

Class 9: Halloween Mini Project

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In today's class we will examine some data about candy from the 538 website.

Import Data

```
candy = read.csv("class09.txt", row.names=1)
head(candy)
```

	chocolate	fruity	caramel	peanutyalmondy	nougat	crispedricewafer
100 Grand	1	0	1	0	0	1
3 Musketeers	1	0	0	0	1	0
One dime	0	0	0	0	0	0
One quarter	0	0	0	0	0	0
Air Heads	0	1	0	0	0	0
Almond Joy	1	0	0	1	0	0

	hard	bar	pluribus	sugarpercent	pricepercent	winpercent
100 Grand	0	1	0	0.732	0.860	66.97173
3 Musketeers	0	1	0	0.604	0.511	67.60294
One dime	0	0	0	0.011	0.116	32.26109
One quarter	0	0	0	0.011	0.511	46.11650
Air Heads	0	0	0	0.906	0.511	52.34146
Almond Joy	0	1	0	0.465	0.767	50.34755

Data exploration

Q1. How many different candy types are in this dataset?

There are 85 candy in this dataset.

```
nrow(candy)
```

[1] 85

Q2. How many fruity candy types are in the dataset?

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

[1] 38

How many chocolate candy types are in the dataset?

```
sum(candy$chocolate)
```

[1] 37

My favorite candy vs yours

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

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

[1] 81.64291

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

```
candy["Kit Kat", ]$winpercent
```

[1] 76.7686

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

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

[1] 49.6535

```
library(skimr)
skim(candy)
```

Table 1: 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?

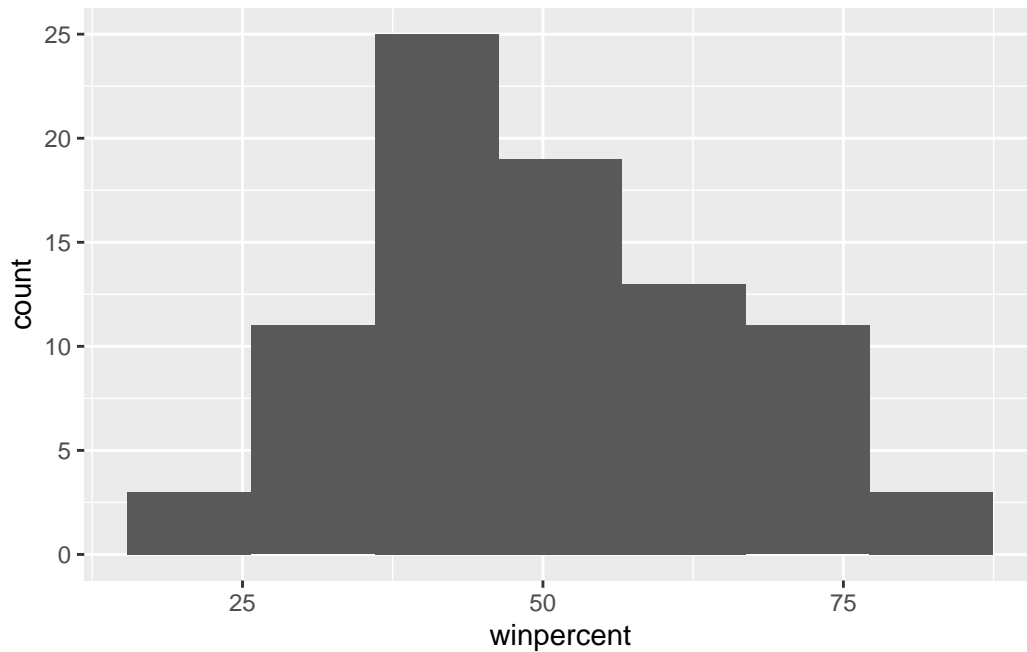
The last 3 rows are on a 100% scale. They do not follow the zero to one scale.

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

A zero or one represents if the candy has the feature (ex: nougat has nougat = 1, chocolate does not have nougat = 0)

Q8. Plot a histogram of winpercent values

```
library(ggplot2)
ggplot(candy) +
  aes(x=winpercent) +
  geom_histogram(bins=7)
```



Q9. Is the distribution of winpercent values symmetrical?

No, it is slightly left-skewed for values below 50%.

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

Below 50%

```
mean(candy$winpercent)
```

```
[1] 50.31676
```

```
summary(candy$winpercent)
```

Min.	1st Qu.	Median	Mean	3rd Qu.	Max.
22.45	39.14	47.83	50.32	59.86	84.18

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

- First find all chocolate candy
- Then find their winpercent values
- Calculate the mean
- Do the same for fruity candy and compare the means

```
chocolate.inds <- candy$chocolate == 1
chocolate.win <- candy[chocolate.inds,]$winpercent
mean(chocolate.win)
```

```
[1] 60.92153
```

```
fruity.inds <- candy$fruity == 1
fruity.win <- candy[fruity.inds,]$winpercent
mean(fruity.win)
```

```
[1] 44.11974
```

On average, chocolate is ranked higher than fruity candy.

