

recalculating

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Right now I haven't figured out how to map from the factor analysis results back to individual level values.

Let's do M2 first, retrieve the below variables

word list immediate (B3TWLITU), digits backward (B3TDBS), category fluency (B3TCTFLU), number series (B3TNSTOT), backward counting (B3TBKTOT), word list delayed (B3TWLDTU), mean of switch and non switch trial latencies (B3TSMXBB - SGST)

```
m2p3 = read_tsv("./data/ICPSR_25281/DS0001/25281-0001-Data.tsv")

m2p3_selected_noid = m2p3 %>%
  select(B3TWLITU, B3TDBS, B3TCTFLU, B3TNSTOT, B3TBKTOT, B3TWLDTU, B3TSMXBB) %>%
  mutate(B3TSMXBB = -1 * B3TSMXBB) %>% # higher scores indicated faster response times
  filter(B3TWLITU != 98, # filter out the invalid numbers
         B3TDBS != 98,
         B3TCTFLU != 98,
         B3TBKTOT != 998,
         B3TWLDTU != 98,
         B3TSMXBB != -98,
         B3TNSTOT != 8)
```

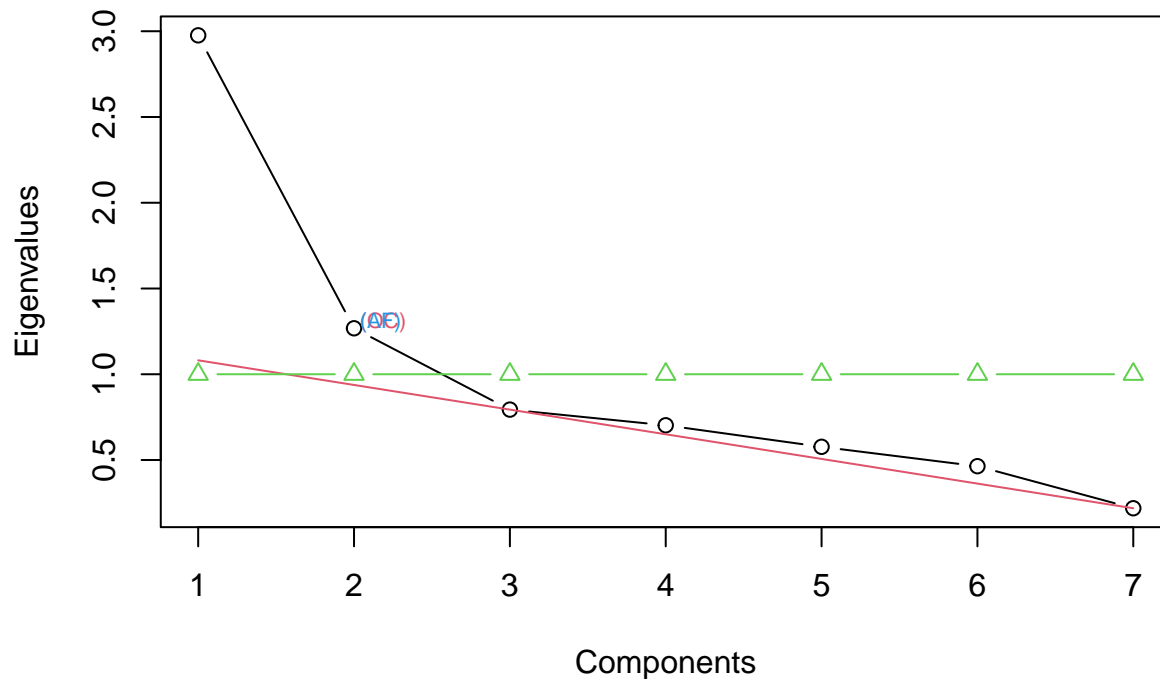
To start, we conducted the exploratory factor analysis. Let's plot Scree plot to figure out how many factors (or groupings) we should keep. One cut-off is having eigenvalues greater than 1.

```
summary(m2p3_selected_noid)
```

