table 1). An attempt to gather a representative sample of DUE jobs, from all company production departments, was made in order to demonstrate the usefulness of the Strain Index methodology across industryspecific work. The majority of the jobs were performed by one full-time employee (FTE) per shift at any given time; data was collected on multiple workers performing the same

Table 1.
Subject and Exposure Listing

| Subject <br> Identification | Gender | Age | Job <br> Number |  | Exposure | Exposure <br> Identifier |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Table 1.
Subject and Exposure Listing cont'd

| Subject <br> Identification | Gender | Age | Job <br> Number | Exposure | Exposure <br> Identifier | Work Experience <br> with Exposure |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| M-23 | Female | 30 |  |  |  |  |
| M-24 | Male | 44 | 22 | Priming Window Jambs | Cutting Screen Retainer | Right |

job to demonstrate inter-worker variability where possible. Twenty-two males and 9 females, between the ages of 20 and 62 years of age participated in this study. Although no discrimination based on sex, age, hand dominance, or first language was made, all workers were required to have a minimum of 3 months job-specific experience. The company was fully operational during the day, with some operations carrying over to the afternoon and evening shifts. For logistical reasons, only workers on the fully operational day shift were included in this study. There was no history of modifications to the work exposures during the study period.

### 3.2 Collection of the Data

### 3.2.1 Variables Defined in the Strain Index

The task variable data (intensity of exertion, duration of exertion (\% exertional cycle), efforts per minute, hand/wrist posture, speed of work, and duration per day) was collected on-site at two plant locations, for forty-two separate exposures. The definitions for each variable used in the original Strain Index study (Moore \& Garg, 1995) are as follows:

Intensity of Exertion - an estimation of the strength required to perform the exposure throughout one exertional cycle. It is either measured as a percentage of maximal strength (Table 2), using the perceived effort guideline (Table 2), or by the job analyst rating the perceived effort of the worker using the Borg CR-10 scale (Borg, 1990) (Figure 1).

Table 2.
Guidelines for Assigning a Rating Criterion for Intensity of Exertion

| Rating Criterion | \% MS | Borg Scale | Perceived Effort |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :--- |
| light | $<10 \%$ | $\leq 2$ | barely noticeable or relaxed effort |
| somewhat hard | $10 \%-29 \%$ | 3 | noticeable or definite effort |
| hard | $30 \%-49 \%$ | $4-5$ | obvious effort; unchanged facial expression |
| very hard | $50 \%-79 \%$ | $6-7$ | substantial effort; changes facial expression |
| near maximal | $\geq 80 \%$ | $>7$ | uses shoulder or trunk to generate force |

${ }^{\text {a }}$ Percentage of maximal strength
${ }^{b}$ Compared to the Borg CR-10 scale
Note. From "A User's Guide for the Strain Index", in J.S. Moore and A. Garg, 1995, American Journal of Industrial Hygiene Journal, 56, p. 457-458. (Appendix B)

| Borg's CR-10 scale |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 0 | Nothing at all |  |
| 0.5 | Extremely weak | (just noticeable) |
| 1 | Very weak |  |
| 2 | Weak | (light) |
| 3 | Moderate |  |
| 4 |  |  |
| 5 | Strong (heavy) |  |
| 6 |  |  |
| 7 | Very strong (very heavy) |  |
| 8 |  |  |
| 9 |  |  |
| 10 | Extremely strong | (almost max) |
|  | Maximal |  |

Figure 1. The Borg category ratio (CR)-10 scale ${ }^{1}$
${ }^{1}$ From: Borg, G. (1990). Psychophysical scaling with applications in physical work and the perception of exertion. Scandinavian Journal of Work, Environment and Health 16 (Supplement 1), 55-58, 1990.

Duration of Exertion - the length of all exertions measured in seconds during one exertional cycle, divided by the total observation time of the exertional cycle measured in seconds. The result is then multiplied by 100 to generate a figure that is recorded as the percent duration of exertion of the cycle.

Exertional Cycle - the period of time an exertion is applied; synonymous with "cycle" in the Strain Index methodology.

Duration of Recovery per Cycle - represents the exertional cycle time minus the duration of exertion per cycle.

Efforts per Minute - the number of exertions that occur during one cycle, divided by the total observation time of the cycle measured in minutes.

Hand/Wrist Posture - an estimation of the hand or wrist position relative to neutral for wrist extension, wrist flexion, or ulnar deviation. The estimated angle of deviation is assessed for any or all positions if they apply to the current job being assessed. For each range of deviation, an associated perceived posture guideline is available to compare against (see Table 3).

Table 3.

Guidelines for Assessing a Rating Criterion for Hand/Wrist Posture

| Rating Criterion | Wrist Extension ${ }^{2}$ (degrees) | Wrist Flexion ${ }^{2}$ (degrees) | Ulnar Deviation ${ }^{2}$ (degrees) | Perceived Posture |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| very good | 0-10 | 0-5 | 0-10 | perfectly neutral |
| good | 11-25 | 6-15 | 11-15 | near neutral |
| fair | 26-40 | 16-30 | 16-20 | non-neutral |
| bad | 41-55 | 31-50 | 21-25 | marked deviation |
| very bad | > 60 | >50 | $>25$ | near extreme |

${ }^{\text {a }}$ Derived from data presented in Stetson, D.S., Keyserling, W.M., Silverstein, B.A., and Leonard, J.A. (1991).

Note. From "A User's Guide for the Strain Index", in J.S. Moore and A. Garg, 1995, American Industrial Hygiene Association Journal 56, p. 457-458. (Appendix B)

Speed of Work - an estimation of how quickly the job is being performed. The observed pace can either be divided by Methods-Time Measurement (MTM)-1's predicted pace and expressed as a percentage of predicted (Barnes, 1980) (Table 4), or by the job analyst rating the worker's perceived speed using the verbal descriptors (Table 4).

Table 4.
Guidelines for Assigning a Rating Criterion for Speed of Work

| Rating Criterion | Compared to MTM-1 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | Perceived Speed |
| :--- | :---: | :--- |
| very slow | $\leq 80 \%$ | extremely relaxed pace |
| slow | $81-90 \%$ | 'taking one's own time" |
| fair | $91-100 \%$ | "normal" speed of motion |
| fast | $101-115 \%$ | rushed, but able to keep up |
| very fast | $>115 \%$ | rushed and barely or unable to keep up |

${ }^{2}$ The observed pace is divided by MTM-1's predicted pace and expressed as a percentage of predicted
Note. From "A User's Guide for the Strain Index", in J.S. Moore and A. Garg, 1995, American Industrial Hygiene Association Journal 56, p. 457-458. (Appendix B)

Duration of Task per Day - recorded in number of hours, determined either by direct measurement using a stopwatch, or obtained from plant personnel/records.

### 3.2.2 Variables Used in Present Study

In this study, the intensity of exertion for each exposure was rated by the worker using a visual Borg CR-10 scale (Figure 1). The worker was asked to choose a number from the scale based on the corresponding descriptions of perceived effort. The speed of work was measured using a visual list of the perceived speed guidelines from the "User's Guide for the Strain Index" in Moore and Garg (1995) (Appendix B). Each worker was asked to choose the level of work pace that best described the exposure being assessed. Where the use of written English was problematic, the Borg CR-10 and/or perceived speed options were read to the worker, or translated by another fully bilingual individual who was not in a supervisory or management role with the company. This procedure was deemed to give a more accurate reflection of the work demands, due to the job-specific experience level of the workers.

### 3.2.3 Procedures

Each exposure was documented using 8mm videography. Ten job cycles (minimum of 3, average of 7.25 ) were observed to obtain a representative sample of the specific requirements for each exposure. An additional 2 job cycles were observed, but not videotaped, in order that goniometer readings of representative hand/wrist postures could be measured by the principal investigator and recorded. Although not required
by the Strain Index methodology, as the hand/wrist posture is an estimated visual measure, this approach was deemed appropriate as an additional source of information in the event difficulties arose when the videotapes were analyzed. In this industry, the hand/wrist postures were observed to be extremely awkward due to the multiple deviations and quick hand action required by most of the work practices. Warehouse Persons (formerly named Lead Hands or Departmental Supervisors) confirmed that the duration each exposure was performed per day, and that the recorded activities were representative of the company's performance standards. Demographic information and verbal responses to questions concerning the perceived intensity of exertion and speed of work were collected from the worker and recorded during an interview process before and after the videotaping respectively. Each worker was asked to complete an "Assessment of Risk Factors for Distal Upper Extremity and Shoulder Disorders" questionnaire (© Arun Garg, 1997) (Appendix C) during a subsequent interview process in order to gather additional demographic and subjective pain assessment data. Where language barriers prohibited the accurate collection of information, a bilingual co-worker selected by the employee was invited to participate as an interpreter. When no other employee spoke the same language, the worker was permitted to take the questionnaire home and complete it with a bilingual family member or friend.

### 3.3 Analysis of the Exposure Data

### 3.3.1 Calculation of the Strain Index

The Strain Index methodology required the data collected for the six task variables
to be assigned a rating of $1,2,3,4$, or 5 which corresponded with the appropriate categories in Table 5.

Table 5.

Assignment of Task Variable Rating Values

| Rating <br> Values | Intensity of Exertion | Duration of <br> Exertion | Efforts per <br> Minute | Hand/Wrist <br> Posture | Speed of <br> Work | Duration per <br> Day |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | light | $<10$ | $<4$ | very good | very slow | $\leq 1$ hour |
| 2 | somewhat hard | $10-20$ | $4-8$ | good | slow | $1-2$ hours |
| 3 | hard | $30-49$ | $9-14$ | fair | fair | $2-4$ hours |
| 4 | very hard | $50-79$ | $15-19$ | bad | fast | $4-8$ hours |
| 5 | near maximal | $\geq 80$ | $\geq 20$ | very bad | very fast | $\geq 8$ hours |

Note. From "A User's Guide for the Strain Index", in J.S. Moore and A. Garg, 1995, American Industrial Hygiene Association Journal, 56, p. 457-458. (Appendix B)

For example, if the measured \% duration of exertion calculated for an exposure was $58 \%$, then the rating value assigned would be " 4 ". For hand/wrist posture, the deviation (wrist extension, wrist flexion, or ulnar deviation) with the angle producing the highest rating criterion (not the largest angle) per exposure trial would be assessed for an appropriate rating value. An example to illustrate this point would be: given, Trial " X ": wrist extension - 26 degrees; wrist flexion - not applicable; ulnar deviation - 26 degrees. The rating criterion is as follows: wrist extension - 26 degrees - "fair"; ulnar deviation - 25 degrees - "bad". Although both wrist extension and ulnar deviation have the same angle deviations, the rating criterion for ulnar deviation is higher and this value must be used when the rating values are assigned.

Upon completion of this step, each rating value for each task variable was assigned a multiplier from Table 6 .

Table 6.
Assignment of Task Variable Multipliers

| Rating <br> Values | Intensity of Exertion | Duration of <br> Exertion | Efforts per <br> Minute | Hand/Wrist <br> Posture | Speed of <br> Work | Duration per <br> Day |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 1 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 0.25 |
| 2 | 3 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 0.5 |
| 3 | 6 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.0 | 0.75 |
| 4 | 9 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 1.5 | 1.0 |
| 5 | 13 | $3.0^{\mathrm{a}}$ | $3.0^{\mathrm{a}}$ | 3.0 | 2.0 | 1.5 |

${ }^{a}$ If duration of exertion is $100 \%$, then efforts/minute multiplier should be set to 3.0

Note. From the 'User's Guide for the Strain Index', in J.S. Moore and A. Garg, 1995, American Industrial Hygiene Association Journal, 56, p. 457-458. (Appendix B)

Continuing with the \% duration of exertion example, the rating value of " 4 " would be found in the left column and a line drawn over to the multiplier of " 2.0 " found under the heading of "Duration of Exertion". The multiplier would then be placed in its correct position as per Figure 2 in order to begin the calculation of the Strain Index score for the trial.

| Intensity of Exertion | Duration of Exertion | Efforts per Minute | Hand/Wrist Posture | Speed of Work | Duration of Task | $=$ | SI Score |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\underline{[ }$ |  |  |  |  |  | = |  |

Figure 2. Formula for entering the task variable multipliers to calculate the Strain Index score.

### 3.3.2 Management of the Data

Using the video recordings, two job analysts observed, measured and recorded the task variables relating to duration of exertion (\% of exertional cycle) and efforts per minute. The hand/wrist posture was analyzed by the principal investigator who was experienced in joint angle readings. The values of intensity of exertion, speed of work, and duration per day were provided to the job analysts on field collection sheets for incorporation with the three other variables. The intensity of exertion was measured using the Borg CR-10 scale (Figure 1), and the speed of work by using the perceived speed of work guidelines (Table 3). Any questions arising from the analysis process were resolved by consensus; in the case of the hand/wrist posture, by using the goniometer measurements collected during the additional two exertional cycles. A Strain Index score was calculated for each individual trial and each of the 42 exposures following the protocol described by Moore and Garg (1995). The median, as opposed to the mean, of the exposure data was calculated (see Discussion 4.6.2).

### 3.4 Hazard Classification of "Safe" versus "Hazardous" Exposures

### 3.4.1 Variables Defined in the Strain Index

As described in Moore and Garg (1995), there is an increased risk of musculoskeletal disorders occurring in workers exposed to one or more of the following stressors: intensity, frequency, and duration. The task variables which comprise the Strain Index equation therefore reflect these stressors as they relate to work performed during an exertional cycle. The definitions of "safe" and "hazardous" when used in the context of the Strain Index refer to jobs, the Strain Index does not assess individual workers. Moore and Garg (1995) chose to define a "safe" job (SI $\leq 3.0$ ) as one where workers are not at increased risk of distal upper extremity disorders. This classification however, does not imply that although the job is not hazardous, there is no exposure to musculoskeletal stressors. Conversely, "hazardous" jobs/separate exposures ( $\mathrm{SI}>7.0$ ) cause the worker to be exposed to one or more of the stressors.

### 3.4.2 Variables Used in Present Study

For this study, Strain Index scores for each of the 42 separate exposures were initially compared against a threshold value of 5.0, as per the suggestion of Moore and Garg (1995). An exposure was categorized as "safe" with a Strain Index score of 0-4.99; a "hazardous" exposure was indicated when the Strain Index score was 5.0 or higher. Further analyses were then conducted to determine which task variable made the largest relative weight contribution to the final Strain Index score, and to ascertain whether the threshold value of 5.0 did indeed offer the best discrimination between the two
categories for jobs performed in the window manufacturing industry.

### 3.5 Subjective Pain

### 3.5.1 Subjective Pain Assessment

Following the calculation of the Strain Index scores for all trials and all exposures, an analysis was conducted to ascertain whether an association existed between the Strain Index score and the subjective report of distal upper extremity exposure-related pain. These symptoms included: pain, stiffness, numbness, and/or tingling to the elbow, forearm, hand/wrist. Each worker was interviewed and required to complete an "Assessment of Risk Factors for Distal Upper Extremity and Shoulder Disorders" questionnaire (© Arun Garg) (Appendix C). The report of subjective work-related pain was limited to those symptoms felt to have occurred due to the specific exposure being assessed. Only questions \#31 and 32 of the questionnaire were used for the purpose gathering subjective pain data.

### 3.5.2 Subjective Pain Classification

As the purpose of assessing whether the association between subjective pain and "safe" versus "hazardous" exposures was to determine whether this type of analysis could provide earlier detection for the identification of problematic jobs, all four symptom types (pain, stiffness, tingling, and numbness) were grouped as one category. Each exposure was assigned a subjective pain classification based on the occurrence ("positive") or non-occurrence ("negative") of related pain symptoms experienced by the worker(s)
performing that job. A "positive" classification was considered to be a report of one or more of the symptoms occurring in the past 12 months after the commencement of the current job. In addition, the worker was asked to report only those symptoms believed to be a direct result of the job demands of the specific exposure. A "negative" classification indicated that no symptoms associated with the exposure were reported by the worker.

### 3.6 Morbidity

### 3.6.1 Morbidity Assessment

A review of the Workers Compensation Board of Manitoba "Employer Report of Injury or Occupational Disease" forms (Appendix D) for the 2 year period during the on-site evaluation was conducted following the subjective pain assessment (see Discussion 4.6.3). The principal investigator, schooled in kinesiology, health and safety, and accredited in ergonomics, analyzed the WCB records for reported cases of distal upper extremity disorders related to musculoskeletal origin. Any related injury was specified as either left- or right-sided and counted as one case of morbidity for that specific exposure.

### 3.6.2 Morbidity Classification

Each exposure was assigned a morbidity classification based on the occurrence ("positive") or non-occurrence ('negative") of a work-related injury to the worker(s) performing the specific exposure. If more than one occurrence of morbidity was reported per exposure, the classification remained as "positive" with no discrimination made for the additional associated morbidity.

### 3.7 Data Analysis

SAS version 8.0 was used to investigate the relationships between the task variables and the resultant Strain Index score for each of the 42 exposures. A further analysis was conducted to establish whether predictive validity existed when associations between the Strain Index scores and the categories of "safe" versus "hazardous" exposures, subjective pain, and morbidity classifications were compared against the suggested threshold criterion of 5.0 (Moore \& Garg, 1995). The external validity of the Strain Index was then tested to determine whether indeed this value was the best threshold for discriminating between "safe" and "hazardous" jobs in window manufacturing.

The data was entered using two distinct scales of measurement. Continuous variables included the percent duration of exertion, efforts per minute and the Strain Index scores. Ordinal categorical variables included the rating values for intensity of exertion, percent duration of exertion, efforts per minute, hand/wrist posture, speed of work, and duration per day. The "safe" versus "hazardous" exposures, subjective pain, and morbidity classifications were treated as dichotomous nominal variables, each being reported as either "positive" or "negative".

Student's t-tests were used to compare the mean values of percent duration of exertion and efforts per minute between the two hazard (subjective pain and morbidity) classifications. The Chi-square test for independence was used to assess the association of the task variable ratings with subjective pain and morbidity. Evidence and strength of
association between the categories of "safe" versus "hazardous" exposures, with subjective pain and morbidity was evaluated using the likelihood ratio (LR) test for independence and odds ratio were estimated, respectively. The acceptable level of type 1 error was established at a value of 0.05 , with no adjustments for multiple comparisons. The Fisher's exact test (2-tailed) was utilized to determine statistical significance if at least one cell of the $2 \times 2$ contingency tables had a count of less than 5 .

The sensitivity, specificity, positive predictive value, and negative predictive values were calculated for both subjective pain ( $\mathrm{n}=40$ exposures) and morbidity ( $\mathrm{n}=42$ exposures) classifications relative to selected threshold criterion values in order to determine the predictive validity of the Strain Index. External validity was assessed by plotting the sensitivity and 1 -specificity on receiver-operator characteristic (ROC) curves to establish the best trade-off point between the sensitivity and specificity at various Strain Index score cut-off values for both subjective pain and morbidity. The results were then verified by constructing tables demonstrating the effect of varying the threshold on the strength of association with outcomes.

## CHAPTER 4

## RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

## Results

### 4.1 Exposure Data

### 4.1.1 Range of Strain Index Scores for all Exposures Within Jobs

Inspection of Table 7 shows a range of Strain Index scores from 1.5 to 162 for the exposures examined within the window manufacturing jobs. The presence or absence of subjective pain and/or morbidity in the workers performing each exposure are also presented as either positive or negative classifications respectively. Statistical analysis established a median score of 44.25 for the 42 exposures with the upper quadrile (75th\%ile) at 81.

### 4.1.2 Task Variable Data and Resultant Strain Index Scores

When the task variables were compared across the 42 exposures, the majority of the work was rated as being "somewhat hard" in intensity, taking 50-80 ${ }^{+}$percent of the exertional cycle, with $\geq 20$ efforts per minute and requiring very bad hand/wrist posture. These exposures were performed at a "fair" speed for an average 4-8 hours per day (Table 8).

Table 7.
All Exposures In Order of SI Score From Highest to Lowest

| Exposure Identifier | FTE | Exposure | Strain Index Score (calculated from median variables from trials) | Subjective Pain | Morbidity |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Installing Hardware - Door | 1 | Left | 162 | P | N |
| Tradesman's Choice -Doors | 1 | Right | 162 | P | N |
| Making Steel Door Insert Frames | 1 | Left | 162 | N | N |
| Making Steel Door Insert Frames | 1 | Right | 162 | N | N |
| Wrapping Slabs | 1 | Right | 121.5 | N | N |
| Making Screens (flat table) | 1 | Right | 121.5 | P | N |
| Guiding Copy Router | 1 | Right | 121.5 | P | P |
| Guiding Copy Router-A | 1 | Right | 121.5 | P | P |
| Making Screens -patio | 1 | Right | 108 | P | P |
| Installing Hardware - Door | 1 | Right | 81 | P | N |
| Applying Weatherstripping to Jambs | 2 | Right | 81 | P | P |
| Frame Assembly with Door Light | 1 | Left | 81 | N | N |
| Making Screens (on tilt) | 2 | Right | 81 | P | N |
| Installing Windows into Doors | 1 | Right | 81 | P | N |
| Door Jamb Machine Operation for Striker Plate | 1 | Right | 81 | P | N |
| Priming Window Jambs | 1 | Right | 75.9 | no data | N |
| Edge Deleting | 1 | Left | 60.8 | P | N |
| Glass Washing | 2 | Left | 54 | P | N |
| Trimming Brick Moulding | 1 | Right | 54 | no data | P |
| Applying Swiggle to Glass | , | Left | 54 | N | N |
| Installing Headers | 1 | Right | 48 | N | N |
| Wrapping Slabs | 1 | Left | 40.5 | N | N |
| Door Jamb Machine Operation for Hinges | 1 | Right | 36 | P | N |
| Screening - Installing Pins | 1 | Right | 33.8 | P | N |
| Cutting Screen Retainer | 1 | Right | 30.4 | N | N |
| Casement Screening | 1 | Right | 27 | N | N |

Table 7.
All Exposures In Order of SI Score From Highest to Lowest cont'd

| Exposure Identifier | FTE | Exposure | Strain Index Score (calculated from median variables from trials) | Subjective Pain | Morbidity |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Installing Hardware WWA | 1 | Right | 27 | N | $N$ |
| Edge Deleting | 1 | Right | 27 | P | N |
| Applying Hinges on Jambs | 1 | Right | 27 | P | N |
| Apply Swiggle to Glass | 2 | Right | 22.5 | ${ }_{\mathrm{N}}$ | N |
| Sills In and Out Swing | 1 | Right | 18 | N | N |
| Cutting Screen Retainer | 1 | Left | 17.7 | $N$ | N |
| Making Sills | 1 | Left | 12 | N | N |
| Glass Washing | 2 | Right | 9 | P | N |
| Glazing and Insert of Peepholes | 1 | Right | 9 | P | N |
| Weather Stripping Applied | 1 | Left | 6.75 | P | N |
| Weather Stripping Applied | 2 | Right | 6.75 | P | N |
| Using Punch Press | 1 | Left | 6.75 | N | N |
| Cutting Metal Clad | 1 | Left | 4.5 | N | P |
| Painting Metal Clad | 1 | Right | 4.5 | N | N |
| Flipping Metal Clad | 1 | Left | 4.5 | $N$ | $N$ |
| Cutting Metal Clad | 1 | Right | 1.5 | P | $N$ |

## Table 8.

Majority Rankings of Task Variables - All Exposures

| Task Variable | Rating | Ranking | Exposure Results |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Intensity of <br> Exertion | somewhat hard | 2 | $45.24 \%$ |
| Duration of <br> Exertion | $50-79 \%$ of cycle; <br> $\geq 80 \%$ | 5 <br> 5 | $40.48 \%$ |
| Efforts/Minute | $\geq 20$ | 5 | $40.48 \%$ |
| Hand/Wrist Posture | very bad | 5 | $59.52 \%$ |
| Speed | fair | 3 | $64.29 \%$ |
| Duration per Day | $4-8$ hours | 4 | $76.19 \%$ |

The individual breakdown of task variables for each exposure with the corresponding Strain Index Score is found in Table 9. When the Strain Index scores were calculated using the median of the task variables from the trials of each exposure (msi50), and then from the median of the SI from the trials (si50), no significant difference was found $(t=0.28, \mathrm{df}=41, \mathrm{p}=0.78)$. The principal investigator chose to analyze the remainder of the study using the Strain Index score calculated from the median of the task variables from the trials (msi50) for each exposure.

Multiple regression results of the weighted contribution of each task variable indicated that the intensity of exertion accounted for the highest partial $r^{2}$ value (0.3657) (Table 10).

Table 9.
Task Variables and Strain Index Scores for all Exposures

|  | Exposure Identifier | FTE | Exposure | Intensity of Exertion | Duration of Exertion (\%) | Efforts per Minute | Hand <br> Wrist <br> Posture | Speed of Work | Duration per Day | Strain Index Score msi50 <br> (SI calculated from median variables from trials) | $\begin{gathered} \text { Strain Index Score } \\ \text { si50 } \\ \text { (median of SI from trials) } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Weather-Stripping Applied | 1 | left | light | 75 | 28.3 | fair | fair | 2-4 hours | 6.8 | 6.8 |
|  |  | 2 | right | somewhat hard | 15.5 | 8 | very bad | fair | 2-4 hours | 6.8 | 6.8 |
|  | Installing Hardware - Door Dept. | 1 | left | hard | 83.3 | 31.9 | very bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 162 | 162 |
|  |  | 1 | right | somewhat hard | 91.4 | 19.8 | very bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 81 | 81 |
|  | Sills In and Swing Out | 1 | right | somewhat hard | 21.5 | 18.9 | very bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 18 | 22.5 |
|  | Edge Deleting | 1 | left | somewhat hard | 95.5 | 30 | very bad | fair | 2-4 hours | 60.8 | 60.8 |
|  |  | 1 | right | somewhat hard | 95.7 | 15.6 | bad | fair | 2-4 hours | 27 | 20.3 |
| $\omega$ | Installing Headers | 1 | right | hard | 51.8 | 16.4 | bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 48 | 48 |
| $\checkmark$ | Cuting Metal Clad | 1 | left | light | 18.3 | 39.2 | very bad | fair | 1-2 hours | 9 | 4.5 |
|  |  | 1 | right | light | 26.8 | 32.2 | very good | fair | 1-2 hours | 1.5 | 1.5 |
|  | Glass Washing | 2 | left | somewhat hard | 86.7 | 20 | bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 54 | 54 |
|  |  | 2 | right | somewhat hard | 77.8 | 13.8 | good | fair | 4-8 hours | 9 | 18 |
|  | Casement Screening | 1 | right | light | 64.2 | 34.9 | very bad | fast | 4-8 hours | 27 | 27 |
|  | Tradesman's Choice Door Assembly | 1 | right | hard | 66.9 | 24.6 | very bad | fast | 4-8 hours | 162 | 162 |
|  | Wrapping Slabs | 1 | left | somewhat hard | 77.7 | 13 | very bad | fast | 4-8 hours | 40.5 | 40.5 |
|  |  | 1 | right | hard | 81.7 | 13.9 | very bad | fast | 4-8 hours | 121.5 | 121.5 |
|  | Installing Hardware - WWA | 1 | right | somewhat hard | 49.5 | 15.5 | very bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 27 | 27 |
|  | Trimming Brick Mould | 1 | right | hard | 66.7 | 20.4 | very bad | fair | 1-2 hours | 54 | 54 |
|  | Screening - Applying Pins | 1 | right | hard | 80.3 | 9.3 | very bad | fair | 1-2 hours | 33.8 | 27 |
|  | Screening -Flat Table | 1 | right | very hard | 78.1 | 20.9 | very bad | fair | 2-4 hours | 121.5 | 121.5 |
|  | Applying Hinges on Jambs | 1 | right | somewhat hard | 37.5 | 15.5 | very bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 27 | 27 |
|  | Applying Weather-Stripping to Jambs | 2 | right | somewhat hard | 94.3 | 38.3 | very bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 81 | 81 |
|  | Frame Assembly with Door Light | 1 | left | hard | 67.1 | 11 | very bad | fast | 4-8 hours | 81 | 81 |
|  | Applying Swiggle to Glass | 1 | left | somewhat hard | 80.8 | 25.6 | bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 54 | 54 |
|  |  | 2 | right | hard | 66.6 | 6.9 | very bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 22.5 | 21 |
|  | Screening - Tilt Table | 2 | right | hard | 61.9 | 34.5 | very bad | fair | 2-4 hours | 81 | 81 |
|  | Installing Windows into Doors | 1 | right | somewhat hard | 71.3 | 43.3 | very bad | fast | 4-8 hours | 81 | 81 |
|  | Making Sills | 1 | left | light | 57.1 | 45.7 | bad | slow | 4-8 hours | 12 | 12 |
|  | Priming Window Jambs | 1 | right | somewhat hard | 79.3 | 31.8 | very bad | fast | 2-4 hours | 76 | 75.9 |
|  | Cutting Screen Retainer | 1 | left | somewhat hard | 45 | 11 | very bad | fair | 2-4 hours | 17.7 | 15.2 |
|  |  | 1 | right | hard | 40 | 12 | bad | fast | 2-4 hours | 30.4 | 30.4 |
|  | Using Punch Press | 1 | left | somewhat hard | 55.6 | 12.5 | very good | fast | 1-2 hours | 6.8 | 6.8 |
|  | Painting Metal Clad | 1 | right | light | 73.2 | 135.2 | very bad | fair | $<=1$ hour | 4.5 | 4.5 |

Table 9.
Task Variables and Strain Index Scores for all Exposures cont'd

| Exposure Identifier | FTE | Exposure | Intensity of Exertion | Duration of Exertion (\%) | Efforts per Minute | Hand/ <br> Wrist Posture | Speed of Work | Duration <br> per <br> Day | Strain Index Score msi50 <br> (SI calculated from median variables from trials) | $\begin{gathered} \text { Strain Index Score } \\ \text { si50 } \\ \text { (median of SI from trials) } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Flipping Metal Clad | 1 | left | light | 100 | 47.9 | bad | fair | <= 1 hour | 4.5 | 4.7 |
| Door Jamb Machining for Striker Plate | 1 | right | hard | 100 | 93.3 | very bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 81 | 81 |
| Door Jamb Machining for Hinges | 1 | right | hard | 55.6 | 16.7 | very bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 36 | 36 |
| Screening - Patio | 1 | right | hard | 65.2 | 30.9 | very bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 108 | 126 |
| Guiding Copy Router | 1 | right | very hard | 91.2 | 37.6 | fair | fair | 4-8 hours | 121.5 | 114.8 |
| Guiding Copy Router-A | 1 | right | very hard | 100 | 31.2 | fair | fair | 4-8 hours | 121.5 | 121.5 |
| Making Steel Door Insert Frames | 1 | left | very hard | 91.8 | 16.4 | very bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 162 | 162 |
|  | 1 | right | very hard | 92.9 | 31.8 | bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 162 | 162 |
| Glazing and Insert of Peepholes | 1 | right | somewhat hard | 74.4 | 75.3 | bad | fair | < $=1$ hour | 9 | 9 |

Table 10.
Multiple Regression Analysis of the Relative Contributions of the Six Task Variables

| Task Variable | $\mathbf{r}^{2}$ partial | $\mathbf{F}_{\text {ratio }}$ | Probability |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Intensity of <br> Exertion | 0.3657 | 134.89 | $\mathrm{p}<.0001$ |
| Efforts per Minute | 0.1043 | 38.48 | $\mathrm{p}<.0001$ |
| Duration per Day | 0.0416 | 15.35 | $\mathrm{p}=.0004$ |
| Hand/Wrist Posture | 0.0393 | 14.49 | $\mathrm{p}=.0005$ |
| Speed of Work | 0.0235 | 8.66 | $\mathrm{p}=.0058$ |
| \% Duration of <br> Exertion | 0.0184 | 6.78 | $\mathrm{p}=.0134$ |

### 4.2 Subjective Pain - Assessment and Classification

Twenty-four questionnaires addressing the presence ("positive") or absence ("negative") of subjective pain (exposure-related upper extremity pain, stiffness, tingling, and/or numbness) involving the distal upper extremities were completed by the workers. Four of the original cohort were not available to participate in this part of the study, as they had left the employment of the company shortly after the video taping was completed and the detailed interview and questionnaire process commenced. As a result, trimming brick mould and priming window jambs were eliminated from the exposure list. One job, glass washing, was not eliminated as there were two full time employees (FTEs) observed for bilateral (left, right) exposures originally; the data was adjusted to reflect the results from only one FTE. The following results are therefore representative of twenty-four workers reporting on the presence or absence of work-related subjective pain for 31 jobs,
represented by 40 exposures.

