introduction

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How to keep your code clean

Coding convention

- Pick a naming convention and stick to it
- camelCase = "this is a nice style"
- snake_case = "this is ok too"
- Comment your code
- Look at the google style book to make sure your code is easilly readable by anyone
- https://google.github.io/styleguide/Rguide.xml
- they advice to use only "<-" and not "=" but i personally think it is pointless

Storage

Keep a README.md file at the root of your folder explaining where everything is, helping someone that knows nothing about your data to navigate your work. Keeping your work in the cloud, through services like dropbox, icloud, or google drive. The best would be github but it is not easy in the beginning.

Folders

Keep your folder clean, with clear names in minuscules separated by "_":

- data
 - raw
 - preprocessed
 - analysis
 - * analysis one ...
- scripts
 - preprocessing: scripts that transforms the raw data in processed data
 - analysis: scripts that use preprocessed data and performs analysis on it
 - markdown: your markdown files
 - r files: other R files, like utility functions
- media: here should go any ressources, presentations, images you produced or needed etc...
 - presentations
 - graphics
 - text
 - notes
- backups: you might need a backup folder when in doubt
 - data
 - script
 - media

Variables

R infer on its own the type of the variable that you want to create based on the input you give. All variables are at minimum a vector.

Atomic vector data type

```
# Character
a <- "This is a character vector"

# Numeric (integer)
a = 12
a <- 12

# Numeric (Float)
a <- 12.2

# Logical
a <- TRUE
a <- FALSE

print(a)</pre>
```

Combine atomic elements

[1] FALSE

Vectors needs to be of same type

```
a <- c(1,2,3)
print(a)

## [1] 1 2 3

a <- c(1,"a")
print(a)

## [1] "1" "a"</pre>
```

List can mix types

```
a <- list(1,2,3)
print(a)

## [[1]]
## [1] 1
##
## [[2]]
## [1] 2
##
## [[3]]
## [1] 3
```

```
a <- list(1,"a")
print(a)

## [[1]]
## [1] 1
##
## [[2]]
## [1] "a"</pre>
```

Matrix 2*2 Needs to be of same type

```
a <- matrix( c('a','a','b','c','b',2), nrow = 2, ncol = 3, byrow = T)
print(a)

## [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,] "a" "a" "b"
## [2,] "c" "b" "2"

a <- matrix( c('a','a','b','c','b',2), nrow = 2, ncol = 3, byrow = F)
print(a)

## [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,] "a" "b" "b"
## [2,] "a" "c" "2"</pre>
```

Array N*N Needs to be of same type

```
a <- array(c('green', 'yellow'), dim = c(3,3,2))</pre>
print(a)
## , , 1
##
##
                 [,2]
                           [,3]
        [,1]
## [1,] "green" "yellow" "green"
## [2,] "yellow" "green" "yellow"
## [3,] "green" "yellow" "green"
##
## , , 2
##
        [,1]
                 [,2]
                           [,3]
## [1,] "yellow" "green" "yellow"
## [2,] "green" "yellow" "green"
## [3,] "yellow" "green" "yellow"
```

Factor

For categorical variables

```
# Create a vector.
apple_colors <- c('green', 'green', 'yellow', 'red', 'red', 'green')
# Create a factor object.</pre>
```

```
factor_apple <- factor(apple_colors)</pre>
# Print the factor.
print(factor_apple)
## [1] green green yellow red
                                   red
                                          red
                                                 green
## Levels: green red yellow
print(nlevels(factor_apple))
## [1] 3
# Change names of the factors
levels(factor_apple) <- c("Kindof Green", "Kindof Red", "Kindof Yellow")</pre>
print(factor_apple)
## [1] Kindof Green Kindof Green Kindof Yellow Kindof Red Kindof Red
## [6] Kindof Red
                     Kindof Green
## Levels: Kindof Green Kindof Red Kindof Yellow
Dataframe ++
first_names = c("Melissa", "Sibylle", "Zoe", "Maria")
ages = c(23, 22, 24, 25)
df <- data.frame(first_name = first_names,</pre>
                 age = ages,
                 subject = as.character(c("Activity", "Motivation", "Fluid Intelligence", NA)))
print(df)
## first name age
                               subject
## 1
       Melissa 23
                             Activity
## 2
       Sibylle 22
                           Motivation
## 3
           Zoe 24 Fluid Intelligence
## 4
         Maria 25
print(df$age)
## [1] 23 22 24 25
Missing values are "NOT ASSIGNED" or "NA"
print(df$subject)
## [1] Activity
                         Motivation
                                             Fluid Intelligence
## [4] <NA>
## Levels: Activity Fluid Intelligence Motivation
print(is.na(df$subject))
## [1] FALSE FALSE FALSE TRUE
```

I dont want a factor, I want characters!

Sometimes you have ot use function such as apply or sapply, that performs simple loops on your data.

```
print(sapply(df[, 3], as.character))
## [1] "Activity"
                            "Motivation"
                                                  "Fluid Intelligence"
## [4] NA
df[, 3] <- sapply(df[, 3], as.character)</pre>
print(df)
##
     first_name age
                               subject
## 1
                              Activity
        Melissa 23
## 2
        Sibylle 22
                            Motivation
## 3
            Zoe 24 Fluid Intelligence
## 4
          Maria 25
```

Operators

Relational operators

```
print(12>23)

## [1] FALSE
a = 12
print(a == 12)

## [1] TRUE
print(a != 32)

## [1] TRUE
print(a >= 11)

## [1] TRUE
a = 32
```

Tests

```
if (a == 432) {
  print("a est egale a 12 !")
} else {
  print("pas egale a 12")
}
```

```
## [1] "pas egale a 12"
```

Logical operators

```
print((12>23)&&(12<23))

## [1] FALSE
a <- 12
print((a>20)||(a==12))

## [1] TRUE
print(!(a == 32))

## [1] TRUE
!is.na(a)

## [1] TRUE
```

Element wise logic

[1] TRUE TRUE TRUE

When a vector is tested against a vector of same length

```
a <- c(F, T, T)
b <- c(T, F, T)
print(a&b)
## [1] FALSE FALSE TRUE
print(a|b)</pre>
```

Others

```
a <- 1:8
print(a)

## [1] 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

a <- rep("ce qui est repete", 4)
print(a)

## [1] "ce qui est repete" "ce qui est repete"
## [4] "ce qui est repete"</pre>
```

Flow control statements

Flow controls statements are all the statement of a language that will redirect the flow of execution of a program.

Conditional control

Sometime you want to execute something only if a condition is true. The most used is the "if/else if/else" statement.

```
a = c(F,F,F,T)

if (a[1]) {
    print("first")
} else if (a[2]) {
    print("second")
} else if (a[3]) {
    print("third")
} else if (a[4]) {
    print("quatrieme")
} else {
    print("invalid")
}
```

```
## [1] "quatrieme"
```

```
b <- c(F,F,F,T)

# TODO: write a statement that checks if b has any of its value equal to TRUE.

# If it does return all the indices of the TRUE values

# If not, say that you did not find a True value in any of the %SIZE% elements of b

# (hint:: ?any and ?which)</pre>
```

When you only want to check the value of *ONE* variable. Another way is to use the *switch* statement. It test the value of a variable against several possibilities, like so:

```
strangeName <- "Grabulas"
switch(strangeName,
    "BJ Gabbour" = {
        print("It was Gabbour all along !")
    },
    "Hortiche" = {
        print("She's just everywhere")
    },
    "Grabulas" = {
        print("Run you fools !")
    })</pre>
```

[1] "Run you fools !"

