



“AN ANALYSIS OF FINTECH IN FINANCIAL SECTOR”

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Abstract:

This abstract investigates FinTech's disruptive impact on traditional investing practices, prompting an investigation of its revolutionary influence. It explores into the changing environment of financial services, such as banking, payments, lending, investing, and insurance, which is being pushed by FinTech innovations. The abstract also discusses the security dangers involved with the use of FinTech technologies. Furthermore, it studies customer preferences and adoption patterns for FinTech services in the Bangalore metropolitan area. The study intends to shed light on how FinTech is not only altering traditional investing strategies, but also revolutionizing the whole financial industry. It emphasizes the necessity for a rethinking of security issues and provides insights into user behavior in the continually changing urban environment.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Fintech, or financial technology, refers to the use of smart technology to manage money, such as banking via smartphones, making cashless payments, and depending on computer-driven advisers for investments. These technologies simplify financial processes while also increasing access to financial services for more individuals. It's critical to consider the influence on privacy and assure the safety of these technological advancements.

Examining fintech advancement entails investigating how these innovative technology concepts are altering money and banking. Intelligent computers and learning machines enhance the accuracy of financial judgments. However, caution is required when dealing with concerns such as personal information security and potential technological obstacles. Thus, understanding fintech helps us to grasp both good improvements and concerns in how technology is transforming.

Fintech applications are available in a variety of formats, each providing a distinct financial need and working in a unique manner. Some of these applications focus on securely obtaining and displaying financial data from numerous sources, such as transactions and account balances. They may also provide options to track investments across many platforms. Consider wealth and financial management applications. These applications combine data from many accounts to provide consumers a uniform view of their financial health. They not only provide a simple picture of money, but they also use this information to provide tailored recommendations targeted at improving users' financial well-being. Essentially, fintech applications serve as complete tools, easing financial management responsibilities and allowing users to make sound judgments. By integrating data and offering tailored insights, these apps aim to streamline complex financial processes and optimize individuals' financial well-being.

1.1 Evolution of Fintech in India

Fintech began to take off in India in 2016 with the demonetization of the 500- and 1000-rupee notes. Before 2016, the country's economy was primarily based on cash transactions, even if there were a few fintech enterprises. But with demonetization, several new businesses joined India's banking industry, fundamentally altering the landscape.

Using digital payment systems and other financial services was initially received with a great deal of resistance. But people were compelled to look into digital alternatives since there was no money. They gradually came to appreciate the ease, safety, and adaptability that digital transactions offered. Following the establishment of the Unique Payment Interface (UPI), India's financial sector expanded more swiftly.

In less than five years, a plethora of cutting-edge fintech services have surfaced, including online KYC, digital microfinance, branchless banking, digital insurance, and buy-now-pay-later. The fintech sector in India is expected to reach \$50 billion by 2021 and reach \$150 billion by 2025. Presently, the country is home to over 6000 fintech businesses providing a wide range of services. India has an acceptance rate of 87% for fintech, much higher than the global average of 65%. Even well-known financial institutions, who are notoriously reluctant to change, are being forced to adopt digital technology in order to stay relevant—often by working with fintech companies—which is evidence of the fintech sector's relevance.

1.2 Reasons for the success of fintech in India

A number of important elements have an impact on the expansion of the fintech business in India. First and foremost, it has become evident how important Indians' widespread use of cell phones and the internet. Fintech development has also benefited from the Indian government's initiatives to support digitization and a paperless economy. The younger generation in India, which values quick fixes and easy access through smartphones, has further accelerated the adoption of fintech. This generation's capacity for adaptation has helped the fintech industry. Furthermore, traditional financial services have historically ignored a sizable portion of India's

population, which offers fintech companies a significant potential to make money. The e-commerce sector's meteoric rise has contributed to the fintech industry's success. Since 2016.

1.3 Fintech tools

- a. Mobile payment apps: PayPal, Venmo, and Cash App allow users to swiftly and securely make transactions linked to bank accounts or credit cards from their mobile devices.
- b. Apps for budget management: You can track your financial objectives, keep tabs on your spending, and make budgets with the aid of apps like Mint and YNAB. They also provide information into your spending habits and savings suggestions.
- c. Investment Platforms: Wealthfront, Acorns, and Robinhood provide a range of straightforward investing options, including commission-free trading, automated portfolio management, and instructional resources.
- d. Cryptocurrency wallets: Coinbase and Trust Wallet allow you to safely store, send, and receive digital currencies. You can use them to purchase, sell, and trade cryptocurrencies like Ethereum and Bitcoin.
- e. Peer-to-peer lending sites such as Prosper and LendingClub facilitate loans between investors and borrowers, providing lenders with alternatives to traditional banks for their investments and low interest rates for borrowers.
- f. Robo-Advisors: Wealthfront and Betterment use computers to manage portfolios according to time horizon, risk tolerance, and financial objectives, automating investing decisions.
- g. Personal Finance Content: Websites that offer enlightening advice on managing debt, investing, and saving include The Dave Ramsey Show podcast and Mr. Money Mustache's blog.
- h. Online banking services: Chime, N26, and Revolut provide high-yield savings accounts, fee-free checking accounts, and easy money transfers.
- i. Apps for tracking expenses: You may monitor your spending, record receipts, and generate reports for tax or reimbursement purposes with the help of Zoho Expense and Expensify.
- j. Crowdfunding Websites: Through Kickstarter and Indiegogo, a large number of people can contribute money to projects or causes online.
- k. Credit Monitoring Services: Experian and Credit Karma provide free credit score monitoring, access to credit reports, and thorough guidance on building credit.
- l. Robot-Insurance Providers: Lemonade and Oscar use artificial intelligence to automate insurance procedures, providing transparent pricing and speedy claim processing for home, auto, renters, and health insurance.
- m. Digital Invoicing Tools: Businesses can manage cash flow, generate and send digital invoices, and track payments using Wave or QuickBooks Online.
- n. Expense Reimbursement Platforms: Expensya and Rydoo automate expense reimbursement by optimizing the employee submission and approval procedures.

- o. Real estate crowdfunding platforms: Fundrise and RealtyMogul offer diversification and the potential for passive income by enabling investors to participate in real estate projects with lower minimum criteria.
- p. H&R Block's Tax Pro Go and TurboTax both provide automated tax preparation and filing assistance that maximizes credits and breaks.
- q. Bill Negotiation Services: Trim and Billshark assist clients in reducing recurring expenses by negotiating reduced rates for services like internet, cable, and phone.

1.4 Investors' attitude towards fintech in India

Investors exhibit a favorable attitude towards the fintech sector in India, as evidenced by numerous market reports projecting positive growth. Forecasts suggest a robust Compound Annual Growth Rate (CAGR) of 31% for the period 2021-2025, with the country boasting 21 fintech unicorns already. The first quarter of 2022 saw 81 deals amounting to \$1.77 billion, indicating a significant uptick of approximately 55% compared to the previous quarter of 2021. The increase in investment highlights investors' trust in the Indian fintech market, as they show a willingness to invest significant funds. Additionally, the achievements of several Indian fintech firms have drawn the attention of international companies, leading them to enter the Indian market. With a large portion of the population still lacking sufficient access to financial services, investors see substantial untapped growth opportunities in India's fintech sector.

1.5 Advantages of fintech in India's financial sector:

- a. Enhanced Financial Inclusion: Fintech services are crucial in providing financial services to populations that have not previously had access to banks. Through digital wallets, mobile banking, and microfinance platforms, fintech fills the gap for the underbanked and unbanked by giving them access to financial tools.
- b. Operational Cost Reduction: Fintech reduces operational costs for both financial institutions and customers by streamlining processes and doing away with the need for a lot of paperwork. Fintech reduces overhead costs by digitizing transactions and automating processes, which increases operational efficiency.
- c. Enhanced customer experience: Fintech platforms prioritize the user experience by offering customized services, easy-to-use interfaces, and prompt responses to questions and complaints from customers. Long-term customer loyalty is encouraged and general enjoyment is increased by these user-centric features.
- d. Stimulation of Innovation and Competition: Fintech fosters an inventive culture in the financial sector by introducing new technology and business models. By fostering healthy competition among

established financial institutions, this innovation helps them to change and grow in response to changing customer expectations.

- e. **Better Risk Management:** Fintech solutions provide real-time data analysis through the use of cutting-edge technology like artificial intelligence and machine learning, which improves risk assessment and fraud detection. Through proactive threat detection and management, fintech enhances the security and stability of the financial system.
- f. **Promotion of Financial Literacy:** In order to help users become more financially conscious, fintech platforms usually incorporate interactive elements and educational materials. Fintech facilitates the easy access to financial information and support, empowering people to take charge and make informed decisions.

1.6 Disadvantages of fintech in India's financial sector:

- a. **Cybersecurity Risks:** Identity theft, data breaches, and hacking are just a few of the cyberattacks that fintech systems may encounter. The risk of cyberattacks rises with a greater reliance on digital transactions and the storage of sensitive financial data. These events could cause significant financial losses as well as harm to the reputations of financial institutions and customers.
- b. **Digital Divide:** Fintech can increase financial inclusion, but it can also make the digital divide wider. Many people, especially those who reside in remote or rural areas, might not have a consistent internet connection or the necessary digital literacy to effectively use fintech services. This mismatch widens the gap between those who are technologically literate and those who are not, preventing them from taking advantage of advancements in the financial sector.
- c. **Data privacy concerns:** To offer customized services and focused marketing, fintech companies need to gather a lot of personal and financial data from their customers. Massive data collecting like this, nevertheless, has people concerned about invasions of privacy and unauthorized access to vital information. Consumers face serious privacy risks due to inadequate data security protocols and possible fintech company data exploitation, which undermines consumer trust and creates regulatory concerns.
- d. **Regulatory obstacles:** Fintech's rapid growth usually outpaces the development of regulatory frameworks, leaving compliance requirements unclear and ambiguous. Fintech startups and incumbents have challenges due to intricate regulatory frameworks and differing interpretations across different jurisdictions, which can hinder innovation and perhaps impede the expansion of the industry. Additionally, the costs associated with regulatory compliance can be high, particularly for startups with little funding, which reduces their ability to
- e. **Industry Concentration:** If big fintech companies continue to dominate the market, there may be less competition and a greater concentration of the market, which would limit client choice and innovation. Entrance barriers for small and medium-sized fintech companies include high capital needs, regulatory limitations, and the difficulty of establishing credibility and trust in the face of more established competitors. Concerns about monopolistic and anti-competitive behavior are raised by this

concentration of market power, as these actions may eventually result in less innovation and higher consumer costs.

- f. **Disintermediation of Traditional Financial Institutions:** By offering direct-to-consumer services, fintech disrupts conventional banking patterns and hence disintermediates traditional financial institutions. Although consumers may benefit from cheaper costs and increased efficiency as a result, banks and other intermediaries may experience difficulties and see a decline in revenue.

1.7 Financial Sector

India's economic expansion, which is mostly driven by its banking industry, not only generates significant worldwide economic prospects but also acts as a vital stabilizing influence in the global economy. Since its liberalization in the early 1990s, India's economy has experienced significant changes, with profound effects on its financial sector. The financial sector in India is one of the areas of the economy that is expanding the fastest. The private sector has been more involved, as evidenced by the opening of international banks, insurance providers, mutual funds, venture capital firms, and investment institutions. A new, strong side to the Indian financial industry has emerged as a result of government and regulatory attempts to address the complexities of the financial landscape since liberalization.

Organizations and establishments that offer financial services to retail and business clients are included in the financial industry. Mortgages and loans account for a large portion of this industry's revenue, and their value increases as interest rates decline. The effectiveness of the financial sector has a major impact on the health of the economy. A robust financial sector is indicative of a robust economy, which in turn provides more stability for the nation. Conversely, weak financial conditions usually point to a faltering economy.

1.8 FinTech and the financial sector are deeply interconnected, with FinTech playing a transformative role within the financial industry.

- a. **Innovation:** New technology and business models offered by FinTech put established financial services to the test. It makes use of technological advancements like blockchain, artificial intelligence, and big data analytics to develop new financial products, optimize workflows, and enhance customer experiences.
- b. **Access to Financial Services:** FinTech makes financial services more accessible, particularly in remote or impoverished areas without a traditional banking infrastructure. FinTech uses digital wallets, peer-to-peer lending platforms, mobile banking, and payments to give businesses and consumers easy, cost-effective access to banking, payments, lending, and investment services.
- c. **Efficiency and Cost Reduction:** By automating processes, doing away with human paperwork, and cutting expenses related to physical branches, FinTech solutions increase the financial sector's efficiency and cost savings. As a result, both consumers and financial institutions incur less costs.

- d. **Financial Inclusion:** By interacting with the underbanked and unbanked, FinTech advances financial inclusion. FinTech offers digital payment methods, microfinance platforms, and alternative credit evaluation methodologies to help people and small businesses participate fully in the economy.
- e. **Cooperation and Partnerships:** Although FinTech upends conventional financial services, it also encourages cooperation and joint ventures between FinTech enterprises and established financial establishments. FinTech companies often collaborate with banks and other financial institutions to leverage their cutting-edge technologies and enhance their own offerings, so creating a mutually advantageous partnership.
- f. **Regulatory Compliance:** As FinTech has grown, authorities have had to adjust to new business practices and technological advancements. Governments and regulatory agencies collaborate with traditional financial institutions and FinTech companies to create frameworks that guarantee consumer protection.
- g. **Data Utilization and Analytics:** To deliver specialized financial services and insights, FinTech mostly depends on data utilization and analytics. FinTech companies facilitate more informed decision-making by offering specialized solutions, risk assessment models, and predictive analytics based on data gathered from transactions, user interactions, and market trends.
- h. **Disruption and Adaptation:** As a result of FinTech's disruptive nature, established financial institutions are forced to innovate and adjust to changing consumer demands and market dynamics. To remain competitive in a constantly evolving market, well-established banks and financial institutions make investments in digital transformation projects and technology, which fosters ongoing innovation and advancement in the financial industry.

1.9 Future of fintech in India

India's financial landscape has undergone a dramatic change with the advent of internet access, ATMs, credit cards, EMI alternatives, and online banking. The fintech industry has experienced rapid growth as a result of this shift, with the goal of surpassing the constraints of conventional financial institutions. India, with its 87% acceptance rate and over \$8 billion in investments, has the third-largest fintech ecosystem globally. More than 1400 fintech companies have emerged in the nation in the previous five years, mostly as a result of the growing usage of digital technology in cities. India has risen to the top of the global fintech industry because to its rapid expansion.

1.10 Challenges of fintech in India's financial sector include:

- a. **Regulatory ambiguity:** Fintech's rapid advancements usually surpass the regulatory frameworks, leaving compliance duties unclear and confusing. Fintech businesses have to traverse complicated regulatory frameworks that are interpreted differently in different jurisdictions, which can hinder market expansion and innovation.
- b. **Cybersecurity Risks:** Phishing scams, data breaches, and hacking are just a few of the cyber risks that fintech platforms might fall victim to. The increasing use of digital transactions and the storing of

private financial data increases the risk of cyberattacks, which could cause losses in terms of money and harm to one's reputation.

- c. **Digital Divide:** Despite initiatives to advance financial inclusion, a large number of people—especially those living in rural and isolated areas—do not have reliable internet access, and they may also lack the digital literacy necessary to make the most of fintech services.
- d. **Data Privacy Concerns:** Fintech businesses collect enormous volumes of financial and personal data from their clients, raising worries about data breaches and unauthorized access to vital information. Consumer trust and regulatory compliance are put at risk by inadequate data protection practices and possible data misuse by fintech enterprises.
- e. **Industry Concentration:** The dominance of large fintech companies in the sector may lead to a reduction in competition and an increase in market concentration, which would limit consumer choice and innovation. Entry barriers for small and medium-sized fintech companies include high capital needs and regulatory constraints, which can reduce competitiveness.
- f. **Infrastructure Challenges:** The adoption and expansion of fintech are hindered by inadequate infrastructure, which includes erratic electrical supplies and spotty internet connectivity in some areas. Fintech businesses can find it difficult to offer seamless digital services to consumers without a robust infrastructure, especially in developing nations.
- g. **Consumer Trust and Acceptance:** Building consumer trust and encouraging widespread adoption of fintech solutions remain critical concerns. A lot of customers are still hesitant to fully embrace digital financial services because they are uneasy about security, reliability, and new technology.

1.11 --Opportunities of fintech in India's financial sector include:

- a. **Financial Inclusion:** Fintech can give underprivileged people, especially those living in rural and isolated areas, access to the financial system. By offering innovative solutions like peer-to-peer lending platforms, digital wallets, and mobile banking, fintech can help close the gap and bring millions of unbanked people into the formal financial system.
- b. **Cost-Efficiency:** Fintech enables financial institutions to digitize and automate their processes, cutting expenses and boosting productivity. Fintech businesses can use technologies like blockchain, AI, and cloud computing to provide affordable solutions for suppliers and customers.
- c. **Better Customer Experience:** Fintech platforms give the customer experience first priority by offering convenient, customized, and easy-to-use financial services. Fintech increases customer satisfaction by providing focused recommendations, fast response times, and user-friendly interfaces.
- d. **Innovation and Entrepreneurship:** By enabling startups and well-established businesses to create and use cutting-edge solutions, fintech fosters an inventive and entrepreneurial culture. Fintech promotes ongoing innovation in the financial sector and includes anything from robo-advisors and digital payments to alternative financing and insurance technologies.
- e. **Data Analytics and Personalization:** To assess customer behavior, inclinations, and risk profiles, fintech companies employ machine learning algorithms and data analytics. By providing customized

financial products and services that are tailored to each person's needs, this data-driven approach boosts client engagement and retention.

- f. **Collaboration and Partnerships:** Fintech gives traditional financial institutions a chance to work with creative businesses. Banks and other established players can leverage technology to enhance their services, grow their customer base, and maintain their competitiveness in a constantly evolving market.
- g. **Regulatory Support and Sandboxes:** Innovation hubs and regulatory sandboxes are two ways that Indian regulatory bodies have shown their support for financial innovation. These programs foster an environment that is conducive to fintech experimentation, enabling companies to test novel products and services under strict guidelines while still adhering to legal requirements.
- h. **Capital:** A rising pool of venture capital and private equity funds is available to India's fintech companies. Firms can raise capital to support their expansion and scale operations as a result of growing investor interest in the fintech industry.

