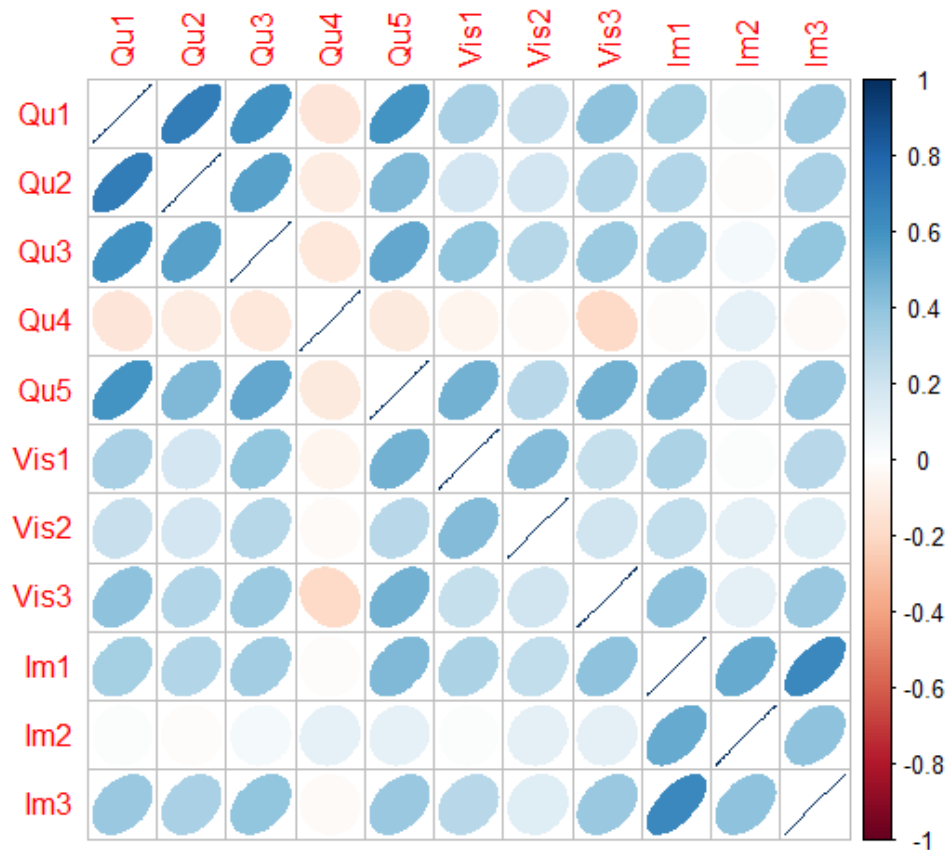


- 1.) The article is “Hospital Image: A Correspondence Analysis Approach” borrowed from the “Journal of Health Care Marketing.”
 - a.) In the article, the author states that the data was composed of “yes/no” answers from the questionnaire. It states “This information, whether a hospital is associated with a feature or not (binary data), became the input to correspondence analysis.” For this case, yes, correspondence analysis (CA) is appropriate as they were able to look at the relationship between two groups of variables – hospitals and features. The purpose of the research was for the hospitals to get a better understanding of how their various hospital services measured up against their patients view of the hospitals. This is demonstrated in the contingency table displayed in the article.
 - b.) The research identifies 13 hospital feature variables such as “cancer treatment”, “laser treatment”, and “women’s health services”. Other variables are “expert emergency treatment”, “heart disease prevention and treatment”, “rehabilitation services”, “call-in health information services”, and several others. The objects were identified as the 16 different hospitals. Each of the variables is a “Yes” or “No” categorical variable.
 - c.) The article features 2 tables and 1 image map. The image map is used as a two-dimensional display to how both dimensions Factor 1 and Factor 2 correspond to the principal components of the data. From the article, “From this image map, which shows the correspondence between the 13 features and the 16 hospitals, one, can glean interesting information.” For example, the image shows that the “Cleveland Clinic” hospital is more associated with “heart disease”, “cancer treatment” and “technological equipment”. The “Cleveland Clinic” is not associated with or maybe loosely associated with “community programs” and “programs for seniors”. The map allowed the hospital to compare their current skills with competing hospitals and allows them to look at what skills may need development.
 - d.) In regard to evaluating the goodness of fit for the model, there didn’t seem to be any noticeable discussion. The article discussed the results of the questionnaire and how those were interpreted using the tables and contingency table. The authors did mention the frequency of 2 variables, but should have included more information along with a Chi-Square test. More discussion on the goodness of fit would have added more reliability and credibility to the research and could close any gaps regarding misinterpretation.
 - e.) Using corresponding analysis (CA), the researchers state that they were able to “visualize their hospitals’ comparative advantages and disadvantages in relation to their competitors’ positions of strength and weakness.” The article also states that CA allowed the hospital system to develop strategies to identify the strengths of their clinical programs. This allowed them to market those programs to a larger audience. Furthermore, CA allowed the hospital to create defensive strategies to improved their list of services, that were strongly associated with other competing hospitals.
 - f.) For this article, it seems that the researchers were able to draw a number of positive conclusions that should ultimately help the hospital develop and improve its services. The main issue that I have are the values of the variables. The values are only “Yes” and “Not”. If this is a hospital questionnaire, my preference for data would from the use of a Likert Scale. I believe that this would have allowed the hospital to gain a greater insight into the data. At most, maybe one-half of the variables could have been “Yes/No”. One item that I found missing was the Chi-Square test. I’m not sure if this could have been used, but it should have at least been mentioned. Also, I believe that a correlation matrix could have been useful. Overall, there are a few techniques that could have been included that would have added more validity to the research, unless they were purposely left out.

```
2.)
setwd("C:/Users/Home/Desktop/DePaul/DSC-424-AdvancedDataAnalysis/week-5/Homework")
library(corrplot)
ds = read.table("Survey.csv", sep="," , header=T)
```

