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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Variable | *n* | % | Variable | *n* | % |
| *Gender* |  |  | *Age* |  |  |
| Male | 79 | 86.8 | Below 26 | 2 | 2.2 |
| Female | 12 | 13.2 | 26-35 | 34 | 37.4 |
| Total | 91 | 100.0 | 36-45 | 26 | 26.3 |
| *Education* |  |  | 46 and above | 29 | 34.1 |
| High school | 12 | 13.2 | Total | 91 | 100.0 |
| Post-secondary vocational school | 6 | 6.6 | *Settlement Location* |  |  |
| Higher education | 63 | 69.2 | Village and Town | 10 | 11.0 |
| Postgraduate | 10 | 11.0 | City Center | 81 | 89.0 |
| Total | 91 | 100.0 | Total | 91 | 100.0 |

Information rows in the table and footnotes under the table;

Table 2. Student Distribution by High School Types

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| --- | --- |
|  | Number of Students |
| School Type | 1-50 | 51-100 | 101-500 | More than 500  | Total |
| Anatolian High School | 0 | 3 | 18 | 46 | 67 |
| Science High School | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Imam Hatip High School | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| Vocational High School | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| Other High Schoola | 1 | 0 | 5 | 9 | 15 |
| Total | 1 | 4 | 26 | 60 | 91 |

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Table 3. Test Results

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Variables | β | R2 | *t* | Conclusion |
| H1 | .580\*\* | .336 | 6.900 | Acceptance |
| H2 | .227 |  | 1.166 | Red |
| H3 | .311\* | .230 | 2.274 | Acceptance |

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