Haloween Candy

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```
url<-"https://raw.githubusercontent.com/fivethirtyeight/data/master/candy-power-ranking/candy-da
ta.csv"
#candy_file <- read.csv(url)

candy <- read.csv(url, row.names=1)
head(candy,n=5)</pre>
```

```
##
                 chocolate fruity caramel peanutyalmondy nougat crispedricewafer
## 100 Grand
## 3 Musketeers
                                0
                                                                1
                                                                                  0
                                                                0
## One dime
                                0
                                                                                  0
## One quarter
                                0
                                         0
                                                        0
                                                                0
                                                                                 0
## Air Heads
                                                                0
                                1
                                         0
                                                                                  0
##
                hard bar pluribus sugarpercent pricepercent winpercent
## 100 Grand
                   0
                                           0.732
                                                        0.860
                                                                 66.97173
                        1
                                                        0.511
## 3 Musketeers
                   0
                                           0.604
                                                                 67.60294
## One dime
                                           0.011
                                                        0.116
                                                                32.26109
                                                                46.11650
## One quarter
                                 0
                                           0.011
                                                        0.511
                   0
## Air Heads
                                           0.906
                                                        0.511
                                                                 52.34146
```

Q1. How many candy types: 85

There are 85 types of candies in total.

```
nrow(candy)
```

[1] 85

Q2: How many fruity candy types?

there are 38 of them.

```
sum(candy$fruity)
```

[1] 38

#2. Favourite candy

```
candy["Twix", ]$winpercent
```

[1] 81.64291

Q3. What is your favorite candy in the dataset and what is it's winpercent value?

candy["Haribo Happy Cola",]\$winpercent

[1] 34.15896

My fav is Haribo Happy Cola and its winpercent value is 34%.

Q4. What is the winpercent value for "Kit Kat"?

candy["Kit Kat",]\$winpercent

[1] 76.7686

The percent is 76.77% for Kit Kat

Q5. What is the winpercent value for "Tootsie Roll Snack Bars"?

candy["Tootsie Roll Snack Bars",]\$winpercent

[1] 49.6535

The winpercent is 49.65% for Tootsie Roll Snack Bars.

Side-note: the skimr::skim() function

There is a useful skim() function in the skimr package that can help give you a quick overview of a given dataset. Let's install this package and try it on our candy data.

#install.packages("skimr")
library("skimr")
skim(candy)

Data summary

Name	candy
Number of rows	85
Number of columns	12

Column type frequency:	
numeric	12
Group variables	None

Variable type: numeric

skim_variable	n_missing	complete_rate	mean	sd	p0	p25	p50	p75	p100	hist
chocolate	0	1	0.44	0.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	
fruity	0	1	0.45	0.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	
caramel	0	1	0.16	0.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	■
peanutyalmondy	0	1	0.16	0.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	
nougat	0	1	0.08	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	
crispedricewafer	0	1	0.08	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	■
hard	0	1	0.18	0.38	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	■
bar	0	1	0.25	0.43	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	■
pluribus	0	1	0.52	0.50	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	
sugarpercent	0	1	0.48	0.28	0.01	0.22	0.47	0.73	0.99	
pricepercent	0	1	0.47	0.29	0.01	0.26	0.47	0.65	0.98	
winpercent	0	1	50.32	14.71	22.45	39.14	47.83	59.86	84.18	

Q6. Is there any variable/column that looks to be on a different scale to the majority of the other columns in the dataset?

Winpercent, it looks on a very different scale.

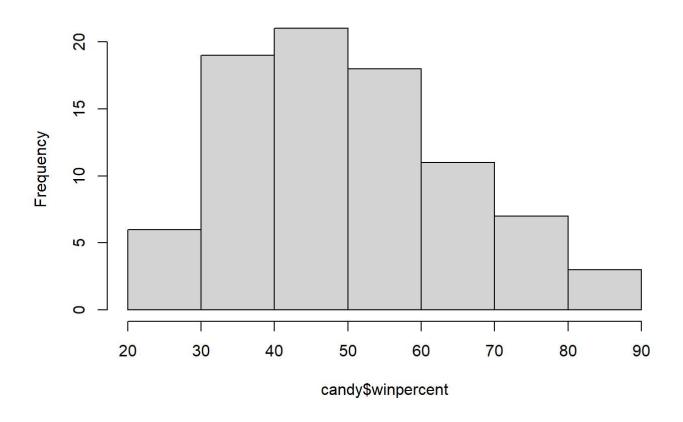
Q7. What do you think a zero and one represent for the candy\$chocolate column?

I think it indicates that the candy\$chocolate stands for categorical data

Q8. Plot a histogram of winpercent values

hist(candy\$winpercent)

Histogram of candy\$winpercent



Q9. Is the distribution of winpercent values symmetrical?

The distribution is not symmetrical and is slightly skewed left.

Q10. Is the center of the distribution above or below 50%?

The center of the distribution is below 50%.

Q11. On average is chocolate candy higher or lower ranked than fruit candy?

First, need to find all the chocolate candy rows in the 'candy' dataset