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a.)
Pearson:
> c = cor(ds)
> print(c)
> corrplot(c, method="ellipse")
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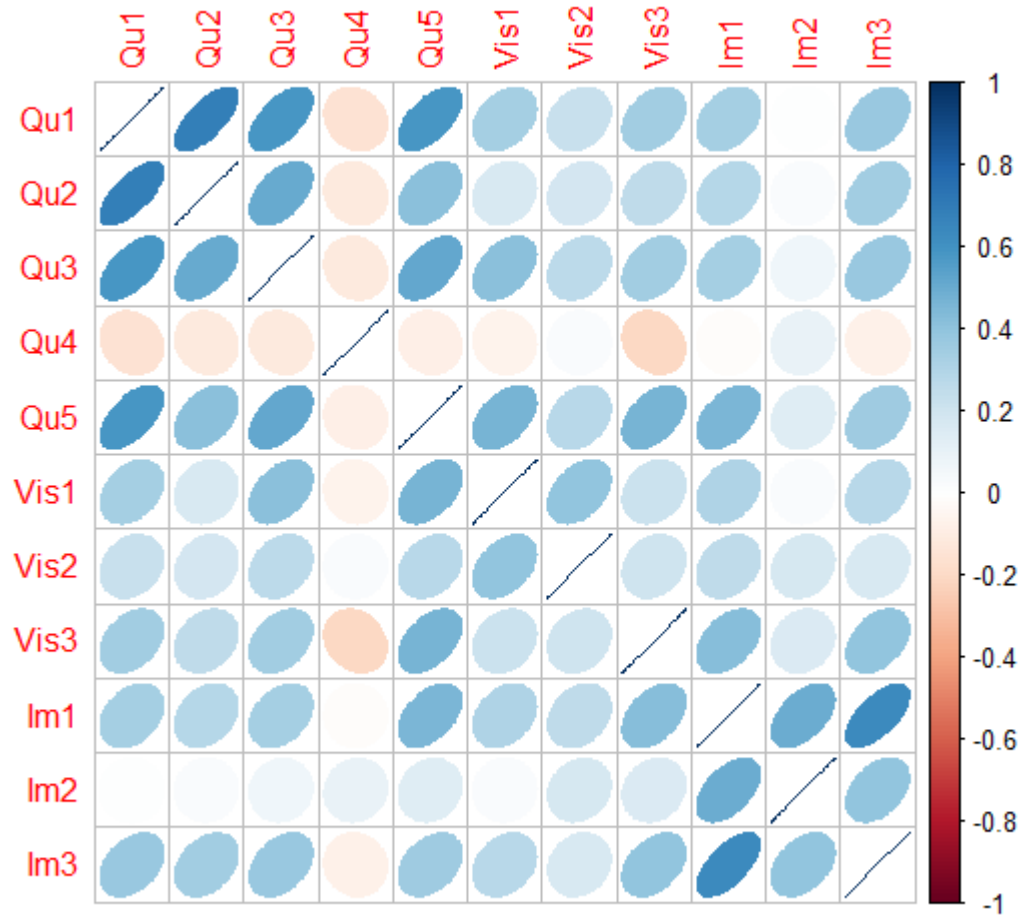
	Qu1	Qu2	Qu3	Qu4	Qu5	Vis1	Vis2	Vis3	Im1	Im2	Im3
Qu1	1.00000000	0.69056585	0.6045452	-0.13423485	0.5938894	0.32105528	0.22360135	0.4045556	0.33072146	0.01198666	0.37003681
Qu2	0.69056585	1.00000000	0.5438652	-0.10242737	0.4426255	0.18909481	0.18383070	0.2940380	0.29357109	-0.01458967	0.32722094
Qu3	0.60454520	0.54386525	1.00000000	-0.12643342	0.5191393	0.39564033	0.28017242	0.3673545	0.34073109	0.04966370	0.39478640
Qu4	-0.13423485	-0.10242737	-0.1264334	1.00000000	-0.1142571	-0.05060630	-0.02370919	-0.1908196	-0.01731659	0.10751462	-0.02454507
Qu5	0.59388936	0.44262554	0.5191393	-0.11425710	1.00000000	0.47341640	0.27708105	0.4747601	0.44354852	0.10102656	0.37941833
Vis1	0.32105528	0.18909481	0.3956403	-0.05060630	0.4734164	1.00000000	0.43011806	0.2334773	0.31276682	0.01343525	0.27387663
Vis2	0.22360135	0.18383070	0.2801724	-0.02370919	0.2770811	0.43011806	1.00000000	0.1938247	0.24335827	0.11873267	0.13160090
Vis3	0.40455560	0.29403799	0.3673545	-0.19081962	0.4747601	0.23347727	0.19382473	1.00000000	0.40507794	0.11837845	0.37003731
Im1	0.33072146	0.29357109	0.3407311	-0.01731659	0.4435485	0.31276682	0.24335827	0.4050779	1.00000000	0.50239918	0.64631560
Im2	0.01198666	-0.01458967	0.0496637	0.10751462	0.1010266	0.01343525	0.11873267	0.1183785	0.50239918	1.00000000	0.40696969
Im3	0.37003681	0.32722094	0.3947864	-0.02454507	0.3794183	0.27387663	0.13160090	0.3700373	0.64631560	0.40696969	1.00000000



Spearman

```
cS = cor(ds, method = "spearman")
print(cS)
corrplot(cS, method="ellipse")
```

