

**CHAPTER 26**  
**Appendicitis, Deaths: Relation with Medical Radiation**

*Box 1 of Chap. 26*  
*Summary: Regression Outputs, Appendicitis Deaths*

Below are the summary-results from all the regressions of MortRates upon PhysPops. MortRates are from Table 26-A, and PhysPops are from Table 3-A.

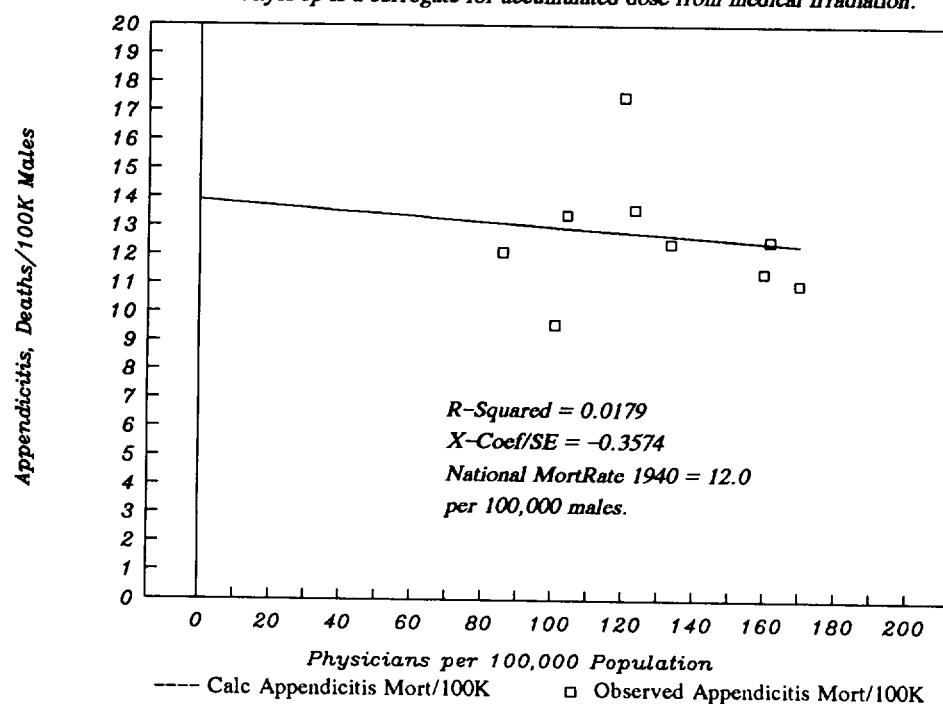
MALES .....							
Year MortRate	Year PhysPop	R-squared	Constant	Coeff.	Std Err	Coeff/S.E	
1940	1921	0.0221	9.7705	0.0211	0.0530	0.3981	
1940	1923	0.0072	11.1403	0.0112	0.0498	0.2256	
1940	1925	0.0000	12.7086	-0.0008	0.0463	-0.0166	
1940	1927	0.0035	13.4821	-0.0070	0.0443	-0.1576	
1940	1929	0.0030	13.3746	-0.0062	0.0429	-0.1440	
1940	1931	0.0037	13.3977	-0.0063	0.0391	-0.1618	
1940	1934	0.0097	13.7368	-0.0090	0.0343	-0.2624	
1940	1936	0.0075	13.5651	-0.0076	0.0330	-0.2296	
1940	1938	0.0103	13.6695	-0.0084	0.0310	-0.2700	
1940	1940	0.0179	13.8878	-0.0099	0.0278	-0.3574	
1950	1950	0.3168	3.3804	-0.0075	0.0042	-1.8018	
1960	1960	0.0179	1.0540	0.0006	0.0015	0.3577	
1970	1970	--	--	--	--	--	
1980	1980	--	--	--	--	--	
1990	1990	--	--	--	--	--	
FEMALES .....							
Year MortRate	Year PhysPop	R-squared	Constant	Coeff.	Std Err	Coeff/S.E	
1940	1921	0.0057	6.9336	0.0058	0.0288	0.2005	
1940	1923	0.0024	7.2571	0.0035	0.0269	0.1289	
1940	1925	0.0016	8.0491	-0.0027	0.0249	-0.1068	
1940	1927	0.0025	8.1055	-0.0032	0.0239	-0.1324	
1940	1929	0.0010	7.9501	-0.0019	0.0231	-0.0835	
1940	1931	0.0015	7.9810	-0.0022	0.0211	-0.1029	
1940	1934	0.0023	8.0060	-0.0024	0.0186	-0.1271	
1940	1936	0.0001	7.7709	-0.0005	0.0179	-0.0266	
1940	1938	0.0001	7.7632	-0.0004	0.0168	-0.0245	
1940	1940	0.0010	7.8731	-0.0013	0.0151	-0.0835	
1950	1950	0.1253	1.649	-0.0026	0.0026	-1.0015	
1960	1960	0.3477	0.907	-0.0026	0.0013	-1.9316	
1970	1970	--	--	--	--	--	
1980	1980	--	--	--	--	--	
1990	1990	--	--	--	--	--	