Q12. Is this difference statistically significant?

```
t.test(chocolate.win, fruity.win)
```

Welch Two Sample t-test

```
data: chocolate.win and fruity.win
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
```

The difference is statistically significant due to the p-value.

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

```
x <- c(5, 6, 4)
sort(x)
```

```
[1] 4 5 6
```

```
x[order(x)]
```

```
[1] 4 5 6
```

The order function returns the indices that make the input sorted.

```
inds <- order(candy$winpercent)
head(candy[inds,], 5)
```

	chocolate	fruity	caramel	peanut	almond	nougat
Nik L Nip	0	1	0		0	0
Boston Baked Beans	0	0	0		1	0
Chiclets	0	1	0		0	0
Super Bubble	0	1	0		0	0
Jawbusters	0	1	0		0	0

	crisped	rice	wafer	hard	bar	pluribus	sugar	percent	price	percent
Nik L Nip				0	0	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	0.162		0.116
Jawbusters				0	1	0	1	0.093		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?

```
inds <- order(candy$winpercent)
tail(candy[inds,], 5)
```

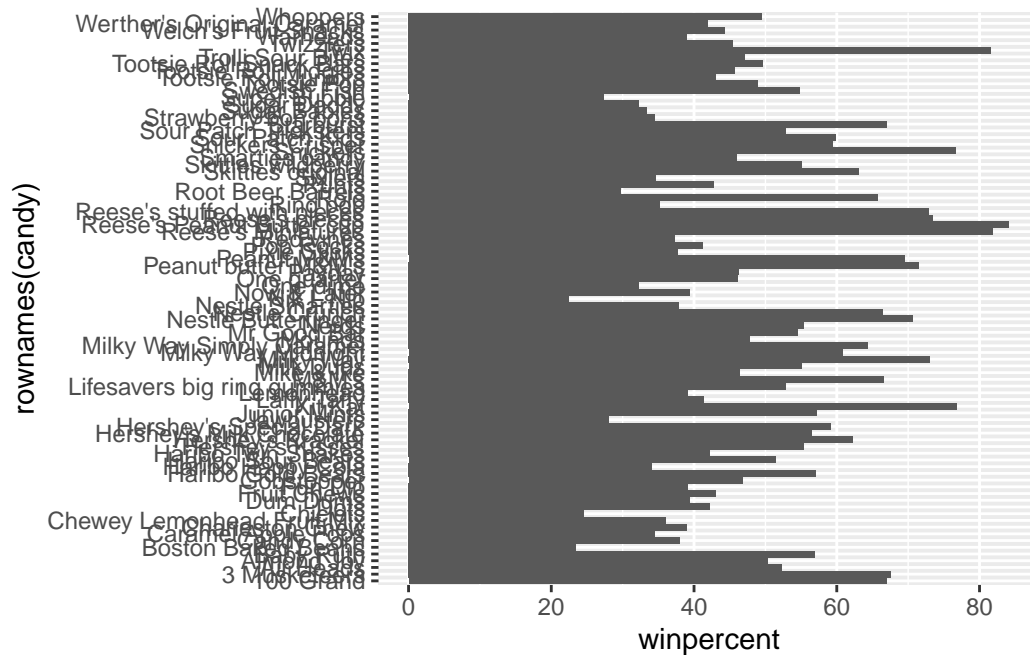
	chocolate	fruity	caramel	peanut	almond	nougat
Snickers	1	0	1		1	1
Kit Kat	1	0	0		0	0
Twix	1	0	1		0	0
Reese's Miniatures	1	0	0		1	0
Reese's Peanut Butter cup	1	0	0		1	0

	crisped rice wafer	hard bar	pluribus	sugar percent
Snickers	0	0	1	0.546
Kit Kat	1	0	1	0.313
Twix	1	0	1	0.546
Reese's Miniatures	0	0	0	0.034
Reese's Peanut Butter cup	0	0	0	0.720

	price percent	win percent
Snickers	0.651	76.67378
Kit Kat	0.511	76.76860
Twix	0.906	81.64291
Reese's Miniatures	0.279	81.86626
Reese's Peanut Butter cup	0.651	84.18029