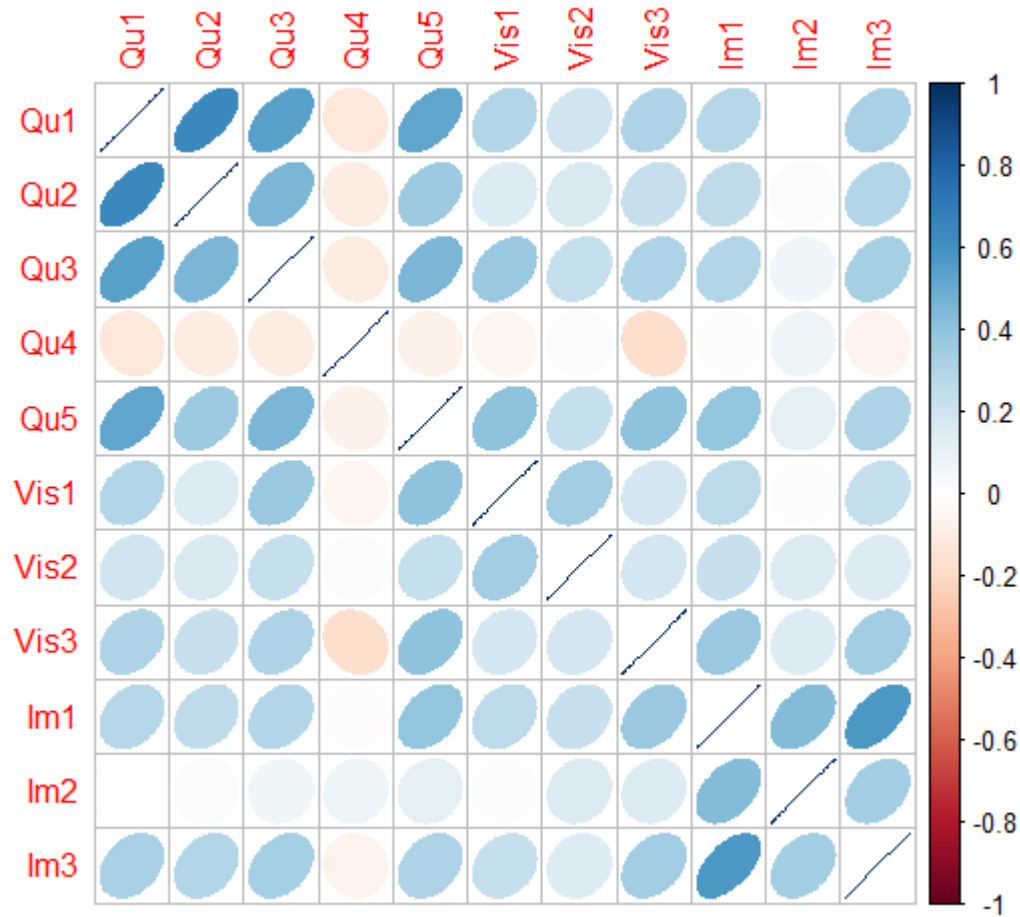
	Qu1	Qu2	Qu3	Qu4	Qu5	Vis1	Vis2	Vis3	Im1	Im2	Im3
Qu1	1.00000000	0.68509748	0.5878939	-0.15157709	0.58292798	0.33347765	0.22178799	0.3459261	0.33000524	0.00234924	0.37027240
Qu2	0.68509748	1.00000000	0.5000471	-0.11572989	0.41042527	0.16656887	0.18625036	0.2540890	0.28848734	0.02371458	0.34092829
Qu3	0.58789389	0.50004710	1.00000000	-0.11666848	0.51933422	0.41825553	0.26847594	0.3469657	0.33864249	0.06842650	0.37859426
Qu4	-0.15157709	-0.11572989	-0.1166685	1.00000000	-0.08708786	-0.06675524	0.02550185	-0.2087290	-0.01613649	0.09051871	-0.07473327
Qu5	0.58292798	0.41042527	0.5193342	-0.08708786	1.00000000	0.46154225	0.27545371	0.4617664	0.45909492	0.13662731	0.35818408
Vis1	0.33347765	0.16656887	0.4182555	-0.06675524	0.46154225	1.00000000	0.39566510	0.2125064	0.30678507	0.02205894	0.27216535
Vis2	0.22178799	0.18625036	0.2684759	0.02550185	0.27545371	0.39566510	1.00000000	0.2094084	0.25985435	0.17221415	0.16738022
Vis3	0.34592609	0.25408895	0.3469657	-0.20872898	0.46176637	0.21250638	0.20940837	1.00000000	0.42102453	0.15940691	0.39638793
Im1	0.33000524	0.28848734	0.3386425	-0.01613649	0.45909492	0.30678507	0.25985435	0.4210245	1.00000000	0.49823021	0.63119066
Im2	0.00234924	0.02371458	0.0684265	0.09051871	0.13662731	0.02205894	0.17221415	0.1594069	0.49823021	1.00000000	0.39779965
Im3	0.37027240	0.34092829	0.3785943	-0.07473327	0.35818408	0.27216535	0.16738022	0.3963879	0.63119066	0.39779965	1.00000000



Kendall Tau

```
k = cor(ds, method = "kendall")
print(k)
corrplot(k, method="ellipse")
```

	Qu1	Qu2	Qu3	Qu4	Qu5	Vis1	Vis2	Vis3	Im1	Im2	Im3
Qu1	1.000000000	0.64461404	0.54725264	-0.12921819	0.52782167	0.29897964	0.1970511	0.3074402	0.2885985	0.001646515	0.32951909
Qu2	0.644614036	1.00000000	0.45811342	-0.10273724	0.36475198	0.14551909	0.1627692	0.2236363	0.2563052	0.022736849	0.29679407
Qu3	0.547252636	0.45811342	1.00000000	-0.10527826	0.45912244	0.37056427	0.2383310	0.3080751	0.2974953	0.062326727	0.33230667
Qu4	-0.129218195	-0.10273724	-0.10527826	1.00000000	-0.07370463	-0.05865705	0.0226063	-0.1767891	-0.0142836	0.076512682	-0.06944346
Qu5	0.527821675	0.36475198	0.45912244	-0.07370463	1.00000000	0.40132047	0.2384228	0.4038848	0.3982152	0.116576277	0.30689697
Vis1	0.298979641	0.14551909	0.37056427	-0.05865705	0.40132047	1.00000000	0.3499661	0.1842321	0.2663199	0.018058772	0.23331690
Vis2	0.197051102	0.16276922	0.23833103	0.02260630	0.23842279	0.34996606	1.0000000	0.1813221	0.2237267	0.152578723	0.14157197
Vis3	0.307440178	0.22363632	0.30807507	-0.17678909	0.40388479	0.18423207	0.1813221	1.0000000	0.3741080	0.140684633	0.34014762
Im1	0.288598533	0.25630519	0.29749533	-0.01428360	0.39821524	0.26631994	0.2237267	0.3741080	1.0000000	0.431886688	0.57035106
Im2	0.001646515	0.02273685	0.06232673	0.07651268	0.11657628	0.01805877	0.1525787	0.1406846	0.4318867	1.000000000	0.34587874
Im3	0.329519086	0.29679407	0.33230667	-0.06944346	0.30689697	0.23331690	0.1415720	0.3401476	0.5703511	0.345878736	1.000000000



