

Ketten-Questionnaire

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Import

Data had to be imported. The original xlsx was improved: two items (Person2 - Pompfe; 103 - best number of stones) were separated into item groups, since multiple selections were effectively possible and encouraged by the questions. The file was exported into a csv for import into R (note: i know of the package 'xlsx', but it often does not what i want to do, while the other way through a csv has been proven to be rock solid)

```
Testergebnis.Fragebogen <- read.csv2("~/ownCloud/Programming/jugger_data/chain2016/Testergebnis Fragebogen.csv")
summary(Testergebnis.Fragebogen)
```

```
##      Person.1      Person.2      P2.Stab      P2.LP
## Min.       : 0.000   Length:52      Min.       :1      Min.       :1
## 1st Qu.: 2.000   Class :character  1st Qu.:1      1st Qu.:1
## Median : 3.000   Mode  :character  Median :1      Median :1
## Mean  : 3.755                                Mean  :1      Mean   :1
## 3rd Qu.: 6.000                                3rd Qu.:1      3rd Qu.:1
## Max.   :11.000                                Max.   :1      Max.   :1
## NA's    :3                                  NA's    :26     NA's    :45
##      P2.Schild      P2.Q      P2.Kette      P2.Quick      X10
## Min.       :1      Min.       :1      Min.       :1      Min.       :1      Min.       :1.000
## 1st Qu.:1      1st Qu.:1      1st Qu.:1      1st Qu.:1      1st Qu.:4.000
## Median :1      Median :1      Median :1      Median :1      Median :5.000
## Mean  :1      Mean  :1      Mean  :1      Mean  :1      Mean  :4.373
## 3rd Qu.:1      3rd Qu.:1      3rd Qu.:1      3rd Qu.:1      3rd Qu.:5.000
## Max.   :1      Max.   :1      Max.   :1      Max.   :1      Max.   :5.000
## NA's    :43     NA's    :42     NA's    :37     NA's    :47     NA's    :1
##      X20      X30      X41      X42
## Min.       :1.000   Min.       :1.000   Min.       :1.000   Min.       :1.000
## 1st Qu.:1.250   1st Qu.:1.000   1st Qu.:1.000   1st Qu.:1.000
## Median :3.000   Median :2.000   Median :1.000   Median :1.000
## Mean  :2.778   Mean  :2.364   Mean  :1.918   Mean  :1.885
## 3rd Qu.:3.750   3rd Qu.:3.000   3rd Qu.:3.000   3rd Qu.:3.000
## Max.   :5.000   Max.   :5.000   Max.   :5.000   Max.   :5.000
## NA's    :34     NA's    :8      NA's    :3
##      X43      X44      X45      X51
## Min.       :1.000   Min.       :1.000   Min.       :1.000   Min.       :0.0000
## 1st Qu.:1.000   1st Qu.:1.000   1st Qu.:3.000   1st Qu.:0.0000
## Median :2.000   Median :2.000   Median :4.000   Median :0.0000
## Mean  :1.939   Mean  :1.837   Mean  :3.808   Mean  :0.2941
## 3rd Qu.:3.000   3rd Qu.:2.000   3rd Qu.:5.000   3rd Qu.:1.0000
## Max.   :5.000   Max.   :4.000   Max.   :5.000   Max.   :1.0000
## NA's    :3      NA's    :3
##      X52      X53      X54      X55
## Min.       :0.00   Min.       :1.000   Min.       :1.000   Min.       :1.00
## 1st Qu.:0.00   1st Qu.:3.000   1st Qu.:1.000   1st Qu.:2.00
```

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## Median :0.00 Median :4.000 Median :2.000 Median :3.00
## Mean :0.69 Mean :3.974 Mean :1.927 Mean :3.13
## 3rd Qu.:1.00 3rd Qu.:5.000 3rd Qu.:3.000 3rd Qu.:4.00
## Max. :6.00 Max. :5.000 Max. :4.000 Max. :5.00
## NA's :2 NA's :14 NA's :11 NA's :6
## X56 X61 X62 X63
## Min. :1.00 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000
## 1st Qu.:2.00 1st Qu.:2.000 1st Qu.:3.000 1st Qu.:2.000
## Median :3.00 Median :4.000 Median :4.000 Median :3.000
## Mean :2.87 Mean :3.423 Mean :3.667 Mean :3.192
## 3rd Qu.:4.00 3rd Qu.:5.000 3rd Qu.:5.000 3rd Qu.:4.000
## Max. :5.00 Max. :5.000 Max. :5.000 Max. :5.000
## NA's :6 NA's :1
## X64 X65 X66 X67
## Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.00
## 1st Qu.:2.000 1st Qu.:2.000 1st Qu.:3.000 1st Qu.:2.00
## Median :3.000 Median :3.000 Median :4.000 Median :3.00
## Mean :2.725 Mean :2.706 Mean :3.608 Mean :2.94
## 3rd Qu.:3.000 3rd Qu.:3.000 3rd Qu.:4.000 3rd Qu.:4.00
## Max. :5.000 Max. :5.000 Max. :5.000 Max. :5.00
## NA's :1 NA's :1 NA's :1 NA's :2
## X71 X72 X81 X91
## Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000
## 1st Qu.:3.000 1st Qu.:2.000 1st Qu.:2.000 1st Qu.:2.000
## Median :4.000 Median :3.000 Median :2.500 Median :3.000
## Mean :3.308 Mean :3.157 Mean :2.654 Mean :2.923
## 3rd Qu.:4.000 3rd Qu.:4.000 3rd Qu.:4.000 3rd Qu.:4.000
## Max. :5.000 Max. :5.000 Max. :5.000 Max. :5.000
## NA's :1
## X92 X93 X94 X95
## Min. :1.000 Min. : 5.0 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000
## 1st Qu.:2.000 1st Qu.:60.0 1st Qu.:2.000 1st Qu.:2.000
## Median :3.000 Median :67.5 Median :3.000 Median :3.000
## Mean :2.694 Mean :63.2 Mean :2.923 Mean :3.231
## 3rd Qu.:4.000 3rd Qu.:70.0 3rd Qu.:4.000 3rd Qu.:4.000
## Max. :5.000 Max. :95.0 Max. :5.000 Max. :5.000
## NA's :3 NA's :2
## X96 X97 X98 X99
## Min. :1.00 Min. :1.00 Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000
## 1st Qu.:2.00 1st Qu.:1.00 1st Qu.:3.000 1st Qu.:2.750
## Median :3.00 Median :2.00 Median :4.000 Median :4.000
## Mean :3.14 Mean :2.18 Mean :3.412 Mean :3.327
## 3rd Qu.:4.00 3rd Qu.:3.00 3rd Qu.:4.000 3rd Qu.:4.000
## Max. :5.00 Max. :5.00 Max. :5.000 Max. :5.000
## NA's :2 NA's :2 NA's :1
## X101 X102 X103 X103.5
## Min. :1.000 Min. :1.000 Length:52 Min. :1
## 1st Qu.:1.000 1st Qu.:3.000 Class :character 1st Qu.:1
## Median :1.000 Median :4.000 Mode :character Median :1
## Mean :1.788 Mean :3.519 Mean :1
## 3rd Qu.:2.250 3rd Qu.:5.000 3rd Qu.:1
## Max. :5.000 Max. :5.000 Max. :1
## NA's :32
## X103.6 X103.7 X103.8

```

```
## Min.      :1      Min.      :1      Min.      :1
## 1st Qu.:1      1st Qu.:1      1st Qu.:1
## Median :1      Median :1      Median :1
## Mean    :1      Mean    :1      Mean    :1
## 3rd Qu.:1      3rd Qu.:1      3rd Qu.:1
## Max.     :1      Max.     :1      Max.     :1
## NA's    :38     NA's    :44     NA's    :35
```

Cleaning

```
library(magrittr)
library(dplyr)
##
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'
## Die folgenden Objekte sind maskiert von 'package:stats':
##
##      filter, lag
## Die folgenden Objekte sind maskiert von 'package:base':
##
##      intersect, setdiff, setequal, union

Testergebnis.Fragebogen %<>% select(-Person.2, -X103)
Testergebnis.Fragebogen$P2.Stab[is.na(Testergebnis.Fragebogen$P2.Stab)] <- 0
Testergebnis.Fragebogen$P2.LP[is.na(Testergebnis.Fragebogen$P2.LP)] <- 0
Testergebnis.Fragebogen$P2.Schild[is.na(Testergebnis.Fragebogen$P2.Schild)] <- 0
Testergebnis.Fragebogen$P2.Q[is.na(Testergebnis.Fragebogen$P2.Q)] <- 0
Testergebnis.Fragebogen$P2.Kette[is.na(Testergebnis.Fragebogen$P2.Kette)] <- 0
Testergebnis.Fragebogen$P2.Quick[is.na(Testergebnis.Fragebogen$P2.Quick)] <- 0

Testergebnis.Fragebogen$X103.5[is.na(Testergebnis.Fragebogen$X103.5)] <- 0
Testergebnis.Fragebogen$X103.6[is.na(Testergebnis.Fragebogen$X103.6)] <- 0
Testergebnis.Fragebogen$X103.7[is.na(Testergebnis.Fragebogen$X103.7)] <- 0
Testergebnis.Fragebogen$X103.8[is.na(Testergebnis.Fragebogen$X103.8)] <- 0