1.12 Positive and Negative Impact of Fintech on Users

The way consumers interact with financial services and manage their accounts has changed dramatically as a result of fintech. Its impact on users could be positive or negative, depending on factors including simplicity of use, security, accessibility, and regulatory compliance. We will examine both the advantages and disadvantages of fintech from the perspective of users in this in-depth analysis.

1.12A. Positive Impact of Fintech on Users:

- a. **Greater Accessibility:** Fintech has made financial services far more accessible, especially to those who are excluded. Peer-to-peer lending platforms, digital wallets, and mobile banking have made it simpler for customers—especially those who live far away—to handle their accounts, get loans, and conduct banking operations without going through traditional branches.
- b. **Convenience and Efficiency:** The efficiency and convenience of fintech solutions are remarkable. Users can use their PCs or cell phones to execute transactions at any time and from any location. Time and effort can be saved by completing tasks that once needed a trip to the bank, like paying bills, transferring money, and applying for loans, with just a few taps or clicks.
- c. **Cost Savings:** Fintech typically reduces transaction costs for users by doing away with the need for traditional middlemen. For instance, digital payments are typically less expensive than cash or checks. Fintech businesses also usually provide cheaper rates and fees than traditional banks, which enables customers to save money on a range of financial goods.
- d. **Tailored Services:** Fintech enterprises employ data analytics and machine learning techniques to provide users with customized financial products and services that align with their needs and inclinations. Fintech gives customers access to solutions that are specifically designed to meet their

financial objectives and situation. These solutions might include anything from individualized insurance plans to investment recommendations.

- e. **Financial inclusion:** One of fintech's most important advantages is that it promotes financial inclusivity. Fintech companies can use technology and other data sources to reach previously unbanked and underbanked communities. This encompasses individuals residing in isolated regions, immigrants, and others with restricted availability to standard financial facilities.
- f. **Innovation and Competition:** Fintech pushes traditional banks to upgrade their services and adopt new technology by fostering innovation and competition in the financial industry. By providing more options and better services, this helps users. Fintech companies also often offer original answers to persistent problems, which enhances the customer experience as a whole.

1.12B. Negative Impact of Fintech on Users:

- a. **Cybersecurity Risks:** Phishing scams, data breaches, and hacking are just a few of the cyberattacks that fintech systems can encounter. If appropriate security measures are not in place, users' financial and personal information may be at risk. One security breach has the potential to result in monetary losses, identity theft, and a decline in users' confidence in fintech services.
- b. **Data Privacy Issues:** To offer tailored services and focused marketing, fintech companies gather a lot of client data. But concerns about invasions of privacy and unauthorized access to private information are raised by this data collection. Because they worry about misuse or exploitation, users could be reluctant to share their personal information with fintech companies.
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- e. **Over-Reliance on Technology:** Fintech encourages consumers to rely too much on technology to meet their needs. Although this is effective and convenient, consumers run the risk of experiencing technological issues, cyberattacks, and system outages. Over-reliance on fintech solutions might make it difficult for users to handle their money in the event that these tools malfunction or are unavailable.
- f. **Loss of Human Touch:** In-person contacts with bank staff can give traditional banking services a personal touch. Fintech, on the other hand, encourages automation and self-service, which could lead to a loss of interpersonal relationships. The impersonal nature of fintech services may turn off some users who miss the human element of banking.

In summary, fintech's impact on users is complex, encompassing both favorable and unfavorable aspects. Fintech has undoubtedly changed the financial landscape by improving consumer accessibility, convenience, and efficiency. It has made financial services more accessible, reduced costs, and promoted innovation, all of which have helped consumers manage their money more skilfully. Fintech does, however, face significant challenges, including cybersecurity risks, data privacy issues, and unclear regulations. In order to facilitate the safe and equitable application of fintech solutions, it is imperative to address users' vulnerabilities to security lapses, data misuse, and digital exclusion.

Striking a balance between innovation and risk management is essential if fintech is to completely fulfill its promise for user benefit. Revisions to regulatory frameworks are necessary to address emerging issues and promote competition and innovation. Fintech companies need to prioritize data privacy and cybersecurity in order to win over customers and protect sensitive information. Additionally, initiatives to close the digital divide and ensure that fintech solutions are accessible to all segments of society should be undertaken. Fintech, in general, calls for a cautious assessment of potential risks and limitations even as it offers tremendous promise to enhance financial services and empower consumers. Stakeholders may strive toward a future where fintech acts as a driver for fair and sustainable financial development by addressing these issues collectively.

1.13 Risk and Security Measures.

- a. Risk: Cybersecurity Risk (Data Breaches): Unauthorized access to private financial information.
Security Measure: Access controls and encryption
Data is extracted illegible in the absence of the decryption key when it is encrypted. Access controls lessen the possibility of data breaches by preventing unauthorized access to sensitive information.
- b. Risk: Phishing and Social Engineering (Cybersecurity Risk): Unauthorized access or disclosure of personal information owing to deceitful methods.
Security Measure: Multi-factor authentication (MFA) or two-factor authentication (2FA) as a security measure
By forcing users to submit two or more forms of verification (such as a password and one-time password) in order to access their accounts, 2FA/MFA adds an extra layer of protection and lowers the possibility of unauthorized access brought on by phishing or social engineering attacks.
- c. Risk: Non-compliance (Regulatory and Compliance Risk): Penalties, fines, and harm to one's reputation resulting from noncompliance with regulations.
Security Measure: Automated regulatory reporting tools and regulatory compliance management systems
By automating workflows and compliance procedures, compliance management solutions make sure fintech businesses follow legal requirements. The risk of non-compliance owing to human error or supervision is decreased when regulatory data is reported more efficiently using automated regulatory reporting technologies.
- d. Risk: Malware and Ransomware (Cybersecurity Risk): File corruption, ransomware demands, or system downtime due to malicious software infestations.

Security Measure: Intrusion Detection Systems and Antivirus Software

While intrusion detection systems watch network traffic for indications of unauthorized access or questionable activity, antivirus software finds and eliminates malware infestations, assisting in the prevention of ransomware and malware attacks.

- e. Risk: System Failures (Operational Risk): Fintech system interruptions or outages that result in monetary losses and unsatisfied customers.

Security Measure: Disaster recovery plans and redundant systems are security measures.

In the event of system failures or interruptions, redundant systems offer backup infrastructure and resources to continue providing critical services. Plans for disaster recovery include how to minimize downtime and operational hazards, as well as restore operations and data in the case of a catastrophic incident.

- f. Risk: Service interruptions, data breaches, or compliance problems resulting from third-party vendors (Operational Risk):

Security Measure: Programs for vendor risk management and ongoing monitoring

Regular monitoring of third-party vendors' systems aids in the early detection and resolution of compliance or security vulnerabilities. Programs for managing vendor risk evaluate the security and compliance posture of outside providers, lowering the possibility of interruptions or data breaches brought on by the shortcomings of third parties.

- g. Risk: Inadequate Funds (Liquidity Risk): Inadequate liquid assets preventing you from meeting your financial obligations.

Security Measure: Ensuring Sufficient Reserves and Tracking Cash Flow

By keeping appropriate reserves, fintech businesses lower their risk of funding gaps or shortages by ensuring they have enough liquidity to pay their financial obligations. By tracking incoming and outgoing cash flows, cash flow monitoring assists in detecting possible liquidity problems and facilitates proactive management of liquidity levels.

- h. Volatility (Market Risk): Changes in asset values, interest rates, and currency rates that affect financial situations.

Security Measure: Stress testing, diversification, and hedging are risk management techniques.

Fintech companies can lessen the impact of market volatility on their financial positions by implementing risk management measures including hedging and diversification. Stress testing evaluates a fintech company's ability to withstand unfavourable market situations, which helps shape strategy and decisions related to risk management.

1.14 NEED/IMPORTANCE OF THE TOPIC

- a. It is vital to comprehend and evaluate fintech advancements in the financial sector since they have a significant impact on money management and dynamics. Its relevance is influenced by a number of important aspects.

- b. Fintech can promote financial inclusion by offering services to people and businesses that traditional banks frequently ignore or reject. Digital payments and mobile banking are examples of fintech technologies that have made the financial environment more accessible and inclusive.
- c. Given that fintech can increase financial efficiency, understanding it is crucial. Fintech solutions that use automation, machine learning, and artificial intelligence can improve efficiency, reduce expenses, and speed up and improve the accuracy of financial transactions. This efficiency enhances the overall customer experience in addition to helping financial institutions.
- d. As fintech develops, new problems crop up, such as privacy concerns, data security, and possible disruptions to the current financial systems. It is imperative that regulators, companies, and consumers look at these implications in order to responsibly manage the shifting landscape and promote the long-term viability of fintech.

1.15 Theoretical implication of the topic.

FinTech research goals have significant theoretical ramifications. To begin with, researching how FinTech modifies conventional investing practices illuminates the evolution of the financial markets, including differences in investment behavior and risk mitigation strategies. Second, examining the ways in which FinTech innovations are revolutionizing the financial services sector illuminate's industry elements like regulatory barriers and market competitiveness, revealing the drivers that propel innovation and their impact on customer behavior. Third, studies on the alleged security risks connected to fintech contribute to the development of theoretical models that quantify the robustness of fintech ecosystems and the implications they have for consumer protection and financial stability. Lastly, studying metropolitan Bangalore's FinTech service acceptance trends and user preferences offers theoretical insights into consumer behavior and market segmentation.

1.16 RECENT TRENDS RELATED TO THE TOPIC

- a. Fintech's contribution to digital banking consisted of streamlining and simplifying the entire procedure. With only a few buttons clicks, customers may now transfer money, check their bank balances, pay their bills—including those for energy and other services—make investments, and even apply for loans. FinTech platforms have made it possible for businesses of all sizes to streamline their financial operations.
- b. PayTech: Within India's fintech business, payment technology is a growing area. Fintech companies are making inroads into this market by providing a range of services, including card networks, payment gateways, and payment security solutions. There are numerous consumer-focused options accessible, including prepaid cards, third-party applications, bill payment, QR code payment, and point-of-sale (POS) systems. Business-oriented services including invoice payments, corporate cards, and B2B payments are also provided.

- c. **LendTech:** In India's fintech sector, lending technology includes a variety of services such as lenders, BNPL services, artificial intelligence (AI), anti-fraud tools, data exchanges, marketing services, and insurance products like salary loans, personal loans, and peer-to-peer lending. Prominent entities in the Indian LendTech space are Google Pay, M-Swipe, and Razor Pay, all of which have established themselves as top-tier financing options for consumers and merchants. These businesses use technology to provide lending solutions that are quicker and easier to obtain. Increasingly important, lendtech offers a range of services to meet the demands of both businesses and consumers.
- d. **Insurtech:** This is the application of technology to improve productivity and reduce expenses in the conventional insurance market. It provides better scheduling management, digital communication channels, and increased adjuster productivity. Services including risk management, insurance administration systems, sales platforms, and claims processing are all included in Fintech's involvement in Insurtech. Industry pioneer Policy Bazaar uses blockchain, machine learning, and big data analytics to provide cutting-edge insurance solutions. These technologies also help to lower costs, improve client experiences, and optimize operations—all of which contribute to the introduction of new insurance products and business models.
- e. **Wealthtech:** By fusing technology and finance, it improves portfolio management, investment, and personal wealth management. The development of fully automated asset management systems has been aided by digital payment mechanisms, electronic KYC, and online investment reporting. Innovative digital solutions, such as those provided by Zerodha and Small Case, examine investment options, improve portfolios, and manage risks by utilizing advancements like big data and artificial intelligence.
- f. **Regtech:** This type of business uses technology to oversee financial sector regulatory procedures, with an emphasis on compliance, reporting, and monitoring. The growing use of digital products has led to an increase in fraudulent operations, cyberattacks, and data breaches. Regtech companies reduce financial institutions' compliance burden by providing real-time data on questionable activity through the use of big data and machine learning. As the use of digital products increases, this guarantees effective regulatory compliance monitoring and reporting while improving fraud detection and prevention capabilities, which are becoming more and more important in preserving the integrity of the financial system.



2 REVIEW OF LITERATURE

SL. NO.	TITLE OF THE ARTICLE	AUTHOR AND YEAR OF PUBLICATION	SUMMARY
01.	“AN ANALYSIS ON CUSTOMER PERCEPTION TOWARDS FINTECH ADOPTION”	Rajan, N., George, A., Saravanan, S., Kavitha, J., & Gopalakrishnan, C. S. (2022).	This report examines that the recent technological advancements have significantly reshaped the financial services sector, challenging traditional institutions as consumers increasingly favor FinTech for its superior user experience. As FinTech becomes a crucial component of the industry, financial technology companies can use research findings to better cater to various

			customer needs. Efforts to enhance the utility and security of FinTech services can boost user affirmations.
02.	“FINTECH IN INDIA— OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES”	C Vijai, C. (2019).	This report examines Fintech, short for financial technology, offers alternative solutions for both banking and non-banking financial services, representing an emerging concept in the financial industry. This paper aims to assess the opportunities and challenges within the fintech sector, tracing its evolution and its current presence in the Indian financial landscape. Fintech introduces digitalized transactions, enhancing security for users. The advantages of fintech services include cost reduction in operations and user-friendly interfaces. Fintech services in India are experiencing rapid growth, making it one of the fastest-growing fintech markets globally. The adoption of fintech services is poised to bring about transformative changes in the habits and behaviours of the Indian finance sector.
03.	“DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION AND THE EMERGENCE OF THE FINTECH SECTOR: SYSTEMATIC LITERATURE REVIEW.”	Barroso, M., & Laborda, J. (2022).	This report examines the rise of new technologies in the financial industry and their impact on financial and investment activities. It underscores the increasing technological capabilities within organizations, enabling them to outshine conventional financial institutions. The study delves into three pivotal and contentious dimensions of this sector—challenges, regulation, and collaboration—employing a systematic literature review. The paper also highlights potential future trends and identifies research gaps that warrant further exploration in the sector.

04.	“FINTECH INDUSTRY IN INDIA: THE REVOLUTIONIZED FINANCIAL SECTOR OF INDIA.”	Garg, R., & Batra, M. P. (2023)	This report examines that Innovation and technology are two major factors forcing a nation's development. The Indian financial system has changed significantly in recent years as a result of numerous financial innovations that have occurred in the banking sector as well as other critical areas of the Indian economy. Fintech is the term for the application of technology to the finance industry. Its popularity has increased in recent years due to significant technological developments. In this phase of the fourth industrial revolution, a new set of firms has entered the financial services industry, including Fintech startups, e-commerce enterprises, and technology companies.
05	“THE ROLE OF FINTECH IN TRANSFORMING TRADITIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES.”	Harsono, I., & Suprapti, I. A. P. (2024).	This report investigates the effects of Fintech on enhancing efficiency, accessibility, and innovation, with a particular emphasis on the technological innovation that is transforming the financial industry. This study explores the consequences of Fintech's transformation of traditional financial services and identifies upcoming trends and issues through a methodical literature review approach. The examination of the influence of Fintech in enhancing financial services, resolving current issues, and offering a comprehensive viewpoint on model shifts in the financial industry are included in the results and discussion.
06.	“CHALLENGES AND TRENDS OF FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY (FINTECH): A SYSTEMATIC	Suryono, R. R., Budi, I., & Purwandari, B. (2020).	This study examines the digital transformation has presented challenges across various industries, prompting the rise of fintech initiatives, considered pivotal innovations in finance. These initiatives are rapidly evolving, influenced by factors such as the sharing economy, regulatory changes,

	LITERATURE REVIEW.”		and advancements in information technology. Fintech encompasses services like funding, payments, e-aggregators, e-trading and e-insurance, offering ample opportunity for deeper exploration of research challenges and trends.
07.	“ADOPTION OF FINTECH PRODUCTS: A SYSTEMATIC LITERATURE REVIEW.”	Utami, A. F., Ekaputra, I. A., & Japutra, A. (2021)	This report studies the growing influence of financial technology (FinTech) on the economy is a result of this. Customers can now more easily access a range of financial goods via digital platforms thanks to the availability of FinTech. As a result of a number of dangers and how the market views its products, FinTech adoption is regrettably still quite low. The objective of this article is to create a comprehensive assessment of the literature regarding the acceptance of FinTech products throughout the previous several decades. A survey of the many theoretical frameworks employed in earlier studies is presented in this article. This study therefore describes the elements that promote FinTech acceptance from the perspectives of innovators (firms) and adopters (consumers).
08.	“FINTECH ISSUES AND CHALLENGES IN INDIA.”	Priya, P. K., & Anusha, K. (2019).	This study examines India, is a developing market for fintech. India's large proportion of unbanked and underbanked people makes it a fascinating worldwide market for financial innovations. Fintech is seen to be a disruptive innovation and game changer that has the power to upend established financial markets. Over the past five years, fintech has expanded quickly in India, and this growth is predicted to continue in the near future. The essay begins by outlining the fundamental categories of financial technology, their purposes, and the potential and difficulties

			they present for the Indian business community.
09.	“FINTECH IN INDIA: SCOPES AND TRENDS”	Rajpal, S., & Manglani, A.	This study examines the newest saying in the financial sector is fintech. Startup-driven Fintech's most recent evolution poses issues for regulators and market participants alike, especially when it comes to striking a balance between the possible dangers associated with innovative financial sector techniques and the potential benefits of innovation. FinTech is now used by traditional financial organizations. FinTech refers to the growing technological breakthroughs in the financial industry. FinTech is gradually reshaping the financial sector. In order to determine the services offered by FinTech in India as well as the trends in financial technology in the country, this study looks at how the Indian market has adopted financial technology services.
10.	“USERS' PERCEIVED RISKS AND CHALLENGES OF FINTECH ADOPTION IN INDIA: AN EMPIRICAL INVESTIGATION.”	Babu, P. V., Agrawal, G., Mohideen, A. S., & Anand, B. (2024).	This study examines the users' awareness of the dangers and difficulties posed by financial technology, or FinTech, is expanding in India. In the digital realm, people's main concerns are data security and privacy. The fear that individuals have about cyber threats and potential data breaches is a significant barrier to the widespread adoption of FinTech. Moreover, the intricacy of FinTech services sometimes leaves customers feeling daunted, which creates a barrier because of a lack of financial literacy. Their decision making regarding digital financial goods becomes more challenging as a result. Furthermore, some people are averse to change, particularly those who are accustomed to outdated banking procedures. Regulatory ambiguities add to users' concerns

			since they make it difficult for them to comprehend the regulations that regulate FinTech transactions
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3 **RESEARCH DESIGN**

3.1 Statement of the problem

- a) Limited understanding of the extent to which FinTech is altering traditional investment patterns.
- b) Insufficient exploration of how FinTech innovations have transformed various aspects of financial services, including banking, payments, lending, investment, and insurance.
- c) Need for insights into how FinTech is reshaping the financial landscape in Urban Bangalore and its implications for stakeholders.
- d) Inadequate research on the challenges and opportunities presented by FinTech advancements in Urban Bangalore.
- e) Uncertainty surrounding the perceived security implications and risks associated with the widespread adoption of FinTech solutions.
- f) Lack of comprehensive analysis regarding user preferences and adoption patterns of FinTech services in Urban Bangalore.
- g) Need for insights into how FinTech is reshaping the financial landscape in Urban Bangalore and its implications for stakeholders.
- h) Inadequate research on the challenges and opportunities presented by FinTech advancements in Urban Bangalore.