The following is the range for each correlation:

```
> range(k) # Kendall Tau
[1] -0.1767891 1.0000000
> range(c) # Pearson
[1] -0.1908196 1.0000000
> range(cS) # Spearman
[1] -0.208729 1.000000
```

The following displays the max and min of subtracting the matrices from each other.

```
> max(cS - c) # Spearman - Pearson
[1] 0.05348148
> min(cS - c) # Spearman - Pearson
[1] -0.05862952
> max(k - c) # Kendall - Pearson
[1] 0.04631548
> min(k - c) # Kendall - Pearson
[1] -0.09711543
```

The above demonstrate that the differences between the Matrices are rather small.

b.)

KMO test on Pearson

```
> KMO(c)
Kaiser-Meyer-Olkin factor adequacy
Call: KMO(r = c)
Overall MSA = 0.82
MSA for each item =
  Qu1 Qu2 Qu3 Qu4 Qu5 Vis1 Vis2 Vis3 Im1 Im2 Im3
0.82 0.79 0.91 0.75 0.88 0.76 0.77 0.89 0.79 0.65 0.83
```

The Overall KMO value of 0.82 along with variable values of 0.6 suggests that we can proceed with factor analysis.

c.)

```
p = prcomp(cor(ds, method = "spearman"))
summary(p)
```

Importance of components:

	PC1	PC2	PC3	PC4	PC5	PC6	PC7	PC8	PC9	PC10	PC11
Standard deviation	0.6571	0.4339	0.3288	0.23042	0.22013	0.16332	0.15158	0.13413	0.10079	0.08371	2.874e-17
Proportion of Variance	0.4721	0.2059	0.1182	0.05805	0.05298	0.02917	0.02512	0.01967	0.01111	0.00766	0.000e+00
Cumulative Proportion	0.4721	0.6780	0.7962	0.85429	0.90727	0.93644	0.96156	0.98123	0.99234	1.00000	1.000e+00

Using the above PCA, I would use 4 factors, because it is at PC4 where we see that 85% of the variance is accumulated. It possible to use 3 factors because PC3 is just a hair under 80%.

d.)

```
p2 = principal(cor(ds, method = "spearman"), nfactors=4)
summary(p2)
```

Factor analysis with Call: principal(r = cor(ds, method = "spearman"), nfactors = 4)

Test of the hypothesis that 4 factors are sufficient.

The degrees of freedom for the model is 17 and the objective function was 1.09

The root mean square of the residuals (RMSA) is 0.08

e.)

Loadings:

	RC1	RC2	RC3	RC4
Qu1	0.870			
Qu2	0.868			
Qu3	0.696			
Qu4				-0.912
Qu5	0.574		0.432	
Vis1			0.807	
Vis2			0.779	
Vis3	0.420			0.509
Im1	0.796			
Im2	0.832			
Im3	0.725			

	RC1	RC2	RC3	RC4
SS loadings	2.663	2.162	1.691	1.207
Proportion Var	0.242	0.197	0.154	0.110
Cumulative Var	0.242	0.439	0.592	0.702

There are several distinct groupings, however, the “Qu5” and “Vis3” variables are both contributors to 2 factor groups.

f.)

```
fit = factanal(ds, 4, scores="regression")
print(fit$loadings, cutoff=.4, sort=T)
print(fit)
```

Test of the hypothesis that 4 factors are sufficient.

The chi square statistic is 7.62 on 17 degrees of freedom.

The p-value is 0.974

The above tells us that we can fail to reject this hypothesis

The following RMSEA was reported in the following:

```
> hw.model = 'QU =~ Qu1 + Qu2 + Qu3 + Qu4 + Qu5
+      Vis =~ Vis1 + Vis2 + Vis3
+      IM =~ Im1 + Im2 + Im3'
> fit = cfa(hw.model, data=ds)
> summary(fit, fit.measures=TRUE)
lavaan 0.6-9 ended normally after 34 iterations
```

Estimator	ML
Optimization method	NLMINB
Number of model parameters	25
Number of observations	119

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Model Test User Model:

Test statistic	71.985
Degrees of freedom	41
P-value (Chi-square)	0.002

Model Test Baseline Model:

Test statistic	465.601
Degrees of freedom	55
P-value	0.000

User Model versus Baseline Model:

Comparative Fit Index (CFI)	0.925
Tucker-Lewis Index (TLI)	0.899

Loglikelihood and Information Criteria:

Loglikelihood user model (H0)	-1540.300
Loglikelihood unrestricted model (H1)	-1504.308
Akaike (AIC)	3130.601
Bayesian (BIC)	3200.079
Sample-size adjusted Bayesian (BIC)	3121.044

Root Mean Square Error of Approximation:

RMSEA	0.080
90 Percent confidence interval - lower	0.048
90 Percent confidence interval - upper	0.110
P-value RMSEA <= 0.05	0.060

Standardized Root Mean Square Residual:

SRMR	0.080
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Parameter Estimates:

Standard errors	Standard
Information	Expected
Information saturated (h1) model	Structured

Latent Variables:

	Estimate	Std.Err	z-value	P(> z)
QU =~				
Qu1	1.000			
Qu2	0.904	0.107	8.449	0.000
Qu3	0.884	0.104	8.497	0.000
Qu4	-0.245	0.150	-1.635	0.102
Qu5	1.054	0.128	8.238	0.000
Vis =~				
Vis1	1.000			
Vis2	0.708	0.203	3.484	0.000
Vis3	1.405	0.321	4.374	0.000
IM =~				
Im1	1.000			
Im2	0.697	0.129	5.387	0.000
Im3	0.861	0.122	7.040	0.000

Covariances:

	Estimate	Std.Err	z-value	P(> z)
QU ~~				
Vis	0.264	0.064	4.157	0.000
IM	0.252	0.061	4.124	0.000
Vis ~~				
IM	0.270	0.071	3.818	0.000

Variances:

	Estimate	Std.Err	z-value	P(> z)
.Qu1	0.159	0.035	4.569	0.000

.Qu2	0.297	0.047	6.327	0.000
.Qu3	0.278	0.044	6.298	0.000
.Qu4	0.953	0.124	7.683	0.000
.Qu5	0.440	0.068	6.448	0.000
.Vis1	0.635	0.097	6.550	0.000
.Vis2	0.591	0.083	7.152	0.000
.Vis3	0.933	0.155	6.019	0.000
.Im1	0.131	0.072	1.828	0.068
.Im2	0.794	0.111	7.159	0.000
.Im3	0.425	0.076	5.558	0.000
QU	0.415	0.077	5.402	0.000
Vis	0.251	0.095	2.640	0.008
IM	0.634	0.120	5.287	0.000

g.)

```
library(polycor)
```

```
het = hetcor(ds)
```

```
ds$Qu1 = factor(ds$Qu1, levels = c(1,2,3,4,5), ordered = T)
ds$Qu2 = factor(ds$Qu2, levels = c(1,2,3,4,5), ordered = T)
ds$Qu3 = factor(ds$Qu3, levels = c(1,2,3,4,5), ordered = T)
ds$Qu4 = factor(ds$Qu4, levels = c(1,2,3,4,5), ordered = T)
ds$Qu5 = factor(ds$Qu5, levels = c(1,2,3,4,5), ordered = T)
ds$Vis1 = factor(ds$Vis1, levels = c(1,2,3,4,5), ordered = T)
ds$Vis2 = factor(ds$Vis2, levels = c(1,2,3,4,5), ordered = T)
ds$Vis3 = factor(ds$Vis3, levels = c(1,2,3,4,5), ordered = T)
ds$Im1 = factor(ds$Im1, levels = c(1,2,3,4,5), ordered = T)
ds$Im2 = factor(ds$Im2, levels = c(1,2,3,4,5), ordered = T)
ds$Im3 = factor(ds$Im3, levels = c(1,2,3,4,5), ordered = T)
```

```
het = hetcor(ds)
summary(het)
```

```
hetCor = het$correlations
hetCor
```

```
phet = princomp(covmat = hetCor, cor=T)
summary(phet)
```

```
phet2 = principal(hetCor, nfactors=4)
summary(phet2)
print(phet2$loadings, cutoff=.4)
```

```
> hetCor = het$correlations
> hetCor
```

	Qu1	Qu2	Qu3	Qu4	Qu5	Vis1	Vis2	Vis3	Im1	Im2	Im3
Qu1	1.00000000	0.77558379	0.70743795	-0.13499494	0.6794376	0.34816205	0.25887420	0.4713950	0.383893709	0.01330986	0.4190272802
Qu2	0.77558379	1.00000000	0.63731787	-0.1021300447	0.4871091	0.20350306	0.19206985	0.3151390	0.335052127	-0.02996818	0.3634029867
Qu3	0.70743795	0.63731787	1.00000000	-0.1291010967	0.5926328	0.44094215	0.31922546	0.4178973	0.391150258	0.03935248	0.4466261280
Qu4	-0.13499494	-0.10213004	-0.12910110	1.0000000000	-0.1187339	-0.03618364	-0.02073868	-0.2231590	0.001161944	0.12907978	0.0006384136
Qu5	0.67943765	0.48710914	0.59263281	-0.1187339327	1.00000000	0.53098019	0.31432708	0.5543858	0.494675605	0.11650656	0.4195876923
Vis1	0.34816205	0.20350306	0.44094215	-0.0361836418	0.5309802	1.00000000	0.47308340	0.2383451	0.360756287	0.01023501	0.3073081859
Vis2	0.25887420	0.19206985	0.31922546	-0.0207386814	0.3143271	0.47308340	1.00000000	0.2235509	0.280137397	0.12291945	0.1445080985
Vis3	0.47139500	0.31513897	0.41789728	-0.2231590115	0.5543858	0.23834512	0.22355087	1.00000000	0.473244283	0.13772079	0.4261632798
Im1	0.38389371	0.33505213	0.39115026	0.0011619439	0.4946756	0.36075629	0.28013740	0.4732443	1.0000000000	0.56032915	0.7243453271
Im2	0.01330986	-0.02996818	0.03935248	0.1290797838	0.1165066	0.01023501	0.12291945	0.1377208	0.560329155	1.000000000	0.4594743343
Im3	0.41902728	0.36340299	0.44662613	0.0006384136	0.4195877	0.30730819	0.14450810	0.4261633	0.724345327	0.45947433	1.0000000000

```
> phet = princomp(covmat = hetCor, cor=T)
```