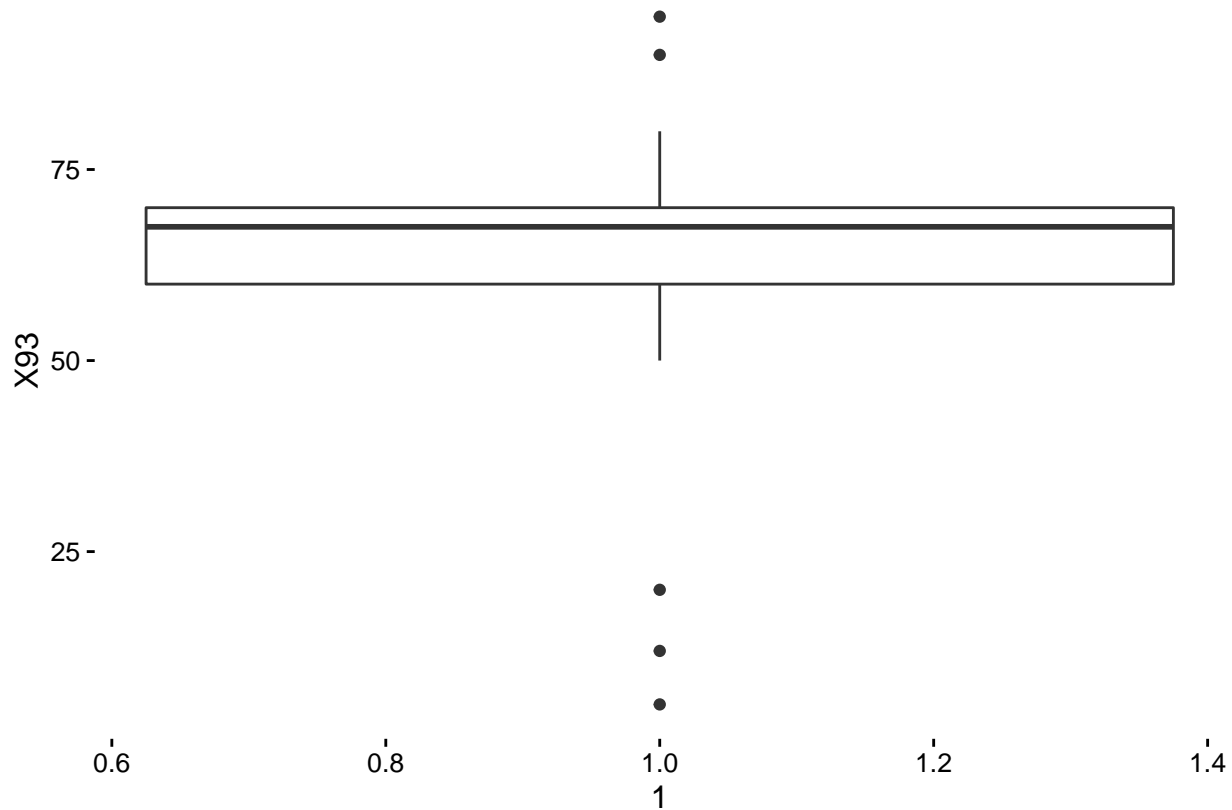
Testergebnis.Fragebogen %<>% mutate(P2.Stab = as.factor(P2.Stab), P2.LP = as.factor(P2.LP), P2.Schild =
```

Note: There are a lot of questions that are asked wrong - the meaning of some of the answers is in many cases not clear. This is due to relative statements with no given baseline in the questions. Given the context and that the hypothesis to each statement is known (or guessable) beforehand makes it still possible - but quit dirty - to analyse all questions. However i issue a warning to not give these results to much credibility.

Note on Q93: Gerd already found that two outliers exist. Some more do exist and the downward outliers might be caused by reading/understanding the question wrong. I do not try to correct this (since i do not know the truth) and keep them in the data set. At a later point i might decide to drop them and will note this accordingly

```
library(dplyr)
library(ggplot2)

ggplot(Testergebnis.Fragebogen %>% select(X93) %>% filter(!is.na(X93))) + geom_boxplot(aes(x = 1, y = X93))
```



```
# tX93 <- scale(Testergebnis.Fragebogen$X93)
# Testergebnis.Fragebogen$X93[abs(tX93) > 1.5] <- NA
```

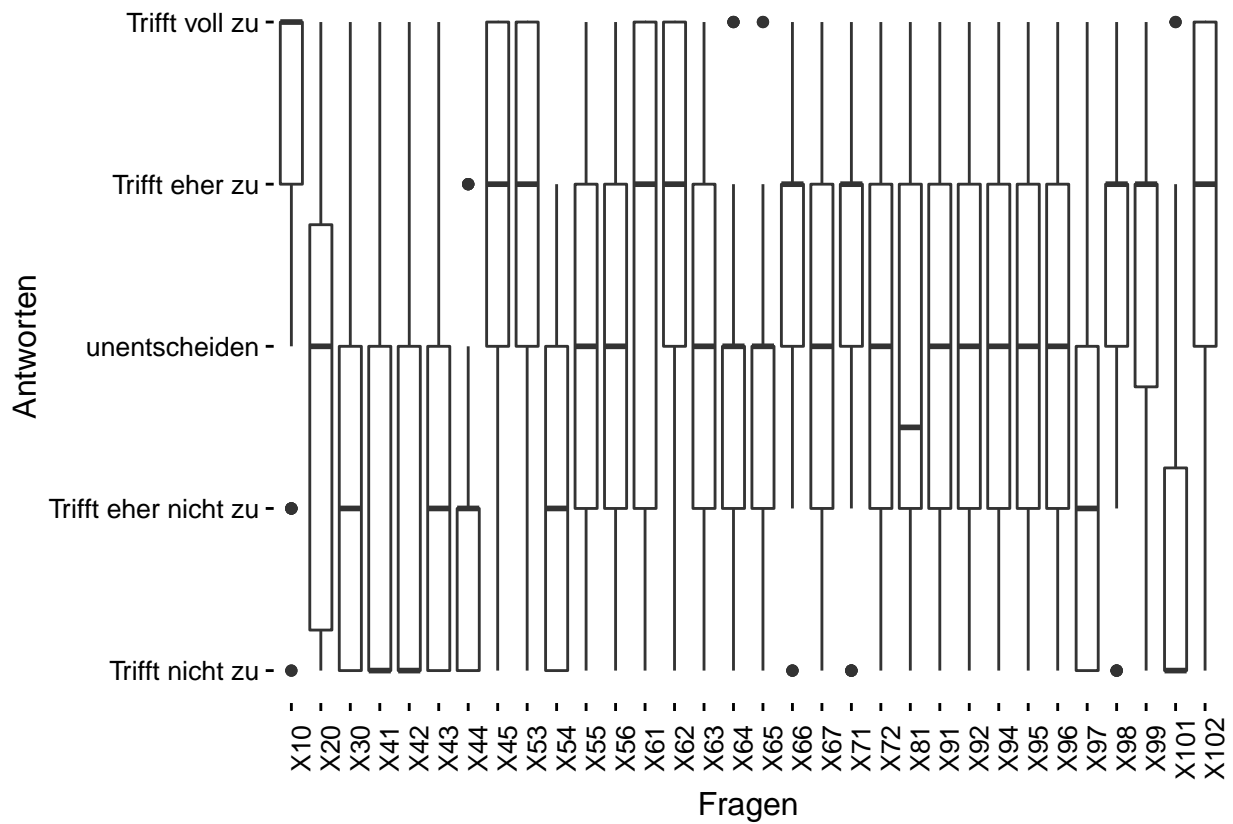
Basic Visualisation and exploration

Note: Question Person.2 (which is your MAIN Pompe) is somewhat ill posed. However important in the current context is just the number of chain players, all others can be treated the same.

- Count of questionnaires: 52
- Count of chains: 15
- Ratio of chains: 0.2884615

```
library(ggplot2)
library(reshape2)
library(knitr)

# boxplot for each score
ggplot(melt(Testergebnis.Fragebogen %>% select(-Person.1, -P2.Q,-P2.Stab,-P2.LP,-P2.Schild,-P2.Quick, -P2.Chain))) +
  geom_boxplot(aes(x = variable, y = value)) +
  theme_classic() + theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 90)) +
  scale_y_continuous(name = "Antworten", breaks = 1:5, minor_breaks = NULL, labels = c("Trifft nicht zu", "1", "2", "3", "4")) +
  scale_x_discrete(name = "Fragen")
```



```
# Aggregate of all scores
```

```
Testergebnis.stats <- Testergebnis.Fragebogen %>% select(-Person.1, -P2.Q,-P2.Stab,-P2.LP,-P2.Schild,-P
```

