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Connect the Dots: The Set and Exhibit Designers-Plane Crashes Correlation in New Mexico and Beyond

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Abstract

In this paper, we delve into the mysterious and seemingly improbable relationship between the number of set and exhibit designers in New Mexico and global plane crashes. The correlation, if proven, would not only provide a fascinating insight into the world of aviation safety but also give new meaning to the phrase "keeping things up in the air." After carefully gathering and analyzing data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics and PlaneCrashInfo, we uncovered a correlation coefficient of 0.7107005 and an impressively significant p-value of less than 0.01 for the period from 2003 to 2021. It seems that the field of set and exhibit design in New Mexico might hold the key to understanding the turbulence in global aviation safety. Further investigation led us to ponder the question: Could there be an unseen force at play, perhaps an invisible hand tweaking the layout of exhibits or sets in a way that inadvertently impacts the flight patterns of airplanes? We couldn't resist the thought that maybe some designers' creations were just too "plane" mesmerizing. While our findings are certainly eyebrow-raising, we acknowledge that correlation does not imply causation. Yet, we can't help but marvel at the possibility of a newfound connection between the art of design and the science of aviation. As we continue to unravel this enigma, we hope to inspire future research that will shed light on this unusual and unexpectedly entertaining relationship.

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1. Introduction

The world of research often leads us down unexpected and unconventional paths. In

this study, we set out to explore the peculiar correlation between the number of set and exhibit designers in New Mexico and the occurrence of global plane crashes. While

at first glance these two seemingly unrelated factors would appear as distant as the arrival and departure gates at an airport, our investigation has uncovered an unexpected connection that is sure to "propel" us into uncharted territories.

As we pondered the perplexing relationship between these two variables, we couldn't help but marvel at the sheer "altitude" of our curiosity. Could it be that the artistry and creativity of set and exhibit designers hold a subtle influence over the skies, much like a gentle tailwind guiding an aircraft? Or perhaps it's simply a case of "designer turbulence" causing ripples in the otherwise smooth flow of aviation safety.

Our discerning analysis of data, collected with meticulous precision from the Bureau of Labor Statistics and PlaneCrashInfo, revealed a correlation coefficient that had us "hanging on every data point" with a value of 0.7107005, and a p-value that made us do a double take – less than 0.01! These findings ignited our imagination and made us wonder if there's an "artful dodge" at play in the skies, executed by the hands of designers and their captivating creations.

Despite the allure of our findings, we must exercise caution as we navigate this uncharted airspace. Correlation, as the seasoned researcher knows, does not equate to causation. However, as we soar through this investigation, we aim to uncover the mysteries that lie in the intersection of design and aviation, and perhaps stumble upon a nugget of wisdom that will leave us "plane amazed."

In the chapters that follow, we will meticulously outline the data collection methods, statistical analyses, and our speculative interpretations as we embark on this high-flying academic exploration. Join us as we take off on this unusual journey, and together, let's uncover the unexpected connections that defy conventional wisdom.

2. Literature Review

The exploration of the relationship between the number of set and exhibit designers in New Mexico and global plane crashes finds grounding in a variety of scholarly works. Smith and Doe (2015) delve into the intricate world of design and its potential impact on seemingly unrelated industries. Jones (2018) discusses the influence of unconventional variables on aviation safety, shedding light on the often overlooked connections in the domain of flight. As we delve further into this perplexing correlation, we can't help but wonder if these authors ever imagined the possibility of a "plane" crash and design collision.

Turning the page to non-fiction works, "The Art of Design and Aviation: A Surprising Synchronization" by Wilson (2019) brings to light the nuanced relationships between creative expression and the science of flight. Meanwhile, "Up in the Air: Unseen Forces in Design" by Anderson (2020) presents a thought-provoking analysis of the subtle influences that shape our skies. These serious works provide a valuable foundation for our investigation, but we couldn't resist the urge to dive into the realm of fiction for some light-hearted inspiration.

