

## FIT3152 Assignment1

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1(a)

```
#Instal necessary packages(dplyr, ggplot2)
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```
install.packages("dplyr");
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```
install.packages("ggplot2");
```

```
#import libraries
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```
library(dplyr);
```

```
library(ggplot2);
```

```
#to make output reproducibile
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```
set.seed(31240291)
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```
#set working directory
```

```
setwd("C:/Users/DavidL/OneDrive/CS/FIT3152/A1")
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```
#read csv file
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```
covid <- read.csv("PsyCoronaBaselineExtract.csv", header =T)
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```
#randomly sample 40000 rows of data
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```
covid<-covid[sample(nrow(covid),40000),]
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#structure of data (The codes and results are pasted together)
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```
> str(covid)
'data.frame':      40000 obs. of  54 variables:
 $ affAnx      : int  2 3 2 5 3 2 2 4 4 3 ...
 $ affBor      : int  2 2 4 4 2 5 3 3 2 3 ...
 $ affCalm     : int  2 1 2 3 4 4 1 2 2 2 ...
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$ affContent      : int 2 1 NA 3 3 1 4 2 3 2 ...
$ affDepr        : int 2 1 NA 4 1 1 2 4 3 2 ...
$ affEnerg       : int 2 1 2 3 2 2 1 2 3 2 ...
$ affExc         : int 2 1 3 3 3 1 2 2 2 1 ...
$ affNerv        : int 2 3 4 3 2 1 1 3 4 2 ...
$ affExh         : int 2 2 NA 4 2 2 4 3 3 1 ...
$ affInsp        : int 2 1 3 3 4 2 3 2 3 2 ...
$ affRel         : int 2 1 NA 3 3 4 2 2 3 2 ...
$ PLRAC19        : int 1 4 7 4 2 2 2 4 6 4 ...
$ PLRAEco        : int 2 5 7 6 4 2 2 5 8 5 ...
$ disc01         : int 0 1 2 1 -1 0 -1 2 2 1 ...
$ disc02         : int 0 1 1 1 0 1 0 2 2 1 ...
$ disc03         : int 0 -1 -2 -1 1 0 -2 -2 0 -1 ...
$ jbInsec01      : int 0 -1 1 2 -1 -1 2 -2 1 -1 ...
$ jbInsec02      : int -1 1 -1 -2 -2 1 NA 2 0 2 ...
$ jbInsec03      : int -1 1 2 2 -1 -1 -1 1 2 -1 ...
$ jbInsec04      : int 0 -2 2 2 NA -1 -1 -1 -2 -1 ...
$ employstatus_1 : int NA NA NA NA NA 1 NA NA NA 1 ...
$ employstatus_2 : int 1 1 NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
$ employstatus_3 : int NA NA NA NA NA 1 NA NA 1 1 NA ...
$ employstatus_4 : int NA NA 1 1 NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
$ employstatus_5 : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
$ employstatus_6 : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
$ employstatus_7 : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
$ employstatus_8 : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
$ employstatus_9 : int NA NA NA 1 NA 1 1 NA NA NA ...
$ employstatus_10: int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
$ PFS01          : int 0 -1 2 1 -1 -1 -1 2 2 -1 ...
$ PFS02          : int 0 1 2 1 0 -1 NA 2 2 -1 ...
$ PFS03          : int 0 -1 2 1 -2 -1 NA 2 1 -1 ...
$ fail01         : int 0 -1 2 0 -1 -2 NA 0 -2 -1 ...
$ fail02         : int 0 1 2 0 -2 -2 NA 0 2 -1 ...
$ fail03         : int -1 -1 2 1 -1 -2 NA 1 2 -1 ...
$ happy          : int 6 8 2 3 8 8 2 7 8 7 ...
$ lifeSat        : int 3 5 2 3 5 5 1 4 5 5 ...
$ MLQ           : int 0 2 -1 -1 2 2 -2 1 2 1 ...
$ c19NormShould : int -1 3 3 2 2 3 -3 3 3 2 ...
$ c19NormDo      : int 0 3 2 -1 2 2 -2 2 -1 1 ...
$ c19IsStrict    : int 4 3 1 3 5 6 4 4 6 5 ...
$ c19IsPunish    : int 3 2 1 4 6 4 6 4 1 2 ...
$ c19IsOrg       : int 3 5 1 4 5 6 6 5 2 4 ...
$ trustGovCtry   : int 4 NA 1 3 NA NA 3 3 2 3 ...
$ trustGovState  : int 4 NA 3 2 NA NA 3 3 2 3 ...
$ gender         : int 1 3 1 1 2 1 2 2 2 1 ...
$ age           : int 5 2 3 1 2 1 1 3 3 5 ...
$ edu           : int 3 6 5 4 4 4 NA 5 4 5 ...
$ coded_country  : chr "Turkey" "United States of America" "Turkey" "Romania" ...
$ c19ProSo01     : int 1 2 2 0 2 1 -3 1 -2 2 ...
$ c19ProSo02     : int -2 2 -2 0 0 -1 -3 1 1 2 ...
$ c19ProSo03     : int 1 2 -1 2 1 2 -2 1 -2 2 ...
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$ c19ProSo04 : int 0 2 1 2 2 2 -1 1 3 2 ...
```

This data is a long format consisting of 40000 rows and 54 columns, and there is an only one character type variable (text attribute) named coded\_country.

The rest are all integer data type, and each has multiple categorical variables.

There are a lot of NAs (missing values) in multiple columns.

#Number of unique countries

```
unique(covid$coded_country)
[1] "Turkey" "United States of America" "Romania" "China"
[6] "Thailand" "Argentina" "Greece" "Kosovo" "Hungary"
[11] "Malaysia" "Republic of Serbia" "Spain" "Hong Kong S.A.R."
[16] "Japan" "Pakistan" "France" "Taiwan"
[21] "Philippines" "South Korea" "Netherlands" "Australia"
[26] "Tunisia" "Egypt" "Indonesia" "Italy"
[31] "United Kingdom" "South Africa" "Singapore" "Ukraine"
[36] "Saudi Arabia" "Brazil" "Poland" "Croatia"
[41] "Israel" "Cyprus" "Iran" "United Arab Emirates"
[46] "Vietnam" "Chile" "Jamaica" "Morocco"
[51] "Bangladesh" "Colombia" "India" "Palestine"
[56] "Austria" "Nigeria" "Venezuela" "Albania"
[61] "Mongolia" "Sweden" "Belgium" "Mexico"
[66] "Lebanon" "Portugal" "Iraq" "Trinidad and Tobago"
[71] "Mali" "Ireland" "New Zealand" "El Salvador"
[76] "Dominican Republic" "Slovakia" "Moldova" "Slovenia"
[81] "Estonia" "Czech Republic" "Costa Rica" "Montenegro"
[86] "Iceland" "Kuwait" "Malta" "Bahrain"
[91] "Myanmar" "Uruguay" "Uzbekistan" "Kyrgyzstan"
"Guatemala" "Bulgaria"
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[96] "Georgia"	"Latvia"	"Lithuania"	"Kenya"
"Benin"			
[101] "Oman"	"Belarus"	"Nepal"	"Andorra"
"United Republic of Tanzania"			
[106] "Qatar"	"Brunei"	"Cambodia"	"Panama"
"Armenia"			

Boxplot to view the data range of one example from each concept

```
> #set arrangement of plot
> par(mfrow=c(1,1))
> #select one example from each concept
> cod_imp <- covid %>%
+   select(affInsp, PLRAC19, disc02, jbInsec02, employstatus_10,
+         PFS01, fail02, lifeSat, c19NormShould, trustGovState, edu,
+         gender, age, c19ProSo01, c19ProSo02, c19ProSo03, c19ProSo04)
> #boxplotting with text on x-axis in specific orientation
> boxplot(cod_imp, las =2)
> #title of boxplot
> title("Boxplot of viewing value range one example from each concept")
```

**Boxplot of viewing value range one example from each concept**

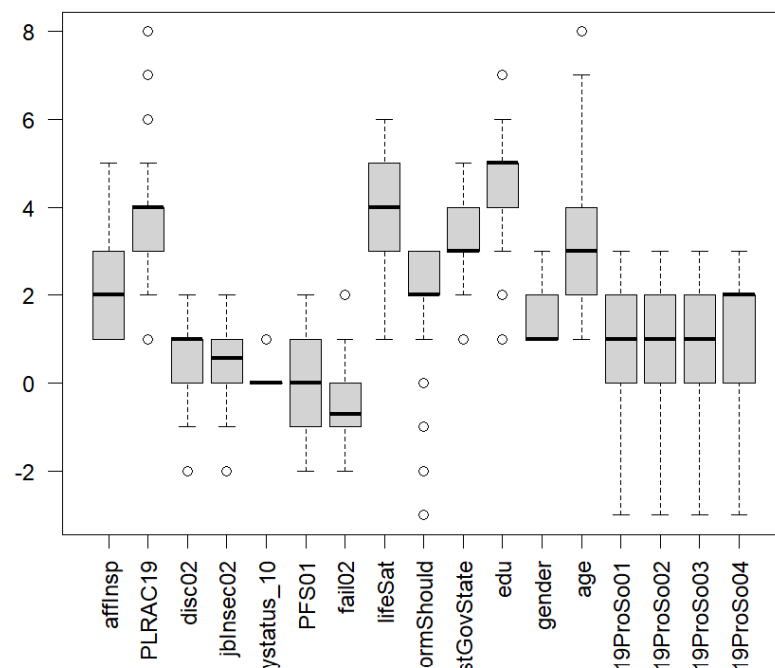


Figure 1.1.1 Boxplot of viewing data range

All the data range of the predictors and response variables in this dataset is from -4 to 8.

There are 111 unique countries

#Summary of dataset