Loops

You often need to repeat some statement. That's what for and while are here for !

```
for (i in 1:NROW(df)) {
  person = df[i,]

  print(paste0(person$first_name, person$age))
}
```

```
## [1] "Melissa23"
```

```
## [1] "Sibylle22"
## [1] "Zoe24"
## [1] "Maria25"
i = 0
while(i<10) {
  print(i)
  i = i + 1
}
## [1] 0
## [1] 1
## [1] 2
## [1] 3
## [1] 4
## [1] 5
## [1] 6
## [1] 7
## [1] 8
## [1] 9
```

Functions

Functions are the central concept to programming. You can think of it as a box containing a series of instructions. Usually they take input, perform change on it, and returns a value. Note that they do not always take input or return a value and act only a series on instructions that do not takes input and do not return anything, but for example will read or write some information on the disk, or setting some parameter.

A simple sum

```
sommeFunction = function (x, y, z = 1) {
    # Do some action on the parameters
    sum = x+y+z

# Return to sender the result of your computation
    return(sum)
}
somme = sommeFunction(1,2,3)
```

But of course R has a better function already built in!

```
sum(1,2,3,NA, na.rm = TRUE)
## [1] 6
```

A function that generates participant ids

What if you want to set some default parameters? Here is a more complex function that plays with strings to create random IDs for your subjects.

```
getRandomId = function(numberOfIds = 1, lenght=12, allowedCharacters = c(0:9, letters, LETTERS))
{
    # initialize vector
```

```
randomStrings = c(1:numberOfIds)
    # start the generation loop
   for (i in 1:numberOfIds)
        randomStrings[i] <- paste(sample(allowedCharacters, lenght, replace=TRUE),</pre>
                                  collapse="")
   }
    # return the strings
   return(randomStrings)
}
# TODO Now generate 650 ids !
ids = getRandomId(650)
# letters and LETTERS are variables declared by default in R containing the minuscule and capital lette
print(c(0:9, letters, LETTERS))
## [1] "0" "1" "2" "3" "4" "5" "6" "7" "8" "9" "a" "b" "c" "d" "e" "f" "g"
## [18] "h" "i" "j" "k" "l" "m" "n" "o" "p" "q" "r" "s" "t" "u" "v" "w" "x"
## [35] "y" "z" "A" "B" "C" "D" "E" "F" "G" "H" "I" "J" "K" "L" "M" "N" "O"
## [52] "P" "Q" "R" "S" "T" "U" "V" "W" "X" "Y" "Z"
# Add the ids to the data
newDataFrame = data.frame(id=ids, sertARien=1:650)
```

Create your own function

Choose one between those three possible function, and create them: * A function that returns the product of two numbers such that a Timesb = $\operatorname{product}(a,b)$ * A function that adds a prefix to a string, such that $\operatorname{prefixedString} = \operatorname{prefix}(\operatorname{prefixString})$ * A function that takes out the mean of each column of a data frame, and divides by the standard deviation (process called normalization)

Libraries

Install libraries

```
install.packages("ggplot2")
install.packages("psych")
```

Load libraries

```
library(ggplot2)
library(psych)

##
## Attaching package: 'psych'
```

```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:ggplot2':
##
## %+%, alpha
help(package= "ggplot2")
#vignette("ggplot2-specs", package = "ggplot2")
```

Explore your data

Load data

Usually you will load three type of data: * Excel files: .xslx * Comma separated values: .csv * R data file: .RData

You load them differently

```
# Load a RData
setwd("~/Google Drive/Master Students/courses/introduction_a_r")
load("data/raw/data.RData")
pasdenom = read.csv("~/Google Drive/Master Students/courses/introduction_a_r/data/raw/data.csv")
class(pasdenom)
## [1] "data.frame"
#or if you want to rename your data
renamedData = get(load("data/raw/data.RData"))
```

When in doubt, google it!

```
# But.. how to load EXCEL FILES ?
# TODO Check stackoverflow / Google and load excel and csv file
# "load xlsx file R"
# "load csv file in R"
# can you copy paste ?? read.clipboard
```

Explore your data

IQ

responseTime
performance

Looking at your data before starting asking question is important to detect errors you might have made, wrong IDs, numbers of NA, wacky values... https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/psych/vignettes/overview.pdf

```
# View(data)
# Psych has a lot of tools for exploratory analysis
library(psych)
describe(data)
##
                                            median trimmed
                 vars
                       n
                              mean
                                        sd
                                                                mad
                                                                         min
                             41.22 13.96
                                              41.00
                                                      41.23
                                                              17.79
                                                                       18.00
## age
                    1 650
## isOlder*
                    2 650
                               \mathtt{NaN}
                                        NA
                                                 NA
                                                        {\tt NaN}
                                                                 NA
```

97.10

4 650 1945.46 390.79 1908.50 1922.20 409.20 1182.00

0.41

98.16 18.86

0.17

0.41

48.25

0.00

99.21 19.97

0.17

0.41

3 650

5 650

```
## id*
                    6 650
                              NaN
                                       NA
                                                NA
                                                       NaN
                                                                NA
                                                                       Inf
                                              1.00
                    7 650
                              0.61
                                     0.49
                                                      0.63
                                                              0.00
                                                                      0.00
## university
                          range skew kurtosis
##
                     max
                                                    se
## age
                   65.00
                            47.0 -0.02
                                           -1.26
                                                  0.55
## isOlder*
                    -Inf
                            -Inf
                                    NA
                                              NA
                                                    NA
## IQ
                  175.85
                          127.6
                                  0.61
                                           0.73 0.78
## responseTime 3190.00 2008.0
                                           -0.43 15.33
                                  0.47
                                           0.16 0.01
## performance
                    1.00
                            1.0
                                  0.34
## id*
                    -Inf
                            -Inf
                                    NA
                                              NA
                                                    NA
## university
                    1.00
                            1.0 -0.43
                                           -1.81 0.02
describeBy(data, group = "isOlder")
## $`FALSE`
##
                                           median trimmed
                                                               mad
                                                                       min
                 vars
                        n
                              mean
                                       sd
## age
                                             39.00
                                                             16.31
                                                                     18.00
                    1 592
                            39.09
                                    12.77
                                                     39.11
## isOlder*
                    2 592
                              NaN
                                       NA
                                                NA
                                                       NaN
                                                                NA
                                                                       Inf
## IQ
                    3 592
                           100.75
                                   19.94
                                             98.51
                                                     99.83
                                                             18.59
                                                                     48.25
                    4 592 1883.95 348.13 1860.50 1864.23 376.58 1182.00
## responseTime
                    5 592
                              0.42
                                     0.17
                                              0.42
                                                      0.41
                                                              0.18
                                                                      0.00
## performance
## id*
                    6 592
                              NaN
                                       NA
                                                NA
                                                       NaN
                                                                NA
                                                                       Inf
## university
                    7 592
                              0.60
                                     0.49
                                              1.00
                                                      0.62
                                                              0.00
                                                                      0.00
##
                     max range
                                  skew kurtosis
                                                    se
## age
                   60.00
                            42.0 -0.01
                                           -1.29
                                                  0.52
## isOlder*
                    -Inf
                            -Inf
                                    NA
                                              NA
                                                    NA
                  175.85
                                            0.75
                                                 0.82
## IQ
                          127.6
                                  0.56
## responseTime 3190.00 2008.0
                                  0.51
                                          -0.04 14.31
## performance
                    1.00
                            1.0
                                  0.33
                                           0.10 0.01
## id*
                    -Inf
                            -Inf
                                    NA
                                              NA
                                                    MΔ
## university
                    1.00
                            1.0 -0.41
                                           -1.84 0.02
##
## $`TRUE`
##
                                          median trimmed
                            mean
                                      sd
                                                              mad
                                                                      min
                                                                               max
                 vars
                       n
## age
                    1 58
                            62.93
                                    1.31
                                            63.00
                                                    62.92
                                                             1.48
                                                                    61.00
                                                                             65.00
## isOlder*
                    2 58
                              NaN
                                      NA
                                               NA
                                                      NaN
                                                               NA
                                                                      Inf
                                                                              -Inf
                    3 58
                                   11.92
                                            83.07
                                                    82.69
                                                           11.54
## IQ
                            83.48
                                                                    64.76
                                                                            119.49
                    4 58 2573.36 204.34 2591.50 2576.29 208.31 2035.00 3084.00
## responseTime
                    5 58
                                                     0.36
                                                                     0.05
## performance
                            0.35
                                    0.13
                                             0.37
                                                             0.12
                                                                              0.69
                                                                              -Inf
## id*
                    6 58
                              NaN
                                      NA
                                                      NaN
                                                                      Inf
                                               NA
                                                               NA
                    7 58
                                                     0.71
                                                             0.00
                                                                     0.00
                                                                              1.00
## university
                            0.67
                                    0.47
                                             1.00
##
                   range
                          skew kurtosis
                                             se
## age
                    4.00
                          0.08
                                   -1.23
                                          0.17
## isOlder*
                    -Inf
                            NA
                                      NA
                                            ΝA
## IQ
                   54.73 0.59
                                    0.06 1.56
## responseTime 1049.00 -0.16
                                   -0.15 26.83
                    0.64 -0.17
                                   -0.40
                                         0.02
## performance
## id*
                    -Inf
                            NA
                                      NA
                                             NA
## university
                    1.00 -0.72
                                   -1.51 0.06
## attr(,"call")
## by.data.frame(data = x, INDICES = group, FUN = describe, type = type)
describeData(data)
```