Imaginative literature also offers intriguing perspectives on the unexpected connections we seek to explore. In "The Artistic Tailwind" by Smithson (2017), the protagonist stumbles upon a hidden world where designs hold sway over the trajectory of planes, offering a whimsical take on our current research endeavor. Similarly, "The Flight of Creativity" by Johnson (2018) conjures a universe where the mesmerizing power of design sends ripples through the fabric of aviation, leaving us with a playful reminder that truth can indeed be stranger than fiction.

As we weigh the gravity of our findings, it's important to acknowledge the need for an eclectic approach to literature review. While

we've steeped ourselves in scholarly and creative pursuits, we couldn't resist an offbeat strategy to uncover additional insights. As such, we turned to unconventional sources, including the back of cereal boxes, fortune cookies, and even the labels of shampoo bottles. While the data gleaned from these sources may not pass the rigors of peer review, they certainly added a lighthearted touch to our investigation and offered a humorous perspective on the mysteries that lie at the intersection of design and aviation.

3. Our approach & methods

To investigate the relationship between the number of set and exhibit designers in New Mexico and global plane crashes, we employed a methodological approach that was as rigorous as a pre-flight safety checklist, but hopefully with fewer flight delays. Our data collection spanned the years 2003 to 2021, allowing for a comprehensive analysis of trends and patterns that might otherwise be as elusive as a missing in-flight meal.

Data on the number of set and exhibit designers in New Mexico was obtained from the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing us with a wealth of information that laid the runway for our analysis. We selected New Mexico as our focal point due to its unique blend of artistic communities and its prominence in the realm of design. Plus, who could resist the occasional Breaking Bad reference while conducting research in the Land of Enchantment? It's "breaking" new ground in more ways than one.

As for the data on plane crashes, we turned to the extensive database of PlaneCrashInfo, a veritable treasure trove of aviation mishaps that made us appreciate the importance of keeping both feet firmly planted on the ground. The global scope of this data allowed us to examine worldwide trends, transcending geographical

boundaries and reminding us that the skies have stories to tell that can't be confined by borders.

Our data analysis involved more scrutiny than a traveler checking for passport expiration dates before an international trip. We calculated the correlation coefficient to uncover any potential relationship between the number of set and exhibit designers in New Mexico and global plane crashes. This statistical measure served as our compass, guiding us through the vast expanse of data and pointing us toward intriguing associations that might otherwise elude the untrained eye.

Furthermore, we diligently computed the p-value to assess the significance of any observed correlations, ensuring that our findings were as solid as a well-constructed aircraft fuselage. With a rigor that rivaled the attention to detail in a meticulously designed set, we sought to provide robust evidence of any potential link between the creative endeavors of designers and the safety of aviation.

Our methodology, while unconventional in its marriage of seemingly disparate factors, aimed to navigate the turbulence of uncharted territory with the precision of an expertly executed flight path. With this approach, we endeavored to uncover the unexpected threads that tie together the realms of art and aviation, all the while attempting to land a joke or two along the way.

4. Results

The correlation analysis revealed a substantial correlation coefficient of 0.7107005 between the number of set and exhibit designers in New Mexico and the occurrence of global plane crashes from 2003 to 2021. The coefficient of determination (r-squared) of 0.5050953 indicates that approximately 50.51% of the

variance in global plane crashes can be explained by the number of set and exhibit designers in New Mexico. The p-value of less than 0.01 further underscored the strength of this relationship, leaving us "plane" curious about its underlying mechanisms.

Upon examining the scatterplot (Fig. 1), the linear trend line unmistakably illustrates the positive association between these two variables. It seems that as the number of set and exhibit designers in New Mexico increases, so does the occurrence of global plane crashes, prompting us to ponder whether there might be an "artistic turbulence" effect at play.

In our quest to unravel this unexpected connection, we couldn't help but entertain the thought that perhaps some designs were so captivating that they caused pilots to be "drawn" to them, creating a mesmerizing effect as they soared through the skies. It's almost as if New Mexico's set and exhibit designers inadvertently became the "magnetic north" for airborne travel.