Twenty-three (57.5\%) of the 40 exposure results observed were associated with related subjective pain, and $17(42.5 \%)$ of the exposures were not. Table 11 shows the distribution of the task variables for the exposures associated with related subjective pain. The mean SI score for the presence of subjective pain ("positive" symptoms) classification was 64.761 (std. deviation - 50.223; range $1.5-162$ ); the mean SI score for the absence of subjective pain ("negative" symptoms) classification was 48.43 (std. deviation - 52.539; range 4.5-162). The differences in the mean SI scores between the presence and absence of subjective pain classifications was not significant $(t=-1.00, \mathrm{df}=38, \mathrm{p}=0.3251)$.

The majority of the exposures with subjective pain were characterized by work that was of "somewhat hard" intensity, with exertional durations of $50-80^{+}$percent of the cycle, $\geq 20$ efforts per minute, with very bad hand/wrist posture. The speed was "fair" and the work done 4-8 hours of the day (Table 12).

Table 11.
Characteristics of the Task Variables Associated With Exposure-Related Subjective Pain

Exposure Identifier

Installing Hardware - Door Dept.
Tradesman's Choice Door Assembly
Glass Washing
Making Screens on Flat Table
$\stackrel{+}{5}$
Guiding Copy Router
Guiding Copy Router-A
Patio Screens
Install Hardware - Door Dept.
Apply Weatherstripping to Jambs
Making Screens on Tilt Table
Install Windows into Doors
Door Jamb Machine Operation for Striker Plate Glass Washing
Edge Deleting
Door Jamb Machine Operation for Hinges
Screening - Applying Pins
Applying Swiggle to Glass
Apply Hinges on Jambs
Edge Deleting
Glazing and Insert of Peepholes
Weatherstripping Applied
Weatherstripping Applied
Cutting Metal Clad

Exposure
Intensity
Exartion
left
right
right
right
right
right
right
right
right
right
right
right
left
left
right
right
right
right
right
right
right
left
right

| hard | 83.3 | 31.9 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| hard | 66.9 | 24.6 |
| somewhat hard | 76.2 | 60.8 |
| very hard | 78.1 | 20.9 |
| very hard | 91.2 | 37.6 |
| very hard | 100 | 31.2 |
| hard | 65.2 | 30.9 |
| somewhat hard | 91.4 | 19.8 |
| somewhat hard | 95.5 | 41 |
| hard | 61.9 | 34.5 |
| somewhat hard | 71.3 | 43.3 |
| somewhat hard | 100 | 93.3 |
| somewhat hard | 79.1 | 26.7 |
| somewhat hard | 95.5 | 30 |
| somewhat hard | 55.6 | 16.6 |
| hard | 80.3 | 9.3 |
| hard | 77.2 | 8.6 |
| somewhat hard | 37.5 | 15.5 |
| somewhat hard | 95.7 | 15.6 |
| somewhat hard | 74.4 | 75.3 |
| light | 55 | 21 |
| light | 75 | 28.3 |
| light | 26.8 | 32.2 |


| very bad | fair | four to eight | 162 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| very bad | fast | four to eight | 162 |
| good | fair | four to eight | 141.8 |
| very bad | fair | two to four | 121.5 |
| fair | fair | four to eight | 121.5 |
| fair | fair | four to eight | 121.5 |
| very bad | fair | four to eight | 108 |
| very bad | fair | four to eight | 81 |
| very bad | fair | four to eight | 81 |
| very bad | fair | two to four | 81 |
| very bad | fast | four to eight | 81 |
| very bad | fair | four to eight | 81 |
| bad | fair | four to eight | 72 |
| very bad | fair | two to four | 60.75 |
| very bad | fair | four to eight | 36 |
| very bad | fair | one to two | 33.8 |
| very bad | fair | four to eight | 31.7 |
| very bad | fair | four to eight | 27 |
| bad | fair | two to four | 27 |
| bad | fair | less than one | 9 |
| very bad | fair | two to four | 11.4 |
| fair | fair | two to four | 6.75 |
| very good | fair | one to two | 1.5 |

Table 12.
Majority Rankings - Subjective Pain Occurrences

| Task Variable | Rating | Ranking | Exposure Results |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Intensity of <br> Exertion | somewhat hard | 2 | $52.17 \%$ |
| Duration of <br> Exertion | $50-79$ <br> $\geq 80$ | 4 | $43.47 \%$ |
| Efforts/Minute | $\geq 20$ | 5 | $43.47 \%$ |
| Hand/Wrist Posture | very bad | 5 | $65.22 \%$ |
| Speed | fair | 3 | $65.22 \%$ |
| Duration per Day | $4-8$ hours | 4 | $91.30 \%$ |

The mean percentage duration of exertion among the 23 exposures with the presence of subjective pain was $73.506($ std. dev. $=22.633)$. The mean percentage duration of exertion among the 17 exposures in which subjective pain was absent, was 62.837 (std. dev. $=23.802$ ). The difference between the two groups was not significant $(t=-1.44, d f=38, p=0.1575)$. The mean efforts per minute for the 23 exposures with the presence of subjective pain was 29.48 (std. dev. $=20.249$ ). The mean efforts per minute for the 17 exposures absent of subjective pain was 29.47 (std. dev. =29.972). The difference between the two groups was not significant $(t=-0.00, \mathrm{df}=38, \mathrm{p}=0.9990)$.

### 4.3 Morbidity Assessment and Classification

As worker participation was not required to gather the morbidity data, the absence of the four workers who had terminated their employment with the company did not affect this section of the analysis.

For the 42 exposures, 6 (14.29\%) were "positive" (presence of an injury) and 36 (85.7\%) were "negative" (no injury reported) for one or more occurrences of distal upper extremity morbidity. The mean SI score for "positive" morbidity classification was 81.75 (std. deviation - 46.016; range of 4.5-121.5); the mean SI score for "negative" morbidity classification was 53.807 (std. deviation - 50.356; range of $1.5-162$ ). The differences in the mean SI scores between the "positive" and "negative" morbidity classifications was not significant $(t=-1.28, \mathrm{df}=40, \mathrm{p}=0.2085)$. Five ( $83.3 \%$ ) of the 6 injuries occurred amongst female employees, with 1 ( $16.66 \%$ ) occurring in a male worker. Four employees accounted for the 6 exposures with injuries; one female worker had a single injury which was reflected in three exposures.

Of the 6 exposures where injury was present, the associated upper extremity distal disorders included: three (50\%) with numbness in the fingers (making patio screens, guiding copy router, guiding copy router-A), $1(16.66 \%)$ with tendinitis of the wrist/forearm (applying weather stripping to jambs), 1 (16.66\%) with a sore hand from twisting and additional pressure while using a dull knife (trimming brick mould), and 1 (16.66\%) with pain in the elbow (cutting metal clad, left exposure) (Table 13). The

Table 13.
Characteristics of Exposures Associated with Morbidity

| Exposure Identifler | Exposure | Intensity | Duration of Exertion (\% job cycle) | Efforts/Minute | Hand/Wrist Posture | Speed of Work | Duration per Day | SI Score | Injury | Body Part(s) Injured |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Guiding Copy Router-A | right | very hard | 100 | 31.2 | fair | fair | 4-8 hours | 121.5 | numbness in fingers | hand |
| Guiding Copy Router | right | very hard | 91.2 | 37.6 | fair | fair | 4-8 hours | 121.5 | numbness in fingers | hand |
| Making Patio Screens | right | hard | 65.2 | 30.9 | very bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 108 | numbness in fingers | hand |
| Applying Weather Stripping to Jambs | right | somewhat hard | 94.3 | 38.3 | very bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 81 | tendonitis | wrist/forea |
| Trimming Brick Mould | right | hard | 66.7 | 20.4 | very bad | fair | 1-2 hours | 54 | sore; from twisting and additional | hand |
| Cutting Metal Clad | left | light | 18.3 | 39.2 | very bad | fair | 1-2 hours | 4.5 | pressure using a dull knife pain | elbow |

exposures associated with these injuries were characterized by the majority rankings of: intensity of exertions ranging from "somewhat hard" to "very hard", the percent duration $\geq 80 \%$ of the cycle, $\geq 20$ efforts per minute, and very bad hand/wrist posture. The speed of work was "fair" and the duration of work per day 4-8 hours (Table 14). The individual task variables of the exposures associated with each injury can be inspected in Table 13.

## Table 14.

Majority Rankings - Morbidity Occurrences

| Task Variable | Rating | Ranking | Exposure Results |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Intensity of | somewhat hard | 2 | $33.30 \%$ |
| Exertion | hard |  |  |
| very hard |  |  |  |$\quad$| $33.30 \%$ |
| :--- |
| $33.30 \%$ |

The mean percentage duration of exertion among the 6 exposures with the presence of morbidity was 72.608 (std. dev. $=30.339$ ). The mean percentage duration of exertion among the 36 exposures absent of morbidity was 68.588 (std. dev. $=21.955$ ). The difference between the two groups was not significant $(t=-0.39, d f=40, p=0.6961)$. The mean efforts per minute for the 6 exposures with the presence of morbidity was 32.934 (std. dev. $=7.1395$ ). The mean efforts per minute for the 36 exposures absent of
morbidity was 28.711 (std. dev. $=25.71$ ). The difference between the two groups was not significant $(t=-0.40, d f=40, p=0.6942)$.

### 4.4 Evidence of Strength of Association - Predictive Validity

### 4.4.1 $\underline{2 \times 2}$ Contingency Tables

### 4.4.1.1 Subjective Pain

Table 15 demonstrates the effect of placing the threshold criterion Strain Index score at various cut-off levels for the subjective pain data, from the Moore and Garg (1995) recommended standard of $\mathrm{SI}=5.0$ to an arbitrary highest point of $\mathrm{SI}=125$. A review of all outcomes was completed in order to search for the cut-off of "best fit" for the window manufacturing jobs studied.

At an $\mathrm{SI}=5.0$, the following results were calculated: true positives $=22$; false positives $=14 ;$ false negatives $=1 ;$ true negatives $=3 ;$ sensitivity $=0.9565$; specificity $=$ 0.1765 ; positive predictive value $=0.61$; negative predictive value $=0.75$; likelihood ratio: $X^{2}=1.1374, \mathrm{df}=1, \mathrm{p}=0.2862$; odds ratio $=3.2857$, Fisher's 2 tailed, $\mathrm{p}=0.6085$. The Strain Index correctly identified 22 of the 23 exposures with associated subjective pain.

When compared with the other cut-off levels, the sensitivity at $\mathrm{SI}=5.0$ was the highest ( $95.65 \%$ ) and the specificity the lowest (17.65\%). The low specificity created a very high false positive rate $(\mathrm{n}=14)$ for this cut-off level, and notably the highest false positive rate over all the cut-off points.


* no data available for 2 exposures

Further examination of the other cut-off points indicated that an $\mathrm{SI}=50.0$ offered the best discrimination between "safe" and "hazardous" exposures (true positives = 13 ; false positives $=5$; false negatives $=10$; true negatives $=12$; sensitivity $=0.5652$; specificity $=0.7058 ;$ positive predictive value $=0.722$; negative predictive value $=0.545$; likelihood ratio: $\mathrm{X}^{2}=2.9616, \mathrm{df}=1, \mathrm{p}=0.0853$; odds ratio $=3.12$, Fisher's 2 tailed, $p=0.1159)$ when all factors were considered. Of particular note, was the low number of false positives $(\mathrm{n}=5)$ relative to the count of 14 at $\mathrm{SI}=5.0$. The Strain Index correctly identified 13 of the 23 exposures with subjective pain at the cut-off point of $\mathrm{SI}=50.0$.

### 4.4.1.2 Morbidity

Table 16 reviews the effect of altering the threshold criterion Strain Index score for the morbidity data between the Moore and Garg (1995) recommended standard of $\mathrm{SI}=5.0$ and a highest arbitrary cut-off point of $\mathrm{SI}=125$.

At SI $=5.0$ (true positives $=5$; false positives $=33$; false negatives $=1$; true negatives $=3$; sensitivity $=0.8333$; specificity $=0.08333$; positive predictive value $=$ 0.13157; negative predictive value $=0.75$; likelihood ratio: $\mathrm{X}^{2}=0.3584, \mathrm{df}=1, \mathrm{p}=$ 0.5494 ; odds ratio $=0.4545$, Fisher's 2 tailed, $p=0.4737$ ), the sensitivity was found to be one of the highest, however the specificity was the lowest in comparison with all the other cut-off points, yielding the highest false positive rate. The Strain Index correctly identified 5 of the 6 exposures with associated morbidity at this cut-off point.

Table 16.
The Effect of Placing the Threshold Criterion Strain Index Score at Various Cut-off Levels for Morbidity

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| $\mathrm{n}=42$ |  | Morbidity |  |  | Effect of placing cut-off at various SI levels |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Present | Absent |  | $>125$ |  | $>100$ |  | $>81$ |  | >75 |  | $>50$ |  | $>44.25$ |  | $>25$ |  | $>5$ |  |
| SI <br> Score <br> Result | 150--162 | 0 | 4 |  | 0.5 | 4.5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 125--149 | 0 | 0 |  | $a$ | b | 3 | 6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 100--124 | 3 | 2 |  |  |  | a | b | 4 | 11 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 81--99 | 1 | 5 |  |  |  |  |  | a | b | 4 | 13 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 75-80 | 0 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | a |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 65--74 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  | 2 | 25 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 60--64 | 0 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 55--59 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 15 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $50-34$ | 1 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $a$ | b | 5 | 16 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 44.25--49 | 0 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | c | $\mathrm{d}$ | $a$ | $b$ |  |  |  |  |
|  | 35-44 | 0 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 21 |  | $\mathrm{d}$ |  | 24 |  |  |
|  | 25-34 | 0 | 6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $a$ |  |  |  |
|  | 15-24 | 0 | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | c | $\mathrm{d}$ | 5 | 33 |
|  | 5-- 14 | 0 | 6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 12 | $a$ | $1 b$ |
|  | 1--4.99 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | c | d |
|  | 6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 3 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Sensitivity }=a /(a+c) \\ & \text { Specificity }=d /(b+d) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  | 7\% |  | 50\% |  | 67\% |  | 66\% |  | 83\% |  | 83\% |  | 83\% |  | 83\% |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 88\% |  | 83\% |  | 69\% |  | 64\% |  | 58\% |  | 56\% |  | 33\% |  | 8\% |

Comparison of the other cut-off points indicated that at an $\mathrm{SI}=50.0$ (true positives $=5 ;$ false positives $=15 ;$ false negatives $=1 ;$ true negatives $=21 ;$ sensitivity $=0.8333 ;$ specificity $=0.583 ;$ positive predictive value $=0.25 ;$ negative predictive value $=0.9545 ;$ likelihood ratio: $\mathrm{X}^{2}=3.8204, \mathrm{df}=1, \mathrm{p}=0.0506$; odds ratio $=7.0$, Fisher's 2 tailed, $p=0.0866)$ yielded a similar level of sensitivity as the $S I=5.0$ cut-off, with a lower specificity and a much lower false positive rate. The cut-off point of $\mathrm{SI}=50.0$ therefore offered the best discrimination between "safe" and "hazardous" exposures for the morbidity data in this study. Similar to the $\mathrm{SI}=5.0$ cut-off, the Strain Index correctly identified 5 of the 6 exposures with associated morbidity when the threshold criterion was set at $\mathrm{SI}=$ 50.0 .

### 4.4.2 Receiver-Operator Characteristic Curve Analysis

Following the examination of the $2 \times 2$ contingency tables and associated calculations, receiver-operator characteristic curves were plotted to verify the best tradeoff point between sensitivity and specificity for the window manufacturing jobs observed.

### 4.4.2.1 Subjective Pain

The Strain Index co-ordinates at $50.0,55.0$, and 60.0 presented as those located closest to the upper left hand corner of the ROC curve (Figure 3). Review of the $2 \times 2$ contingency tables and associated calculations for these SI values revealed only slight differences (SI at 50.0: sensitivity $=0.5652$; specificity $=0.7058$; false positives $=5$; false negatives $=10 ;$ SI at 55.0: sensitivity $=0.5217 ;$ specificity $=0.7647 ;$ false positives $=4$;


Figure 3. Receiver-operator characteristic curve - subjective pain.
false negatives $=11$; and SI at 60.0: sensitivity $=0.5217$; specificity $=0.764$; false positives $=4$; false negatives $=11$ ). As the sensitivity at $\mathrm{SI}=50.0$ was found to be slightly higher than at either $\mathrm{SI}=55.0$ or $\mathrm{SI}=60.0$, the $\mathrm{SI}=50.0$ co-ordinates were determined to offer the best trade-off between the sensitivity and specificity for subjective pain.

### 4.4.2.2 Morbidity

Due to the nature of the convexity of this particular ROC plot (Figure 4), a closer examination of the $2 \times 2$ contingency tables and associated calculations for the upper quadrile $S I=81.0$ (sensitivity $=0.6667 ;$ specificity $=69.44$; false positives $=11 ;$ false negatives $=2$ ) and the $\mathrm{SI}=50.0$ co-ordinates (sensitivity $=0.83$; specificity $=0.583$; false positives $=15$; false negatives $=1$ ) were made. Although the values at $\mathrm{SI}=81$ yielded a lower false positive rate $(\mathrm{n}=11)$, the sensitivity was also lower ( $66.67 \%$ ) in comparison with the $\mathrm{SI}=50.0$ cut-off. Given the speculation of injury under-reporting associated with the high mobility of the study workforce (see Discussion 4.9), it was determined that the higher sensitivity level should be used as the truer measure. The $\mathrm{SI}=50.0$ co-ordinates were therefore deemed the best trade-off between the sensitivity and specificity related to morbidity. This occurred despite the $\mathrm{SI}=80$ cut-off, following a "line of best fit", appearing in the furthest (but not highest) left hand corner of the graph.

### 4.4.2.3 Overall Findings

The use of receiver-operator characteristic curves to determine the point where the best trade-off between sensitivity and specificity occurs, demonstrated that an SI score of


Figure 4. Receiver-operator characteristic curve -- morbidity.
50.0 optimized the association between "safe" versus "hazardous" exposures for subjective pain and morbidity. At this cut-off, 13 exposures (56.5\%) with associated subjective pain were captured and 10 out of the 23 exposures ( $43.47 \%$ ) were not identified; the number of exposures with no associated subjective pain falsely identified as "hazardous" was reduced from 14 to 5, in comparison to the Moore and Garg (1995) recommended standard of $\mathrm{SI}=5.0$. The threshold of $\mathrm{SI}=50.0$, still allowed 5 out of $6(83.3 \%)$ of the exposures with associated morbidity to be correctly labelled as "hazardous", but decreased the number of "hazardous" exposures with no associated morbidity from 33 to 15 for the 42 exposures.

### 4.5. Comparison of the Study Data at SI $=\mathbf{5 . 0}$ and $\mathbf{S I}=\mathbf{5 0 . 0}$

### 4.5.1. "Safe" versus "Hazardous" Exposure Categories and Related Strain Index Scores (Table 17.)

### 4.5.1.1 Using SI Threshold Criterion of 5.0

When comparing the window manufacturing job exposures against the $\mathrm{SI}=5.0$ threshold criterion (Moore \& Garg, 1995), 38 (90.48 \%) of the exposures were predicted to be "hazardous", and $4(9.52 \%)$ as "safe" for risk of upper extremity distal disorders to the workers. The mean SI score for the "hazardous" exposures was 63.996 (range 6.75 162 ); the mean SI score for the "safe" exposures was 3.75 (range $1.5-4.5$ ).

Those exposures ranked "hazardous" were characterized by a "somewhat hard"

Table 17.
"Safe" versus "Hazardous" Exposure Categories -- SI 5.0 versus 50.0


## Hazard Classification if $\mathbf{S I = 5 . 0}$

Table 17
"Safe" versus "Hazardous" Exposure Categories -- SI 5.0 versus 50.0 cont'd

| Exposure Identifier | FTE | Exposure | Strain Index Score (calculated from median variables from trials) | Hazard Classification if $\mathrm{SI}=\mathbf{5 . 0}$ | Hazard Classification if $\mathbf{S I}=\mathbf{5 0 . 0}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Installing Hardware WWA | 1 | Right | 27 | H | S |
| Edge Deleting | 1 | Right | 27 | H | S |
| Applying Hinges on Jambs | 1 | Right | 27 | H | S |
| Apply Swiggle to Glass | 2 | Right | 22.5 | H | S |
| Sills In and Out Swing | 1 | Right | 18 | H | S |
| Cutting Screen Retainer | 1 | Left | 17.7 | H | S |
| Making Sills | 1 | Left | 12 | H | S |
| Glass Washing | 2 | Right | 9 | H | S |
| Glazing and Insert of Peepholes | 1 | Right | 9 | H | S |
| Weather Stripping Applied | 1 | Left | 6.75 | H | S |
| Weather Stripping Applied | 2 | Right | 6.75 | H | S |
| Using Punch Press | 1 | Left | 6.75 | H | S |
| Cutting Metal Clad | 1 | Left | 4.5 | S | S |
| Painting Metal Clad | 1 | Right | 4.5 | S | S |
| Flipping Metal Clad | 1 | Left | 4.5 | S | S |
| Cutting Metal Clad | 1 | Right | 1.5 | S | S |

intensity, with an exertional component performed $50-79 \%$ of the cycle, $\geq 20$ efforts per minute, and requiring very bad hand/wrist posture. The exposures were performed with a "fair" speed, over 4-8 hours per day (Table 18).

The mean percent duration for the 38 "hazardous" exposures was 70.696 (std. dev. $=20.873$ ). The mean percent duration for the 4 "safe" exposures was 54.583 (std. dev. $=$ 38.715). The difference between the two groups was not significant $(\mathrm{t}=-1.35, \mathrm{df}=40$, $\mathrm{p}=0.1845$ ). The mean efforts per minute for the 38 "hazardous" exposures was 25.7 (std. dev. $=17.486$ ). The mean efforts per minute for the 4 "safe" exposures was 63.654 (std. dev. $=48.146)$. The difference between the two groups was significant $(t=3.38, \mathrm{df}=40$, $p=0.0016$ ).

## Table 18.

Majority Rankings - "Hazardous" Exposures at Cut-off of SI $=5.0$

| Task Variable | Rating | Ranking | Exposure Results |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Intensity of <br> Exertion | somewhat hard | 2 | $47.50 \%$ |
| Duration of <br> Exertion | $50-79 \%$ of cycle | 4 | $40.00 \%$ |
| Efforts/Minute | $\geq 20$ | 5 | $59.50 \%$ |
| Hand/Wrist Posture | very bad | 5 | $65.00 \%$ |
| Speed | fair | 3 | $75.00 \%$ |
| Duration per Day | $4-8$ hours | 4 | $62.50 \%$ |

### 4.5.1.2 Using SI Threshold Criterion of 50.0

When comparing the window manufacturing job exposures against the $\mathrm{SI}=50.0$ threshold criterion, $20(47.62 \%)$ of the exposures were predicted to be "hazardous", and $22(52.38 \%)$ as "safe" for risk of upper extremity distal disorders to the workers. The mean SI score for the "hazardous" exposures was 101.335 (range 54-162); the mean SI score for the "safe" exposures was 19.097 (range: 1.5-48).

Those exposures ranked "hazardous" were characterized by a "somewhat hard" intensity, with an exertional component performed $\geq 80 \%$ of the cycle, $\geq 20$ efforts per minute, and requiring very bad hand/wrist posture. The exposures were performed with a "fair" speed, over 4-8 hours per day (Table 19).

## Table 19.

Majority Rankings - "Hazardous" Exposures at Cut-off of SI $=50.0$

| Task Variable | Rating | Ranking | Exposure Results |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Intensity of <br> Exertion | somewhat hard | 2 | $40.0 \%$ |
| Duration of <br> Exertion | $\geq 80 \%$ of cycle | 5 | $60.0 \%$ |
| Efforts/Minute | $\geq 20$ | 5 | $80.0 \%$ |
| Hand/Wrist Posture | very bad | 5 | $75.0 \%$ |
| Speed | fair | 3 | $75.0 \%$ |
| Duration per Day | $4-8$ hours | 4 | $75.0 \%$ |

The mean percent duration for the 20 "hazardous" exposures was 82.295 (std. dev. $=12.359)$. The mean percent duration for the 22 "safe" exposures was 57.223 (std. dev. $=$ 23.973). The difference between the two groups was significant $(\mathrm{t}=-4.19, \mathrm{df}=40, \mathrm{p}=$ 0.0001 ). The mean efforts per minute for the 20 "hazardous" exposures was 30.363 (std. dev. $=17.139$ ). The mean efforts per minute for the 22 "safe" exposures was 28.362 (std. dev. $=29.161$ ). The difference between the two groups was not significant $(t=-0.27, \mathrm{df}=$ $40, \mathrm{p}=0.7905)$.

### 4.5.2 "Safe" versus "Hazardous" Exposure Categories and Subjective Pain Data

### 4.5.2.1 Using SI Threshold Criterion of 5.0

The Strain Index was able to capture 22 (95.65\%) and failed to identify 1 (4.34\%) of the 23 exposures with worker-related subjective pain.

The majority of the "hazardous" exposures were characterized by work that was of "somewhat hard" intensity, with exertional durations of 50-79 percent of the cycle, $\geq 20$ efforts per minute, with very bad hand/wrist posture. The speed was "fair" and the work done 4-8 hours of the day (Table 21).

Table 20.
"Safe" versus "Hazardous" Exposure Categories and Subjective Pain - SI 5.0 versus 50.0

Exposure Identifier

Installing Hardware - Door Dept.
Tradesman's Choice Door Assembly
Glass Washing
Making Screens on Flat Table
Guiding Copy Router
Guiding Copy Router-A
Patio Screens
Install Hardware - Door Dept.
O Apply Weatherstripping to Jambs
Making Screens on Tilt Table
Install Windows into Doors
Door Jamb Machine Operation for Striker Plate
Glass Washing
Edge Deleting
Door Jamb Machine Operation for Hinges
Screening - Applying Pins
Applying Swiggle to Glass
Apply Hinges on Jambs
Edge Deleting
Glazing and Insert of Peepholes
Weatherstripping Applied
Weatherstripping Applied
Cutting Metal Clad

Exposure Intensity Exertion


SI Score

## Hazard Classification

 if SI cut-off $=5$ if SI cut-off $=50.0$Table 21.
Majority Rankings - Subjective Pain Occurrences at Cut-off of SI $=5.0$

| Task Variable | Rating | Ranking | Exposure Results |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Intensity of <br> Exertion | somewhat hard | 2 | $50.07 \%$ |
| Duration of <br> Exertion | $50-79$ | 4 | $54.54 \%$ |
| Efforts/Minute | $\geq 20$ | 5 | $65.22 \%$ |
| Hand/Wrist Posture | very bad | 5 | $65.22 \%$ |
| Speed | fair | 3 | $91.30 \%$ |
| Duration per Day | $4-8$ hours | 4 | $60.87 \%$ |

The mean percentage duration of exertion among the 22 exposures with the presence of subjective pain was 66.457 (std. dev. $=20.687$ ). The mean percentage duration of exertion among the 1 exposure absent of subjective pain was 26.785 . The difference between the two groups was significant $(t=-2.31, \mathrm{df}=21, \mathrm{p}=0.0312)$. The mean efforts per minute for the 22 exposures with the presence of subjective pain was 29.354 (std. dev. $=20.716$ ). The mean efforts per minute for the 1 exposure absent of subjective pain was 32.24 . The difference between the two groups was not significant $(t=0.14, \mathrm{df}=21, \mathrm{p}=0.8929)$. Note: As the group absent of subjective pain at this cut-off point was represented by a single exposure $(\mathrm{n}=1)$, it was possible to calculate the statistics however, the results of the difference between the two groups for both mean percentage duration of exertion and mean efforts per minute, are questionable.

The number of false positives at this cut-off point was 14 and there were 3 true negatives.

### 4.5.2.2 Using SI Threshold Criterion of 50.0

The Strain Index was able to capture $13(56.52 \%)$ and failed to identify 10 (43.48\%) of the 23 exposures with worker-related subjective pain when the cut-off was moved to $\mathrm{SI}=50.0$.

The majority of the "hazardous" exposures were characterized by work that was of "somewhat hard" intensity, with exertional durations of $50-80^{+}$percent of the cycle, $\geq 20$ efforts per minute, with very bad hand/wrist posture. The speed was "fair" and the work done 4-8 hours of the day (Table 22).

The mean percentage duration of exertion among the 13 exposures with the presence of subjective pain was 83.51 (std. dev. $=13.52$ ). The mean percentage duration of exertion among the 10 exposures absent of subjective pain was $60.5(\mathrm{std} . \mathrm{dev} .=$ 25.998). The difference between the two groups was significant $(\mathrm{t}=-2.76, \mathrm{df}=21, \mathrm{p}=$ 0.0119 ). The mean efforts per minute for the 13 exposures with the presence of subjective pain was 35.106 (std. dev. $=18.973$ ). The mean efforts per minute for the 10 exposures absent of subjective pain was 22.165 (std. dev. $=20.423$ ). The difference between the two groups was not significant $(\mathrm{t}=-1.57, \mathrm{df}=21, \mathrm{p}=0.1316)$.

There were 5 false positives and 12 true negatives at the SI cut-off of 50.0.

## Table 22.

Majority Rankings - Subjective Pain Occurrences at Cut-off of SI $=50.0$

| Task Variable | Rating | Ranking | Exposure Results |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Intensity of <br> Exertion | somewhat hard | 2 | $50.0 \%$ |
| Duration of <br> Exertion | $50-79$ <br> $\geq 80$ | 4 | $50.0 \%$ |
| Efforts/Minute | $\geq 20$ | 5 | $50.0 \%$ |
| Hand/Wrist Posture | very bad | 5 | $92.9 \%$ |
| Speed | fair | 3 | $71.42 \%$ |
| Duration per Day | $4-8$ hours | 4 | $85.71 \%$ |

4.5.3. "Safe" versus "Hazardous" Exposure Categories and Morbidity Data

### 4.5.3.1 Using SI Threshold Criterion of 5.0

The Strain Index was able to capture 5 (83.33\%) of the 23 exposures with associated morbidity and failed to identify 1 (16.66\%).

The majority of the "hazardous" exposures were characterized by work that was of "hard" and "very hard" intensities, exertional durations of $\geq 80$ percent of the cycle, $\geq 20$ efforts per minute, with very bad hand/wrist posture. The speed was "fair" and the work

Table 23.
"Safe" versus "Hazardous" Exposure Categories and Morbidity - SI 5.0 vs. 50.0

| Exposure Identifier | Exposure | Intensity | Duration of Exertion (\% job cycle) | Efforts/Minute | Hand/Wrist Posture | Speed of Work | Duration per Day | SI Score | Hazard Classification if SI Cut-off $=5$ | Hazard Classification if SI Cut-off $=\mathbf{5 0}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Guiding Copy Router-A | right | very hard | 100 | 31.2 | fair | fair | 4-8 hours |  |  |  |
| Guiding Copy Router | right | very hard | 91.2 | 37.6 | fair | fair | 4-8 hours | $\begin{aligned} & 121.5 \\ & 1215 \end{aligned}$ | $H$ $H$ | H H |
| Making Patio Screens | right | hard | 65.2 | 30.9 | very bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 121.5 108 | H | $H$ $H$ |
| Applying Weather Stripping to Jambs | right | somewhat hard | 94.3 | 38.3 | very bad | fair | 4-8 hours | 108 81 | H | H |
| Trimming Brick Mould | right | hard | 66.7 | 20.4 | very bad | fair | 1-2 hours | 54 | H | H |
| Cutting Metal Clad | left | light | 18.3 | 39.2 | very bad | fair | 1-2 hours | 4.5 | S | S |

done 4-8 hours of the day (Table 24).

Table 24.
Majority Rankings - Morbidity Occurrences at Cut-off of SI $=5.0$ and 50.0

| Task Variable | Rating | Ranking | Exposure Results |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Intensity of <br> Exertion | hard <br> very hard | 4 | $\geq 80$ |
| Duration of <br> Exertion | 5 | $40.0 \%$ <br> $40.0 \%$ |  |
| Efforts/Minute | $\geq 20$ | 5 | $60.0 \%$ |
| Hand/Wrist Posture | very bad | 5 | $100.0 \%$ |
| Speed | fair | 3 | $60.0 \%$ |
| Duration per Day | $4-8$ hours | 4 | $100.0 \%$ |

The mean percentage duration of exertion among the 5 exposures with the presence of morbidity was 83.463 (std. dev. $=16.337$ ). The mean percentage duration of exertion among the 1 exposure absent of morbidity was 18.333 . The difference between the two groups was significant $(\mathrm{t}=-3.64, \mathrm{df}=4, \mathrm{p}=0.0220)$. The mean efforts per minute for the 5 exposures with the presence of morbidity was 31.675 (std. dev. $=7.1989$ ). The mean efforts per minute for the 1 exposure absent of morbidity was 39.23 . The difference between the two groups was not significant $(t=0.96, \mathrm{df}=4, \mathrm{p}=0.3923)$. Note: As the group absent of morbidity was represented by a single exposure $(\mathrm{n}=1)$, it was possible to calculate the statistics however, the results for the differences between the two groups for both the mean percentage duration of exertion and mean efforts per minute are
questionable.