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*Figure 26-A*

*1940 MortRate, Males, Appendicitis, Deaths, versus  
1940 PhysPop Values for the 9 Census Divisions, USA.  
No Significant Relationship.*

*PhysPop is a surrogate for accumulated dose from medical irradiation.*



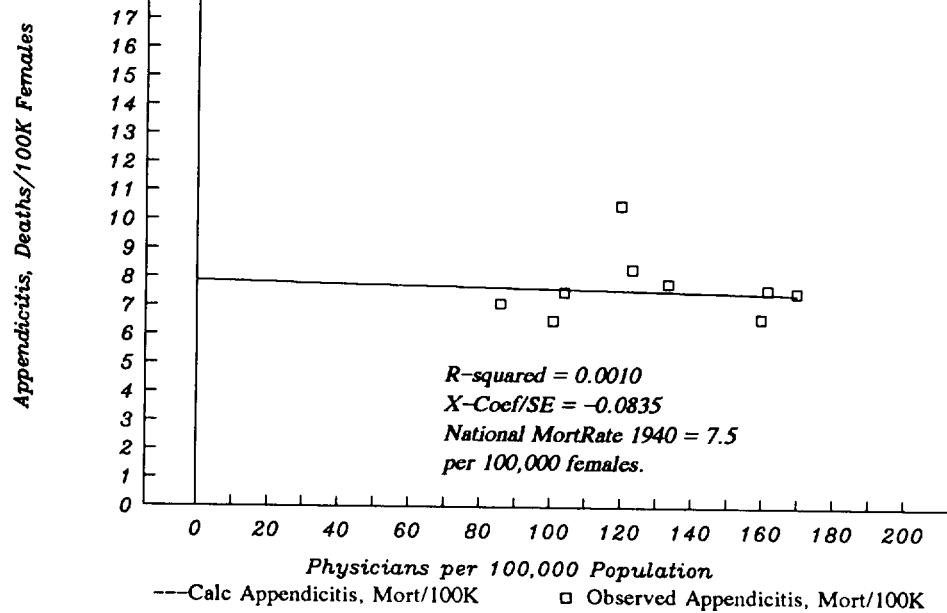
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*Figure 26-B*

*1940 MortRate, Females, Appendicitis, Deaths, versus  
1940 PhysPop Values for the 9 Census Divisions, USA.*

*No Significant Relationship*

*PhysPop is a surrogate for accumulated dose from medical irradiation*



**Table 26-A**  
**Death from Appendicitis: Rates by Census Divisions and National**

Annual death-rates per 100,000 are age-adjusted to the 1940 reference year. There are no exclusions by color or "race." Entries for the Nine Census Divisions are population-weighted; the averages below them are not. "National Rates" for both sexes: Deaths per 100,000 population (males + females). Males: Deaths per 100,000 male population. Females: Deaths per 100,000 female population.

**MALES .....**

Census Division	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	1990
Pacific	11.4	1.8	1.0	--	--	--
New England	12.5	1.9	1.1	--	--	--
West North Central	13.6	2.5	1.1	--	--	--
Mid-Atlantic	11.0	2.4	1.3	--	--	--
East North Central	12.4	2.6	1.3	--	--	--
Mountain	17.5	3.1	1.0	--	--	--
West South Central	13.4	2.6	1.0	--	--	--
East South Central	12.1	2.5	1.1	--	--	--
South Atlantic	9.6	2.6	1.2	--	--	--
Average ALL	12.6	2.4	1.1	--	--	--
Average High-Five	12.2	2.2	1.2	--	--	--
Average Low-Four	13.2	2.7	1.1	--	--	--
Ratio (High/Low)	0.93	0.83	1.08	--	--	--

**FEMALES .....**

	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	1990
Pacific	6.6	0.9	0.5	--	--	--
New England	7.6	1.2	0.3	--	--	--
West North Central	8.3	1.2	0.6	--	--	--
Mid-Atlantic	7.5	1.5	0.7	--	--	--
East North Central	7.8	1.4	0.6	--	--	--
Mountain	10.5	1.5	0.6	--	--	--
West South Central	7.5	1.2	0.7	--	--	--
East South Central	7.1	1.6	0.7	--	--	--
South Atlantic	6.5	1.4	0.6	--	--	--
Average ALL	7.7	1.3	0.6	--	--	--
Average High-Five	7.6	1.2	0.5	--	--	--
Average Low-Four	7.9	1.4	0.7	--	--	--
Ratio (High/Low)	0.96	0.87	0.83	--	--	--

**NATIONAL RATES .....**

	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	1990
Both Sexes	9.8	1.9	0.9	--	--	--
Males	12.0	2.5	1.4	--	--	--
Females	7.5	1.4	0.5	--	--	--

● - 1940, 1950, 1960: All rates come from Grove 1968, Table 67, Pages 741-744,  
 "Appendicitis (550-553)" ICD/7.

● - Omitted data are only marginally related to Hypotheses 1+2, as noted in Chapter 4,  
 Part 2c.