```
inds.choco<-as.logical(candy$chocolate)
candy[inds.choco,]$winpercent</pre>
```

```
## [1] 66.97173 67.60294 50.34755 56.91455 38.97504 55.37545 62.28448 56.49050

## [9] 59.23612 57.21925 76.76860 71.46505 66.57458 55.06407 73.09956 60.80070

## [17] 64.35334 47.82975 54.52645 70.73564 66.47068 69.48379 81.86626 84.18029

## [25] 73.43499 72.88790 65.71629 34.72200 37.88719 76.67378 59.52925 48.98265

## [33] 43.06890 45.73675 49.65350 81.64291 49.52411
```

```
chocolate<-candy$winpercent[as.logical(candy$chocolate)]
fruit<-candy$winpercent[as.logical(candy$fruit)]</pre>
```

```
t.test(chocolate, fruit)
```

```
##
## Welch Two Sample t-test
##
## data: chocolate and fruit
## t = 6.2582, df = 68.882, p-value = 2.871e-08
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## 11.44563 22.15795
## sample estimates:
## mean of x mean of y
## 60.92153 44.11974
```

```
mean(chocolate)
```

```
## [1] 60.92153
```

```
mean(fruit)
```

```
## [1] 44.11974
```

Chocolate candies are generally higher ranked than fruity candy.

Q12. Is this difference statistically significant? Yes!

```
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```

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```

Since the p-value is very small, this means that the difference is significant, and choolate is more significant than fruity candy.

#3. Overall Candy Rankings Let's use the base R order() function together with head() to sort the whole dataset by winpercent. Or if you have been getting into the tidyverse and the dplyr package you can use the arrange() function together with head() to do the same thing and answer the following questions:

Q13. What are the five least liked candy types in this set?

"Nik L Nip", "Boston Baked Beans", "Chiclets", "Super Bubble" and "Jawbusters"

head(candy[order(candy\$winpercent),], n=5)

```
##
                       chocolate fruity caramel peanutyalmondy nougat
## Nik L Nip
                                0
                                       1
                                                0
## Boston Baked Beans
                                0
                                       0
                                                0
                                                                1
                                                                       0
## Chiclets
                                                                0
                                                                        0
                                0
                                       1
                                                0
                                                                        0
## Super Bubble
                                0
                                       1
                                                0
                                                                0
## Jawbusters
                                       1
                                                0
                                                                        0
##
                       crispedricewafer hard bar pluribus sugarpercent pricepercent
## Nik L Nip
                                                 0
                                                           1
                                                                    0.197
                                                                                  0.976
## Boston Baked Beans
                                       0
                                             0
                                                 0
                                                           1
                                                                    0.313
                                                                                  0.511
## Chiclets
                                       0
                                             0
                                                 0
                                                           1
                                                                    0.046
                                                                                  0.325
## Super Bubble
                                             0
                                                 0
                                                           0
                                                                                  0.116
                                       0
                                                                    0.162
## Jawbusters
                                             1
                                                           1
                                                                    0.093
                                                 0
                                                                                  0.511
##
                       winpercent
## Nik L Nip
                         22.44534
## Boston Baked Beans
                         23.41782
## Chiclets
                         24.52499
## Super Bubble
                         27.30386
## Jawbusters
                          28.12744
```