```
ggplot(Testergebnis.stats) +
```

```
  geom_bar(aes(x = variable, y = avg),stat = "identity") +
```

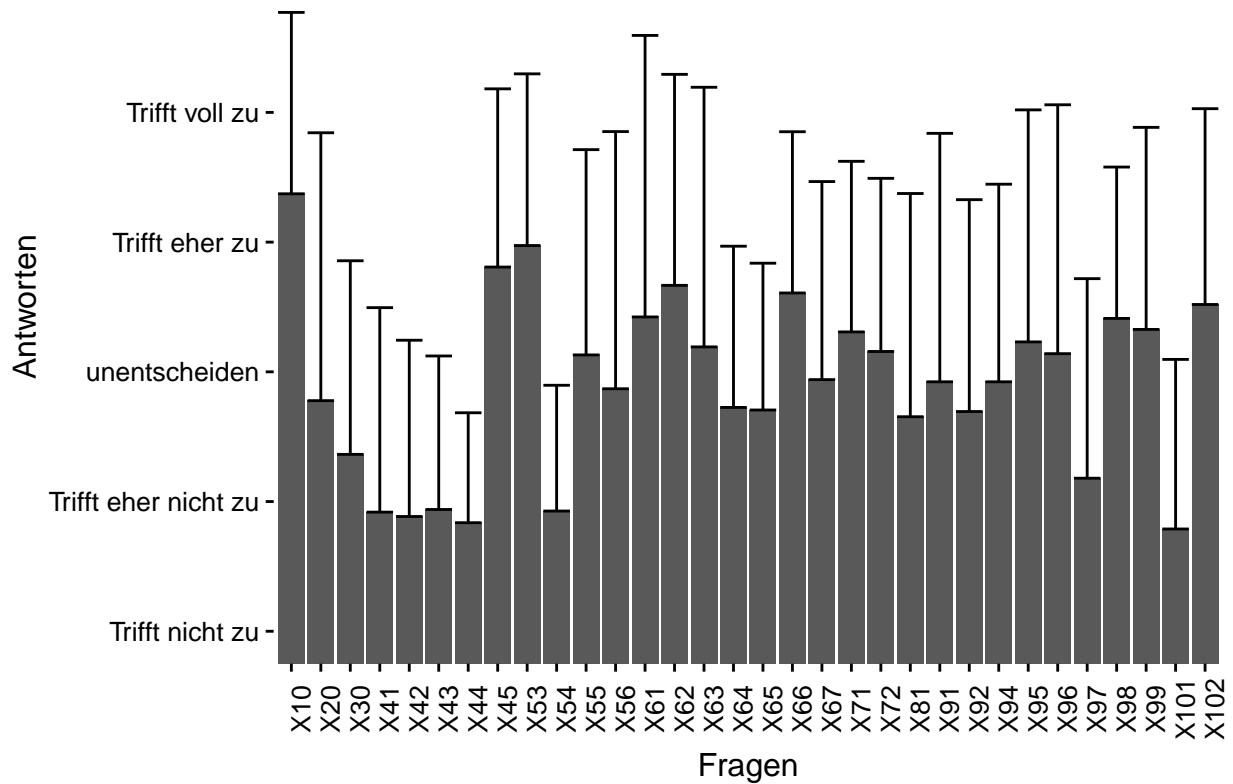
```
  geom_errorbar(aes(x = variable, ymin = avg, ymax = avg+var)) +
```

```
  coord_cartesian(ylim = c(1,6)) +
```

```
  theme_classic() + theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 90)) +
```

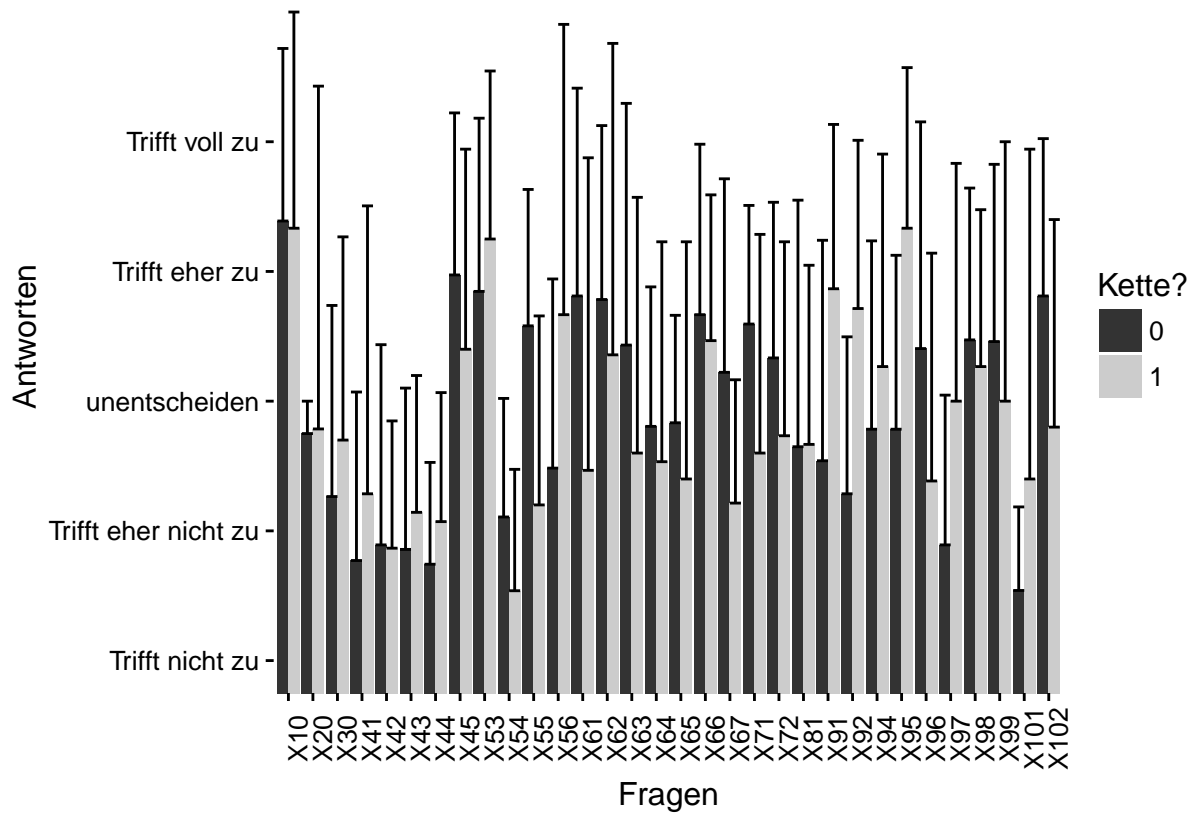
```
  scale_y_continuous(name = "Antworten", breaks = 1:5, minor_breaks = NULL, labels = c("Trifft nicht zu
```

```
  scale_x_discrete(name = "Fragen")
```



Aggregate of all scores nach Kette/nicht-Kette

```
Testergebnis.stats2 <- Testergebnis.Fragebogen %>% select(-Person.1, -P2.Q,-P2.Stab,-P2.LP,-P2.Schild,-P2.Schild.1)
ggplot(Testergebnis.stats2) +
  geom_bar(aes(x = variable, y = avg, fill = P2.Kette),stat = "identity", position = "dodge") +
  geom_errorbar(aes(x = variable, ymin = avg, ymax = avg+var, fill = P2.Kette), position = "dodge", width = 0.5) +
  coord_cartesian(ylim = c(1,6)) +
  theme_classic() + theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 90)) +
  scale_y_continuous(name = "Antworten", breaks = 1:5, minor_breaks = NULL, labels = c("Trifft nicht zu", "Trifft eher nicht zu", "unentscheiden", "Trifft eher zu", "Trifft voll zu")) +
  scale_x_discrete(name = "Fragen") +
  # scale_fill_discrete(name = "Kette") +
  scale_fill_grey(name = "Kette?")
```



First statistics

```
chain.stats <- Testergebnis.Fragebogen %>% select(-Person.1, -P2.Q,-P2.Stab,-P2.LP,-P2.Schild,-P2.Quick

##### normality
ntest <- data.frame(Question = colnames(chain.stats), W = NA, p = NA, "H0 rejected?" = NA, stringsAsFac
for (ci in 1:ncol(chain.stats)) {
  st <- shapiro.test(x = chain.stats[,ci])
  ntest[ci,2] <- st$statistic
  ntest[ci,3] <- st$p.value
  ntest[ci,4] <- st$p.value < 0.05
}

kable(x = ntest, digits = 2,
      caption = "Results of the Shapiro-test for normality. TRUE means H0 was rejected at confidence level 0.05")
```

Table 1: Results of the Shapiro-test for normality. TRUE means H0 was rejected at confidence level 0.05.

Question	W	p	H0.rejected.
X10	0.59	0.00	TRUE
X20	0.88	0.03	TRUE
X30	0.87	0.00	TRUE
X41	0.72	0.00	TRUE

Question	W	p	H0.rejected.
X42	0.76	0.00	TRUE
X43	0.80	0.00	TRUE
X44	0.79	0.00	TRUE
X45	0.85	0.00	TRUE
X53	0.82	0.00	TRUE
X54	0.82	0.00	TRUE
X55	0.91	0.00	TRUE
X56	0.89	0.00	TRUE
X61	0.83	0.00	TRUE
X62	0.84	0.00	TRUE
X63	0.88	0.00	TRUE
X64	0.90	0.00	TRUE
X65	0.86	0.00	TRUE
X66	0.86	0.00	TRUE
X67	0.90	0.00	TRUE
X71	0.89	0.00	TRUE
X72	0.90	0.00	TRUE
X81	0.89	0.00	TRUE
X91	0.87	0.00	TRUE
X92	0.90	0.00	TRUE
X94	0.90	0.00	TRUE
X95	0.89	0.00	TRUE
X96	0.89	0.00	TRUE
X97	0.83	0.00	TRUE
X98	0.85	0.00	TRUE
X99	0.89	0.00	TRUE
X101	0.72	0.00	TRUE
X102	0.89	0.00	TRUE

