

midterm_report.R

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Correlation analysis

```
library(psych)
```

```
library(dplyr)
```

```
##
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```
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'
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```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
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##
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```
##      filter, lag
```

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

```
##      intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
```

```
library(ltm)
```

```
## Loading required package: MASS
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##
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```
## Attaching package: 'MASS'
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```
## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
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##
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```
##      select
```

```
## Loading required package: msm
```

```
## Loading required package: polycor
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##
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```
## Attaching package: 'polycor'
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```
## The following object is masked from 'package:psych':
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```
##
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```
##      polyserial
```

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##
```

```
## Attaching package: 'ltm'
```

```
## The following object is masked from 'package:psych':
##
##     factor.scores
```

```
library(tidyr)
```

```
df <- read.csv("/Users/boburjonbahtiyorov/Documents/University/AJOU/Statistical methods/Midterm exam /J
str(df)
```

```
## 'data.frame':   331 obs. of  32 variables:
## $ FIRMDUM1      : int  0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ FIRMDUM2      : int  0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ FIRMDUM3      : int  0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ FIRMDUM4      : int  0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ FIRMDUM5      : int  0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ FIRMDUM6      : int  0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ FIRMDUM7      : int  0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ InFreqGT1Deg   : num  42.5 60 72.5 37.5 65 52.5 42.5 30 47.5 47.5 ...
## $ InCloseGT1Deg  : num  92.5 97.5 100 97.5 100 100 97.5 92.5 100 90 ...
## $ RCP1           : int  5 7 6 6 6 7 7 7 7 6 ...
## $ RCP2           : int  5 7 7 6 6 7 7 6 7 6 ...
## $ RCP3           : int  5 7 6 6 6 7 7 6 7 6 ...
## $ RWD1           : int  3 5 1 2 2 5 5 4 5 4 ...
## $ RWD2           : int  4 5 1 3 2 4 5 5 4 4 ...
## $ RWD3           : int  4 5 1 5 4 4 7 5 6 4 ...
## $ RWD4           : int  4 5 1 5 3 4 7 5 6 4 ...
## $ KTF1           : int  3 5 5 3 6 6 5 7 5 4 ...
## $ KTF2           : int  4 6 4 3 4 6 5 4 4 4 ...
## $ KTF3           : int  4 5 7 5 6 7 7 7 7 6 ...
## $ KTF4           : int  5 5 7 5 6 7 7 7 7 6 ...
## $ KTF5           : int  5 6 7 5 6 7 7 7 7 6 ...
## $ KTF6           : int  4 6 7 4 6 7 7 6 6 5 ...
## $ TNR            : int  97 181 110 31 73 73 12 24 49 86 ...
## $ CMPTNR         : int  97 181 25 31 73 73 12 24 49 62 ...
## $ JOBTNR         : int  97 181 75 12 65 38 12 12 25 48 ...
## $ SEX            : int  1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ AGE            : int  34 40 33 30 32 32 26 30 30 34 ...
## $ RCP            : num  5 7 6.33 6 6 ...
## $ RWD            : num  3.75 5 1 3.75 2.75 4.25 6 4.75 5.25 4 ...
## $ KTF            : num  4.17 5.5 6.17 4.17 5.67 ...
## $ OutGT10OutExpAvg: num  1.62 4.11 2.95 2.36 1.62 ...
## $ Centrality     : num  67.5 78.8 86.2 67.5 82.5 ...
```

```
colnames(df)
```

```
## [1] "FIRMDUM1"      "FIRMDUM2"      "FIRMDUM3"      "FIRMDUM4"
## [5] "FIRMDUM5"      "FIRMDUM6"      "FIRMDUM7"      "InFreqGT1Deg"
## [9] "InCloseGT1Deg" "RCP1"          "RCP2"          "RCP3"
## [13] "RWD1"          "RWD2"          "RWD3"          "RWD4"
## [17] "KTF1"          "KTF2"          "KTF3"          "KTF4"
## [21] "KTF5"          "KTF6"          "TNR"           "CMPTNR"
## [25] "JOBTNR"        "SEX"           "AGE"           "RCP"
## [29] "RWD"           "KTF"           "OutGT10OutExpAvg" "Centrality"
```

```
class(df)
```

```
## [1] "data.frame"
```

```
df1 <- subset(df, select = c(Centrality, RCP, CMPTNR, OutGT1OutExpAvg, RWD, KTF ))
```