Q14. What are the top 5 all time favorite candy types out of this set?

Kit Kat Snickers Twix ReeseÕs Miniatures ReeseÕs Peanut Butter cup

```
tail(candy[order(candy$winpercent),], n=5)
```

```
##
                               chocolate fruity caramel peanutyalmondy nougat
## Snickers
                                                       1
## Kit Kat
                                       1
                                              0
                                                       0
                                                                      0
                                                                             0
                                       1
                                                                      0
                                                                             0
## Twix
                                                       1
## ReeseÕs Miniatures
                                       1
                                                       0
                                                                      1
                                                                             0
## ReeseÕs Peanut Butter cup
                                       1
                                              0
                                                       0
                                                                             0
                                                                      1
##
                               crispedricewafer hard bar pluribus sugarpercent
## Snickers
                                              0
                                                   0
                                                        1
## Kit Kat
                                              1
                                                        1
                                                                 0
                                                                          0.313
                                                    0
## Twix
                                              1
                                                    0
                                                       1
                                                                 0
                                                                          0.546
## ReeseÕs Miniatures
                                                    0
                                                        0
                                                                 0
                                                                          0.034
## ReeseÕs Peanut Butter cup
                                                    0
                                                                          0.720
                                                                 0
##
                               pricepercent winpercent
## Snickers
                                      0.651
                                              76.67378
## Kit Kat
                                      0.511
                                              76.76860
## Twix
                                      0.906
                                              81.64291
## ReeseÕs Miniatures
                                      0.279
                                              81.86626
## ReeseÕs Peanut Butter cup
                                      0.651
                                              84.18029
```

```
library(dplyr)
```

##

filter, lag

```
##
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'

## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
```

```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
## intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
```

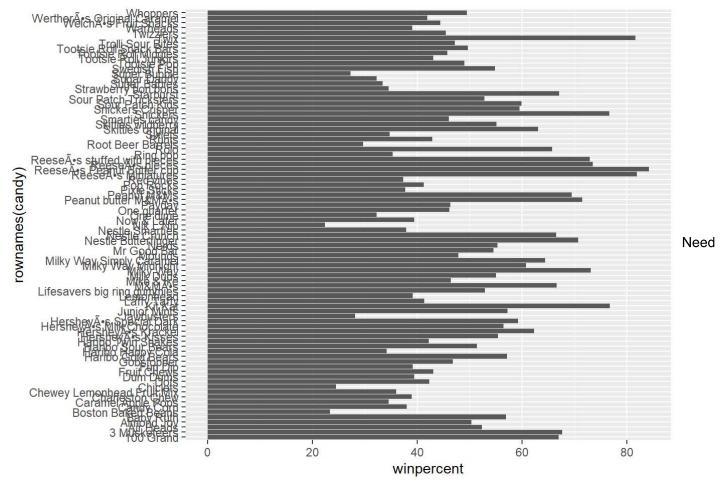
```
candy %>% arrange(winpercent) %>% head(5)
```

```
##
                      chocolate fruity caramel peanutyalmondy nougat
## Nik L Nip
                                      1
## Boston Baked Beans
                                      0
                                              0
                                                              1
                                                                     0
## Chiclets
                               0
                                              0
                                                              0
                                                                     0
                                      1
## Super Bubble
                                      1
                                                                     0
## Jawbusters
                                      1
                                              0
                                                                     0
##
                      crispedricewafer hard bar pluribus sugarpercent pricepercent
## Nik L Nip
                                                                  0.197
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## Boston Baked Beans
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## Chiclets
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## Super Bubble
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```

Q15. Make a first barplot of candy ranking based on winpercent values