```
##### H0 test
wtest <- data.frame(Question = colnames(chain.stats), V = NA, p = NA, "H0 rejected?" = NA, "H0 rejected" = NA)
for (ci in 1:ncol(chain.stats)) {
  wt <- wilcox.test(x = chain.stats[,ci], alternative = "two.sided", mu = 3)
  wtest[ci,2] <- wt$statistic
  wtest[ci,3] <- wt$p.value
  wtest[ci,4] <- wt$p.value < 0.05
  wtest[ci,5] <- wt$p.value < 0.05 / ncol(chain.stats)
}

kable(x = wtest, digits = 2,
      caption = "Results of the Wilcoxon signed rank test with continuity correction. TRUE means H0 was rejected at confidence level 0.05 - either without or with Bonferroni correction for multiple comparison.")
```

Table 2: Results of the Wilcoxon signed rank test with continuity correction. TRUE means H0 was rejected at confidence level 0.05 - either without or with Bonferroni correction for multiple comparison.

Question	V	p	H0.rejected.	H0.rejected..Bonferroni
X10	1137.5	0.00	TRUE	TRUE
X20	30.5	0.51	FALSE	FALSE

Question	V	p	H0.rejected.	H0.rejected..Bonferroni
X30	99.0	0.00	TRUE	FALSE
X41	55.0	0.00	TRUE	TRUE
X42	89.0	0.00	TRUE	TRUE
X43	44.5	0.00	TRUE	TRUE
X44	48.0	0.00	TRUE	TRUE
X45	643.5	0.00	TRUE	TRUE
X53	437.0	0.00	TRUE	TRUE
X54	22.5	0.00	TRUE	TRUE
X55	264.5	0.50	FALSE	FALSE
X56	296.0	0.55	FALSE	FALSE
X61	760.0	0.07	FALSE	FALSE
X62	755.0	0.00	TRUE	FALSE
X63	488.0	0.45	FALSE	FALSE
X64	149.5	0.08	FALSE	FALSE
X65	88.0	0.04	TRUE	FALSE
X66	705.0	0.00	TRUE	TRUE
X67	252.5	0.61	FALSE	FALSE
X71	508.5	0.08	FALSE	FALSE
X72	428.5	0.38	FALSE	FALSE
X81	281.0	0.07	FALSE	FALSE
X91	442.5	0.53	FALSE	FALSE
X92	256.0	0.09	FALSE	FALSE
X94	409.5	0.59	FALSE	FALSE
X95	487.5	0.29	FALSE	FALSE
X96	472.5	0.58	FALSE	FALSE
X97	93.0	0.00	TRUE	TRUE
X98	580.0	0.02	TRUE	FALSE
X99	531.0	0.09	FALSE	FALSE
X101	74.0	0.00	TRUE	TRUE
X102	616.0	0.00	TRUE	FALSE

Note: the above test confirm Gerds intuition on most of the questions and answers.

Another note: I hoped for the data to be such that i can highlight some possible p-Hacking in there to support an argument about statistics - how one can (intended or not) shift the results of an anlysis based on his or her prejudices. But “sadly” the data did not follow and so even with two-sided testing and quit conservative Bonferroni correction the pattern of significant answers emerges. (ps: I’m not t-testing here, because the data is not normal enough)

Next: group differences between chain and non-chain players!

```
chain.stats <- Testergebnis.Fragebogen %>% select(-Person.1, -P2.Q,-P2.Stab,-P2.LP,-P2.Schild,-P2.Quick

##### two-sample H0 test
twtest <- data.frame(Question = colnames(chain.stats)[-1], V = NA, p = NA, "H0 rejected?" = NA, "H0 rej
for (ci in 2:ncol(chain.stats)) {
  twt <- wilcox.test(x = chain.stats[chain.stats[,1] == 1,ci], y = chain.stats[chain.stats[,1] != 1,ci]
  twtest[ci-1,2] <- twt$statistic
  twtest[ci-1,3] <- twt$p.value
  twtest[ci-1,4] <- twt$p.value < 0.05
  twtest[ci-1,5] <- twt$p.value < 0.05 / ncol(chain.stats)
}
```

```
kable(x = twtest, digits = 2,
      caption = "Results of the two-sample Wilcoxon signed rank test with continuity correction - differences in ratings between chain and non-chain players")
```

Table 3: Results of the two-sample Wilcoxon signed rank test with continuity correction - differences in ratings between chain players and non-chain players. TRUE means H0 was rejected at confidence level 0.05 - either without or with Bonferroni correction for multiple comparison.

Question	V	p	H0.rejected.	H0.rejected..Bonferroni
X10	270.0	1.00	FALSE	FALSE
X20	28.0	1.00	FALSE	FALSE
X30	205.5	0.31	FALSE	FALSE
X41	294.5	0.21	FALSE	FALSE
X42	291.5	0.77	FALSE	FALSE
X43	289.0	0.30	FALSE	FALSE
X44	294.0	0.25	FALSE	FALSE
X45	205.5	0.13	FALSE	FALSE
X53	191.5	0.25	FALSE	FALSE
X54	116.5	0.05	FALSE	FALSE
X55	88.5	0.00	TRUE	TRUE
X56	340.5	0.01	TRUE	FALSE
X61	152.5	0.01	TRUE	FALSE
X62	224.0	0.45	FALSE	FALSE
X63	185.5	0.06	FALSE	FALSE
X64	216.5	0.25	FALSE	FALSE
X65	216.5	0.24	FALSE	FALSE
X66	239.5	0.51	FALSE	FALSE
X67	130.0	0.01	TRUE	FALSE
X71	152.5	0.01	TRUE	FALSE
X72	192.0	0.10	FALSE	FALSE
X81	284.5	0.89	FALSE	FALSE
X91	431.0	0.00	TRUE	TRUE
X92	399.0	0.00	TRUE	TRUE
X94	339.5	0.20	FALSE	FALSE
X95	473.5	0.00	TRUE	TRUE
X96	141.0	0.02	TRUE	FALSE
X97	349.5	0.01	TRUE	FALSE
X98	240.0	0.51	FALSE	FALSE
X99	225.5	0.28	FALSE	FALSE
X101	356.5	0.07	FALSE	FALSE
X102	150.0	0.01	TRUE	FALSE

Now it's getting interesting (i report only Bonferroni corrected significance, since no hypothesis exists):

- On doubles chain players and non-chain players seem to disagree (Q55)
- The three questions about the value of chain specialities - such as hit-rate, reach and pin (Q91, Q92, Q95) - are seen differently by chains than by non-chains.

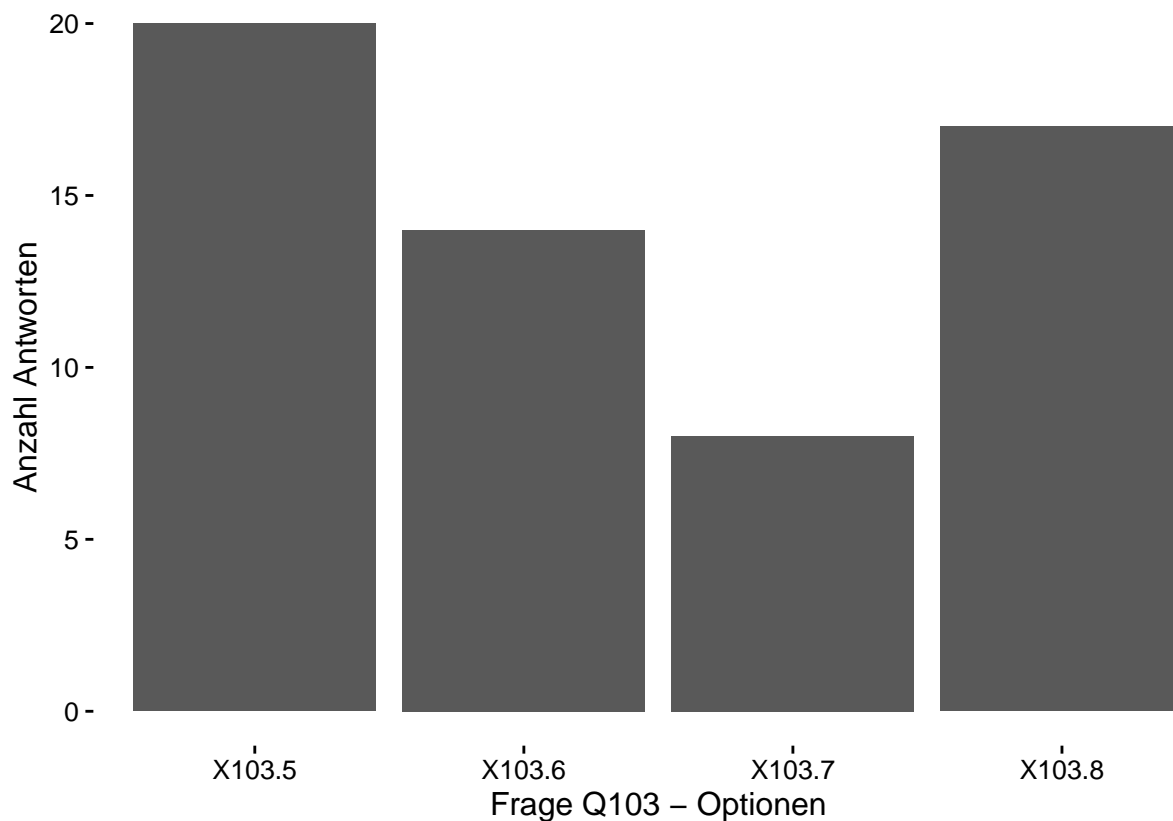
And now onto Gerds big news: **Question 103!** What number of stones is preferred? 5,6,7 or *more than 8*? (note that *more than 8* was recorded by some subjects as *8 or above*, nevertheless the answer options were

erronouse and we can't dismiss any effect of this on the results with absolute certainty - even though it seems plausible)