3.2 Need of the Study

- a) Understanding fintech innovations in finance is crucial due to their profound impact on money management.
- b) Fintech can boost financial inclusion by providing services to those overlooked by traditional banks, thanks to advancements like mobile banking and digital payments.
- c) Fintech's ability to improve efficiency through automation and AI benefits both financial institutions and consumers by streamlining operations and enhancing transaction speed and accuracy.
- d) The ongoing evolution of fintech brings new challenges like data security and potential disruptions to traditional systems, emphasizing the need for responsible navigation by regulators, businesses, and consumers to ensure sustainable growth.

3.3 Scope of the Study

- a) Analysing the preferences and adoption patterns of users regarding FinTech services.
- b) Understanding how regulations influence the development, adoption, and security of FinTech solutions.
- c) Examining a range of FinTech services such as digital payments, peer-to-peer lending

3.4 Objectives of the Study

- a) To evaluate how FinTech is changing traditional investment patterns.
- b) To explore how FinTech innovations have reshaped the landscape of financial services, bringing about changes in areas such as banking, payments, lending, investment, and insurance.
- c) To examine the perceived security implications and risks associated with FinTech.
- d) To analyse user preferences and adoption patterns of FinTech services in Urban Bangalore

3.5 Limitations of the Study

- a) The sample size of 110 respondents might not accurately represent the diverse population of Urban Bangalore.
- b) The way people use FinTech can change fast, so the information we collect might not be true for a long time
- c) Respondents might provide biased answers, consciously or unconsciously, which can skew the results.
- d) The risk of bias is more as the sampling method used is Convenience

3.6 Research Methodology

- Population – 110 respondents spread across Urban Bangalore City, Karnataka.
- Target audience – Fintech Users in Urban Bangalore
- Sample size- 110
- Sampling Type- Simple random sampling.
- Sampling method- Convenience
- Methods of Data Collection –
 - Primary data- Questionnaires floated through Google Forms and E-mails.
 - Secondary data- Journals, Research Papers, websites, reference books, etc.
- Instrument of Data Collection – The instrument used to collect primary data is a questionnaire.

The instrument used to collect primary data is a questionnaire.

A questionnaire is an instrument for gathering data from the study's sample. It can be administered through various methods like emails, online surveys, interviews, or in paper format, among others.

In this study the questionnaire consisted of 2 parts. The first part includes questions related to the demographic data of the respondents that helps to collect the profile of the sample such as age gender etc. The second part includes various multiple-choice.

Questions for which respondents had to rate their level; of agreement with responses ranging from “strongly agree” to “strongly disagree” i.e. on a five-point Likert scale.

- **Draft of questionnaire**

Demographic details

- Gender
- Age

- Occupation

FinTech is changing traditional investment patterns.

- Whether Fintech innovations have Disrupted traditional banking.
- Whether FinTech has influenced the investment approach compared to traditional methods.
- Whether Fintech innovations have Enhanced convenience when compared to traditional banking.
- Whether FinTech platforms offer better investment opportunities than traditional methods.
- Whether FinTech impacts regulations to ensure compliance and ease legal risk.

FinTech innovations have reshaped the landscape of financial services

- Whether familiar with automated financial advice tools.
- Whether FinTech innovations have transformed the way financial services are carried.
- Whether FinTech has improved the efficiency and effectiveness of financial transactions and services.

Security implications and risks associated with FinTech.

- Whether Confident in the security of the fintech services.
- Whether Biometric authentication (fingerprint, facial recognition) is the most assuring security measure while utilizing a fintech platform
- Whether FinTech companies provide adequate customer support to address any issues or concerns
- Whether Encryption of sensitive data and multi-factor authentication is the most assuring security measure while utilizing a fintech platform
- Whether rapid growth of FinTech poses systemic risks to the financial system.

User preferences and adoption patterns of FinTech

- Whether using FinTech apps for everyday financial transactions over visiting physical bank branches
- Whether willing to explore and adopt emerging fintech services.
- Whether satisfied with overall experience using FinTech services.

- **Hypothesis**

Hypothesis is a statement that is yet to be examined through the study conducted by the researcher.

In order to know whether there is any relationship between various FinTech and Traditional investment patterns, the following hypothesis is framed:

H01: There is no change in the investment patterns after using fintech products

HA1: There is a change in the investment patterns after using fintech products

In order to know whether the Fintech innovations have reshaped the landscape of financial services

H02: Fintech innovations have not reshaped the landscape of financial services

HA2: Fintech innovations have reshaped the landscape of financial services

In order to know whether there is any relationship between Security implications and risks associated with FinTech

H03-There is no significant difference in the perceived security implications and risks between traditional financial systems and FinTech

HA3-There is a significant difference in the perceived security implications and risks between traditional financial systems and FinTech

In order to know whether there is any relationship between User preferences and adoption patterns of FinTech

H04-There is no significant difference in user preferences and adoption patterns of FinTech services between urban areas in Bangalore

HA4-There is a significant difference in user preferences and adoption patterns of FinTech services in urban areas of Bangalore

- **Data analysis technique –**

To analyze the primary data collected in the study various data analysis tools were used. Descriptive statistics, frequency distribution tables and T test is used.

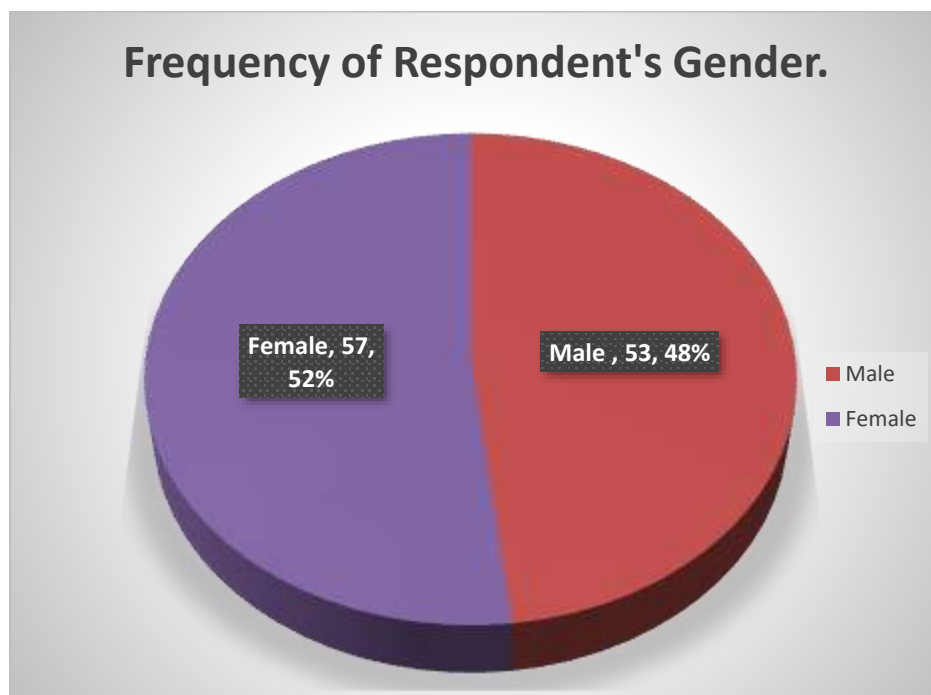
- Descriptive statistics – Means and percentages were used to make a better analysis of the data and give inference and frequency distribution tables is constructed and presented for better understanding of the data.
- Inferential statistics – The hypothesis developed is tested using T test .T test is conducted using JMP software. It is a type of parametric method based on T Distribution. It is used to determine if there is a significant difference between the means of two groups and how they are related. The null hypothesis is rejected if the absolute value of calculated t-statistic is larger than the critical value of t.

CHAPTER- 4: DATA ANALYSIS AND INTERPRETATION

4.1 DEMOGRAPHIC ANALYSIS

Table 4.1. A- Data Representing the respondent's Gender

Category	Frequency of the respondents	Percentage
Male	53	48%
Female	57	52%
Total	110	100

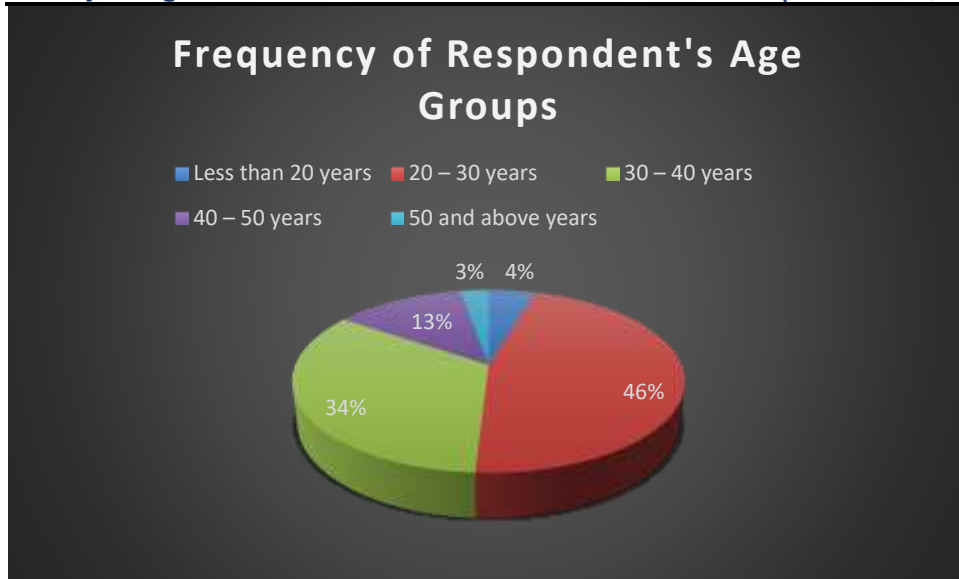
Chart- 4.1. A- Pie Chart Representing Frequency of Respondents Gender.**Interpretation:**

From the above pie chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 53 were male and the majority, i.e., 57 belonged to the female category.

Table 4.1. B- Data Representing the respondent's Age Group

Category	Frequency of the respondents	Percentage
Less than 20 years	5	4%
20 – 30 years	51	46%
30 – 40 years	37	34%
40 – 50 years	14	13%
50 and above years	3	3%
Total	110	100

Chart- 4.1. B- Pie Chart Representing Frequency of Respondents Age Groups



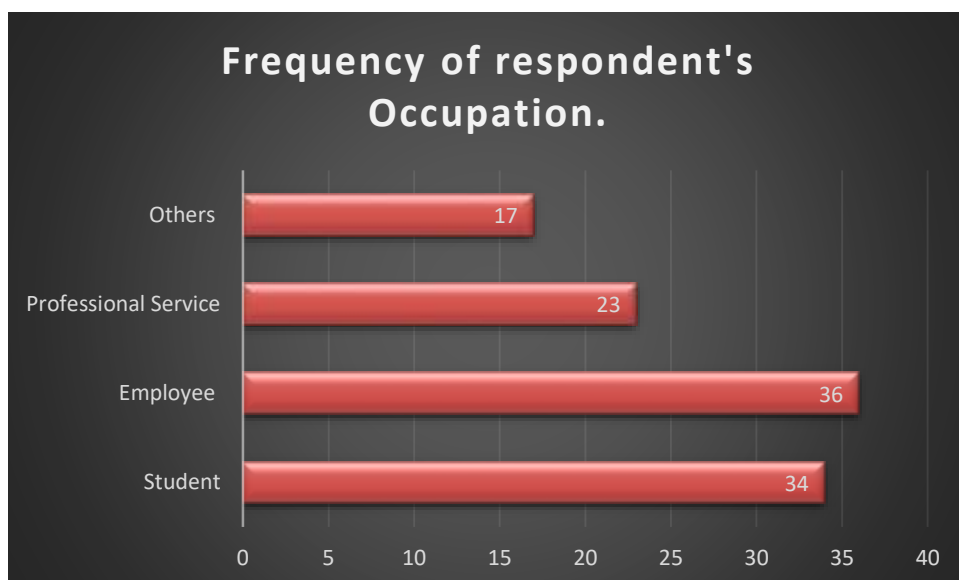
Interpretation:

From the above pie chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 5 respondents belonged to the age group of less than 20 years, 3 respondents belonged to 50 and above years, 37 respondents belonged to the 30 – 40 years age group, 14 respondents belonged to 40 – 50 years age group, and the majority 51 respondents belonged to 20 – 30 years age group.

Table 4.1. C- Data Representing the respondent's Occupation

Category	Frequency of the respondents	Percentage
Student	34	31
Employee	36	33
Professional Service	23	21
Others	17	15
Total	110	100

Chart- 4.1. C- Pie Chart Representing Frequency of respondents Occupation.

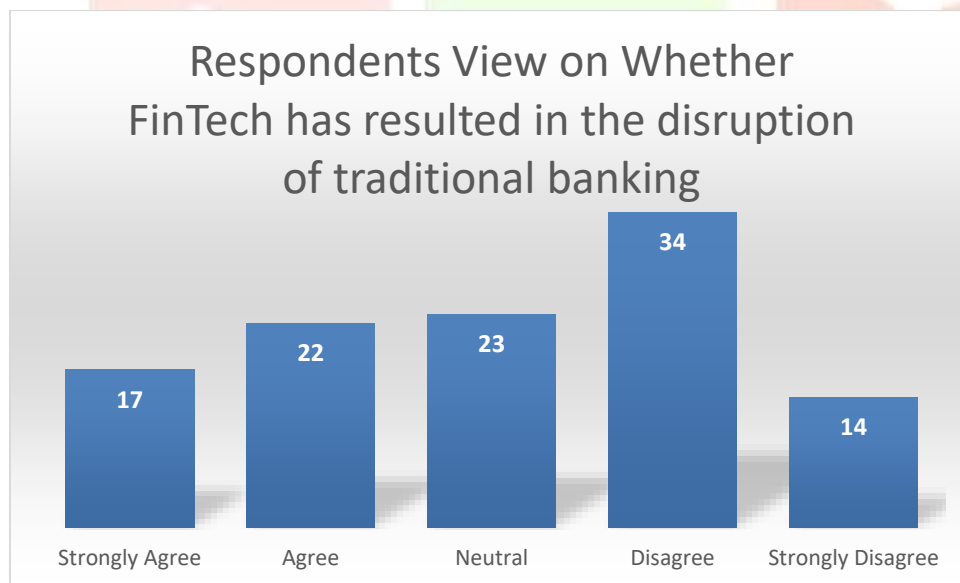


Interpretation:

From the above pie chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 34 respondents belonged to the Student Occupation, 36 respondents belonged to the Employee Occupation, 23 respondents belonged to professional Services and 17 respondents belonged to Others Occupation.

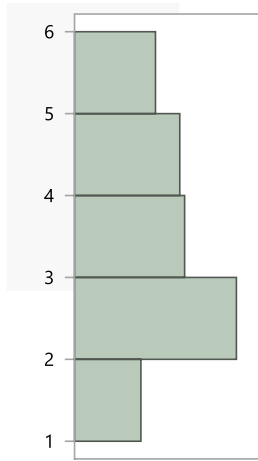
4.2 FINTECH CHANGING TRADITIONAL INVESTMENT PATTERNS.**Table 4.2. A- Whether FinTech has resulted in the disruption of traditional banking (R1)**

Responses	Frequency	Percentage
Strongly Agree	17	15%
Agree	22	20%
Neutral	23	21%
Disagree	34	31%
Strongly Disagree	14	13%
Total	110	100

Chart- 4.2. A- Column chart representing Respondents View on Whether FinTech has resulted in the disruption of traditional banking (R1)**Interpretation:**

From the above Column chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 14 respondents Strongly Disagreed with the above views, 23 respondents Neutral with the above views, 17 respondents Strongly agreed with the above views, 22 respondents agreed with the above views and the majority 34 respondents Disagreed with the above statement views.