```
# Descriptive statistics and results of reliability test  
describe(df1)
```

```
##               vars    n  mean    sd median trimmed   mad   min max  range  
## Centrality      1 331 70.68 15.13  70.83   71.08 14.85 12.24 100  87.76  
## RCP              2 331  6.25  0.82   6.33    6.38  0.99  2.67  7   4.33  
## CMPTNR           3 331 51.80 51.56  32.00   42.69 28.17  1.00 276 275.00  
## OutGT1OutExpAvg  4 331  3.45  0.86   3.51    3.49  0.89  1.37  5   3.63  
## RWD              5 331  3.82  1.31   4.00    3.81  1.11  1.00  7   6.00  
## KTF              6 331  5.26  0.93   5.33    5.30  0.99  1.00  7   6.00  
##               skew kurtosis    se  
## Centrality     -0.58      1.35 0.83  
## RCP             -1.26      1.85 0.05  
## CMPTNR          1.64      2.42 2.83  
## OutGT1OutExpAvg -0.35     -0.53 0.05  
## RWD              0.02     -0.19 0.07  
## KTF            -0.52      0.68 0.05
```

```
reward <- subset(df, select = c(RWD1, RWD2, RWD3, RWD4))  
centrality <- subset(df, select = c(InFreqGT1Deg, InCloseGT1Deg))  
reciprocity <- subset(df, select = c(RCP1, RCP2, RCP3))  
knowledge_transfer <- subset(df, select = c(KTF1, KTF2, KTF3, KTF4, KTF5, KTF6))
```

```
# Omitting missing values  
sum(is.na(knowledge_transfer))
```

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

```
sum(is.na(reward))
```

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

```
reward <- na.omit(reward)  
knowledge_transfer <- na.omit(knowledge_transfer)
```

```
# Cronbach's a  
# Cronbach's a of Reward construct  
cronbach.alpha(reward)
```

```
##  
## Cronbach's alpha for the 'reward' data-set  
##  
## Items: 4  
## Sample units: 330  
## alpha: 0.89
```

```
# Cronbach's a of Centrality construct
cronbach.alpha(centrality)
```

```
##
## Cronbach's alpha for the 'centrality' data-set
##
## Items: 2
## Sample units: 331
## alpha: 0.774
```

```
# Cronbach's a of Reciprocity construct
cronbach.alpha(reciprocity)
```

```
##
## Cronbach's alpha for the 'reciprocity' data-set
##
## Items: 3
## Sample units: 331
## alpha: 0.895
```

```
# Cronbach's a of Knowledge Transfer construct
cronbach.alpha(knowledge_transfer)
```

```
##
## Cronbach's alpha for the 'knowledge_transfer' data-set
##
## Items: 6
## Sample units: 329
## alpha: 0.83
```

```
# The reliability of the research constructs were analyzed through Cronbach's alpha
# All the constructs showed reliability ranging from 0.774 to 0.895 which is higher than
# suggested threshold value of 0.7
```

```
# Correlations between constructs
```

```
lowerCor(df1, digits=3, use="pairwise", method="pearson")
```

```
##
## Centrality      Cntrl RCP      CMPTN  OGT10  RWD      KTF
## RCP              1.000
## CMPTNR           0.014  1.000
## OutGT10OutExpAvg 0.199  0.063  1.000
## RWD              0.101  0.136 -0.014  1.000
## KTF              0.101  0.172 -0.020  0.000  1.000
##                  0.257  0.414  0.117  0.126  0.310  1.000
```

```
# Multidisciplinary test showed high relativity among reciprocity and knowledge transfer
```

```

# Factor Analysis
centrality_fa <- subset(df, select = c(InFreqGT1Deg, InCloseGT1Deg))
reciprocity_fa <- subset(df, select = c(RCP1, RCP2, RCP3))
tenure_fa <- subset(df, select = c(CMPTNR))
embedded_r_fa <- subset(df, select = c(OutGT1OutExpAvg))
reward_fa <- subset(df, select = c(RWD1, RWD2, RWD3, RWD4))

sum(is.na(reward_fa))

## [1] 3

reward_fa <- na.omit(reward_fa)

df_fa <- subset(df, select = c(InFreqGT1Deg, InCloseGT1Deg, RCP1, RCP2, RCP3,
                               CMPTNR, OutGT1OutExpAvg, RWD1, RWD2, RWD3, RWD4 ))
df_fa <- na.omit(df_fa)