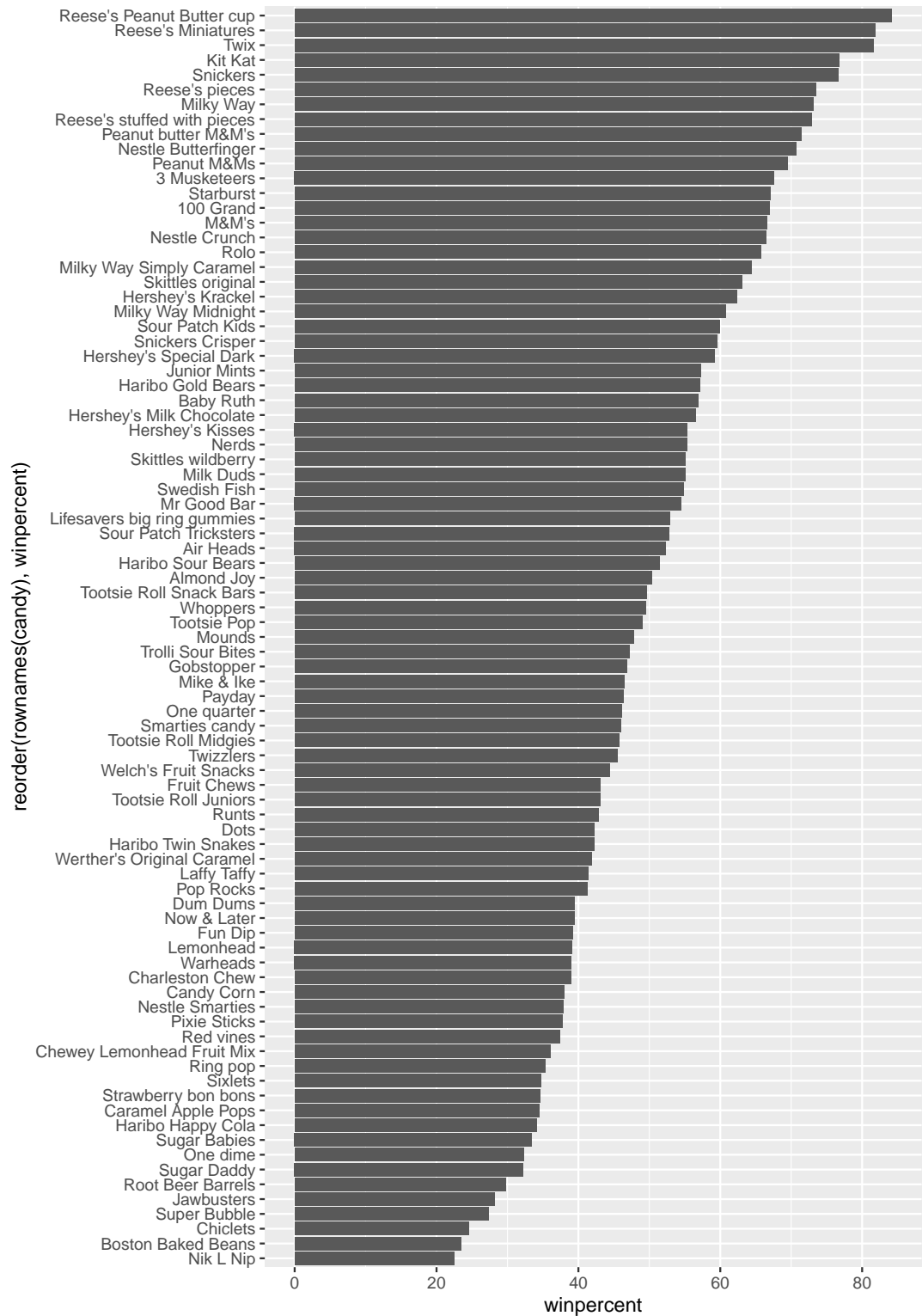
Q15. Make a first barplot of candy ranking based on winpercent values.

```
library(ggplot2)
ggplot(candy) +
  aes(winpercent, rownames(candy)) +
  geom_col()
```



Q16. This is quite ugly, use the `reorder()` function to get the bars sorted by winpercent?

```
library(ggplot2)
ggplot(candy) +
  aes(winpercent, reorder(rownames(candy), winpercent)) +
  geom_col()
```

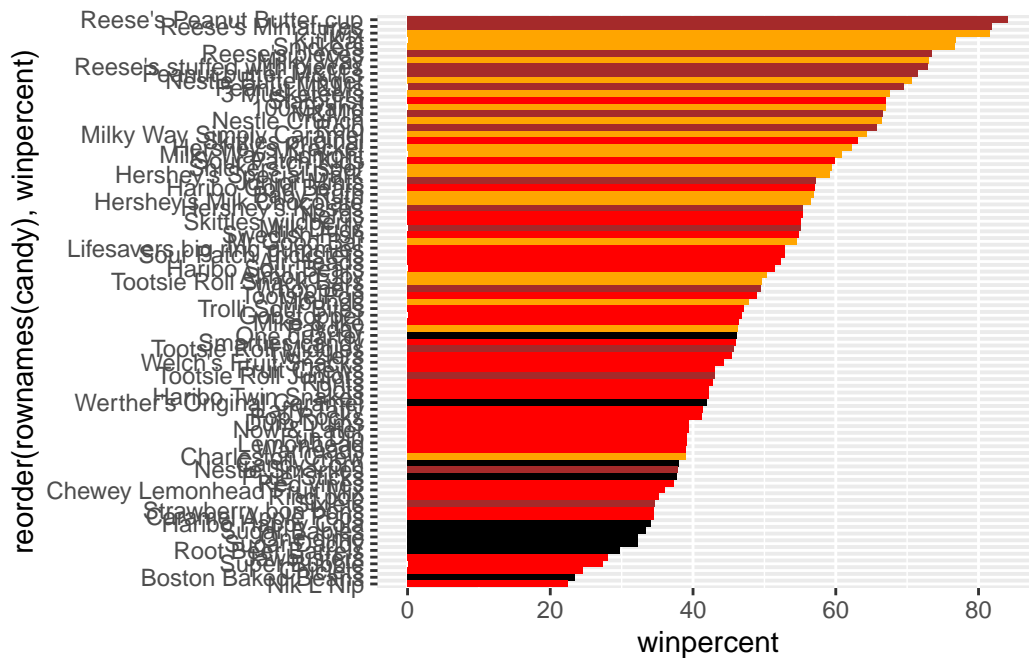
```
ggsave("mybarplot.png", height=10)
```

Saving 5.5 x 10 in image

Add colors to my graph

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

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?