```
> summary(covid)
  affAnx      affBor      affCalm      affContent      affDepr      affEnerg      affExc
Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000
1st Qu.:2.000 1st Qu.:2.000 1st Qu.:2.000 1st Qu.:2.000 1st Qu.:1.000 1st Qu.:2.000 1st Qu.:1.000
Median :3.000 Median :3.000 Median :3.000 Median :3.000 Median :2.000 Median :3.000 Median :2.000
Mean :2.717 Mean :2.707 Mean :2.924 Mean :2.682 Mean :2.237 Mean :2.578 Mean :2.146
3rd Qu.:4.000 3rd Qu.:4.000 3rd Qu.:4.000 3rd Qu.:3.000 3rd Qu.:3.000 3rd Qu.:3.000 3rd Qu.:3.000
Max. :5.000 Max. :5.000 Max. :5.000 Max. :5.000 Max. :5.000 Max. :5.000 Max. :5.000
NA's :533 NA's :538 NA's :545 NA's :636 NA's :629 NA's :668 NA's :715
  affNerv      affExh      affInsp      affRel      PLRAC19      PLRAEco
disc01
Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.00 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000
1st Qu.:2.000 1st Qu.:1.000 1st Qu.:1.00 1st Qu.:2.000 1st Qu.:3.000 1st Qu.:3.000 1st Qu.:3.000
Median :2.000 Median :2.000 Median :2.00 Median :3.000 Median :4.000 Median :4.000 Median :4.000
Mean :2.584 Mean :2.502 Mean :2.44 Mean :2.735 Mean :3.547 Mean :4.397 Mean :4.397
3rd Qu.:4.000 3rd Qu.:3.000 3rd Qu.:3.00 3rd Qu.:4.000 3rd Qu.:4.000 3rd Qu.:4.000 3rd Qu.:4.000
Max. :5.000 Max. :5.000 Max. :5.00 Max. :5.000 Max. :8.000 Max. :8.000 Max. :8.000
NA's :578 NA's :670 NA's :694 NA's :618 NA's :147 NA's :155 NA's :135
  disc02      disc03      jbInsec01      jbInsec02      jbInsec03      jbInsec04
employstatus_1
Min. :-2.000 Min. :-2.0000 Min. :-2.000 Min. :-2.000 Min. :-2.000 Min. :-2.000 Min. :-2.000
1st Qu.:1.000 1st Qu.:1.000 1st Qu.:1.000 1st Qu.:1.000 1st Qu.:1.000 1st Qu.:1.000 1st Qu.:1.000
Median :1.000 Median :1.000 Median :1.000 Median :1.000 Median :1.000 Median :1.000 Median :1.000
Mean :1.000 Mean :1.000 Mean :1.000 Mean :1.000 Mean :1.000 Mean :1.000 Mean :1.000
3rd Qu.:1.000 3rd Qu.:1.000 3rd Qu.:1.000 3rd Qu.:1.000 3rd Qu.:1.000 3rd Qu.:1.000 3rd Qu.:1.000
Max. :1.000 Max. :1.000 Max. :1.000 Max. :1.000 Max. :1.000 Max. :1.000 Max. :1.000
NA's :0 NA's :0 NA's :0 NA's :0 NA's :0 NA's :0 NA's :0
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1st Qu.: 0.000	1st Qu.: -1.0000	1st Qu.: -2.000	1st Qu.: 0.000	1st Qu.: -1.000	1st Qu.: -2.000	1st Qu.: 1
Median : 1.000	Median : 0.0000	Median : -1.000	Median : 1.000	Median : 0.000	Median : -2.000	Median : 1
Mean : 0.838	Mean : -0.4084	Mean : -0.599	Mean : 0.565	Mean : 0.059	Mean : -0.987	Mean : 1
3rd Qu.: 1.000	3rd Qu.: 0.0000	3rd Qu.: 0.000	3rd Qu.: 1.000	3rd Qu.: 1.000	3rd Qu.: 0.000	3rd Qu.: 1
Max. : 2.000	Max. : 2.0000	Max. : 2.000	Max. : 2.000	Max. : 2.000	Max. : 2.000	Max. : 1
NA's :133	NA's :134	NA's :11061	NA's :9971	NA's :8492	NA's :13078	NA's :34387
employstatus_2	employstatus_3	employstatus_4	employstatus_5	employstatus_6	employstatus_7	employstatus_8
Min. :1	Min. :1	Min. :1	Min. :1	Min. :1	Min. :1	Min. :1
1st Qu.:1	1st Qu.:1	1st Qu.:1	1st Qu.:1	1st Qu.:1	1st Qu.:1	1st Qu.:1
Median :1	Median :1	Median :1	Median :1	Median :1	Median :1	Median :1
Mean :1	Mean :1	Mean :1	Mean :1	Mean :1	Mean :1	Mean :1
3rd Qu.:1	3rd Qu.:1	3rd Qu.:1	3rd Qu.:1	3rd Qu.:1	3rd Qu.:1	3rd Qu.:1
Max. :1	Max. :1	Max. :1	Max. :1	Max. :1	Max. :1	Max. :1
NA's :33279	NA's :29113	NA's :36517	NA's :37977	NA's :36897	NA's :36379	NA's :39243
employstatus_9	employstatus_10	PFS01	PFS02	PFS03	fail01	
Min. :1	Min. :1	Min. : -2.00000	Min. : -2.0000	Min. : -2.000	Min. : -2.00000	
1st Qu.:1	1st Qu.:1	1st Qu.: -1.00000	1st Qu.: 0.0000	1st Qu.: -1.000	1st Qu.: -1.00000	
Median :1	Median :1	Median : 0.00000	Median : 1.0000	Median : 0.000	Median : 0.00000	
Mean :1	Mean :1	Mean : -0.03258	Mean : 0.5704	Mean : -0.254	Mean : -0.06322	
3rd Qu.:1	3rd Qu.:1	3rd Qu.: 1.00000	3rd Qu.: 1.0000	3rd Qu.: 1.000	3rd Qu.: 1.00000	
Max. :1	Max. :1	Max. : 2.00000	Max. : 2.0000	Max. : 2.000	Max. : 2.00000	
NA's :31813	NA's :39049	NA's :162	NA's :143	NA's :143	NA's :138	
fail02	fail03	happy	lifeSat	MLQ	c19NormShould	c19NormDo
Min. : -2.0000	Min. : -2.0000	Min. : 1.000	Min. : 1.000	Min. : -3.0000	Min. : -3.000	Min. : -3.0
1st Qu.: -1.0000	1st Qu.: 0.0000	1st Qu.: 5.000	1st Qu.: 3.000	1st Qu.: 0.0000	1st Qu.: 2.000	1st Qu.: 1.0

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Median :-1.0000 Median : 1.0000 Median : 7.000 Median :4.000 Median : 1.000
0 Median : 2.000 Median : 2.0
Mean :-0.4126 Mean : 0.3537 Mean : 6.341 Mean :4.147 Mean : 0.8517
Mean : 2.004 Mean : 1.3
3rd Qu.: 0.0000 3rd Qu.: 1.0000 3rd Qu.: 8.000 3rd Qu.:5.000 3rd Qu.: 2.0000
3rd Qu.: 3.000 3rd Qu.: 2.0
Max. : 2.0000 Max. : 2.0000 Max. :10.000 Max. :6.000 Max. : 3.0000 M
ax. : 3.000 Max. : 3.0
NA's :142 NA's :131 NA's :516 NA's :118 NA's :122 NA's :1
40 NA's :135
c19IsStrict c19IsPunish c19IsOrg trustGovCtry trustGovState gender
age
Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.00 Min. :1.00
0 Min. :1.000
1st Qu.:3.000 1st Qu.:2.000 1st Qu.:3.000 1st Qu.:2.000 1st Qu.:2.00 1st Qu.:1.
000 1st Qu.:2.000
Median :4.000 Median :4.000 Median :4.000 Median :3.000 Median :3.00 Med
ian :1.000 Median :3.000
Mean :4.117 Mean :3.496 Mean :3.896 Mean :3.013 Mean :3.08 Mean :
1.387 Mean :2.894
3rd Qu.:5.000 3rd Qu.:5.000 3rd Qu.:5.000 3rd Qu.:4.000 3rd Qu.:4.00 3rd Q
u.:2.000 3rd Qu.:4.000
Max. :6.000 Max. :6.000 Max. :6.000 Max. :5.000 Max. :5.00 Max. :3.
000 Max. :8.000
NA's :161 NA's :166 NA's :158 NA's :9330 NA's :9416 NA's :223
NA's :247
edu coded_country c19ProSo01 c19ProSo02 c19ProSo03 c1
9ProSo04
Min. :1.000 Length:40000 Min. : -3.0000 Min. : -3.0000 Min. : -3.000 Mi
n. : -3.000
1st Qu.:4.000 Class :character 1st Qu.: 0.0000 1st Qu.: 0.0000 1st Qu.: 0.000 1
st Qu.: 0.000
Median :5.000 Mode :character Median : 1.0000 Median : 1.0000 Median : 1.00
0 Median : 2.000
Mean :4.409 Mean : 0.9735 Mean : 0.6797 Mean : 0.544 Mean
: 1.283
3rd Qu.:5.000 3rd Qu.: 2.0000 3rd Qu.: 2.0000 3rd Qu.: 2.000 3rd Q
u.: 2.000
Max. :7.000 Max. : 3.0000 Max. : 3.0000 Max. : 3.000 Max. :
3.000
NA's :280 NA's :128 NA's :135 NA's :149 NA's :156

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For the concepts of Affect (affAnx, affBor, affCalm, affContent, affDepr, affEnerg, affExc, affNerv, affExh, affInsp, and affRel), the range is from 1 (minimum) to 5 (maximum), with means ranging from 2.151 to 2.928

#and medians ranging from 2 to 3.

For the concept of Likelihood (PLRAC19 and PLRAEco), the range is from 1 (minimum) to 8 (maximum), with means of 3.554 and 4.402 and medians of 4 for both.

For the concepts of Social Discontent (disc01, disc02, and disc03), the range is from -2 (minimum) to 2 (maximum), with means ranging from -0.4027 to 0.8355 and medians of 1 for all.

For the concept of Job Insecurity (jbInsec01, jbInsec02, jbInsec03, and jbInsec04), the range is from -2 (minimum) to 2 (maximum), with means ranging from -0.982 to 0.56 and medians ranging from -2 to 0. For the concept of Employment Status (employstatus\_1 to employstatus\_10), all values are 1 and there are no missing values.

