Hypothesis:

Solution 1: The first hypothesis is that with the modeled principals, participants can perceive the relation of dominance. Thus we have only one factor: whereas the dominance is perceived in the dialogue.

Solution 2: Break the hypothesis for the three principals.

- H1: Dominant agents are more demanding
- *H2*: Dominant agents lead the flow of the negotiation
- *H3*: Dominant agents don't care too much about other preferences, while submissive agents are dependent to other.

Statistics:

• Questionnaire validation:

- a. Solution1
 - 1. Exploratory factor analysis, in order to compute the inter-correlation between the questions of the questionnaire.
 - a. For one factor (dominance)
 - 2. Alpha Cronbach: to evaluate the correlation of the items in one cluster.

b. Solution2

- 1. In order to compute an exploratory factor analysis, we need at least 3 questions by principal. -> 18 questions.
- 2. Alpha Cronbach: evaluate the correlation for each principal.

• Evaluation:

- a. Solution1: One operational hypothesis, which calculates the score of dominance. (Positive means dominant and vice versa negative means submissive)
- b. Solution2: three operational hypotheses (H1, H2, H3).
- c. Prerequisite: The data must follow a normal distribution.
- d. Statistic evaluation: T- Student test paired group. (pour groupes appariés)