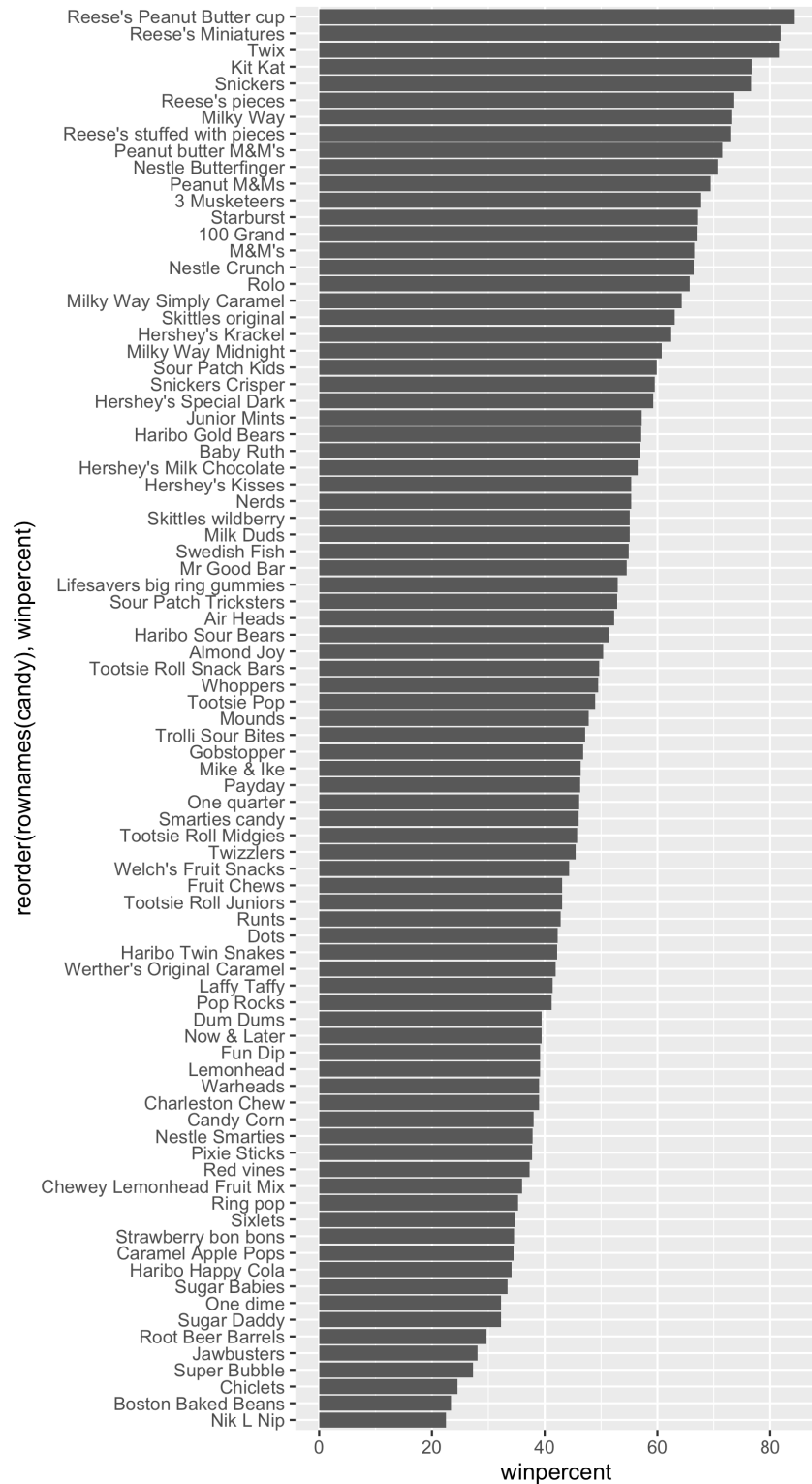
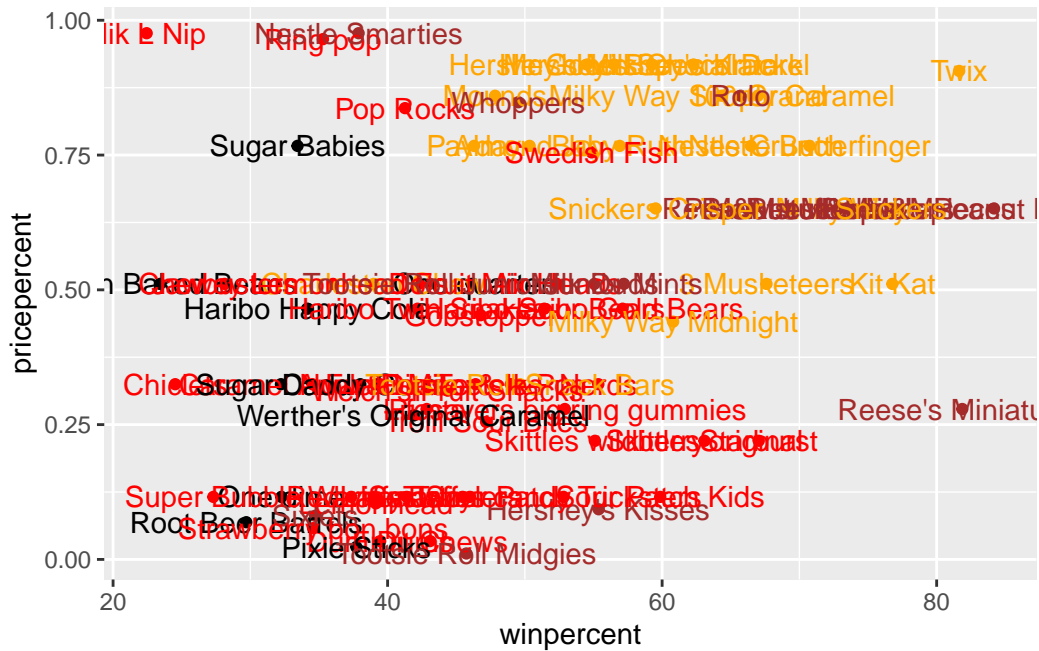