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```
> summary(phet)
Importance of components:
      Comp.1  Comp.2  Comp.3  Comp.4  Comp.5  Comp.6  Comp.7  Comp.8  Comp.9  Comp.10
Standard deviation  2.1302856 1.2856415 1.0724218 0.99940419 0.8083078 0.77029388 0.65258257 0.58738035 0.49561255 0.48235202
Proportion of Variance 0.4125561 0.1502613 0.1045535 0.09080079 0.0593965 0.05394115 0.03871491 0.03136506 0.02233016 0.02115122
Cumulative Proportion  0.4125561 0.5628174 0.6673709 0.75817167 0.8175682 0.87150932 0.91022423 0.94158929 0.96391946 0.98507068
      Comp.11
Standard deviation  0.40524377
Proportion of Variance 0.01492932
Cumulative Proportion  1.00000000
> phet2 = principal(hetCor, nfactors=4)
> summary(phet2)
```

Factor analysis with Call: principal(r = hetCor, nfactors = 4)

Test of the hypothesis that 4 factors are sufficient.
The degrees of freedom for the model is 17 and the objective function was 1.25

The root mean square of the residuals (RMSA) is 0.07
> print(phet2\$loadings, cutoff=.4)

Loadings:

	RC1	RC2	RC3	RC4
Qu1	0.897			
Qu2	0.896			
Qu3	0.782			
Qu4			-0.924	
Qu5	0.630		0.422	
Vis1		0.820		
Vis2		0.831		
Vis3	0.403		0.506	
Im1		0.823		
Im2		0.856		
Im3		0.764		

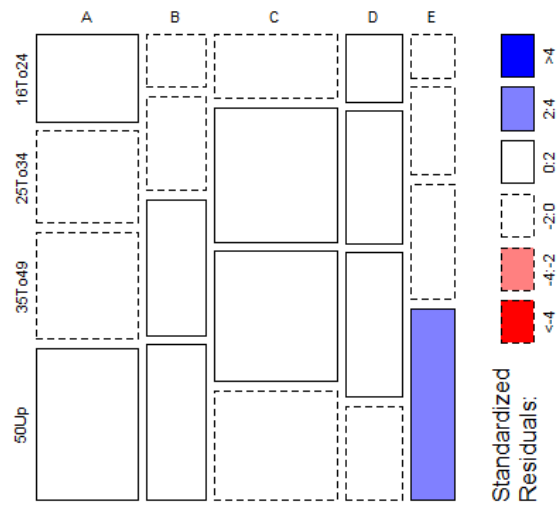
	RC1	RC2	RC3	RC4
SS loadings	3.105	2.288	1.752	1.195
Proportion Var	0.282	0.208	0.159	0.109
Cumulative Var	0.282	0.490	0.650	0.758

3.)

```
library(ca)
data = read.table("StoresAndAges.csv", sep=",", header=T)
data
head(data)
storesName = substr(data$X, 1,1)
stores = paste(storesName)
stores
data = data[,c(2:5)]
rownames(data) = stores
names(data) <- c( "16To24", "25To34", "35To49", "50Up")
head(data)

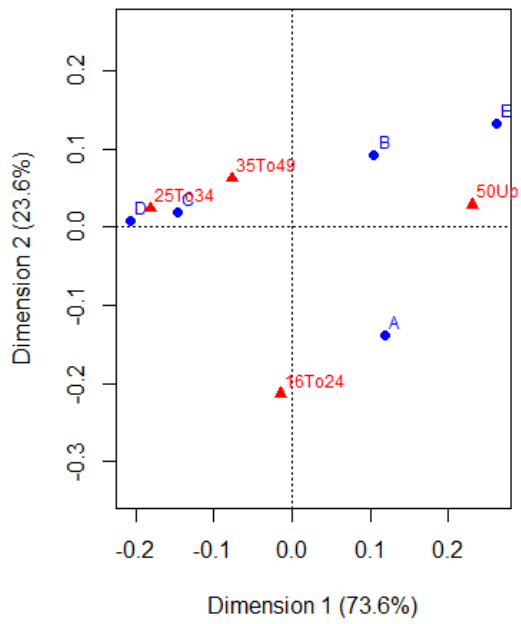
mosaicplot(data, shade=T, main="")
```

a.)



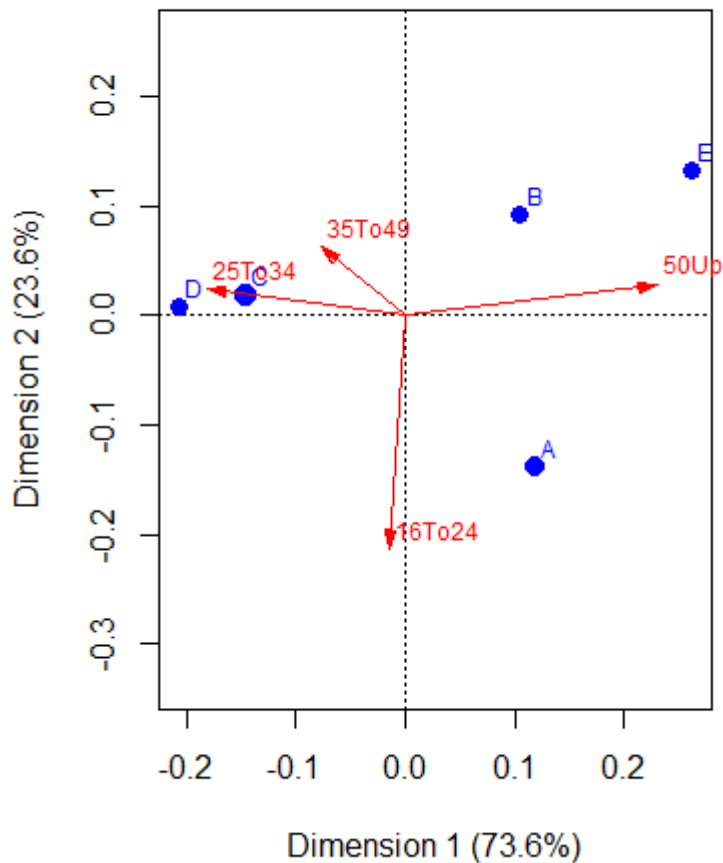
b.)

