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Research Questions and Data set

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Research Question(1)

Do entrepreneurial attitudes really matter in Japan?

WHY?

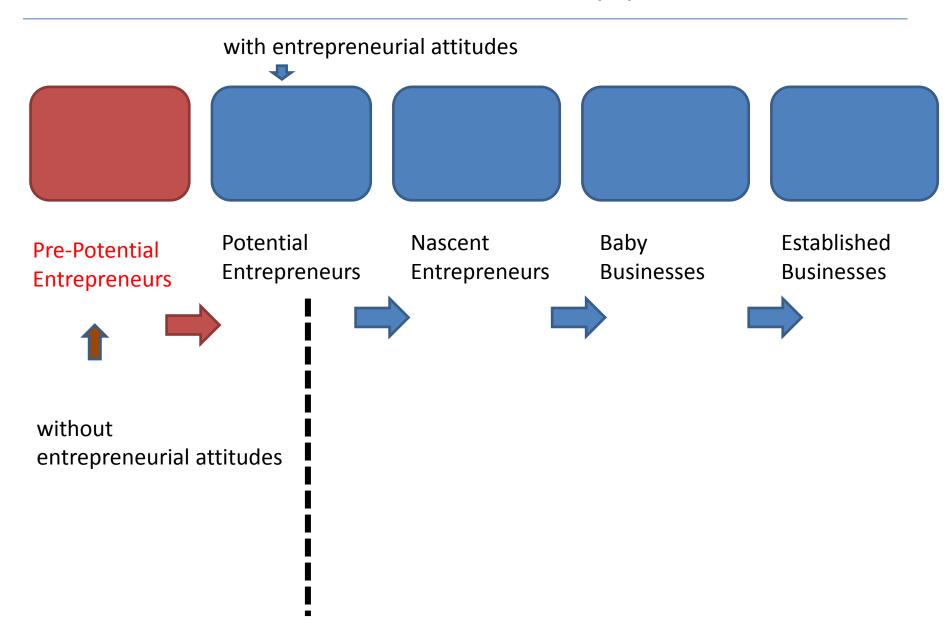
If they do entrepreneurial attitudes would be one of greatly influential factors in explaining the low level of activities.

Answer? Yes

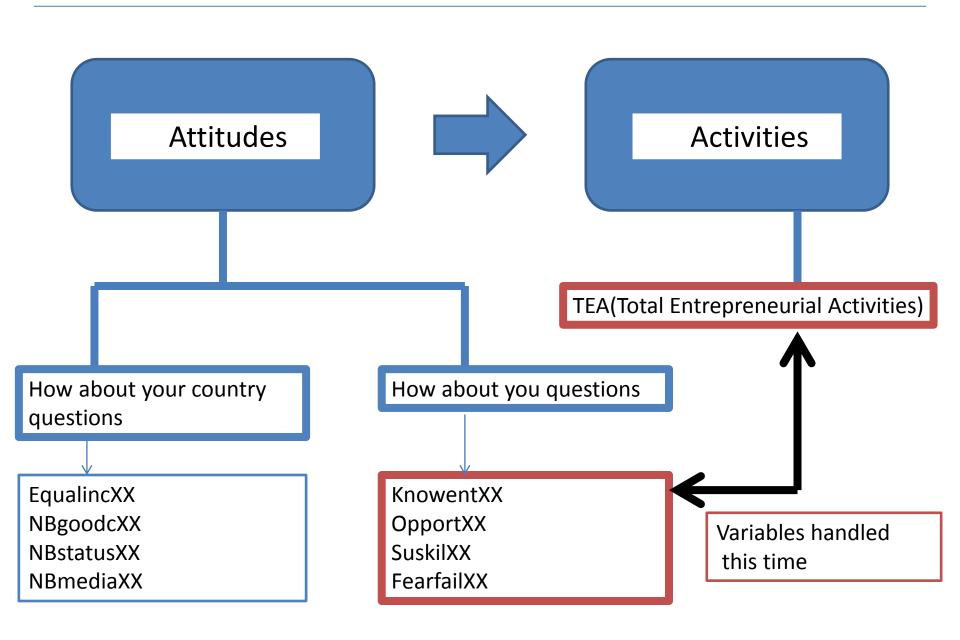
Why is this answer great?

Political measures targeted on attitudes would be effective.