##	B3TWLITU	B3TDBS	B3TCTFLU	B3TNSTOT
##	Min. : 0.000	Min. : 0.000	Min. : 0.00	Min. : 0.000
##	1st Qu.: 5.000	1st Qu.: 4.000	1st Qu.: 15.00	1st Qu.: 1.000
##	Median : 7.000	Median : 5.000	Median : 18.00	Median : 2.000
##	Mean : 6.771	Mean : 4.993	Mean : 18.81	Mean : 2.224
##	3rd Qu.: 8.000	3rd Qu.: 6.000	3rd Qu.: 23.00	3rd Qu.: 3.000
##	Max. : 15.000	Max. : 8.000	Max. : 42.00	Max. : 5.000
##	B3TBKTOT	B3TWLDTU	B3TSMXBB	
##	Min. : -13.00	Min. : 0.000	Min. : -7.361	
##	1st Qu.: 29.00	1st Qu.: 3.000	1st Qu.: -1.197	
##	Median : 36.00	Median : 4.000	Median : -1.041	
##	Mean : 37.06	Mean : 4.393	Mean : -1.096	
##	3rd Qu.: 44.00	3rd Qu.: 6.000	3rd Qu.: -0.930	
##	Max. : 90.00	Max. : 14.000	Max. : -0.221	

```
ev = eigen(cor(m2p3_selected_noid))
nS = nScrie(x = ev$values)
plotnScrie(nS, legend = F)
```

Non Graphical Solutions to Scree Test



The green-triangle line is the cutoff. We have confirmed that there are 2 eigenvalues that are greater than 1. Next, I did the oblique rotation. This method would reorient the factors to better represent the manifest variables. This methodology is according to Grace's email.

```
# oblique rotation, with 2 factors
fit = factanal(m2p3_selected_noid, 2, rotation = "oblimin")
print(fit, digits = 2, cutoff = 0.3, sort = T)
```

```
##
## Call:
## factanal(x = m2p3_selected_noid, factors = 2, rotation = "oblimin")
##
## Uniquenesses:
## B3TWLITU    B3TDBS B3TCTFLU B3TNSTOT B3TBKTOT B3TWLDTU B3TSMXBB
##      0.20      0.77      0.69      0.61      0.38      0.24      0.69
##
## Loadings:
##           Factor1 Factor2
## B3TCTFLU  0.51
## B3TNSTOT  0.60
## B3TBKTOT  0.81
## B3TSMXBB  0.56
## B3TWLITU           0.89
## B3TWLDTU           0.88
## B3TDBS    0.31
##
##           Factor1 Factor2
## SS loadings      1.69    1.64
## Proportion Var   0.24    0.23
## Cumulative Var   0.24    0.48
```

```
##
## Factor Correlations:
##      Factor1 Factor2
## Factor1    1.00  -0.42
## Factor2   -0.42    1.00
##
## Test of the hypothesis that 2 factors are sufficient.
## The chi square statistic is 112.68 on 8 degrees of freedom.
## The p-value is 1.07e-20
```

We can see there are two different loadings, representing the correlation between the item and the factor. The factor2 have loadings with Word List Immediate (B3TWLITU) and Word List Delayed (B3TWLDTU) and factor1 have loadings with the rest. The result confirms the following quote:

“We also found a good fit for the two factor model using confirmatory factor analysis. The first factor represented Episodic Memory (B3TEM) and was comprised of Word List Immediate and Word List Delayed. The second factor, Executive Functioning (B3TEF), was made up of the remaining variables.”