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For the concepts of Perceived Financial Strain (PFS01, PFS02, and PFS03), the range is from -2 (minimum) to 2 (maximum), with means ranging from -0.2513 to 0.5716 and medians ranging from 0 to 1.

For the concept of Disempowerment (fail01, fail02, and fail03), the range is from -2 (minimum) to 2 (maximum), with means ranging from -0.4099 to 0.3569 and medians ranging from -1 to 1.

For the variable of Happy, the range is from 1 (minimum) to 10 (maximum), with a mean of 6.333 and a median of 7.



For the variable of Life Satisfaction (lifeSat), the range is from 1 (minimum) to 6 (maximum), with a mean of 4.139 and a median of 4.

For the concept of MLQ, the range is from -3 (minimum) to 3 (maximum), with a mean of 0.8434 and a median of 1.

For the concepts of Corona Community Injunctive norms (c19NormShould and c19NormDo), the range is from -3 (minimum) to 3 (maximum), with means of 2.002 and 1.298 and medians of 2 for both.

For the concepts of Corona Community Injunctive norms (c19IsStrict, c19IsPunish, and c19IsOrg), the range is from 1 (minimum) to 6 (maximum), with means ranging from 3.499 to 4.121 and medians of 4 for all.

For the concepts of Trust in Government Country (trustGovCtry and trustGovState), the range is from 1 (minimum) to 5 (maximum), with means of 3.02 and 3.083 and medians of 3 for both.

For the concept of Gender, the range is from 1 (minimum) to 3 (maximum), with a mean of 1.389 and a median of 1.

For the concept of Age, the range is from 1 (minimum) to 8 (maximum), with a mean of 2.895 and a median of 3.

For the concept of Education (edu), the range is from 1 (minimum) to 7 (maximum), with a mean of 4.403 and a median of 5.

For the concept of Coded Country (coded\_country), it is a character variable with a length of 40000.

For the concepts of Covid-19 Pro-Social Behavior (c19ProSo01, c19ProSo02, and c19ProSo03), the range is from -3 (minimum) to 3 (maximum), with means ranging from 0.5434 to 0.9681 and medians of 1 for all.

1(b)

```
> #Cleaning out all NAs
> #replace NA with 0 in binary categorical variables, employment status variavles
> covid[,21:30] <- lapply(covid[,21:30], function(x) {x[is.na(x)] <- 0;x})
> # x is the column, treat x as a vector and us is.na to find NA,
> #then replace NA with 0, last x to return the result.
> #replace NA with columns(all before coded_country) corresponding mean values
> covid[,1:(ncol(covid)-5)] <- lapply(covid[,1:(ncol(covid)-5)], function(x)
+   {x[is.na(x)] <- mean(x, na.rm = TRUE); x})
> #replace NA with column (after coded_country) corresponding mean values
> covid[, (ncol(covid)-3):ncol(covid)] <- lapply(covid[, (ncol(covid)-3):ncol(covid)]
+   , function(x) {x[is.na(x)] <- mean(x, na.rm = TRUE);
x})
> str(covid)
'data.frame':      40000 obs. of  54 variables:
 $ affAnx      : num  2 3 2 5 3 2 2 4 4 3 ...
 $ affBor      : num  2 2 4 4 2 5 3 3 2 3 ...
 $ affCalm     : num  2 1 2 3 4 4 1 2 2 2 ...
 $ affContent  : num  2 1 2.68 3 3 ...
 $ affDepr     : num  2 1 2.24 4 1 ...
 $ affEnerg    : num  2 1 2 3 2 2 1 2 3 2 ...
 $ affExc      : num  2 1 3 3 3 1 2 2 2 1 ...
 $ affNerv     : num  2 3 4 3 2 1 1 3 4 2 ...
 $ affExh      : num  2 2 2.5 4 2 ...
 $ affInsp     : num  2 1 3 3 4 2 3 2 3 2 ...
 $ affRel      : num  2 1 2.73 3 3 ...
 $ PLRAC19     : num  1 4 7 4 2 2 2 4 6 4 ...
 $ PLRAEco     : num  2 5 7 6 4 2 2 5 8 5 ...
 $ disc01      : num  0 1 2 1 -1 0 -1 2 2 1 ...
 $ disc02      : num  0 1 1 1 0 1 0 2 2 1 ...
 $ disc03      : num  0 -1 -2 -1 1 0 -2 -2 0 -1 ...
 $ jbInsec01   : num  0 -1 1 2 -1 -1 2 -2 1 -1 ...
 $ jbInsec02   : num  -1 1 -1 -2 -2 ...
 $ jbInsec03   : num  -1 1 2 2 -1 -1 -1 1 2 -1 ...
 $ jbInsec04   : num  0 -2 2 2 -0.987 ...
 $ employstatus_1 : num  0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 ...
 $ employstatus_2 : num  1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
 $ employstatus_3 : num  0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 1 0 ...
 $ employstatus_4 : num  0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
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$ employstatus_5 : num 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
$ employstatus_6 : num 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
$ employstatus_7 : num 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
$ employstatus_8 : num 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
$ employstatus_9 : num 0 0 0 1 0 1 1 0 0 0 ...
$ employstatus_10: num 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
$ PFS01          : num 0 -1 2 1 -1 -1 -1 2 2 -1 ...
$ PFS02          : num 0 1 2 1 0 ...
$ PFS03          : num 0 -1 2 1 -2 ...
$ fail01         : num 0 -1 2 0 -1 ...
$ fail02         : num 0 1 2 0 -2 ...
$ fail03         : num -1 -1 2 1 -1 ...
$ happy          : num 6 8 2 3 8 8 2 7 8 7 ...
$ lifeSat        : num 3 5 2 3 5 5 1 4 5 5 ...
$ MLQ           : num 0 2 -1 -1 2 2 -2 1 2 1 ...
$ c19NormShould  : num -1 3 3 2 2 3 -3 3 3 2 ...
$ c19NormDo      : num 0 3 2 -1 2 2 -2 2 -1 1 ...
$ c19IsStrict    : num 4 3 1 3 5 6 4 4 6 5 ...
$ c19IsPunish    : num 3 2 1 4 6 4 6 4 1 2 ...
$ c19IsOrg       : num 3 5 1 4 5 6 6 5 2 4 ...
$ trustGovCtry   : num 4 3.01 1 3 3.01 ...
$ trustGovState  : num 4 3.08 3 2 3.08 ...
$ gender         : num 1 3 1 1 2 1 2 2 2 1 ...
$ age           : num 5 2 3 1 2 1 1 3 3 5 ...
$ edu           : num 3 6 5 4 4 ...
$ coded_country  : chr "Turkey" "United States of America" "Turkey" "Romania" ...
$ c19ProSo01     : num 1 2 2 0 2 1 -3 1 -2 2 ...
$ c19ProSo02     : num -2 2 -2 0 0 -1 -3 1 1 2 ...
$ c19ProSo03     : num 1 2 -1 2 1 2 -2 1 -2 2 ...
$ c19ProSo04     : num 0 2 1 2 2 2 -1 1 3 2 ...

```

Since there are many NAs in the dataset, the `is.na` would be needed to replace them with mean of each column to have no effect to the dataset. However, for the binary categorical variables (concept of Employment Status (`employstatus_1` to `employstatus_10`)) should replace NA with 0, since there are only 0 & 1 (NA usually means 0)

As we have a focus country, it would be appropriate to group data from Germany as a standalone dataset, and rest of the country into one. So, it would be easier to compare between them.

2(a)

#Group Germany and Others as two individual groups and calculate their corresponding mean values of four participant response

```

> germany = covid %>% filter(coded_country == "Germany")
> others = covid %>% filter(coded_country != "Germany")
> #no need na.rm since ,NA values are cleared in previous procedures

```

```

> germany %>% group_by(coded_country)%>%
+ summarise(AC19PS1 = mean(c19ProSo01, na.rm=T), AC19PS2 = mean(c19ProSo02, na.rm=T),
+           AC19PS3 = mean(c19ProSo03, na.rm=T), AC19PS4 = mean(c19ProSo04, na.rm=T))
# A tibble: 1 x 5
  coded_country AC19PS1 AC19PS2 AC19PS3 AC19PS4
  <chr>         <dbl>  <dbl>  <dbl>  <dbl>
1 Germany      1.09  0.171  0.438  1.16
> others %>% group_by(coded_country != "Germany")%>%
+ summarise(AC19PS1 = mean(c19ProSo01, na.rm=T), AC19PS2 = mean(c19ProSo02, na.rm=T),
+           AC19PS3 = mean(c19ProSo03, na.rm=T), AC19PS4 = mean(c19ProSo04, na.rm=T))
# A tibble: 1 x 5
  `coded_country != "Germany"` AC19PS1 AC19PS2 AC19PS3 AC19PS4
  <lgl>                        <dbl>  <dbl>  <dbl>  <dbl>
1 TRUE                        0.965  0.689  0.552  1.29

```

On average, Germany only has higher value in c19ProSo01, the rest are lower than other countries as a group, especially much lower in terms of c19ProSo02 (Germany: 0.162, others: 0.689). Rest of the means in rest of the Response are: c19ProSo01 (Germany: 1.09, Others: 0.965), c19ProSo03 (Germany: 0.438, Others: 0.552), c19ProSo04 (Germany: 1.16, Others: 1.29)

#Result of t.test for Four Response

```

> #Germany vs Other Countries on c19ProSo Response
> #Make columns to be called by columns names without calling name of data frame
> attach(covid)

> #null hypothesis, Germany'C19ProSo Response = Other Countries' C19ProSo Response
> #alternative hypothesis: Germany'C19ProSo Response != Other Countries' C19ProSo
> t.test(c19ProSo01[coded_country == "Germany"], c19ProSo01[coded_country != "Germany"])
+       , "greater", conf.level = 0.95)

Welch Two Sample t-test

data: c19ProSo01[coded_country == "Germany"] and c19ProSo01[coded_country != "Germany"]
t = 2.8038, df = 1060.5, p-value = 0.002571
alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is greater than 0
95 percent confidence interval:
 0.05243358      Inf
sample estimates:

```

mean of x mean of y  
1.0924749 0.9654689

```
> t.test(c19ProSo02[coded_country == "Germany"], c19ProSo02[coded_country != "Germany"]  
+       , "less", conf.level = 0.95)
```

Welch Two Sample t-test

data: c19ProSo02[coded\_country == "Germany"] and c19ProSo02[coded\_country != "Germany"]

t = -9.5448, df = 1052.4, p-value < 2.2e-16  
alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is less than 0  
95 percent confidence interval:

-Inf -0.4281873

sample estimates:

mean of x mean of y  
0.1714944 0.6889297

```
> t.test(c19ProSo03[coded_country == "Germany"], c19ProSo03[coded_country != "Germany"]  
+       , "less", conf.level = 0.95)
```

Welch Two Sample t-test

data: c19ProSo03[coded\_country == "Germany"] and c19ProSo03[coded\_country != "Germany"]

t = -2.0376, df = 1050.8, p-value = 0.02092  
alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is less than 0  
95 percent confidence interval:

-Inf -0.02191975

sample estimates:

mean of x mean of y  
0.4379088 0.5520487

```
> t.test(c19ProSo04[coded_country == "Germany"], c19ProSo04[coded_country != "Germany"]  
+       , "less", conf.level = 0.95)
```

Welch Two Sample t-test

data: c19ProSo04[coded\_country == "Germany"] and c19ProSo04[coded\_country != "Germany"]

t = -2.3762, df = 1053.8, p-value = 0.008835  
alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is less than 0  
95 percent confidence interval:

-Inf -0.03743899

sample estimates:

mean of x mean of y  
1.163746 1.285630

To see whether this result of comparison is consistent by repeating the same experiment, the t.test is used to compare whether the true population mean within calculate hypothesis (95% of the time) of the Germany is greater than true population mean within calculate hypothesis (95% of the time) of the Others. (Other Response: Germany's less than Others)

Since the p-values of c19ProSo01:  $0.002571 < 0.05$ , c19ProSo02:  $2.2e-16 < 0.05$ , c19ProSo03:  $0.02092 < 0.05$ , c19ProSo04:  $0.02092 < 0.05$ , the null hypothesis is rejected and conclude there are significant differences, in terms of four responses, between Germany and Others. The difference between two groups is larger if the t-value is larger (c19ProSo01: 2.8038, c19ProSo02: -9.5448, c19ProSo03: -2.0376, c19ProSo04: -2.3762, signs: + greater, - less)

2(b)

#Fit all four response variables individually to all predictors and find out the important predictors for each response variable

#min\_p function to retrieve the best predictor with the smallest p-value for predicting different pro-social attitudes

```
> min_p <- function(p_va){
+ # find the index of the predictor with the smallest p-value
+ min_pvalue_index <- which.min(p_va[-1]) + 1
+
+ # get the name of the predictor with the smallest p-value
+ return(names(p_va)[min_pvalue_index])
+ }
> #All predictors for all four reponses for germany
> germany_p = germany[,1:(ncol(germany)-5)]
> #fit to linear model
> #Corona ProSocial Behavior 1 with its predictor
> PS1_fit_g = lm(formula = germany$c19ProSo01~., data = germany_p)
> pvalues_1 <- summary(PS1_fit_g)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_1[pvalues_1 < 0.05]#treat it as list
(Intercept)    PLRAC19    PFS02    fail02    fail03    happy    lifeSat
MLQ    c19NormDo
0.0015967803 0.0469865031 0.0079394365 0.0415586049 0.0260622391 0.0270
972707 0.0031738836 0.0240619134 0.0020953608
c19IsPunish    c19IsOrg trustGovState    edu
0.0375481300 0.0001610899 0.0090477281 0.0371546859
> min_p(pvalues_1)
[1] "c19IsOrg"
> #Corona ProSocial Behavioure 2 with its predictor
```

```

> PS2_fit_g = lm(formula = germany$c19ProSo02~., data = germany_p)
> pvalues_2 <- summary(PS2_fit_g)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_2[pvalues_2 < 0.05]#treat it as list
(Intercept)    disc03    fail01    MLQ    c19IsOrg trustGovState    gender
          edu
4.255898e-05 3.643425e-02 2.233895e-02 2.548528e-03 4.035174e-04 4.788259e-
-03 4.784323e-02 6.365128e-05
> min_p(pvalues_2)
[1] "edu"
> #Corona ProSocial Behavioure 3 with its predictor
> PS3_fit_g = lm(formula = germany$c19ProSo03~., data = germany_p)
> pvalues_3 <- summary(PS3_fit_g)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_3[pvalues_3 < 0.05]#treat it as list
(Intercept)    affBor    affExh    PLRAC19 employstatus_4 employstatus_9
    PFS02    happy
3.221317e-03 1.986326e-02 3.811159e-02 3.335246e-05 4.750683e-03 4.258
995e-02 6.726180e-03 5.937749e-03
    lifeSat    c19NormDo    c19IsOrg trustGovState    age    edu
5.087313e-03 1.494871e-03 1.785169e-02 3.966256e-03 2.258166e-03 4.940
743e-02
> min_p(pvalues_3)
[1] "PLRAC19"
> #Corona ProSocial Behavioure 4 with its predictor
> PS4_fit_g = lm(formula = germany$c19ProSo04~., data = germany_p)
> pvalues_4 <- summary(PS4_fit_g)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_4[pvalues_4 < 0.05]#treat it as list
    affBor    PLRAC19    disc03    jbInsec01    jbInsec03 employstatus_9
    fail03    happy
7.116053e-03 2.230207e-04 9.821026e-04 4.764195e-03 8.069568e-03 1.656
743e-02 3.779644e-02 3.996420e-02
    MLQ c19NormShould    c19NormDo    c19IsPunish trustGovState    gen
der    edu
3.833190e-02 1.416585e-07 1.714410e-03 3.165985e-02 2.386471e-02 1.857
328e-02 4.763298e-02
> min_p(pvalues_4)
[1] "c19NormShould"
> #the predictors that have p-values less than 0.05(enough to reject null hypothesis)
> #in all four fitted linear models
> pvalues_1[pvalues_1 < 0.05 & pvalues_2 < 0.05 & pvalues_3 < 0.05 & pvalues_4 <
0.05]
trustGovState    edu
0.009047728 0.037154686

```

Since there are multiple response variables, separating all predictors into germany\_p would improve the prediction on the response by avoiding inter-correlation between other responses with some of the predictors. The same reasons are applied to all the other dataset that are about be used to fit linear model in the rest of the report. From the results, most of the predictors have done a poor job of predicting pro-social attitudes for Germany, since their corresponding p-value is more or equal than the

0.05 which is not enough to reject the potential null hypothesis (the presence of predictor would not significantly improve the prediction on response variable). Apart from it, there are multiple predictors are important for pro-social attitudes individually.

For c19ProSo01, there are: PLRAC19, PFS02, fail02, fail03, happy, lifeSat, MLQ, c19NormDo c19IsPunish, c19IsOrg, trustGovState, edu. Best predictor: c19IsOrg

For c19ProSo02: disc03, fail01, MLQ, c19IsOrg trustGovState, gender, edu. Best predictor: "edu"

For c19ProSo03, there are: affBor, affExh, PLRAC19, employstatus\_4, employstatus\_9, PFS02, happy, lifeSat, c19NormDo, c19IsOr. Best predictor: "PLRAC19"

For c19ProSo04, there are: affBor, PLRAC19, disc03, jbInsec01, jbInsec03 employstatus\_9, fail03, happy, MLQ, c19NormShould, c19NormDo. Best predictor: "c19NormShould"

In common, trustGovState, edu are the important predictors common for all four pro-social attitudes.

Under consideration of all four pro-social attitudes as one, the trustGovState, edu are actually the best predictors overall as they all play important roles for all those reponse variables.

There are different best predictors for four pro-social attitudes if they are considered by them individually, which are the predictors that have smallest p-values (like c19NormShould which has p-value: 1.415e-7

, for predicting c19ProSo03. In comparison, edu: 0.0372, trustGovState: 0.000905, their p-values are much larger than the c19NormShould's. A smaller p-value means that the data for the predictor variable is less likely to have occurred under the null hypothesis. Therefore, the predictor variable is more likely to be important in explaining the response variable.