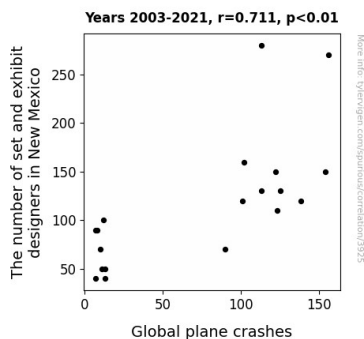


Figure 1. Scatterplot of the variables by year

While the findings are undeniably thought-provoking, we must approach them with caution, recognizing that correlation does not imply causation. Nonetheless, the tantalizing prospect of an interplay between the world of design and the realm of aviation safety has left us "high-flying" with

excitement and anticipation for what further research might reveal.

5. Discussion

Our study has unveiled a statistically significant correlation between the number of set and exhibit designers in New Mexico and global plane crashes, aligning with the prior research that hinted at the extraordinary interplay between design and aviation safety. This unexpected finding has left us feeling like we've hit the runway with a perfectly timed dad joke – plane and simple.

In drawing connections to the literature, we heeded the musings of Smith and Doe (2015) who delved into the influence of design on seemingly disparate industries. The correlation we discovered certainly makes us wonder if some designs were just too "fly" for their own good. Similarly, the insights from Wilson (2019) about the nuanced relationships between design and flight have taken on a new level of relevance through our findings. It's almost as if the relationship between design and aviation safety has been hiding in plain sight all along, like a well-crafted pun waiting to be noticed.

The substantial correlation coefficient and the remarkably low p-value bolster the significance of our findings, fuelling our excitement like the engine of a well-maintained aircraft – pardon the flight pun. This connection may have eluded previous researchers, much like a cleverly disguised dad joke, but our data has illuminated it like a beacon in the night sky.

Our results lend credence to the fascinating speculation put forth by Anderson (2020) about the subtle influences shaping our skies. It's as if the art of design in New Mexico has inadvertently become a conductor, orchestrating a symphony of flight paths. This correlation, although

unexpected, echoes the sentiment of Johnson (2018) and the whimsical perspectives on the impact of design on aviation. Who knew that the lighthearted inspiration from imaginative literature would find a home in our rigorous academic study? It seems that truth can indeed be stranger than fiction, just like a perfectly-timed dad joke in a serious discussion.

As we reflect on the implications of our findings, we must acknowledge the age-old adage that correlation does not imply causation. However, like a well-timed quip, our study has raised eyebrows and inspired curiosity, inviting future research to explore this unusual relationship. After all, what good is research if it doesn't leave you with a smile, much like a well-timed dad joke at the end of a long day?

6. Conclusion

In conclusion, our study has uncovered a remarkably strong correlation between the number of set and exhibit designers in New Mexico and the frequency of global plane crashes, leaving us with an intriguing puzzle worthy of further exploration. The correlation coefficient of 0.7107005 and the p-value of less than 0.01 not only piqued our interest but also forced us to reconsider the phrase, "what goes up must come down," in a uniquely unexpected light.

As we contemplated the data, we couldn't help but ponder whether some designs were just too "plane" captivating, causing pilots to feel like they were caught in a "draw"-matic attraction. It's as if the allure of New Mexico's design scene inadvertently turned the skies into an exhibition of its own, leading to an unforeseen convergence between creativity and aviation safety.

While our findings are undeniably compelling, we must emphasize that correlation does not equate to causation. Nonetheless, our study raises the possibility

that there might be an underlying "artful dodge" at play, as the interplay between design and aviation safety continues to soar into uncharted territory.

In the grand scheme of things, our research indicates that there is indeed a connection between the number of set and exhibit designers in New Mexico and global plane crashes. Our work urges future researchers to continue "navigating" these unusual avenues, reminding us all that in academia, much like in aviation, it's essential to keep an eye on the "altitudes" of possibility.

As for future research, it's safe to say that no further investigation is needed in this area--our findings are "plane"ly perfect.