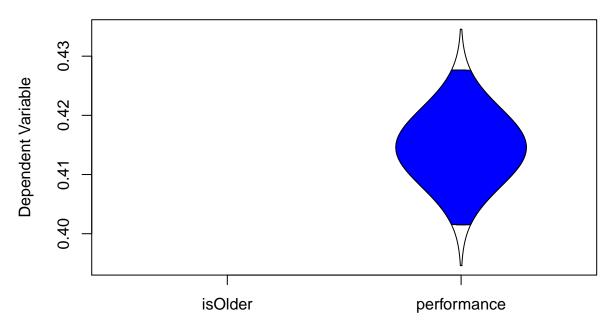
Number of variables = 7 of which all are numeri

are complete cases.

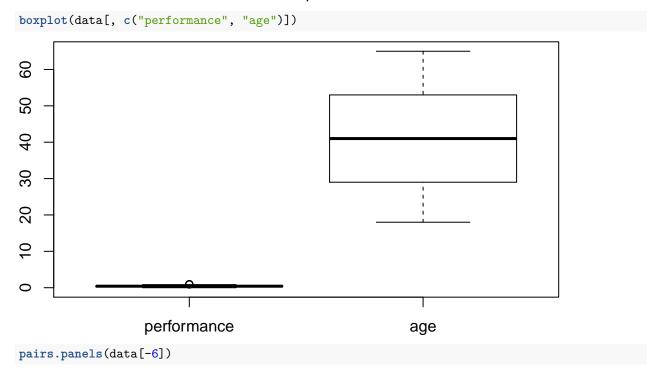
n.obs = 650 of which 650

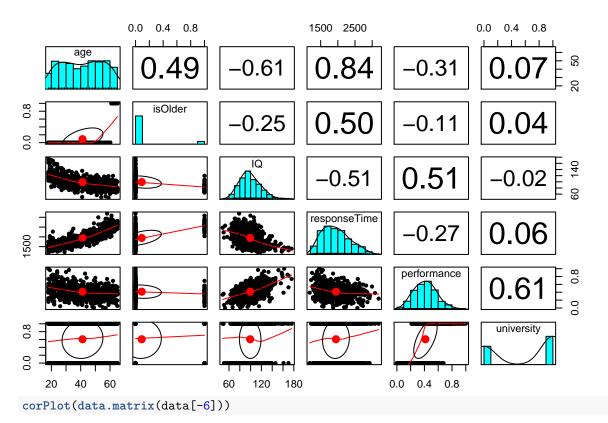
```
variable # n.obs type
                                            H1
                                                          H2
                                                                      НЗ
##
                                1
                                              30
                                                          28
## age
                       1
                           650
                                                                       61
                           650
                                           FALSE
## isOlder*
                                                       FALSE
                                                                     TRUE
## IQ
                           650
                                     133.06719
                                                   133.40986
                                                                 87.44439
                                  1
## responseTime
                           650
                       4
                                1
                                            1524
                                                        1432
                                                                     2863
## performance
                       5
                           650
                                1 0.9158141
                                                   0.3465298
                                                                0.1488978
## id*
                                  3 vxFeCOXgqc6i aUchqcWotUut 7nDl7aBhF3TD
                           650
## university
                       7
                           650
                                               1
##
                        H4
                                     T1
                                                 T2
                                                              T3
## age
                        27
                                     30
                                                 44
                                                              39
## isOlder*
                    FALSE
                                  FALSE
                                              FALSE
                                                          FALSE
                   95.40294
                              131.56426
                                            97.63813
                                                        91.75452
## IQ
## responseTime
                       1647
                                   1451
                                               2272
                                                            2047
                  0.4090058
## performance
                              0.5100192
                                           0.5324680
                                                       0.1665098
               5R2Mg2vnzCqT VNiTOX4LDyBP CpvqLy1Kmdu7 pXdzD0B52uCD
## id*
## university
                         0
                                      0
                                                  1
##
                        T4
## age
                        58
## isOlder*
                     FALSE
## IQ
                   95.39839
## responseTime
                       2511
## performance
                  0.4886576
## id*
               FiXUFOWB7poA
## university
head(data)
    age isOlder IQ responseTime performance
                                                          id university
## 1 30
          FALSE 133.06719 1524
                                       0.9158141 vxFeC0Xgqc6i
                                        0.3465298 aUchqcWotUut
## 2 28
          FALSE 133.40986
                                 1432
## 3 61
          TRUE 87.44439
                                 2863
                                        0.1488978 7nDl7aBhF3TD
## 4 27
          FALSE 95.40294
                                 1647
                                        0.4090058 5R2Mg2vnzCqT
                                                                       0
## 5 24 FALSE 125.69138
                                 1484 0.6558282 OSWpcKdSU16X
                                 1706 0.5446137 iVNtPorZ5EuM
## 6 29 FALSE 113.91225
# Some quick plots
error.bars(data[, c("isOlder", "performance")])
```

