ABSTRACT

RELATION BETWEEN SMARTPHONE USER WITH DEPENDENCY INTERACTIONIN CYBERSPACE

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This study aims to clarify the relationship between the use of a smartphone with a dependency interacting in the virtual world by sex. The method used is quantitative. Techniques Data collected through questionnaire and by using chi-square analysis. In terms of frequency of use of smartphones, women tend more often to check the smartphone. Found that 28.6% of women check their smartphones more than 10 times in one day. As for men only 15.9%. Then in terms of the duration of use of smartphones to access the virtual world. Women are also higher compared to males. Evident from the results of the study are 28.5% of women in the category of "high" to access the virtual world while men only 4.6%. Respondents were included in the high category. Furthermore, differences in the level of reliance to interact in cyberspace between men and women research results show that in the category of "high" for women is as much as 30.3% 12.6% male.

The results showed that, through Chi-Square test, the value of count of 47.329 with a significance value (Asymp. Sig. (2-sided)) of 0.000. Based on the results obtained, it appears that the value of count (47.329)> table (7.815) as well as the significance value (0.000) < (0.05). So it can be concluded that there is a difference in the relationship between the use of a smartphone with a dependency interacting in the virtual world by sex.

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