# Factor analysis with principal component analysis and varimax rotation
pca = psych::principal(df_fa, nfactors=5, rotate="varimax")
print(pca, digits = 3, sort = FALSE)

## Principal Components Analysis
## Call: psych::principal(r = df_fa, nfactors = 5, rotate = "varimax")
## Standardized loadings (pattern matrix) based upon correlation matrix
##
##          RC1    RC2    RC3    RC5    RC4    h2    u2    com
## InFreqGT1Deg  0.066  0.054  0.901  0.114  0.064  0.836  0.16417  1.06
## InCloseGT1Deg  0.036 -0.052  0.903  0.025 -0.103  0.831  0.16919  1.04
## RCP1          0.040  0.916  0.079  0.001  0.019  0.847  0.15306  1.02
## RCP2          0.115  0.895 -0.074  0.062  0.044  0.826  0.17404  1.06
## RCP3          0.098  0.901 -0.004 -0.001  0.058  0.825  0.17484  1.03
## CMPTNR       -0.023  0.044  0.127  0.982 -0.009  0.983  0.01742  1.04
## OutGT1OutExpAvg -0.001  0.087 -0.035 -0.009  0.991  0.991  0.00887  1.02
## RWD1          0.834  0.012  0.122 -0.120 -0.078  0.731  0.26912  1.10
## RWD2          0.914  0.072 -0.003 -0.024 -0.028  0.842  0.15816  1.02
## RWD3          0.839  0.096 -0.019  0.141  0.035  0.734  0.26601  1.09
## RWD4          0.869  0.117  0.044 -0.026  0.074  0.777  0.22334  1.06
##
##          RC1    RC2    RC3    RC5    RC4
## SS loadings      3.020  2.496  1.673  1.017  1.016
## Proportion Var    0.275  0.227  0.152  0.092  0.092
## Cumulative Var    0.275  0.501  0.654  0.746  0.838
## Proportion Explained 0.327  0.271  0.181  0.110  0.110
## Cumulative Proportion 0.327  0.598  0.780  0.890  1.000
##
## Mean item complexity = 1
## Test of the hypothesis that 5 components are sufficient.
##
## The root mean square of the residuals (RMSR) is 0.043
## with the empirical chi square 67.543 with prob < 1.32e-10
##

```

```
## Fit based upon off diagonal values = 0.981
```

```
# Regression  
colnames(df1)
```

```
## [1] "Centrality"      "RCP"              "CMPTNR"           "OutGT1OutExpAvg"  
## [5] "RWD"              "KTF"
```

```
# all variables regressed on Knowledge Transfer  
regression_KTF <- lm(KTF ~ Centrality + RCP + CMPTNR + OutGT1OutExpAvg + RWD, data = df1)  
summary(regression_KTF)
```

