

Table 29

Frequency Distribution of Comment Text Variable Values by Topic

Variable	Value Frequencies				Mean	SD	Skew
	2	3	4	5			
Cognitive Effort	Irrelevant	Own schema	Message	Issue & Message			
Gender	7	27	49	34	3.94	.87	-0.435
Orientation	1	18	100	9	3.91	.49	-0.637
Education	0	20	82	1	3.82	.41	-1.221
Coercion	3	31	71	5	3.71	.60	-0.598
	1	2					
Distraction	Distraction	No Distraction					
Gender	32	85			1.73	.45	-1.029
Orientation	23	105			1.82	.385	-1.688
Education	9	94			1.91	.28	-2.966
Coercion	7	103			1.94	.245	-3.625
	2	3	4	5			
Repetition	Surprise	Prior thought	More thought	Overload			
Gender	39	62	16	0	2.80	.66	00.234
Orientation	39	83	5	1	2.75	.561	00.272
Education	3	100	0	0	2.97	.17	-5.683
Coercion	21	82	7	0	2.87	.49	-0.298
	1	2	3				
Favorability	Negative	Neutral	Positive				
Gender	13	5	99		2.74	.65	-2.188
Orientation	10	6	112		2.98	.57	-2.649
Education	20	5	78		2.56	.80	-1.380
Coercion	10	4	96		2.78	.60	-2.533

Table 29, continued

Variable	Value Frequencies					Mean	SD	Skew
	2	3	4					
Commitment	Unsure/Open	Reconsider	Still Sure					
Gender	15	29	73			1.63	1.00	1.572
Orientation	28	20	80			1.81	1.22	1.116
Education	2	0	101			1.06	.42	7.07
Coercion	6	11	93			1.26	.733	.075
	1	2	3	4				
Life Experience	No mention	Abstract	Other's	Own Experience				
Gender	84	15	6	12		1.54	0.99	1.696
Orientation	95	17	15	1		1.39	0.72	1.658
Education	86	2	0	15		1.46	1.06	1.982
Coercion	53	20	12	25		2.08	1.23	0.599
	1	2	3	4				
Affect	Neutral	Low	Medium	High				
Gender	11	28	45	33		2.73	1.24	-.369
Orientation	23	52	43	10		3.00	0.91	-.629
Education	38	14	30	51		2.64	0.71	0.651
Coercion	19	27	43	21		2.84	1.15	-.455
	1	2	3	4	5			
Relevance	No mention	Not me	Hypothetical	Anticipated	Historical			
Gender	1	5	16	71	24	3.96	0.77	-.964
Orientation	0	13	46	52	17	3.57	0.85	-.066
Education	1	0	83	9	10	3.26	0.67	1.424
Coercion	3	14	30	33	30	3.66	1.09	-.407
	1	2	3	4				
Perspective	Missing	No Diff.	In Degree	In Type				
Gender	37	23	22	35		2.47	1.22	.042