[Fintech has resulted in disruption of traditional banking]



Summary Statistics

Mean	2.945454
Std Dev	1.28389
Std Err Mean	0.122414
Upper 95% Mean	3.188075
Lower 95% Mean	2.702833
N	110
N Missing	1048396



Test Mean

Hypothesized Value	1
Actual Estimate	2.94545
DF	109
Std Dev	1.28389

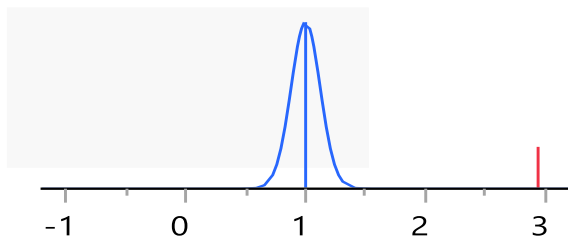
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Test Statistic	15.8924
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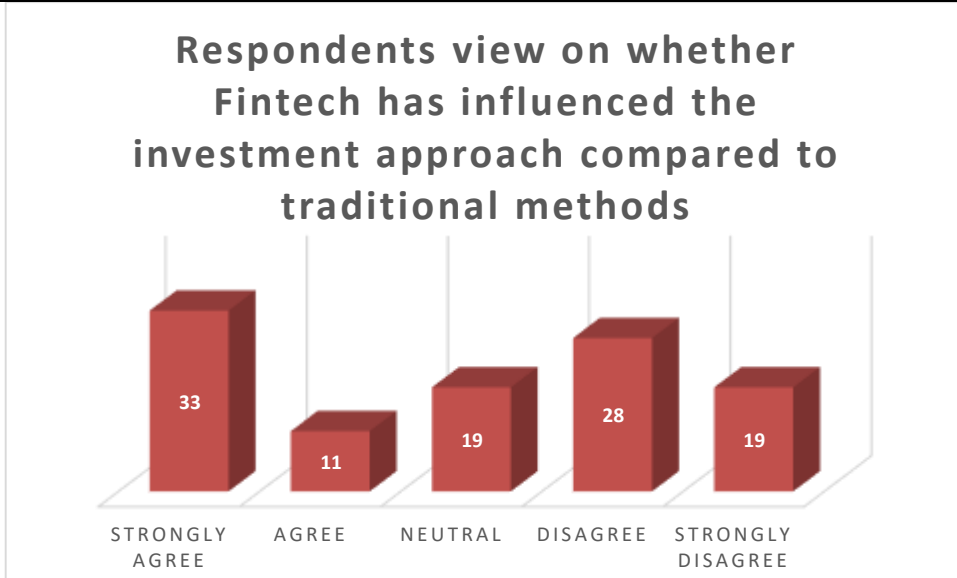
**Interpretation:**

The summary statistics and test results indicate a significant difference in the mean value (2.9454545) compared to the hypothesized value (1) with a t-test statistic of 15.8924 and a p-value less than 0.000. The t-test results suggest that there is strong evidence to reject the null hypothesis

Table 4.2. B – Whether FinTech has influenced the investment approach compared to traditional methods (R2)

Responses	Frequency	Percentage
Strongly Agree	33	30%
Agree	11	10%
Neutral	19	17%
Disagree	28	26%
Strongly Disagree	19	17%
Total	110	100

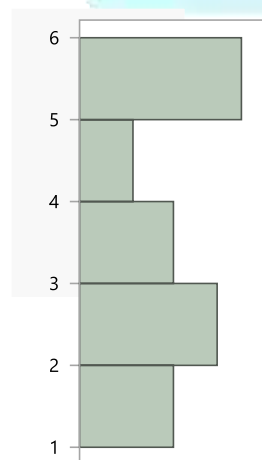
Chart- 4.2. B- Column chart representing Respondents View on Whether FinTech has influenced the investment approach compared to traditional methods (R2)



Interpretation:

From the above Column chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 19 respondents Strongly Disagreed with the above views, 19 respondents Neutral with the above views, 28 respondents Disagreed with the above views, 11 respondents Agreed with the above views and the majority 33 respondents Strongly Agreed with the above statement views.

[I believe FinTech has influenced your investment approach compared to traditional methods]



Summary Statistics

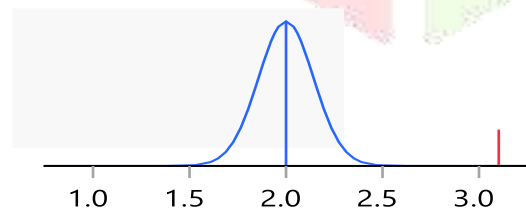
Mean	3.1
Std Dev	1.501986
	5
Std Err Mean	0.143208
	8

Upper 95% 3.383835
 Mean 2
 Lower 95% 2.816164
 Mean 8
 N 110
 N Missing 1048396

Test Mean

Hypothesized 2
 Value
 Actual Estimate 3.1
 DF 109
 Std Dev 1.50199

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Interpretation:

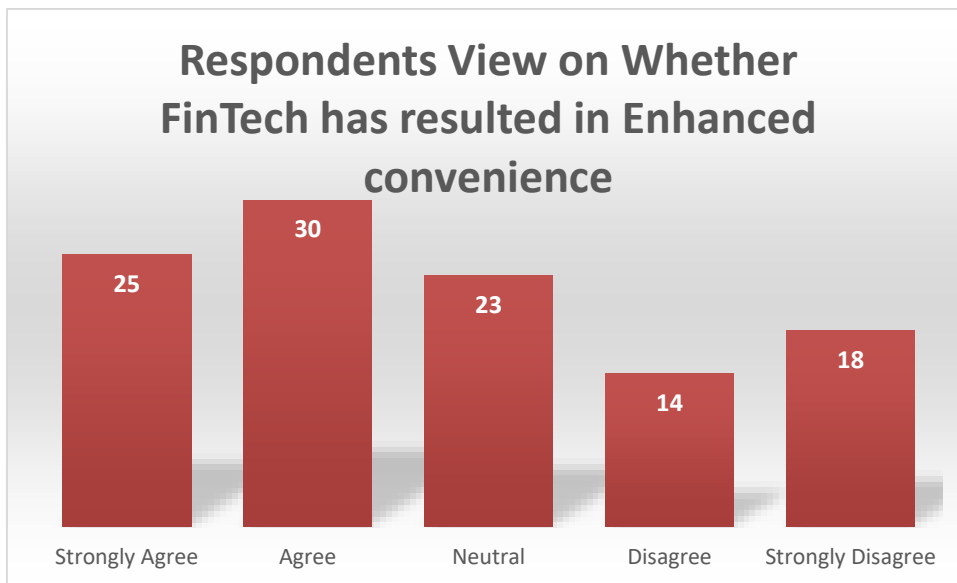
The summary statistics and test results indicate a significant difference in the mean value (3.1) compared to the hypothesized value (2) with a t-test statistic of 7.6811 and a p-value less than 0.0001. The t-test results suggest that there is strong evidence to reject the null hypothesis.

Table 4.2. C- Whether FinTech has resulted in Enhanced convenience (R3)

Responses	Frequency	Percentage
Strongly Agree	25	23%

Agree	30	27%
Neutral	23	21%
Disagree	14	13%
Strongly Disagree	18	16%
Total	110	100

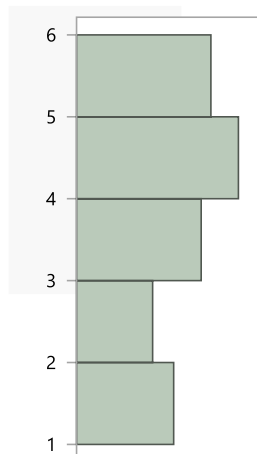
Chart- 4.2. C- Column chart representing Respondents View on Whether FinTech has resulted in Enhanced convenience (R3)



Interpretation:

From the above Column chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 18 respondents Strongly Disagreed with the above views, 23 respondents Neutral with the above views, 14 respondents Disagreed with the above views, 25 respondents Strongly Agreed with the above views and the majority 30 respondents Agreed with the above statement views.

[Fintech has resulted in Enhanced convenience]

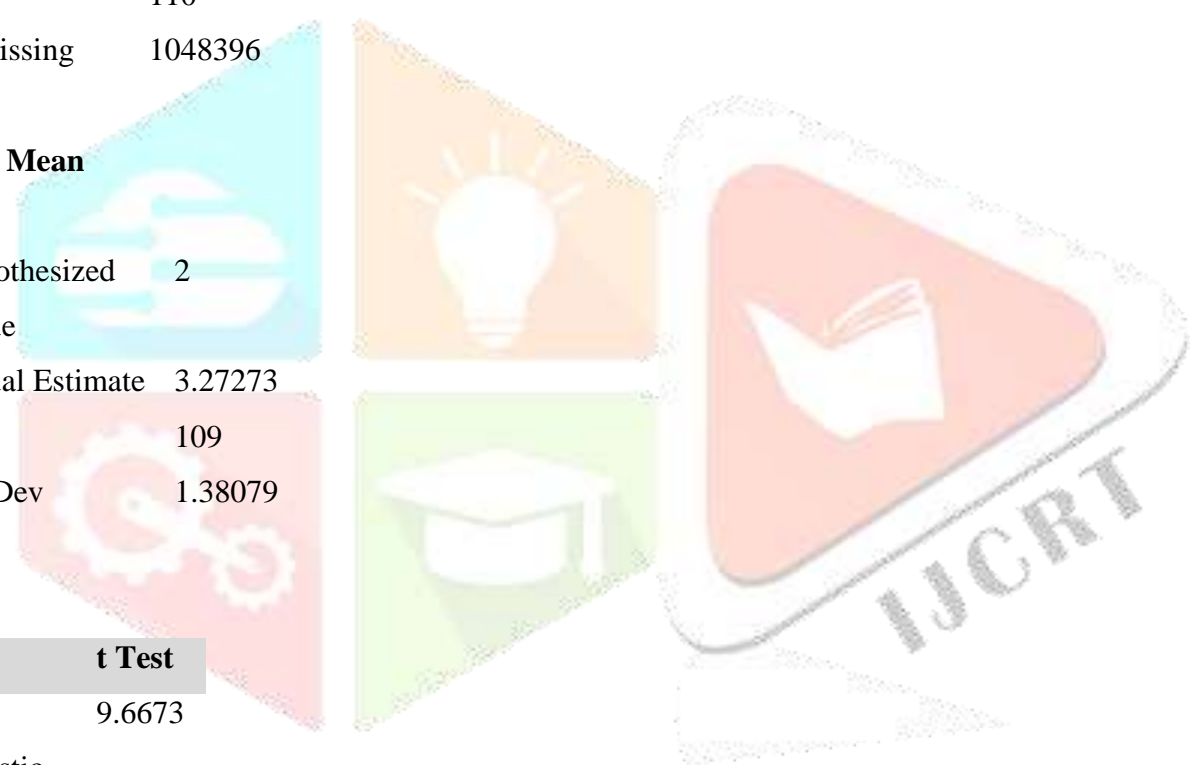


Summary Statistics

Mean	3.272727
	3
Std Dev	1.380792
	8
Std Err Mean	0.131653
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Upper 95%	3.533660
Mean	1
Lower 95%	3.011794
Mean	5
N	110
N Missing	1048396

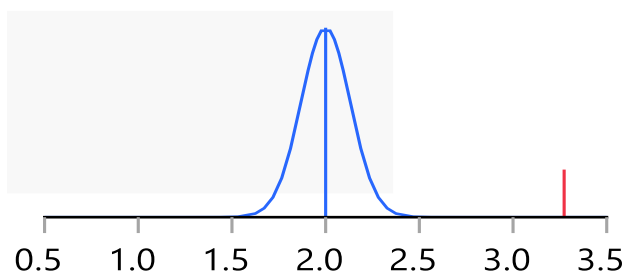
Test Mean

Hypothesized Value	2
Actual Estimate	3.27273
DF	109
Std Dev	1.38079



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Test Statistic	9.6673
Prob > t	<.0001
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Prob > t	<.0001
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Prob < t	1.0000



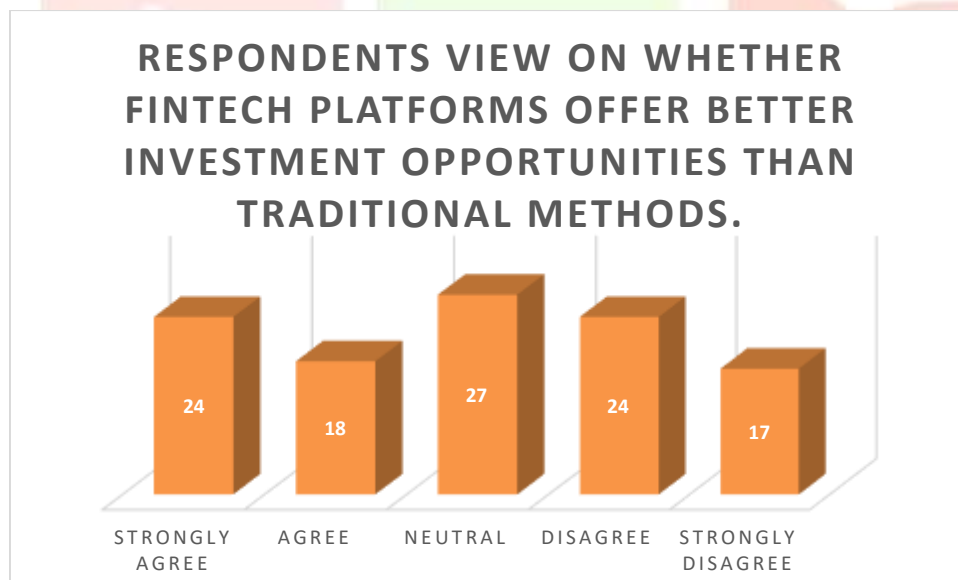
Interpretation:

The summary statistics and test results indicate a significant difference in the mean value (3.2727273) compared to the hypothesized value (2) with a t-test statistic of 9.6673 and a p-value less than 0.0001. The t-test results suggest that there is strong evidence to reject the null hypothesis.

Table 4.2. D – Whether FinTech platforms offer better investment opportunities than traditional methods. (R4)

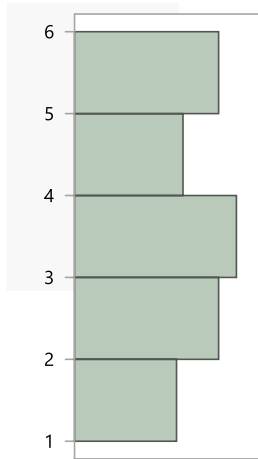
Responses	Frequency	Percentage
Strongly Agree	24	22%
Agree	18	16%
Neutral	27	25%
Disagree	24	22%
Strongly Disagree	17	15%
Total	110	100

Chart- 4.2. D- Column chart representing Respondents View on Whether FinTech platforms offer better investment opportunities than traditional methods. (R4)

**Interpretation:**

From the above Column chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 17 respondents Strongly Disagreed with the above views, 18 respondents Agreed with the above views, 24 respondents Disagreed with the above views, 24 respondents Strongly Agreed with the above views and the majority 27 respondents Neutral with the above statement views.

[FinTech platforms offer better investment opportunities than traditional methods.]



Summary Statistics

Mean	3.072727	
Std Dev	1.372796	
Std Err Mean	0.130891	
Upper 95%	3.332149	
Lower 95%	2.813305	
Mean	5	
N	110	
N Missing	1048396	

Test Mean

Hypothesized Value	2
Actual Estimate	3.07273
DF	109
Std Dev	1.3728

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Test Statistic	8.1956

t Test

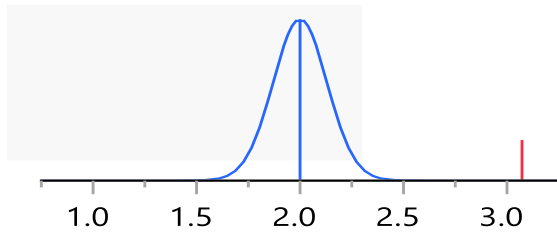
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**Interpretation:**

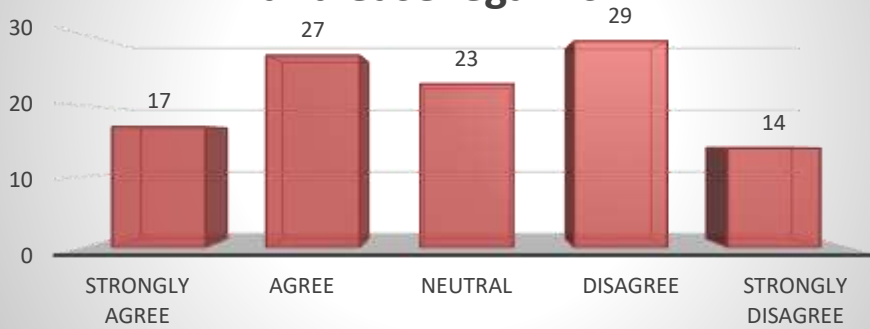
The summary statistics and test results indicate a significant difference in the mean value (3.0727273) compared to the hypothesized value (2) with a t-test statistic of 8.1956 and a p-value less than 0.0001. The t-test results suggest that there is strong evidence to reject the null hypothesis.

Table 4.2. E– Whether FinTech impacts regulations to ensure compliance and ease legal risk. (R5)

Responses	Frequency	Percentage
Strongly Agree	17	15%
Agree	27	25%
Neutral	23	21%
Disagree	29	26%
Strongly Disagree	14	13%
Total	110	100

Chart- 4.2. E- Column chart representing Respondents View on Whether FinTech impacts regulations to ensure compliance and ease legal risk. (R5)

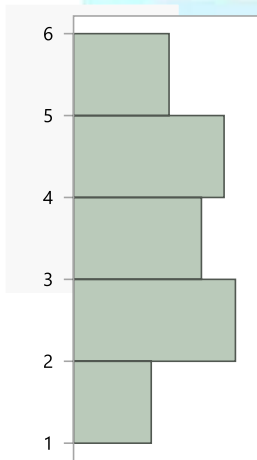
Respondents view on whether Whether FinTech impacts regulations to ensure compliance and ease legal risk.



Interpretation:

From the above Column chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 14 respondents Strongly Disagreed with the above views, 27 respondents Agreed with the above views, 23 respondents Neutral with the above views, 17 respondents Strongly Agreed with the above views and the majority 29 respondents Disagreed with the above statement views.

[FinTech impacts regulations to ensure compliance and ease legal risk.]