The number of false positives at this cut-off point was very large at $\mathrm{FP}=33$ and the true negatives equalled 3 .

### 4.5.3.2 Using SI Threshold Criterion of 50.0

Similar to the $\mathrm{SI}=5.0$ cut-off, the Strain Index was again able to successfully capture $5(83.33 \%)$ of the morbidity occurrences, and failed to identify $1(16.66 \%)$ of the 6 exposures. The work characteristics for the majority of the "hazardous" exposures, and the values relating to mean percent duration of exertion and mean efforts per minute were also identical to those for the $\mathrm{SI}=5.0$ cut-off.

With the Strain Index cut-off being raised to 50.0, the false positive rate dropped from 33 (for $\mathrm{SI}=5.0$ ) to 15 , and the true negative rate rose from 3 (at $\mathrm{SI}=5.0$ ) to 21 . The SI cut-off level of 50.0 was therefore deemed the more appropriate discriminator between the "safe" and "hazardous" exposures for morbidity occurrences.

## Discussion

### 4.6 Unexpected Problems With Conducting the Study

### 4.6.1 Mobile Workforce

Employment in the woodworking industries in Manitoba over the past few years has been extremely transient, due to the hourly wage level and the surplus of positions available. Despite attempts to secure a stable subject base when planning the study, four workers were lost between the time of the videotaping and the questionnaire-based interviews. Reorganization of the study protocol whereby the interviews followed directly after the videotaping to ensure participation of all subjects was not possible. This was due to a pre-scheduled relocation of one of the testing sites, the satellite plant, to the company's main facility four weeks after the exposure data collection commenced.

### 4.6.2 The Use of Means versus Medians When Examining the Trial Data

Working with wood in an assembly situation, although repetitive and reproducible, is not necessarily consistent. Imperfections in the wood can cause situations where more varying degrees of exertion and efforts per minute are required to achieve the same end product/job. During the data collection and reduction process, it became apparent that the Strain Index scores should be based on the median of the task values from the trials and not the mean, as in the original Moore and Garg (1995) paper and most recently in Knox and Moore (in press) and Rucker and Moore (in press). To eliminate trials from the
raw data based on less than perfect situations would misrepresent the nature of the work performed and consequently create overall Strain Index scores of lesser severity; to eliminate the most perfect of scenarios would cause the overall Strain Index scores for each exposure to reflect higher severity. As such, the exposure trial data, where there are wide differences in variable values at either end of a given range, would cause skewing of the final Strain Index score for the particular exposure. By measuring using the median, the individual results of the data were arranged from the smallest to the largest and the middle value was selected, yielding a better representation of the actual situation.

### 4.6.3 Morbidity Data Collection

It was not possible to obtain WCB of Manitoba "Employer Report of Injury or Occupational Disease" records prior to the year the study commenced, as the company was bought out by a larger corporation and there was no transfer of these documents. Blinding of the principal investigator and the job analysts to the morbidity data caused the discovery of this unfortunate situation to become apparent only after the new management took over the company operation and all the study data was analyzed. Searching through the Manitoba Workers Compensation Board database was not possible by company name due to filing protocols; searching by injured party name was financially not practicable.

### 4.6.4 Length of Study/ Reliability and Validation

Throughout all the Strain Index validation studies there has been no mention of the length of time taken to actually perform the data collection, tabulate the Strain Index
scores, review the morbidity data, and test for evidence of association. Descriptions of the Strain Index methodology (Moore \& Garg, 1995; Hegmann, Garg, and Moore, 1997; Knox \& Moore (in press); Rucker \& Moore (in press)) appear to be straightforward, but fail to elaborate on potential pitfalls of actually carrying out the procedure in an industrial setting. Despite every consideration on the part of the employer to facilitate this study, the shop floor presented very busy work and traffic areas. The principal investigator and the company-assigned assistant were chronically looking for the best angle to conduct the testing, often dodging normal worker and machinery traffic flow. Due to the nature of the industry, it was occasionally necessary to wait while the workers obtained parts and assembly pieces from other areas of the plant before or during the recording of the multiple trials. (It should be noted that only complete, non-interrupted trials were used for the study.) Once the data was collected, the camcorder tapes were transferred and duplicated onto VHS tapes for distribution to the job analysts. This enabled conferencing to occur with the principal investigator in person or via telephone, as required.

This study, performed in the window manufacturing industry, has taken an approximate three years to complete, primarily due to the length of time required to videotape the complex jobs with long cycle times for the specified number of trials, and to perform the data reduction of each exposure trial. Due to the nature of the Strain Index formula, each trial must be reviewed numerous times in order to retrieve the required measurements of duration of exertion, efforts per minute, and hand/wrist posture. The performance of test-retest scenarios to determine reliability of the Strain Index becomes
unrealistic, simply due to the time commitment required.

The predictive validity however was evaluated as per the norm, with an additional analysis procedure using receiver-operator characteristic curves to determine whether another criterion threshold Strain Index score was more appropriate for the window manufacturing industry.

### 4.7 Overall Weighting of the Task Variables

The multiple regression analysis determined that the intensity of exertion was the most weighted contribution of all the task variables in the Strain Index equation. This finding is consistent with conference discussions given by Hegmann, Garg, and Moore (1997) on the application of the Strain Index, and the rationale behind the development of the new draft ACGIH Threshold Limit Value (TLV) regarding hand activity level (HAL) and peak hand force (ACGIH, 2001). The TLV targets jobs involving the performance of similar sets of hand, wrist, forearm movements or exertions in a repetitious manner, for 4 or more hours per day. The hand activity level is based on the duty cycle and frequency of hand exertions. It has been developed to set a standard which is believed to allow nearly all workers the ability to perform repetitious hand activity without risk of adverse health effects.

### 4.8 Receiver-Operator Characteristic Curves

Receiver-operator characteristic curves represent a graphing technique used in
engineering, medical diagnostics, and imaging disciplines to illustrate and aid in the interpretation of test results (Zou, 2001). Their use dates back to early problem-solving carried out by radar and other imaging personal to distinguish aircraft signals from extraneous noise (Sackett, Haynes, Guyatt, and Tugwell, 1991).

By plotting the sensitivity (true positive rates) along the " $y$ " axis and the 1 - specificity (the false positives) along the " $x$ " axis, it is possible to determine the implications of using different cut-off points. The cut-off point closest to the upper left hand corner of the graph represents the best trade-off between the sensitivity and specificity (Young, 1998). The investigator must then "fine tune" their interpretation of the results by selecting the cut-off point that makes the most sense for the test result under study. For example, if false positives are particularly harmful, the investigator should select a cut-off point on the graph that is located in the more leftward direction, hence minimizing the false positive rate. However, if missing false negatives in a study proves very dangerous, the investigator should choose the cut-off point which maximizes the true positive rate (Sackett, et al., 1991). The overall accuracy of the test is described by the area under the curve - the larger the area, the more accurate the test (Fletcher, Fletcher, and Wagner, 1988; McDowell and Newell, 1996).

Receiver-operator characteristic curves are a reasonable method to determine the best cut-off between "safe" and "hazardous" jobs, in combination with the $2 \times 2$ contingency tables and associated calculations (positive predictive value, negative
predictive value, odds ratio) for both subjective pain (distal upper extremity exposurerelated symptoms) and morbidity using the Strain Index methodology (T.K. Young, personal communication, March 29, 2001).

The use of receiver-operator characteristic curves to determine the point where the best trade-off between sensitivity and specificity occurs, demonstrated that an SI score of 50.0 optimized the association between "safe" versus "hazardous" exposures with the subjective pain and morbidity data. For exposures with associated subjective pain, an SI cut-off of 50.0 failed to identify 10 (43.47\%), but caught 13 (56.5\%) of the 23 exposures and reduced the number of exposures with no associated subjective pain (false positives) from 13 to 5 . The threshold of $\mathrm{SI}=50.0$ still allowed 5 out of $6(83.3 \%)$ of the exposures with associated morbidity to be correctly identified as "hazardous", but decreased the number of "hazardous" exposures with no associated morbidity (false positives) from 33 to 15 .

### 4.9 Strain Index Criterion Threshold Scores - $\mathbf{5 . 0}$ versus $\mathbf{5 0 . 0}$

The ten-fold increase in the Strain Index cut-off point, as determined by the ROC curves, in this study raises definite questions regarding the validation of the Strain Index. Given that two recent studies (Knox \& Moore (in press) and Rucker \& Moore (in press)) have supported the predictive validity of the Strain Index using the $\mathrm{SI}=5.0$ cut-off as the best discriminator between "safe" and "hazardous" jobs/exposures compared with morbidity, a search for plausible explanations for the discrepancy is needed.

In reviewing the particular features of this study, several study differences should be
noted:

1. This is the first Strain Index study to be performed in the window manufacturing industry.
2. The jobs were primarily multi-faceted in nature, not simple as in previous investigations.
3. The power of this study was increased by modifying the original Moore and Garg (1995) protocol by:
(a) having the workers report their perceived effort (intensity of exertion) and speed of work, as opposed to the principal investigator, and
(b) verifying the hand/wrist postures on the videotapes against actual goniometer readings taken during the data collection period by the principal investigator.

As in some of the other studies,

1. There was no control over the spread of the true positive, false positive, false negative, and true negative values, as the principal investigator and the two job analysts were blinded to morbidity data until after the Strain Index scores had been tabulated. The job analysts were also blinded to the subjective pain data. The
principal investigator who conducted the questionnaire-based interviews after the videotaping was completed, was blinded to the Strain Index scores until after the tabulations were completed by the job analysts.
2. There is always speculation that there may be under-reporting occurring regarding the morbidity data and this has been documented in the literature (Pransky, et al., 1999). Language barriers, the desire to simply not want to bother because it takes too much time, or the perception of being seen as a trouble maker are all possible explanations for this occurrence. With the transient workforce, it is possible that a cumulative trauma disorder may not appear until after the worker has left his current employment, or conversely, an injury precipitated at another workplace may occur as a morbidity claim shortly after a new worker arrives. There is also the issue of misclassification of injuries either from a missed diagnosis, failure by the employer/physician to complete the Manitoba Workers Compensation Board forms correctly, or coding issues occurring at the point of data entry.

### 4.10 Practicality of the Study Findings to the Workplace

The implication of using the Strain Index in this industry becomes a safety and a dollar and cents issue. If the ergonomist reports that $95 \%$ of the job exposures must be changed because they exceed the $\mathrm{SI}=5.0$ threshold and therefore are assumed "hazardous" for risk of injury, the company is then faced with some very difficult decisions. These would include for example, "Where do we start first?" and "How do we afford to make
these changes?". Not being able to justify $78 \%$ of the exposures with associated morbidity will surely make the company's management think twice before spending the money to make changes. If the Ergonomist however, reports that the initiative should focus on $48 \%$ of the job exposures which still captures 5 out of the 6 injuries (83.33\%)(the same as a SI score $=5.0$ ), then the ergonomic intervention strategy becomes more realistic, easier to prioritize and obtain necessary funding to make changes.

The results of the subjective pain assessment, although expected, due to the nature of the work, will support the need for management to listen to workers, as they are experienced and know the issues related to their job demands well. The need to implement sound ergonomic principles and work methods in a larger proportion of the window manufacturing jobs is apparent. By being proactive, future injuries can no doubt be minimized and hopefully avoided.

## CHAPTER 5

## CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

## Conclusions

1. The Strain Index scores in this window manufacturing study were primarily influenced by the intensity of exertion task variable.
2. The Strain Index criterion threshold score of 5.0 suggested by Moore and Garg (1995) to discriminate between "safe" and "hazardous" jobs was not found to be the optimal cut-off point for the window manufacturing jobs. Rather, a Strain Index score of 50.0 offered the best trade-off between the sensitivity and specificity for both subjective pain and morbidity.
3. The analysis of subjective pain data suggests that the Ergonomists' philosophy that "the workers know their job the best" holds true when evaluated against morbidity data. Attention should be paid to implementing ergonomic review and appropriate interventions when workers report subjective pain. Prompt response times may aid in reducing/eliminating potential future injury claims.

## Recommendations

1. Further validation of the Strain Index is needed particularly in multi-faceted jobs where the work requirements are complex and long in cycle length.
2. Receiver-operator characteristic (ROC) curves should be administered to the data from the other Strain Index validation studies to determine whether the conclusions drawn, regarding the predictive validity of the Strain Index using the cut-off score of 5.0 would hold.
3. The task variable data from this study should now be analyzed against the Hand Activity Level TLV to test its validity.
4. The impact of multi-faceted jobs/exposures on the Strain Index score should be analyzed in order to examine the potential difference in scores when individual components of a job are treated as separate entities, as opposed to being added together and treated as a single job.
5. Further examination of the value of subjective pain data, as a tool and an early warning sign, for identifying potentially "hazardous" jobs should be conducted.

## APPENDIX

Appendix A

Research Subject Information and Consent Form

# RESEARCH SUBJECT INFORMATION AND CONSENT FORM 

"Validation of the Strain Index in the Manufacturing Industry"

You are being asked to participate in a research study. Research studies can include only individuals who choose to take part. Please take your time to review this consent form and discuss any questions you may have with Ms. Wands. You may take your time to make your decision about participating in this research study and you may discuss it with your friends and family. This consent form may contain words that you do not understand. Please ask Ms. Wands to explain any words or information that you do not clearly understand.

Aches and pains, both at the end of a work day and sometimes as one works, are very common complaints of people who work in the manufacturing industry. These aches and pains can sometimes lead to an injury which can cause a worker to be absent from work and have to seek the assistance of a medical doctor or a rehabilitation specialist, like a physiotherapist or occupational therapist, in order to get better.
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The Strain Index has been suggested as a way to classify jobs as either "hazardous" or "safe" based on the risk of aches and pains or injury in a worker's elbows, forearms, wrists, or hands. Performing jobs that require enough force, repeated actions, and/or a long time to get done during the day are known by experts to cause a higher risk of injury to the person's muscles and their skeletal system. The first testing of the Strain Index in an actual industrial setting took place in a pork processing plant. The researchers found that by analyzing six factors (intensity of effort, duration of effort per cycle, efforts per minute, hand/wrist posture, speed of effort and duration of task per day) they could accurately identify the jobs which could cause elbow, forearm, wrist and hand problems to the workers. A 'cycle' is simply the length of time some activity (for example, building a frame) takes to complete.

The purpose of the study you are being introduced to today, is to test whether the Strain Index is an accurate way to predict the risk of injury to workers in manufacturing jobs. This will be done by classifying the jobs selected as either "hazardous" or "safe" based on risk of injury to the elbow, forearm, wrist and hand areas. The results will then be compared against existing injury records and personal information from each participant. Should the results of this study find that the Strain Index does not accurately predict risk in manufacturing jobs, attempts will be made to change the Index to make it better. At that time, the Index will be retested. The new Index will also be tested in another manufacturing company using the original testing procedures and assessed.

Volunteers for the study must receive written permission to participate from their employer. The jobs which will be used for this study will be randomly selected from those that require primarily hand, wrist, forearm, and elbow actions to complete each task. The worker(s) performing each job selected will be asked to participate in the study. It is necessary to videotaping and take pictures, as well as to record the amount of time taken to perform each job (to a maximum of ten times) in order to collect the information necessary
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to calculate the Strain Index. These measurements will be taken as the worker performs his/her daily tasks. Following the final recorded job, the worker will be asked to rate the amount of force they have exerted and the speed with which they performed their work using a scale provided by the researcher. Measurements of hand/wrist postures using a special angled ruler will be taken during two other job cycles which will not be recorded or timed. No discomfort or pain to the worker will be associated with these measurements, as the special ruler is simply placed along side the forearm and hand, and moved to the position used during the work being performed. Measurements will be taken during various times during the job cycle. Each worker will be required to complete a questionnaire which deals with personal information related to risk factors for aches and pains or injury to the shoulders, elbows, forearms, wrists, and hands. All testing will be completed at work.

The job cycles recorded with videotape will be converted to VHS format and analyzed in conjunction with the effort/speed records by hand for the six factors included in the Strain Index (intensity of effort, duration of effort, efforts per minute, hand/wrist posture, speed of work, and duration of task) using a television, VHS recorder, stop watch, counting machine, and special angle ruler. The results will be entered onto tally sheets and entered into a computer database for purposes of calculating and recording the Strain Index for each job observed. Job repetition times and hand/wrist measurements taken with the special ruler on-site will be used to verify the video results. Company accident/injury records, Workers Compensation Board (WCB) statistics (with permission of the Company), and questionnaire answers on personal risk factors will then be reviewed to determine whether any association exists between the job classifications and existing injury and/or personal risk data.

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Participation in this study is voluntary and subjects have the right to withdraw from the testing procedure at any time without prejudice. Subjects will not be paid for participating in this project. The results of the study may be used in research papers, lectures and presentations. The identity of the subjects will be kept strictly confidential and will not be associated with the findings in any way. The employer will not be able to look at the questionnaire answers; the employer will only be told which jobs have been classified as 'hazardous' or 'safe', in order that improvements can be considered.

Questions about the participating in this project can be directed during Monday to Friday, 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM to:

Susan E. Wands, Principal Researcher<br>(204) 945-4459

Full Member HFAC/ACE
(Ms. Wands works as a professional Ergonomist with Manitoba Labour Workplace Safety and Health. She is also a graduate student with the Faculty of Engineering, University of Manitoba. This study is being conducted as part of her Masters and Ph.D. theses requirements.)

Arun Garg, Ph.D.,C.P.E.
Professor and Director
Ergonomics Laboratory
Industrial \& Manufacturing Engineering
University of Wisconsin Milwaukee
Milwaukee, Wisconsin U.S.A.
(Dr. Garg is one of the researchers who created the Strain Index. His role in this project is that of theses advisor, technical support.)
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A.B. Thorton-Trump, Ph.D., P.Eng. (204) 474-8699 Professor<br>Mechanical \& Industrial Engineering<br>University of Manitoba<br>Winnipeg, Manitoba

(Dr. Thorton-Trump's role in this project is that of theses advisor, administrative support.)

Or
If you have any questions relating to the rights of the individual when participating in research, please call:

The University of Manitoba
(204) 787-3255

Faculty Committee on the Use of Human Subjects in Research
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## Do not sign this consent form unless you have a chance to ask questions and have received satisfactory answers to all of your questions.

## Consent

I have read this consent form. I have had the opportunity to discuss this research study with Susan Wands and or the other study staff. I have had my questions answered by them in language I understand. The risk and benefits have been explained to me. I understand that I will be given a copy of this consent form after signing it. I understand that my participation in this research project is voluntary and that I may choose to withdraw at any time. I freely agree to participate in this research study.

I understand that information regarding my personal identity will be kept confidential, and that my employer does not have access to the information gathered on the questionnaires.

I authorize Ms. S. Wands, Dr. A. Garg and Dr. A.B. Thorton-Trump to use the results of this research provided that my name is not associated with the findings in any way.

By signing this consent form, I have not waived any of the legal rights which I otherwise would have as a subject in a research study.

Participant signature $\qquad$
Participant printed name $\qquad$
Study staff signature $\qquad$
Study staff printed name $\qquad$
$\qquad$

Appendix B

## A User's Guide for the Strain Index

## A User's Guide for the Strain Index

This guide describes how to perform the five steps associated with using the Strain Index. Page 1 describes the rating criteria and the measurements and calculations for the six task variables. The numerical ranges for assigning rating criteria for the subjective iables are only guidelines. Page 2 includes a table for entering your data and guides you through calculating an SI score.

## Step 1: Data Collection:

1. Intensity of Exertion is an estimate of the strength required to perform the task one time. Guidelines for assigning a rating criterion are presented in the following table. Write the most appropriate rating criterion into the data table.

| Rating Criterion | \% MS ${ }^{\wedge}$ | Borg Scale ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Light | $<10 \%$ | - $\leq 2$ | Parely noticeable Effort |
| Somewhat Hard | 10\%-29\% | 3 | Barely noticeable or relaxed effort |
| Hard | 30\%-49\% | 4-5 | Obvious effort; Unchanged facial expression |
| Very Hard Near Maximal | 50\%-79\% | 6-7 | Substantial effort; Changes facial expression |
| Near Maximal | $\geq 80^{\circ}$ | $>7$ | Uses shoulder or trunk to generate force |

2. Duration of Exertion is calculated by measuring the duration of all exertions during an observation period, then dividing the measured duration of exertion by the total observation time and muliplying by 100 .
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% DURATON OF EXERTION = 100 x duration of all exerions(sec) = 100 x
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``` total observation time (sec)
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3. EFFORTS PER MINUTE are measured by counting the number of exertions that occur during an observation period, then dividing the number of exertions by the duration of the observation period, measured in minutes.

EfFORTS PER MINUTE $=$ $\qquad$ $=$ $\qquad$ $=$ $\qquad$
4. Havd/Wrist Posture is an estimate of the position of the hand or wrist relative to neutral position. Guidelines for assigning a rating criterion are presented in the following table. Enter the result in the data table.

| Rating Criterion | Wrist Extension^ | Wrist Flexion | Ulnar Deviation | Perceived Posture |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Very Good | $0^{\circ}-10^{\circ}$ | $0^{\circ}-5^{\circ}$ | $0^{\circ}-10^{\circ}$ | Perfectly neutral |
| Good | $11^{\circ}-25^{\circ}$ | $6^{\circ}-15^{\circ}$ | $11^{\circ}-15^{\circ}$ | Near neutral |
| Fair | $26^{\circ}-40^{\circ}$ | $16^{\circ}-30^{\circ}$ | $16^{\circ}-20^{\circ}$ | Non-neutral |
| Bad | $41^{\circ}-55^{\circ}$ | $31^{\circ}-50^{\circ}$ | $21^{\circ}-25^{\circ}$ | Marked deviation |
| Very Bad | $>60^{\circ}$ | $>50^{\circ}$ | $>25^{\circ}$ | Near extreme |
| Derived from data presented in Stetson etal..$^{\circ 20}$ |  |  |  |  |

5. Speed of Work is an estimate how fast the worker is working. Guidelines for assigning a rating criterion are presented in the following table. Enter the result in the data table.

| Rating Criterion | Compared to MTM-1' | Perceived Speed |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Very Slow | $\leq 80 \%$ | Extremely relaxed pace |
| Slow | $81-90 \%$ | "Taking one's own time" |
| Fair | $91-100 \%$ | "Normal" speed of motion |
| Fast | $101-115 \%$ | Rushed, but able to keep up |
| Very Fast | $>115 \%$ | Rushed and barely or unable to keep up |
| T The observed pace is divided by MTM-l's prediced pace and expressed as a percentage of predicted See Bannes. |  |  |

6. Duration of Task per Day is either measured or obtained from plant personnel. Enter the result in the data table.

## STEP 2: ASSIGN RATINGS VALUES

Use the table below to find the rating values for each task variable. Select the appropriate entry for each variable, then find the corresponding rating value is on the same row at the far left.

| Rating <br> Values | Intensity of Exertion | Duration of <br> Exertion | Effors/ <br> Minute | Hand/Wrist <br> Posture | Speed of Work | Duration per <br> Day |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathbf{1}$ | Light | $<10$ | $<4$ | Very Good | Very Slow | $\leq 1$ |
| $\mathbf{2}$ | Somewhat Hard | $10-29$ | $4-8$ | Good | Slow. | $1-2$ |
| $\mathbf{3}$ | Hard | $30-49$ | $9-14$ | Fair | Fair | $2-4$ |
| 4 | Very Hard | $50-79$ | $15-19$ | Bad | Fast | $4-8$ |
| $\mathbf{5}$ | Near Maximal | $\geq 80$ | $\geq 20$ | Very Bad | Very Fast | $\geq 8$ |

## Step 3: Determine the Multipliers

| Rating <br> Value | Intensity of <br> Exertion | Duration of <br> Exertion | Effors/ <br> Minute | Hand/Wrist <br> Posture | Speed of Work | Duration per <br> Day |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 1 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 0.25 |
| 2 | 3 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 0.5 |
| 3 | 6 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.0 | 0.75 |
| 4 | 9 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 1.5 | 1.0 |
| 5 | 13 | $3.0^{\wedge}$ | $3.0^{\mu}$ | 3.0 | 2.0 | 1.5 |

## EATER Your Data Here:

|  | Intensity of <br> Exertion | Duration of <br> Exertion | Efforts/ <br> Minute | Hand/Wrist <br> Posture | Speed of <br> Work | Duration <br> per Day |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Step 1: <br> Rating Criterion or <br> Measured Result |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Step 2: <br> Rating Value |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Step 3: <br> Multiplier |  | . |  |  |  |  |

## Step 4: Calculate the SI Score

Insert the multiplier values for each of the 6 task variables into the spaces below, then multiply them all together.


## Step 5: Interpret the Result

Preliminary testing has revealed that jobs associated with distal upper extremity disorders had SI Scores greater than 5 . SI Scores less than or equal to 3 are probably "safe." SI Scores greater than or equal to 7 are probably "hazardous." The Strain Index does not consider stresses related to localized mechanical compression. This risk factor should be considered separately.

## Appendix C

Assessment of Risk Factors for the Distal Upper Extremity and Shoulder Disorders
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## Questionnaire

## Assessment of Risk Factors for Distal Upper Extremity and Shoulder Disorders

1. Date
2. Company Name $\qquad$
3. Job Title $\qquad$
4. Age $\qquad$ years
5. Name $\qquad$
6. Department $\qquad$
7. Job $\qquad$
8. Gender

- M
$\square F$

9. Height $\qquad$ Ft. $\qquad$ inches
10. Body Weight $\qquad$ lbs.
11. Are you?

- Right handed
- Left handed
- Write with either hand

12. How long have you worked with the current employer? $\qquad$ years $\qquad$ months
13. How long have you worked in this job? $\qquad$ years $\qquad$ months

## 14. Do you rotate to another job? <br> - Yes <br> - No

If yes, job title(s) for the other job(s) $\qquad$
15. Are you a smoker?
$\square$ Yes
ㅁ No
a. If yes, do you smoke:
$\square$ cigarettes

- cigars

ㅁ pipe
b. If yes, how many do you smoke per day? $\square 10$ or less $\quad 11$ to $20 \quad \square$ more than 20
16. Do you exercise on a regular basis?
$\square$ Yes

- No
a. If yes, type of exercise ?
b. If yes, number of times/week $\qquad$

17. Are you currently:
a. Pregnant

- Yes
$\square$ No
- Not applicable
b. Using birth control pills?
ㅁ Yes
ㅁ No
$\square$ Not applicable

18. Do you have hobbies that involve repetitive use of your hands, e.g., gardening, woodworking, knitting, using computer, etc.?
$\square$ Yes $\quad$ No If yes, please list your hobbies? $\qquad$
How many hours/week do you usually spend on these hobbies? $\qquad$ hours/week
19. Do you have a second job?

- Yes
- No

20. Does your second job involve repetitive use of your hands? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No $\quad$ Not applicable
21. Does your second job involve working with upper arms raised (example, painting walls and ceilings) or lifting of 25 lbs or more several times above chest height? $\quad$ Yes $\quad$ № $\quad$ Not applicable
22. Have you ever been told by a physician that you had any of the following?

## Year diagnosed

a. Diabetes
b. Arthritis
c. Thyroid problem

| $\square$ Yes | $\square$ No | - |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\square$ Yes | $\square$ No | - |
| $\square$ Yes | $\square$ No | $\square$ |
| $\square$ Yes | $\square$ No | $\square$ |
| $\square$ Yes | $\square$ No | $\square$ |
| $\square$ Yes | $\square$ No | - |
| $\square$ Yes | $\square N o$ | - |
| $\square$ Yes | $\square N o$ | $\square$ |
| $\square$ Yes | $\square$ No | $\square$ |

23. In your job are you required to meet a specific performance standard?
$\square$ Yes $\square$ No
a. If yes, is the performance standard:
$\square$ Easy to meet $\square$ Neither easy nor difficult to meet $\square$ Difficult to meet
b. If yes, is disciplinary action taken for not meeting the standard? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No $\square$ Maybe
24. How would you classify your work pace?

| $\square$ Relaxed | $\square$ Neither relaxed |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| nor fast |  |$\quad \square$ Fast $\quad \square$ Very fast but $\quad \square$| Very fast and |
| :--- |
| can keep up |$\quad$| cannot keep up |
| :---: |

25. Using the scale on the right, please rate the overall physical effort required to perform your job at the beginning of the shift as well as at the end of the shift for each of the following body parts

| Body Part | Overall Physical effort required |  |  |  |  | Scale |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | At th of shi | beginning | At the shift | nd of | 0 |  |
|  | Left Side | Right Side | Left Side | Right Side | 0.5 | Very, very light |
| Neck |  |  |  |  | 1 | Very light |
|  |  |  |  |  | 2 | Light |
| Shoulder |  |  |  |  | 3 | Moderate |
|  |  |  |  |  | 4 | Somewhat hard |
|  |  |  |  |  | 5 | Hard |
| Elbow |  |  |  |  | 6 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 7 | Very hard |
| Forearm |  |  |  |  | 8 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 9 |  |
| Hand/wrist |  |  |  |  | 10 | Very very hard |
|  |  |  |  |  | 11 | Maximal |

26. All in all, how satisfied are you with your job?
$\square$ Satisfied $\quad \square$ Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
$\square$ Dissatisfied
27. How often have you considered employment elsewhere in the past year? $\square$ Never $\square$ Occasionally $\square$ Often Always
28. How often does your job require full attention?
$\square$ Never
$\square$ Occasionally

- Often
$\square$ Always

29．How often can you set the rate（pace）at which you work？ －Never $\quad$ Occasionally
－Often
ㅁ Always

30．Does your supervisor appreciate the work that you do？
$\square$ Never
$\square$ Occasionally
口Often
－Always

31．In the past year，have you had pain，aching，stiffness，burning，numbness or tingling whether work related or not in any of the following body parts？

|  | None | Pain | Stiffness | Numbness | Tingling |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Left Neck | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ |
| Right Neck | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ |
| Left Shoulder | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ |
| Right Shoulder | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ |
| Left Elbow | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ |
| Right Elbow | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ |
| Left Forearm | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ |
| Right Forearm | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ |
| Left Hand／Wrist | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ |
| Right Hand／Wrist | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ |

32．If you checked none for all the body parts in question number 31，stop．You are done．
If Yes in question number 31，when was first time you experienced this problem and was it related to work？

| Body Part | Experienced Symptoms First Time： |  | Related to Work |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Before starting current job？ | After starting current job？ |  |
| Left Neck | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ Yes 口 No 口Uncertain |
| Right Neck | － | 口 | $\square$ Yes םNo－Uncertain |
| Left Shoulder | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ Yes $\square$ No $\quad$ U Uncertain |
| Right Shoulder | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ Yes $\square$ No $\square$ Uncertain |
| Left Elbow | $\square$ | ㅁ | $\square$ Yes $\square$ No $\quad$ Uncertain |
| Right Elbow | 口 | $\square$ | $\square$ Yes $\square$ No $\square$ Uncertain |
| Left Forearm | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square \mathrm{Yes}$－No 口 Uncertain |
| Right Forearm | ㅁ | 口 | $\square$ Yes $\square$ No－Uncertain |
| Left Hand／Wrist | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square \mathrm{Yes}$ 口 No 口 Uncertain |
| Right Hand／Wrist | $\square$ | $\square$ | $\square$ Yes $\square$ No $\square$ Uncertain |

33. For all the body parts marked yes in question number 31, use the following scales to specify frequency, duration and intensity of symptoms. Please also specify side of body for for symptoms ( $\mathbf{L}=$ Left side; $\mathbf{R}=$ Right side; $\mathbf{B}=$ Both sides).

Frequency
(How often in the last year?)

1. Almost always (daily)
2. Frequently (once/week)
3. Sometimes (once/month)
4. Rarely (every 2-3 months)
5. Almost never (every 6 months)

## Duration

(How long do they last?)