```
library(reshape2)
X103.stats <- Testergebnis.Fragebogen %>% select(X103.5,X103.6,X103.7,X103.8) %>% summarise_all(funs(sum))

ggplot(melt(X103.stats)) +
  geom_bar(aes(x = variable, y = value), stat = "identity") +
  theme_classic() +
  scale_y_continuous(name = "Anzahl Antworten") +
  scale_x_discrete(name = "Frage Q103 - Optionen")
```

No id variables; using all as measure variables



```
# only consider answers for 5 and 8 (6 and 7 are noise to me, since no hypothesis nor test for those wa
binom.test(x = c(X103.stats$X103.5[1], X103.stats$X103.8[1]), p = 0.5, alternative = "greater")
```

```
##
## Exact binomial test
##
## data: c(X103.stats$X103.5[1], X103.stats$X103.8[1])
## number of successes = 20, number of trials = 37, p-value = 0.3714
## alternative hypothesis: true probability of success is greater than 0.5
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## 0.3938002 1.0000000
## sample estimates:
```

```
## probability of success
## 0.5405405
```

```
binom.test(x = X103.stats$X103.5[1], n = nrow(Testergebnis.Fragebogen), p = 0.5, alternative = "greater")
```

```
##
## Exact binomial test
##
## data: X103.stats$X103.5[1] and nrow(Testergebnis.Fragebogen)
## number of successes = 20, number of trials = 52, p-value = 0.9648
## alternative hypothesis: true probability of success is greater than 0.5
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## 0.2714462 1.0000000
## sample estimates:
## probability of success
## 0.3846154
```

As we can see, there is no significant trend towards one side or the other. Given that we have a very likely recruiters bias (among other methodological problems) i might add that the 8-to-5 ratio might be totally different in the general population, as to 8 being the significant more prominent answer - this of course is speculative, but on the other side many of Gerds conclusions are speculative too.

Relations

Years of experience against ratings and ratings against ratings:

```
chain.stats <- Testergebnis.Fragebogen %>% select(-P2.Q,-P2.Stab,-P2.LP,-P2.Schild,-P2.Quick,-P2.Kette,
chain.stats.cor <- chain.stats %>% psych::corr.test(use = "pairwise", method = "pearson", adjust = "holm")
# note: holm multiple comparison correction is already applied here

kable(x = data.frame(Question = colnames(chain.stats.cor$r)[-1],
ChainR = chain.stats.cor$r[-1,"Person.1"],
ChainP = chain.stats.cor$p[-1,"Person.1"],
ChainPs = chain.stats.cor$p[-1,"Person.1"] < 0.05),
digits = 2, caption = "Correlation results of years of experience (Person.1) with all other ratings")
```

Table 4: Correlation results of years of experience (Person.1) with all other ratings

	Question	ChainR	ChainP	ChainPs
X10	X10	0.02	0.91	FALSE
X20	X20	-0.25	0.33	FALSE
X30	X30	-0.38	0.01	TRUE
X41	X41	-0.19	0.21	FALSE
X42	X42	-0.25	0.08	FALSE
X43	X43	-0.35	0.02	TRUE
X44	X44	-0.16	0.28	FALSE
X45	X45	0.06	0.67	FALSE
X53	X53	0.00	0.99	FALSE
X54	X54	0.02	0.91	FALSE

	Question	ChainR	ChainP	ChainPs
X55	X55	0.04	0.80	FALSE
X56	X56	-0.15	0.34	FALSE
X61	X61	-0.08	0.59	FALSE
X62	X62	0.10	0.50	FALSE
X63	X63	0.10	0.49	FALSE
X64	X64	0.03	0.83	FALSE
X65	X65	0.00	0.99	FALSE
X66	X66	0.07	0.64	FALSE
X67	X67	-0.09	0.55	FALSE
X71	X71	-0.14	0.32	FALSE
X72	X72	-0.04	0.76	FALSE
X81	X81	-0.17	0.25	FALSE
X91	X91	-0.27	0.06	FALSE
X92	X92	-0.23	0.13	FALSE
X93	X93	-0.25	0.09	FALSE
X94	X94	0.04	0.77	FALSE
X95	X95	-0.04	0.79	FALSE
X96	X96	-0.14	0.34	FALSE
X97	X97	0.07	0.62	FALSE
X98	X98	-0.39	0.01	TRUE
X99	X99	0.00	1.00	FALSE
X101	X101	0.11	0.46	FALSE
X102	X102	-0.14	0.33	FALSE

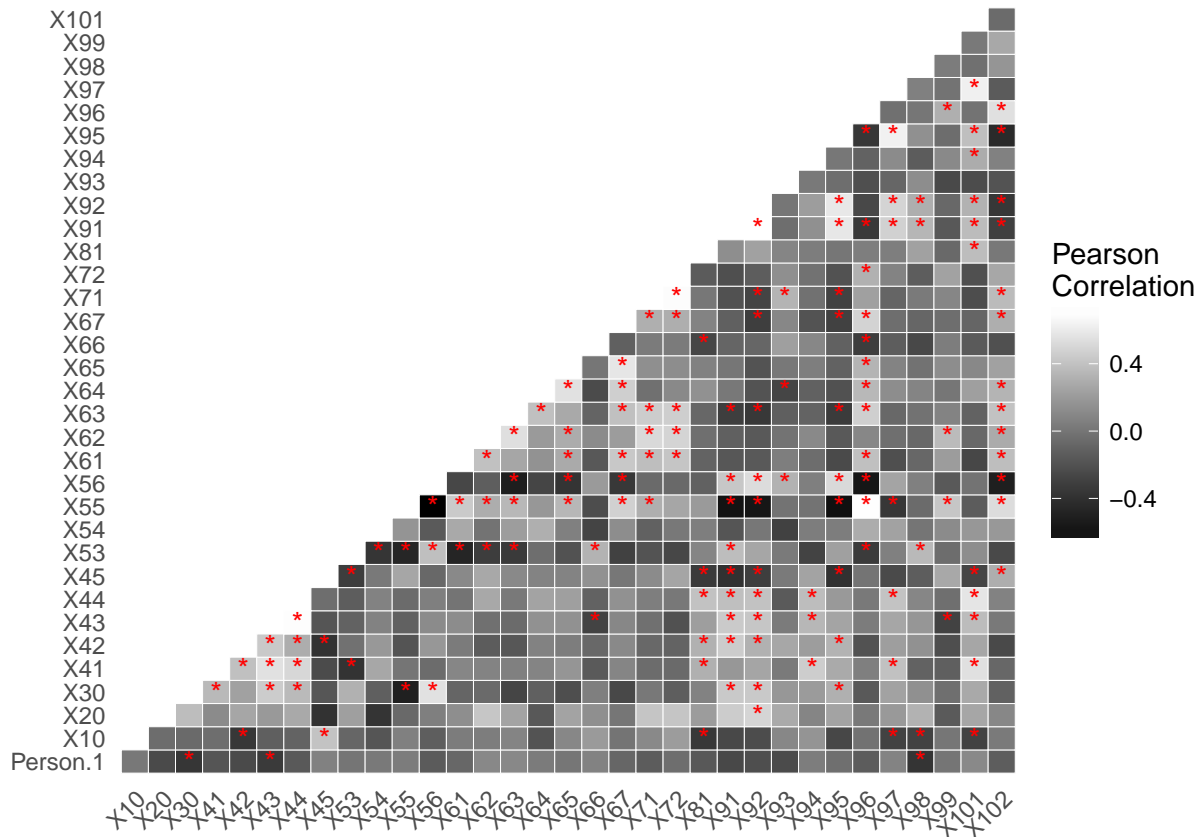
Note on years: interesting relations of experience

- more experience, less important was the missing of tactical interactions with chains (Q30)
- more experience, less was the game perceived influence of the rule change (Q43)
- more experience, less faster/wilder/stressful (Q98)

```
library(reshape2)
library(ggplot2)

chain.stats.cor$r[upper.tri(chain.stats.cor$r, diag = TRUE)] <- NA
chain.stats.cor <- chain.stats.cor %>% inner_join(melt(r), melt(p), by = c("Var1" = "Var1", "Var2" = "Var2"))

ggplot(chain.stats.cor, aes(Var1, Var2, fill = r)) + geom_tile(colour = "white") +
  geom_text(aes(Var1, Var2, label = ifelse(p < 0.05, "*", "")), color = "red", size = 4) +
  theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 45, vjust = 1, hjust = 1), axis.title.x = element_blank(),
        axis.title.y = element_blank(), panel.grid.major = element_blank(), panel.border = element_blank(),
        scale_fill_gradient(low = "black", high = "white", name = "Pearson\nCorrelation"))
```



red dots mark significant correlations

It is a bit confusing - many variables (34 variables resulting in 561 unique correlations) and many significant correlations (147!). Lets try something else more visually convenient: Let's treat the correlation matrix as a adjacency matrix (thresholded by $p < 0.05$)

Also note: The high number of significant correlations is a hint that the items are not measuring independent components, but rather rely on a few latent dimensions. Lets test this first!