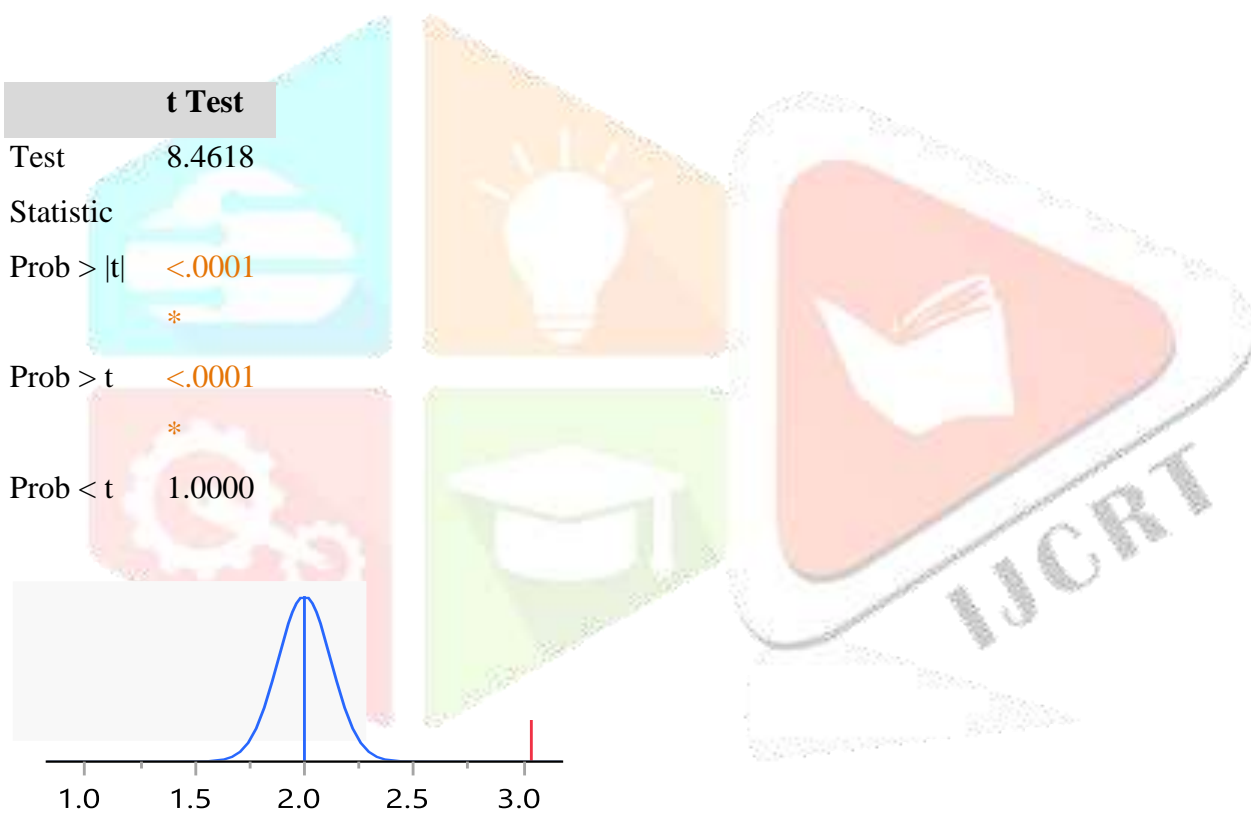
Summary Statistics

Mean	3.036363
	6
Std Dev	1.284539
	5
Std Err Mean	0.122476
Upper 95%	3.279107
Mean	2

Lower	95%	2.793620
Mean		1
N		110
N Missing		1048396

Test Mean

Hypothesized		2
Value		
Actual Estimate		3.03636
DF		109
Std Dev		1.28454



Interpretation:

The summary statistics and test results indicate a significant difference in the mean value (3.0363636) compared to the hypothesized value (2) with a t-test statistic of 8.4618 and a p-value less than 0.0001. The t-test results suggest that there is strong evidence to reject the null hypothesis.

Overview

Overview Overall view of responses received in order to cater first objective was as follows –

Table No – 4.2.1 Descriptive Statistics of Fintech Changing Traditional Investment Patterns

Particulars	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Mean
R1	17	22	23	34	14	2.94
R2	33	11	19	28	19	3.1
R3	25	30	23	14	18	3.27
R4	24	18	27	24	17	3.07
R5	17	27	23	29	14	3.03

Interpretation:

As per Table 4.2.1, the mean values are almost similar to each other and above 2.94. And in all the questions the percentage of agreement is more and is significant. The majority of the respondents have either stayed neutral or disagreed to the given statements.

Hypothesis Testing:

H01: There is no change in the investment patterns after using fintech products

HA1: There is a change in the investment patterns after using fintech products

By conducting T test using JMP Software, the null hypothesis is rejected and the alternative hypothesis is accepted as the absolute value of the calculated t-statistic is larger than 0.0001.

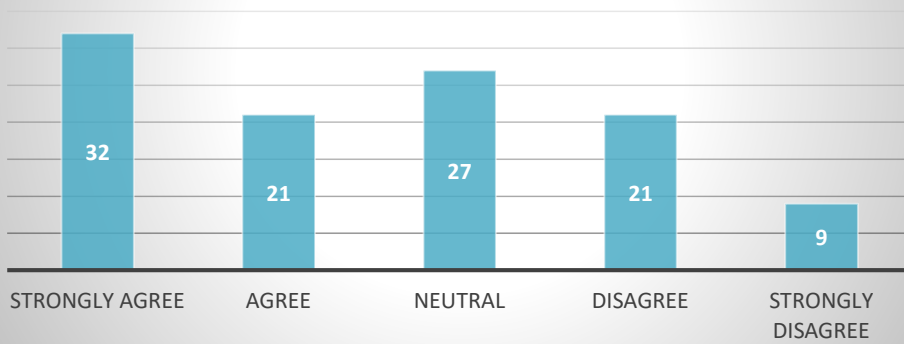
4.3. FINTECH INNOVATIONS HAVE RESHAPED THE LANDSCAPE OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Table 4.3. A– Whether Familiar with automated financial advise tools (Q1)

Responses	Frequency	Percentage
Strongly Agree	32	29%
Agree	21	19%
Neutral	27	25%
Disagree	21	19%
Strongly Disagree	9	8%
Total	110	100

Chart- 4.3. A- Column chart representing Respondents View on Whether they are familiar with the automated financial tools. (Q1)

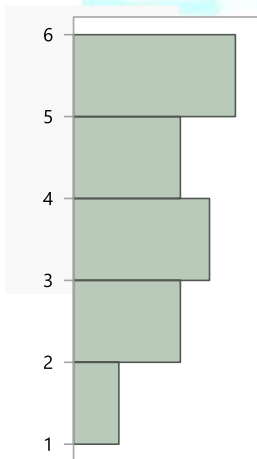
Respondents view on whether they are Familiar with automated financial advice tools



Interpretation:

From the above Column chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 9 respondents Strongly Disagreed with the above views, 21 respondents Agreed with the above views, 27 respondents Neutral with the above views, 21 respondents Disagreed with the above views and the majority 32 respondents Strongly Agreed with the above statement views.

[I'm familiar with automated financial advise tools]



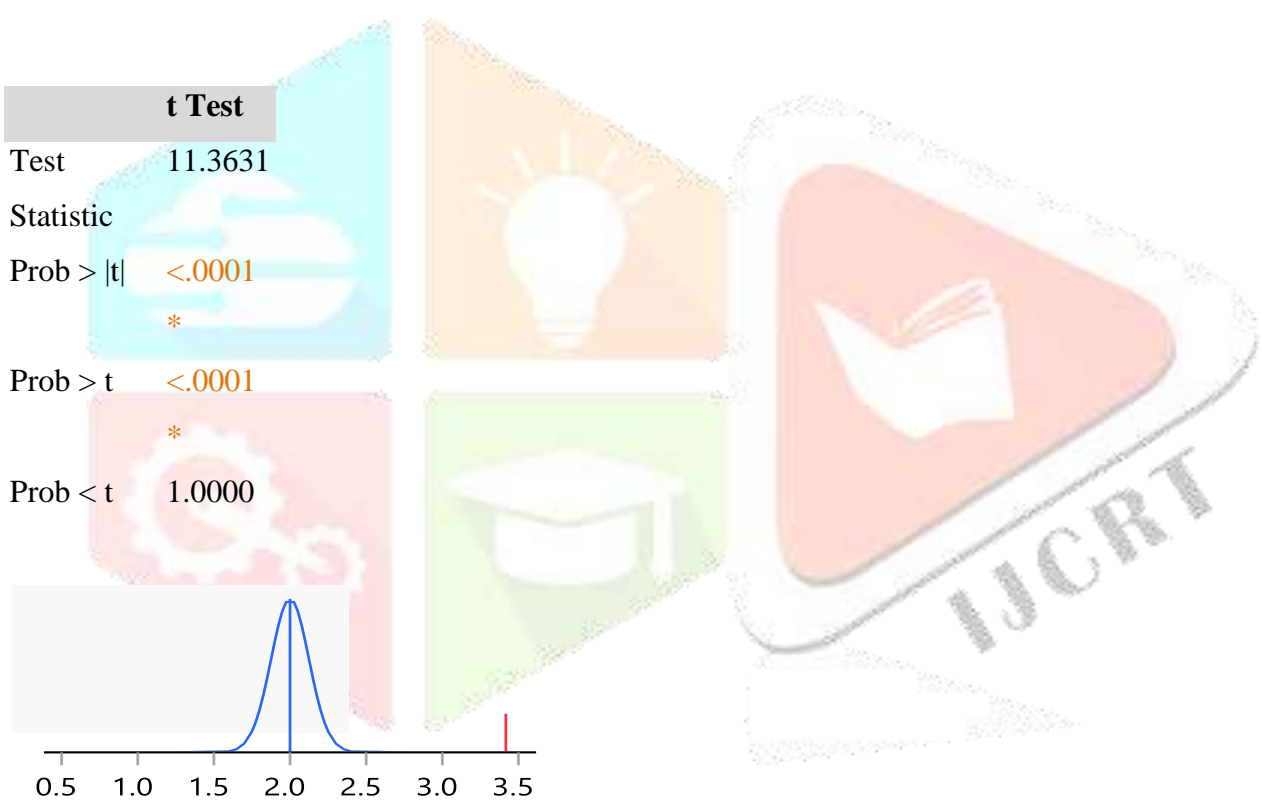
Summary Statistics

Mean	3.418181
	8
Std Dev	1.308979
	7
Std Err Mean	0.124806
	3
Upper 95%	3.665543
Mean	9

Lower 95% 3.170819
 Mean 8
 N 110
 N Missing 1048396

Test Mean

Hypothesized 2
 Value
 Actual Estimate 3.41818
 DF 109
 Std Dev 1.30898



Interpretation:

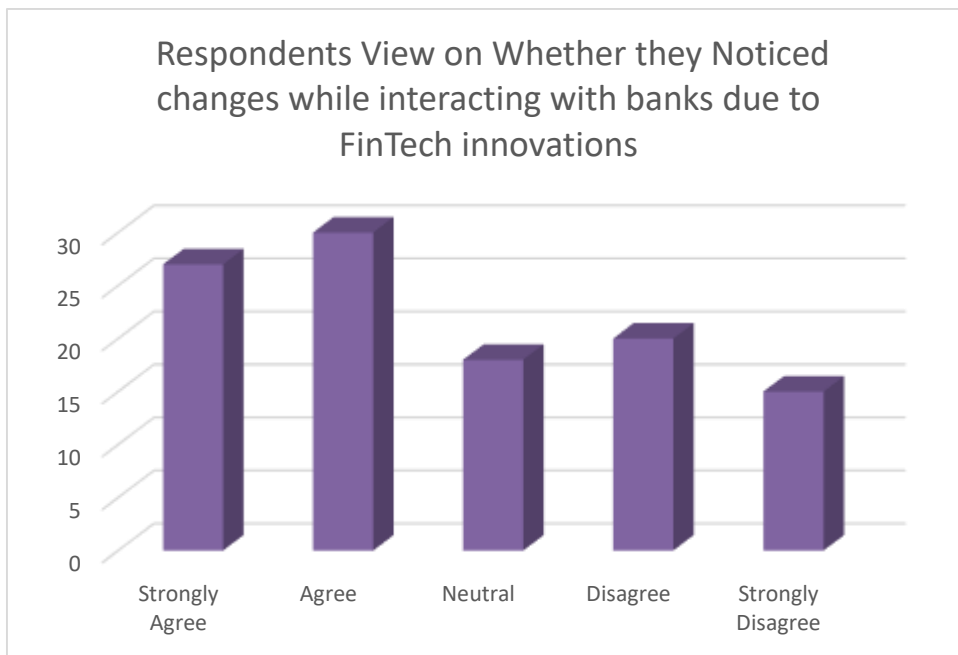
The summary statistics and test results indicate a significant difference in the mean value (3.4181818) compared to the hypothesized value (2) with a t-test statistic of 11.3631 and a p-value less than 0.0001. The t-test results suggest that there is strong evidence to reject the null hypothesis.

Table 4.3. B– Whether Noticed changes while interacting with banks due to FinTech innovations (Q2)

Responses	Frequency	Percentage
Strongly Agree	27	25%

Agree	30	27%
Neutral	18	16%
Disagree	20	18%
Strongly Disagree	15	14%
Total	110	100

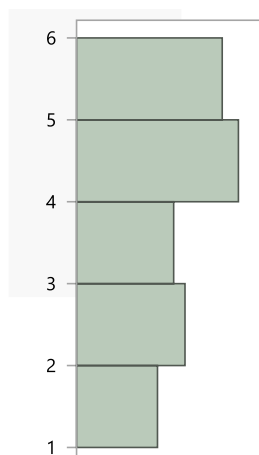
Chart- 4.3. B- Column chart representing Respondents View on Whether they Noticed changes while interacting with banks due to FinTech innovations (Q2)



Interpretation:

From the above Column chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 15 respondents Strongly Disagreed with the above views, 27 respondents Strongly Agreed with the above views, 18 respondents Neutral with the above views, 20 respondents Disagreed with the above views and the majority 30 respondents Agreed with the above statement views.

[I find FinTech innovations have transformed the way financial services are carried.]



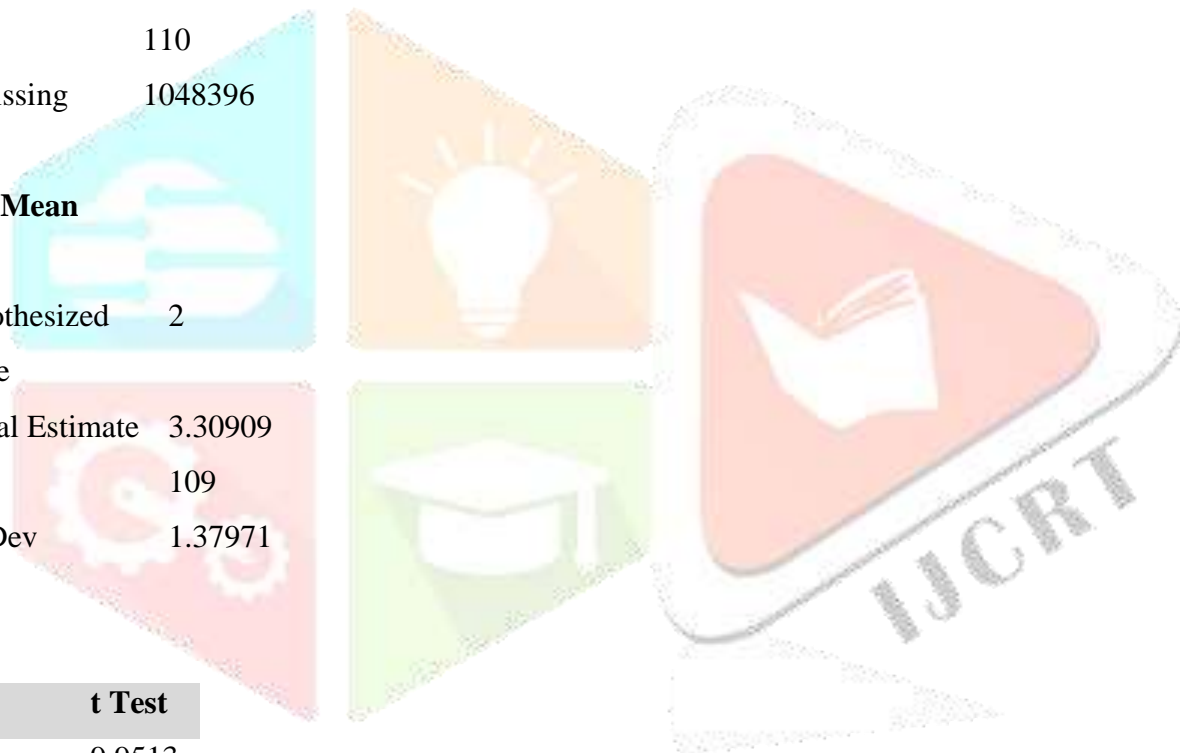
Summary Statistics

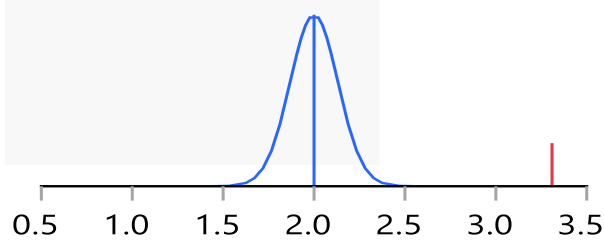
Mean	3.309090
	9
Std Dev	1.379705
	2
Std Err Mean	0.131549
	7
Upper 95%	3.569818
Mean	2
Lower 95%	3.048363
Mean	6
N	110
N Missing	1048396

Test Mean

Hypothesized Value	2
Actual Estimate	3.30909
DF	109
Std Dev	1.37971

	t Test
Test Statistic	9.9513
Prob > t	<.0001
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Prob > t	<.0001
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Prob < t	1.0000





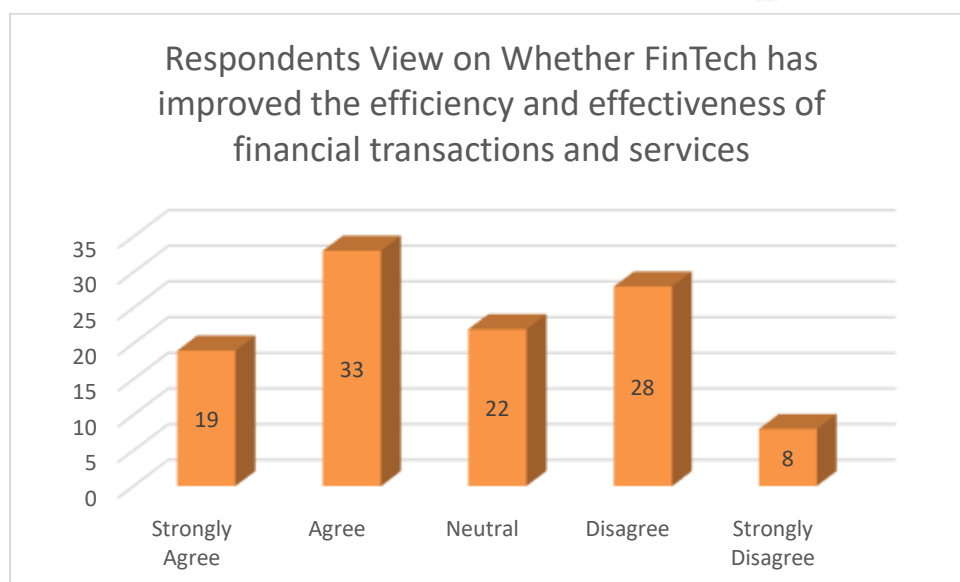
Interpretation

The summary statistics and test results indicate a significant difference in the mean value (3.3090909) compared to the hypothesized value (2) with a t-test statistic of 9.9513 and a p-value less than 0.0001. The t-test results suggest that there is strong evidence to reject the null hypothesis.