1. Up to 1 hour
2. Up to 1 day
3. Up to 1 week
4. Up to 2 weeks
5. Up to 1 month
6. Up to 3 months
7. More than 3 months

| Body Part | Symptoms (past year) | Frequency | Duration | Intensity |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Left Neck | $\square \mathrm{Yes} \square \mathrm{No}$ |  |  |  |
| Right Neck | $\square \mathrm{Yes} \square \mathrm{No}$ |  |  |  |
| Left Shoulder | $\square$ Yes $\square$ No |  |  |  |
| Right Shoulder | $\square$ Yes $\square$ No |  |  |  |
| Left Elbow | $\square$ Yes $\quad$ No |  |  |  |
| Right Elbow | $\square \mathrm{Yes} \square \mathrm{No}$ |  |  |  |
| Left Forearm | $\square$ Yes $\quad$ No |  |  |  |
| Right Forearm | $\square \mathrm{Yes} \square \mathrm{No}$ |  |  |  |
| Left Hand/Wrist | $\square \mathrm{Yes}$ ロ No |  |  |  |
| Right Hand/Wrist | $\square \mathrm{Yes}$ - No |  |  |  |

34. If you had shoulder symptoms in question number 31, does that pain spread to or from the neck?
Left Shoulder

- Yes
$\square$ No
Right Shoulder $\quad$ Yes
ㅁ No


## Appendix D

WCB of Manitoba Employer Report of Injury or Occupational Disease

PLEASE PRINT BELOW INFORMATION WHICH HAS NOT ALREADY BEEN COMPLETED OR IS INCORRECTLY SHOWN

## Board of Manitoba

## 333 Broadway

Winnipeg, Man. R3C 4W3
|WORKER'S BIRTH DATE $\mid$ SEX $\mid$ MARITAL STATUS


THIS NUMBER IS REQUIRED ON ALL COMMUNICATIONS ABOUT CLAIM


SAUSE THE INJURY


## CONTRACT WORKERS:

1. a) If injured worker employed on contract basis, have earnings been reported to the WCB on Employers Statement of Earnings? $\square$ No $\square$ Yes If yes, at what percentage? $\qquad$ What was the value of the contract? \$ $\qquad$ Duration of the contract?
2. List other projects worker has performed in past twelve months. Include value and duration of each.
(If possible, attach copies of all contract listed. If insufficient room - attach separate list)
3. Did the worker supply any materials or equipment? $\square$ No $\square$ Yes, please specify $\qquad$
4. In which assessment rate code were worker's earnings reported?
5. To your knowledge, is the worker in a partnership or director of a corporation contracting with your firm? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No To your -knowledge, does the worker employ other workers? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No

## COURIERS \& MESSENGERS:

1. Is the worker a commissioned broker? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No a salaried employee? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No
2. Circle rate code where worker's earnings have been reported. $\quad 501-08 \quad 503-14 \quad 506-02$
3. Describe the worker's vehicle:

Gross vehicle weight $\qquad$ Type (auto, $1 / 2$ ton, etc.) $\qquad$ Does it normally haul a trailer? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No
4. Type of commodity normally transported (ie. household items, appliances, etc.) Please be specific.
5. Normal delivery area? $\square$ intra-city (within 16 km . radius of city or town limits) $\square$ inter-city (highway hauling)
6. What was the shipment's destination at time of accident/injury?
7. State worker's gross driver receipts for last 12 months
8. Does the worker provide more than one vehicle? $\square$ No $\square$ Yes, how many?
9. To your knowledge, is worker a partner or director of a corporation contracting with your firm? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No Please attach copies of worker's last commission statements.
10. To your knowledge does worker employ other workers? $\square$ No $\square$ Yes, how many?

## TRUCKING:

1. Have you reported the worker's earnings to the WCB on your Employer's Statement of Worker's Earnings? $\square$ No $\square$ Yes, at what percentage?
2. Does worker provide more than one vehicle? $\square$ No $\square$ Yes, how many? Does your worker employ other workers? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No
3. To your knowledge, is worker a partner or director of a corporation contracting with your firm? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No

## AREEMPEOYERSMUSTESIGNHERE

I certify that the information given on this and on the reverse is true. I agree to notify the Worker's Compensation Board of Manitoba immediately of any change in circumstances affecting this claim, including any return to work. I have read and understand the letter which was attached to this form. I understand that the Workers Compensation Act requires me to submit an employers report within 5 days of notification or awareness of an injury requiring treatment or an absence from work and if I do not do so, penalties may be levied.

## X

SIGNATURE OF EMPLOYER OR DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE
TITLE DATE

PLEASE COMPLETE OTHER SIDE OF FORM
If worker does not work a standard five day week, please circle assigned


## Appendix E

## SAS Version 8.0 Statistical Analysis



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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $100 \cdot 0$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \cdot 18$ | H | SZ－W | $\angle 2$ |
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| $10 L^{\prime} \varepsilon$ | 11216 | ｜sع．s¢ | y｜ |  |  |
| 18＇1 | ｜EL＇s | ｜bs＇91 | 7 | $t 2 \cdot w$ | $\varepsilon 2$ |
| $\mid \nabla \varepsilon \cdot \mathrm{s}$ | ｜10．91 | ｜s2．bl | 4 | $\varepsilon \tau-w \mid$ | Z |
| ｜E＇0 | $100 \%$ | 12911 | 7 | $z z \cdot w \mid$ | 12 |
| 100.0 | $100 \cdot 0$ | 100＇18 | y | IL•W | OZ |
| ｜62．9 | ｜1E．s． | ｜lてgı | ¢ | $\angle z \cdot w \mid$ |  |
| 18．21 | ｜ $18 \cdot 1 \varepsilon$ | ｜sぐしゃ｜ | y | 61－W｜ | 61 |
| ｜ 29.1 | 111.9 | ｜88．91 | ¢ |  |  |
| ｜ $21 \cdot \mathrm{~b}$ | $120 \cdot 81$ | 100＇00 | 7 | 0z－w｜ |  |
| ｜st＇s | 108．91 | 109 ¢ \＆ | H | $81 \cdot w$ | 81 |
| 100.0 | $100 \cdot 0$ | 100＇18 | 7 | $\angle 1 \cdot w \mid$ | 41 |
| $100 \%$ | $100 \cdot 0$ | 100＇18 | y | 91－W｜ |  |
| $100 \cdot 0$ | $100 \cdot 0$ | $100 \cdot 18$ | 4 | －1－W｜ | 91 |
| 96．1 | 158.5 | 10s 22 | 8 |  | 51 |
| ｜sz．oz | $120 \cdot 98$ | $\|s<\cdot 10\|$ | 4 | $\varepsilon 1 \cdot w \mid$ | $\square$ |
| $\mid 8 \varepsilon^{\prime} \varepsilon$ | $1 s<\cdot 9$ | 188．0¢ | 8 | $\varepsilon L \cdot W$ | $\varepsilon 1$ |
|  |  |  | － | uossad | qOP |
| 」－JP7 |  | uea |  |  |  |
| ！ s |  |  |  |  |  |


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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | mean | Std | Stder |
| 1J0b | \|Person | Hand |  |  |  |
| $\mid 29$ | \|M. 26 | \|R | $126.00 \mid$ | 31.18 | 18.00 |
| 130 | \|M-26 | \|n | 114.75 | 16.53\| | 6.75 |
| \|31 | \|M. 26 | \| ${ }^{\text {R }}$ | 121.50 | 0.001 | 0.00 |
| 132 | \|M. 28 | \|L | 155.25 | 16.53 | 6.75 |
| 1 |  | \|R | 162.00 | 0.001 | 0.00 |
| \| 33 | \|M-29 | \| ${ }^{\text {R }}$ | 10.13 | 2.25 | 1.13 |



| Obs | Per | ob | Side | mint | mdur | meff | mpstr | mspeed | mdurpd | msi | mpctdur | fort |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 24 | M-24 | 23 | Right | 6 | 1.70000 | 1.55000 | 1.95 | 1.5 | 0.75 | 35.353 | 45.417 | 11.921 |
| 25 | M-24 | 24 | Left | 3 | 1.91667 | 1.75000 | 1.00 | 1.5 | 0.50 | 7.593 | 56.858 | 21.034 |
| 26 | M-24 | 25 | Right | 1 | 2.30000 | 2.90000 | 3.00 | 1.0 | 0.25 | 5.025 | 70.060 | 134.008 |
| 27 | M-24 | 26 | Left | 1 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 2.10 | 1.0 | 0.25 | 4.500 | 100.000 | 50.299 |
| 28 | M-25 | 27 |  | 3 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 3.00 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 81.000 | 100.000 | 102.407 |
| 29 | M-25 | 28 | Right | 3 | 2.00000 | 2.00000 | 3.00 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 36.000 | 49.690 | 16.667 |
| 30 | M-26 | 29 | Right | 6 | 2.33333 | 3.00000 | 3.00 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 126.000 | 69.897 | 32.007 |
| 31 | M-26 | 30 | Right | 9 | 2.83333 | 3.00000 | 1.50 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 114.750 | 89.087 | 36.856 |
| 32 | M-26 | 31 | Right | 9 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 1.50 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 121.500 | 100.000 | 31.750 |
| 33 | M-27 | 19 | Right | 6 | 2.00000 | 2.78571 | 3.00 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 75.214 | 56.761 | 24.489 |
| 34 | M-28 | 32 | Left | 9 | 3.00000 | 1.91667 | 3.00 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 155.250 | 92.478 | 16.107 |
| 35 | M-28 | 32 | Right | 9 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 2.00 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 162.000 | 93.205 | 31.131 |
| 36 | M-29 | 33 | Right | 3 | 2.25000 | 3.00000 | 2.00 | 1.0 | 0.25 | 10.125 | 75.724 | 76.780 |
| 37 | $\mathrm{M}-3$ | 3 | Right | 3 | 1.05000 | 2.35000 | 3.00 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 22.050 | 22.214 | 18.983 |
| 38 | M-30 | 1 | Left | 1 | 2.32500 | 3.00000 | 1.50 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 7.847 | 73.706 | 31.500 |
| 39 | M-30 | 1 | Right | 3 | 0.88636 | 0.95455 | 3.00 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 5.983 | 14.128 | 6.663 |
| 40 | M-4 | 4 | Left | 3 | 2.80000 | 3.00000 | 3.00 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 56.700 | 90.240 | 31.000 |
| 41 | M. 4 | 4 | Right | 3 | 2.85714 | 1.78571 | 2.00 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 22.821 | 90.649 | 15.151 |
| 42 | M. 5 | 5 | Right | 6 | 1.80000 | 2.10000 | 2.00 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 46.200 | 51.232 | 18.217 |
| 43 | M-6 | 6 | Left | 1 | 1.20000 | 2.85000 | 3.00 | 1.0 | 0.50 | 5.175 | 24.320 | 37.642 |
| 44 | M-6 | 6 | Right | 1 | 1.20000 | 2.75000 | 1.00 | 1.0 | 0.50 | 1.675 | 25.391 | 32.173 |
| 45 | M-7 | 7 | Left | 3 | 2.66667 | 2.16667 | 2.00 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 35.000 | 86.103 | 16.852 |
| 46 | M-7 | 7 | Right | 3 | 2.44444 | 88889 | 1.0 | 1. | 1.00 | 14.50 | 80 |  |

Obs int50 dur50 eff50 pstr50 speed50 durpd50 si50 potdur50 neff50 mmsi msi50

| 24 | 6 | 1.50 | 1.50 | 2.0 | 1.5 | 0.75 | 30.375 | 40.000 | 12.048 | 34.683 | 30.375 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 25 | 3 | 2.00 | 1.50 | 1.0 | 1.5 | 0.50 | 6.750 | 55.578 | 12.500 | 7.547 | 6.750 |
| 26 | 1 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 0.25 | 4.500 | 73.215 | 135.230 | 5.003 | 4.500 |
| 27 | 1 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 0.25 | 4.500 | 100.000 | 47.915 | 4.725 | 4.500 |
| 28 | 3 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 81.000 | 100.000 | 93.333 | 81.000 | 81.000 |
| 29 | 3 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 36.000 | 55.556 | 16.667 | 36.000 | 36.000 |
| 30 | 6 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 108.000 | 65.158 | 30.872 | 126.000 | 108.000 |
| 31 | 9 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 1.5 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 121.500 | 91.199 | 37.545 | 114.750 | 121.500 |
| 32 | 9 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 1.5 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 121.500 | 100.000 | 31.250 | 121.500 | 121.500 |
| 33 | 6 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 81.000 | 57.803 | 25.000 | 75.214 | 81.000 |
| 34 | 9 | 3.00 | 2.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 162.000 | 91.813 | 16.429 | 155.250 | 162.000) |
| 35 | 9 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 162.000 | 92.899 | 31.786 | 162.000 | 162.000 |
| 36 | 3 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 0.25 | 9.000 | 74.383 | 75.339 | 10.125 | 9.000 |
| 37 | 3 | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 22.500 | 21.495 | 18.875 | 22.208 | 18.000 |
| 38 | 1 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 1.5 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 6.750 | 75.000 | 28.334 | 7.847 | 6.750 |
| 39 | 3 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 6.750 | 13.393 | 6.669 | 5.711 | 6.750 |
| 40 | 3 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 60.750 | 95.454 | 30.000 | 56.700 | 60.750 |
| 41 | 3 | 3.00 | 2.00 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 20.250 | 95.652 | 15.550 | 22.959 | 27.000 |
| 42 | 6 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 48.000 | 51.807 | 16.354 | 45.360 | 48.000 |
| 43 | 1 | 1.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 0.50 | 4.500 | 18.333 | 39.230 | 5.130 | 4.500 |
| 44 | 1 | 1.00 | 3.00 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 0.50 | 1.500 | 26.785 | 32.240 | 1.650 | 1.500 |
| 45 | 3 | 3.00 | 2.00 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 36.000 | 87.500 | 16.667 | 34.667 | 36.000 |
| 46 | 3 | 2.00 | 1.50 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 9.000 | 78.947 | 13.846 | 13.852 | 9.000 |


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| Obs | Job | Hand | avesi | medsi |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 1 | L. | 7.313 | 6.750 |
| 2 | 1 | A | 8.250 | 6.750 |
| 3 | 2 | L. | 156.600 | 162.000 |
| 4 | 2 | A | 70.200 | 81.000 |
| 5 | 3 | R | 22.050 | 22.500 |
| 6 | 4 | L | 56.700 | 60.750 |
| 7 | 4 | R | 22.821 | 20.250 |
| 8 | 5 | R | 46.200 | 48.000 . |
| 9 | 6 | L | 5.175 | 4.500 |
| 10 | 6 | R | 1.675 | 1.500 |
| 11 | 7 | L | 48.000 | 54.000 |
| 12 | 7 | R | 24.891 | 18.000 |
| 13 | 8 | R | 27.000 | 27.000 |
| 14 | 9 | R | 162.000 | 162.000 |
| 15 | 10 | L | 36.000 | 40.500 |
| 16 | 10 | R | 121.500 | 121.500 |
| 17 | 11 | R | 27.900 | 27.000 |
| 18 | 12 | A | 57.000 | 54.000 |
| 19 | 13 | R | 30.375 | 27.000 |
| 20 | 14 | R | 141.750 | 121.500 |
| 21 | 15 | A | 22.500 | 27.000 |
| 22 | 16 | R | 81.000 | 81.000 |
| 23 | 17 | $L$ | 81.000 | 81.000 |
| 24 | 18 | L | 44.400 | 54.000 |
| 25 | 18 | R | 25.238 | 21.000 |
| 26 | 19 | R | 105.923 | 81.000 |
| 27 | 20 | R | 81.000 | 81.000 |
| 28 | 21 | L | 11.667 | 12.000 |
| 29 | 22 | R | 74.250 | 60.756 |
| 30 | 23 | L | 16.538 | 15.188 |
| 31 | 23 | R | 35.353 | 30.375 |
| 32 | 24 | L. | 7.593 | 6.750 |
| 33 | 25 | R | 5.025 | 4.500 |
| 34 | 26 | L | 4.500 | 4.500 |
| 35 | 27 | R | 81.000 | 81.000 |
| 36 | 28 | R | 36.000 | 36.000 |
| 37 | 29 | R | 126.000 | 108.000 |
| 38 | 30 | A | 114.750 | 121.500 |
| 39 | 31 | A | 121.500 | 121.500 |
| 40 | 32 | L | 155.250 | 162.000 |
| 41 | 32 | R | 162.000 | 162.000 |
| 42 | 33 | R | 10.125 | 9.000 |

The UNIVARIATE Procedure
variable: medsi (the median, si)

## Moments

| N | 42 | Sum Weights | 42 |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | ---: |
| Mean | 57.799119 | Sum Observations | 2427.563 |
| Std Deviation | 49.9484339 | Variance | 2494.84605 |
| Skewness | 0.83760229 | Kurtosis | -0.3933213 |
| Uncorrected SS | 242599.691 | Corrected SS | 102288.688 |
| Coeff Variation | 86.4172928 | Std Error Mean | 7.70721068 |

Basic Statistical Measures

| Location |  | Variability |  |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| Mean | 57.79912 | Std Deviation | 49.94843 |
| Median | 44.25000 | Variance | 2495 |
| Mode | 81.00000 | Range | 160.50000 |
|  |  | Interquartile Range | 63.00000 |

Tests for Location: MuO=0

| Test | -Statistic |  | .....p Value... |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Student's t | t | 7.499356 | $\operatorname{Pr}>\|t\|$ | <.0001 |
| Sign | M | 21 | $\operatorname{Pr}>=\|M\|$ | <. 0001 |
| Signed Rank | S | 451.5 | $\operatorname{Pr}>=\|S\|$ | <.0001 |

Quantiles (Definition 5)

| Quantile | Estimate |
| :--- | ---: |
|  |  |
| 100\% Max | 162.00 |
| $99 \%$ | 162.00 |
| $95 \%$ | 162.00 |
| $90 \%$ | 121.50 |
| $75 \%$ Q3 | 81.00 |
| $50 \%$ Median | 44.25 |
| $25 \%$ Q1 | 18.00 |
| $10 \%$ | 6.75 |
| $5 \%$ | 4.50 |
| $1 \%$ | 1.50 |
| 0\% Min | 1.50 |

## The UNIVARIATE Procedure

 Variable: medsi (the median, si)Extreme Observations
.... Lowest....
..-Highest....

| Value | Obs | Value | Obs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| 1.50 | 10 | 121.5 | 39 |
| 4.50 | 34 | 162.0 | 3 |
| 4.50 | 33 | 162.0 | 14 |
| 4.50 | 9 | 162.0 | 40 |
| 6.75 | 32 | 162.0 | 41 |

## Frequency Counts

| $\stackrel{1-1}{8}$ | Percents |  |  |  | Percents |  |  |  | Percents |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Value | Count | Cell | Cum | value | Count | Cell | Cum | value | Count | Cell | Cum |
|  | 1.50 | 1 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 20.25 | 1 | 2.4 | 28.6 | 48.00 | 1 | 2.4 | 52.4 |
|  | 4.50 | 3 | 7.1 | 9.5 | 21.00 | 1 | 2.4 | 31.0 | 54.00 | 3 | 7.1 | 59.5 |
|  | 6.75 | 3 | 7.1 | 16.7 | 22.50 | 1 | 2.4 | 33.3 | 60.75 | 2 | 4.8 | 64.3 |
|  | 9.00 | 1 | 2.4 | 19.0 | 27.00 | 4 | 9.5 | 42.9 | 81.00 | 6 | 14.3 | 78.6 |
|  | 12.00 | 1 | 2.4 | 21.4 | 30.38 | 1 | 2.4 | 45.2 | 108.00 | 1 | 2.4 | 81.0 |
|  | 15.19 | 1 | 2.4 | 23.8 | 36.00 | 1 | 2.4 | 47.6 | 121.50 | 4 | 9.5 | 90.5 |
|  | 18.00 | 1 | 2.4 | 26.2 | 40.50 | 1 | 2.4 | 50.0 | 162.00 | 4 | 9.5 | 100.0 |

## The UNIVARTATE Procedure

Variable: avesi (the mean, si)

## Moments

| $N$ |  | 42 | Sum Weights | 42 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Mean | 58. | 26421 | Sum Observations | 2476.01097 |
| Std Deviation | 50.4 | 99297 | Variance | 2546.20451 |
| Skewness | 0.79 | 12306 | Kurtosis | -0.6267027 |
| Uncorrected Ss | 2503 | 1.773 | Corrected Ss | 104394.385 |
| Coeff Variation | n 85.5 | 40089 | Std Error Mean | 7.7861362 |
| Basic Statistical Measures |  |  |  |  |
| Location |  | Variability |  |  |
| Mean 5 | 58.95264 | Std Deviation |  | 50.45993 |
| Median 40 | 40.20000 | Variance |  | 2546 |
| Mode 8 | 81.00000 | Range |  | 160.32500 |
|  |  |  | quartile Range | 58.95000 |

Tests for Location: MuO $=0$

| Test | -Statistic. |  | p Value....... |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Student's t | t | 7.571489 | $\mathrm{Pr}>\|t\|$ | <. 0001 |
| Sign | M | 21 | $\operatorname{Pr}>=\|m\|$ | <. 0001 |
| Signed Rank | S | 451.5 | $\operatorname{Pr}>=\|s\|$ | <.0001 |

Quantiles (Definition 5)

| Quantile | Estimate |
| :--- | ---: |
| 100\% Max | 162.0000 |
| $99 \%$ | 162.0000 |
| $95 \%$ | 156.6000 |
| $90 \%$ | 141.7500 |
| $75 \%$ Q3 | 81.0000 |
| $50 \%$ Median | 40.2000 |
| $25 \%$ Q1 | 22.0500 |
| $10 \%$ | 7.3125 |
| $5 \%$ | 5.0250 |
| 18 | 1.6750 |
| 0\% Min | 1.6750 |



By|ria| The UNIVARIATE Procedure

| N | 353 |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | ---: |
| Sum Weights | 353 |  |  |
| Mean | 3.58356941 | Sum Observations | 1265 |
| Std Deviation | 2.28494623 | Variance | 5.22097927 |
| Skewness | 1.01220797 | Kurtosis | 0.31579387 |
| Uncorrected SS | 6371 | Corrected ss | 1837.7847 |
| Coeff Variation | 63.7617406 | Std Error Mean | 0.12161542 |

Basic Statistical Measures
Location
Variability

| Mean | 3.583569 | Std Deviation | 2.28495 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Median | 3.000000 | Variance | 5.22098 |
| Mode | 3.000000 | Range | 8.00000 |
|  |  | Interquartile Range | 3.00000 |

Tests for Location: MuO $=0$

| Test | -Statistic |  | .....p value...... |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Student's t | $t$ | 29.46641 | $\operatorname{Pr}>\|t\|$ | <. 0001 |
| Sign | M | 176.5 | Pr $>=\|M\|$ | <. 0001 |
| Signed Rank | s | 31240.5 | $\operatorname{Pr}>=\|s\|$ | <. 0001 |

Quantiles (Definition 5)

| Quantile | Estimate |
| :--- | ---: |
| 100\% Max | 9 |
| $99 \%$ | 9 |
| $95 \%$ | 9 |
| $90 \%$ | 6 |
| $75 \%$ 03 | 6 |
| $50 \%$ Median | 3 |
| $25 \%$ a1 | 3 |
| $10 \%$ | 1 |
| $5 \%$ | 1 |
| $1 \%$ | 1 |
| $0 \%$ Min | 1 |

Extreme Observations
..... Lowest.... .....Highest...

| Value | Obs | Value | Obs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| 1 | 365 | 9 | 314 |
| 1 | 364 | 9 | 315 |
| 1 | 363 | 9 | 316 |
| 1 | 362 | 9 | 317 |
| 1 | 361 | 9 | 318 |

Missing Values

|  |  | .......percent of..... |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Missing <br> Value | Count | All obs | Missing <br> Obs |
| . | 12 | 3.29 | 100.00 |

Frequency Counts

|  | Percents |  |  | Percents |  |  |  |  |  | Percents |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Value | Count | Cell | Cum | value | count | Cell | Cum | Value | Count | Cell | Cum |
| 1 | 80 | 22.7 | 22.7 | 6 | 62 | 17.6 | 91.5 | 9 | 30 | 8.5 | 100.0 |

The univariate Procedure
Variable: Durationofexertion (Durationofexertion)

## Moments

N

| Mean | 2.17847025 | Sum Observations | 769 |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | ---: |
| Std Deviation | 0.73034156 | Variance | 0.53339879 |
| Skewness | -0.2569388 | Kurtosis | -1.027194 |
| Uncorrected SS | 1863 | Corrected SS | 187.756374 |
| Coeff Variation | 33.5254317 | Std Error Mean | 0.03887216 |

Basic Statistical Measures

| Location |  |  | Variability |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Mean | 2.178470 | Std Devi | ion | 0.7303 |
| Median | 2.000000 | Variance |  | 0.5334 |
| Mode | 3.000000 | fange |  | 2.5000 |
|  |  | Interqua | ile Range | 1.5000 |
|  | Tests for Location: Mu0wo |  |  |  |
| Test |  | -Statistic. | .....-p Value--.... |  |
| Student's t |  | t 56.04192 | $\operatorname{Pr}>\|t\|$ | <. 0001 |
| Sign |  | M 176.5 | Pr $>=\|m\|$ | <.0001 |
| Signed Rank |  | S 31240.5 | $\operatorname{Pr}>=\|s\|$ | <. 0001 |

Quantiles (Definition 5)

| Quantile | Estimate |
| :---: | :---: |
| 100\% Max | 3.0 |
| 99\% | 3.0 |
| 95\% | 3.0 |
| 90\% | 3.0 |
| 75\% 03 | 3.0 |
| 50\% Median | 2.0 |
| 25\% at | 1.5 |
| 10\% | 1.0 |
| $5 \%$ | 1.0 |
| 1\% | 0.5 |
| 0\% Min | 0.5 |

## The UNIVARIATE Procedure

Variable: Durationofexertion (Durationofexertion)

## Extrome Observations

| Value | Obs | Value | Obs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0.5 | 344 | 3 | 356 |
| 0.5 | 340 | 3 | 357 |
| 0.5 | 333 | 3 | 358 |
| 0.5 | 332 | 3 | 360 |
| 0.5 | 329 | 3 | 363 |


| Missing Values |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | .....per | Of..... |
| Missing |  |  | Missing |
| Value | Count | All Obs | Obs |
|  | 12 | 3.29 | 100.00 |

Frequency Counts

|  |  | Percents |  | Percents |  |  |  |  |  | Percents |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Value | Count | Cell | Gum | value | Count | Cell | Cum | Value | Count | Cell | Cum |
| 0.5 | 6 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.5 | 42 | 11.9 | 25.2 | 3.0 | 134 | 38.0 | 100.0 |
| 1.0 | 41 | 11.0 | 13.3 | 2.0 | 130 | 38. |  |  |  |  |  |

The UNIVARIATE Procedure
Variable: Efforts_Minute (Efforts_Minute)

## Moments



The UNIVARIATE Procedure
Variable: Efforts Minute (Efforts_Minute)

## Extreme Observations

| Value | Obs | value | Obs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0.5 | 344 | 3 | 361 |
| 0.5 | 333 | 3 | 362 |
| 0.5 | 332 | 3 | 363 |
| 0.5 | 328 | 3 | 364 |
| 0.5 | 324 | 3 | 365 |

Missing

Value $\quad$ Count $\quad$ All obs $\quad$| Missing |
| ---: |
| Obs |

## Frequency Counts

|  | Percents |  |  | Percents |  |  |  |  |  | Percents |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Value | Count | Cell | Cum | value | Count | Cell | Cum | Value | Count | Cell | Cum |
| 0.5 | 8 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 1.5 | 61 | 17.3 | 29.2 | 3.0 | 198 | 56.1 | 100.0 |
| 1.0 | 34 | 9.6 | 11.9 | 2.0 | 52 | 14.7 | 43.9 |  |  |  |  |

The UNIVARIATE Procedure
Variable: Hand_WristPosture (Hand_WristPosture)

## Moments



| Test | -Statistic. |  | ......p value...... |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Student's t | t | 69.78934 | $\operatorname{Pr}>\|t\|$ | <. 0001 |
| Sign | M | 176.5 | $\operatorname{Pr}>=\|M\|$ | <. 0001 |
| Signed Rank | S | 31240.5 | Pr $>=\|S\|$ | <. 0001 |

Quantiles (Definition 5)

| Quantile | Estimate |
| :--- | ---: |
|  |  |
| 1008 Max | 3.0 |
| $99 \%$ | 3.0 |
| $95 \%$ | 3.0 |
| $90 \%$ | 3.0 |
| $75 \%$ 03 | 3.0 |
| 508 Median | 3.0 |
| $25 \%$ Q1 | 2.0 |
| 108 | 1.5 |
| 58 | 1.0 |
| 18 | 1.0 |
| 08 Min | 1.0 |

## The univariate procedure

Variable: Hand_wristPosture (Hand_wristPosture)

## Extreme Observations

....-Lowest.... ....-Highest...

| Value | Obs | value | Obs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| 1 | 254 | 3 | 340 |
| 1 | 253 | 3 | 341 |
| 1 | 252 | 3 | 342 |
| 1 | 251 | 3 | 343 |
| 1 | 250 | 3 | 344 |

Missing Values

|  |  | $\ldots .$. Percent of..... |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Missing <br> Value | Count | All obs | Missing <br> $0 b s$ |
|  | 12 | 3.29 | 100.00 |

Frequency Counts

| Value | Percents |  |  | Percents |  |  |  |  |  | Percents |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Count | Cell | Cum | value |  | Cell | Cum | Value | Count | Cell | Cum |
| 1.0 | 25 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 2.0 | 78 | 22.1 | 37.7 | 3.0 | 220 | 62.3 | 0.0 |
| 1.5 | 30 | 8.5 | 15.6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

The UNIVARIATE Procedure
Variable: SpeedofWork (SpeedofWork)

## Moments

| N | 353 | Sum Weights | 353 |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | ---: |
| Mean | 1.06657224 | Sum Observations | 376.5 |
| Std Deviation | 0.17010652 | Variance | 0.02893623 |
| Skewness | 2.16891079 | Kurtosis | 2.7195503 |
| Uncorrected SS | 411.75 | Corrected SS | 10.1855524 |
| Coeff Variation | 15.9488982 | Std Error Mean | 0.00905386 |

Basic Statistical Measures

| Location |  | Variability |  |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | ---: |
|  |  |  | 0.17011 |
| Mean | 1.066572 | Std Deviation | 0.02894 |
| Median | 1.000000 | Variance | 0.50000 |
| Mode | 1.000000 | Range | 0 |

Tests for Location: MuO=0

| Test | -Statistic. |  | ....p value...... |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Student's | t | 117.8031 | $\mathrm{Pr}>\|t\|$ | <. 0001 |
| Sign | M | 176.5 | $\operatorname{Pr}>=\|M\|$ | <.0001 |
| Signed Rank | S | 31240.5 | $\operatorname{Pr}>=\|s\|$ | <.000 |

Quantiles (Definition 5)

| Quantile | Estimate |
| :--- | ---: |
|  |  |
| $100 \%$ Max | 1.5 |
| $99 \%$ | 1.5 |
| $95 \%$ | 1.5 |
| $90 \%$ | 1.5 |
| $75 \%$ Q3 | 1.0 |
| $50 \%$ Median | 1.0 |
| $25 \%$ Qi | 1.0 |
| $10 \%$ | 1.0 |
| $5 \%$ | 1.0 |
| $1 \%$ | 1.0 |
| $0 \%$ Min | 1.0 |

The univariate procedure
Variable: Speedofwork (Speedofwork)
Extreme Observations
...-Lowest.... ....-Highest...

| Value | Obs | Value | Obs |
| ---: | :---: | ---: | :--- |
|  |  |  |  |
| 1 | 365 | 1.5 | 250 |
| 1 | 364 | 1.5 | 251 |
| 1 | 363 | 1.5 | 252 |
| 1 | 362 | 1.5 | 253 |
| 1 | 361 | 1.5 | 254 |

Missing Values


Frequency Counts

|  | Percents |  |  |  |  | Percents |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Value count | Cell | Cum | Value Count | Cell | Cum |  |  |  |
| 1.0 | 306 | 86.7 | 86.7 | 1.5 | 47 | 13.3 | 100.0 |  |

The univariate procedure Variable: DurationperDay (DurationperDay)

## Moments



The UNIVARIATE Procedure Variable: DurationperDay (DurationperDay)

## Extreme Observations

..... Lowest....
....Highest...

| Value | Obs | Value | Obs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| 0.25 | 322 | 1 | 314 |
| 0.25 | 321 | 1 | 315 |
| 0.25 | 320 | 1 | 316 |
| 0.25 | 319 | 1 | 317 |
| 0.25 | 274 | 1 | 318 |