```
chain.stats <- Testergebnis.Fragebogen %>% select(-Person.1, -P2.Q,-P2.Stab,-P2.LP,-P2.Schild,-P2.Quick)
factors <- prcomp(formula = ~ ., data = chain.stats, center = TRUE, scale = TRUE, retx = TRUE, na.action = na.omit)
kable(x = data.frame(PC = colnames(factors$rotation), Standard.deviations = round(factors$sdev,2)), digits = 2,
      caption = "Standard deviations of all primary components of the questionnaire data set.")
```

Table 5: Standard deviations of all primary components of the questionnaire data set.

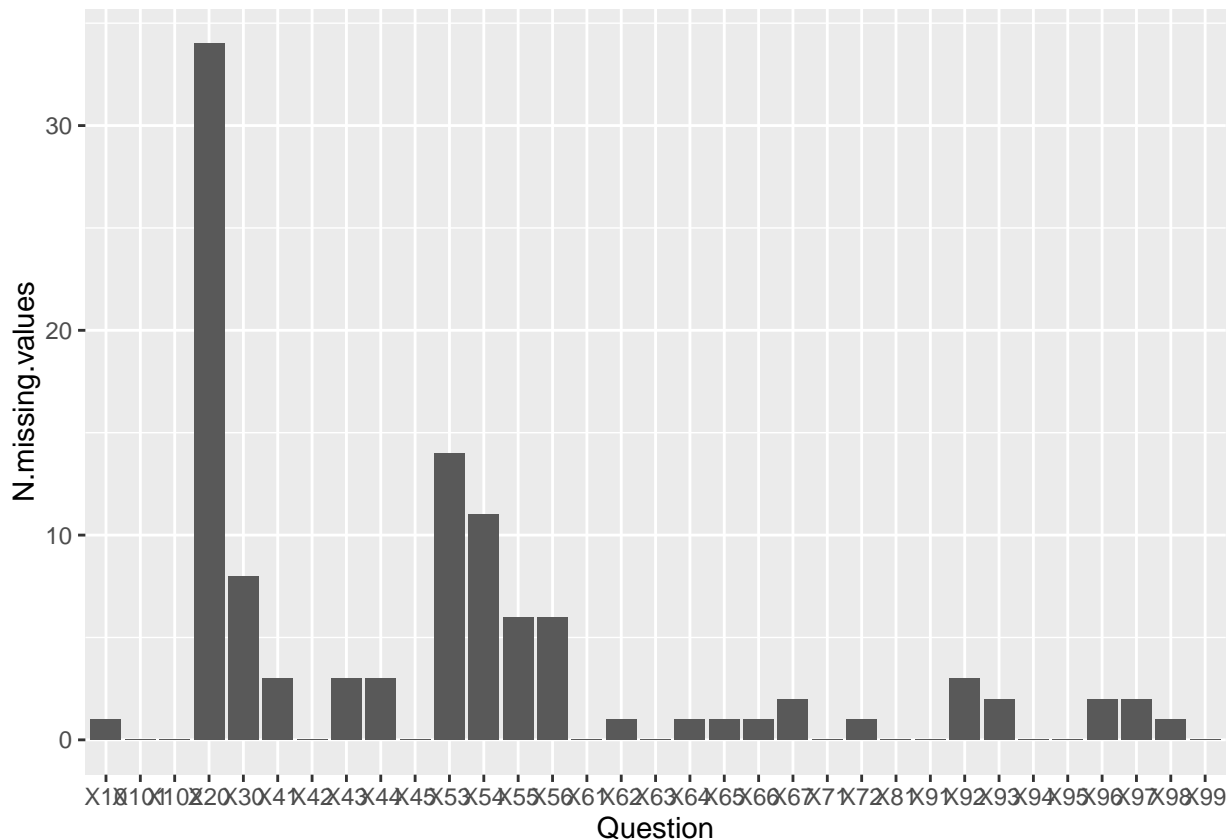
PC	Standard.deviations
PC1	2.90
PC2	2.76
PC3	2.59
PC4	2.06
PC5	1.73
PC6	1.56

PC	Standard.deviations
PC7	0.74
PC8	0.00

```
#kable(x = as.data.frame(factors$rotation), digits = 2,
#      caption = "Rotations matrix of the primary factor analysis. Shows decomposition of the factors i
```

Only eight components are within this one data set and the last one is effectively zero, which reduces the number of components to 7. At first this seems like an interesting result, but hold on! How many rows of the result table are without any missing values? Exactly 8! Well that explains a lot ... But lets have a look at the questions without answers: It turns out that question 20 asks only chain players (and thus 34 missing values), 30 asks only Pompfers (8 missing values - discrepancies with the numbers of the question Person2 are due to the fact that Person2 asks only for the main Pompfe, while Q20 and Q30 apply also for secondary and tertiary Pompfe), 53 and 54 are only applicable if a chain-double occurred to that player (14 and 11 missing values). This is good news, since subjects read and followed the instructions :) So next take on primary components:

```
library(ggplot2)
ggplot(data = data.frame(Question = colnames(chain.stats), N.missing.values = colSums(is.na(chain.stats
```



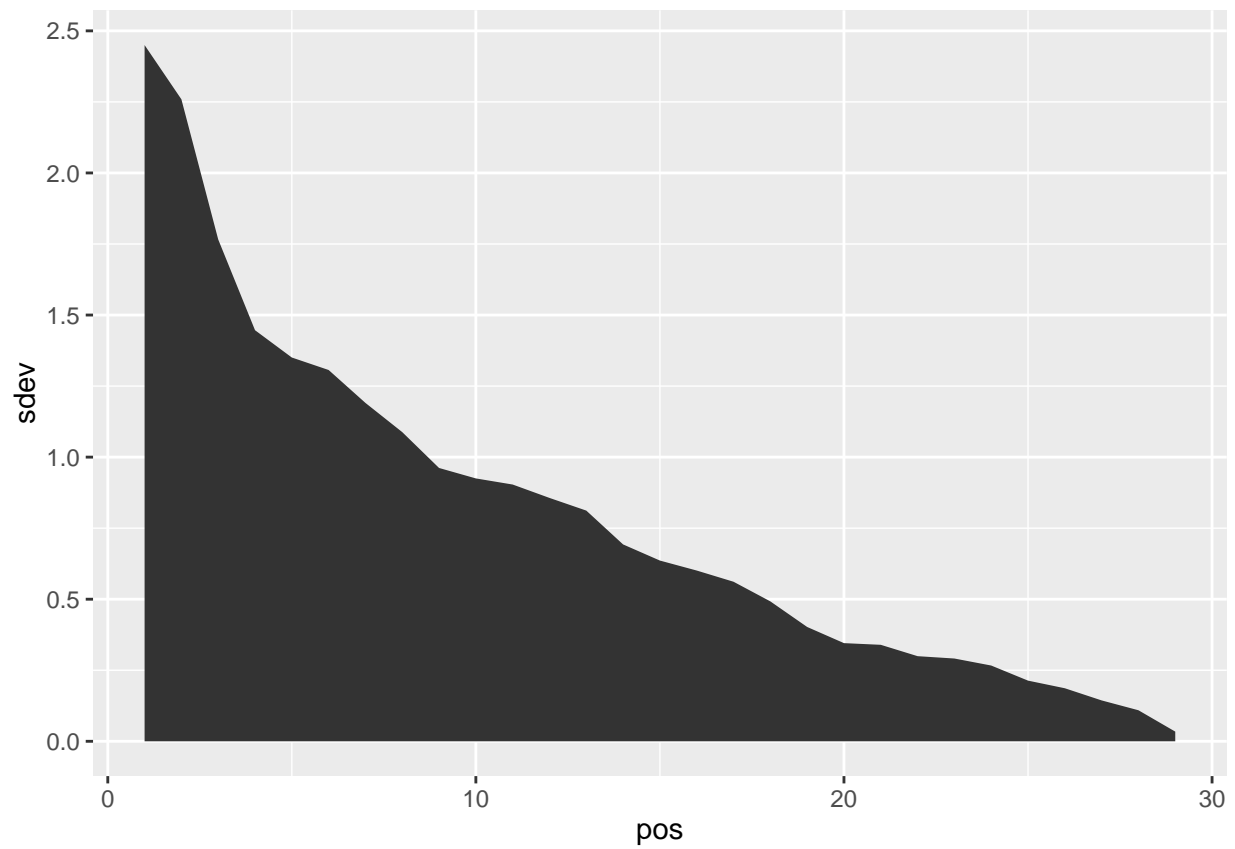
```
chain.stats <- Testergebnis.Fragebogen %>% select(-Person.1, -P2.Q,-P2.Stab,-P2.LP,-P2.Schild,-P2.Quick
factors <- prcomp(formula = ~ ., data = chain.stats, center = TRUE, scale = TRUE, retx = TRUE, na.action
```