Figure 1: Exported image that is a bit bigger so I can read it

The best ranked fruity candy is Starburst.

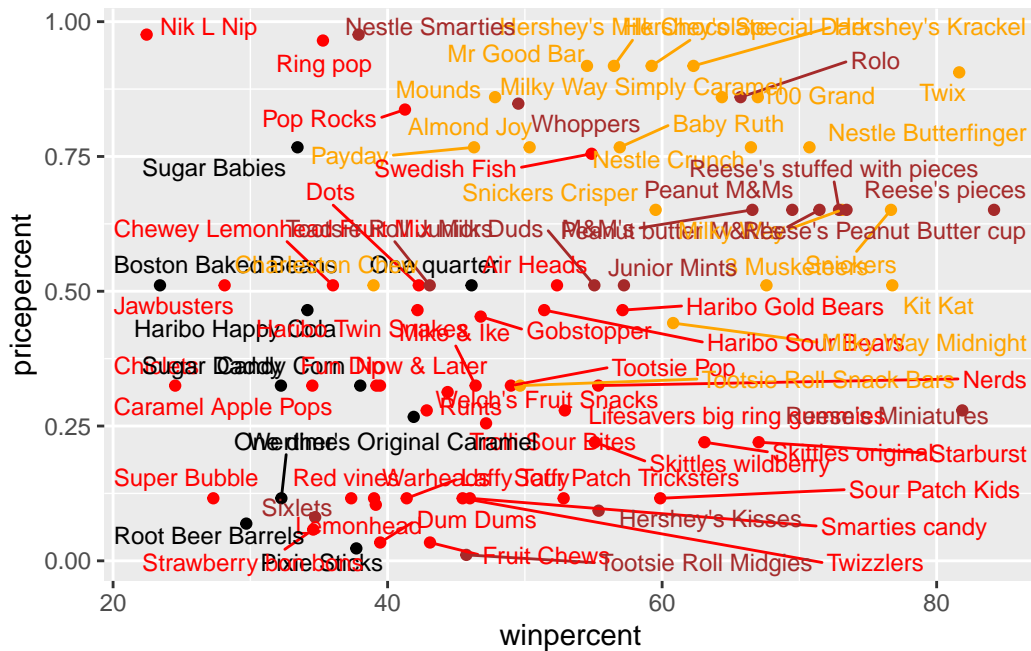
Plot of winpercent vs pricepercent

```
library(ggplot2)
ggplot(candy) +
  aes(winpercent, pricepercent, label=rownames(candy)) +
  geom_point(col=my_cols) +
  geom_text(col=my_cols)
```



There are just too many labels in this above plot to be readable. We can use the `ggrepel` package to do a better job of placing labels so they minimize text overlap.

```
library(ggrepel)
ggplot(candy) +
  aes(winpercent, pricepercent, label=rownames(candy)) +
  geom_point(col=my_cols) +
  geom_text_repel(col=my_cols, size=3.3, max.overlaps = 50)
```



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?