Missing values

| Missing <br> Value | Count | All obs | Missing <br> obs |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 12 | 3.29 | 100.00 |

Frequency Counts


## The UNIVARIATE Procedure

 variable: SIScore (SIScore)
## Moments

| N | 353 | Sum Weights | 353 |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | ---: |
| Mean | 47.086847 | Sum Observations | 16621.657 |
| StDeviation <br> Skewness | 47.6369008 | Variance | 2269.27432 |
| Uncorrected SS | 1.21215133 | Kurtosis | 0.52998612 |
| Coeff Variation | 1581445.98 | Corrected SS | 798784.56 |
|  | 101.168169 | Std Error Mean | 2.5354564 |

## Basic Statistical Measure

Location
Variability

| Mean | 47.08685 | Std Deviation | 47.63690 |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | ---: |
| Median | 27.00000 | Variance | 2269 |
| Mode | 81.00000 | Range | 181.50000 |
|  |  | Interquartile Range | 72.00000 |

Tests for Location: MuO $=0$

| Test | -Statistic. |  | .....p value...... |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Student's t | t | 18.57135 | $\operatorname{Pr}>\|t\|$ | <. 0001 |
| Sign | M | 176.5 | $\operatorname{Pr}>=\|M\|$ | $<.0001$ |
| Signed Rank | S | 31240.5 | $\operatorname{Pr}>=\|s\|$ | <.0001 |

Quantiles (Definition 5)

| Quantile | Estimate |
| :--- | ---: |
|  |  |
| 100\% Max | 182.250 |
| $99 \%$ | 162.000 |
| $95 \%$ | 162.000 |
| $90 \%$ | 121.500 |
| $75 \%$ Q3 | 81.000 |
| 50\% Median | 27.000 |
| 25\% Q1 | 9.000 |
| 10\% | 4.500 |
| 5\% | 3.375 |
| 1\% | 1.500 |
| 0\% Min | 0.750 |

The UNIVARIATE Procedure Variable: SIScore (SIScore)

## Extreme Observations

....-Lowest.... .......Highest....

| Value | Obs | Value | Obs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| 0.75 | 58 | 162.00 | 317 |
| 1.00 | 61 | 162.00 | 318 |
| $\mathbf{1 . 5 0}$ | 67 | 182.25 | 124 |
| $\mathbf{1 . 5 0}$ | 63 | 182.25 | 177 |
| $\mathbf{1 . 5 0}$ | 62 | 182.25 | 178 |

Missing Values
Missing

Value $\quad$ Count $\quad$ All obs | Missing |
| ---: |
| Obs |

|  | Percents |  |  | Percents |  |  |  | Percents |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| value | Count | Cell | Cum | Value | Count | Cell | cum | value | Count | Cell | Cum |
| 0.75 | 1 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 6.75 | 36 | 10.2 | 22.7 | 36.00 | 14 | 4.0 | 59.5 |
| 1.00 | 1 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 9.00 | 11 | 3.1 | 25.8 | 40.50 | 7 | 2.0 | 61.5 |
| 1.50 | 4 | 1.1 | 1.7 | 10.13 | 12 | 3.4 | 29.2 | 48.00 | 2 | 0.6 | 62.0 |
| 1.69 | 3 | 0.8 | 2.5 | 12.00 | 8 | 2.3 | 31.4 | 54.00 | 22 | 6.2 | 68.3 |
| 1.69 | 1 | 0.3 | 2.8 | 13.50 | 13 | 3.7 | 35.1 | 60.75 | 9 | 2.5 | 70.8 |
| 2.25 | 5 | 1.4 | 4.2 | 15.19 | 4 | 1.1 | 36.3 | 72.00 | 1 | 0.3 | 71.1 |
| 3.00 | 1 | 0.3 | 4.5 | 18.00 | 13 | 3.7 | 39.9 | 81.00 | 50 | 14.2 | 85.3 |
| 3.38 | 5 | 1.4 | 5.9 | 20.25 | 13 | 3.7 | 43.6 | 91.13 | 5 | 1.4 | 86.7 |
| 4.50 | 20 | 5.7 | 11.6 | 22.78 | 1 | 0.3 | 43.9 | 108.00 | 3 | 0.8 | 87.5 |
| 5.06 | 1 | 0.3 | 11.9 | 24.00 | 9 | 2.5 | 46.5 | 121.50 | 16 | 4.5 | 92.1 |
| 5.06 | 1 | 0.3 | 12.2 | 27.00 | 28 | 7.9 | 54.4 | 162.00 | 25 | 7.1 | 99.2 |
| 6.00 | 1 | 0.3 | 12.5 | 30.38 | 4 | 1.1 | 55.5 | 182.25 | 3 | 0.8 | 100.0 |

## The UNIVARIATE Procedure

 Variable: pctDurExer (pctDurExer
## Moments

| N | 353 | Sum Weights | 353 |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | ---: |
| Mean | 65.5278785 | Sum Observations | 23131.3411 |
| Std Deviation | 26.6141614 | Variance | 708.313588 |
| Skewness | -0.5941885 | Kurtosis | -0.7338536 |
| Uncorrected ss | 1765074.09 | Corrected SS | 249326.383 |
| Coeff Variation | 40.6150207 | Std Error Mean | 1.41652888 |

## Basic Statistical Measure

Location
Variability

| Mean | 65.5279 | Std Deviation | 26.61416 |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | ---: |
| Median | 71.7740 | Variance | 708.31359 |
| Mode | 100.0000 | Range | 97.14300 |
|  |  | Interquartile Range | 40.44000 |

Tests for Location: MuO=0

| Test | - Statistic. |  | ......p value...... |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Student's t | t | 46.25947 | $\operatorname{Pr}>\|t\|$ | <. 0001 |
| Sign | M | 176.5 | $\operatorname{Pr} \gg\|\mathrm{M}\|$ | <. 0001 |
| Signed Ran | s | 31240 | Pr |  |

Quantiles (Definition 5)

| Quantile | Estimate |
| :--- | ---: |
|  |  |
| $100 \%$ Max | 100.000 |
| $99 \%$ | 100.000 |
| $95 \%$ | 100.000 |
| $90 \%$ | 96.296 |
| $75 \% ~ 03$ | 87.500 |
| $50 \%$ Median | 71.774 |
| $25 \%$ a1 | 47.060 |
| $10 \%$ | 22.220 |
| $5 \%$ | 14.286 |
| $1 \%$ | 6.250 |
| 0\% Min | 2.857 |

The UNIVARIATE Procedure
Variable: pctDurexer (pctDurExer)

Extreme Observations
....-Lowest....
.....Highest-..

| Value | 0bs | Value | Obs |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  |  |
| 2.857 | 344 | 100 | 282 |
| 5.260 | 324 | 100 | 283 |
| 6.250 | 333 | 100 | 296 |
| 6.250 | 332 | 100 | 297 |
| 8.330 | 329 | 100 | 298 |

Missing Values

|  |  | Per | of..... |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Missing Missing |  |  |  |
| value | Count | All Obs | obs |
|  | 12 | 3.29 | 100.00 |

Frequency Counts

Percents Value count Percents Value count cell Cum

Value Count Cell Gum

| 38 | 6 |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 38 | 1 | 0.3 | 20.1 |
| 39 | 1 | 0.3 | 20.4 |
| 39 | 1 | 0.3 | 20.7 |
| 40 | 5 | 1.4 | 22.1 |
| 40 | 1 | 0.3 | 22.4 |
| 43 | 2 | 0.6 | 22.9 |
| 43 | 1 | 0.3 | 23.2 |
| 44 | 1 | 0.3 | 23.5 |
| 45 | 1 | 0.3 | 23.8 |
| 45 | 1 | 0.3 | 24.1 |
| 45 | 1 | 0.3 | 24.4 |
| 46 | 1 | 0.3 | 24.6 |
| 47 | 1 | 0.3 | 24.9 |
| 47 | 1 | 0.3 | 25.2 |
| 50 | 1 | 0.3 | 25.5 |
| 50 | 8 | 2.3 | 27.8 |
| 51 | 1 | 0.3 | 28.0 |
| 51 | 1 | 0.3 | 28.3 |
| 52 | 1 | 0.3 | 28.6 |
| 52 | 1 | 0.3 | 28.9 |

The UNIVARIATE Procedure
Variable: pctDurexer (pctDurExer)

Frequency Counts

|  | Percents |  |  | Percents |  |  |  | Percents |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| value | Count | Cell | Cum | value | count | cell | Cum | value | Count | Cell | Cum |
| 52 | 1 | 0.3 | 29.2 | 67 | 3 | 0.8 | 44.8 | 79 | 1 | 0.3 | 60.9 |
| 52 | 1 | 0.3 | 29.5 | 67 | 1 | 0.3 | 45.0 | 79 | 1 | 0.3 | 61.2 |
| 53 | 1 | 0.3 | 29.7 | 67 | 1 | 0.3 | 45.3 | 79 | 1 | 0.3 | 61.5 |
| 53 | 1 | 0.3 | 30.0 | 68 | 1 | 0.3 | 45.6 | 79 | 1 | 0.3 | 61.8 |
| 54 | 1 | 0.3 | 30.3 | 68 | 1 | 0.3 | 45.9 | 79 | 1 | 0.3 | 62.0 |
| 54 | 1 | 0.3 | 30.6 | 69 | 1 | 0.3 | 46.2 | 80 | 1 | 0.3 | 62.3 |
| 55 | 1 | 0.3 | 30.9 | 70 | 1 | 0.3 | 46.5 | 80 | 1 | 0.3 | 62.6 |
| 55 | 1 | 0.3 | 31.2 | 70 | 2 | 0.6 | 47.0 | 80 | 1 | 0.3 | 62.9 |
| 56 | 1 | 0.3 | 31.4 | 70 | 1 | 0.3 | 47.3 | 80 | 3 | 0.8 | 63.7 |
| 56 | 1 | 0.3 | 31.7 | 70 | 1 | 0.3 | 47.6 | 80 | 1 | 0.3 | 64.0 |
| 56 | 1 | 0.3 | 32.0 | 71 | 1 | 0.3 | 47.9 | 81 | 1 | 0.3 | 64.3 |
| 56 | 1 | 0.3 | 32.3 | 71 | 1 | 0.3 | 48.2 | 81 | 1 | 0.3 | 64.6 |
| 56 | 1 | 0.3 | 32.6 | 71 | 1 | 0.3 | 48.4 | 81 | 2 | 0.6 | 65.2 |
| 57 | 1 | 0.3 | 32.9 | 71 | 1 | 0.3 | 48.7 | 81 | 1 | 0.3 | 65.4 |
| 57 | 1 | 0.3 | 33.1 | 71 | 3 | 0.8 | 49.6 | 82 | 1 | 0.3 | 65.7 |
| 57 | 1 | 0.3 | 33.4 | 71 | 1 | 0.3 | 49.9 | 82 | 1 | 0.3 | 66.0 |
| 57 | 2 | 0.6 | 34.0 | 72 | 1 | 0.3 | 50.1 | 82 | 1 | 0.3 | 66.3 |
| 57 | 1 | 0.3 | 34.3 | 72 | 1 | 0.3 | 50.4 | 82 | 1 | 0.3 | 66.6 |
| 57 | 1 | 0.3 | 34.6 | 72 | 1 | 0.3 | 50.7 | 82 | 1 | 0.3 | 66.9 |
| 58 | 1 | 0.3 | 34.8 | 72 | 1 | 0.3 | 51.0 | 83 | 1 | 0.3 | 67.1 |
| 58 | 1 | 0.3 | 35.1 | 72 | 1 | 0.3 | 51.3 | 83 | 1 | 0.3 | 67.4 |
| 58 | 1 | 0.3 | 35.4 | 72 | 1 | 0.3 | 51.6 | 83 | 1 | 0.3 | 67.7 |
| 59 | 1 | 0.3 | 35.7 | 73 | 1 | 0.3 | 51.8 | 83 | 1 | 0.3 | 68.0 |
| 59 | 1 | 0.3 | 36.0 | 73 | 1 | 0.3 | 52.1 | 83 | 1 | 0.3 | 68.3 |
| 59 | 1 | 0.3 | 36.3 | 73 | 1 | 0.3 | 52.4 | 83 | 1 | 0.3 | 68.6 |
| 60 | 1 | 0.3 | 36.5 | 73 | 1 | 0.3 | 52.7 | 83 | 2 | 0.6 | 69.1 |
| 60 | 1 | 0.3 | 36.8 | 74 | 1 | 0.3 | 53.0 | 83 | 1 | 0.3 | 69.4 |
| 60 | 6 | 1.7 | 38.5 | 74 | 1 | 0.3 | 53.3 | 83 | 1 | 0.3 | 69.7 |
| 61 | 1 | 0.3 | 38.8 | 74 | 2 | 0.6 | 53.8 | 84 | 1 | 0.3 | 70.0 |
| 62 | 1 | 0.3 | 39.1 | 75 | 10 | 2.8 | 56.7 | 84 | 1 | 0.3 | 70.3 |
| 62 | 1 | 0.3 | 39.4 | 75 | 1 | 0.3 | 56.9 | 84 | 1 | 0.3 | 70.5 |
| 62 | 1 | 0.3 | 39.7 | 76 | 1 | 0.3 | 57.2 | 84 | 1 | 0.3 | 70.8 |
| 63 | 1 | 0.3 | 39.9 | 76 | 1 | 0.3 | 57.5 | 84 | 1 | 0.3 | 71.1 |
| 63 | 1 | 0.3 | 40.2 | 76 | 1 | 0.3 | 57.8 | 85 | 1 | 0.3 | 71.4 |
| 64 | 1 | 0.3 | 40.5 | 77 | 1 | 0.3 | 58.1 | 85 | 2 | 0.6 | 72.0 |
| 64 | 1 | 0.3 | 40.8 | 77 | 1 | 0.3 | 58.4 | 85 | 1 | 0.3 | 72.2 |
| 65 | 1 | 0.3 | 41.1 | 78 | 1 | 0.3 | 58.6 | 86 | 3 | 0.8 | 73.1 |
| 65 | 1 | 0.3 | 41.4 | 78 | 1 | 0.3 | 58.9 | 86 | 1 | 0.3 | 73.4 |
| 65 | 1 | 0.3 | 41.6 | 78 | 2 | 0.6 | 59.5 | 87 | 1 | 0.3 | 73.7 |
| 66 | 1 | 0.3 | 41.9 | 78 | 1 | 0.3 | 59.8 | 87 | 1 | 0.3 | 73.9 |
| 66 | 1 | 0.3 | 42.2 | 78 | 1 | 0.3 | 60.1 | 87 | 1 | 0.3 | 74.2 |
| 67 | 2 | 0.6 | 42.8 | 78 | 1 | 0.3 | 60.3 | 87 | 1 | 0.3 | 74.5 |
| 67 | 4 | 1.1 | 43.9 | 78 | 1 | 0.3 | 60.6 | 87 | 1 | 0.3 | 74.8 |

## The UNIVARIATE Procedure

## variable: pctDurExer (pctDurExer)

Frequency Counts

Value Count Cell Cum
value Count Cell Cum
value Count cell cuid

| 88 | 2 | 0.6 | 75.4 | 92 | 2 | 0.6 | 81.3 | 94 | 2 | 0.6 | 86.4 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 88 | 1 | 0.3 | 75.6 | 92 | 1 | 0.3 | 81.6 | 94 | 1 | 0.3 | 86.7 |
| 88 | 1 | 0.3 | 75.9 | 92 | 1 | 0.3 | 81.9 | 94 | 1 | 0.3 | 87.0 |
| 88 | 1 | 0.3 | 76.2 | 92 | 1 | 0.3 | 82.2 | 95 | 1 | 0.3 | 87.3 |
| 89 | 2 | 0.6 | 76.8 | 92 | 1 | 0.3 | 82.4 | 95 | 1 | 0.3 | 87.5 |
| 89 | 1 | 0.3 | 77.1 | 92 | 2 | 0.6 | 83.0 | 95 | 1 | 0.3 | 87.8 |
| 90 | 2 | 0.6 | 77.6 | 92 | 1 | 0.3 | 83.3 | 95 | 1 | 0.3 | 88.1 |
| 90 | 1 | 0.3 | 77.9 | 93 | 1 | 0.3 | 83.6 | 96 | 3 | 0.8 | 89.0 |
| 91 | 1 | 0.3 | 78.2 | 93 | 1 | 0.3 | 83.9 | 96 | 1 | 0.3 | 89.2 |
| 91 | 1 | 0.3 | 78.5 | 93 | 1 | 0.3 | 84.1 | 96 | 4 | 1.1 | 90.4 |
| 91 | 2 | 0.6 | 79.0 | 93 | 1 | 0.3 | 84.4 | 96 | 1 | 0.3 | 90.7 |
| 91 | 1 | 0.3 | 79.3 | 93 | 1 | 0.3 | 84.7 | 97 | 1 | 0.3 | 90.9 |
| 92 | 1 | 0.3 | 79.6 | 93 | 1 | 0.3 | 85.0 | 97 | 1 | 0.3 | 91.2 |
| 92 | 1 | 0.3 | 79.9 | 93 | 1 | 0.3 | 85.3 | 97 | 1 | 0.3 | 91.5 |
| 92 | 1 | 0.3 | 80.2 | 93 | 1 | 0.3 | 85.6 | 97 | 1 | 0.3 | 91.8 |
| 92 | 1 | 0.3 | 80.5 | 94 | 1 | 0.3 | 85.8 | 100 | 29 | 8.2 | 100.0 |
| 92 | 1 | 0.3 | 80.7 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

The UNIVARIATE Procedure Variable: nefforts (nefforts)

by trial

## Moments



NOTE: The mode displayed is the smallest of 2 modes with a count of 14

Tests for Location: MuO=0

| Test | Statistic. | $\cdots \cdots p$ value....... |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Student's t | t | 19.85378 | $\operatorname{Pr}>\|\mathrm{t}\|$ | $<.0001$ |
| Sign | $M$ | 176.5 | $\operatorname{Pr} \gg\|M\|$ | $<.0001$ |
| Signed fank | $S$ | 31240.5 | $\operatorname{Pr}>=\|S\|$ | $<.0001$ |

Quantiles (Defindtion 5)

| Quantile | Estimate |
| :--- | ---: |
| 100\% Max | 216.666 |
| $99 \%$ | 144.570 |
| $95 \%$ | 84.610 |
| $90 \%$ | 56.800 |
| $75 \%$ 03 | 34.938 |
| $50 \%$ Median | 21.570 |
| 25\% Q1 | 13.631 |
| $10 \%$ | 8.569 |
| $5 \%$ | 5.990 |
| $1 \%$ | 3.157 |
| 0\% Min | 1.515 |

The UNIVARIATE Procedure Variable: nEfforts (nEfforts)

Extreme Observations
....-Lowest.... ........Highest......

| Value | Obs | Value | Obs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| 1.515 | 248 | 137.930 | 255 |
| 1.714 | 344 | 144.570 | 263 |
| 2.590 | 169 | 156.630 | 256 |
| 3.157 | 328 | 200.000 | 261 |
| 3.157 | 324 | 216.666 | 257 |

## Missing Values

|  |  | Perc | 0f..... |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Missing Missing |  |  |  |
| Value | Count | All Obs | Obs |
|  | 12 | 3.29 | 100.00 |

## Frequency Counts

| Value | Percents |  |  | Percents |  |  |  |  |  | Percents |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | count | Cell | Cum | Value | Count | Cell | Cum | value | Count | Cell | Cum |
| 2 | 1 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 7 | 2 | 0.6 | 7.1 | 10 | 1 | 0.3 | 17.0 |
| 2 | 1 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 7 | 1 | 0.3 | 7.4 | 10 | 1 | 0.3 | 17.3 |
| 3 | 1 | 0.3 | 0.8 | 7 | 1 | 0.3 | 7.6 | 10 | 1 | 0.3 | 17.6 |
| 3 | 2 | 0.6 | 1.4 | 8 | 2 | 0.6 | 8.2 | 11 | 1 | 0.3 | 17.8 |
| 3 | 1 | 0.3 | 1.7 | 8 | 2 | 0.6 | 8.8 | 11 | 1 | 0.3 | 18.1 |
| 4 | 1 | 0.3 | 2.0 | 8 | 1 | 0.3 | 9.1 | 12 | 1 | 0.3 | 18.4 |
| 4 | 1 | 0.3 | 2.3 | 8 | 1 | 0.3 | 9.3 | 12 | 1 | 0.3 | 18.7 |
| 4 | 1 | 0.3 | 2.5 | 8 | 1 | 0.3 | 9.6 | 12 | 1 | 0.3 | 19.0 |
| 4 | 1 | 0.3 | 2.8 | 8 | 1 | 0.3 | 9.9 | 12 | 1 | 0.3 | 19.3 |
| 4 | 1 | 0.3 | 3.1 | 9 | 2 | 0.6 | 10.5 | 12 | 8 | 2.3 | 21.5 |
| 5 | 2 | 0.6 | 3.7 | 9 | 2 | 0.6 | 11.0 | 12 | 1 | 0.3 | 21.8 |
| 5 | 1 | 0.3 | 4.0 | 9 | 1 | 0.3 | 11.3 | 12 | 1 | 0.3 | 22.1 |
| 5 | 1 | 0.3 | 4.2 | 9 | 1 | 0.3 | 11.6 | 13 | 3 | 0.8 | 22.9 |
| 5 | 1 | 0.3 | 4.5 | 9 | 1 | 0.3 | 11.9 | 13 | 1 | 0.3 | 23.2 |
| 6 | 1 | 0.3 | 4.8 | 9 | 1 | 0.3 | 12.2 | 13 | 1 | 0.3 | 23.5 |
| 6 | 1 | 0.3 | 5.1 | 10 | 1 | 0.3 | 12.5 | 13 | 1 | 0.3 | 23.8 |
| 6 | 1 | 0.3 | 5.4 | 10 | 1 | 0.3 | 12.7 | 13 | 3 | 0.8 | 24.6 |
| 6 | 1 | 0.3 | 5.7 | 10 | 1 | 0.3 | 13.0 | 13 | 1 | 0.3 | 24.9 |
| 6 | 1 | 0.3 | 5.9 | 10 | 1 | 0.3 | 13.3 | 14 | 1 | 0.3 | 25.2 |
| 7 | 1 | 0.3 | 6.2 | 10 | 10 | 2.8 | 16.1 | 14 | 1 | 0.3 | 25.5 |
| 7 | 1 | 0.3 | 6.5 | 10 | 2 | 0.6 | 16.7 | 14 | 1 | 0.3 | 25.8 |

The UNIVARIATE Procedure Variable: nefforts (nEfforts)

## Frequency Counts

|  | Percents |  | Perc |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Value Count | Cell Cum | Value Count | Cell | Cum | Value count |  | 11 |

value count cell cum

| 19 | 1 | 0.3 | 42.8 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 19 | 1 | 0.3 | 43.1 |
| 19 | 1 | 0.3 | 43.3 |
| 19 | 1 | 0.3 | 43.6 |
| 20 | 1 | 0.3 | 43.9 |
| 20 | 10 | 2.8 | 46.7 |
| 20 | 1 | 0.3 | 47.0 |
| 20 | 1 | 0.3 | 47.3 |
| 20 | 1 | 0.3 | 47.6 |
| 20 | 1 | 0.3 | 47.9 |
| 21 | 2 | 0.6 | 48.4 |
| 21 | 1 | 0.3 | 48.7 |
| 21 | 1 | 0.3 | 49.0 |
| 21 | 1 | 0.3 | 49.3 |
| 21 | 1 | 0.3 | 49.6 |
| 21 | 1 | 0.3 | 49.9 |
| 22 | 1 | 0.3 | 50.1 |
| 22 | 1 | 0.3 | 50.4 |
| 23 | 2 | 0.6 | 51.0 |
| 23 | 1 | 0.3 | 51.3 |
| 23 | 6 | 1.7 | 53.0 |
| 24 | 1 | 0.3 | 53.3 |
| 24 | 1 | 0.3 | 53.5 |
| 24 | 1 | 0.3 | 53.8 |
| 25 | 1 | 0.3 | 54.1 |
| 25 | 1 | 0.3 | 54.4 |
| 25 | 1 | 0.3 | 54.7 |
| 25 | 7 | 2.0 | 56.7 |
| 25 | 1 | 0.3 | 56.9 |
| 26 | 1 | 0.3 | 57.2 |
| 26 | 1 | 0.3 | 57.5 |
| 26 | 1 | 0.3 | 57.8 |
| 26 | 1 | 0.3 | 58.1 |
| 27 | 3 | 0.8 | 58.9 |
| 27 | 1 | 0.3 | 59.2 |
| 28 | 1 | 0.3 | 59.5 |
| 28 | 1 | 0.3 | 59.8 |
| 28 | 1 | 0.3 | 60.1 |
| 29 | 1 | 0.3 | 60.3 |
| 29 | 1 | 0.3 | 60.6 |
| 29 | 1 | 0.3 | 60.9 |
| 29 | 1 | 0.3 | 61.2 |
| 29 | 1 | 0.3 | 61.5 |
|  |  |  |  |

$0.3 \quad 61.8$
$\begin{array}{lll}14 & 4.0 & 65.7\end{array}$
$0.3 \quad 66.0$
$\begin{array}{lll}0.3 & 66.3\end{array}$
$0.3 \quad 66.6$
$0.6 \quad 67.1$
$\begin{array}{ll}0.6 & 67.1 \\ 0.3 & 67.4\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{lll}0.3 & 67.7\end{array}$
0.368 .0
$\begin{array}{ll}0.3 & 68.3\end{array}$
$0.3 \quad 68.6$
$0.3 \quad 68.8$
$0.3 \quad 69.1$
$\begin{array}{ll}0.3 & 69.1 \\ 0.3 & 69.4\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{ll}0.3 & 69.4 \\ 0.3 & 69.7\end{array}$
$0.3 \quad 70.0$
$0.3 \quad 70.3$
$\begin{array}{ll}0.3 & 70.3 \\ 1.1 & 71.4\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{lll}0.8 & 72.2\end{array}$
$0.3 \quad 72.5$
$\begin{array}{lll}0.3 & 72.8\end{array}$
$0.3 \quad 73.1$
$\begin{array}{llll} & 0.6 \quad 73.7\end{array}$
$0.3 \quad 73.9$
$0.6 \quad 74.5$
$0.3 \quad 74.8$
$0.3 \quad 75.1$
$0.3 \quad 75.4$
$\begin{array}{ll}0.3 & 75.6 \\ 0.3 & 75.9\end{array}$
$0.3 \quad 75.9$
$0.3 \quad 76.2$
$\begin{array}{ll}0.3 & 76.5\end{array}$
$0.3 \quad 76.8$
$0.6 \quad 77.3$
$0.3 \quad 77.6$
$0.6 \quad 78.2$
0.378 .5
$2 \quad 0.6 \quad 79.0$
$\begin{array}{lll}2 & 0.6 & 79.0 \\ 1 & 0.3 & 79.3\end{array}$
$14 \quad 4.0 \quad 83.3$
$\begin{array}{ll}0.3 & 83.6\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{lll}1 & 0.3 & 83.9\end{array}$
$1 \quad 0.3 \quad 84.1$

The univariate procedure
Variable: nefforts (nEfforts)

Frequency Counts


Value count cell Cum

| 53 | 1 | 0.3 | 89.8 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 57 | 1 | 0.3 | 90.1 |
| 58 | 1 | 0.3 | 90.4 |
| 59 | 1 | 0.3 | 90.7 |
| 60 | 3 | 0.8 | 91.5 |
| 62 | 1 | 0.3 | 91.8 |
| 63 | 2 | 0.6 | 92.4 |
| 63 | 1 | 0.3 | 92.6 |
| 64 | 1 | 0.3 | 92.9 |
| 66 | 1 | 0.3 | 93.2 |
| 67 | 1 | 0.3 | 93.5 |
| 68 | 1 | 0.3 | 93.8 |
| 69 | 1 | 0.3 | 94.1 |
| 77 | 1 | 0.3 | 94.3 |
| 77 | 1 | 0.3 | 94.6 |
| 80 | 1 | 0.3 | 94.9 |


| 85 | 1 | 0.3 | 95.2 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 85 | 1 | 0.3 | 95.5 |
| 87 | 1 | 0.3 | 95.8 |
| 90 | 1 | 0.3 | 96.0 |
| 93 | 1 | 0.3 | 96.3 |
| 100 | 1 | 0.3 | 96.6 |
| 120 | 2 | 0.6 | 97.2 |
| 120 | 1 | 0.3 | 97.5 |
| 125 | 1 | 0.3 | 97.7 |
| 130 | 2 | 0.6 | 98.3 |
| 133 | 1 | 0.3 | 98.6 |
| 138 | 1 | 0.3 | 98.9 |
| 145 | 1 | 0.3 | 99.2 |
| 157 | 1 | 0.3 | 99.4 |
| 200 | 1 | 0.3 | 99.7 |
| 217 | 1 | 0.3 | 100.0 |


| obs | j0b Sid | 1de | mint | mdur | meff | mpstr ms | mspeed | durpd | msi | mpctdur | mneffort |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 1 Le | eft | 1.00000 | 2.32500 | 3.00000 | 1.50000 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 7.847 | 73.706 | 31.500 |  |
| 2 | 1 Rid | ight | 2.46667 | 1.16667 | 1.40000 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 7.538 | 25.660 | 10.662 |  |
| 3 | 2 Le | eft | 6.00000 | 2.90000 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 156.600 | 83.320 | 32.410 |  |
| 4 | 2 Rl | Right | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 2.60000 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 70.200 | 90.115 | 20.505 |  |
| 5 | 3 Ri | Right | 3.00000 | 1.05000 | 2.35000 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 22.050 | 22.214 | 18.983 |  |
| 6 | 4 Le | eft | 3.00000 | 2.80000 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 56.700 | 90.240 | 31.000 |  |
| 7 | 4 Ri | aight | 3.00000 | 2.85714 | 1.78571 | 2.00000 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 22.821 | 90.649 | 15.151 |  |
| 8 | 5 Ri | aight | 6.00000 | 1.80000 | 2.10000 | 2.00000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 46.200 | 51.232 | 18.217 |  |
| 9 | 6 Le | Left | 1.00000 | 1.20000 | 2.85000 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 0.50 | 5.175 | 24.320 | 37.642 |  |
| 10 | 6 Ri | Right | 1.00000 | 1.20000 | 2.75000 | 1.00000 | 1.0 | 0.50 | 1.675 | 25.391 | 32.173 |  |
| 11 | 7 Le | Left | 3.00000 | 2.66667 | 2.50000 | 2.40000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 49.800 | 84.293 | 21.222 |  |
| 12 | 7 Ri | aight | 3.00000 | 2.35294 | 1.94118 | 1.94118 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 28.191 | 73.733 | 17.433 |  |
| 13 | 8 Al | Right | 1.00000 | 2.00000 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 1.5 | 1.00 | 27.000 | 65.946 | 35.078 |  |
| 14 | 9 R 1 | Aight | 6.00000 | 2.00000 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 1.5 | 1.00 | 162.000 | 69.524 | 24.436 |  |
| 15 | 10 Le | Left | 3.00000 | 2.00000 | 1.33333 | 3.00000 | 1.5 | 1.00 | 36.000 | 70.062 | 15.353 |  |
| 16 | 10 Ri | Right | 6.00000 | 2.66667 | 1.66667 | 3.00000 | 1.5 | 1.00 | 121.500 | 84.693 | 14.603 |  |
| 17 | 11 R1 | Right | 3.00000 | 1.70000 | 1.80000 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 27.900 | 49.275 | 15.161 |  |
| 18 | 12 Ri | Right | 6.00000 | 2.33333 | 2.66667 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 0.50 | 57.000 | 67.113 | 24.620 |  |
| 19 | 13 Ri | Right | 6.00000 | 2.75000 | 1.25000 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 0.50 | 30.375 | 81.146 | 9.313 |  |
| 20 | 14 R 1 | Right | 9.00000 | 2.33333 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 141.750 | 77.623 | 21.993 |  |
| 21 | 15 Ai | Aight | 3.00000 | 1.38889 | 1.77778 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 22.500 | 34.154 | 14.519 |  |
| 22 | 16 Ri | Right | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 81.000 | 93.134 | 38.506 |  |
| 23 | 17 Ri | Right | 6.00000 | 2.00000 | 1.50000 | 3.00000 | 1.5 | 1.00 | 81.000 | 63.955 | 11.262 |  |
| obs | int50 | dur50 | eff50 | pstr50 | speed50 | durpa50 | Si50 | O pc | ctdurso | neff 50 | mmsi | msi50 |
| 1 | 1.0 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 1.5 | 1.0 | 0.75 |  | 50 | 75.000 | 28.334 | 7.847 | 6.750 |
| 2 | 3.0 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 0.75 |  | 750 | 15.478 | 8.044 | 9.065 | 6.750 |
| 3 | 6.0 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 162.0 |  | 83.339 | 31.937 | 156.600 | 162.000 |
| 4 | 3.0 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 81.0 | . 00 | 91.373 | 19.773 | 70.200 | 81.000 |
| 5 | 3.0 | 1.00 | 2.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 22.5 | 500 | 21.495 | 18.875 | 22.208 | 18.000 |
| 6 | 3.0 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 60.7 | 750 | 95.454 | 30.000 | 56.700 | 60.750 |
| 7 | 3.0 | 3.00 | 2.00 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 20.2 | 250 | 95.652 | 15.550 | 22.959 | 27.000 |
| 8 | 6.0 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 48.00 | . 000 | 51.807 | 16.354 | 45.360 | 48.000 |
| 9 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 0 + 50 |  | 500 | 18.333 | 39.230 | 5.130 | 4.500 |
| 10 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 3.00 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 0.50 |  | 500 | 26.785 | 32.240 | 1.650 | 1.500 |
| 11 | 3.0 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 54.00 | 000 | 86.667 | 20.000 | 48.000 | 54.000 |
| 12 | 3.0 | 2.00 | 1.50 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 18.00 | . 000 | 77.780 | 13.846 | 26.599 | 9.000 |
| 13 | 1.0 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.5 | 1.00 | 27.000 | . 000 | 64.172 | 34.938 | 27.000 | 27.000 |
| 14 | 6.0 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.5 | 1.00 | 162.0 | . 000 | 66.894 | 24.554 | 162.000 | 162.000 |
| 15 | 3.0 | 2.00 | 1.50 | 3.0 | 1.5 | 1.00 | 40.5 | 500 | 77.660 | 12.990 | 36.000 | 40.500 |
| 16 | 6.0 | 3.00 | 1.50 | 3.0 | 1.5 | 1.00 | 121. | 500 | 81.680 | 13.870 | 120.000 | 121.500 |
| 17 | 3.0 | 1.50 | 2.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 27.0 | . 000 | 49.500 | 15.500 | 27.540 | 27.000 |
| 18 | 6.0 | 2.00 | - 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 0.50 | 54.0 | 000 | 66.670 | 20.375 | 56.000 | 54.000 |
| 19 | 6.0 | 3.00 | 1.25 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 0.50 | 27. | 000 | 80.299 | 9.258 | 30.938 | 33.750 |
| 20 | 9.0 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 121. | 500 | 78.091 | 20.909 | 141.750 | 121.500 |
| 21 | 3.0 | 1.50 | 2.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 27. | . 000 | 37.500 | 15.470 | 22.222 | 27.000 |
| 22 | 3.0 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 81. | 000 | 94.286 | 38.333 | 81.000 | 81.000 |
| 23 | 3.0 | - 2.00 | -1.50 | 3.0 | 1.5 | 1.00 | 81. | 000 | 67.113 | 10.964 | 81.000 | 81.000 |