```
##  
## Call:  
## lm(formula = KTF ~ Centrality + RCP + CMPTNR + OutGT1OutExpAvg +  
##     RWD, data = df1)  
##  
## Residuals:  
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max   
## -2.63497 -0.46390  0.04569  0.53788  2.49176   
##  
## Coefficients:  
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)      
## (Intercept)   0.7759813   0.4150753   1.869   0.0625 .      
## Centrality    0.0136448   0.0029390   4.643 5.00e-06 ***  
## RCP           0.4026693   0.0541594   7.435 9.37e-13 ***  
## CMPTNR        0.0010128   0.0008592   1.179  0.2394      
## OutGT1OutExpAvg 0.0965203   0.0506351   1.906  0.0575 .      
## RWD           0.1614376   0.0337953   4.777 2.70e-06 ***  
## ---  
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1  
##  
## Residual standard error: 0.7861 on 325 degrees of freedom  
## Multiple R-squared:  0.2933, Adjusted R-squared:  0.2824   
## F-statistic: 26.97 on 5 and 325 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

```
# All variables are regressed on Embedded Resources  
regression_EMB <- lm(OutGT1OutExpAvg~ Centrality + RCP + CMPTNR + KTF + RWD, data = df1)  
summary(regression_EMB)
```

```
##  
## Call:  
## lm(formula = OutGT1OutExpAvg ~ Centrality + RCP + CMPTNR + KTF +  
##     RWD, data = df1)  
##  
## Residuals:  
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max   
## -2.2316 -0.5122  0.1373  0.6083  1.5348   
##  
## Coefficients:  
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)      
## (Intercept)   2.6654252   0.4298990   6.200 1.71e-09 ***
```

```
## Centrality -0.0043505 0.0032975 -1.319 0.1880
## RCP 0.1003486 0.0635795 1.578 0.1155
## CMPTNR -0.0003346 0.0009379 -0.357 0.7215
## KTF 0.1145522 0.0600947 1.906 0.0575 .
## RWD -0.0311484 0.0380484 -0.819 0.4136
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.8564 on 325 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.03268, Adjusted R-squared: 0.0178
## F-statistic: 2.196 on 5 and 325 DF, p-value: 0.05444
```

```
# regression1 reciprocity regressed on embedded resources
colnames(df1)
```

```
## [1] "Centrality" "RCP" "CMPTNR" "OutGT1OutExpAvg"
## [5] "RWD" "KTF"
```

```
df1 <- na.omit(df1)
regression1 <- lm(OutGT1OutExpAvg ~ RCP, data = df1)
nrow(model.frame(regression1))
```

```
## [1] 331
```

```
summary(regression1)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = OutGT1OutExpAvg ~ RCP, data = df1)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -2.09914 -0.50638  0.08142  0.63212  1.58483
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  2.55742    0.36258   7.053 1.04e-11 ***
## RCP          0.14302    0.05749   2.488  0.0133 *
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.8574 on 329 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.01847, Adjusted R-squared: 0.01548
## F-statistic: 6.19 on 1 and 329 DF, p-value: 0.01334
```

```
# knowledge transfer regressed on embedded resources
regression2 <- lm(OutGT1OutExpAvg ~ KTF, data = df1)
nrow(model.frame(regression2))
```

```
## [1] 331
```

```
summary(regression2)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = OutGT1OutExpAvg ~ KTF, data = df1)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -2.1464 -0.5745  0.1124  0.5951  1.6960
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  2.83473    0.27204   10.420  <2e-16 ***
## KTF          0.11731    0.05093    2.303   0.0219 *
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.8585 on 329 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.01587,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.01288
## F-statistic: 5.306 on 1 and 329 DF,  p-value: 0.02188
```

```
# knowledge transfer regressed on both embedded resources and reciprocity
regression2 <- lm(OutGT1OutExpAvg ~ KTF + RCP, data = df1)
summary(regression2)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = OutGT1OutExpAvg ~ KTF + RCP, data = df1)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -2.1550 -0.5398  0.1077  0.6220  1.6384
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  2.37472    0.38473    6.172 1.98e-09 ***
## KTF          0.07833    0.05580    1.404   0.1613
## RCP          0.10634    0.06307    1.686   0.0927 .
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.8561 on 328 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.02433,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.01838
## F-statistic: 4.089 on 2 and 328 DF,  p-value: 0.01761
```

```
# centrality and reciprocity on knowledge transfer
regression3 <- lm(KTF ~ Centrality + RCP, data = df1)
summary(regression3)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = KTF ~ Centrality + RCP, data = df1)
```



```
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -2.96660 -0.49887  0.06912  0.61382  2.23972
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  1.267354    0.400645   3.163  0.00171 **
## Centrality   0.015407    0.002963   5.200 3.51e-07 ***
## RCP          0.464386    0.054600   8.505 6.52e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.8143 on 328 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.2347, Adjusted R-squared:  0.23
## F-statistic: 50.3 on 2 and 328 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

```
# Company Tenure influence on knowledge transfer
regression4 <- lm(OutGT1OutExpAvg ~ CMPTNR, data = df1)
summary(regression4)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = OutGT1OutExpAvg ~ CMPTNR, data = df1)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -2.09482 -0.54233  0.05899  0.64392  1.58319
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  3.4637765    0.0674739  51.335 <2e-16 ***
## CMPTNR       -0.0002302    0.0009238  -0.249   0.803
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.8654 on 329 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.0001888, Adjusted R-squared: -0.00285
## F-statistic: 0.06211 on 1 and 329 DF, p-value: 0.8033
```

```
# Embedded resources on knowledge transfer
regression5 <- lm(KTF ~ OutGT1OutExpAvg, data = df1)
summary(regression5)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = KTF ~ OutGT1OutExpAvg, data = df1)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -4.2248 -0.5858  0.0638  0.6567  1.8964
##
## Coefficients:
```

```
##               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)      4.79352    0.20898  22.938  <2e-16 ***
## OutGT1OutExpAvg  0.13529    0.05873   2.303  0.0219 *
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.922 on 329 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.01587,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.01288
## F-statistic: 5.306 on 1 and 329 DF,  p-value: 0.02188

detach(package:psych, unload = TRUE)
```