Table 4.3. C– Whether FinTech has improved the efficiency and effectiveness of financial transactions and services (Q3)

Responses	Frequency	Percentage
Strongly Agree	19	17%
Agree	33	30%
Neutral	22	20%
Disagree	28	26%
Strongly Disagree	8	7%
Total	110	100

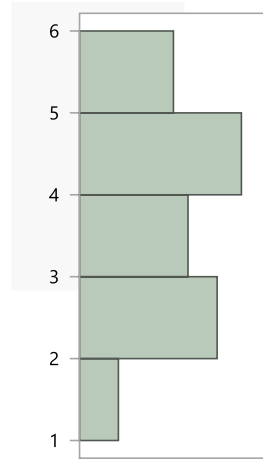
Chart- 4.3. C- Column chart representing Respondents View on Whether FinTech has improved the efficiency and effectiveness of financial transactions and services (Q3)



Interpretation:

From the above Column chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 8 respondents Strongly Disagreed with the above views, 19 respondents Strongly Agreed with the above views, 22 respondents Neutral with the above views, 28 respondents Disagreed with the above views and the majority 33 respondents Agreed with the above statement views.

[FinTech has improved the efficiency and effectiveness of financial transactions and services.]



Summary Statistics

Mean	3.245454
Std Dev	1.220515
Std Err Mean	0.116371
Upper 95% Mean	3.476099
Lower 95% Mean	3.014809
Mean	2
Mean	8
N	110
N Missing	1048396

Test Mean

Hypothesized Value	2
Actual Estimate	3.24545
DF	109
Std Dev	1.22052



t Test

Test 10.7024

Statistic

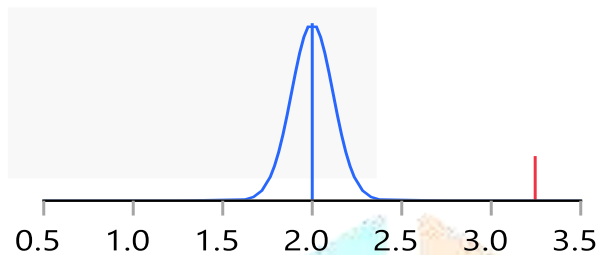
Prob > |t| <.0001

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Prob > t <.0001

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Prob < t 1.0000

**Interpretation:**

The summary statistics and test results indicate a significant difference in the mean value (3.2454545) compared to the hypothesized value (2) with a t-test statistic of 10.7024 and a p-value less than 0.0001. The t-test results suggest that there is strong evidence to reject the null hypothesis.

Overview

Overview Overall view of responses received in order to cater first objective was as follows –

Table No – 4.3.1 Descriptive Statistics of Fintech Innovations Have Reshaped the Landscape of Financial Services

Particulars	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Mean
Q1	32	21	27	21	9	3.14
Q2	27	30	18	20	15	3.31
Q3	19	33	22	28	8	3.24

Interpretation:

As per Table 4.3.1, the mean values are almost similar to each other and above 3.14. And in all the questions the percentage of agreement is more and is significant. The majority of the respondents have either stayed neutral or agreed to the given statements.

Hypothesis Testing:

H02: Fintech innovations have not reshaped the landscape of financial services

HA2: Fintech innovations have reshaped the landscape of financial services

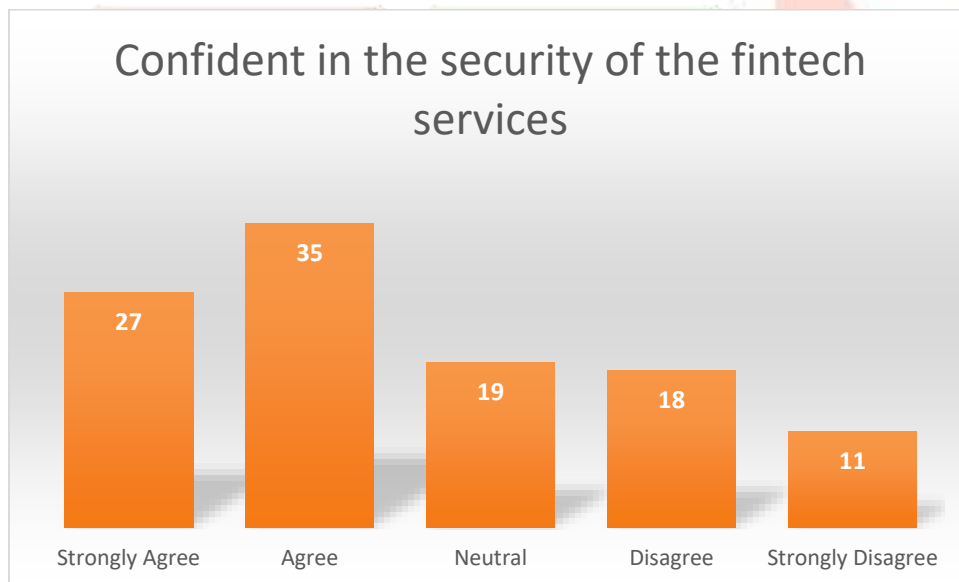
By conducting T test using JMP Software, the null hypothesis is rejected and the alternative hypothesis is accepted as the absolute value of the calculated t-statistic is larger than 0.0001.

4.4. SECURITY IMPLICATIONS AND RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH FINTECH

Table 4.4. A– Whether confident in the security of the fintech services (S1)

Responses	Frequency	Percentage
Strongly Agree	27	25%
Agree	35	32%
Neutral	19	17%
Disagree	18	16%
Strongly Disagree	11	10%
Total	110	100

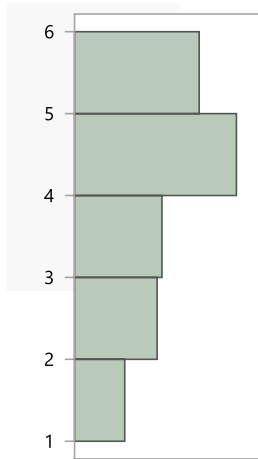
Chart- 4.4. A- Column chart representing Respondents View on Whether confident in the security of the fintech services (S1)



Interpretation:

From the above Column chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 11 respondents Strongly Disagreed with the above views, 27 respondents Strongly Agreed with the above views, 19 respondents Neutral with the above views, 18 respondents Disagreed with the above views and the majority 35 respondents Agreed with the above statement views.

[I'm confident on the security and reliability of fintech services]



Summary Statistics

Mean	3.445454
Std Dev	1.296334
Std Err Mean	0.123600
Upper 95% Mean	3.690427
Lower 95% Mean	3.200482
N	110
N Missing	1048396



Test Mean

Hypothesized Value	2
Actual Estimate	3.44545
DF	109
Std Dev	1.29633

t Test	
Test Statistic	11.6946

t Test

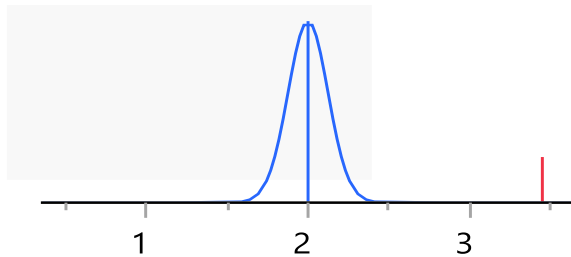
Prob > |t| <.0001

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Prob > t <.0001

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Prob < t 1.0000

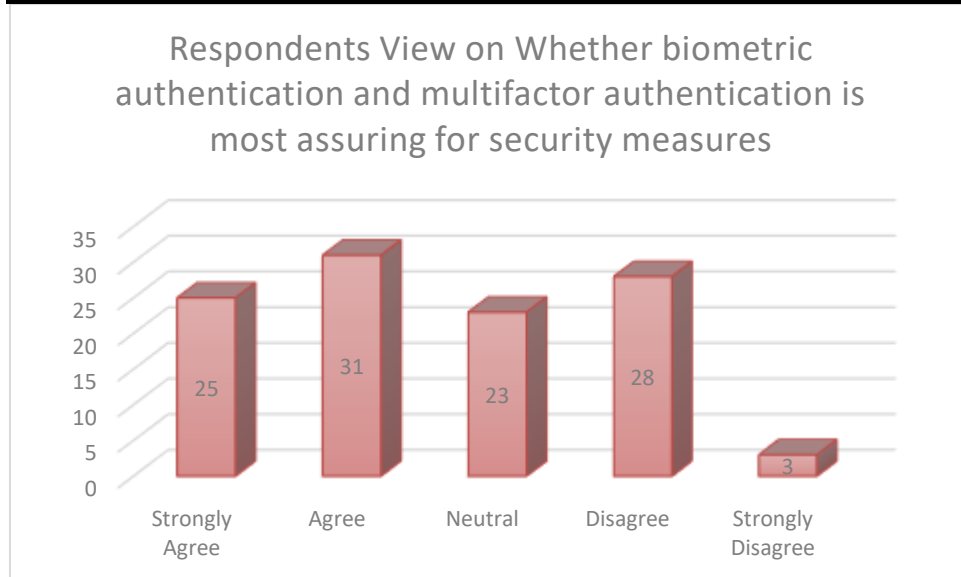
**Interpretation:**

The summary statistics and test results indicate a significant difference in the mean value (3.4454545) compared to the hypothesized value (2) with a t-test statistic of 11.6946 and a p-value less than 0.0001. The t-test results suggest that there is strong evidence to reject the null hypothesis.

Table 4.4. B– Whether biometric authentication and multifactor authentication is most assuring for security measures (S2)

Responses	Frequency	Percentage
Strongly Agree	25	23%
Agree	31	28%
Neutral	23	21%
Disagree	28	25%
Strongly Disagree	3	3%
Total	110	100

Chart- 4.4. B- Column chart representing Respondents View on Whether biometric authentication and multifactor authentication is most assuring for security measures (S2)



Interpretation:

From the above Column chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 3 respondents Strongly Disagreed with the above views, 25 respondents Strongly Agreed with the above views, 23 respondents Neutral with the above views, 28 respondents Disagreed with the above views and the majority 31 respondents Agreed with the above statement views.

[I find biometric authentication and multifactor authentication as most assuring for security measures]



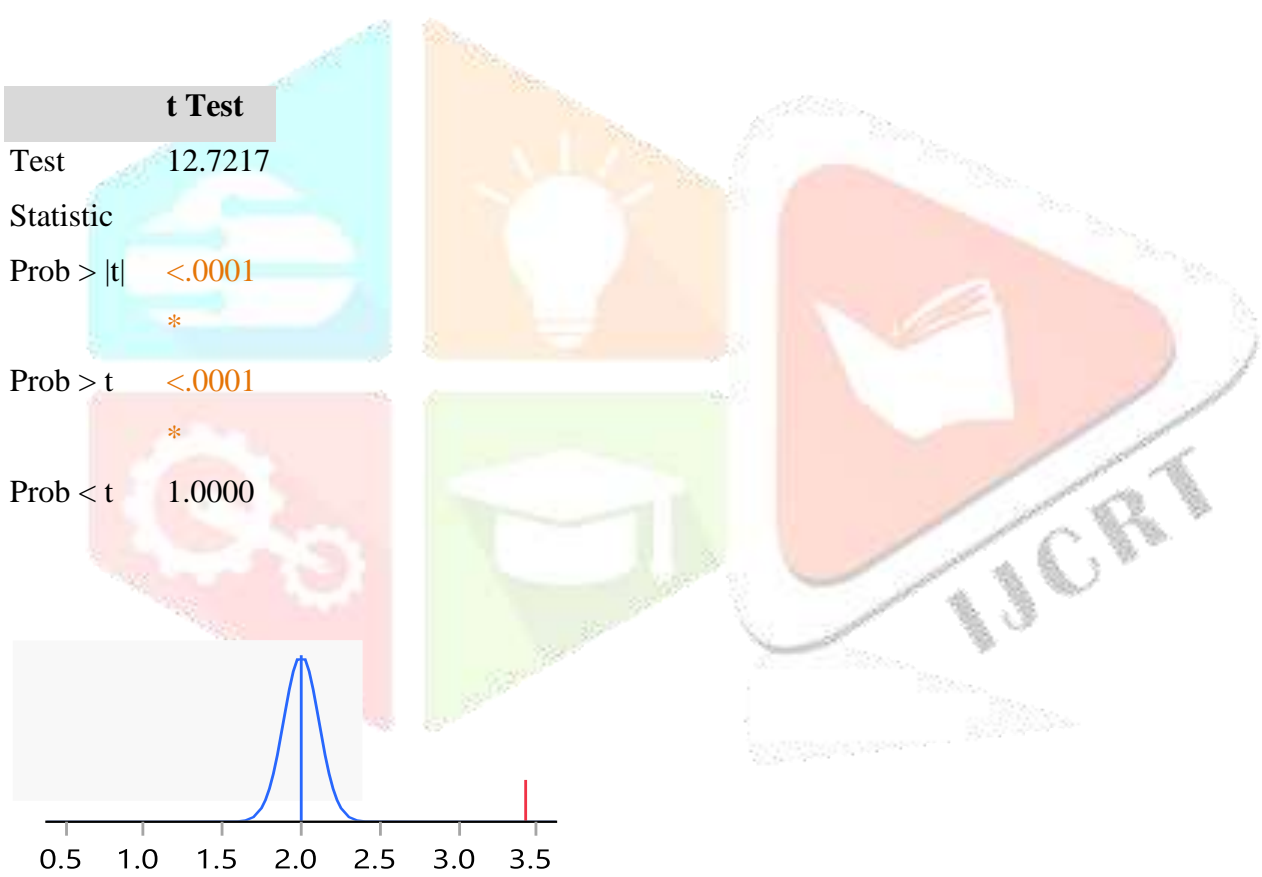
Summary Statistics

Mean	3.427272
	7
Std Dev	1.176677
	7
Std Err Mean	0.112191
	8
Upper 95% Mean	3.649633
Mean	3

Lower 95% 3.204912
 Mean 2
 N 110
 N Missing 1048396

Test Mean

Hypothesized 2
 Value
 Actual Estimate 3.42727
 DF 109
 Std Dev 1.17668



Interpretation:

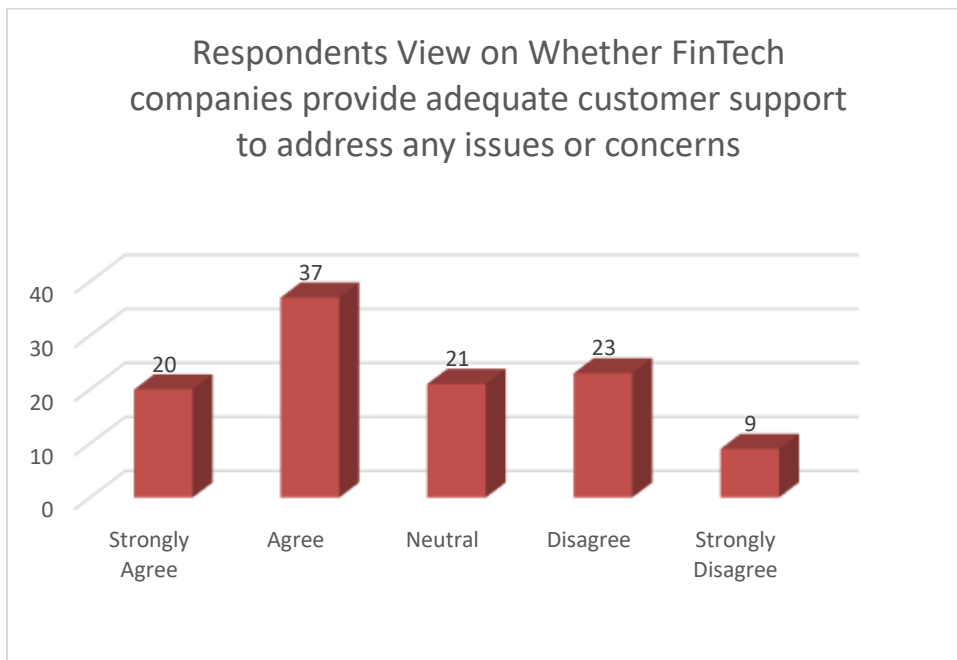
The summary statistics and test results indicate a significant difference in the mean value (3.4272727) compared to the hypothesized value (2) with a t-test statistic of 12.7217 and a p-value less than 0.0001. The t-test results suggest that there is strong evidence to reject the null hypothesis.