Confirmatory factor analysis

```
# define two factors
model <- '
EM = ~B3TCTFLU + B3TNSTOT + B3TBKTOT + B3TSMXBB + B3TDBS
EF = ~B3TWLITU + B3TWLDTU'

# fit the model
fit2 = cfa(model, data = m2p3_selected_noid)

# display summary output
summary(fit2, standardized = TRUE)
```

```
## lavaan 0.6-12 ended normally after 63 iterations
##
##      Estimator                      ML
##      Optimization method          NLMINB
##      Number of model parameters      15
##
##      Number of observations          4122
##
## Model Test User Model:
##
##      Test statistic                  359.964
##      Degrees of freedom              13
##      P-value (Chi-square)            0.000
##
## Parameter Estimates:
##
##      Standard errors                  Standard
##      Information                      Expected
##      Information saturated (h1) model  Structured
##
## Latent Variables:
##
##      Estimate Std.Err z-value P(>|z|) Std.lv Std.all
##      EM =~
##      B3TCTFLU      1.000
##      B3TNSTOT      0.285    0.010   28.428    0.000    0.987    0.647
```

```
##      B3TBKTOT          2.452    0.082    30.033    0.000    8.480    0.740
##      B3TSMXBB          0.044    0.002    25.453    0.000    0.153    0.541
##      B3TDBS           0.202    0.009    22.817    0.000    0.700    0.465
##      EF =~
##      B3TWLITU          1.000                2.072    0.922
##      B3TWLDTU          1.068    0.031    34.916    0.000    2.213    0.846
##
## Covariances:
##              Estimate Std.Err z-value P(>|z|) Std.lv Std.all
##      EM ~~
##      EF          3.392    0.171    19.782    0.000    0.473    0.473
##
## Variances:
##              Estimate Std.Err z-value P(>|z|) Std.lv Std.all
##      .B3TCTFLU        25.198    0.650    38.754    0.000    25.198    0.678
##      .B3TNSTOT         1.354    0.039    35.151    0.000    1.354    0.581
##      .B3TBKTOT        59.407    2.094    28.370    0.000    59.407    0.452
##      .B3TSMXBB         0.056    0.001    39.631    0.000    0.056    0.707
##      .B3TDBS          1.781    0.043    41.597    0.000    1.781    0.784
##      .B3TWLITU         0.752    0.115     6.560    0.000    0.752    0.149
##      .B3TWLDTU         1.946    0.136    14.274    0.000    1.946    0.284
##      EM              11.964    0.690    17.329    0.000    1.000    1.000
##      EF               4.293    0.158    27.182    0.000    1.000    1.000
```

I am still little bit unsure of how to map the above results back to each participants as unstandardized values. But let's did the factor analysis on M3.

Repeated the same steps for M3

```
m3p3 = read.table(file = "../data/ICPSR_37095/DS0001/37095-0001-Data.tsv", sep = '\t', header = TRUE)
```

```
#B3TWLITU, B3TDBS, B3TCTFLU, B3TNSTOT, B3TBKTOT, B3TWLDTU, B3TSMXBB
m3p3_selected_noid = m3p3 %>%
  select(C3TWLITU, C3TDBS, C3TCTFLU, C3TNSTOT, C3TBKTOT, C3TWLDTU, C3TSMXBB) %>%
  mutate(C3TSMXBB = C3TSMXBB * -1) %>%
  filter(C3TWLITU != 98, # filter out the invalid
         C3TDBS != 98,
         C3TCTFLU != 98,
         C3TBKTOT != 998,
         C3TWLDTU != 98,
         C3TSMXBB != -98,
         C3TNSTOT != 8) %>%
  drop_na() # C3TBKTOT has some NA's, drop before proceeding
```