#Plotting linear model of Germany

#arrange 4 graphs in 2x2

```
> par(mfrow=c(2,2))
> plot(PS1_fit_g)
```



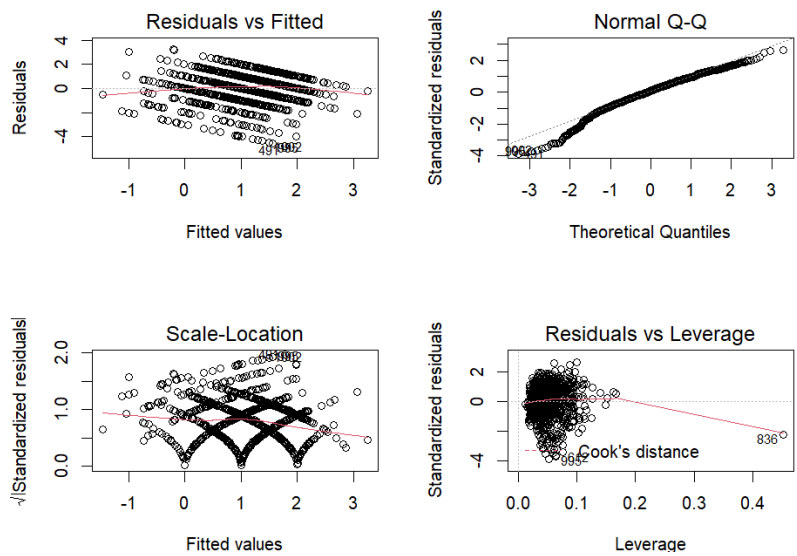


Figure 2.2.1. c19ProSo01

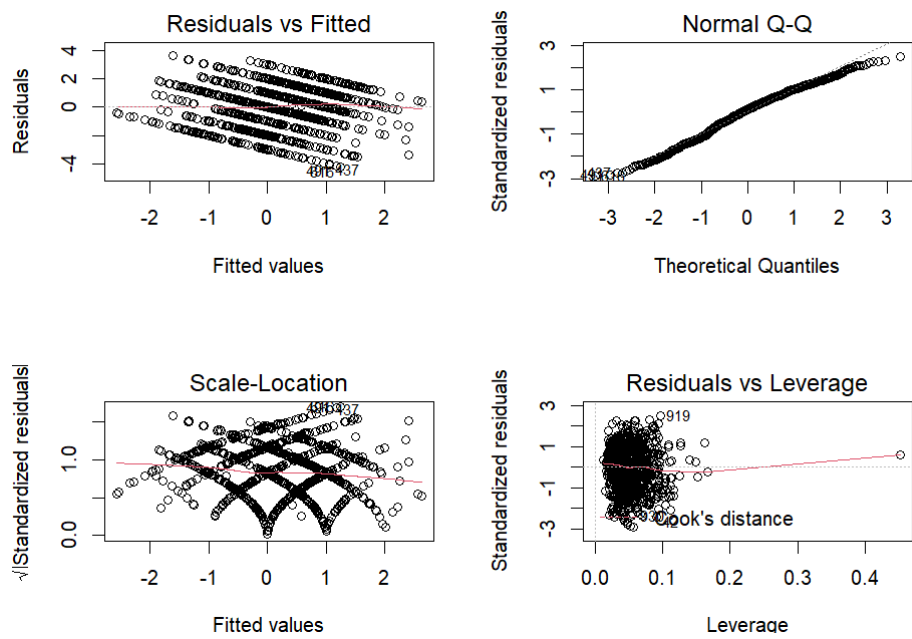


Figure 2.2.2. c19ProSo02

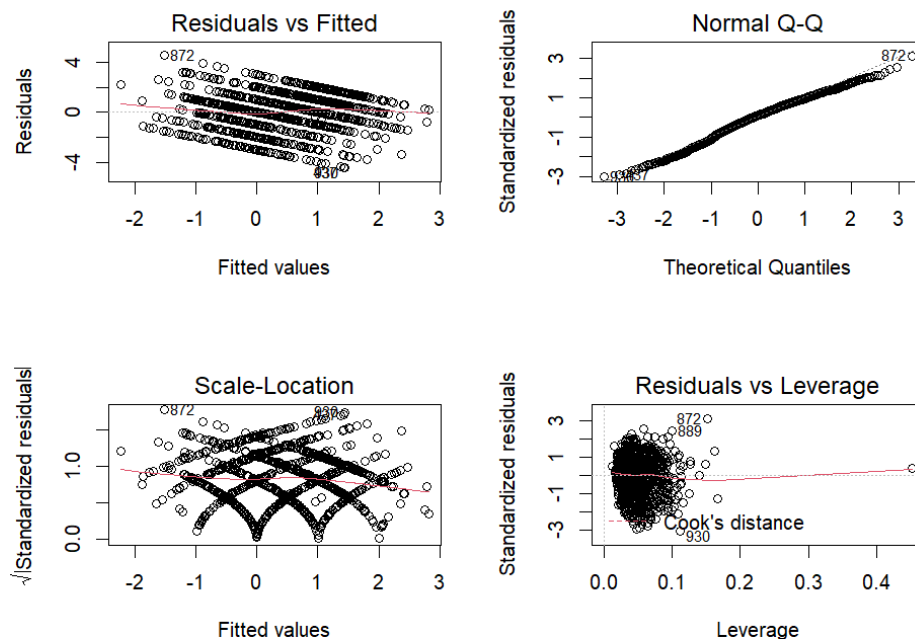


Figure 2.2.3. c19ProSo03

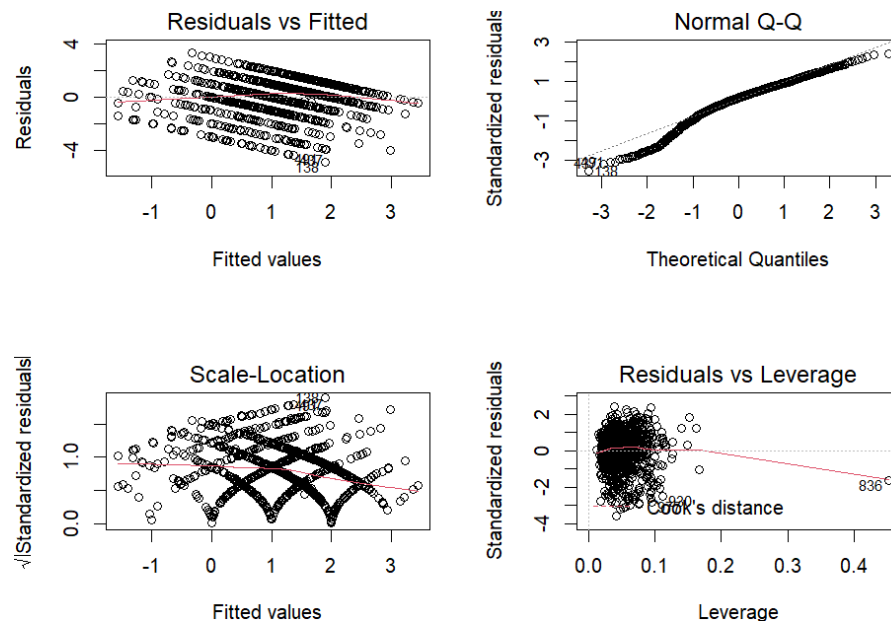


Figure 2.2.4. c19ProSo04

The lines in all four Residuals vs Fitted are almost straight which demonstrate the linearity of suggesting relationship between predictors and responses are linear

Residuals in all four graphs from linear model are normally distributed as the points almost lies on straight diagonal line in Normal Q-Q

2(c)

```
> #Other Countries as a group
> #All predictors for all four response for other countries
> others_p = others[,1:(ncol(others)-5)]
> #fit to linear model
> #Corona ProSocial Behavior 1 with its predictor
> PS1_fit = lm(formula = others$c19ProSo01~., data = others_p)
> pvalues_1 <- summary(PS1_fit)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_1[pvalues_1 < 0.05]#treat it as list
(Intercept)    affCalm    affEnerg    affExc    affExh    affInsp
affRel    PLRAC19
2.881485e-65  3.126869e-02  7.391415e-04  4.353049e-06  2.428828e-07  2.
712012e-10  1.483172e-02  4.510899e-31
    PLRAEco    disc02    disc03    jbInsec02    jbInsec04  employstatus_3
employstatus_4  employstatus_5
2.043462e-03  4.113218e-27  7.568511e-06  3.989616e-04  3.553608e-03  4.
851366e-02  4.844897e-03  3.818807e-03
employstatus_6  employstatus_7  employstatus_9  employstatus_10    PFS03
fail01    fail02    fail03
9.334763e-05  1.411305e-08  1.882838e-04  1.326424e-16  2.352253e-03  3.
996668e-05  2.492739e-06  8.393670e-13
    happy    lifeSat    MLQ    c19NormShould    c19NormDo    c19IsOr
g    trustGovState    gender
2.490968e-02  3.536379e-09  1.423565e-35  1.518339e-69  8.501120e-27  3.
795829e-15  4.102520e-52  5.298253e-03
    edu
1.182340e-20
> min_p(pvalues_1)
[1] "c19NormShould"
> #Corona ProSocial Behavioure 2 with its predictor
> PS2_fit = lm(formula = others$c19ProSo02~., data = others_p)
> pvalues_2 <- summary(PS2_fit)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_2[pvalues_2 < 0.05]#treat it as list
(Intercept)    affAnx    affBor    affCalm    affEnerg    affExc
affExh    affInsp
4.136479e-66  2.928270e-16  1.582975e-06  2.236487e-02  4.174425e-05  3.
091270e-10  8.010035e-09  1.104436e-12
    affRel    PLRAEco    disc01    disc02    disc03    jbInsec01    jb
Insec02  employstatus_2
1.242180e-02  8.257496e-07  3.373700e-04  6.151867e-28  3.155422e-19  4.
580192e-02  3.831827e-06  3.725613e-04
employstatus_4  employstatus_5  employstatus_7  employstatus_8  employstatus_10
PFS01    PFS02    PFS03
4.293770e-04  2.675540e-09  1.035937e-02  7.988320e-10  1.536043e-05  2.
471193e-26  5.161971e-03  3.671962e-05
    fail01    fail02    fail03    lifeSat    MLQ    c19NormShould    c
19NormDo    c19IsPunish
9.980834e-11  7.190325e-07  7.536915e-03  1.574071e-14  1.437872e-65  8.4
18482e-118  2.266672e-10  1.573037e-04
```

```

      c19IsOrg  trustGovCtry  trustGovState  gender  age  edu
      8.752548e-08  9.554893e-04  3.127240e-46  1.735305e-03  1.318376e-13  4.
278033e-27
> min_p(pvalues_2)
[1] "c19NormShould"
> #Corona ProSocial Behavioure 3 with its predictor
> PS3_fit = lm(formula = others$c19ProSo03~., data = others_p)
> pvalues_3 <- summary(PS3_fit)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_3[pvalues_3 < 0.05]#treat it as list
(Intercept)      affAnx      affBor      affDepr      affExc      affExh      af
fInsp      affRel
      7.730024e-81  7.079907e-03  7.961243e-03  3.678326e-05  9.727977e-11  5.
376875e-05  7.020058e-09  3.384312e-03
      PLRAC19      PLRAEco      disc02      disc03      jbInsec02      jbInsec04
employstatus_3  employstatus_5
      5.851732e-55  3.141217e-03  6.864761e-17  7.274336e-16  1.752671e-04  1.
077090e-02  2.780693e-05  3.055342e-02
employstatus_6  employstatus_7  employstatus_10      fail01      fail02      fail0
3      lifeSat      MLQ
      5.331750e-03  5.256915e-07  5.516086e-12  7.298928e-13  9.392690e-03  7.
065138e-07  5.305612e-14  3.217396e-10
      c19NormShould  c19NormDo  c19IsStrict  c19IsOrg  trustGovCtry  trust
GovState      age      edu
      1.394556e-80  8.881582e-15  1.686967e-03  4.122635e-14  1.039666e-04  3.
209240e-57  4.869421e-23  1.215022e-23
> min_p(pvalues_3)
[1] "c19NormShould"
> #Corona ProSocial Behavioure 4 with its predictor
> PS4_fit = lm(formula = others$c19ProSo04~., data = others_p)
> pvalues_4 <- summary(PS4_fit)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_4[pvalues_4 < 0.05]#treat it as list
(Intercept)      affAnx      affBor      affEnerg      affInsp      PLRAC19
disc02      jbInsec01
      5.044517e-36  6.543035e-03  7.396842e-09  2.270265e-03  7.385962e-04  2.
444762e-73  8.418598e-45  9.270024e-03
      jbInsec02  employstatus_2  employstatus_3  employstatus_4  employstatus_8  emp
loystatus_10      PFS01      PFS02
      2.864491e-14  1.651811e-02  8.892386e-05  4.694914e-07  7.162568e-04  1.
241066e-08  3.591793e-05  3.317341e-07
      fail01      fail02      fail03      lifeSat      MLQ  c19NormShould  c
19NormDo  c19IsStrict
      9.775462e-22  1.654977e-07  5.542326e-18  4.236791e-18  8.809003e-03  0.
000000e+00  6.070242e-06  9.642970e-19
      c19IsPunish  c19IsOrg  trustGovCtry  trustGovState      gender      age
edu
      1.842438e-19  2.991425e-09  1.795528e-02  3.277636e-32  4.920053e-03  3.
346121e-04  2.364396e-09
> min_p(pvalues_4)
[1] "c19NormShould"
> #the predictors that have p-values less than 0.05(very important predictors)