Research Question (2)



Attitudes and Activities



Attitude related Questions

KnowentXX:

Do you know someone personally who started a business in the past 2 years? ⇒ Yes, No, Don't know or Refused

OpportXX:

In the next six months, will there be good opportunities for starting a business in the area where you live? ⇒ Yes, No, Don't know or Refused

SuskilXX:

Do you have the knowledge, skill and experience required to start a new business? ⇒ Yes, No, Don't know or Refused

FearfailXX:

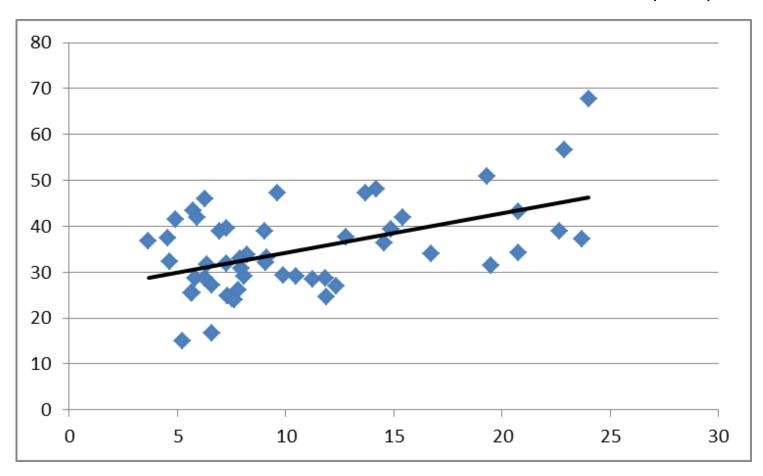
Would fear of failure prevent you from starting a business?

⇒ Yes, No, Don't know or Refused

Correlation between TEA and KOENTR

National Level Data (2011)

KOENTR



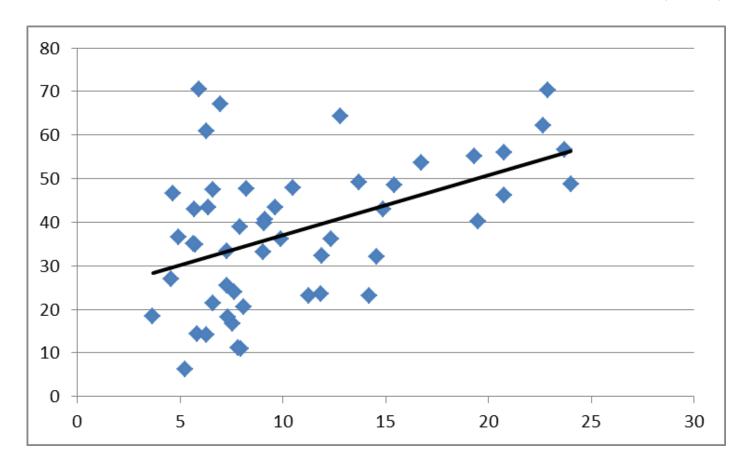
Correlation coefficient=0.51
Statistically significant at the level of 1%

TEA

Correlation between TEA and OPPORT

National Level Data (2011)

OPPORT

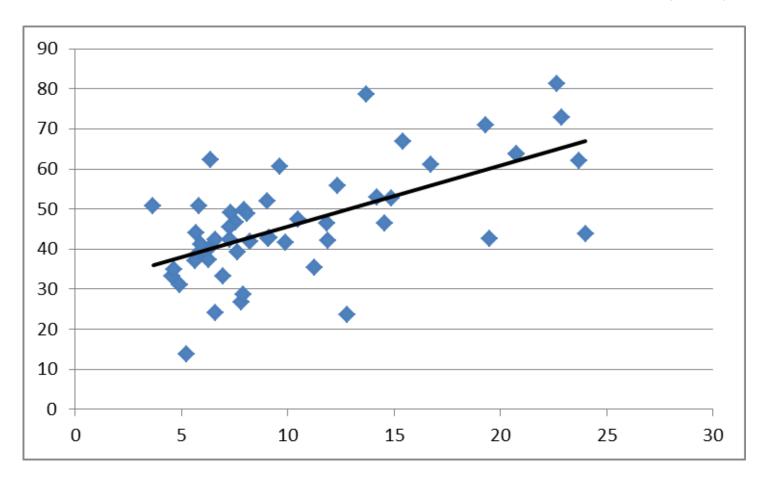


Correlation coefficient=0.477
Statistically significant at the level of 1%

Correlation between TEA and SUSKIL

National Level Data (2011)