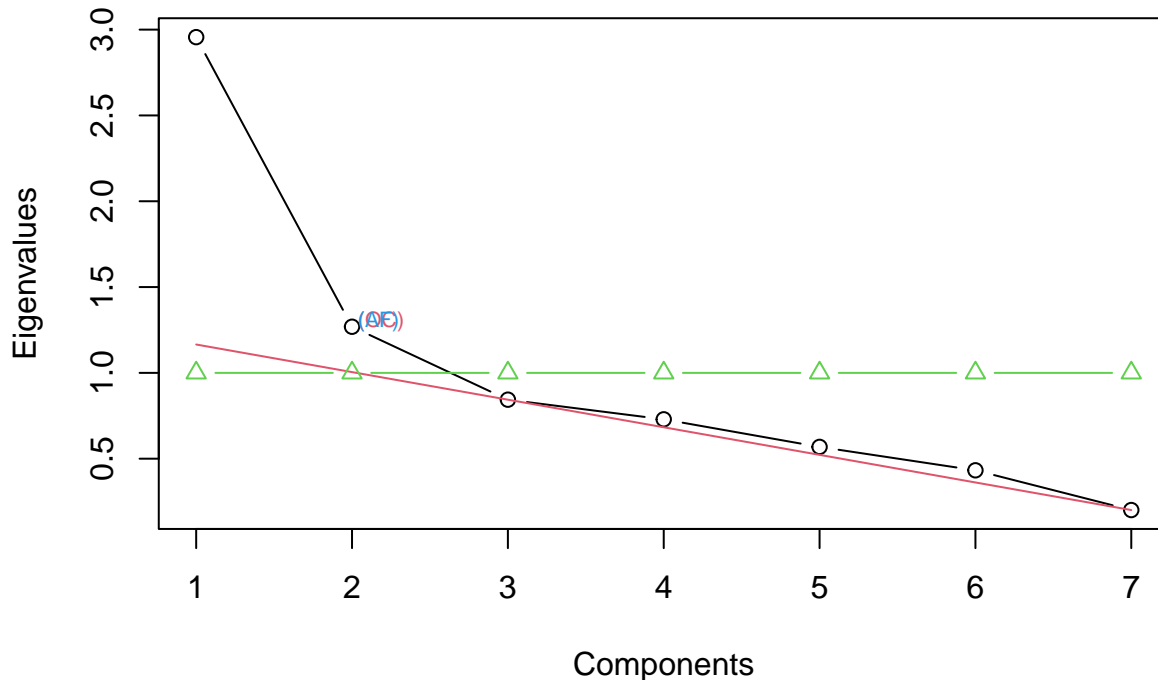
```
summary(m3p3_selected_noid)
```

```
##      C3TWLITU      C3TDBS      C3TCTFLU      C3TNSTOT
## Min.   : 0.000    Min.   :0.000    Min.   : 0.00    Min.   :0.000
## 1st Qu.: 5.000    1st Qu.:4.000    1st Qu.:15.00    1st Qu.:1.000
## Median : 7.000    Median :5.000    Median :18.00    Median :2.000
## Mean   : 6.806    Mean   :4.999    Mean   :18.77    Mean   :2.192
## 3rd Qu.: 8.000    3rd Qu.:6.000    3rd Qu.:23.00    3rd Qu.:4.000
## Max.   :15.000    Max.   :8.000    Max.   :42.00    Max.   :5.000
##      C3TBKTOT      C3TWLDTU      C3TSMXBB
## Min.   : -12.00    Min.   : 0.000    Min.   : -7.6657
## 1st Qu.: 28.00    1st Qu.: 2.000    1st Qu.: -1.5834
```

```
## Median : 36.00   Median : 4.000   Median :-1.3740
## Mean   : 35.87   Mean   : 4.384   Mean   :-1.4079
## 3rd Qu.: 43.00   3rd Qu.: 6.000   3rd Qu.: -1.1653
## Max.   : 90.00   Max.   :15.000   Max.   :-0.7027
```

```
ev2 = eigen(cor(m3p3_selected_noid))
nS2 = nScree(x = ev2$values)
plotnScree(nS2, legend = F)
```