```
library(ggplot2)

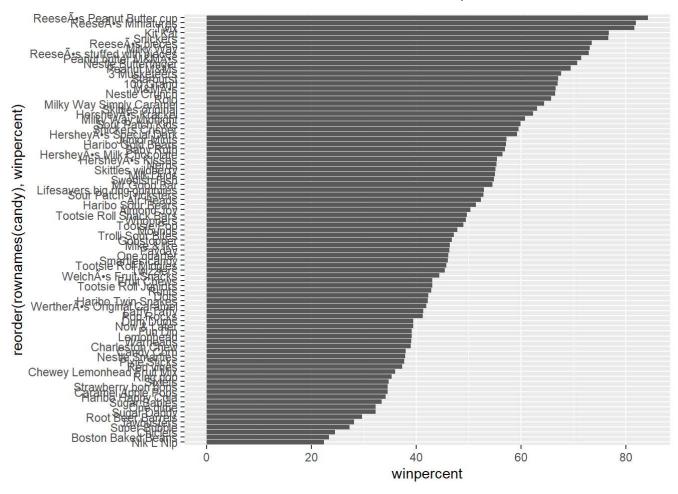
ggplot(candy) +
  aes(winpercent, rownames(candy)) +
  geom_col()
```



to improve this plot by reordering the winpercent value

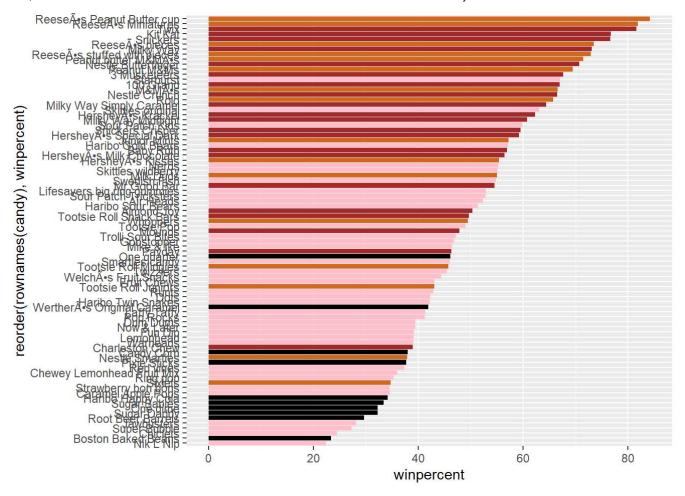
Q16. Use the reorder function to reorder the plot!

```
ggplot(candy) +
  aes(winpercent, reorder(rownames(candy),winpercent)) +
  geom_col()
```



```
my_cols=rep("black", nrow(candy))
my_cols[as.logical(candy$chocolate)] = "chocolate"
my_cols[as.logical(candy$bar)] = "brown"
my_cols[as.logical(candy$fruity)] = "pink"
```

