

Review of: "Sociosexuality Expanded: The Role of Light and Dark Personality Traits"

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The strength of the study is that it not only considers the influence of the Dark Triad, but also the influence of the Light Triad. Nonetheless I think the study could be improved in several ways:

1. Theoretical considerations guiding the empirical analysis and helping interpret the results are missing. The basic question is: Why do have specific personality traits an influence on sociosexuality? Which transmission mechanisms drive the associations?
2. I am missing variables for the Big Five. As Big Five traits are correlated with the personality variables used in the study, we cannot be sure results can be interpreted as causal. There might be a severe omitted variable bias.
3. Is the small sample of students representative?
4. The regressions only include the personality variables. Background characteristics such as gender, age or sexual orientation are not controlled for even though the respective information is available.