Non Graphical Solutions to Scree Test



Again,

we confirmed from the above graph that we have two eigenvalues greater than 1.

```
# oblique rotation, with 2 factors
fit3 = factanal(m3p3_selected_noid, 2, rotation = "oblimin")
print(fit3, digits = 2, cutoff = 0.3, sort = T)

##
## Call:
## factanal(x = m3p3_selected_noid, factors = 2, rotation = "oblimin")
##
## Uniquenesses:
## C3TWLITU   C3TDBS C3TCTFLU C3TNSTOT C3TBKTOT C3TWLDTU C3TSMXBB
##    0.21    0.76    0.69    0.52    0.36    0.19    0.82
##
## Loadings:
##          Factor1 Factor2
## C3TCTFLU  0.52
## C3TNSTOT  0.69
## C3TBKTOT  0.82
## C3TWLITU           0.87
## C3TWLDTU           0.91
## C3TDBS    0.35
## C3TSMXBB  0.42
```

```
##
##               Factor1 Factor2
## SS loadings      1.71    1.66
## Proportion Var    0.24    0.24
## Cumulative Var    0.24    0.48
##
## Factor Correlations:
##           Factor1 Factor2
## Factor1      1.00    0.41
## Factor2      0.41    1.00
##
## Test of the hypothesis that 2 factors are sufficient.
## The chi square statistic is 75.59 on 8 degrees of freedom.
## The p-value is 3.76e-13
```

Confirmatory factor analysis

```
# define two factors
model2 <- '
EM = ~C3TCTFLU + C3TNSTOT + C3TBKTOT + C3TSMXBB + C3TDBS
EF = ~C3TWLITU + C3TWLDTU'

# fit the model
fit4 = cfa(model2, data = m3p3_selected_noid)

# display summary output
summary(fit4, standardized = TRUE)
```

```
## lavaan 0.6-12 ended normally after 65 iterations
##
##      Estimator                      ML
##      Optimization method          NLMINB
##      Number of model parameters          15
##
##      Number of observations          2987
##
## Model Test User Model:
##
##      Test statistic          229.399
##      Degrees of freedom          13
##      P-value (Chi-square)          0.000
##
## Parameter Estimates:
##
##      Standard errors          Standard
##      Information          Expected
##      Information saturated (h1) model          Structured
##
## Latent Variables:
##      Estimate  Std.Err  z-value  P(>|z|)  Std.lv  Std.all
##      EM =~
##      C3TCTFLU      1.000
##      C3TNSTOT      0.320    0.012   25.685    0.000    1.095    0.698
##      C3TBKTOT      2.640    0.100   26.463    0.000    9.030    0.768
##      C3TSMXBB      0.045    0.002   18.366    0.000    0.155    0.424
```

```

##      C3TDBS          0.207    0.010   19.973    0.000    0.708    0.473
##      EF =~
##      C3TWLITU        1.000
##      C3TWLDTU        1.016    0.034   30.126    0.000    2.278    0.840
##
## Covariances:
##      Estimate Std.Err z-value P(>|z|) Std.lv Std.all
##      EM ~~
##      EF          3.496    0.207   16.885    0.000    0.456    0.456
##
## Variances:
##      Estimate Std.Err z-value P(>|z|) Std.lv Std.all
##      .C3TCTFLU      24.352    0.731   33.305    0.000   24.352    0.675
##      .C3TNSTOT       1.265    0.046   27.662    0.000    1.265    0.513
##      .C3TBKTOT      56.821    2.530   22.459    0.000   56.821    0.411
##      .C3TSMXBB       0.110    0.003   36.255    0.000    0.110    0.820
##      .C3TDBS         1.743    0.049   35.497    0.000    1.743    0.777
##      .C3TWLITU       0.555    0.155    3.583    0.000    0.555    0.099
##      .C3TWLDTU       2.162    0.169   12.812    0.000    2.162    0.294
##      EM             11.703    0.782   14.973    0.000    1.000    1.000
##      EF              5.031    0.211   23.849    0.000    1.000    1.000

```