```
ggplot(candy) +
  aes(winpercent, reorder(rownames(candy),winpercent)) +
  geom_col(fill=my_cols)
```



Q17. What is the worst ranked chocolate candy?

The worst ranked chocolate candy is Sixlets.

Q18. What is the best ranked fruity candy?

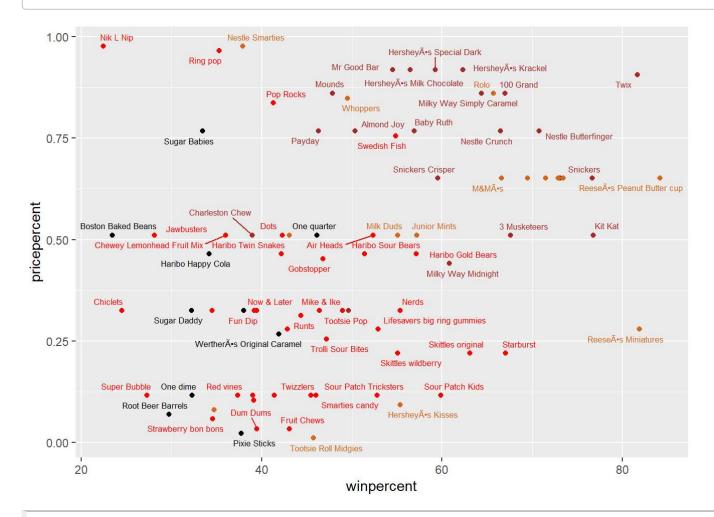
Starbust.

#4. Take a look at the pricepercent

```
#install.packages("ggrepel")
library(ggrepel)

#change red
my_cols[as.logical(candy$fruity)]="red"
# How about a plot of price vs win
ggplot(candy) +
    aes(winpercent, pricepercent, label=rownames(candy)) +
    geom_point(col=my_cols) +
    geom_text_repel(col=my_cols, size=2.3, max.overlaps = 7)
```

Warning: ggrepel: 14 unlabeled data points (too many overlaps). Consider
increasing max.overlaps



Q19. Which candy type is the highest ranked in terms of winpercent for the least money - i.e. offers the most bang for your buck?

Reese A miniature is the highest ranked.

Q20. What are the top 5 most expensive candy types in the dataset and of these which is the least popular?

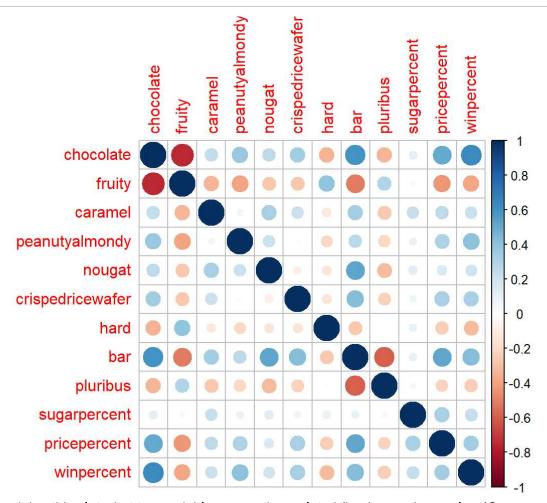
Nik I Nip, Nestie Smarties, Ring pop, Sugar babies, Pop Rocks

#5. Exploring the correlation structure