95% confidence limits

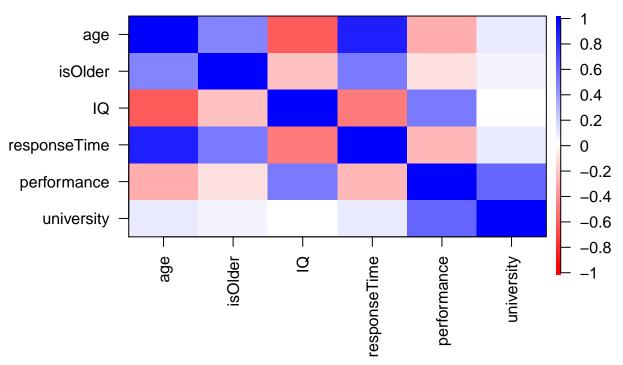


Independent Variable



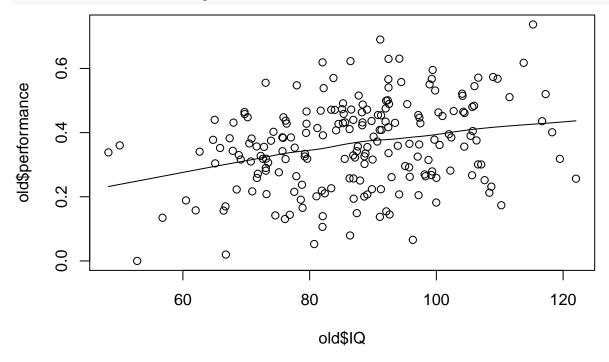


Correlation plot



```
# Look for outliers
# outlier(data[, c("performance", "IQ", "responseTime")],cex=.8)
# Filter your data
```

```
dataScrubbed = scrub(data,3:4,min=c(88,1300), max=c(115, 1600), newvalue=NA)
old = subset(data,data$age>50)
scatter.smooth(old$IQ, old$performance)
```

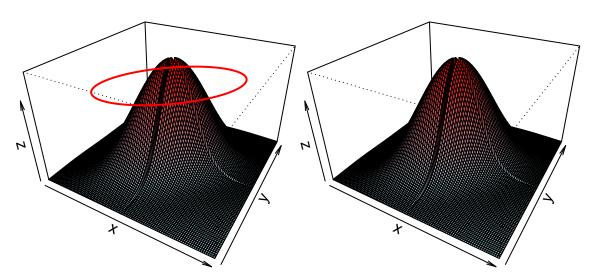


Correlations

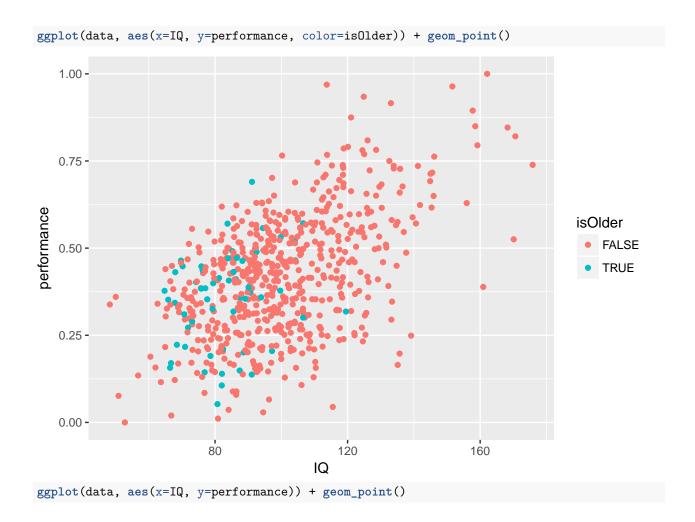
```
# What is a correlation ?
draw.cor(expand=20,cuts=c(0,0),r = 0.57)
```

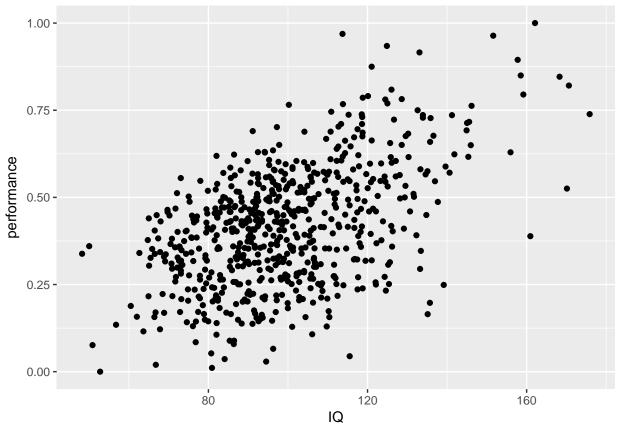
Bivariate density rho = 0.57 B

Bivariate density rho = 0.57



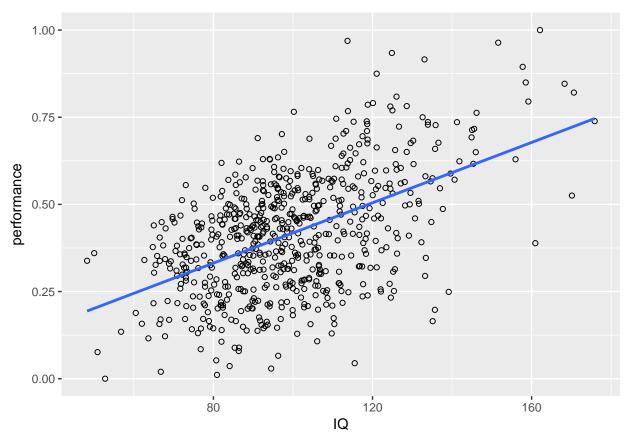
Plot Performance as a function of IQ. Performance = f(IQ).





performance = beta*IQ + intercept + bruit

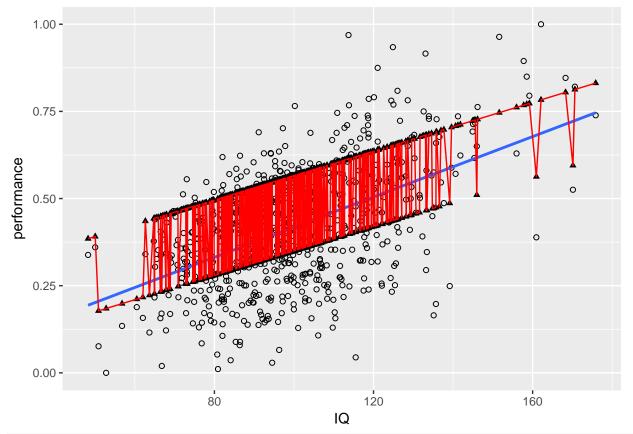
Now, what kind of relation do you think exist between the two?

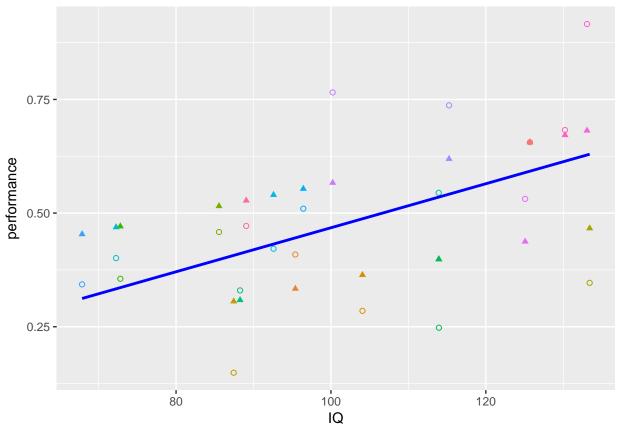


Usually you want to know the interaction between multiple variables. For example the performance might be linked to the IQ, the Age, and/or the university!

```
performance = betaIQ + age + university + IQage + intercept + bruit
```

```
# regression
regression = lm(formula = performance ~ IQ + age + university + IQ:age, data = data, na.action = na.omi
summary(regression)
##
##
  lm(formula = performance ~ IQ + age + university + IQ:age, data = data,
##
       na.action = na.omit)
##
## Residuals:
##
                  1Q
                       Median
                                             Max
## -0.31793 -0.06466
                      0.00050 0.06549
                                         0.40516
##
## Coefficients:
                 Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -1.531e-01
                           6.511e-02
                                       -2.351
                                                 0.019 *
## IQ
                4.679e-03
                           5.885e-04
                                        7.950 8.36e-15 ***
                8.188e-04
                           1.518e-03
                                        0.539
                                                 0.590
## age
                2.148e-01
                           8.225e-03
                                       26.116
                                               < 2e-16 ***
## university
               -1.543e-05
                           1.513e-05
                                       -1.020
                                                 0.308
## IQ:age
                   0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Signif. codes:
```