Table 4.4. C– Whether FinTech companies provide adequate customer support to address any issues or concerns (S3)

Responses	Frequency	Percentage
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Strongly Agree	20	18%
Agree	37	34%
Neutral	21	19%
Disagree	23	21%
Strongly Disagree	9	8%
Total	110	100

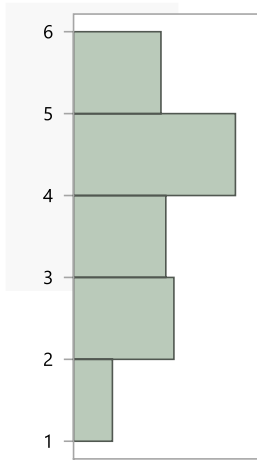
Chart- 4.4. C- Column chart representing Respondents View on Whether FinTech companies provide adequate customer support to address any issues or concerns (S3)



Interpretation:

From the above Column chart analysis out of 110 respondents,9 respondents Strongly Disagreed with the above views, 20 respondents Strongly Agreed with the above views, 21 respondents Neutral with the above views, 23 respondents Disagreed with the above views and the majority 37 respondents Agreed with the above statement views.

[I trust that FinTech companies provide adequate customer support to address any issues or concerns]



Summary Statistics

Mean	3.327272
	7
Std Dev	1.227431
	8
Std Err Mean	0.117031
Upper 95% Mean	3.559224
Lower 95% Mean	3.095321
N	110
N Missing	1048396

Test Mean

Hypothesized Value	2
Actual Estimate	3.32727
DF	109
Std Dev	1.22743

t Test	
Test Statistic	11.3412
Prob > t	<.0001
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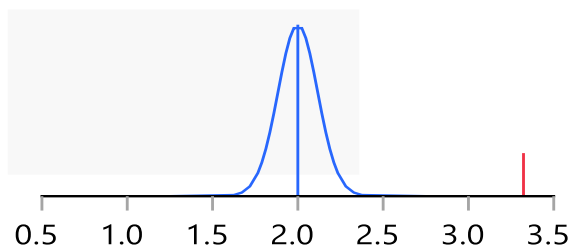


t Test

Prob > t <.0001

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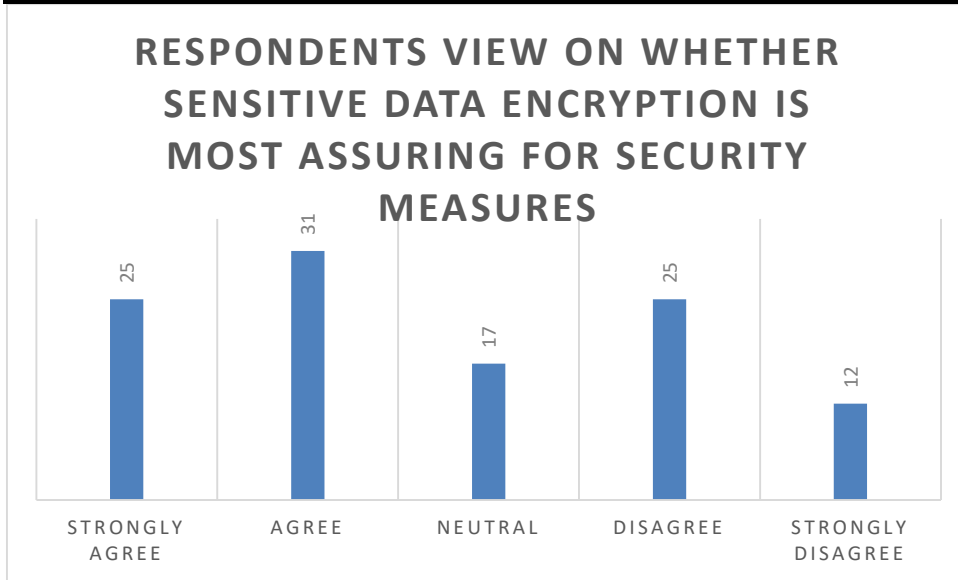
**Interpretation:**

The summary statistics and test results indicate a significant difference in the mean value (3.3272727) compared to the hypothesized value (2) with a t-test statistic of 11.3412 and a p-value less than 0.0001. The t-test results suggest that there is strong evidence to reject the null hypothesis.

Table 4.4. D– Whether sensitive data encryption is most assuring for security measures (S4)

Responses	Frequency	Percentage
Strongly Agree	25	23%
Agree	31	28%
Neutral	17	15%
Disagree	25	23%
Strongly Disagree	12	11%
Total	110	100

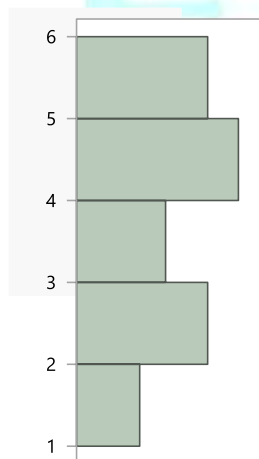
Chart- 4.4. D- Column chart representing Respondents View on Whether sensitive data encryption is most assuring for security measures (S4)



Interpretation:

From the above Column chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 12 respondents Strongly Disagreed with the above views, 25 respondents Strongly Agreed with the above views, 17 respondents Neutral with the above views, 25 respondents Disagreed with the above views and the majority 31 respondents Agreed with the above statement views.

[I find sensitive data encryption as most assuring for security measures]



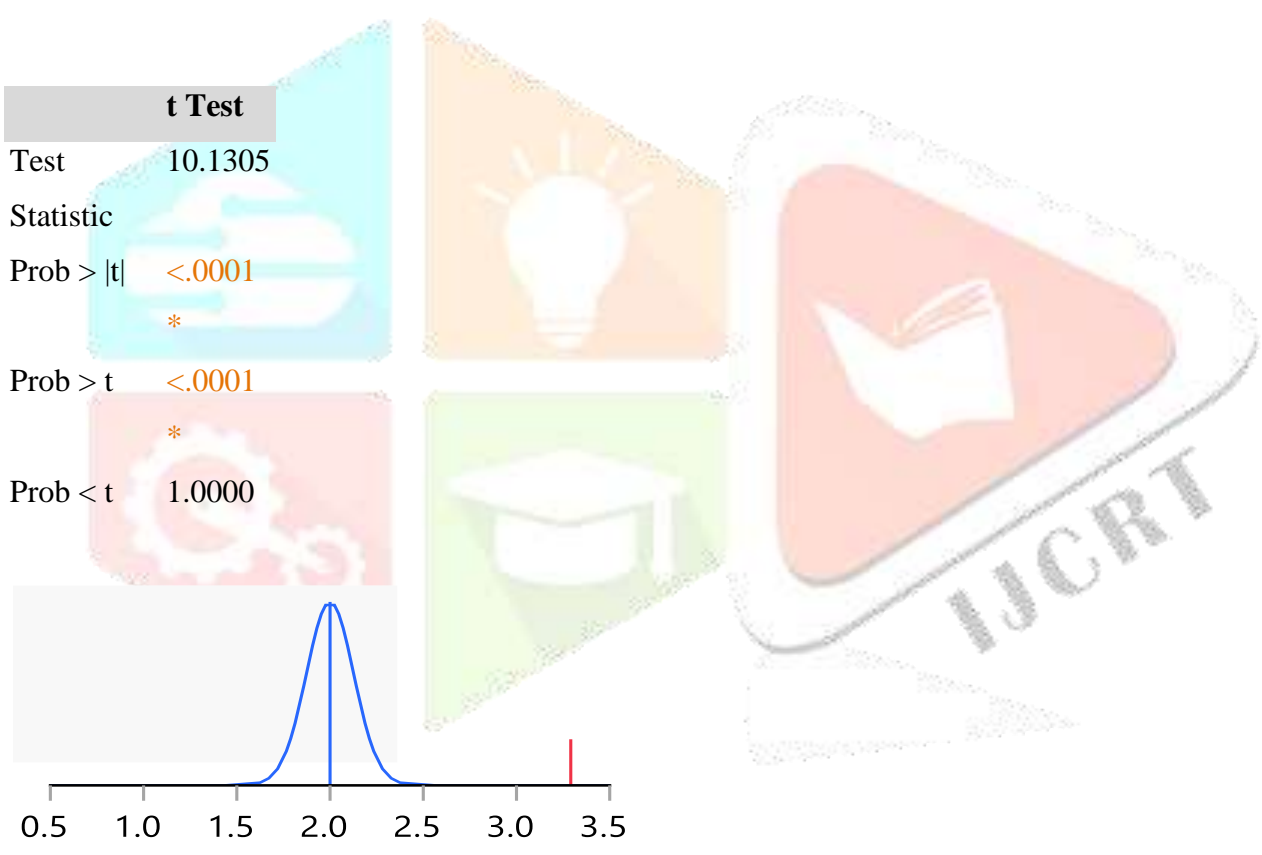
Summary Statistics

Mean	3.290909
	1
Std Dev	1.336471
	1
Std Err Mean	0.127427
	5
Upper 95%	3.543466
Mean	3

Lower 95% 3.038351
 Mean 9
 N 110
 N Missing 1048396

Test Mean

Hypothesized Value 2
 Actual Estimate 3.29091
 DF 109
 Std Dev 1.33647



Interpretation:

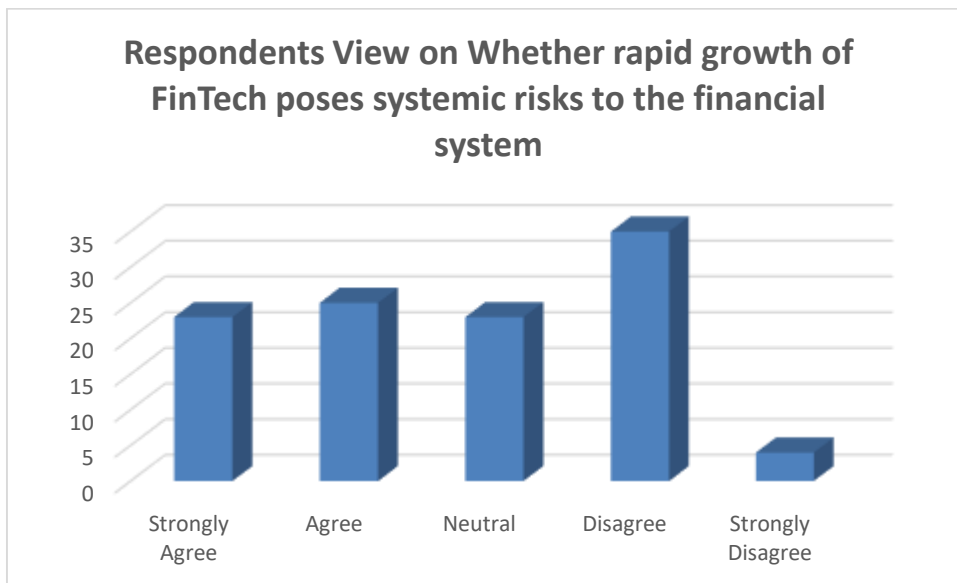
The summary statistics and test results indicate a significant difference in the mean value (3.2909091) compared to the hypothesized value (2) with a t-test statistic of 10.1305 and a p-value less than 0.0001. The t-test results suggest that there is strong evidence to reject the null hypothesis.

Table .4. E– Whether rapid growth of FinTech poses systemic risks to the financial system (S5)

Responses	Frequency	Percentage
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Strongly Agree	23	21%
Agree	25	23%
Neutral	23	21%
Disagree	35	32%
Strongly Disagree	4	3%
Total	110	100

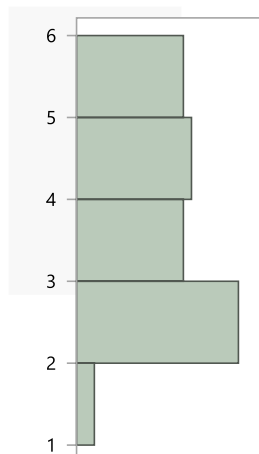
Chart- 4.4. E- Column chart representing Respondents View on Whether rapid growth of FinTech poses systemic risks to the financial system (S5)



Interpretation:

From the above Column chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 25 respondents Agreed with the above views, 23 respondents Strongly Agreed with the above views, 23 respondents Neutral with the above views, 4 respondents Strongly Disagreed with the above views and the majority 35 respondents Disagreed with the above statement views.

[I believe that the rapid growth of FinTech poses systemic risks to the financial system.]

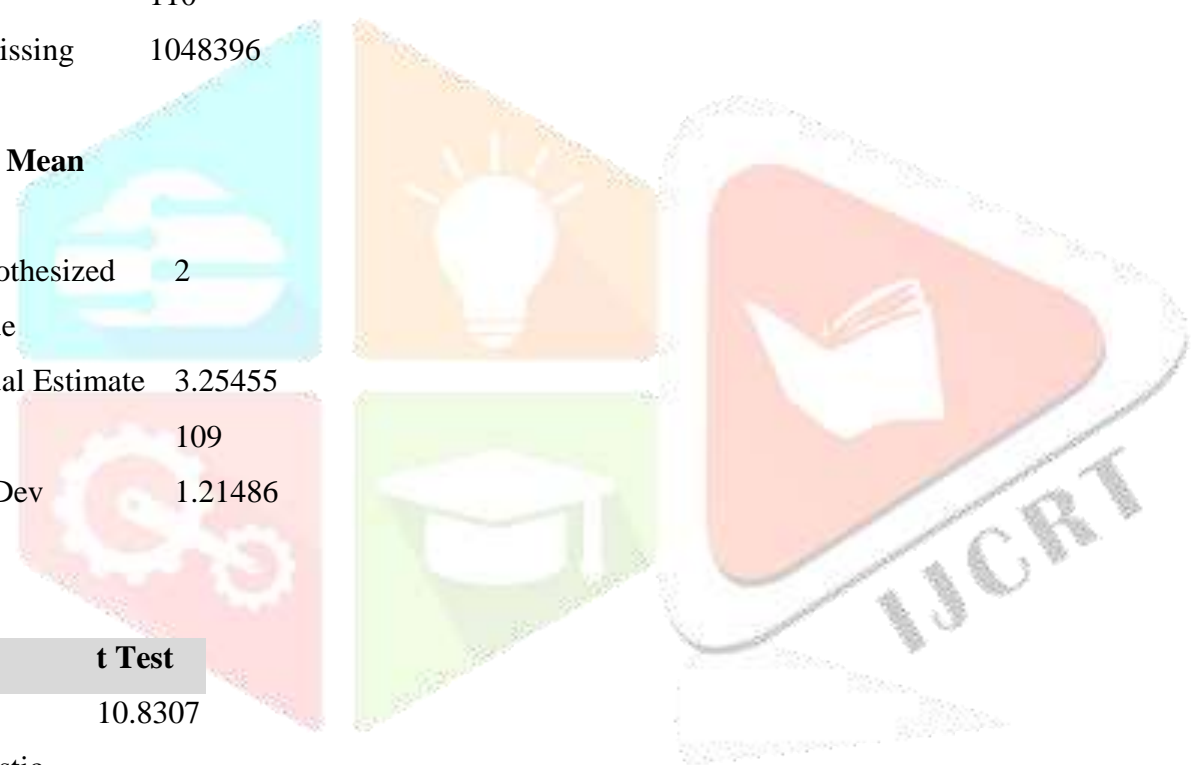


Summary Statistics

Mean	3.254545
	5
Std Dev	1.214864
	8
Std Err Mean	0.115832
	8
Upper 95%	3.484122
Mean	3
Lower 95%	3.024968
Mean	6
N	110
N Missing	1048396

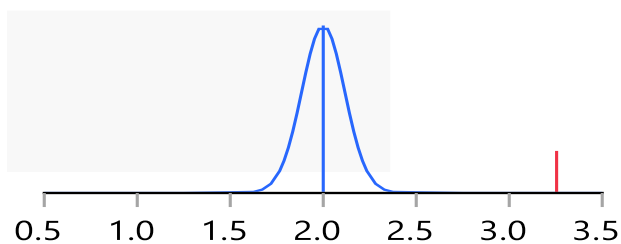
Test Mean

Hypothesized Value	2
Actual Estimate	3.25455
DF	109
Std Dev	1.21486



t Test

Test Statistic	10.8307
Prob > t	<.0001
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Prob > t	<.0001
	*
Prob < t	1.0000



Interpretation:

The summary statistics and test results indicate a significant difference in the mean value (3.2545455) compared to the hypothesized value (2) with a t-test statistic of 10.8307 and a p-value less than 0.0001. The t-test results suggest that there is strong evidence to reject the null hypothesis.

Overview

Overview Overall view of responses received in order to cater first objective was as follows –

Table No – 4.4.1 Descriptive Statistics of Security Implications and Risks Associated With Fintech

Particulars	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Mean
S1	27	35	19	18	11	3.35
S2	25	31	23	28	3	3.42
S3	20	37	21	23	9	3.32
S4	25	31	17	25	12	3.29
S5	23	25	23	35	4	3.25

Interpretation:

As per Table 4.4.1, the mean values are almost similar to each other and above 3.25. And in all the questions the percentage of agreement is more and is significant. The majority of the respondents have either stayed neutral or agreed to the given statements.

Hypothesis Testing:

H03-There is no significant difference in the perceived security implications and risks between traditional financial systems and FinTech

HA3-There is a significant difference in the perceived security implications and risks between traditional financial systems and FinTech

By conducting T test using JMP Software, the null hypothesis is rejected and the alternative hypothesis is accepted as the absolute value of the calculated t-statistic is larger than 0.0001.