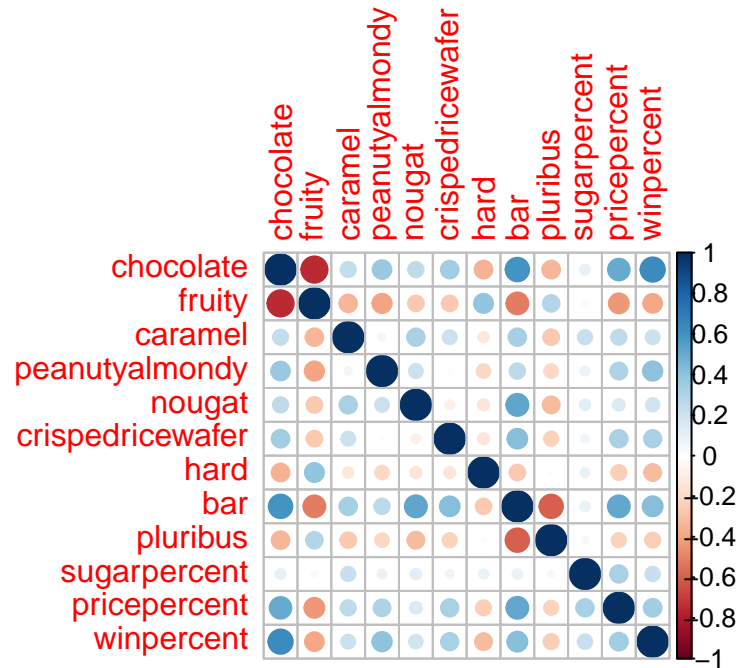
Reeses Miniatures

5 Exploring the correlation structure

```
library(corrplot)
```

corrplot 0.92 loaded

```
cij <- cor(candy)
corrplot(cij)
```



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

Chocolate and fruit are anti-correlated

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

Chocolate and caramel are positively correlated

6. Principal Component Analysis

We will perform a PCA of the candy. Key question: do we need to scale the data before PCA?

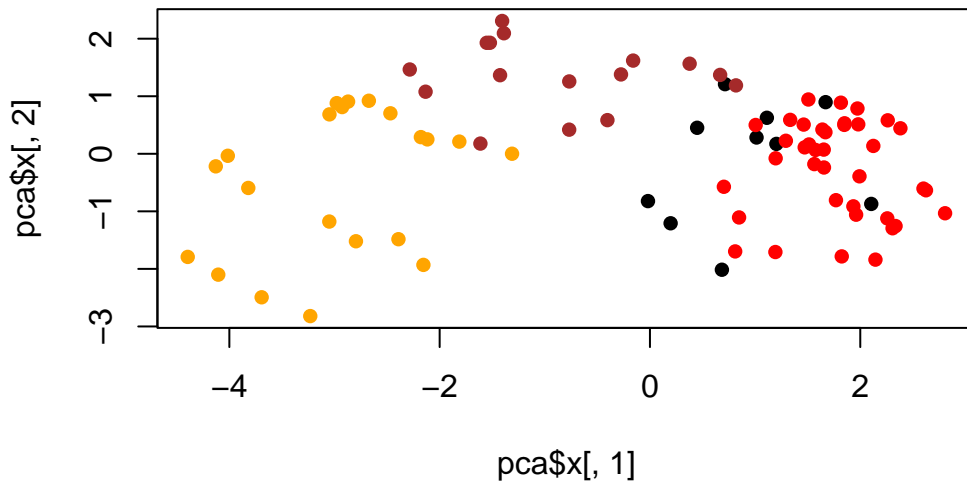
```
pca <- prcomp(candy, scale=TRUE)
summary(pca)
```

Importance of components:

	PC1	PC2	PC3	PC4	PC5	PC6	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

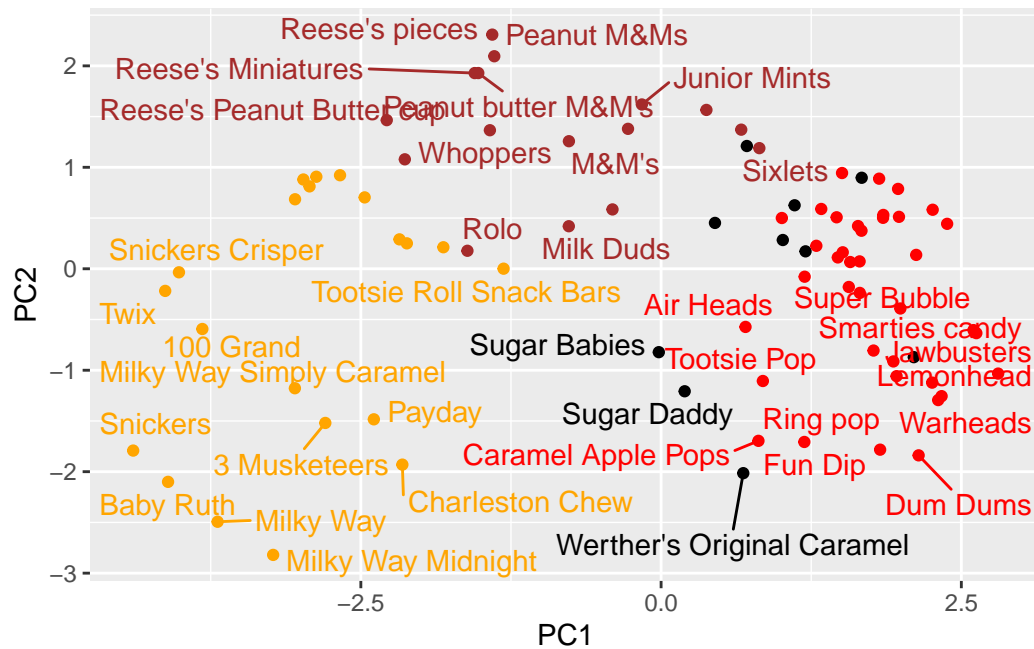
	PC8	PC9	PC10	PC11	PC12
Standard deviation	0.74530	0.67824	0.62349	0.43974	0.39760
Proportion of Variance	0.04629	0.03833	0.03239	0.01611	0.01317
Cumulative Proportion	0.89998	0.93832	0.97071	0.98683	1.00000