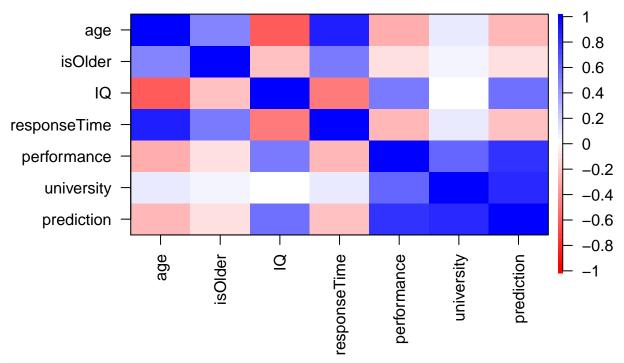
```
# But is this model the good one ?
regression2 = lm(formula = performance ~ IQ , data = data, na.action = na.omit)
summary(regression2)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = performance ~ IQ, data = data, na.action = na.omit)
##
## Residuals:
       Min
                 1Q
                      Median
                                   3Q
## -0.44078 -0.10631 0.01573 0.10665 0.49161
##
## Coefficients:
                Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
## (Intercept) -0.0148013 0.0290827 -0.509
                                               0.611
## IQ
               0.0043281 0.0002874 15.060
                                              <2e-16 ***
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 0.1462 on 648 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.2593, Adjusted R-squared: 0.2581
## F-statistic: 226.8 on 1 and 648 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
# Anova(model1, model2, test="Chisq") allows to compare models
anova(regression, regression2, test="Chisq")
```

Analysis of Variance Table
##

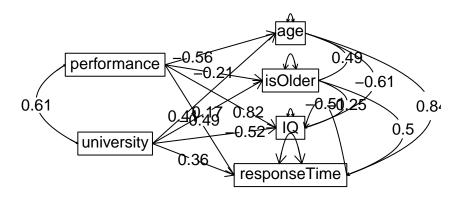
```
## Model 1: performance ~ IQ + age + university + IQ:age
## Model 2: performance ~ IQ
     Res.Df
               RSS Df Sum of Sq Pr(>Chi)
        645 6.690
## 1
## 2
        648 13.855 -3
                        -7.1649 < 2.2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
# Other way to analyses correlation (usually through covariance matrix)
# correlation and analysis
corr.test(data.matrix(data[-6]))
## Call:corr.test(x = data.matrix(data[-6]))
## Correlation matrix
##
                  age isOlder
                                  IQ responseTime performance university
## age
                 1.00
                         0.49 - 0.61
                                             0.84
                                                        -0.31
                                                                     0.07
                 0.49
                         1.00 -0.25
                                             0.50
                                                        -0.11
                                                                     0.04
## isOlder
## IQ
                -0.61
                        -0.25 1.00
                                            -0.51
                                                         0.51
                                                                    -0.02
## responseTime 0.84
                         0.50 - 0.51
                                             1.00
                                                        -0.27
                                                                     0.06
## performance
               -0.31
                        -0.11 0.51
                                            -0.27
                                                         1.00
                                                                     0.61
                         0.04 -0.02
                                                                     1.00
## university
                 0.07
                                             0.06
                                                         0.61
                        -0.10 0.54
                                                         0.79
                                                                     0.83
## prediction
                -0.28
                                            -0.23
##
                prediction
## age
                     -0.28
## isOlder
                     -0.10
## IQ
                      0.54
## responseTime
                     -0.23
## performance
                      0.79
## university
                      0.83
## prediction
                      1.00
## Sample Size
## [1] 650
## Probability values (Entries above the diagonal are adjusted for multiple tests.)
                 age isOlder
                               IQ responseTime performance university
##
## age
                0.00
                        0.00 0.00
                                            0.0
                                                       0.00
                                                                   0.23
## isOlder
                0.00
                        0.00 0.00
                                            0.0
                                                       0.03
                                                                   0.56
## IQ
                0.00
                        0.00 0.00
                                            0.0
                                                       0.00
                                                                   0.62
## responseTime 0.00
                        0.00 0.00
                                            0.0
                                                       0.00
                                                                   0.29
## performance 0.00
                        0.01 0.00
                                            0.0
                                                       0.00
                                                                   0.00
                0.06
## university
                        0.28 0.62
                                            0.1
                                                       0.00
                                                                   0.00
## prediction
                0.00
                        0.01 0.00
                                            0.0
                                                       0.00
                                                                   0.00
##
                prediction
## age
                      0.00
## isOlder
                      0.05
## IQ
                      0.00
## responseTime
                      0.00
## performance
                      0.00
## university
                      0.00
## prediction
                      0.00
## To see confidence intervals of the correlations, print with the short=FALSE option
corPlot(data.matrix(data[-6]))
```

Correlation plot



Multivariate correlation predict y columns with x
setCor(y = 1:4,x=c(5,7),data=data)

Regression Models



unweighted matrix correlation = -0.17

```
## Call: setCor(y = 1:4, x = c(5, 7), data = data)
##
## Multiple Regression from raw data
##
## Beta weights
## age isOlder IQ responseTime
## performance -0.56 -0.21 0.82 -0.49
```

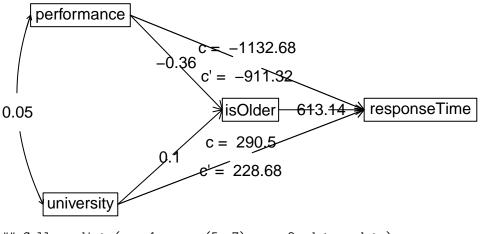
```
## university 0.41 0.17 -0.52
                                 0.36
##
## Multiple R
##
                   is0lder
                                   IQ responseTime
           age
##
          0.45
                      0.18
                                 0.66
                                              0.40
## multiple R2
                   isOlder
                                    IQ responseTime
          age
##
         0.204
                    0.031
                                 0.430
                                             0.157
##
##
  Unweighted multiple R
##
          age
                  isOlder
                                   IQ responseTime
##
          0.21
                      0.09
                                 0.29
                                              0.19
  Unweighted multiple R2
##
##
                isOlder
                                   IQ responseTime
          age
##
          0.05
                      0.01
                                  0.09
                                              0.04
##
## SE of Beta weights
       age isOlder IQ responseTime
##
                   0.05 0.04
                                 0.05
## performance 0.04
                     0.05 0.04
## university 0.04
                                     0.05
##
## t of Beta Weights
##
                age isOlder
                               IQ responseTime
## performance -12.72 -4.41 22.09
## university 9.40 3.55 -13.93
                                          8.01
## Probability of t <
             age isOlder IQ responseTime
## performance 0 1.2e-05 0 0.0e+00
## university
               0 4.1e-04 0
                                5.6e-15
##
##
   Shrunken R2
##
                   is0lder
          age
                                    IQ responseTime
                     0.028
##
         0.202
                                0.428
                                             0.155
##
## Standard Error of R2
##
       age
               is0lder
                                    IQ responseTime
##
         0.028
                   0.013
                               0.029
                                             0.026
##
## F
                                IQ responseTime
##
                   is0lder
         age
                     10.34
##
         83.15
                                244.15
                                             60.33
## Probability of F <
                   is0lder
                                    IQ responseTime
           age
##
                  3.81e-05
                                          0.00e+00
      0.00e+00
                              0.00e+00
## degrees of freedom of regression
## [1] 2 647
##
## Various estimates of between set correlations
## Squared Canonical Correlations
## [1] 0.435 0.006
## Chisq of canonical correlations
```

```
## [1] 368.8
##
  Average squared canonical correlation = 0.22
## Cohen's Set Correlation R2 = 0.44
## Shrunken Set Correlation R2 = 0.43
## F and df of Cohen's Set Correlation 53.55 8 1280
## Unweighted correlation between the two sets = -0.17
```