```

```

> #in all four fitted linear models
> pvalues_1[pvalues_1 < 0.05 & pvalues_2 < 0.05 & pvalues_3 < 0.05 & pvalues_4 <
0.05]
      (Intercept)      affInsp      disc02      jbInsec02 employstatus_10      fail01
fail02      fail03
2.881485e-65 2.712012e-10 4.113218e-27 3.989616e-04 1.326424e-16 3.
996668e-05 2.492739e-06 8.393670e-13
      lifeSat      MLQ c19NormShould      c19NormDo      c19IsOrg trustGov
State      edu
3.536379e-09 1.423565e-35 1.518339e-69 8.501120e-27 3.795829e-15 4.
102520e-52 1.182340e-20

```

Since all the other countries are treated as a group, there are many important predictors (p-value < 0.05 for each response). Overall, the important predictors are common in all four responses are: affInsp, disc02, jbInsec02, employstatus\_10, fail01, fail02, fail03, lifeSat, MLQ, c19NormShould, c19NormDo, c19IsOrg, trustGovState, edu.

Among all predictors, c19NormShould is the best predictors for four individual c19ProSo as it has smallest p-value for different extent in different c19ProSo. Explanation about the p-value is the same as the one for Germany.

By comparing with the focus country (Germany), the c19NormShould is only the best predictor for predicting Germany's c19ProSo04, and not even exist as an important predictor (p-value < 0.05) for the rest of the pro-social attitudes. As for the frequent important predictors (edu, trustGovState) from Germany data, those predictors are also the important predictors for all pro-social attitudes in other countries.

```

> #ploting linear model of other countries,
> par(mfrow=c(2,2))
> plot(PS1_fit)
> plot(PS2_fit)
> plot(PS3_fit)
> plot(PS4_fit)

```

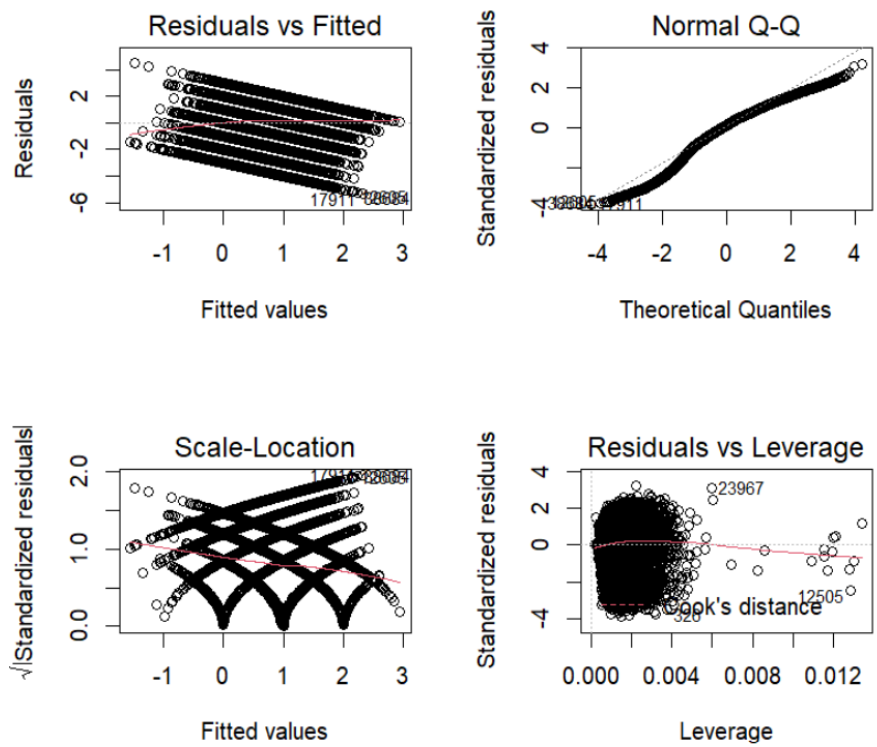


Figure 2.2.5 Linear Model of c19ProSo01 for Other Countries

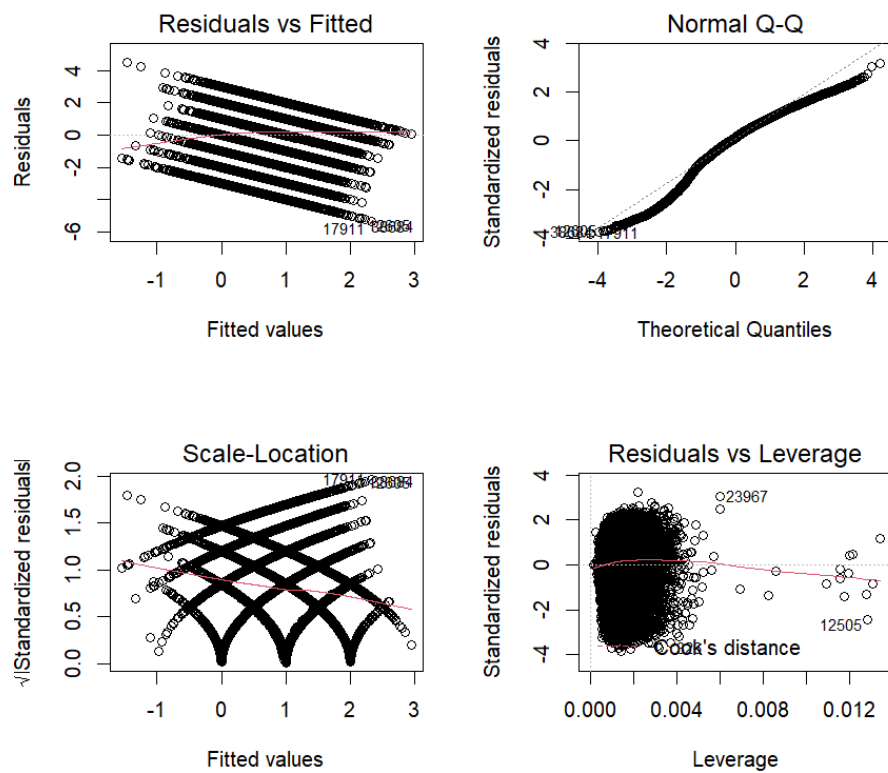


Figure 2.2.6 Linear Model of c19ProSo02 for Other Countries



As for the plotting of four linear model individually corresponding to the pro-social behaviour has the same explanation from the one in Germany.