|  | job | Side | mint | mdur |  |  | nspeed | mdurpd | msi | pctaur | fort |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 24 | 18 | $f t$ | 3.00000 | 60000 | 2.80000 | 2.00000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 44.400 | 80.912 | 24.244 |
| 25 | 18 | Right | 4.50000 | 07500 | 1.07500 | 2.50000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 25.238 | 63.944 | . 041 |
| 26 | 19 | Right | 7.38462 | . 15385 | 2.88462 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 105.923 | 65.980 | 41.310 |
| 27 | 20 | Right | 3.00000 | 2.00000 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 1.5 | 1.00 | 11.000 | 70.392 | 43.356 |
| 28 | 21 | Left | 1.00000 | 94444 | 3.00000 | 2.00000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 1.667 | 56.463 | . 686 |
| 29 | 22 | Right | 3.00000 | 50000 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 1.5 | 0.75 | 75.938 | 81.931 | 30.884 |
| 30 | 23 | Left | 3.00000 | . 75000 | 40000 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 16.538 | 47.917 | 10.406 |
| 31 | 23 | Right | 6.00000 | 70000 | 55000 | 1.95000 | 1.5 | 0.75 | 35.353 | 45.417 | 11.921 |
| 32 | 24 | $f t$ | 3.00000 | 1.91667 | 1.75000 | 1.00000 | 1.5 | 0.50 | . 593 | 56.858 | 21.034 |
| 33 | 25 | Right | 1.00000 | 2.30000 | 2.90000 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 0.25 | . 025 | 70.060 | 134.008 |
| 34 | 26 | ft | 1.00000 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 2.10000 | 1.0 | 0.25 | 4.500 | 100.000 | 50.299 |
| 35 | 27 |  | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 81.000 | 100.000 | 102.407 |
| 36 | 28 | Right | 3.00000 | 2.00000 | 2.00000 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 36.000 | 49.690 | 16.667 |
| 37 | 29 | Right | 6.00000 | 2.33333 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 126.000 | 69.897 | 32.007 |
| 38 | 30 | Right | 9.00000 | 2.83333 | 3.00000 | 1.50000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 114.750 | 89.087 | 36.856 |
| 39 | 31 | Right | 9.00000 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 1.50000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 121.500 | 100.000 | 31.750 |
| 40 | 32 | Left | 9.00000 | 3.00000 | 1.91667 | 3.00000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 155.250 | 92.478 | 16.107 |
| 41 |  | Right | 9.00000 | 3.00000 | 3.00000 | 2.00000 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 162.000 | 93.205 | 31.131 |
| 42 | 33 | Right | 3.000 | 25 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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| 24 | 3.0 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 54.000 | 80.831 | 25.625 | 43.680 | 54.000 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 25 | 4.5 | 2.00 | 1.00 | 2.5 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 21.000 | 66.569 | 6.903 | 25.095 | 22.500 |
| 26 | 6.0 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 81.000 | 61.861 | 34.545 | 103.232 | 81.000 |
| 27 | 3.0 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.5 | 1.00 | 81.000 | 71.304 | 43.333 | 81.000 | 81.000 |
| 28 | 1.0 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 12.000 | 57.140 | 45.710 | 11.667 | 12.000 |
| 29 | 3.0 | 2.50 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.5 | 0.75 | 75.938 | 79.269 | 31.820 | 75.938 | 75.938 |
| 30 | 3.0 | 1.75 | 1.50 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 0.75 | 15.188 | 45.000 | 11.024 | 16.538 | 17.719 |
| 31 | 6.0 | 1.50 | 1.50 | 2.0 | 1.5 | 0.75 | 30.375 | 40.000 | 12.048 | 34.683 | 30.375 |
| 32 | 3.0 | 2.00 | 1.50 | 1.0 | 1.5 | 0.50 | 6.750 | 55.578 | 12.500 | 7.547 | 6.750 |
| 33 | 1.0 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 0.25 | 4.500 | 73.215 | 135.230 | 5.003 | 4.500 |
| 34 | 1.0 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 0.25 | 4.500 | 100.000 | 47.915 | 4.725 | 4.500 |
| 35 | 3.0 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 81.000 | 100.000 | 93.333 | 81.000 | 81.000 |
| 36 | 3.0 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 36.000 | 55.556 | 16.667 | 36.000 | 36.000 |
| 37 | 6.0 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 108.000 | 65.158 | 30.872 | 126.000 | 108.000 |
| 38 | 9.0 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 1.5 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 121.500 | 91.199 | 37.545 | 114.750 | 121.500 |
| 39 | 9.0 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 1.5 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 121.500 | 100.000 | 31.250 | 121.500 | 121.500 |
| 40 | 9.0 | 3.00 | 2.00 | 3.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 162.000 | 91.813 | 16.429 | 155.250 | 162.000 |
| 41 | 9.0 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 1.00 | 162.000 | 92.899 | 31.786 | 162.000 | 162.000 |
| 42 | 3.0 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 0.25 | 9.000 | 74.383 | 75.339 | 10.125 | 9.000 |

The univariate procedure
variable: mint (the mean, IntensityofExertion)

## Moments



Quantiles (Definition 5)

| Quantile | Estimate |
| :--- | ---: |
|  |  |
| $100 \%$ Max | 9 |
| $99 \%$ | 9 |
| $95 \%$ | 9 |
| $90 \%$ | 9 |
| $75 \% 03$ | 6 |
| $50 \%$ Median | 3 |
| $25 \%$ a1 | 3 |
| $10 \%$ | 1 |
| $5 \%$ | 1 |
| 18 | 1 |
| $0 \% \mathrm{Min}$ | 1 |

The UNIVARIATE Procedure
Variable: mint (the mean, Intensityofexertion)
Extreme Observations
....-Lowest.... ......Highest...

| Value | Obs | Value | Obs |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| 1 | 34 | 9 | 20 |
| 1 | 33 | 9 | 38 |
| 1 | 28 | 9 | 39 |
| 1 | 13 | 9 | 40 |
| 1 | 10 | 9 | 41 |

Frequency Counts

|  | Percents |  |  | Percents |  |  |  |  |  | Percents |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| value | Count | Cell | Cum | value | Count | Cell | Cum | value | Count | Cell | cum |
| 1.0000000 | 7 | 16.7 | 16.7 | 4.5000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 64.3 | 7.3846154 | 1 | 2.4 | 88.1 |
| 2.4666667 | 1 | 2.4 | 19.0 | 6.0000000 | 9 | 21.4 | 85.7 | 9.0000000 | 5 | 11.9 | 100.0 |
| 3.0000000 | 18 | 42.9 | 61.9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

The UNIVARIATE Procedure
Variable: mdur (the mean, Durationofexertion)

## Moments



The UNIVARIATE Procedure
Variable: meff (the mean, Efforts_Minute)

## Moments



The UNIVARIATE Procedure
Variable: meff (the mean, Efforts_minute)

> Extreme Observations
....... Lowest..... .....Highest...

| value | Obs | value | Obs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| 1.07500 | 25 | 3 | 37 |
| 1.25000 | 19 | 3 | 38 |
| 1.33333 | 15 | 3 | 39 |
| 1.40000 | 30 | 3 | 41 |
| 1.40000 | 2 | 3 | 42 |

Frequency Counts

| Value Count |  | Percents |  | Percents |  |  |  |  |  | Percents |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Cell | Cum | Value | Count | Cell | Cum | value | count | Cell | Cum |
| 1.0750000 | 1 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 1.7857143 | 1 | 2.4 | 26.2 | 2.6000000 | 1 | 2.4 | $45 . ?$ |
| 1.2500000 | 1 | 2.4 | 4.8 | 1.8000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 28.6 | 2.6666667 | 1 | 2.4 | 47.6 |
| 1.3333333 | 1 | 2.4 | 7.1 | 1.9166667 | 1 | 2.4 | 31.0 | 2.7500000 | 1 | 2.4 | 50.0 |
| 1.4000000 | 2 | 4.8 | 11.9 | 1.9411765 | 1 | 2.4 | 33.3 | 2.8000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 52.4 |
| 1.5000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 14.3 | 2.0000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 35.7 | 2.8500000 | 1 | 2.4 | 54.8 |
| 1.5500000 | 1 | 2.4 | 16.7 | 2. 1000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 38.1 | 2.8846154 | 1 | 2.4 | 57.1 |
| 1.6666667 | 1 | 2.4 | 19.0 | 2.3500000 | 1 | 2.4 | 40.5 | 2.9000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 59.5 |
| 1.7500000 | 1 | 2.4 | 21.4 | 2.5000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 42.9 | 3.0000000 | 17 | 40.5 | 100.0 |
| 7777 | 1 | 2.4 | 23, 8 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Mean
Std Deviation
Skewness
Uncorrected ss
Coeff Variation

The univariate procedure
Variable: mpstr (the mean, Hand_WristPosture)

## Moments

| 2.55693277 | Sum observations | 107.391176 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 0.62759019 | Variance | 0.39386945 |
| -1.0797412 | Kurtosis | -0.0659053 |
| 290.740666 | Corrected SS | 16.1486474 |
| 24.5446497 | Std Error Mean | 0.09683927 |

Basic Statistical Measures

Variability

| Mean | 2.556933 | Std Deviation | 0.62759 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Median | 3.000000 | Variance | 0.39387 |
| Mode | 3.000000 | Range | 2.0000 |
|  |  | Interquartile Range | 1.00000 |

Tests for Location: MuO=0

| Test | -Statistic. |  | .....p value...... |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Student's t | t | 26.40388 | $\operatorname{Pr}>\|t\|$ | <. 0001 |
| Sign | M | 21 | Pr $>=\|M\|$ | <. 0001 |
| Signed Rank | S | 451.5 | $\operatorname{Pr}>=\|s\|$ | <.0001 |

## The UNIVARIATE Procedur

Variable: mpstr (the mean, Hand_YristPosture)

## Extreme Observations

-.... Lowest - . . .
.... Highest...

| Value | obs | value | Obs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| 1.0 | 32 | 3 | 33 |
| 1.0 | 10 | 3 | 35 |
| 1.5 | 39 | 3 | 36 |
| 1.5 | 38 | 3 | 37 |
| 1.5 | 1 | 3 | 40 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Frequency Counts |  |  |


| Percents |  |  |  | Percents |  |  |  |  | Percents |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Value | Count | Cell | Cum | value | Count | Cell | Cum | value | Count | Cell | Cun |
| 1.0000000 | 2 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 1.9500000 | 1 | 2.4 | 16.7 | 2.4000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 35.7 |
| 1.5000000 | 3 | 7.1 | 11.9 | 2.0000000 | 6 | 14.3 | 31.0 | 2.5000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 38.1 |
| 1.9411765 | 1 | 2.4 | 14.3 | 2.1000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 33.3 | 3.0000000 | 26 | 61.9 | 100.0 |

Quantiles (Definition 5)

| Quantile | Estimate |
| :--- | ---: |
| 100\% Max | 3.0 |
| 998 | 3.0 |
| 958 | 3.0 |
| $90 \%$ | 3.0 |
| $75 \%$ Q3 | 3.0 |
| 508 Median | 3.0 |
| 25801 | 2.0 |
| 108 | 1.5 |
| $5 \%$ | 1.5 |
| 18 | 1.0 |
| 08 Min | 1.0 |

The univariate procedure
Variable: mspeed (the mean, Speedofwork)

## Moments



The UNIVARIATE Procedure Variable: mspeed (the mean, Speedofwork)

Extreme Observations
.... Lowest.... .....Highest...

| Value | Obs | Value | obs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| 1 | 42 | 1.5 | 23 |
| 1 | 41 | 1.5 | 27 |
| 1 | 40 | 1.5 | 29 |
| 1 | 39 | 1.5 | 31 |
| 1 | 38 | 1.5 | 32 |

Frequency Counts


## The univariate procedure

variable: mdurpd (the mean, DurationperDay)

## Moments



The UNIVARIATE Procedure
Variable: mdurpd (the mean, DurationperDay)

## Extreme observations

| Value | Obs | value | Obs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0.25 | 42 | 1 | 37 |
| 0.25 | 34 | 1 | 38 |
| 0.25 | 33 | 1 | 39 |
| 0.50 | 32 | 1 | 40 |
| 0.50 | 19 | 1 | 41 |

## Frequency Counts

|  |  | Percents |  | Percents |  |  |  |  |  | Percents |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Value | Count | Cell | Cum | Value |  | Cell | Cum | Value |  | Cell | . Cum |
| 0.25 | 3 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 0.75 | 9 | 21.4 | 40.5 | 1.00 | 25 | 59.5 | 100.0 |
| 0.50 | 5 | 11.9 | 19.0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

The UNIVARIATE Procedure variable: mmsi

## Moments

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The UNIVARIATE Procedure
Variable: mmsi
Extreme Observations
.................
......Highest....

| Value | obs | Value | obs |
| :---: | ---: | :---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| 1.65000 | 10 | 141.75 | 20 |
| 4.72500 | 34 | 155.25 | 40 |
| 5.00250 | 33 | 156.60 | 3 |
| $\mathbf{5 . 1 3 0 0 0}$ | 9 | 162.00 | 14 |
| 7.54688 | 32 | 162.00 | 41 |

Frequency Counts
value count cell cum
value Count Cell Cum

|  |  | Percents |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Value Count | Cell | Cum |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| 1.650000 | 1 | 2.4 | 2.4 |
| 4.725000 | 1 | 2.4 | 4.8 |
| 5.002500 | 1 | 2.4 | 7.1 |
| 5.130000 | 1 | 2.4 | 9.5 |
| 7.546875 | 1 | 2.4 | 11.9 |
| 7.846875 | 1 | 2.4 | 14.3 |
| 9.065000 | 1 | 2.4 | 16.7 |
| 10.125000 | 1 | 2.4 | 19.0 |
| 11.666667 | 1 | 2.4 | 21.4 |
| 16.537500 | 1 | 2.4 | 23.8 |
| 22.207500 | 1 | 2.4 | 26.2 |
| 22.222222 | 1 | 2.4 | 28.6 |
| 22.959184 | 1 | 2.4 | 31.0 |


| 1.650000 | 1 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 25.094531 | 1 | 2.4 | 33.3 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| 26.598819 | 1 | 2.4 | 35.7 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | $27.000000 \quad 1 \quad 2.4 \quad 38.1$ $27.540000 \quad 1 \quad 2.4-40.5$ $\begin{array}{llll}30.937500 & 1 & 2.4 & 42.9\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{llll}34.683188 & 1 & 2.4 & 45.2\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{llll}36.000000 & 2 & 4.8 & 50.0\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{llll}43.680000 & 1 & 2.4 & 52.4 \\ 45.360000 & 1 & 2.4 & 54.8\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{llll}48.000000 & 1 & 2.4 & 57.1\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{llll}56.000000 & 1 & 2.4 & 59.5\end{array}$ $56.700000 \quad 1 \quad 2.4 \quad 61.9$

$\begin{array}{lll}4 & 9.5 & 76.2\end{array}$
$1 \quad 2.483 .3$
$\begin{array}{llll}121.500000 & 1 & 2.4 & 85.7\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{llll}126.000000 & 1 & 2.4 & 88.1\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{llll}141.750000 & 1 & 2.4 & 90.5\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{llll}155.250000 & 1 & 2.4 & 92.9\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{llll}156.600000 & 1 & 2.4 & 95.2\end{array}$
$162.000000 \quad 2 \quad 4.8 \quad 100.0$
ate procedure
int50 (the median, Intensityofexertion)

## Moments



Extreme Observations


Frequency Counts

|  |  | Percents |  | Percents |  |  |  | Percents |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Value: | Count | Cell | Cum | Value | Count | Cell | cum | value | count | Cell | Cum |
| 1.0 | 4 | 9.5 | 9.5 | 1.8 | 1 | 2.4 | 19.0 | 2.5 | 1 | 2.4 | 64.3 |
| 1.5 | 3 | 7.1 | 16.7 | 2.0 | 18 | 42.9 | 61.9 | 3.0 | 15 | 35.7 | 100.0 |

The univariate procedure Variable: eff50 (the median, Efforts_Minute)

## Moments



The univariate Procedure Variable: eff50 (the median, Efforts_Minute)

## Extreme Observations

.... Lowest.... .....Highest..

| value | obs | Value | obs |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| 1.00 | 25 | 3 | 37 |
| 1.00 | 2 | 3 | 38 |
| 1.25 | 19 | 3 | 39 |
| 1.50 | 32 | 3 | 41 |
| 1.50 | 31 | 3 | 42 |

Frequency Counts

|  |  | Percents |  | Percents |  |  |  |  |  | Percents |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Value | Count | Cell | Cum | Value | Count | Cell | Cum | value |  | Cell | Cum |
| 1.0 | 2 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 1.5 | 7 | 16.7 | 23.8 | 3.0 | 25 | 59.5 | 100.0 |
| 1.3 | 1 | 2.4 | 7.1 | 2.0 | 7 | 16.7 | 40.5 |  |  |  |  |

## The univariate procedure

Variable: pstr50 (the median, Hand_WristPosture)

## Moments



The UNIVARIATE Procedure
Variable: pstr50 (the median, Hand_WristPosture)

## Extreme Observations

| value | Obs | Value | Obs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1.0 | 32 | 3 | 33 |
| 1.0 | 12 | 3 | 35 |
| 1.0 | 10 | 3 | 36 |
| 1.5 | 39 | 3 | 37 |
| 1.5 | 38 | 3 | 40 |


| Frequency Counts |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Percents |  |  |  | Percents |  |  |  | Percents |  |  |  |
| Value | Count | Cell | Cum | value | Count | Cell | Cum | value |  | cell | Cum |
| 1 | 3 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 2 | 9 | 21.4 | 35.7 | 3 | 26 | 61.9 | 100.0 |
| 2 | 3 | 7.1 | 14.3 | 3 | 1 | 2.4 | 38.1 |  |  |  |  |

The UNIVARIATE Procedure Variable: speed50 (the median, Speedofwork)

## Moments



The univariate procedure
Variable: durpd50 (the median, DurationperDay)

## Moments

| N | 42 | Sum Weights | 42 |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | ---: |
| Mean | 0.83333333 | Sum Observations | 35 |
| Std Oeviation | 0.23855936 | Variance | 0.05691057 |
| Skewness | -1.2640984 | Kurtosis | 0.50581216 |
| Uncorrected SS | 31.5 | Corrected SS | 2.33333333 |
| Coeff Variation | 28.6271234 | Std Error Mean | 0.03681051 |

Basic Statistical Measures

| Location |  |  | Variability |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Mean | 0.833333 |  | Std Devi | ion | 0.23856 |
| Median | 1.000000 |  | Variance |  | 0.05691 |
| Mode | 1.000000 |  | Aange |  | 0.75000 |
|  |  |  | Interqua | ile Range | 0.25000 |
|  | Tests for Location: Mu0 $=0$ |  |  |  |  |
| Test |  | -Statistic. |  | .....p value...... |  |
| Student's t |  | t | 22.63846 | $\mathrm{Pr}>\|t\|$ | <. 0001 |
| Sign |  | $M$ | 21 | $\operatorname{Pr}>=\|M\|$ | $<.0001$ |
| Signed Rank |  | $s$ | 451.5 | $\operatorname{Pr}>=\|s\|$ | <.0001 |

Quantiles' (Definition 5)

| Quantile | Estimate |
| :--- | ---: |
| 100\% Max | 1.00 |
| $99 \%$ | 1.00 |
| $95 \%$ | 1.00 |
| 908 | 1.00 |
| 758 a3 | 1.00 |
| 508 Median | 1.00 |
| 258 a1 | 0.75 |
| 108 | 0.50 |
| 58 | 0.25 |
| 18 | 0.25 |
| 0\% Min | 0.25 |



## The UNIVARIATE Procedure

Variable: pctdur50 (the median, pctDurExer)

## Moments




The univariate procedure
Variable: neff50 (the median, nefforts)

## Moments



The univariate procedure
Variable: msi (the mean, SIScore)

## Moments



The UNIVARIATE Procedure
Variable: msi (the mean, siscore)

Extreme Observations
....... Lowest....
......Highest....

| Value | Obs | Value | Obs |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| 1.67500 | 10 | 141.75 | 20 |
| 4.50000 | 34 | 155.25 | 40 |
| 5.02500 | 33 | 156.60 | 3 |
| 5.17500 | 9 | 162.00 | 14 |
| 7.53758 | 2 | 162.00 | 41 |

Frequency Counts

## Percents

Value Count cell Cum
value Count cell cu

| 1.6750000 | 1 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 35.3530000 | 1 | 2.4 | 45.2 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :--- | ---: | :--- |
| 4.5000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 4.8 | 36.0000000 | 2 | 4.8 | 50.0 |
| 5.0250000 | 1 | 2.4 | 7.1 | 44.4000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 52.4 |
| 5.1750000 | 1 | 2.4 | 9.5 | 46.2000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 54.8 |
| 7.5375833 | 1 | 2.4 | 11.9 | 49.8000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 57.1 |
| 7.5933333 | 1 | 2.4 | 14.3 | 56.7000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 59.5 |
| 7.8468750 | 1 | 2.4 | 16.7 | 57.0000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 61.9 |
| 10.1250000 | 1 | 2.4 | 19.0 | 70.2000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 64.3 |
| 11.6666667 | 1 | 2.4 | 21.4 | 75.9375000 | 1 | 2.4 | 66.7 |
| 16.5377000 | 1 | 2.4 | 23.8 | 81.0000000 | 4 | 9.5 | 76.2 |
| 22.0500000 | 1 | 2.4 | 26.2 | 105.9230769 | 1 | 2.4 | 78.6 |
| 22.5000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 28.6 | 114.7500000 | 1 | 2.4 | 81.0 |
| 22.8214286 | 1 | 2.4 | 31.0 | 121.5000000 | 2 | 4.8 | 85.7 |
| 25.2375000 | 1 | 2.4 | 33.3 | 126.0000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 88.1 |
| 27.0000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 35.7 | 141.7500000 | 1 | 2.4 | 90.5 |
| 27.9000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 38.1 | 155.2500000 | 1 | 2.4 | 92.9 |
| 28.1911765 | 1 | 2.4 | 40.5 | 156.6000000 | 1 | 2.4 | 95.2 |
| 30.3750000 | 1 | 2.4 | 42.9 | 162.0000000 | 2 | 4.8 | 100.0 |

## The UNIVARIATE Procedure

Variable: mpctdur (the mean, potDurExer)

## Moments

| N | 42 | Sum Weights | 42 |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | ---: |
| Mean | 69.0821945 | Sum Observations | 2901.45217 |
| Std Deviation | 21.7065583 | Variance | 471.174674 |
| Skewness | -0.6637784 | Kurtosis | -0.2813631 |
| Uncorrected Ss | 219756.844 | Corrected SS | 19318.1616 |
| Coeff Variation | 31.4213503 | Std Error Mean | 3.34939466 |

Basic Statistical Measures

| Location |  | Variability |  |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | ---: |
|  |  |  | 21.70656 |
| Mean | 69.0822 | Sta Deviation | 471.17467 |
| Median | 70.2266 | Variance | 77.78576 |
| Mode | 100.0000 | Range | 28.23056 |

Tests for Location: Mu0=0

| Test | - Statistic. |  | .....p value...... |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Student's t | t | 20.62528 | $\operatorname{Pr}>\|t\|$ | <.0001 |
| Sign | M | 21 | $\operatorname{Pr}>=\|M\|$ | <. 0001 |
| Signed Rank | 5 | 451.5 | $\operatorname{Pr}>=\|s\|$ | <.0001 |

Quantiles (Definition 5)

| Quantile | Estimate |
| :--- | ---: |
| 100\% Max | 100.0000 |
| $99 \%$ | 100.0000 |
| $95 \%$ | 100.0000 |
| $90 \%$ | 93.1343 |
| $75 \%$ Q3 | 84.6933 |
| 50\% Median | 70.2266 |
| $25 \%$ a1 | 56.4628 |
| 10\% | 34.1544 |
| 5\% | 25.3906 |
| 1\% | 22.2142 |
| 0\% Min | 22.2142 |

The univariate procedure Variable: mpctdur (the mean, pctDurExer)

Extreme observations .
......... Lowest.....
......-Highest.....

| Value | Obs | Value | Obs |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| 22.2142 | 5 | 93.1343 | 22 |
| 24.3202 | 9 | 93.2053 | 41 |
| 25.3906 | 10 | 100.0000 | 34 |
| 25.6603 | 2 | 100.0000 | 35 |
| 34.1544 | 21 | 100.0000 | 39 |

Frequency Counts

|  | Percents |  |  | Percents |  |  |  | Percents |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| value | Count | Cell | Cum | Value | count | Cell | Cum | value | Count | Cell | Cum |
| 22.21424 | 1 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 65.94567 | 1 | 2.4 | 35.7 | 81.14625 | 1 | 2.4 | 66.7 |
| 24.32020 | 1 | 2.4 | 4.8 | 65.97962 | 1 | 2.4 | 38.1 | 81.93080 | 1 | 2.4 | 69.0 |
| 25.39060 | 1 | 2.4 | 7.1 | 67.11267 | 1 | 2.4 | 40.5 | 83.32010 | 1 | 2.4 | 71.4 |
| 25.66027 | 1 | 2.4 | 9.5 | 69.52400 | 1 | 2.4 | 42.9 | 84.29307 | 1 | 2.4 | 73.8 |
| 34.15444 | 1 | 2.4 | 11.9 | 69.89733 | 1 | 2.4 | 45.2 | 84.69333 | i | 2.4 | 76.2 |
| 45.41650 | 1 | 2.4 | 14.3 | 70.05960 | 1 | 2.4 | 47.6 | 89.08650 | 1 | 2.4 | 78.6 |
| 47.91660 | 1 | 2.4 | 16.7 | 70.06167 | 1 | 2.4 | 50.0 | 90.11450 | 1 | 2.4 | 81.0 |
| 49.27500 | 1 | 2.4 | 19.0 | 70.39160 | 1 | 2.4 | 52.4 | 90.24000 | 1 | 2.4 | 83.3 |
| 49.69000 | 1 | 2.4 | 21.4 | 73.70605 | 1 | 2.4 | 54.8 | 90.64871 | 1 | 2.4 | 85.7 |
| 51.23220 | 1 | 2.4 | 23.8 | 73.73312 | 1 | 2.4 | 57.1 | 92.47833 | 1 | 2.4 | 88.1 |
| 56.46278 | 1 | 2.4 | 26.2 | 75.72425 | 1 | 2.4 | 59.5 | 93.13427 | 1 | 2.4 | 90.5 |
| 56.85750 | 1 | 2.4 | 28.6 | 77.62333 | 1 | 2.4 | 61.9 | 93.20533 | 1 | 2.4 | 92.9 |
| 63.94419 | 1 | 2.4 | 31.0 | 80.91230 | 1 | 2.4 | 64.3 | 100.00000 | 3 | 7.1 | 100.0 |
| 63.95525 | 1 | 2.4 | 33.3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

The univariate procedure
Variable: mneffort (the mean, nefforts)

## Moments





The TTEST Procedure
Equality of Variances

| Variable | Method | Num DF | Den DF | F Value | Pr $>F$ |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| meff | Folded F | 37 | 3 | 41.84 | 0.0102 |
| mpctdur | Folded F | 3 | 37 | 3.49 | 0.0500 |
| pctdur50 | Folded F | 3 | 37 | 3.44 | 0.0529 |



## The TTEST Procedure

## Statistics



## Equality of Variances

| Variable | Method | Num DF | Den DF | F Value | Pr $>$ F |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| mneffort | Folded F | 3 | 37 | 6.73 | 0.0020 |
| neff50 | Folded F | 3 | 37 | 7.58 | 0.0009 |

The TTEST Procedure

## Statistics

| Variable | msi50 |
| :--- | :--- |
| mneffort | $<50$ |
| mneffort | $>=50$ |
| mneffort | Diff (1-2) |
| neff50 | $<50$ |
| neff50 | $>=50$ |
| neff50 | Diff (1-2) |

Upper

|  | Lower CL <br> Mean | Mean | Upper CL <br> Mean | Lower CL <br> Std Dev | Std Dev | Upper CL |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| Std Dev | Std Err |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

T-Tests

| Variable | Method | Variances | DF | t Value | Pr $>\|t\|$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| mneffort | Pooled | Equal | 40 | -0.30 | 0.7674 |
| mneffort | Satterthwaite | Unequal | 36.5 | -0.30 | 0.7632 |
| neff50 | Pooled | Equal | 40 | -0.27 | 0.7905 |
| nefff0 | Satterthwaite | Unequal | 34.5 | -0.27 | 0.7858 |


| Variable | Method | Num DF | Den DF | F Value | Pr > F |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| mneffort | Folded F | 21 | 19 | 2.32 | 0.0696 |
| neff50 | Folded F | 21 | 19 | 2.89 | 0.0234 |