```
c = ca(data)
summary(c)
plot(c)
```



c.)

For this particular question, we're asked to create an "age profile". I wasn't sure if this plot is exactly what the question is asking or if it is asking for an actual table.



d.)

Reading the plot above tells us that Stores C and D are more likely to have ages "25 – 34". Additionally, store C is associated with the age "35 to 49" range as well. Store E has a relationship with the "50 and Up" age group. For store A, its associated with the "16 to 24" age group. Store B is associated with both the "35 to 49" and "50 and Up" age group.

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e.)

Principal inertias (eigenvalues):

```
dim  value   %  cum%  scree plot
1    0.026345 73.6 73.6 *****
2    0.008443 23.6 97.2 *****
3    0.001008  2.8 100.0 *
-----
Total: 0.035797 100.0
```

Rows:

```
name  mass  qlt  inr  k=1 cor ctr  k=2 cor ctr
1 | A | 264 1000 245 | 119 430 143 | -138 570 592 |
2 | B | 153 889 93 | 104 496 63 | 93 393 155 |
3 | C | 321 961 203 | -146 946 261 | 18 15 13 |
4 | D | 147 966 181 | -206 965 237 | 8 1 1 |
5 | E | 114 986 278 | 261 784 296 | 133 202 239 |
```

Columns:

```
name  mass  qlt  inr  k=1 cor ctr  k=2 cor ctr
1 | 16T2 | 153 997 196 | -15 5 1 | -213 992 822 |
2 | 25T3 | 254 954 250 | -182 937 318 | 24 16 17 |
3 | 35T4 | 286 843 93 | -77 512 65 | 62 332 131 |
4 | 50Up | 307 997 461 | 230 982 615 | 28 15 29 |
```

The percentage of the “inertia” of the first two eigenvectors accounts for 97%. If this is correct, then both should be used to get to the 80% mark, as the first is at approximately 74%. With 2 dimensions, the plots should be fairly simple using R.

4.)

a.)

```
DA <- import_list("C:/Users/Home/Desktop/DePaul/DSC-424-AdvancedDataAnalysis/week-5/Homework/BondRating.xls")
```

```
DATrain = DA$training
```

```
DATrain
```

```
LDAModel <- lda(CODERTG ~ LOPMAR + LFIXCHAR + LGEARRAT + LTDCAP + LLEVER + LCASHLTD + LACIDRAT +
  LCURRAT + LRECTURN + LASSLTD, data=DATrain)
```

```
LDAModel
```

Call:

```
lda(CODERTG ~ LOPMAR + LFIXCHAR + LGEARRAT + LTDCAP + LLEVER +
  LCASHLTD + LACIDRAT + LCURRAT + LRECTURN + LASSLTD, data = DATrain)
```

Prior probabilities of groups:

```
1 2 3 4 5 6 7
0.1111111 0.1604938 0.1481481 0.1604938 0.1604938 0.1358025 0.1234568
```

Group means:

```
LOPMAR LFIXCHAR LGEARRAT LTDCAP LLEVER LCASHLTD LACIDRAT LCURRAT LRECTURN LASSLTD
1 -1.738889 1.6637778 -0.9955556 0.2881111 0.1238889 -0.3940000 0.0598889 0.6932222 1.943889 1.804000
2 -2.094385 1.8042308 -1.0531538 0.2641538 -0.0833846 -0.3925385 -0.003692308 0.6640769 2.266308 1.733462
3 -2.017917 1.7306667 -0.9407500 0.3034167 0.04291667 -0.4003333 0.01750000 0.6387500 2.074250 1.693417
4 -2.213923 1.3204615 -1.0120000 0.2704615 -0.02153846 -0.5720769 -0.063230769 0.7600769 2.032077 1.721769
5 -1.981846 1.7073077 -0.7580000 0.3272308 0.07430769 -0.7765385 0.137076923 0.7471538 1.950000 1.510077
6 -2.078545 0.9529091 -0.07790909 0.4812727 0.44972727 -1.4103636 -0.033181818 0.7031818 1.818182 1.103182
7 -1.783600 0.5873000 0.1086000 0.5248000 0.64370000 -1.4720000 -0.03160000 0.4642000 1.650000 0.993700
```

Coefficients of linear discriminants:

```
LD1 LD2 LD3 LD4 LD5 LD6
LOPMAR -0.7720156 -2.993776 -1.0902999 1.19056396 0.003079991 -1.0907388
LFIXCHAR 0.3309649 -1.032219 2.0342609 -0.17225468 -0.566130362 0.4446614
```

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```
LGEARRAT 2.0228900 -13.206606 4.3603205 30.56370258 19.296973115 -8.6572293
LTDCAP 27.6725970 15.434851 1.0663233 -30.15183168 0.636947862 22.5703473
LLEVER -5.2113899 4.540020 -5.2197916 -13.97013291 -12.485287860 4.5123115
LCASHLTD -0.8040312 3.684976 -0.6103313 -1.47884309 2.343115368 2.1285439
LACIDRAT -0.2978150 -3.360777 -0.7014467 -0.09884748 0.507853522 -0.9383520
LCURRAT -2.0007312 2.040593 -1.1419790 1.51718949 -2.677213623 3.2930473
LRECTURN -1.1369903 -2.245231 -0.6432160 0.81809242 0.686713979 -0.9182123
LASSLTD 5.2328461 -14.461158 1.3481935 26.33072526 16.502239043 -5.7011832
```

Proportion of trace:

```
LD1 LD2 LD3 LD4 LD5 LD6
0.6309 0.1209 0.1005 0.0705 0.0587 0.0186
```

```
> pred <- predict(LDAModel, newdata=DATrain[,4:13])$class
> table(pred, DATrain$CODERTG)
```

```
pred 1 2 3 4 5 6 7
1 4 1 0 0 1 1 0
2 3 7 3 1 1 0 0
3 0 1 6 0 1 0 2
4 1 2 2 11 2 0 1
5 0 2 1 1 8 1 0
6 1 0 0 0 0 8 1
7 0 0 0 0 0 1 6
```

On the training data, it seems that the companies are where they should be.