Q3(a) similar countries in cluster 3

```
> #k-mean clustering to cluster similiar contries
> library(cluster)
> covid_p = covid[,1:(ncol(others)-5)]
> #fit to linear model
> #Corona ProSocial Behavior 1 with its predictor
> PS1_fit = lm(formula = covid$c19ProSo01~., data = covid_p)
> pvalues_1 <- summary(PS1_fit)$coefficients[, 4]
> min_p(pvalues_1)
[1] "c19NormShould"
> #Corona ProSocial Behavioure 2 with its predictor
> PS2_fit = lm(formula = covid$c19ProSo02~., data = covid_p)
> pvalues_2 <- summary(PS2_fit)$coefficients[, 4]
> min_p(pvalues_2)
[1] "c19NormShould"
> #Corona ProSocial Behavioure 3 with its predictor
> PS3_fit = lm(formula = covid$c19ProSo03~., data = covid_p)
> pvalues_3 <- summary(PS3_fit)$coefficients[, 4]
> min_p(pvalues_3)
[1] "c19NormShould"
> #Corona ProSocial Behavioure 4 with its predictor
> PS4_fit = lm(formula = covid$c19ProSo04~., data = covid_p)
> pvalues_4 <- summary(PS4_fit)$coefficients[, 4]
> min_p(pvalues_4)
[1] "c19NormShould"
> #the predictors that have p-values less than 0.05(very important predictors)
> #in all four fitted linear models
> pvalues_1[pvalues_1 < 0.001 & pvalues_2 < 0.001 & pvalues_3 < 0.001 & pvalues_4 < 0.001]
(Intercept)      affInsp      disc02      jbInsec02 employstatus_10
1.367903e-66  3.911728e-10  4.803830e-28  2.530479e-04  1.575069e-16
      fail01      lifeSat c19NormShould c19NormDo c19IsOrg
2.537100e-05  1.901627e-10  1.708285e-68  5.614873e-28  4.871623e-17
trustGovState      edu
1.689586e-54  4.975676e-21
> # Create imp by selecting most important predictors (pvalue < 0.001) in covid datas
et
> imp <- covid %>%
+   select(coded_country, affInsp, disc02, jbInsec02, employstatus_10,
+     fail01, fail02, lifeSat, c19NormShould,
+     c19NormDo, c19IsOrg, trustGovState, edu,
+     c19ProSo01, c19ProSo02, c19ProSo03, c19ProSo04)
> #aggreagte by countries
> #median_by_group <- aggregate(x ~ group, data = mydata, FUN = median)
> csmall = aggregate(imp[,2:ncol(imp)],list(imp$coded_country),mean)
```



```

> colnames(csmall)[1] = "coded_country"
> #scaling to make all indicators have equal weight in the clustering algorithm
> csmall[2:ncol(csmall)]<-scale(csmall[2:ncol(csmall)])
> #choose optimal number of clusters (k) with average silhouette score
> i_silhouette_score <- function(k) {
+       #start from 2 to avoid coded_country
+   km <- kmeans(csmall[,2:ncol(csmall)], k, nstart = 50)#start from 50 cluster centroids
+   #more starts to make clustering more stable
+   ss <- silhouette(km$cluster, dist(csmall[,2:ncol(csmall)]))
+   mean(ss[,3]) #mean of the third column of the silhouette scores
+   #calculates the average silhouette width for all observations in the data
+   #
+   #R returns a matrix with three columns. The first column contains the cluster
+   #assignments for each observation, the second column contains the neighbor
+   #cluster (the second-best cluster assignment for each observation), and the
+   #third column contains the silhouette width for each observation.
+ }
> k <- 2:20 #creates a vector k containing the values from 2 to 20
> #sapply function to apply the i_silhouette_score function to each value of k
> avg_sil <- sapply(k, i_silhouette_score)
> #retrieve k(number of clusters) that has highest average silhouette score
> k[which.max(avg_sil)]
[1] 4
> par(mfrow=c(1,1))
> #create a line plot of the average silhouette scores against number of clusters
> plot(k, type = 'b', avg_sil, xlab='Number of clusters', ylab = 'Average Silhouette Score')
> #Add text of number of clusters to every point
> text(k, avg_sil, labels=k, cex=0.8)
> title("Average Silhouette Score against Number of clusters (k)")
> set.seed(31240291)
> #fit with kmeans clustering with k = 4, number of centroids start from 20
> zkfit = kmeans(csmall[2:ncol(csmall)], centers = 4, nstart = 20)
> # Add cluster assignments to data frame
> csmall$cluster <- zkfit$cluster
> # Move column coded_country to the first column
> csmall <- cbind(csmall$cluster, csmall[,setdiff(names(csmall), "cluster")])
> #find out Germany in which cluster
> csmall %>% filter(coded_country == "Germany") #cluster 3
  csmall$cluster coded_country  affInsp  disc02 jbInsec02 employstatus_10  fail0
1
1          3    Germany 0.1118166 -0.8131773 0.1599388   -0.2312222 -0.299266
2
  fail02  lifeSat c19NormShould c19NormDo c19IsOrg trustGovState  edu
1 -0.1790892 -0.1049388   -1.031809 -0.3342908 0.1022186   0.5068359 -0.89259
47
  c19ProSo01 c19ProSo02 c19ProSo03 c19ProSo04
1 -0.002892592 -1.14121 -0.2381856 -0.1781413
> #find out similar countries in the same cluster

```

```
> sim_3 = csmall %>% filter(`csmall$cluster`==3)
```

(Intercept)	affInsp	disc02	jbInsec02	employstatus_10
1.367903e-66	3.911728e-10	4.803830e-28	2.530479e-04	1.575069e-16
fail01	lifeSat	c19NormShould	c19NormDo	c19IsOrg
2.537100e-05	1.901627e-10	1.708285e-68	5.614873e-28	4.871623e-17
trustGovState	edu			
1.689586e-54	4.975676e-21			

Figure 3.1.1 Table of Predictors for Cluster

Since these are the predictors that have p-value < 0.001 in covid, which mean they are very important for all the countries to cluster each other together base on those predictors.

Also, since clustering would treat every single row as an identical country, the aggregate method is used to calculate their corresponding mean for every country. In total, there are 111 identical countries, hence data of 111 rows is produced.

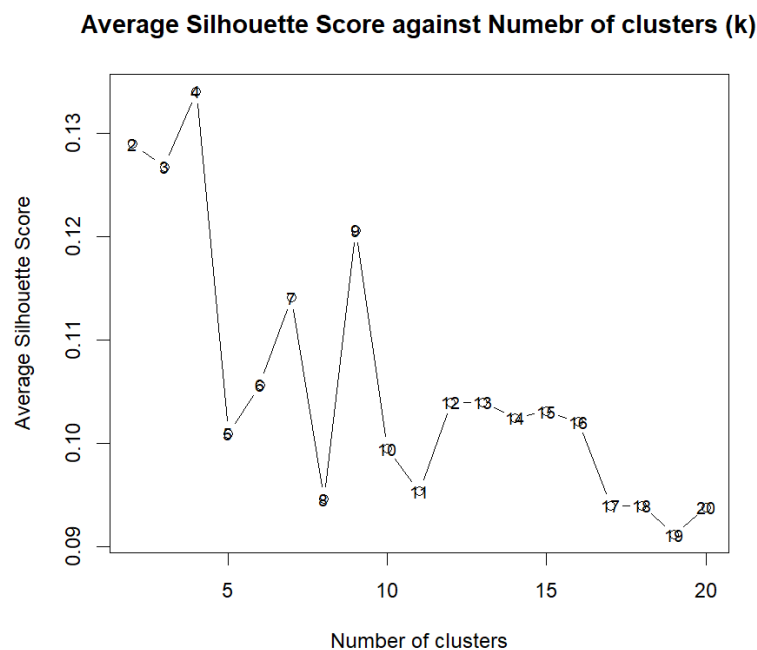


Figure 3.1.2 Graph of Average Silhouette Score against Number of clusters (k)

Before clustering, the silhouette score is used to determine the suitable number of cluster to cluster those countries. Based the Figure 3.1.2, the most suitable number of cluster is 4.

The predictors except the countries are needed to be scaled to avoid one predictor dominate the model as bias the model towards the predictor that has higher scale

Afterward, the kmeans clustering is used to cluster the countries and assign the list of clusters back to the dataset to filter out the similar countries in cluster 3 since Germany is in cluster 3. Alongside with Germany, USA, Spain and Greece are the similar countries in the same cluster

Q3(b)

```
> #table can have frequencies for unique values
> #as.character to preserve character type otherwise
> country_count = table(as.character(covid$coded_country)) #changed to factor type
> #change to dataframe to have separate column of countries and frequencies
> cc_frame = as.data.frame(country_count)
> #change back the type to character from factor for the following filtering
> cc_frame$Var1 <- as.character(cc_frame$Var1)
> str(cc_frame)
'data.frame':      111 obs. of  2 variables:
 $ Var1: chr  "" "Albania" "Algeria" "Andorra" ...
 $ Freq: int 157 5 129 1 907 762 28 2 8 98 ...
> # subset dataframe to include only rows where Var1 has those countries in sim_3
> sim_cc <- filter(cc_frame, Var1 %in% sim_3$coded_country)
> sim_cc <- sim_cc[order(sim_cc$Freq, decreasing = TRUE), ]
```

Since table can automatically get the observation for each unique countries, table function is used and as.character() to preserve the character type of coded\_country and change back to dataframe to separate into column of countries and column of frequencies. Retrieve the similar countries by checking whether the countries are in the cluster 3 with %in% function, and eventually order them by number observations in descending order. Choosing the top 3 number of observations countries can have more precise estimates of the coefficients and as much more data points to fit into linear model, otherwise might result in overfit as number of predictor variables are more than the observations.

Therefore, USA, Spain and Greece are chosen to be 3 similar countries and used to repeat similar procedures for finding the important predictors.

USA:

```
> #choose USA, Spain and Greece, highest observations in similar countries
> usa = covid %>% filter(coded_country == "United States of America")
> usa_p = usa[,1:(ncol(usa)-5)]
> #fit to linear model
> #Corona ProSocial Behavior 1 with its predictor
> PS1_fit_g = lm(formula = usa$c19ProSo01~., data = usa_p)
> pvalues_1 <- summary(PS1_fit_g)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_1[pvalues_1 < 0.05]#treat it as list
```