Mediation analysis

```
mediate(y = 4, x = c(5,7), m = 2, data = data)
```

Mediation model



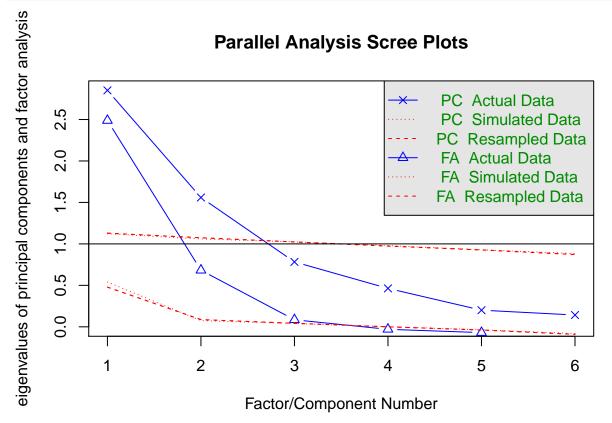
```
## Call: mediate(y = 4, x = c(5, 7), m = 2, data = data)
## The DV (Y) was responseTime . The IV (X) was performance university . The mediating variable(s) =
## Total Direct effect(c) of performance on responseTime = -1132.68
                                                                       S.E. = 104.52 t direct =
## Direct effect (c') of performance on responseTime removing isOlder = -911.32
## Indirect effect (ab) of performance on responseTime through isOlder = -221.36
## Mean bootstrapped indirect effect = -220.99 with standard error = 42.4 Lower CI = -305.48
## Total Direct effect(c) of university on responseTime = 290.5 S.E. = 36.29 t direct = 8.01
## Direct effect (c') of university on NA removing isOlder = 228.68
                                                                        S.E. = 32.17 t direct =
## Indirect effect (ab) of university on responseTime through isOlder
## Mean bootstrapped indirect effect = -220.99 with standard error = 42.4 Lower CI = 29
## R2 \text{ of model} = 0.35
  To see the longer output, specify short = FALSE in the print statement
##
  Full output
##
## Total effect estimates (c)
              responseTime
                              se
## performance
                 -1132.68 104.52 -10.84 0.00e+00
                                   8.01 5.55e-15
## university
                    290.50 36.29
```

Upper C

```
##
## Direct effect estimates
                                (c')
               responseTime
                    -911.32 93.14 -9.78 0.00e+00
## performance
##
  university
                     228.68 32.17 7.11 3.11e-12
##
##
         effect estimates
               is0lder
##
                         se
                                 t
  performance
                 -0.36 0.08 -4.41 0.000012
                  0.10 0.03 3.55 0.000414
  university
##
##
         effect estimates
##
           responseTime
                                   t Prob
                            se
##
  is0lder
                 613.14 44.09 13.91
##
##
    'ab' effect estimates
##
               responseTime
                                             lower
                                boot
                                        sd
## performance
                    -221.36 -220.99 42.40 -305.48 -140.89
## university
                      61.82
                               61.55 16.85
                                             29.00
```

Dimensionality reduction

```
# How many components should you expect ?
dataWithoutId = data[-c(6,8)]
fa.parallel(dataWithoutId)
```

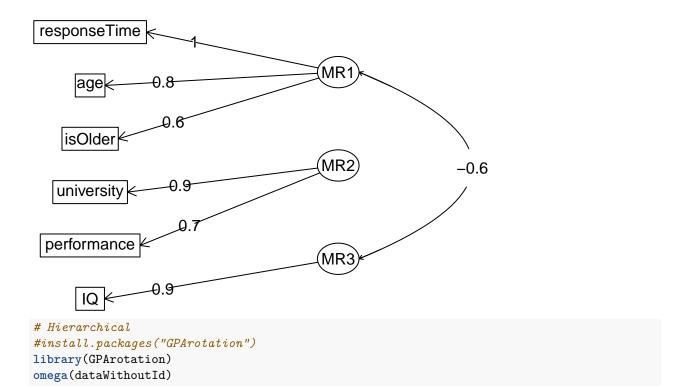


```
## Parallel analysis suggests that the number of factors = 3 and the number of components = 2
# Data loads on variable
principal(dataWithoutId, nfactors = 2)
## Principal Components Analysis
## Call: principal(r = dataWithoutId, nfactors = 2)
## Standardized loadings (pattern matrix) based upon correlation matrix
##
                 RC1
                       RC2
                             h2
                                  u2 com
                 0.92 -0.06 0.86 0.14 1.0
## age
                0.66 0.09 0.45 0.55 1.0
## isOlder
                -0.71 0.31 0.60 0.40 1.4
## responseTime 0.90 -0.03 0.81 0.19 1.0
## performance -0.31 0.89 0.88 0.12 1.2
## university
                 0.17 0.88 0.81 0.19 1.1
##
##
                          RC1 RC2
## SS loadings
                         2.74 1.67
## Proportion Var
                         0.46 0.28
## Cumulative Var
                         0.46 0.74
## Proportion Explained 0.62 0.38
## Cumulative Proportion 0.62 1.00
## Mean item complexity = 1.1
## Test of the hypothesis that 2 components are sufficient.
## The root mean square of the residuals (RMSR) is 0.1
## with the empirical chi square 207.44 with prob < 9.4e-44
## Fit based upon off diagonal values = 0.94
# Latent variable loads on data (age, IQ, university)
factanal(dataWithoutId, factors = 3)
##
## Call:
## factanal(x = dataWithoutId, factors = 3)
## Uniquenesses:
                     is0lder
##
            age
                                       IQ responseTime performance
##
          0.148
                       0.700
                                    0.068
                                                 0.142
                                                              0.005
##
    university
##
         0.464
##
## Loadings:
##
                Factor1 Factor2 Factor3
## age
                 0.852
                                -0.354
## isOlder
                 0.544
                -0.347
                         0.112
                                 0.894
## responseTime 0.900
                                -0.219
## performance -0.172
                         0.902
                                 0.390
## university
                         0.723
##
##
                 Factor1 Factor2 Factor3
## SS loadings
                   1.988 1.351
```