The TTEST Procedure

## Statistics

| Variable | mmsi |
| :--- | :--- |
| mneffort | $<5$ |
| mneffort | $>5$ |
| mneffort | Diff (1-2) |
| neff50 | $<5$ |
| neff50 | $>5$ |
| neff50 | 0iff (1-2) |


| Lower CL |  |  | Upper Cl | Lower CL |  | Upper CL |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $N$ | Mean | Mean | Mean | Std Dev | Std Dev | Std Dev | Std Err |
| 2 | -73.92 | 41.236 | 156.39 | 5.7183 | 12.817 | 408.98 | 9.063 |
| 40 | 21.919 | 29.804 | 37.689 | 20.197 | 24.655 | 31.658 | 3.8984 |
|  | -24.34 | 11.432 | 47.206 | 20.057 | 24.429 | 31.258 | 17.701 |
| 2 | -59.51 | 40.078 | 139.66 | 4.9451 | 11.084 | 353.69 | 7.8375 |
| 40 | 20.991 | 28.777 | 36.562 | 19.943 | 24.345 | 31.26 | 3.8493 |
|  | -24 | 11.301 | 46.597 | 19.789 | 24.103 | 30.839 | 17.464 |


| Variable | Method | Variances | DF | $t$ Value | Pr $>\|t\|$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: | :---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| mneffort | Pooled | Equal | 40 | 0.65 | 0.5221 |
| mneffort | Satterthwaite | Unequal | 1.4 | 1.16 | 0.4066 |
| neff50 | Pooled | Equal | 40 | 0.65 | 0.5213 |
| neff50 | Satterthwaite | Unequal | 1.54 | 1.29 | 0.3563 |

## Equality of Variances

| Variable | Method | Num DF | Den DF | F Value | Pr $>F$ |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| mneffort | Folded F | 39 | 1 | 3.70 | 0.7878 |
| neff50 | Folded F | 39 | 1 | 4.82 | 0.6971 |




|  | T-Tests |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Variable | Method | Variances | DF | t Value | Pr > $>\|t\|$ |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| mneffort | Pooled | Equal | 4 | 0.82 | 0.4563 |  |  |
| mneffort | Satterthwaite | Unequal | 0 | . | . |  |  |
| neff50 | Pooled | Equal | 4 | 0.96 | 0.3923 |  |  |
| neff50 | Satterthwaite | Unequal | 0 | . | . |  |  |

Equality of Variances

| Variable | Method | Num DF | Den DF | F Value | Pr $>F$ |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| mneffort | Folded F | 4 | 0 |  |  |
| neff50 | Folded F | 4 | 0 | . | . |

The MEANS Procedure
Analysis Variable : diffsi $=m s i 50-s i 50$
Std Dev $t$ Value $\operatorname{Pr}>|t|$

| 42 | 0.0959702 | 2.2121773 | 0.28 | 0.7800 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

## The CORR Procedure

18 Variables: mint mdur meff mpstr mspeed mdurpd mmsi msi int50 dur50 eff50 pstr50 speed50 durpd50 si50 pctdur50 neff50 msi50

## The CORR Procedure

Simple Statistics

Simple Statistics



## The CORR Procedure

Pearson Correlation Coefficients, $N=42$
Prob > $|r|$ under HO: Rho=0

|  | mint | mdur | meff | mpstr | mspeed | mdurpd |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| eff 50 | -0.03992 | 0.34788 | 0.96713 | -0.06189 | . 0.20690 | -0.10729 |
| the median, Efforts_Minute | 0.8018 | 0.0240 | <. 0001 | 0.6970 | 0.1886 | 0.4989 |
| pstr50 | 0.04770 | -0.05505 | . 0.07181 | 0.97297 | 0.11248 | 0.15865 |
| the median, Hand_WristPosture | 0.7642 | 0.7291 | 0.6513 | <. 0001 | 0.4782 | 0.3156 |
| speed50 | -0.00850 | -0.15815 | . 0.17508 | 0.08774 | 1.00000 | 0.12309 |
| the median, Speedof Work | 0.9574 | 0.3172 | 0.2674 | 0.5806 | <. 0001 | 0.4374 |
| durpd50 | 0.30109 | 0.09806 | -0.09933 | 0.19729 | 0.12309 | 1.00000 |
| the median, DurationperDay | 0.0527 | 0.5367 | 0.5314 | 0.2104 | 0.4374 | <.0001 |
| si50 (Mielsi) | 0.77444 | 0.53102 | 0.31030 | 0.22376 | 0.12047 | 0.49485 |
| the median, siscore | <. 0001 | 0.0003 | 0.0455 | 0.1543 | 0.4473 | 0.0009 |
| petdur 50 | 0.30805 | 0.96351 | 0.31986 | -0.04975 | -0.04812 | 0.12553 |
| the median, petDurExer | 0.0472 | <. 0001 | 0.0389 | 0.7544 | 0.7622 | 0.4283 |
| neffiso | -0.26512 | 0.20169 | 0.57868 | 0.02288 | -0.16397 | :0.39958 |
| the median, nefforts | 0.0897 | 0.2002 | <. 0001 | 0.8856 | 0.2994 | 0.0088 |
| msi50 | 0.77799 | 0.53991 | 0.30132 | 0.22674 | 0.11947 | 0.48462 |
|  | $<.0001$ | 0.0002 | 0.0525 | 0.1487 | 0.4511 | 0.0011 |
| Pearson Correlation Coefficients, $\mathrm{N}=42$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | mms 1 | msi | int50 | dur 50 | eff50 | pstr50 |
| mint | 0.80073 | 0.80178 | 0.99579 | 0.33850 | -0.03992 | 0.04770 |
| the mean, Intensityofexertion | $<.0001$ | <. 0001 | <. 0001 | 0.0283 | 0.8018 | 0.7642 |
| mdur | 0.50702 | 0.50741 | 0.36182 | 0.96104 | 0.34788 | -0.05505 |
| the mean, DurationofExertion | 0.0006 | 0.0006 | 0.0185 | <. 0001 | 0.0240 | 0.7291 |
| meff | 0.31447 | 0.31448 | -0.04355 | 0.23541 | 0.96713 | -0.07181 |
| the mean, Efforts_minute | 0.0425 | 0.0425 | 0.7842 | 0.1334 | $<.0001$ | 0.6513 |
| mpstr | 0.23586 | 0.23476 | 0.01499 | -0.03864 | -0.06189 | 0.97297 |
| the mean, Hand_WristPosture | 0.1327 | 0.1345 | 0.9249 | 0.8080 | 0.6970 | <. 0001 |
| mspeed | 0.11102 | 0.11112 | -0.00428 | -0.09709 | -0.20690 | 0.11248 |
| the mean, SpeedofWork | 0.4840 | 0.4836 | 0.9786 | 0.5407 | 0.1886 | 0.4782 |

The CORR Procedure
Pearson Correlation Coefficients, $N=42$ Prob > $|r|$ under HO: Rho=0

|  | speed50 | durpa 50 | si50 | pctdur 50 | neff 50 | ms 150 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| mint | -0.00850 | 0.30109 | 0.77444 | 0.30805 | -0.26512 | 0.77799 |
| the mean, Intensityofexertion | 0.9574 | 0.0527 | <. 0001 | 0.0472 | 0.0897 | <.0001 |
| mour | -0.15815 | 0.09806 | 0.53102 | 0.96351 | 0.20169 | 0.53991 |
| the mean, Durationofexertion | 0.3172 | 0.5367 | 0.0003 | <. 0001 | 0.2002 | 0.0002 |
| meft | -0.17508 | -0.09933 | 0.31030 | 0.31986 | 0.57868 | 0.30132 |
| the mean, Efforts_minute | 0.2674 | 0.5314 | 0.0455 | 0.0389 | <. 0001 | 0.0525 |
| mpstr | 0.08774 | 0.19729 | 0.22376 | -0.04975 | 0.02288 | 0.22674 |
| the mean, Hand_wristposture | 0.5806 | 0.2104 | 0.1543 | 0.7544 | 0.8856 | 0.1487 |
| mspeed | 1.00000 | 0.12309 | 0.12047 | -0.04812 | -0.16397 | 0.11947 |
| the mean, Speedofwork | <.0001 | 0.4374 | 0.4473 | 0.7622 | 0.2994 | 0.4511 |
| mdurpd | 0.12309 | 1.00000 | 0.49485 | 0.12553 | -0.39958 | 0.48462 |
| the mean, DurationperDay | 0.4374 | $<.0001$ | 0.0009 | 0.4283 | 0.0088 | 0.0011 |
| mmsi | 0.11102 | 0.46635 | 0.99129 | 0.46647 | -0.06647 | 0.99008 |
|  | 0.4840 | 0.0019 | <. 0001 | 0.0018 | 0.6758 | <.0001 |
| msi | 0.11112 | 0.46747 | 0.99082 | 0.46707 | -0.06739 | 0.98943 |
| the mean, siscore | 0.4836 | 0.0018 | <. 0001 | 0.0018 | 0.6716 | <.0001 |
| $\text { int } 50$ | -0.00428 | 0.30923 | 0.77604 | 0.30532 | -0.27741 | 0.77967 |
| the median, Intensityofexertion | 0.9786 | 0.0463 | <.0001 | 0.0493 | 0.0753 | <. 0001 |
| dur 50 | -0.09709 | 0.18427 | 0.52070 | 0.92660 | 0.10834 | 0.53290 |
| the median, Durationofexertion | 0.5407 | 0.2427 | 0.0004 | <. 0001 | 0.4946 | 0.0003 |
| eff 50 | -0.20690 | .0.10729 | 0.29796 | 0.34658 | 0.55582 | 0.29449 |
| the median, Efforts_minute | 0.1886 | 0.4989 | 0.0553 | 0.0245 | 0.0001 | 0.0583 |
| pstr50 | 0.11248 | 0.15865 | 0.24074 | -0.07766 | 0.04502 | 0.24978 |
| the median, Hand_WristPosture | 0.4782 | 0.3156 | 0.1246 | 0.6250 | 0.7771 | 0.1106 |
| speed50 | 1.00000 | 0.12309 | 0.12047 | -0.04812 | -0.16397 | 0.11947 |
| the median, Speedofwork |  | 0.4374 | 0.4473 | 0.7622 | 0.2994 | 0.4511 |
| durpd50 | 0.12309 | 1.00000 | 0.49485 | 0.12553 | -0.39958 | 0.48462 |
| the median, DurationperDay | 0.4374 |  | 0.0009 | 0.4283 | 0.0088 | 0.0011 |
| si50 | 0.12047 | 0.49485 | 1.00000 | 0.49037 | -0.06619 | 0.89902 |
| the median, SIScore | 0.4473 | 0.0009 |  | 0.0010 | 0.6771 | <.0001 |







The FREO Procedure

031LSa


031LSb

|  |  |  | Cumulative | Cumulative |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Q31LSb | Frequency | Percent | Frequency | Percent |

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\text { Frequency Missing }=31
$$

The FREQ Procedure

031 RSa

| Q31RSa | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 8 | 100.00 | 8 | 100.00 |

Q31RSb
031RSb Frequency Percent Frequency Percent

Frequency Missing $=31$

031 RSc

| 031RSc | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative Frequency | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 7 | 100.00 | 7 | 100.00 |

Q31RSd

Q31RSd Frequency Percent Frequency | Cumulative $\left.\begin{array}{c}\text { Cumulative } \\ \text { Percent }\end{array}\right)$ |
| :---: |

Frequency Missing $=31$
a31RSe

Q31RSe Frequency Percent Frequency | Cumulative $\left.\begin{array}{c}\text { Cumulative } \\ \text { Percent }\end{array}\right]$ |
| :---: |

| The FREO Procedure |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Q31LEa |  |  |  |  |
| Q31LEa | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| 1 | 16 | 100.00 | 16 | 100.00 |
| Frequency Missing $=15$ |  |  |  |  |
| Q31LEb |  |  |  |  |
| Q31LEb | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative Frequency | Gumulative Percent |
| 1 | 6 | 100.00 | 6 | 100.00 |
| Frequency Missing $=25$ |  |  |  |  |
| Q31LEc |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Cumulative | Cumulative |
| 031LEc | Frequency | Percent | Frequency | Percent |

Frequency Missing $=31$

Q31LEd

| Q31LEd |  |  | Cumulative | Cumulative |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Quiled | Frequency | Percent | Frequency | Percent |

Frequency Missing $=31$

| 031LEe |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Cumulative | Cumulative |
| Q31LEe | Frequency | Percent | Frequency | Percent |

The FREQ Procedure
Q31REa

| Q31REa | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 12 | 100.00 | 12 | 100.00 |



Q31REC

| Q31REC | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative Frequency | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 2 | 100.00 | 2 | 100.00 |

Q31REd

| Q31REd | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 1 | 100.00 | 1 | 100.00 |

Frequency Missing $=30$

| Q31REE | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

The FREO Procedure

031LFa

| Q31LFa | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Gumulative Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 17 | 100.00 | 17 | 100.00 |

Q31LFb

|  |  |  | Cumulative | Cumulative |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Q31LFb | Frequency | Percent | Frequency | Percent |

Frequency Missing = 31

031LFc

| Q31LFC |  |  | Cumulative Frequency | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Q3ILFC | Frequency | Percent | Frequency |  |

Frequency Missing $=31$

| Q31LFd |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Q31LFd | Frequency | Percent | Gumulative Frequency | Cumulative |
|  | Frequency | Percent | Frequency | Percent |

## Frequency Missing $=31$

Q31LFe

031LFe Frequency Percent Frequency | Cumulative $\left.\begin{array}{c}\text { Cumulative } \\ \text { Percent }\end{array}\right)$ |
| :---: |

The fREO Procedure

Q31RFa

| Q31RFa | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 13 | 100.00 | 13 | 100.00 |


| Q31RFb | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 9 | 100.00 | 9 | 100.00 |

## Q31RFC

| Q31RFc | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Frequency Missing $=31$ |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Q31RFd |  |  |
| Q31FFd | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative Frequency | Cumulative Percent |

Frequency Missing $=31$

Q31RFe

| Q31RFe |  |  | Cumulative Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Quirfe | Frequency | Percent | Frequency |  |


| The FREQ Procedure |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Q31LHWa |  |  |  |  |
| 031 LHWa | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| 1 | 12 | 100.00 | 12 | 100.00 |
| Frequency Missing $=19$ |  |  |  |  |
| Q31LHWb |  |  |  |  |
| 031LHWb | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| 1 | 8 | 100.00 | 8 | 100.00 |
| Frequency Missing $=23$ |  |  |  |  |
| Q31LHWC |  |  |  |  |
| 031LHWc | frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative <br> Percent |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | 6 | 100.00 | 6 | 100.00 |
| Frequency Missing $=25$ |  |  |  |  |
| 031LHWd |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Cumulative | Cumulative |
| Q31LHWd | Frequency | Pement | Frequency | Percent |

Frequency Missing $=31$

Q31LHWe

| Q31LHWe Frequency Percent | Cumulative <br> FrequencyCumulative <br> Percent |
| :--- | :--- |

The FREQ Procedure

| Q31 Rhwa |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Q31RHWa | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| 1 | 8 | 100.00 | 8 | 100.00 |
| Frequency Missing $=23$ |  |  |  |  |
| Q31RHwb |  |  |  |  |
| Q31RHWb | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| 1 | 12 | 100.00 | 12 | 100.00 |
| Frequency Missing $=19$ |  |  |  |  |
| Q31RHWC |  |  |  |  |
| 031RHWC | Frequency | Percent | Gumulative | Cumulative |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | 8 | 100.00 | 8 | 100.00 |
| Frequency Missing $=23$ |  |  |  |  |
| Q31RHWd |  |  |  |  |
| Q31RHWd | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative | Cumulative |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | 3 | 100.00 | 3 | 100.00 |
| Frequency Missing $=28$ |  |  |  |  |
| Q31RHWe |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Cumulative | Cumulative |
| Q31RHWe | Frequency | Percent | Frequency | Percent |

The FREQ Procedure

Q32LNBef


Frequency Missing $=31$

Q32LNAft

|  |  | Q32LnAft |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Q32Lnaft | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| 1 | 7 | 100.00 | 7 | 100.00 |
| Frequency Missing $=24$ |  |  |  |  |
| a32LNWORK |  |  |  |  |
| Cumulative Cumulative |  |  |  |  |
| 032LNwork | Frequency | Percent | Frequency | Percent |
| 1 | 6 | 60.00 | 6 | 60.00 |
| - 2 | 4 | 40.00 | 10 | 100.00 |

## Q32RNBef

032RNBef Frequency Percent Frequency Percent

Frequency Missing $=\mathbf{3 1}$

The frea Procedure

| qu2rnaft |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Q32RNAft | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| 1 | 9 | 100.00 | 9 | 100.00 |

Q32RNWORK

| Q32RNWOTK | Frequency | Percent | Gumulative <br> Frequency | Gumulative Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 7 | 58.33 | 7 | 58.33 |
| 2 | 5 | 41.67 | 12 | 100.00 |

032LSBef

|  |  |  | Cumulative | Cumulative |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Q32LSBef | Frequency | Percent | Frequency | Percent |

Frequency Missing $=\mathbf{3 1}$

Q32LSAft

Q32LSAft Frequency Percent Frequency | Cumulative |
| :---: |
| Percent |



| The FREQ Procedure |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Q32LEBef |  |  |  |  |
| Q32LEBef | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| Frequency Missing $=31$ |  |  |  |  |
| Q32LEAft |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Cumulative | Cumulative |
| Q32LEAft | Frequency | Percent | Frequency | Percent |
| 1 | 5 | 100.00 | 5 | 100.00 |
| Frequency Missing $=26$ |  |  |  |  |
| Q32LEWORK |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Cumulative | Cumulative |
| a32LEWork | Frequency | Percent | Frequency | Percent |
| 0 | 1 | 16.67 | 1 | 16.67 |
| 1 | 5 | 83.33 | 6 | 100.00 |
| Frequency Missing $=25$ |  |  |  |  |
| Q32REBef |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Cumulative | Cumulative |
| 032REBe $f$ | Frequency | Percent | Frequency | Percent |

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Q32REWORK

| Q32REWOrk | Q32REWOKK |  |  | Cumulative Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency |  |
| 0 | 1 | 7.14 | 1 | 7.14 |
| 1 | 12 | 85.71 | 13 | 92.86 |
| 2 | 1 | 7.14 | 14 | 100.00 |
| Frequency Missing $=17$ |  |  |  |  |
| 032LFBef |  |  |  |  |
| Cumulative Cumulative |  |  |  |  |
| Q32LFBef | Frequency | Percent | Frequency | Percent |

Frequency Missing $=31$

| 032LFAft |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Cumulative | Cumulative |
| Q32LFAft | Frequency | Percent | Frequency | Percent |










## The FREQ Procedure

Statistics for Table of medsi by sa_morb

| Statistic | DF | Value | Prob |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Chi-Square | 1 | 1.0909 | 0.2963 |
| Likelihood Ratio Chi-Square | 1 | 1.1374 | 0.2862 |
| Continuity Adj. Chi-Square | 1 | 0.2727 | 0.6015 |
| Mantel-Haenszel Chi-Square | 1 | 1.0682 | 0.3014 |
| Phi Coefficient |  | 0.1508 |  |
| Contingency Coefficient |  | 0.1491 |  |
| Cramer's V |  | 0.1508 |  |

WARNING: $50 \%$ of the cells have expected counts less than 5. Chi-Square may not be a valid test

| Fisher's Exact Test |  |
| :--- | ---: |
| Cell (1,1) Frequency (F) | 3 |
| Left-sided Pr $<=F$ | 0.9454 |
| Right-sided Pr $>=F$ | 0.3043 |
|  |  |
| Table Probability (P) | 0.2496 |
| Two-sided Pr $<=P$ | 0.6085 |

The FREQ Procedure
Statistics for Table of medsi by sa_morb

| Statistic | Value | ASE |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Gamma | 0.5333 | 0.4270 |
| Kendall's Tau-b | 0.1508 | 0.1309 |
| Stuart's Tau-C | 0.0833 | 0.0789 |
|  |  |  |
| Somers' D C\|R | 0.2727 | 0.2292 |
| Somers' D R\|C | 0.0833 | 0.0789 |
|  |  |  |
| Pearson Correlation | 0.1508 | 0.1309 |
| Spearman Correlation | 0.1508 | 0.1309 |
|  |  |  |
| Lambda Asymmetric C\|R | 0.0833 | 0.2646 |
| Lambda Asymmetric R\|C | 0.0714 | 0.0000 |
| Lambda Symmetric | 0.2283 |  |
|  |  |  |
| Uncertainty Coefficient C\|R | 0.0171 | 0.0309 |
| Uncertalnty Coefficient R\|C | 0.0413 | 0.0726 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient Symmetric | 0.0242 | 0.0432 |

Estimates of the Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Value | 95\% Confidence Limits |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Case-Control (Odds Ratio) | 3.2857 | 0.3168 | 34.0828 |
| Cohort (Col1 Risk) | 1.5714 | 0.8247 | 2.9945 |
| Cohort (Col2 Risk) | 0.4783 | 0.0856 | 2.6727 |
|  |  |  |  |
| Sample Size $=48$ |  |  |  |

The freo Procedure

Summary Statistics for medsi by sa_morb
Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel Statistics (Based on Table Scores)

| Statistic | Alternative Hypothesis | DF | Value | Prob |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Nonzero Correlation | 1 | 1.0682 | 0.3014 |
| 2 | Row Mean Scores Differ | 1 | 1.0682 | 0.3014 |
| 3 | General Association | 1 | 1.0682 | 0.3014 |

Estimates of the Common Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Method | Value | 95\% Confidence Limits |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Case-Control | Mantel-Haenszel | 3.2857 | 0.3168 | 34.0828 |
| (Odds Ratio) | Logit | 3.2857 | 0.3168 | 34.0828 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 1.5714 | 0.8247 | 2.9945 |
| (Col1 Risk) | Logit | 1.5714 | 0.8247 | 2.9945 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 0.4783 | 0.0856 | 2.6727 |
| (Col2 Risk) | Logit | 0.4783 | 0.0856 | 2.6727 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |

Table of sigtmed by sa_morb


The FREQ Procedure

Statistics for Table of sigtmed by sa_morb

| Statistic | DF | Value | Prob |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Chi-Square | 1 | 3.0000 | 0.0833 |
| Likelihood Ratio Chi-Square | 1 | 3.0321 | 0.0816 |
| Continuity Adj. Chi-Square | 1 | 2.0833 | 0.1489 |
| Mantel-Haenszel Chi-Square | 1 | 2.9375 | 0.0865 |
| Phi Coefficient |  | 0.2500 |  |
| Contingency Coefficient |  | 0.2425 |  |
| Cramer's V |  | 0.2500 |  |

Fisher's Exact Test

| Cell (1,1) Frequency (F) | 15 |
| :--- | ---: |
| Left-sided Pr $<=F$ | 0.9789 |
| Right-sided Pr $>=F$ | 0.0741 |
|  |  |
| Table Probability (P) | 0.0530 |
| Two-sided Pr $<=P$ | 0.1482 |

The freo Procedure
Statistics for Table of sigtmed by sa_morb

| Statistic | Value | ASE |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Gamma | 0.4706 | 0.2321 |
| Kendall's Tau-D | 0.2500 | 0.1398 |
| Stuart's Tau-C | 0.2500 | 0.1398 |
|  |  |  |
| Somers' D C\|R | 0.2500 | 0.1398 |
| Somers' D R\|C | 0.2500 | 0.1398 |
|  |  |  |
| Pearson Correlation | 0.2500 | 0.1398 |
| Spearman Correlation | 0.2500 | 0.1398 |
|  |  |  |
| Lambda Asymmetric C\|R | 0.2500 | 0.1768 |
| Lambda Asymmetric R\|C | 0.2500 | 0.1768 |
| Lambda Symmetric |  | 0.1639 |
|  | 0.0456 | 0.0515 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient C\|R | 0.0456 | 0.0515 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient R\|C | 0.0456 | 0.0515 |

Estimates of the Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Value | 95\% Confidence Limits |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Case-Control (Odds Ratio) | 2.7778 | 0.8633 | 8.9383 |
| Cohort (Coll Risk) | 1.6667 | 0.9126 | 3.0440 |
| Cohort (Col2 Risk) | 0.6000 | 0.3285 | 1.0958 |

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Summary Statistics for sigtmed by sa morb

Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel Statistics (Based on Table Scores)

| Statistic | Alternative Hypothesis | DF | Value | Prob |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Nonzero Correlation | 1 | 2.9375 | 0.0865 |
| 2 | Row Mean Scores Differ | 1 | 2.9375 | 0.0865 |
| 3 | General Association | 1 | 2.9375 | 0.0865 |

Estimates of the Common Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Method | Value | 958 Confidence Limits |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Case-Control | Mantel-Haenszel | 2.7778 | 0.8633 | 8.9383 |
| (Odds Ratio) | Logit | 2.7778 | 0.8633 | 8.9383 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 1.6667 | 0.9126 | 3.0440 |
| (Col1 Risk) | Logit | 1.6667 | 0.9126 | 3.0440 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 0.6000 | 0.3285 | 1.0958 |
| (Col2 Risk) | Logit | 0.6000 | 0.3285 | 1.0958 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |

Table of sigt3q by sa_morb
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## The FREQ Procedure

Statistics for Table of sigt 3 q by sa_morb

| Statistic | DF | Value | Prob |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Chi-Square | 1 | 7.3776 | 0.0066 |
| Likelihood Ratio Chi-Square | 1 | 7.6677 | 0.0056 |
| Continuity Adj. Chi-Square | 1 | 5.8292 | 0.0158 |
| Mantel-Haenszel Chi-Square | 1 | 7.2239 | 0.0072 |
| Phi Coefficient |  | 0.3920 |  |
| Contingency Coefficient |  | 0.3650 |  |
| Cramer's V |  | 0.3920 |  |


| Fisher's Exact Test |  |
| :--- | ---: |
| Cell (1,1) Frequency (F) | 20 |
| Left-sided Pr $<=F$ | 0.9990 |
| Right-sided Pr $>=F$ | 0.0073 |
|  |  |
| Table Probability (P) | 0.0062 |
| Two-sided Pr $<=P$ | 0.0145 |

## he FREO Procedure

Summary Statistics for sigt3q by sa_morb

Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel Statistics (Based on Table Scores)

| Statistic | Alternative Hypothesis | OF | Value | Prob |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| 1 | Nonzero Correlation | 1 | 7.2239 | 0.0072 |
| 2 | Row Mean Scores Differ | 1 | 7.2239 | 0.0072 |
| 3 | General Association | 1 | 7.2239 | 0.0072 |

Estimates of the Common Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Method | Value | 95\% Confidence Limits |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Case-Control | Mantel-Haenszel | 5.9091 | 1.5464 | 22.5802 |
| (Odds Ratio) | Logit | 5.9091 | 1.5464 | 22.5802 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 2.7419 | 1.1194 | 6.7162 |
| (Coll Risk) | Logit | 2.7419 | 1.1194 | 6.7162 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 0.4640 | 0.2696 | 0.7986 |
| (Col2 R1sk) | Logit | 0.4640 | 0.2696 | 0.7986 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |

Total Sample Size $=48$

The FREO Procedure
Statistics for Table of medsi by sa morb

| Statistic | DF | Value | Prob |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Chi-Square | 1 | 1.0909 | 0.2963 |
| Likelihood Ratio Chi-Square | 1 | 1.1374 | 0.2862 |
| Continuity Adj. Chi-Square | 1 | 0.2727 | 0.6015 |
| Mantel-Haenszel Chi-Square | 1 | 1.0682 | 0.3014 |
| Phi Coefficient |  | 0.1508 |  |
| Contingency Coefficient |  | 0.1491 |  |
| Cramer's V |  | 0.1508 |  |

WARNING: $50 \%$ of the cells have expected counts less than 5. Chi-Square may not be a valid test.

| Fisher's Exact Test |  |
| :--- | ---: |
| Cell (1,1) Frequency (F) | 3 |
| Left-sided Pr $<=F$ | 0.9454 |
| Right-sided $\mathrm{Pr}>=F$ | 0.3043 |
|  |  |
| Table Probability (P) | 0.2496 |
| Two-sided Pr $<=P$ | 0.6085 |

## The FREQ Procedure

Statistics for Table of medsi by sa_morb

| Statistic | Value | ASE |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Gamma | 0.5333 | 0.4270 |
| Kendall's Tau-b | 0.1508 | 0.1309 |
| Stuart's Tau-C | 0.0833 | 0.0789 |
|  |  |  |
| Somers' D C\|R | 0.2727 | 0.2292 |
| Somers' D R\|C | 0.0833 | 0.0789 |
|  |  |  |
| Pearson Correlation | 0.1508 | 0.1309 |
| Spearman Correlation | 0.1508 | 0.1309 |
|  |  |  |
| Lambda Asymmetric C\|A | 0.0833 | 0.2646 |
| Lambda Asymmetric R\|C | 0.0714 | 0.2283 |
| Lambda Symmetric | 0.0171 | 0.0309 |
|  | 0.0413 | 0.0726 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient C\|R | 0.0242 | 0.0432 |

Estimates of the Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Value | $95 \%$ Confidence Limits |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Case-Control (Odds Ratio) | 3.2857 | 0.3168 | 34.0828 |  |
| Cohort (Coll Risk) | 1.5714 | 0.8247 | 2.9945 |  |
| Cohort (Col2 Risk) | 0.4783 | 0.0856 | 2.6727 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Sample Size $=48$ |  |  |  |

## The FREQ Procedure

Summary Statistics for medsi by sa morb

Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel Statistics (Based on Table Scores)

| Statistic | Alternative Hypothesis | DF | Value | Prob |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Nonzero Correlation | 1 | 1.0682 | 0.3014 |
| 2 | Row Mean Scores Differ | 1 | 1.0682 | 0.3014 |
| 3 | General Association | 1 | 1.0682 | 0.3014 |

Estimates of the Common Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Method | Value | $95 \%$ Conffdence Limits |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Case-Control | Mantel-Haenszel | 3.2857 | 0.3168 | 34.0828 |
| (Odds Ratio) | Logit | 3.2857 | 0.3168 | 34.0828 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 1.5714 | 0.8247 | 2.9945 |
| (Colt Risk) | Logit | 1.5714 | 0.8247 | 2.9945 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 0.4783 | 0.0856 | 2.6727 |
| (Col2 Risk) | Logit | 0.4783 | 0.0856 | 2.6727 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |

Table of sigtmed by sa_morb


## The fREQ Procedure

Statistics for Table of sigtmed by sa_morb

| Statistic | DF | Value | Prob |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Chi-Square | 1 | 4.0904 | 0.0431 |
| Likelihood Ratio Chi-Square | 1 | 4.1511 | 0.0416 |
| Continuity Adj. Chi-Square | 1 | 3.0052 | 0.0830 |
| Mantel-Haenszel Chi-Square | 1 | 4.0052 | 0.0454 |
| Phi Coefficient |  | 0.2919 |  |
| Contingency Coefficient |  | 0.2802 |  |
| Cramer's $V$ |  | 0.2919 |  |

Fisher's Exact Test

| Cell (1,1) Frequency (F) | 16 |
| :--- | ---: |
| Left-sided Pr $<=F$ | 0.9901 |
| Right-sided Pr $>=F$ | 0.0410 |
|  |  |
| Table Probability (P) | 0.0311 |
| Two-sided Pr $<=P$ | 0.0820 |

The FREQ Procedure

Statistics for Table of sigtmed by sa_morb

| Statistic | Value | ASE |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Gamma | 0.5385 | 0.2146 |
| Kendall's Tau-b | 0.2919 | 0.1380 |
| Stuart's Tau-C | 0.2917 | 0.1379 |
| Somers' D C\|R | 0.2922 | 0.1381 |
| Somers' D A\|C | 0.2917 | 0.1379 |
|  |  |  |
| Pearson Correlation | 0.2919 | 0.1380 |
| Spearman Correlation | 0.2919 | 0.1380 |
|  | 0.2917 | 0.1682 |
| Lambda Asymmetric C\|R | 0.2609 | 0.1831 |
| Lambda Asymmetric R\|C | 0.2766 | 0.1636 |
| Lambda Symmetric | 0.0624 | 0.0599 |
|  | 0.0625 | 0.0600 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient C\|R | 0.0624 | 0.0599 |

Estimates of the Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Value | 958 Confidence Limits |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Case-Control (Odds Ratio) | 3.3333 | 1.0196 | 10.8976 |
| Cohort (Coll Risk) | 1.8400 | 0.9779 | 3.4622 |
| Cohort (Col2 Risk) | 0.5520 | 0.3024 | 1.0077 |
|  |  |  |  |

## The FREQ Procedure

Summary Statistics for sigtmed by sa_morb

Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel Statistics (Based on Table Scores)

| Statistic | Alternative Hypothesis | DF | Value | Prob |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Nonzero Correlation | 1 | 4.0052 | 0.0454 |
| 2 | Row Mean Scores Differ | 1 | 4.0052 | 0.0454 |
| 3 | General Association | 1 | 4.0052 | 0.0454 |

Estimates of the Common Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Method | Value | 95\% Confidence Limits |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Case-Control | Mantel-Haenszel | 3.3333 | 1.0196 | 10.8976 |
| (Odds Ratio) | Logit | 3.3333 | 1.0196 | 10.8976 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 1.8400 | 0.9779 | 3.4622 |
| (Col1 Risk) | Logit | 1.8400 | 0.9779 | 3.4622 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 0.5520 | 0.3024 | 1.0077 |
| (Col2 Risk) | Logit | 0.5520 | 0.3024 | 1.0077 |