SUSKIL



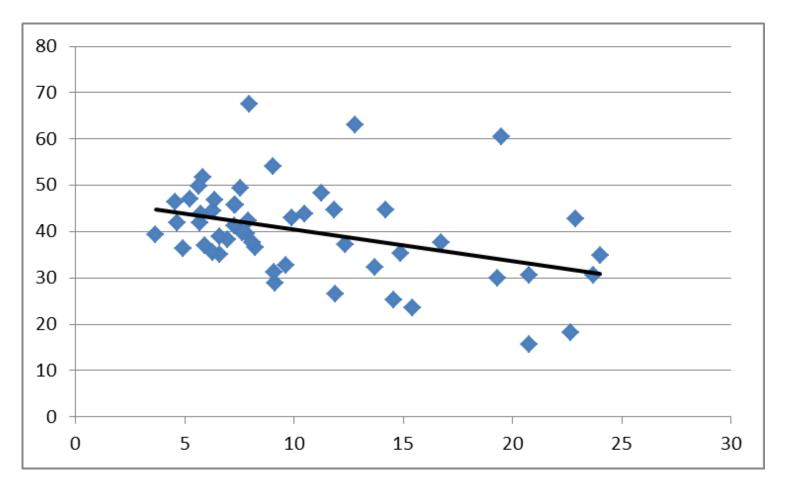
Correlation coefficient=0.621
Statistically significant at the level of 1%

TEA

Correlation between TEA and FRFAIL

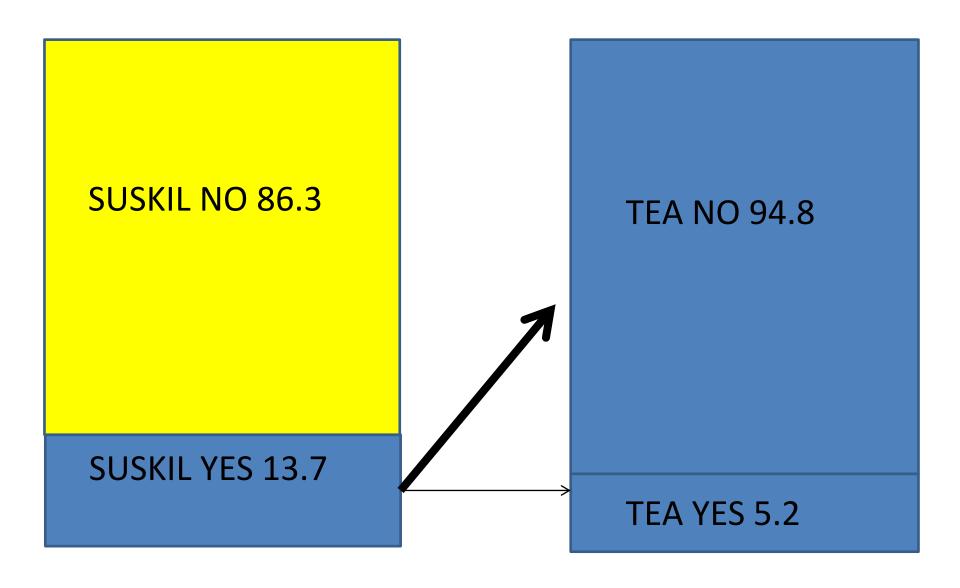
National Level Data (2011)

FRFAIL



Correlation coefficient=-0.385 Statistically significant at the level of 1% **TEA**

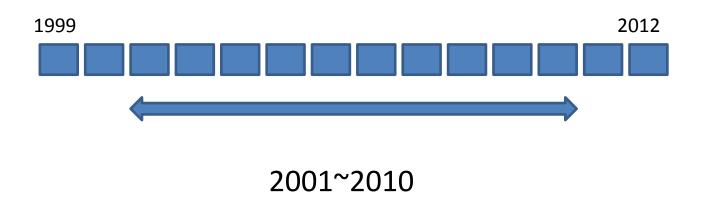
At the individual data level? Japan (2011)



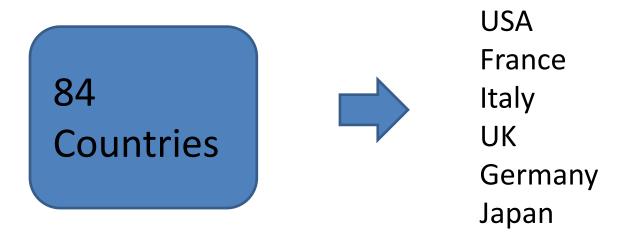
SUSKIL NO 86.3 **TEA NO 94.8** SUSKIL YES 13.7 **TEA YES 5.2**

Data Set(1)

1 Range of Years



2 Countries



Data Set (2)

3 The number of samples (Individual Level Data)

USA	40,675
France	19,959
Italy	23,723
UK	199,073
Germany	64,117
Japan	19,326
Total	366,873

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