```
#install.packages("corrplot")
library(corrplot)
```

corrplot 0.90 loaded

cij <- cor(candy)
corrplot(cij)</pre>



>Q22. Examining this plot what two variables are anti-correlated (i.e. have minus values)?

Chocolate and fruity variables are anti-correlated

Q23. Similarly, what two variables are most positively correlated?

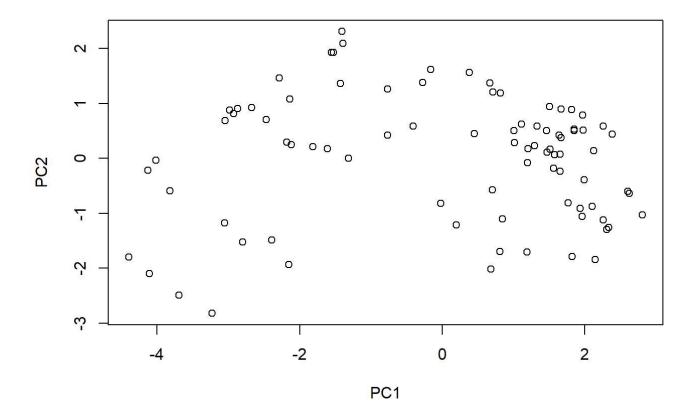
Chocolate and Bar are very positively correlated HINT: Do you like chocolaty fruity candies?

#6. PCA analysis

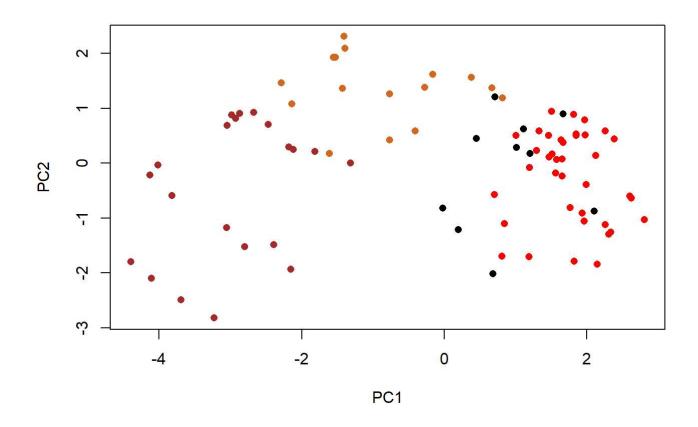
pca <- prcomp(candy, scale=TRUE)
summary(pca)</pre>

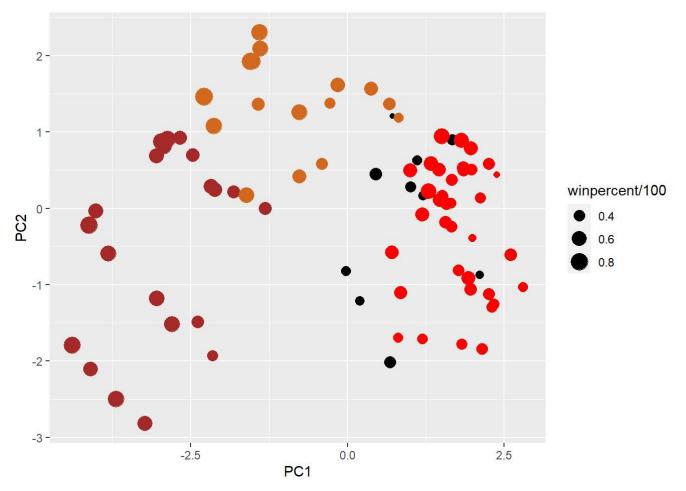
```
## Importance of components:
                                           PC3
                                                   PC4
                                                                   PC6
##
                             PC1
                                    PC2
                                                           PC5
                                                                           PC7
## Standard deviation
                          2.0788 1.1378 1.1092 1.07533 0.9518 0.81923 0.81530
## Proportion of Variance 0.3601 0.1079 0.1025 0.09636 0.0755 0.05593 0.05539
## Cumulative Proportion 0.3601 0.4680 0.5705 0.66688 0.7424 0.79830 0.85369
##
                              PC8
                                      PC9
                                             PC10
                                                      PC11
                                                              PC12
## Standard deviation
                          0.74530 0.67824 0.62349 0.43974 0.39760
## Proportion of Variance 0.04629 0.03833 0.03239 0.01611 0.01317
## Cumulative Proportion 0.89998 0.93832 0.97071 0.98683 1.00000
```

```
plot(pca$x[,1:2])
```



plot(pca\$x[,1:2], col=my_cols, pch=16)





Again we can use the ggrepel package and the function ggrepel::geom_text_repel() to label up the plot with non overlapping candy names like. We will also add a title and subtitle like so:

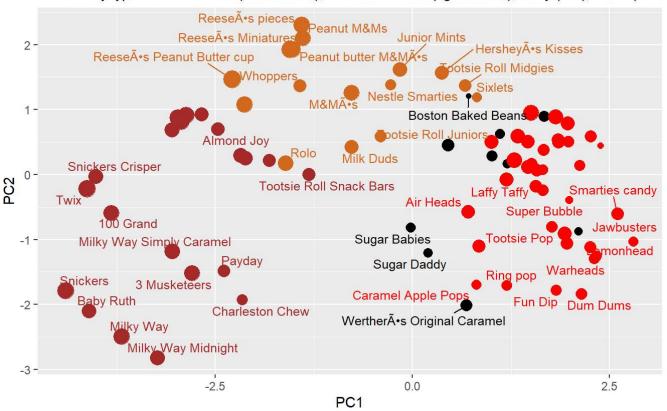
```
library(ggrepel)