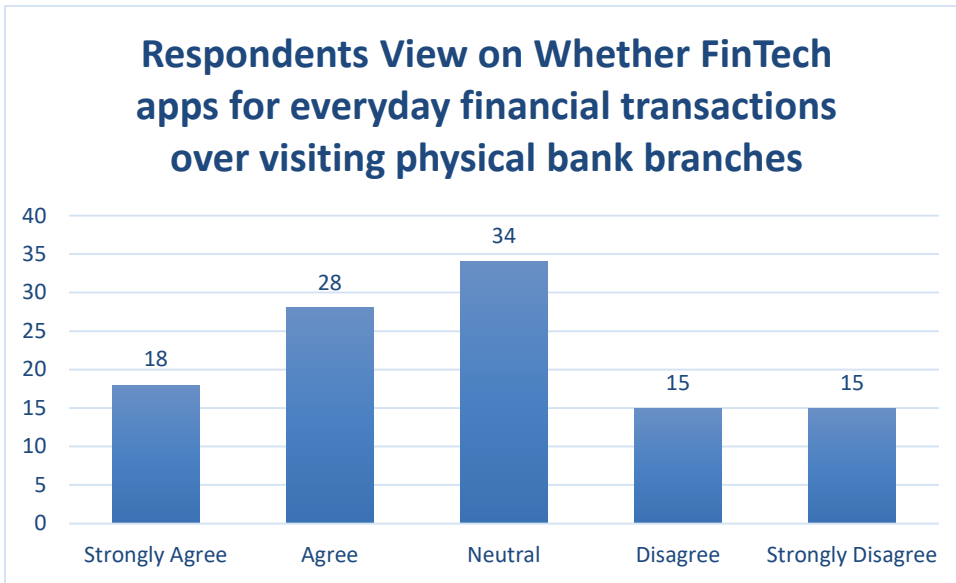
4.5 USER PREFERENCES AND ADOPTION PATTERNS OF FINTECH SERVICES IN URBAN BANGALORE

Table 4.5. A– Whether FinTech apps for everyday financial transactions over visiting physical bank branches (G1)

Responses	Frequency	Percentage
Strongly Agree	18	16%

Agree	28	25%
Neutral	34	31%
Disagree	15	14%
Strongly Disagree	15	14%
Total	110	100

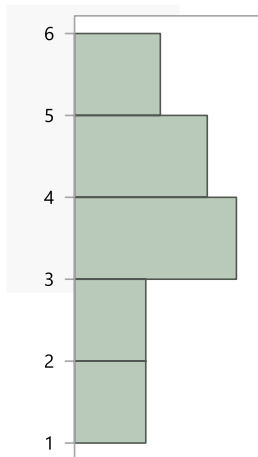
Chart- 4.5. A- Column chart representing Respondents View on Whether FinTech apps for everyday financial transactions over visiting physical bank branches (G1)



Interpretation:

From the above Column chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 28 respondents Agreed with the above views, 18 respondents Strongly Agreed with the above views, 15 respondents Disagreed with the above views, 15 respondents Strongly Disagreed with the above views and the majority 34 respondents Neutral with the above statement views.

[I prefer using FinTech apps for everyday financial transactions over visiting physical bank branches.]



Summary Statistics

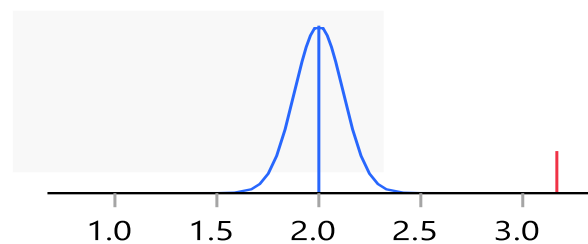
Mean	3.172727
	3
Std Dev	1.255147
	9
Std Err Mean	0.119673
	7
Upper 95%	3.409916
Mean	6
Lower 95%	2.935538
Mean	
N	110
N Missing	1048396

Test Mean

Hypothesized Value	2
Actual Estimate	3.17273
DF	109
Std Dev	1.25515

t Test

Test Statistic	9.7994
Prob > t	<.0001
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Prob < t	1.0000



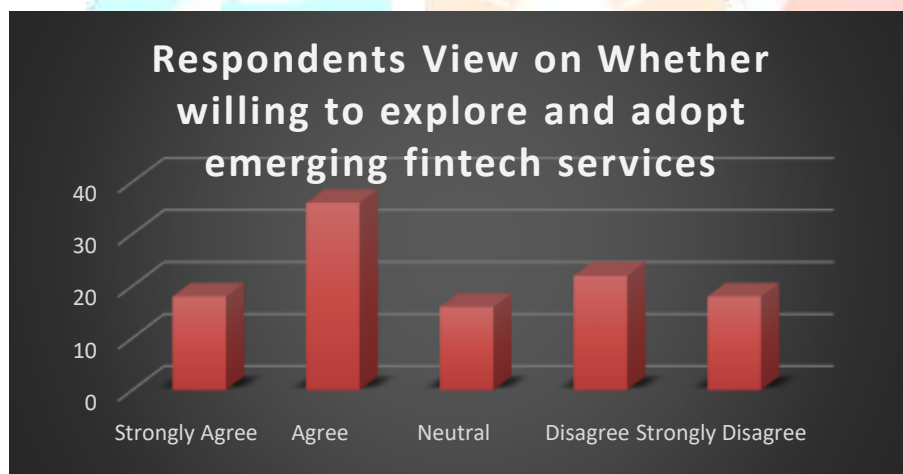
Interpretation:

The summary statistics and test results indicate a significant difference in the mean value (3.1727273) compared to the hypothesized value (2) with a t-test statistic of 9.7994 and a p-value less than 0.0001. The t-test results suggest that there is strong evidence to reject the null hypothesis.

Table 4.5. B– Whether willing to explore and adopt emerging fintech services (G2)

Responses	Frequency	Percentage
Strongly Agree	18	16%
Agree	36	33%
Neutral	16	15%
Disagree	22	20%
Strongly Disagree	18	16%
Total	110	100

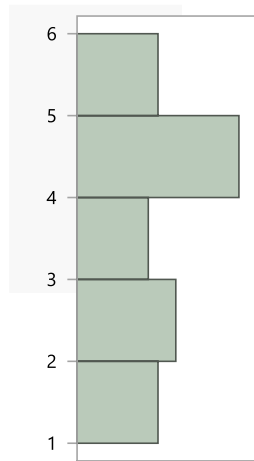
Chart- 4.5. B- Column chart representing Respondents View on Whether willing to explore and adopt emerging fintech services (G2)



Interpretation:

From the above Column chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 16 respondents Neutral with the above views, 18 respondents Strongly Agreed with the above views, 22 respondents Disagreed with the above views, 18 respondents Strongly Disagreed with the above views and the majority 36 respondents Agreed with the above statement views.

[I'm willing to explore and adopt emerging fintech services]



Summary Statistics

Mean	3.127272
Std Dev	1.355309
Std Err Mean	0.129223
Upper 95% Mean	3.383389
Lower 95% Mean	2.871155
N	110
N Missing	1048396



Test Mean

Hypothesized Value	2
Actual Estimate	3.12727
DF	109
Std Dev	1.35531

t Test	
Test Statistic	8.7234

t Test

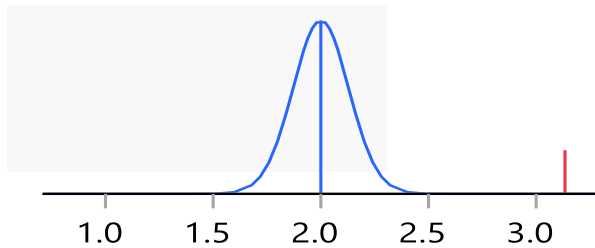
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**Interpretation:**

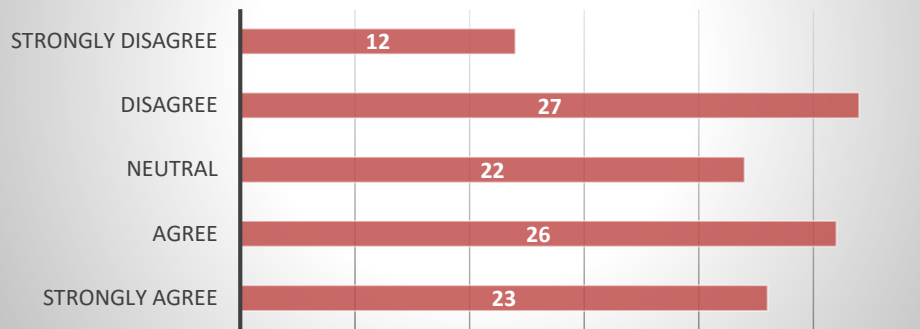
The summary statistics and test results indicate a significant difference in the mean value (3.1272727) compared to the hypothesized value (2) with a t-test statistic of 8.7234 and a p-value less than 0.0001. The t-test results suggest that there is strong evidence to reject the null hypothesis.

Table 4.5. C– Whether satisfied with the overall experience using FinTech services (G3)

Responses	Frequency	Percentage
Strongly Agree	23	16%
Agree	26	33%
Neutral	22	15%
Disagree	27	20%
Strongly Disagree	12	16%
Total	110	100

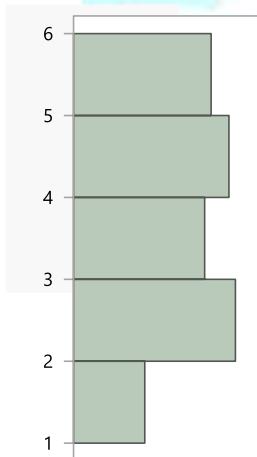
Chart- 4.5. C- Column chart representing Respondents View on Whether satisfied with the overall experience using FinTech services (G3)

Respondents View on Whether satisfied with the overall experience using FinTech services



Interpretation:

From the above Column chart analysis out of 110 respondents, 22 respondents Neutral with the above views, 23 respondents Strongly Agreed with the above views, 26 respondents Agreed with the above views, 12 respondents Strongly Disagreed with the above views and the majority 27 respondents Disagreed with the above statement views.



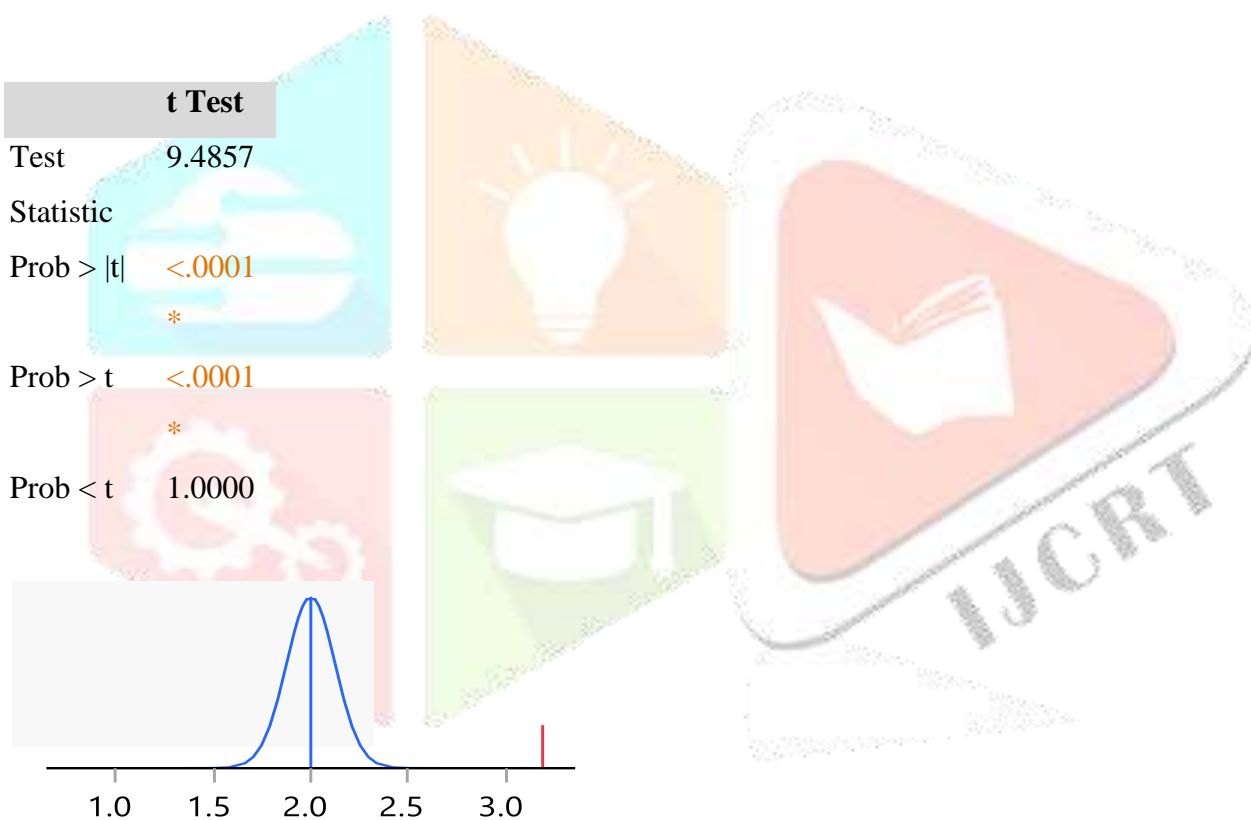
Summary Statistics

Mean	3.190909
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Std Dev	1.316761
	8
Std Err Mean	0.125548
	3
Upper 95%	3.439741
Mean	8

Lower	95%	2.942076
Mean		4
N		110
N Missing		1048396

Test Mean

Hypothesized		2
Value		
Actual Estimate		3.19091
DF		109
Std Dev		1.31676



Interpretation:

The summary statistics and test results indicate a significant difference in the mean value (3.1909091) compared to the hypothesized value (2) with a t-test statistic of 9.4857 and a p-value less than 0.0001. The t-test results suggest that there is strong evidence to reject the null hypothesis.

Overview:

Overview Overall view of responses received in order to cater first objective was as follows –

Table No – 4.5.1 Descriptive Statistics of User Preferences and Adoption Patterns Of Fintech Services In Urban Bangalore

Particulars	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Mean
Q1	18	28	34	15	15	3.17
Q2	18	36	16	22	18	3.12
Q3	23	26	22	27	12	3.19

Interpretation:

As per Table 4.5.1, the mean values are almost similar to each other and above 3.12. And in all the questions the percentage of agreement is more and is significant. The majority of the respondents have either stayed neutral or agreed to the given statements.

Hypothesis Testing:

H04-There is no significant difference in user preferences and adoption patterns of FinTech services between urban areas in Bangalore

HA4-There is a significant difference in user preferences and adoption patterns of FinTech services in urban areas of Bangalore

By conducting T test using JMP Software, the null hypothesis is rejected and the alternative hypothesis is accepted as the absolute value of the calculated t-statistic is larger than 0.0001

CHAPTER- 5: SUMMARY OF FINDINGS, SUGGESTIONS AND CONCLUSION

5.1 FINDINGS

1. More people may now obtain affordable financial services thanks to FinTech developments, which enables them to engage in the economy and may even help reduce poverty and promote economic growth.
2. Conventional banks and FinTech are collaborating to improve services via technology. FinTech contributes to financial inclusion by lowering costs and increasing convenience of banking—for example, by enabling mobile app usage in place of physical bank visits.
3. They are able to recognize the dangers and difficulties involved in implementing or funding FinTech solutions, as well as chances for investment, entrepreneurship, or career progression in the FinTech sector.
4. Bangalore The increased use of mobile payments and the growing interest in investment platforms indicate that urban people are becoming more inclined toward FinTech.
5. Consumers are more concerned about fraud than they are about cybersecurity developments and laws that are designed to reduce dangers.

5.2 SUGGESTIONS

1. Establishing avenues for feedback so FinTech consumers may express their issues and suggest improvements. This open channel of communication can help with the prompt settlement of customer complaints as well as real-time feedback to improve FinTech services.
2. In order to safeguard sensitive financial data and prevent cyberattacks, robust cybersecurity measures are required given the increasing reliance on digital platforms. Personnel training, industry standards compliance, and continuous expenditures in cybersecurity infrastructure are necessary to maintain trust and security in the financial sector.
3. In order for FinTech companies to take advantage of traditional financial institutions' technological know-how and agility, they need work together. Through collaborations, incumbents can stay relevant in a rapidly evolving environment by incorporating cutting-edge innovations into the current infrastructure.
4. Putting in place educational programs to improve business and consumer understanding of the benefits and drawbacks of fintech. This can help customers make informed decisions and encourage the growth of a more accountable and secure FinTech sector.

5.3 Conclusion

The financial and banking industries are now centred around fintech. The integration of FinTech technology into their systems has allowed every bank to flourish in the modern era. FinTech and the financial sector are inextricably linked, highlighting a mutually beneficial partnership that fosters ongoing development and adjustment to the needs of the digital era. FinTech technologies have had a disruptive effect on the financial

ecosystem, as seen by increases in accessibility, efficiency, and creativity. It is critical to address the risks and problems that go along with the benefits, such as improved risk management and higher efficiency.

In order for FinTech to reach its full potential, cooperation is needed to manage regulatory complexity, bolster cybersecurity, encourage teamwork, and advance financial literacy. In order to adapt to the changing environment and foster equitable growth and development, the financial industry must embrace innovation while placing a high priority on consumer safety and security.

To sum in motion FinTech's development heralds a paradigm shift in the availability and administration of financial services. Many advantages it provides, such as increased accessibility and efficiency, but there are also drawbacks that need to be considered, like cybersecurity threats and unclear regulations. FinTech has the potential to promote sustainable and inclusive financial development through the combined efforts of its stakeholders, resulting in prosperity and economic progress for everybody.



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Questionnaire:



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Name

Your answer: _____

Gender

- Male
- Female

Age

- Less than 20 years
- 20 – 30 years
- 30 – 40 years
- 40 – 50 years
- 50 and above years

Occupation

- Student
- Employee
- Professional Service
- Others

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree

Fintech has resulted in disruption of traditional banking

I believe FinTech has influenced your investment approach compared to traditional methods



Fintech has resulted in Enhanced convenience

FinTech platforms offer better investment opportunities than traditional methods.

FinTech impacts regulations to ensure compliance and ease legal risk.

I'm familiar with automated financial advise tools

I find FinTech innovations have transformed the way financial services are carried.

FinTech has improved the efficiency and effectiveness of financial transactions and services.

I'm confident on the security and reliability of fintech services

I find biometric authentication and multifactor authentication as most assuring for security measures

I trust that FinTech companies provide adequate customer support to address any issues or concerns

I find sensitive data encryption as most assuring for security measures

I believe that the rapid growth of FinTech poses systemic risks to the financial system.

I prefer using FinTech apps for everyday financial transactions over visiting physical bank branches.

I'm willing to explore and adopt emerging fintech services

I am satisfied with my overall experience using FinTech services.

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