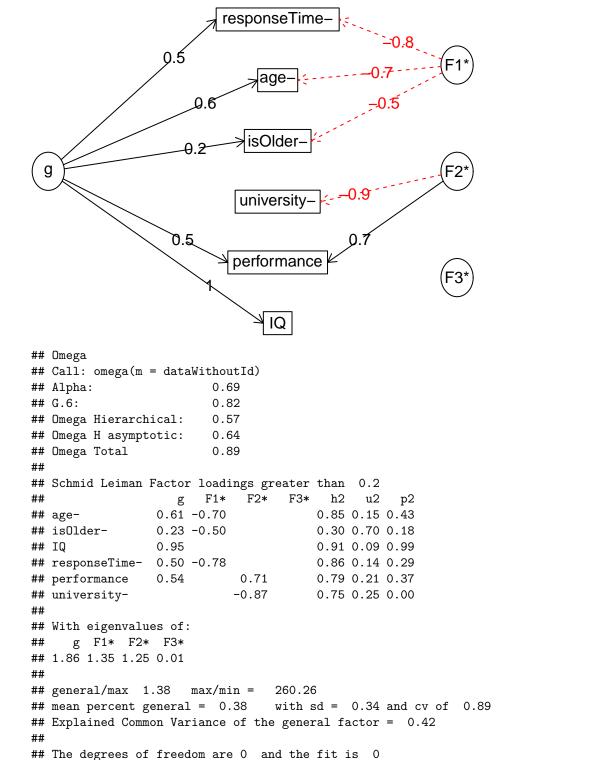
```
## Proportion Var 0.331 0.225 0.189
## Cumulative Var 0.331 0.556 0.746
##
## The degrees of freedom for the model is 0 and the fit was 6e-04
fa.diagram(fa(dataWithoutId, nfactors = 3))
```

Loading required namespace: GPArotation

Factor Analysis



Omega

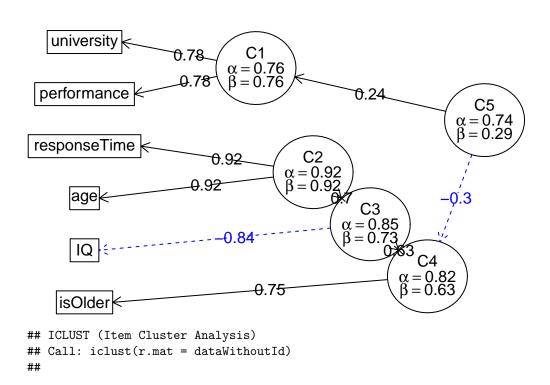


The number of observations was $\,$ 650 $\,$ with Chi Square = $\,$ 1.06 $\,$ with prob < NA

```
## The root mean square of the residuals is 0
## The df corrected root mean square of the residuals is \, NA
## Compare this with the adequacy of just a general factor and no group factors
## The degrees of freedom for just the general factor are 9 and the fit is 1.87
## The number of observations was 650 with Chi Square = 1207.7 with prob < 2.6e-254
## The root mean square of the residuals is 0.25
## The df corrected root mean square of the residuals is 0.33
## RMSEA index = 0.205 and the 90 % confidence intervals are 0.205 0.474
## BIC = 1149.41
## Measures of factor score adequacy
##
                                                     F1* F2*
                                                                 F3*
## Correlation of scores with factors
                                                0.95 0.92 0.92
                                                                0.08
## Multiple R square of scores with factors
                                                0.91 0.84 0.84
## Minimum correlation of factor score estimates 0.82 0.69 0.68 -0.99
##
##
   Total, General and Subset omega for each subset
                                                   g F1* F2* F3*
##
## Omega total for total scores and subscales
                                                0.89 0.85 0.41 0.91
## Omega general for total scores and subscales 0.57 0.27 0.38 0.90
## Omega group for total scores and subscales
                                                0.28 0.58 0.03 0.00
#Clusters
```

ICLUST

iclust(dataWithoutId)



```
## Purified Alpha:
## [1] 0.74
##
## G6* reliability:
## [1] 0.62
##
## Original Beta:
## [1] 0.29
##
## Cluster size:
## [1] 6
## Item by Cluster Structure matrix:
##
                [,1]
## age
                -0.81
## isOlder
                -0.44
## IQ
                 0.67
## responseTime -0.77
## performance
                 0.68
## university
                 0.26
##
## With eigenvalues of:
## [1] 2.4
## Purified scale intercorrelations
## reliabilities on diagonal
## correlations corrected for attenuation above diagonal:
##
        [,1]
## [1,] 0.74
##
## Cluster fit = 0.68 Pattern fit = 0.89 RMSR = 0.21
# structural equation modelin
sem = esem(r = cor(dataWithoutId), varsX = c(5,6), varsY = 1:4, nfX = 2, nfY = 1,
n.obs = 650, plot = FALSE)
## The estimated weights for the factor scores are probably incorrect. Try a different factor extracti
print(sem)
## Exploratory Structural Equation Modeling Analysis using method = minres
## Call: esem(r = cor(dataWithoutId), varsX = c(5, 6), varsY = 1:4, nfX = 2,
       nfY = 1, n.obs = 650, plot = FALSE)
##
## For the 'X' set:
##
                  MR1 MR2
                -0.87 0.49
## responseTime 0.87 0.49
## For the 'Y' set:
##
                 MR1
## performance 1.00
## university
               0.61
## age
               -0.31
```

isOlder

-0.11

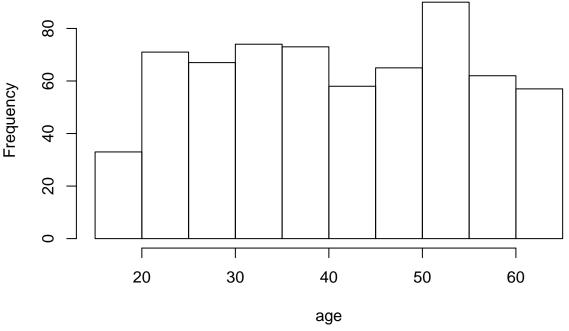
```
## Correlations between the X and Y sets.
        X1
            Х2
## X1 1.00 0.00 -0.49
## X2 0.00 1.00 0.12
## Y1 -0.49 0.12 1.00
## The degrees of freedom for the null model are 30 and the empirical chi square function was
## The degrees of freedom for the model are 0 and the empirical chi square function was 19.12
    with prob < NA
## The root mean square of the residuals (RMSR) is 0.03
## The df corrected root mean square of the residuals is NA
## with the empirical chi square 19.12 with prob < NA
\#\# The total number of observations was 650 with fitted Chi Square = 545.16 with prob < NA
## Empirical BIC = NA
## ESABIC = NA
## Fit based upon off diagonal values = 0.99
## To see the item loadings for the X and Y sets combined, and the associated fa output, print with sh
esem.diagram(sem)
```

How to generate fake data

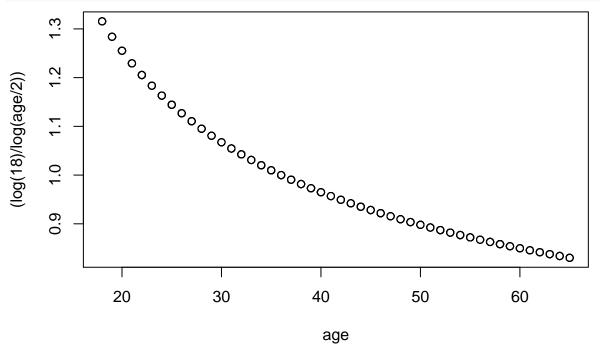
```
# Number of subjects
N = 650

# Sample from a list
age = sample(18:65, N, replace = T)
hist(age)
```

Histogram of age



```
# Sample from gaussian distribution to generate IQ
baseIq = rnorm(N, 100, 15)
agedIq = baseIq * (log(18)/log(age/2))
data = data.frame(age = age, isOlder = age>60, IQ = agedIq)
plot(age, (log(18)/log(age/2)))
```



plot(age,agedIq)

```
180
                0
                   0
      140
agedlq
      100
      80
                    0
      9
                           0
                                             0
                                                                                    oŏ
                                                          0
                20
                                                 40
                                                                 50
                                                                                  60
                                 30
                                                   age
```