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



```
# Make a new data-frame with our PCA results and candy data
my_data <- cbind(candy, pca$x[,1:3])
ggplot(my_data) +
  aes(x=PC1, y=PC2, label=rownames(my_data)) +
  geom_point(col=my_cols) +
  geom_text_repel(col=my_cols)
```

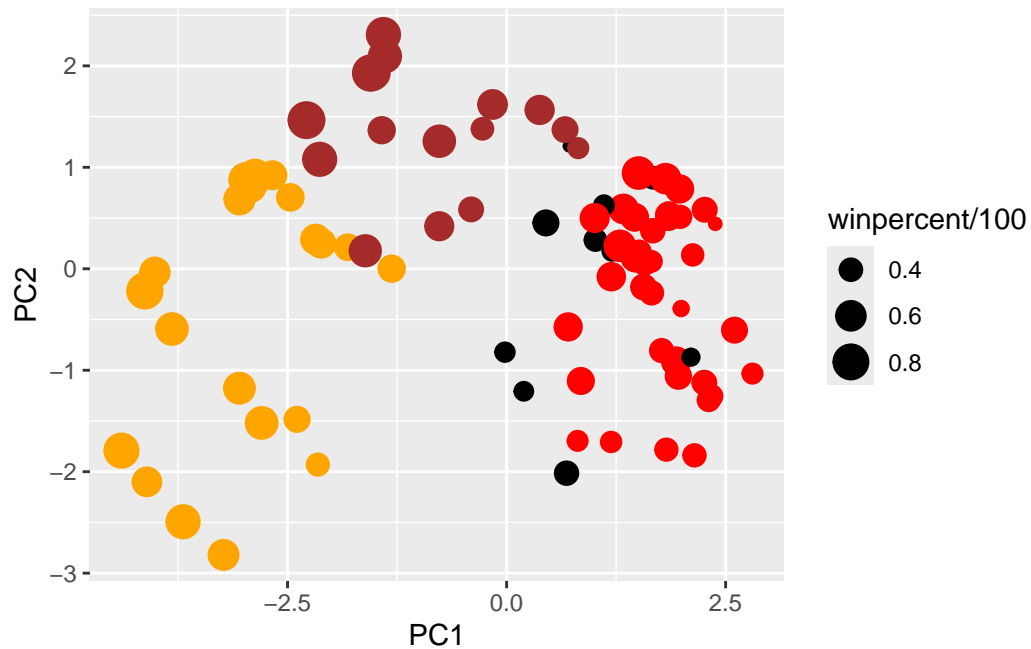
Warning: ggrepel: 48 unlabeled data points (too many overlaps). Consider increasing max.overlaps



Add some extra polish to make this a bit nicer

```
p <- ggplot(my_data) +
  aes(x=PC1, y=PC2,
      size=winpercent/100,
      text=rownames(my_data),
      label=rownames(my_data)) +
  geom_point(col=my_cols)
```

p



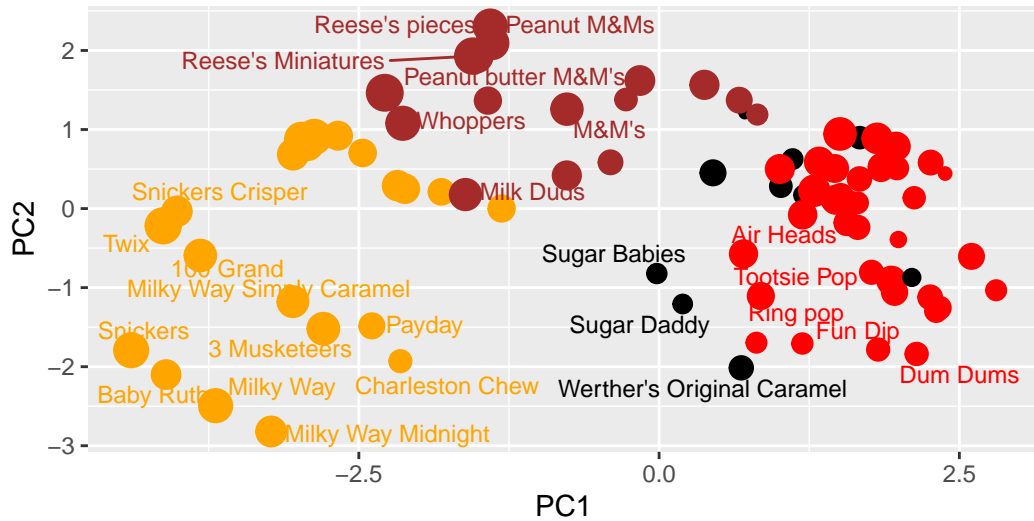
```
library(ggrepel)

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)",
        caption="Data from 538")
```