b.)

```
DAValidate = DA$validation
DAValidate
head(DAValidate)
```

```
LDAModeVall <- lda(CODERTG ~ LOPMAR + LFIXCHAR + LGEARRAT + LTDCAP + LLEVER + LCASHLTD + LACIDRAT +
LCURRAT + LRECTURN + LASSLTD, data=DAValidate)
```

```
LDAModeVall
pred2 <- predict(LDAModeVall, newdata=DAValidate[,4:13])$class
pred2
```

```
table(pred2, DAValidate$CODERTG)
```

```
> LDAModeVall <- lda(CODERTG ~ LOPMAR + LFIXCHAR + LGEARRAT + LTDCAP + LLEVER + LCASHLTD + LACIDRAT +
+ LCURRAT + LRECTURN + LASSLTD, data=DAValidate)
```

Warning message:

In lda.default(x, grouping, ...) : variables are collinear

```
> head(DAValidate)
```

```
OBS RATING CODERTG LOPMAR LFIXCHAR LGEARRAT LTDCAP LLEVER LCASHLTD LACIDRAT LCURRAT LRECTURN
LASSLTD
1 8 AAA 1 -1.323 0.998 -0.936 0.281 -0.042 -0.187 0.001 0.863 1.349 1.704
2 9 AAA 1 -2.100 1.516 -1.654 0.159 0.251 0.342 -0.077 0.347 1.762 2.515
3 23 AA 2 -1.743 1.626 -1.207 0.230 -0.066 -0.266 -0.229 0.543 1.718 1.917
4 24 AA 2 -1.776 1.153 -0.450 0.389 0.171 -0.898 -0.073 0.440 2.227 1.251
5 37 A 3 -1.704 3.691 -3.155 0.040 -0.936 1.573 0.122 0.998 2.033 3.493
6 38 A 3 -1.774 0.887 -0.532 0.369 0.013 -0.929 0.070 0.781 1.891 1.232
```

```
>
```

```
> LDAModeVall <- lda(CODERTG ~ LOPMAR + LFIXCHAR + LGEARRAT + LTDCAP + LLEVER + LCASHLTD + LACIDRAT +
+ LCURRAT + LRECTURN + LASSLTD, data=DAValidate)
```

Warning message:

In lda.default(x, grouping, ...) : variables are collinear

```
> LDAModeVall
```

Call:

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```
lda(CODERTG ~ LOPMAR + LFIXCHAR + LGEARRAT + LTDCAP + LLEVER +  
    LCASHLTD + LACIDRAT + LCURRAT + LRECTURN + LASSLTD, data = DAVvalidate)
```

Prior probabilities of groups:

```
1 2 3 4 5 6 7  
0.1428571 0.1428571 0.1428571 0.1428571 0.1428571 0.1428571 0.1428571
```

Group means:

```
LOPMAR LFIXCHAR LGEARRAT LTDCAP LLEVER LCASHLTD LACIDRAT LCURRAT LRECTURN LASSLTD  
1 -1.7115 1.2570 -1.2950 0.2200 0.1045 0.0775 -0.038 0.6050 1.5555 2.1095  
2 -1.7595 1.3895 -0.8285 0.3095 0.0525 -0.5820 -0.151 0.4915 1.9725 1.5840  
3 -1.7390 2.2890 -1.8435 0.2045 -0.4615 0.3220 0.096 0.8895 1.9620 2.3625  
4 -2.0750 0.8125 -1.0790 0.2530 -0.0750 -0.4920 -0.467 0.6315 2.2220 1.7525  
5 -2.1440 1.5530 -1.0440 0.2605 -0.1340 -0.5590 0.008 0.6475 2.1930 1.6740  
6 -2.3700 0.9170 -0.0330 0.4900 0.3950 -1.5985 -0.244 0.7755 1.9855 1.0140  
7 -1.8125 0.2815 -0.0375 0.4890 0.3355 -1.3485 -0.151 0.1900 2.1310 0.9390
```

Coefficients of linear discriminants:

```
LD1 LD2 LD3 LD4 LD5 LD6  
LOPMAR -2.69120927 1.5293389 -1.2026581 -0.1541835 -0.8582843 -1.6587618  
LFIXCHAR 0.01650485 -1.4655423 0.4252668 1.0702619 1.5550367 -0.5075890  
LGEARRAT 0.42984985 -1.1265425 0.4333757 0.5991812 0.7036927 -0.1831204  
LTDCAP -9.30916052 3.6096960 -1.2511995 1.8919072 -5.1330331 -2.0303814  
LLEVER 1.89143444 2.6101123 -4.5476300 2.0071943 -0.6385808 -0.2136826  
LCASHLTD -0.22607207 0.4307177 -0.3604615 0.2167872 0.1257777 -0.1415353  
LACIDRAT -6.82442048 4.1009148 0.3525305 2.2692405 -2.0724229 1.6638000  
LCURRAT 5.46079189 4.8637491 0.1367320 1.5815373 -2.6709414 -1.0739454  
LRECTURN -2.78633528 0.3970923 0.3304194 -0.3107691 -1.6483496 -0.4048196  
LASSLTD -0.37738469 2.1209424 -1.2296289 -0.5837193 -1.2200023 0.2157965
```

Proportion of trace:

```
LD1 LD2 LD3 LD4 LD5 LD6  
0.4849 0.2924 0.1060 0.0961 0.0128 0.0077  
> pred2 <- predict(LDAModeVall, newdata=DAVvalidate[,4:13])$class  
> pred2  
[1] 1 1 2 7 3 3 4 4 5 5 6 6 7 7  
Levels: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7  
>  
> table(pred2, DAVvalidate$CODERTG)
```

```
pred2 1 2 3 4 5 6 7  
1 2 0 0 0 0 0  
2 0 1 0 0 0 0  
3 0 0 2 0 0 0  
4 0 0 0 2 0 0  
5 0 0 0 0 2 0 0  
6 0 0 0 0 0 2 0  
7 0 1 0 0 0 0 2
```

On the validation worksheet, there is one company in level 7 that appears to be in at a risk level. The majority of the companies listed, appear to all be at the AA level.

c.)

In this case, this is an example of where domain knowledge will prove helpful. Would certain misclassification errors be worse? This really depends on the companies that borrow the bond. On the other hand, misclassification could prove dramatic for companies that lend the bonds.