```
kable(x = data.frame(PC = colnames(factors$rotation), Standard.deviations = round(factors$sdev,2)), digits = 2,
      caption = "Standard deviations of all primary components of the questionnaire data set.")
```

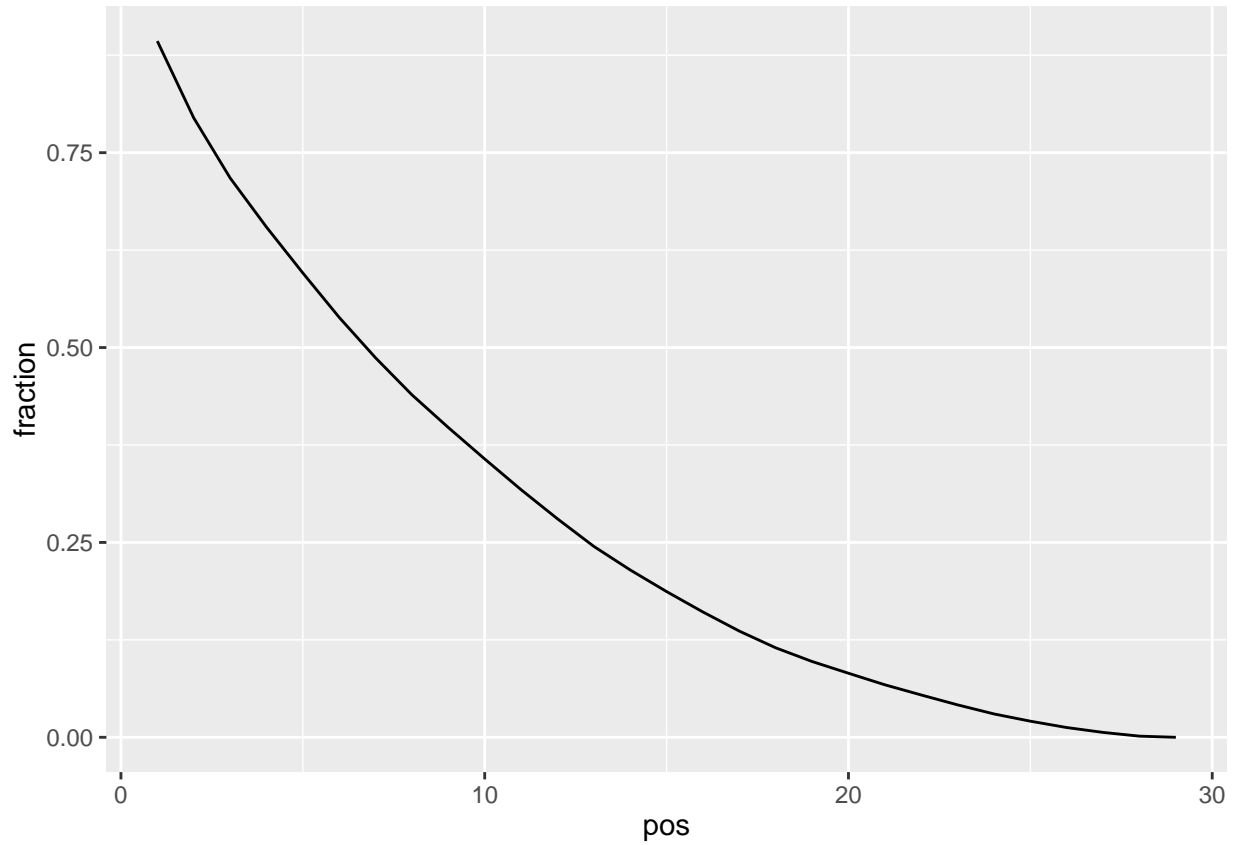
Table 6: Standard deviations of all primary components of the questionnaire data set.

PC	Standard.deviations
PC1	2.45
PC2	2.26
PC3	1.77
PC4	1.45
PC5	1.35
PC6	1.31
PC7	1.19
PC8	1.09
PC9	0.96
PC10	0.93
PC11	0.90
PC12	0.86
PC13	0.81
PC14	0.69
PC15	0.64
PC16	0.60
PC17	0.56
PC18	0.49
PC19	0.40
PC20	0.35
PC21	0.34
PC22	0.30
PC23	0.29
PC24	0.27
PC25	0.21
PC26	0.19
PC27	0.14
PC28	0.11
PC29	0.03

```
ggplot(data = data.frame(pos = 1:length(colnames(factors$rotation)), PC = colnames(factors$rotation), sdev = round(factors$sdev,2)), aes(x = pos, y = sdev))
```

```
ggplot(data = data.frame(pos = 1:length(colnames(factors$rotation)),PC = colnames(factors$rotation), fr
```



```
kable(x = as.data.frame(factors$rotation), digits = 2,
      caption = "Rotations matrix of the primary factor analysis. Shows decomposition of the factors in")
```

Table 7: Rotations matrix of the primary factor analysis. Shows decomposition of the factors into the s

	PC1	PC2	PC3	PC4	PC5	PC6	PC7	PC8	PC9	PC10	PC11	PC12	PC13	PC14	PC15
X10	0.06	-0.25	0.34	0.00	0.06	-0.22	0.14	-0.26	0.07	0.13	-0.13	-0.09	0.10	0.03	0.00
X41	-0.05	0.25	0.23	-0.20	0.25	-0.09	-0.24	-0.13	-0.04	-0.08	-0.19	-0.16	0.02	-0.24	0.12
X42	-0.10	0.23	0.13	0.23	0.05	-0.13	-0.15	0.01	-0.05	0.40	-0.03	0.14	0.59	-0.11	0.13
X43	-0.09	0.31	0.16	0.09	0.19	-0.19	0.15	-0.02	-0.04	-0.29	-0.06	0.20	-0.20	-0.10	0.24
X44	-0.11	0.30	0.23	-0.09	0.14	0.03	0.17	0.12	-0.04	-0.12	0.18	0.06	-0.15	0.29	0.14
X45	0.16	-0.23	0.14	-0.14	0.07	-0.11	0.29	0.30	-0.33	0.08	-0.04	-0.25	0.03	0.27	-0.04
X55	0.34	0.10	-0.10	-0.07	0.21	-0.04	0.05	-0.10	0.18	0.08	0.05	-0.11	-0.01	0.23	0.09
X56	-0.27	-0.12	0.14	0.07	-0.08	0.05	0.16	0.13	-0.28	0.15	0.13	0.01	-0.39	-0.45	0.15
X61	0.24	0.13	0.14	0.01	-0.01	-0.05	0.24	-0.45	-0.17	-0.16	-0.04	0.06	-0.02	-0.02	-0.39
X62	0.17	0.10	0.26	-0.18	-0.16	0.29	0.12	0.11	0.04	-0.30	0.12	-0.33	0.12	-0.12	0.05
X63	0.25	0.14	0.07	0.03	-0.23	0.16	-0.25	0.06	-0.18	-0.24	-0.10	-0.18	0.16	0.01	0.33
X64	0.10	0.23	-0.19	-0.07	-0.28	-0.24	0.05	0.27	-0.38	0.14	0.04	0.08	-0.04	-0.13	-0.19
X65	0.13	0.16	0.12	-0.07	-0.27	-0.45	0.04	0.06	0.34	-0.08	0.00	-0.13	-0.02	-0.21	-0.33
X66	0.00	-0.24	0.26	-0.15	-0.19	0.01	-0.08	0.19	0.48	0.00	0.07	0.31	-0.08	0.06	0.19
X67	0.19	0.23	0.06	0.13	-0.20	-0.30	-0.05	0.08	0.01	0.08	0.39	-0.09	-0.03	0.10	0.29
X71	0.15	0.11	0.31	0.28	-0.04	0.35	-0.10	0.07	0.12	-0.01	0.01	0.18	-0.12	-0.20	-0.23
X72	0.16	-0.01	0.29	0.09	-0.23	0.34	-0.05	-0.20	-0.25	0.28	0.11	0.09	0.03	0.16	-0.05
X81	-0.02	0.22	-0.13	0.20	0.37	0.23	0.02	0.12	0.17	0.16	0.33	-0.32	-0.02	-0.12	-0.19
X91	-0.27	0.17	0.09	0.07	-0.26	-0.01	0.24	0.05	0.12	-0.02	0.17	0.17	0.21	0.17	-0.18

	PC1	PC2	PC3	PC4	PC5	PC6	PC7	PC8	PC9	PC10	PC11	PC12	PC13	PC14	PC15
X92	-0.30	0.10	0.11	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.33	-0.27	-0.01	-0.03	0.10	0.01	0.08	0.12	0.09
X93	0.02	-0.08	0.27	0.42	-0.01	-0.14	-0.03	0.05	0.12	0.28	-0.18	-0.37	-0.32	0.10	0.01
X94	0.02	0.03	0.36	-0.25	0.32	-0.08	0.00	0.34	-0.11	0.14	-0.19	0.17	0.11	0.03	-0.09
X95	-0.32	0.08	0.04	-0.12	-0.21	0.02	-0.07	-0.18	0.02	0.04	-0.27	-0.28	0.05	-0.15	0.04
X96	0.26	0.21	-0.13	-0.04	0.00	-0.06	0.02	-0.27	0.01	0.27	-0.07	0.20	-0.31	0.04	0.25
X97	-0.23	0.19	0.03	-0.18	-0.26	0.08	-0.24	-0.05	-0.05	0.09	-0.19	-0.05	-0.25	0.36	-0.09
X98	-0.08	0.15	-0.17	0.25	-0.15	0.12	0.43	0.17	0.15	-0.01	-0.40	-0.15	0.11	0.12	0.17
X99	0.13	0.00	-0.05	-0.44	-0.12	0.16	0.35	-0.10	0.15	0.36	0.08	-0.06	0.05	-0.30	0.20
X101	-0.15	0.28	-0.01	-0.33	0.06	0.12	-0.13	0.08	0.12	0.25	0.01	-0.11	-0.11	0.15	-0.21
X102	0.25	0.18	-0.08	0.06	0.03	0.19	0.16	0.20	0.09	0.05	-0.44	0.24	-0.06	-0.09	-0.06

The resulting 29 questions produce a typical decrease in primary component power. It shows that i can drop 15 factors (of 29) and still only looses less than 20% of the variance within the data. This serves as a minor hint that there might be some hidden structure in the data, although it is weak since the steepness of the decrease is not that radical. But as a reminder keep in mind the highest values of the first component: Q55, Q95, Q92, Q56, Q91, Q96, Q102, Q63, Q61, Q97, ...

So much for that. Now back to the graph analysis. As a reminder: I wanted to highlight some structures of the correelation matrix.