Warning: ggrepel: 59 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),



Data from 538

```
#library(plotly)
#ggplotly(p)
```

How do the original variables contribute to our PCs? For this we look at the loadings component of our results object i.e. the `pca$rotation` object.

```
head(pca$rotation)
```

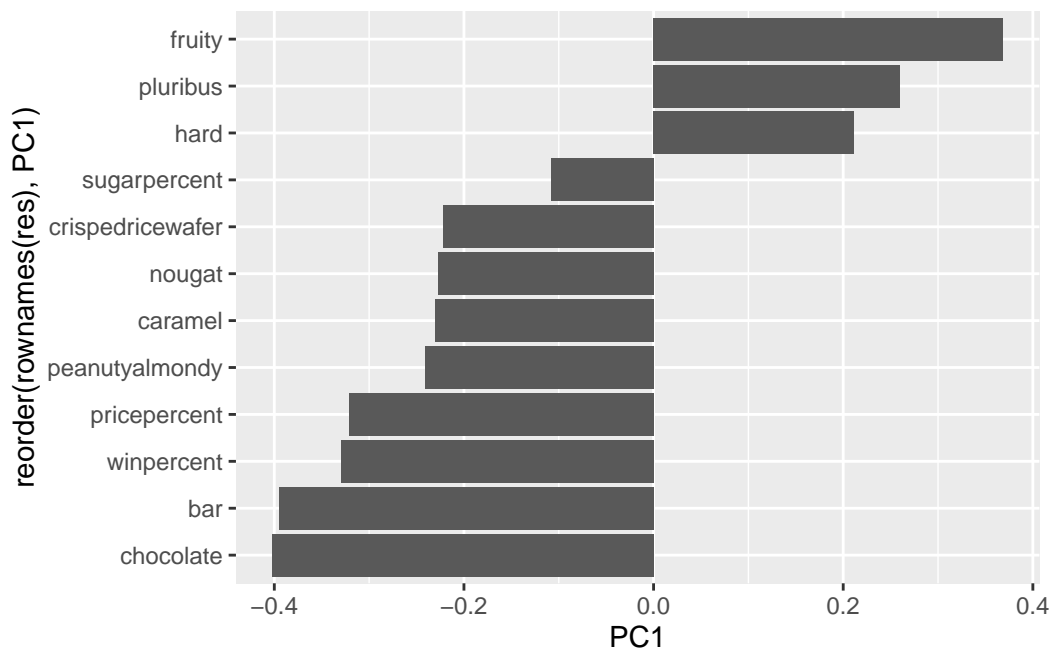
	PC1	PC2	PC3	PC4	PC5
chocolate	-0.4019466	0.21404160	0.01601358	-0.016673032	0.06603585
fruity	0.3683883	-0.18304666	-0.13765612	-0.004479829	0.14353533
caramel	-0.2299709	-0.40349894	-0.13294166	-0.024889542	-0.50730150
peanutyalmondy	-0.2407155	0.22446919	0.18272802	0.466784287	0.39993025
nougat	-0.2268102	-0.47016599	0.33970244	0.299581403	-0.18885242
crispedricewafer	-0.2215182	0.09719527	-0.36485542	-0.605594730	0.03465232
	PC6	PC7	PC8	PC9	PC10
chocolate	-0.09018950	-0.08360642	-0.4908486	-0.151651568	0.10766136
fruity	-0.04266105	0.46147889	0.3980580	-0.001248306	0.36206250
caramel	-0.40346502	-0.44274741	0.2696345	0.019186442	0.22979901
peanutyalmondy	-0.09416259	-0.25710489	0.4577145	0.381068550	-0.14591236
nougat	0.09012643	0.36663902	-0.1879396	0.385278987	0.01132345
crispedricewafer	-0.09007640	0.13077042	0.1356774	0.511634999	-0.26481014

	PC11	PC12
chocolate	0.1004528	0.69784924
fruity	0.1749490	0.50624242
caramel	0.1351582	0.07548984
peanutyalmondy	0.1124428	0.12972756
nougat	-0.3895447	0.09223698
crispedricewafer	-0.2261562	0.11727369

Make a barplot with ggplot and order the bars by their value. Recall that you need a data.frame as input for ggplot

```
res <- as.data.frame(pca$rotation)

ggplot(res) +
  aes(PC1, reorder(rownames(res), PC1)) +
  geom_col()
```



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

Fruity candies, hard and pluribus are picked up in the positive direction. This makes sense because fruity candies typically come in a pack and are hard.