(Intercept)	affDepr	affEnerg	affExh	affInsp
1.415493e-27	3.805229e-02	2.367087e-03	1.942134e-02	4.538286e-04
PLRAC19	PLRAEco	disc02	jbInsec04	employstatus_3
6.798538e-13	4.325791e-03	1.321155e-08	1.430756e-02	2.325894e-03
employstatus_4	employstatus_9	employstatus_10	fail02	fail03
1.688514e-02	5.526005e-07	1.562698e-02	5.191264e-05	2.600761e-02
happy	MLQ	c19NormShould	c19IsOrg	trustGovState
1.774000e-04	2.799756e-02	5.237715e-20	8.237432e-04	1.215129e-14

```

    edu
    7.380564e-07
> min_p(pvalues_1)
[1] "c19NormShould"
> #Corona ProSocial Behavioure 2 with its predictor
> PS2_fit_g = lm(formula = usa$c19ProSo02~., data = usa_p)
> pvalues_2 <- summary(PS2_fit_g)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_2[pvalues_2 < 0.05]#treat it as list
      (Intercept)    affEnerg    affNerv    affExh    affInsp
1.2763652e-43  5.434225e-03  3.012165e-04  1.024385e-02  2.850656e-06
      PLRAC19      disc02      disc03      jbInsec02  employstatus_3
3.590205e-03  1.029179e-09  2.394706e-02  1.601566e-02  1.096785e-02
employstatus_5  employstatus_8  employstatus_9  employstatus_10    PFS01
9.936549e-03  3.938316e-02  4.069052e-02  1.553553e-02  3.610944e-09
      PFS02      lifeSat  c19NormShould  c19IsPunish  c19IsOrg
1.024181e-04  1.235761e-06  2.299928e-33  1.205987e-05  3.209242e-02
trustGovState  gender      age      edu
4.379942e-19  2.541781e-02  5.200107e-03  4.449322e-10
> min_p(pvalues_2)
[1] "c19NormShould"
> #Corona ProSocial Behavioure 3 with its predictor
> PS3_fit_g = lm(formula = usa$c19ProSo03~., data = usa_p)
> pvalues_3 <- summary(PS3_fit_g)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_3[pvalues_3 < 0.05]#treat it as list
      (Intercept)    affDepr    affExh    affInsp    PLRAC19
2.929554e-18  1.166236e-02  7.898945e-03  6.989095e-05  6.541094e-15
      disc02      disc03  employstatus_3  employstatus_9  employstatus_10
6.935386e-06  1.089468e-02  1.004960e-02  3.383730e-03  4.849620e-03
      PFS02      fail02      fail03      happy  c19NormShould
4.444808e-02  1.022597e-02  4.264985e-02  3.276103e-03  1.372166e-24
      c19IsOrg  trustGovState      age      edu
2.599533e-03  9.381408e-09  9.540028e-05  3.706055e-09
> min_p(pvalues_3)
[1] "c19NormShould"
> #Corona ProSocial Behavioure 4 with its predictor
> PS4_fit_g = lm(formula = usa$c19ProSo04~., data = usa_p)
> pvalues_4 <- summary(PS4_fit_g)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_4[pvalues_4 < 0.05]#treat it as list
      (Intercept)    affEnerg    affExh    PLRAC19    disc01    disc02
1.464857e-04  4.800562e-02  7.523156e-03  1.633975e-11  3.027652e-02  7.506
312e-14
employstatus_4    PFS02    fail02    fail03    happy  c19NormShould
8.650066e-03  2.496333e-03  2.385371e-02  2.357759e-06  1.877402e-05  2.8289
87e-142
      c19IsStrict  c19IsPunish    c19IsOrg  trustGovState    gender    age
4.993136e-03  1.418391e-09  5.498785e-03  1.093482e-08  9.983222e-03  4.895
026e-03
> min_p(pvalues_4)
[1] "c19NormShould"
> #the predictors that have p-values less than 0.05

```

```

> #in all four fitted linear models
> pvalues_1[pvalues_1 < 0.05 & pvalues_2 < 0.05 & pvalues_3 < 0.05 & pvalues_4 <
0.05]
(Intercept)    affExh    PLRAC19    disc02 c19NormShould    c19IsOrg
1.415493e-27 1.942134e-02 6.798538e-13 1.321155e-08 5.237715e-20 8.237432e
-04
trustGovState
1.215129e-14

```

Spain:

```

> #Spain
> spain = covid %>% filter(coded_country == "Spain")
> spain_p = spain[,1:(ncol(usa)-5)]
> #fit to linear model
> #Corona ProSocial Behavior 1 with its predictor
> PS1_fit_g = lm(formula = spain$c19ProSo01~., data = spain_p)
> pvalues_1 <- summary(PS1_fit_g)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_1[pvalues_1 < 0.05]#treat it as list
(Intercept)    affExh    PLRAC19    PLRAEco    jbInsec02    jbInsec04
2.464105e-02 2.616944e-02 8.193299e-05 8.475973e-03 1.589234e-02 3.184
975e-02
employstatus_6 employstatus_9    PFS01    PFS03    MLQ    c19IsOrg
1.027996e-03 4.421088e-02 3.822661e-02 1.332339e-02 2.891904e-02 2.294
387e-02
trustGovState
5.322124e-03
> min_p(pvalues_1)
[1] "PLRAC19"
> #Corona ProSocial Behaviour 2 with its predictor
> PS2_fit_g = lm(formula = spain$c19ProSo02~., data = spain_p)
> pvalues_2 <- summary(PS2_fit_g)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_2[pvalues_2 < 0.05]#treat it as list
(Intercept)    affExc    PLRAC19    disc02 employstatus_9    PFS02
5.285668e-07 3.065203e-02 1.153012e-03 1.799042e-02 6.339476e-03 1.325
079e-02
fail01    lifeSat trustGovState    edu
4.188415e-03 1.365616e-06 9.724497e-03 1.052850e-02
> min_p(pvalues_2)
[1] "lifeSat"
> #Corona ProSocial Behaviour 3 with its predictor
> PS3_fit_g = lm(formula = spain$c19ProSo03~., data = spain_p)
> pvalues_3 <- summary(PS3_fit_g)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_3[pvalues_3 < 0.05]#treat it as list
(Intercept)    affDepr    affExh    affInsp    PLRAC19
4.465425e-05 8.653964e-04 1.388204e-02 3.680922e-04 1.069310e-07
employstatus_10    lifeSat trustGovState    edu
7.780439e-04 4.954978e-02 7.350710e-04 3.442699e-02

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> min_p(pvalues_3)
[1] "PLRAC19"
> #Corona ProSocial Behavioure 4 with its predictor
> PS4_fit_g = lm(formula = spain$c19ProSo04~., data = spain_p)
> pvalues_4 <- summary(PS4_fit_g)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_4[pvalues_4 < 0.05]#treat it as list
      affCalm      affEnerg      PLRAC19      disc02 employstatus_1      PFS01
2.839595e-02 2.421763e-03 9.332247e-07 4.006242e-02 2.413187e-02 1.298
280e-03
      PFS03      fail03 c19NormShould      c19NormDo      c19IsOrg trustGovCtr
y
5.902261e-03 5.261647e-03 2.716305e-03 2.998140e-04 4.141951e-02 1.068
496e-02
      gender
4.952921e-02
> min_p(pvalues_4)
[1] "PLRAC19"
> #the predictors that have p-values less than 0.001(very important predictors)
> #in all four fitted linear models
> pvalues_1[pvalues_1 < 0.05 & pvalues_2 < 0.05 & pvalues_3 < 0.05 & pvalues_4 <
0.05]
      PLRAC19
8.193299e-05

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PLRAC19

Greece:

```

> #Greece
> greece = covid %>% filter(coded_country == "Greece")
> greece_p = greece[,1:(ncol(greece)-5)]
> #fit to linear model
> #Corona ProSocial Behavior 1 with its predictor
> PS1_fit_g = lm(formula = greece$c19ProSo01~., data = greece_p)
> pvalues_1 <- summary(PS1_fit_g)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_1[pvalues_1 < 0.05]#treat it as list
(Intercept)      affDepr employstatus_3 employstatus_4 employstatus_9      fail03
1.714339e-04 1.631157e-02 5.195599e-04 1.700113e-02 6.418791e-03 1.604
542e-03
      happy trustGovCtry trustGovState      edu
2.543496e-03 1.107094e-05 9.287791e-07 3.438260e-02
> min_p(pvalues_1)
[1] "trustGovState"
> #Corona ProSocial Behavioure 2 with its predictor
> PS2_fit_g = lm(formula = greece$c19ProSo02~., data = greece_p)
> pvalues_2 <- summary(PS2_fit_g)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_2[pvalues_2 < 0.05]#treat it as list
(Intercept)      affAnx      affInsp      PFS02      c19IsOrg trustGovState

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7.879302e-05 3.147238e-03 4.063698e-02 1.565154e-02 2.707186e-02 5.386760e-05
    edu
2.571570e-02
> min_p(pvalues_2)
[1] "trustGovState"
> #Corona ProSocial Behavioure 3 with its predictor
> PS3_fit_g = lm(formula = greece$c19ProSo03~., data = greece_p)
> pvalues_3 <- summary(PS3_fit_g)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_3[pvalues_3 < 0.05]#treat it as list
      (Intercept)      affDepr      affExc employstatus_1 employstatus_3
      0.005902301      0.021922853      0.034448277      0.017373145      0.004677116
employstatus_5 employstatus_9 employstatus_10      PFS01      c19IsOrg
      0.019397929      0.004084845      0.002820166      0.044584096      0.020341432
      age
      0.025475294
> min_p(pvalues_3)
[1] "employstatus_10"
> #Corona ProSocial Behavioure 4 with its predictor
> PS4_fit_g = lm(formula = greece$c19ProSo04~., data = greece_p)
> pvalues_4 <- summary(PS4_fit_g)$coefficients[, 4]
> pvalues_4[pvalues_4 < 0.05]#treat it as list
      (Intercept) employstatus_9      fail02      fail03 c19NormShould      c19IsStrict
      3.607187e-04      2.386055e-02      4.193735e-02      3.834298e-03      1.865130e-23      6.003
      694e-03
      edu
      7.577489e-03
> min_p(pvalues_4)
[1] "c19NormShould"
> #the predictors that have p-values less than 0.001(very important predictors)
> #in all four fitted linear models
> pvalues_1[pvalues_1 < 0.05 & pvalues_2 < 0.05 & pvalues_3 < 0.05 & pvalues_4 <
0.05]
      (Intercept)
      0.0001714339

```

USA: affExh, PLRAC19, disc02, c19NormShould (Strongest Predictor), c19IsOrg, trustGovState

Spain: PLRAC19 (Strongest Predictor)

Greece: trustGovState (Strongest Predictor)

In comparison between 2(c) and 3(b) for measuring who better match the important attributes for predicting pro-social attitudes, since trustGovState and edu are the best predictors for Germany which also play important roles in other countries's data, whereas the strongest predictor is PLRAC19 as which is an important predictor in USA and Spain but not Greece which is not an important predictor for Germany, the

other countries from 2(c) actually have a better match with the Germany from 2(b). However, the strongest predictor from other countries is c19NormShould which is not an important predictor in Germany, and the PLRAC19 from USA and Spain is an important attribute for predicting 3 out of 4 response in Germany.