```
# library(visNetwork)

chain.stats.cor.nw <- chain.stats.cor %>% filter(Var1 != "Person.1", Var2 != "Person.1", p < 0.05)

# cv <- chain.stats.cor.nw %$% visNetwork(nodes = data.frame(id = unique(chain.stats.cor$Var1),
#                                                         label = unique(chain.stats.cor$Var1),
#                                                         title = paste("<b>Question", unique(chain.
#                                                         "Fill in question texts later
#                                                         edges = data.frame(to = Var1, from = Var2,
#                                                         title = paste("<b>",Var1,"~",Var2,"</b></br>", "r =",  r),
#                                                         value = abs(r))) %>%
#   visOptions(highlightNearest = TRUE, nodesIdSelection = TRUE)
#
# cv
```

Still a lot to digest within one picture - a dense strongly interconnected graph. But look: It's interactive!!! This neat feature allows you to explore the structure by hand. Just hover, click, drag and drop.

However i still have the feeling that this visualisation doesn't tell me everything - still it gives me a very good intuition of whats going on. So lets drill in with some graph methods.

```
library(igraph) # just for the convenient implementation of largest.clique
cvig <- chain.stats.cor.nw %$% graph.data.frame(data.frame(to = Var1, from = Var2), directed = FALSE)
largest.cliques(cvig)
```

```
## [[1]]
## + 7/33 vertices, named:
## [1] X96 X55 X56 X63 X67 X95 X102
##
## [[2]]
## + 7/33 vertices, named:
## [1] X96 X55 X56 X63 X91 X95 X102
```

```
##
## [[3]]
## + 7/33 vertices, named:
## [1] X92 X71 X55 X95 X102 X63 X67
##
## [[4]]
## + 7/33 vertices, named:
## [1] X92 X67 X55 X56 X95 X102 X63
##
## [[5]]
## + 7/33 vertices, named:
## [1] X92 X91 X95 X55 X56 X102 X63
```

So it seems that there are five cliques of size seven. But those cliques are comprised of only only 10 nodes (Q95, Q96, Q56, Q63, Q55, Q102, Q91, Q92, Q71, Q67) and 4 of them contained within all cliques (Q55, Q63, Q95, Q102). An surprisingly there is a huge overlap between those nodes and the questions forming the first principal component of the above factor analysis. Let's do one last statistic to finish this topic.

```
# note: im not importing psych here, since the select of psych overwrites the select of dplyr
psych::alpha(chain.stats %>% select(X55,X63,X95,X102))
```

```
## Warning in psych::alpha(chain.stats %>% select(X55, X63, X95, X102)): Some items were negatively correlated
## should be reversed.
```

```
## To do this, run the function again with the 'check.keys=TRUE' option
```

```
## Some items ( X95 ) were negatively correlated with the total scale and
## probably should be reversed.
```

```
## To do this, run the function again with the 'check.keys=TRUE' option
```

```
##
## Reliability analysis
## Call: psych::alpha(x = chain.stats %>% select(X55, X63, X95, X102))
##
##      raw_alpha std.alpha G6(smc) average_r    S/N ase mean   sd
##      -0.11    -0.077    0.32    -0.018 -0.071 0.22  3.3 0.62
##
## lower alpha upper      95% confidence boundaries
## -0.55 -0.11 0.33
##
## Reliability if an item is dropped:
##      raw_alpha std.alpha G6(smc) average_r    S/N alpha se
## X55      -0.54    -0.54  -0.038    -0.13 -0.35  0.361
## X63      -0.92    -0.79   0.077    -0.17 -0.44  0.454
## X95       0.69     0.70   0.619     0.43  2.31  0.075
## X102     -0.98    -1.02  -0.152    -0.20 -0.50  0.451
##
## Item statistics
##      n raw.r std.r r.cor r.drop mean  sd
## X55  46  0.62  0.66  0.69  0.18  3.1 1.3
## X63  52  0.76  0.72  0.55  0.27  3.2 1.4
## X95  52 -0.16 -0.21 -0.91 -0.59  3.2 1.3
## X102 52  0.72  0.77  0.78  0.36  3.5 1.2
##
```

```
## Non missing response frequency for each item
##      1      2      3      4      5 miss
## X55  0.13 0.15 0.35 0.20 0.17 0.12
## X63  0.19 0.12 0.21 0.27 0.21 0.00
## X95  0.15 0.13 0.23 0.29 0.19 0.00
## X102 0.06 0.17 0.23 0.27 0.27 0.00
```

```
psych::alpha(chain.stats %>% select(X55,X63,X95,X102,X96,X56,X91,X92,X71,X67))
```

```
## Warning in psych::alpha(chain.stats %>% select(X55, X63, X95, X102, X96, : Some items were negatively
## should be reversed.
## To do this, run the function again with the 'check.keys=TRUE' option
```

```
## Some items ( X95 X56 X91 X92 ) were negatively correlated with the total scale and
## probably should be reversed.
## To do this, run the function again with the 'check.keys=TRUE' option
```

```
##
## Reliability analysis
## Call: psych::alpha(x = chain.stats %>% select(X55, X63, X95, X102,
##      X96, X56, X91, X92, X71, X67))
##
```

```
##      raw_alpha std.alpha G6(smc) average_r S/N ase mean sd
##      0.064      0.1      0.64      0.011 0.11 0.21 3.1 0.43
##
```

```
##      lower alpha upper      95% confidence boundaries
## -0.34 0.06 0.47
##
```

```
## Reliability if an item is dropped:
##      raw_alpha std.alpha G6(smc) average_r      S/N alpha se
## X55      0.112  0.13104  0.59  1.6e-02  0.15080  0.20
## X63     -0.027 -0.00553  0.56 -6.1e-04 -0.00550  0.23
## X95      0.186  0.23585  0.69  3.3e-02  0.30865  0.17
## X102    -0.024 -0.00043  0.61 -4.7e-05 -0.00043  0.23
## X96     -0.145 -0.11342  0.52 -1.1e-02 -0.10187  0.26
## X56      0.310  0.32468  0.68  5.1e-02  0.48078  0.15
## X91      0.101  0.14878  0.62  1.9e-02  0.17478  0.18
## X92      0.109  0.17578  0.64  2.3e-02  0.21326  0.18
## X71     -0.103 -0.08194  0.55 -8.5e-03 -0.07574  0.25
## X67     -0.125 -0.09492  0.58 -9.7e-03 -0.08669  0.25
##
```

```
## Item statistics
##      n raw.r std.r r.cor r.drop mean sd
## X55 46 0.23 0.275 0.269 -0.064 3.1 1.3
## X63 52 0.45 0.460 0.420 0.129 3.2 1.4
## X95 52 0.15 0.094 -0.063 -0.175 3.2 1.3
## X102 52 0.41 0.454 0.373 0.143 3.5 1.2
## X96 50 0.58 0.578 0.606 0.275 3.1 1.4
## X56 46 -0.05 -0.097 -0.228 -0.367 2.9 1.4
## X91 52 0.28 0.247 0.184 -0.040 2.9 1.4
## X92 49 0.26 0.202 0.130 -0.057 2.7 1.3
## X71 52 0.50 0.546 0.486 0.272 3.3 1.1
## X67 50 0.53 0.559 0.484 0.282 2.9 1.2
```

```
##
## Non missing response frequency for each item
##      1      2      3      4      5 miss
## X55  0.13 0.15 0.35 0.20 0.17 0.12
## X63  0.19 0.12 0.21 0.27 0.21 0.00
## X95  0.15 0.13 0.23 0.29 0.19 0.00
## X102 0.06 0.17 0.23 0.27 0.27 0.00
## X96  0.18 0.16 0.18 0.30 0.18 0.04
## X56  0.22 0.22 0.22 0.17 0.17 0.12
## X91  0.23 0.17 0.15 0.33 0.12 0.00
## X92  0.22 0.24 0.22 0.22 0.08 0.06
## X71  0.10 0.13 0.25 0.40 0.12 0.00
## X67  0.18 0.14 0.34 0.24 0.10 0.04
```

So it seems that the 4 core questions of all maximal cliques are asking information from the same source-construct, while all 10 involved in the cliques do not constitute a single source. Some more exploration might be possible, but let's keep it at that for now.