p + geom_text_repel(size=3.3, col=my_cols, max.overlaps = 7) +
    theme(legend.position = "none") +
    labs(title="Halloween Candy PCA Space",
        subtitle="Colored by type: chocolate bar (dark brown), chocolate other (light brown), fru
ity (red), other (black)",
        caption="Data from 538")
```

```
## Warning: ggrepel: 41 unlabeled data points (too many overlaps). Consider
## increasing max.overlaps
```

Halloween Candy PCA Space

Colored by type: chocolate bar (dark brown), chocolate other (light brown), fruity (red), other (black



#install.packages("plotly")
library(plotly)

```
##
## Attaching package: 'plotly'
```

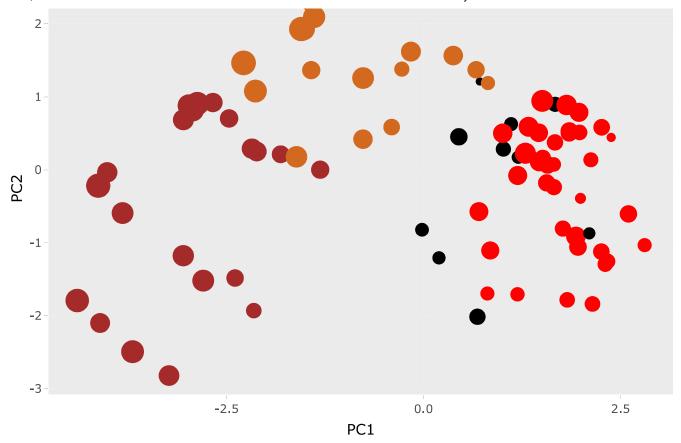
```
## The following object is masked from 'package:ggplot2':
##
## last_plot
```

```
## The following object is masked from 'package:stats':
##
## filter
```

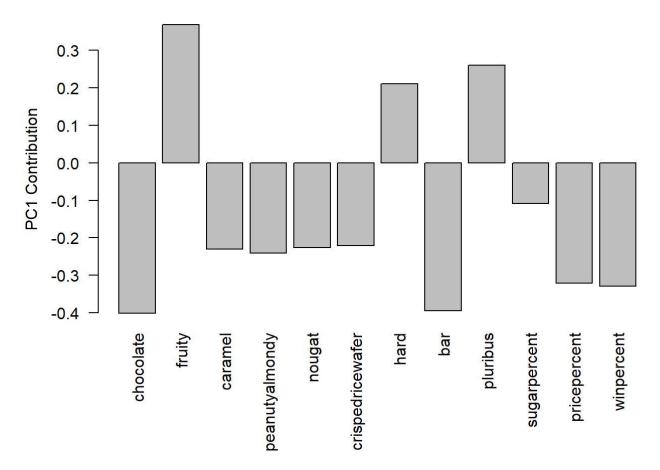
```
## The following object is masked from 'package:graphics':
##
## layout
```

ggplotly(p)

Data from 538



par(mar=c(8,4,2,2))
barplot(pca\$rotation[,1], las=2, ylab="PC1 Contribution")



>Q24. What original variables are picked up strongly by PC1 in the positive direction? Do these make sense to you?

Fruity, hard and pluribus are picked up strongly by PC1 in the positive direction. This makes prefect sense.