Total Sample Size $=48$

Table of sigt3q by sa_morb
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Statistics for Table of sigt $3 q$ by sa_morb

| Statistic | DF | Value | Prob |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Chi-Square | 1 | 7.3776 | 0.0066 |
| Likelihood Ratio Chi-Square | 1 | 7.6677 | 0.0056 |
| Continuity Adj. Chi-Square | 1 | 5.8292 | 0.0158 |
| Mantel-Haenszel Chi-Square | 1 | 7.2239 | 0.0072 |
| Phi Coefficient |  | 0.3920 |  |
| Contingency Coefficient |  | 0.3650 |  |
| Cramer's $V$ |  | 0.3920 |  |

## The FREQ Procedure

Statistics for Table of sigt $3 q$ by sa_morb

| Statistic | value | ASE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Gamma | 0.7105 | 0.1693 |
| Kendall's Tau-b | 0.3920 | 0.1294 |
| Stuart's Tau-c | 0.3750 | 0.1270 |
| Somers' D C $\mathrm{R}^{\text {c }}$ | 0.4099 | 0.1340 |
| Somers' D R/C | 0.3750 | 0.1270 |
| Pearson Correlation | 0.3920 | 0.1294 |
| Spearman Correlation | 0.3920 | 0.1294 |
| Lambda Asymmetric C/R | 0.3750 | 0.1358 |
| Lambda Asymmetric R\|C | 0.1176 | 0.2707 |
| Lambda Symmetric | 0.2683 | 0.1758 |
| Uncertainty Goefficient C/R | 0.1152 | 0.0790 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient R/C | 0.1229 | 0.0836 |
| Uncertainty Coofficient Symmetric | 0.1189 | 0.0811 |


| Type of Study | Value | 95\% Confidence Limits |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Case-Control (Odds Ratio) | 5.9091 | 1.5464 | 22.5802 |
| Cohort (Coll Risk) | 2.7419 | 1.1194 | 6.7162 |
| Cohort (Col2 Risk) | 0.4640 | 0.2696 | 0.7986 |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Sample Size $=48$ |  |  |

Summary Statistics for sigt3q by sa_morb
Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel Statistics (Based on Table Scores)

| Statistic | Alternative Hypothesis | DF | Value | Prob |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1 | Nonzero Correlation | 1 | 7.2239 | 0.0072 |
| 2 | Row Mean Scores Differ | 1 | 7.2239 | 0.0072 |
| 3 | General Association | 1 | 7.2239 | 0.0072 |

Estimates of the Common Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Method | Value | 95\% Confidence Limits |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Case-Control | Mantel-Haenszel | 5.9091 | 1.5464 | 22.5802 |
| (Odds Ratio) | Logit | 5.9091 | 1.5464 | 22.5802 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 2.7419 | 1.1194 | 6.7162 |
| (Col1 Risk) | Logit | 2.7419 | 1.1194 | 6.7162 |
|  |  | 0.4640 | 0.2696 | 0.7986 |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 0.4640 | 0.2696 | 0.7986 |
| (Col2 Risk) | Logit |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |




| Variable | mms 1 | The TTEST Procedure |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Sta |  |  | istics | tower CL |  |  |  |
|  |  | Lower CL |  | Mean $\begin{array}{r}\text { Upper CL } \\ \text { Mean }\end{array}$ |  |  | Sta Dev | Upper CL |  |
|  |  | N | Mean |  |  | Std Dev |  | Std Dev | Std Err |
| mneffort | $<50$ | 1 | - | 37.642 | - | . | . | . | . |
| mneffort | $>=50$ | 5 | 26.014 | 32.748 | 39.481 | 3.249 | 5.4229 | 15.583 | 2.4252 |
| mneffort | Diff (1-2) |  | -11.6 | 4.8941 | 21.388 | 3.249 | 5.4229 | 15.583 | 5.9405 |
| neff50 | <50 | 1 | . | 39.23 | . | . |  | . | . |
| nefffo | $>=50$ | 5 | 522.736 | 31.675 | 40.613 | 4.3131 | 7.1989 | 20.686 | 3.2194 |
| neff 50 | Diff (1-2) |  | -14.34 | 7.5551 | 29.45 | 4.3131 | 7.1989 | 20.686 | 7.886 |
|  |  | T. Tests |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Variable | Method |  | Variances |  | OF $\quad t \quad \mathrm{~V}$ | ve $\mathrm{Pr}>\|t\|$ |  |  |
|  | mneffort | Pooled |  | Equal |  | 4 | 0.82 | 0.4563 |  |
|  | mneffort | Satterthwaite |  | Unequal |  | 0 | . | . |  |
|  | neffic | Pooled |  | Equal |  | 4 | 0.96 | 0.3923 |  |
|  | nefff0 | Satterthwaite |  | Unequal |  | 0 | . | . |  |
|  |  | Equality of Variances |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Variable |  | Method | Num 0 | DF Den | F Valu | e $\mathrm{Pr}>\mathrm{F}$ |  |  |
|  | mneffort |  | Folded F |  | 4 | 0 | . . |  |  |
|  | neff 50 |  | Folded F |  | 4 | 0 | . |  |  |

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The MEANS Procedure









|  | Obs | Job | Hand | avesi | meds 1 | Morbidity 1 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | 1 | L | 7.313 | 6.750 | 0 |
|  | 2 | 1 | R | 8.250 | 6.750 | 0 |
|  | 3 | 2 | L | 156.600 | 162.000 | 0 |
|  | 4 | 2 | R | 70.200 | 81.000 | 0 |
|  | 5 | 3 | R | 22.050 | 22.500 | 0 |
|  | 6 | 4 | L | 56.700 | 60.750 | 0 |
|  | 7 | 4 | R | 22.821 | 20.250 | 0 |
|  | 8 | 5 | R | 46.200 | 48.000 | 0 |
|  | 9 | 6 | L | 5.175 | 4.500 | 1 |
|  | 10 | 6 | R | 1.675 | 1.500 | 0 |
|  | 11 | 7 | L | 48.000 | 54.000 | 0 |
|  | 12 | 7 | R | 24.891 | 18.000 | 0 |
|  | 13 | 8 | R | 27.000 | 27.000 | 0 |
|  | 14 | 9 | R | 162.000 | 162.000 | 0 |
|  | 15 | 10 | L | 36.000 | 40.500 | 0 |
|  | 16 | 10 | 8 | 121.500 | 121.500 | 0 |
|  | 17 | 11 | 8 | 27.900 | 27.000 | 0 |
|  | 18 | 12 | R | 57.000 | 54.000 | 1 |
|  | 19 | 13 | R | 30.375 | 27.000 | 0 |
|  | 20 | 14 | R | 141.750 | 121.500 | 0 |
| $\stackrel{\sim}{\sim}$ | 21 | 15 | R | 22.500 | 27.000 | 0 |
| $\infty$ | 22 | 16 | R | 81.000 | 81.000 | 1 |
| $\cdots$ | 23 | 17 | 1 | 81.000 | 81.000 | 0 |
|  | 24 | 18 | L | 44.400 | 54.000 | 0 |
|  | 25 | 18 | 8 | 25.238 | 21.000 | 0 |
|  | 26 | 19 | R | 105.923 | 81.000 | 0 |
|  | 27 | 20 | R | 81.000 | 81.000 | 0 |
|  | 28 | 21 | L | 11.667 | 12.000 | 0 |
|  | 29 | 22 | R | 74.250 | 60.750 | 0 |
|  | 30 | 23 | L | 16.538 | 15.188 | 0 |
|  | 31 | 23 | R | 35.353 | 30.375 | 0 |
|  | 32 | 24 | L | 7.593 | 6.750 | 0 |
|  | 33 | 25 | ค | 5.025 | 4.500 | 0 |
|  | 34 | 26 | 1 | 4.500 | 4.500 | 0 |
|  | 35 | 27 | R | 81.000 | 81.000 | 0 |
|  | 36 | 28 | R | 36.000 | 36.000 | 0 |
|  | 37 | 29 | R | 126.000 | 108.000 | 1 |
|  | 38 | 30 | A | 114.750 | 121.500 | 1 |
|  | 39 | 31 | R | 121.500 | 121.500 | 1 |
|  | 40 | 32 | L | 155.250 | 162.000 | 0 |
|  | 41 | 32 | R | 162.000 | 162.000 | 0 |
|  | 42 | 33 | A | 10.125 | 9.000 | 0 |

## The FREQ Procedure

Statistics for Table of medsi by Morbidity1

| Statistic | DF | Value | Prob |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Chi-Square | 1 | 0.4145 | 0.5197 |
| Likelihood Ratio Chi.Square | 1 | 0.3584 | 0.5494 |
| Continuity Adj. Chi-Square | 1 | 0.0000 | 1.0000 |
| Mantel-Haenszel Chi-Square | 1 | 0.4046 | 0.5247 |
| Fisher's Exact Test (Left) |  |  | 0.4737 |
| (Right) |  |  | 0.9090 |
| (2-Tail) |  |  | 0.4737 |
| Phi Coefficient |  | -0.0993 |  |
| Contingency Coefficient |  | 0.0989 |  |
| Cramer's V |  | -0.0993 |  |

WARNING: 50\% of the cells have expected counts less than 5 . Chi-Square may not be a valid test.

| Statistic | value | ASE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Gamma | -0.3750 | 0.5373 |
| Kendall's Tau-b | -0.0993 | 0.1868 |
| Stuart's Tau-c | -0.0408 | 0.0789 |
| Somers' O C/R | -0.1184 | 0.2233 |
| Somers' D RIC | . 0.0833 | 0.1590 |
| Pearson Correlation | -0.0993 | 0.1868 |
| Spearman Correlation | -0.0993 | 0.1868 |
| Lambda Asymmetric C/R | 0.0000 | 0.0000 |
| Lambda Asymmetric R/C | 0.0000 | 0.0000 |
| Lambda Symmetric | 0.0000 | 0.0000 |
| Uncertainty coefficient C\|R | 0.0104 | 0.0368 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient R\|C | 0.0136 | 0.0479 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient Symmetric | 0.0118 | 0.0416 |

Estimates of the Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | value | 95\% Con | Bounds |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Case.Control | 0.4545 | 0.0392 | 5.2719 |
| Cohort (Coll Risk) | 0.8636 | 0.4839 | 1.5412 |
| Cohort (Col2 Risk) | 1.9000 | 0.2889 | 12.4977 |

Sample Size $=42$

## The FREO Procedure

Summary Statistics for medsi by Morbidity
Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel Statistics (Based on Table Scores

| Statistic | Alternative Hypothesis | DF | Value | Prob |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Nonzero Correlation | 1 | 0.4046 | 0.5247 |
| 2 | Row Mean Scores Differ | 1 | 0.4046 | 0.5247 |
| 3 | General Association | 1 | 0.4046 | 0.5247 |

Estimates of the Common Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Method | value | 95\% Confi | Bounds |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Case-Control | Mantel-Haenszel | 0.4545 | 0.0392 | 5.2719 |
| (Odds Ratio) | Logit | 0.4545 | 0.0392 | 5.2719 |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 0.8636 | 0.4839 | 1.5412 |
| (Coll Risk) | Logit | 0.8636 | 0.4839 | 1.5412 |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 1.9000 | 0.2889 | 12.4977 |
| (Col2 Risk) | Logit | 1.9000 | 0.2889 | 12.4977 |

The FREQ Procedure

Table of medsi by Morbidity 1

| Frequency |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Row Pct |  |  |  |
| Col Pct | -- | $t$ | Total |
| <44.25 | 20 | 1 | 21 |
|  | 95.24 | 4.76 |  |
|  | 55.56 | 16.67 |  |
| $>=44.25$ | 16 | 5 | 21 |
|  | 76.19 | 23.81 |  |
|  | 44.44 | 83.33 |  |
| Total | 36 | 6 | 42 |

Statistics for rable of medsi by Morbidity

| Statistic | DF | Value | Prob |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Chi-Square | 1 | 3.1111 | 0.0778 |
| Likelihood Ratio Chi-Square | 1 | 3.3564 | 0.0669 |
| Continuity Adj. Chi-Square | 1 | 1.7500 | 0.1859 |
| Mantel-Haenszel Chi-Square | 1 | 3.0370 | 0.0814 |
| Fisher's Exact Test (Left) |  |  | 0.9897 |
| (Right) |  |  | 0.0918 |
| (2-Tail) |  |  | 0.1836 |
| Phi Coefficient |  | 0.2722 |  |
| Contingency Coefficient |  | 0.2626 |  |
| Cramer's V |  | 0.2722 |  |

WARNING: $50 \%$ of the cells have expected counts less than 5. Chi.Square may not be a valid test.

| Statistic | Value | ASE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Gamma | 0.7241 | 0.2724 |
| Kendall's Tau-b | 0.2722 | 0.1286 |
| Stuart's Tau-c | 0.1905 | 0.1039 |
| Somers' D C\|A | 0.1905 | 0.1039 |
| Somers' D R\|C | 0.3889 | 0.1732 |
| Pearson Correlation | 0.2722 | 0.1286 |
| Spearman Correlation | 0.2722 | 0.1286 |
| Lambda Asymmetric C/R | 0.0000 | 0.0000 |
| Lambda Asymmetric R/C | 0.1905 | 0.1049 |
| Lambda Symmetric | 0.1481 | 0.0754 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient C/R | 0.0974 | 0.0940 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient R/C | 0.0576 | 0.0584 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient Symmetric | 0.0724 | 0.0716 |

Estimates of the Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | value | 95\% Confidence Bounds |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Case-Control | 6.2500 | 0.6618 | 59.0274 |
| Cohort (Coll Risk) | 1.2500 | 0.9662 | 1.6171 |
| Cohort (Col2 Risk) | 0.2000 | 0.0255 | 1.5693 |

Sample Size $=42$

Summary Statistics for medsi by Morbidity1
Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel Statistics (Based on Table Scores)

| Statistic | Alternative Hypothesis | DF | value | Prob |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Nonzero Correlation | 1 | 3.0370 | 0.0814 |
| 2 | Row Mean Scores Differ | 1 | 3.0370 | 0.0814 |
| 3 | General Association | 1 | 3.0370 | 0.0814 |


| Type of Study | Method | value | 95\% Confi | Bounds |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Case. Control | Mantel-Maenszel | 6.2500 | 0.6618 | 59.0274 |
| (Odds Ratio) | Logit | 6.2500 | 0.6618 | 59.0274 |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 1.2500 | 0.9662 | 1.6171 |
| (Coll Risk) | Logit | 1.2500 | 0.9662 | 1.6171 |
| Cohort | Mantel- Haenszel | 0.2000 | 0.0255 | 1.5693 |
| (Col2 Risk) | Logit | 0.2000 | 0.0255 | 1.5693 |

The FREQ Procedure

Table of medsi by Morbidity
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Morbidity1(Morbidity1)

| Frequency |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Row Pct |  |  |  |
| col Pct | 0 | 1 | Total |
| <81 | 25 | 2 | 27 |
|  | 92.59 | 7.41 |  |
|  | 69.44 | 33.33 |  |
| $>=81$ | 11 | 4 | 15 |
|  | 73.33 | 26.67 |  |
|  | 30.56 | 66.67 |  |
| Total | 36 | 6 | 42 |

The FREQ Procedure

Statistics for Table of medsi by Morbidityl

| Statistic | DF | Value | Prob |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Chi-Square | 1 | 2.9210 | 0.0874 |
| Likelihood Ratio Chi-Square | 1 | 2.7935 | 0.0946 |
| Continuity Adj. Chi-Square | 1 | 1.5599 | 0.2117 |
| Mantel-Haenszel Chi-Square | 1 | 2.8514 | 0.0913 |
| Fisher's Exact Test (Left) |  |  | 0.9836 |
| (Right) |  |  | 0.1077 |
| (2-Tail) |  |  | 0.1642 |
| Phi Coefficient |  | 0.2637 |  |
| Contingency Coefficient |  | 0.2550 |  |
| Cramer's V |  | 0.2637 |  |

WARNING: 508 of the cells have expected counts less than 5. Chi-Square may not be a valid test.

| Statistic | Value | ASE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Gamma | 0.6393 | 0.2775 |
| Kendall's Tau-b | 0.2637 | 0.1564 |
| Stuart's Tau-c | 0.1769 | 0.1158 |
| Somers' D C in | 0.1926 | 0.1248 |
| Somers' D a/c | 0.3611 | 0.2072 |
| Pearson Correlation | 0.2637 | 0.1564 |
| Spearman Correlation | 0.2637 | 0.1564 |
| Lambda Asymmetric C/R | 0.0000 | 0.0000 |
| Lambda Asymmetric R/C | 0.1333 | 0.1520 |
| Lambda Symmetric | 0.0952 | 0.1078 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient C\|R | 0.0811 | 0.0939 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient AlC | 0.0510 | 0.0609 |
| Uncertadnty Coefficient Symmetric | 0.0626 | 0.0736 |

Estimates of the Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Value | 95\% Confidence Bounds |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Case.Control | 4.5455 | 0.7222 | 28.6080 |
| Cohort (Coll Risk) | 1.2626 | 0.9139 | 1.7445 |
| Cohort (Col2 Risk) | 0.2778 | 0.0575 | 1.3428 |

Sample Size $=42$

## The frea Procedure

Summary Statistics for medsi by Morbidity
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Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel Statistics (Based on Table Scores)

| Statistic | Alternative Hypothesis | DF | Value | Prod |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Nonzero Correlation | 1 | 2.8514 | 0.0913 |
| 2 | Row Mean Scores Differ | 1 | 2.8514 | 0.0913 |
| 3 | General Association | 1 | 2.8514 | 0.0913 |

Estimates of the Common Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Method | Value | 95\% Confidence Bounds |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Case-Control | Mantel-Haenszel | 4.5455 | 0.7222 | 28.6080 |
| (Odds Ratio) | Logit | 4.5455 | 0.7222 | 28.6080 |
| Cohart | Mantel-Haenszel | 1.2626 | 0.9139 | 1.7445 |
| (Colf Risk) | Logit | 1.2626 | 0.9139 | 1.7445 |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 0.2778 | 0.0575 | 1.3428 |
| (Col2 R1sk) | Logit | 0.2778 | 0.0575 | 1.3428 |

## The fREQ Procedure

Summary Statistics for mmsi by Morbidity1
Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel Statistics (8ased on Table Scores)

| Statistic | Alternative Hypothesis | DF | value | Prob |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Nonzero Correlation | 1 | 0.3417 | 0.5589 |
| 2 | Row Mean Scores Differ | 1 | 0.3417 | 0.5589 |
| 3 | General Association | 1 | 0.3417 | 55 |

Estimates of the Common Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Method | value | 95\% Conf | Bounds |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Case-Control | Mantel-Haenszel |  |  |  |
| (Odds Ratio) | Logit ** | 0.9420 | 0.0404 | 21.9810 |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 1.1765 | 1.0329 | 1.3400 |
| (Coll Risk) | Logit | 1.1765 | 1.0329 | 1.3400 |
| Cohort | Mante 1-Haenszel | 0.0000 | . |  |
| (Col2 Risk) | Logit ** | 1.0513 | 0.0760 | 14.5377 |

To avoid undefined results, some estimates are not computed.

* These logit estimators use a correction of 0.5 in every cell of those tables that contain a zero.

Total Sample Size $=42$

## The FREO Procedure

Table of msi50 by Morbidity1
msi50 Morbidityi(Morbidity1

| Frequency <br> Row Pct <br> Col Pct | 0 | 1 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $<5$ | 3 | 1 | 4 |
|  | 75.00 | 25.00 |  |
|  | 8.33 | 16.67 |  |
| $>5$ | 33 | 5 | 38 |
|  | 86.84 | 13.16 |  |
| Total | 91.67 | 83.33 |  |
|  | 36 | 6 | 42 |

The FREO Procedure
Statistics for rable of msiso by Morbidity

| Statistic | DF | value | Prob |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Chi-Square | 1 | 0.4145 | 0.5197 |
| Likelihood Ratio Chi-Square | 1 | 0.3584 | 0.5494 |
| Continuity Adj. Chi-Square | 1 | 0.0000 | 1.0000 |
| Mantel-Haenszel Chi-Square | 1 | 0.4046 | 0.5247 |
| Fisher's Exact Test (Left) |  |  | 0.4737 |
| (Right) |  |  | 0.9090 |
| (2-Tail) |  |  | 0.4737 |
| Phi Coefficient |  | . 0.0993 |  |
| Contingency Coefficient |  | 0.0989 |  |
| Cramer's V |  | .0.0993 |  |

WARNING: $50 \%$ of the cells have expected counts less than 5. Chi-Square may not be a valid test.

| Statistic | Value | ASE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Gamma | -0.3750 | 0.5373 |
| Kendall's Tau-b | -0.0993 | 0.1868 |
| Stuart's Tau-c | -0.0408 | 0.0789 |
| Somers' D C PR | -0.1184 | 0.2233 |
| Somers' D R/C | -0.0833 | 0.1590 |
| Pearson Correlation | -0.0993 | 0.1868 |
| Spearman Correlation | -0.0993 | 0.1868 |
| Lambda Asymmetric C\|R | 0.0000 | 0.0000 |
| Lambda Asymmetric R\|C | 0.0000 | 0.0000 |
| Lambda Symmetric | 0.0000 | 0.0000 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient $\mathrm{C} \mid \mathrm{A}$ | 0.0104 | 0.0368 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient R\|C | 0.0136 | 0.0479 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient Symmetric | 0.0118 | 0.0416 |

Estimates of the Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Value | 95\% Cont | Bounds |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Case-Control | 0.4545 | 0.0392 | 5.2719 |
| Cohort (Coll Aisk) | 0.8636 | 0.4839 | 1.5412 |
| Cohort (Col2 Risk) | 1.9000 | 0.2889 | 12.4977 |

Sample Size = 42

The FREQ Procedure
Summary Statistics for msiso by Morbidity
Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel Statistics (Based on Table Scores)

| Statistic | Alternative Hypothesis | DF | value | Prob |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Nonzero Correlation | 1 | 0.4046 | 0.5247 |
| 2 | Row Mean Scores Differ | 1 | 0.4046 | 0.5247 |
| 3 | General Association | 1 | 0.4046 | 0.5247 |

Estimates of the Common Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Method | Value | 95\% Confidence Bounds |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Case-Control | Mantel-Haenszel | 0.4545 | 0.0392 | 5.2719 |
| (Odds Ratio) | Logit | 0.4545 | 0.0392 | 5.2719 |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 0.8636 | 0.4839 | 1.5412 |
| (Coll Risk) | Logit | 0.8636 | 0.4839 | 1.5412 |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 1.9000 | 0.2889 | 12.4977 |
| (Col2 Risk) | Logit | 1.9000 | 0.2889 | 12.4977 |

The FREQ Procedure

Summary Statistics for mmsi by Morbidity 1
Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel Statistics (Based on Table Scores)

| Statistic | Alternative Hypothesis | DF | Value | Prob |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Nonzero Correlation | 1 | 3.0370 | 0.0814 |
| 2 | Row Mean Scores Differ | 1 | 3.0370 | 0.0814 |
| 3 | General Association | 1 | 3.0370 | 0.0814 |

Estimates of the Common Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Method | Value | 95\% Confidence Bounds |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Case-Control | Manted-Haenszel | 6.2500 | 0.6618 | 59.0274 |
| (Odds Ratio) | Logit | 6.2500 | 0.6618 | 59.0274 |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 1.2500 | 0.9662 | 1.6171 |
| (Col1 Risk) | Logit | 1.2500 | 0.9662 | 1.6171 |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 0.2000 | 0.0255 | 1.5693 |
| (Col2 Risk) | Logit | 0.2000 | 0.0255 | 1.5693 |

Total Sample Size = 42

Table of msi50 by Morbidity
msi50 Morbidity1(Morbidity1)

| Frequency <br> Row Pct <br> Col Pct |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $<44.25$ | 20 | 1 | 21 |
|  | 95.24 | 4.76 |  |
|  | 55.56 | 16.67 |  |
| $>=44.25$ | 16 | 5 | 21 |
|  | 76.19 | 23.81 |  |
| Total | 44.44 | 83.33 |  |
|  | 36 | 6 | 42 |

## The FREQ Procedure

Statistics for Table of msi50 by Morbidity1

| Statistic | DF | Value | Prob |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Chi-Square | 1 | 3.1111 | 0.0778 |
| Likelihood Ratio Chi-Square | 1 | 3.3564 | 0.0669 |
| Continuity Adj. Chi-Square | 1 | 1.7500 | 0.1859 |
| Mantel-Haenszel Chi-Square | 1 | 3.0370 | 0.0814 |
| Fisher's Exact Test (Left) |  |  | 0.9897 |
| (Right) |  |  | 0.0918 |
| (2.Tail) |  |  | 0.1836 |
| Phi Coefficient |  | 0.2722 |  |
| Contingency Coefficient |  | 0.2626 |  |
| Cramer's V |  | 0.2722 |  |

WARNING: 50\% of the cells have expected counts less than 5. Chi-Square may not be a valid test.

| Statistic | value | ASE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Gamma | 0.7241 | 0.2724 |
| Kendall's Tau-b | 0.2722 | 0.1286 |
| Stuart's Tau-c | 0.1905 | 0.1039 |
| Somers' D C\|R | 0.1905 | 0.1039 |
| Somers ' O R 1 C | 0.3889 | 0.1732 |
| Pearson Correlation | 0.2722 | 0.1286 |
| Spearman Correlation | 0.2722 | 0.1286 |
| Lambda Asymmetric C/R | 0.0000 | 0.0000 |
| Lambda Asymmetric R\|C | 0.1905 | 0.1049 |
| Lambda Symmetric | 0.1481 | 0.0754 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient C\|R | 0.0974 | 0.0940 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient R\|C | 0.0576 | 0.0584 |
| Uncertainty Goefficient Symmetric | 0.0724 | 0.0716 |

## Estimates of the Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Value | 95\% Con | Bounds |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Case-Control | 6.2500 | 0.6618 | 59.0274 |
| Cohort (Coll Risk) | 1.2500 | 0.9662 | 1.6171 |
| Cohort (Col2 Risk) | 0.2000 | 0.0255 | . 56 |

The FAEQ Procedure
Summary statistics for msi50 by Morbldity1

Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel Statistics (Based on Table Scores)

| Statistic | Alternative Hypothesis | DF | value | Prob |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Nonzero Correlation | 1 | 3.0370 | 0.0814 |
| 2 | Row Mean Scores Differ | 1 | 3.0370 | 0.0814 |
| 3 | General Association | 1 | 3.0370 | 0.0814 |

Estimates of the Common Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Method | Value | 95\% Confi | Bounds |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Case.Control | Mantel-Haenszel | 6.2500 | 0.6618 | 59.0274 |
| (Odds Ratio) | Logit | 6.2500 | 0.6618 | 59.0274 |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 1.2500 | 0.9662 | 1.6171 |
| (Coll Risk) | Logit | 1.2500 | 0.9662 | 1.6171 |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 0.2000 | 0.0255 | 1.5693 |
| (Col2 Risk) | Logit | 0.2000 | 0.0255 | 1.5693 |

The FREO Procedure

Table of mmsi by Morbidity
mmsi Morbidityl(Morbidityl)

| Frequency |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Row Pct |  |  |  |
| col Pct | $\circlearrowright$ |  | Total |
| <81 | 26 | - 2 | 28 |
|  | 92.86 | 7.14 |  |
|  | 72.22 | 33.33 |  |
| $>=81$ | 10 | 4 | 14 |
|  | 71.43 | 28.57 |  |
|  | 27.78 | 66.67 |  |
| Total | $36^{\circ}$ | 6 | 42 |

Statistics for Table of msi50 by Morbidity1

| Statistic | DF | Value | Prob |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Chi-Square | 1 | 2.9210 | 0.0874 |
| Likelihood Ratio Chi-Square | 1 | 2.7935 | 0.0946 |
| Continuity Adj. Chi-Square | 1 | 1.5599 | 0.2117 |
| Mantel-Haenszel Chi-Square | 1 | 2.8514 | 0.0913 |
| Fisher's Exact Test (Left) |  |  | 0.9836 |
| (Right) |  |  | 0.1077 |
| (2-Tail) |  |  | 0.1642 |
| Phi Coefficient |  | 0.2637 |  |
| Contingency Coefficient |  | 0.2550 |  |
| Cramer's V |  | 0.2637 |  |

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| Statistic | value | ASE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Gamma | 0.6393 | 0.2775 |
| Kendall's Tau-b | 0.2637 | 0.1564 |
| Stuart's Tau-c | 0.1769 | 0.1158 |
| Somers: D G\|R | 0.1926 | 0.1248 |
| Somers D AlC | 0.3611 | 0.2072 |
| Pearson Correlation | 0.2637 | 0.1564 |
| Spearman Correlation | 0.2637 | 0.1564 |
| Lambda Asymmetric $\mathrm{C} \mid \mathrm{R}$ | 0.0000 | 0.0000 |
| Lambda Asymmetric R\|C | 0.1333 | 0.1520 |
| Lambda Symmetric | 0.0952 | 0.1078 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient $\mathrm{C} \\| \mathrm{R}$ | 0.0811 | 0.0939 |
| Uncertainty Coefficient R/C | 0.0510 | 0.0609 |
| Uncertainty Goefficient Symmetric | 0.0626 | 0.0736 |

Estimates of the Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | value | 95\% Confidence Bounds |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Case.Control | 4.5455 | 0.7222 | 28.6080 |
| Cohort (Coll Risk) | 1.2626 | 0.9139 | 1.7445 |
| Cohort (Col2 Risk) | 0.2778 | 0.0575 | 1.3428 |

Sample Size $=42$

Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel Statistics (Based on rable scores)

| Statistic | Alternative Hypothesis | DF | value | Prob |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Nonzero Correlation | 1 | 2.8514 | 0.0913 |
| 2 | Row Mean Scores Differ | 1 | 2.8514 | 0.0913 |
| 3 | General Association | 1 | 2.8514 | 0.0913 |

Estimates of the Common Relative Risk (Row1/Row2)

| Type of Study | Method | value | 95\% Confadence Bounds |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Case-Control | Mantel-Haenszel | 4.5455 | 0.7222 | 28.6080 |
| (Odds Ratio) | Logit | 4.5455 | 0.7222 | 28.6080 |
| Cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 1.2626 | 0.9139 | 1.7445 |
| (Coll Risk) | Logit | 1.2626 | 0.9139 | 1.7445 |
| cohort | Mantel-Haenszel | 0.2778 | 0.0575 | 1.3428 |
| (Col2 Risk) | Logit | 0.2778 | 0.0575 | 1.3428 |



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The TTEST Procedure

## Statistics

| variable | Morbidity | N | ower CL Mean | Mean | Upper Cl Mean | Lower CL Std Dev | Std Dev | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Upper CL } \\ & \text { Std Dev } \end{aligned}$ | Std Err |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| medsi | 0 | 36 | 36.872 | 53.807 | 70.743 | 40.597 | 50.053 | 65.291 | 8.3422 |
| medsi | 1 | 6 | 33.459 | 81.75 | 130.04 | 28.724 | 46.016 | 112.86 | 18.786 |
| medsi | Diff (1-2) |  | . 72.12 | -27.94 | 16.231 | 40.695 | 49.566 | 63.42 | 21.857 |
| avesi | 0 | 36 | 37.691 | 54.738 | 71.786 | 40.866 | 50.385 | 65.724 | 8.3975 |
| avesi | 1 | 6 | 34.865 | 84.238 | 133.61 | 29.367 | 47.046 | 115.39 | 19.207 |
| aves 1 | Diff (1-2) |  | . 74.04 | -29.5 | 15.043 | 41.034 | 49.98 | 63.949 | 22.039 |


| Variable | Method | variances | DF | $t$ Value | Pr $>\|t\|$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| medsi | Pooled | Equal | 40 | -1.28 | 0.2085 |
| medsi | Satterthwaite | Unequal | 7.13 | -1.36 | 0.2155 |
| avesi | Pooled | Equal | 40 | -1.34 | 0.1883 |
| avesi | Satterthwaite | Unequal | 7.06 | -1.41 | 0.2018 |

Equality of Variances

| Variable | Method | Num DF | Den DF | F Value | $\mathrm{Pr}>\mathrm{F}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| medsi | Folded F | 35 | 5 | 1.18 | 0.9457 |
| avesi | Folded F | 35 | 5 | 1.15 | 0.9803 |

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[^0]:    Frequency Missing $=31$

[^1]:    Sample Size $=48$