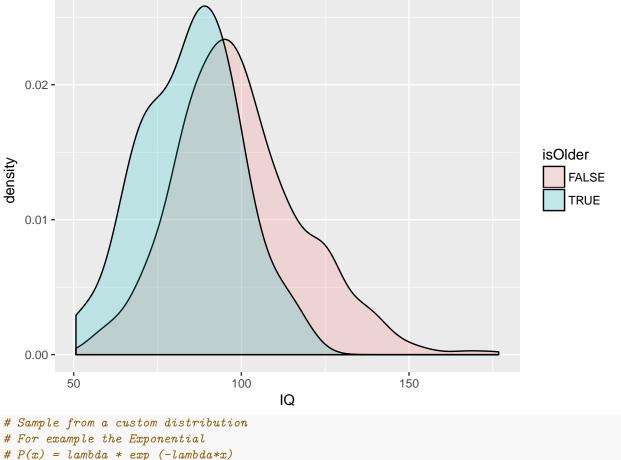
```
# A slightly more beatifull way of plotting
# install.packages("ggplot")
library(ggplot2)

# Line plot + prediction error
ggplot(data, aes(x = age, y = IQ, color=age)) + geom_point() + geom_smooth()
```

`geom_smooth()` using method = 'loess'



```
# Histograms
ggplot(data, aes(IQ, ..density.., fill = isOlder)) +
geom_density(alpha=0.2)
```



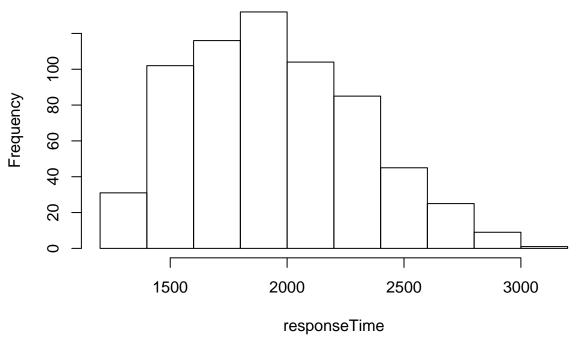
```
# Sample from a custom distribution
# For example the Exponential
# P(x) = lambda * exp (-lambda*x)
# lambda = 1 / mean
# CDF = 1 - exp(-lambda*x) ==> x = - ln (1-CDF) / lambda
mean = 1500
lambda = 1 / mean
CDF = sample(0:100, N, replace = T) / 100
x = -log(1-CDF) / lambda
```

Complex distribution

Sample from from complex distribution such as Diffusion Model for Response Time Lets image you are slower with age !

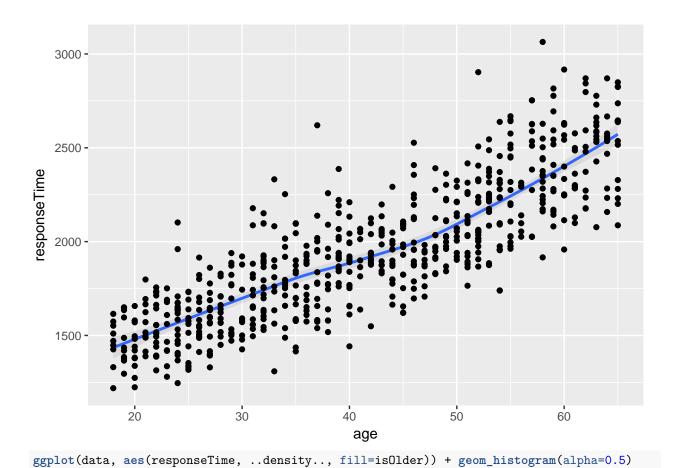
```
# Here bias depends on age
responseTime = rep(NA, N)
currentAccumulators = rep(0,N)
bias = sample(c(-1,1), N, T)+rnorm(N,0,0.1)
threshold = 1000
for(i in 1:5000) {
   currentAccumulators = currentAccumulators + bias * abs(rnorm(N, 0,1-(0.008*age)))
   indices = which(abs(currentAccumulators) > threshold)
   newIndices = indices[!indices%in%which(!is.na(responseTime))]
   responseTime[newIndices] = i
}
```

Histogram of responseTime

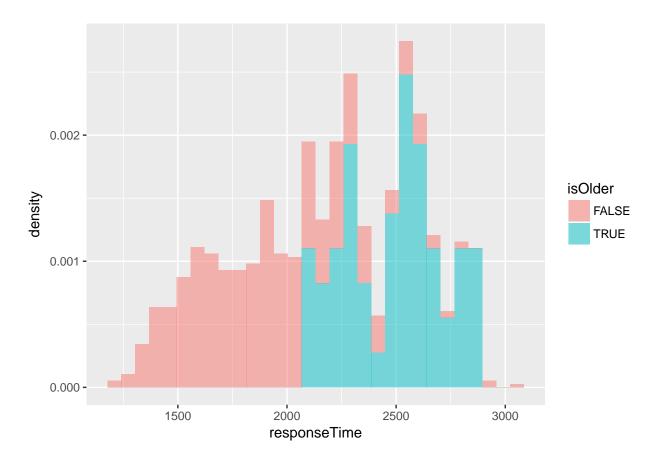


```
data$responseTime = responseTime
ggplot(data, aes(age, responseTime)) + geom_smooth(alpha=0.2) + geom_point()
```

`geom_smooth()` using method = 'loess'



`stat_bin()` using `bins = 30`. Pick better value with `binwidth`.



Create fake correlation in the data

For example imagine IQ is linked to performance and wether or not they went to university

```
# University
university = rep(0,N)
university[which(rnorm(N)>-0.25)] = 1

# Generate fake performance linked to IQ
performance = rnorm(N,60,15)*agedIq/100 + 30*university

# Scale between 0 and 1
performance = performance - min(performance)
performance = performance / max(performance)

data$performance = performance
data$id = getRandomId(N)
data$age = age
data$university = university
```

Save your data

```
# Set your working directory - your reference for the file system
setwd("~/Google Drive/Master Students/courses/introduction_a_r")
```

```
# Save into your data/raw
save(data, file = "data/raw/data.RData")

# CSV format
write.csv(data, file = "data/raw/data.csv", row.names = FALSE)

# XLS - needs a library
library(WriteXLS)
WriteXLS(data, "data/raw/data.xls")
```

Example: Scaling function

```
scale_by <- function (data, by = "minmax") {</pre>
        copied_data = data.frame(data)
        columns = names(data)
        switch(by,
               meanvar = {
                       center <- mean
                        spread <- sd
               },
               medianvar = {
                       center <- median
                       spread <- sd
               },
               minmax = {
                       center <- min
                        spread <- max
               })
        for (column in columns) {
                center_by = center(copied_data[[column]], na.rm = T)
                reduced_by = spread(copied_data[[column]], na.rm = T)
                copied_data[[column]] = (copied_data[[column]] - center_by) / reduced_by
        return(copied_data)
```

Debugging

A good rule of thumb is that you will introduce a bug in your code every ten new lines. Besides real design issue in your code, bugs are usually due to overlooking certain extreme "use case" that you did not plan for, or because you did not pay attention to the values of your variables and content of your data.

Quick fix bugs: - Wrong variable name - Forgot a comma or parenthesis

Harder bugs: - Wrong format + Using a factor as a string or numeric + Some NA in the data + Some misformated strings or outlier values - Wrong data size - Silent bugs - return incorect values (+/- design issues)

Three steps to correct a bug: - Reproduce - Isolate: harder part - Correct

```
# Break on error
```

- # browser()
- # breakpoints
- # print