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Survey and Measurrement Development in R

Preparing to analyse survey data

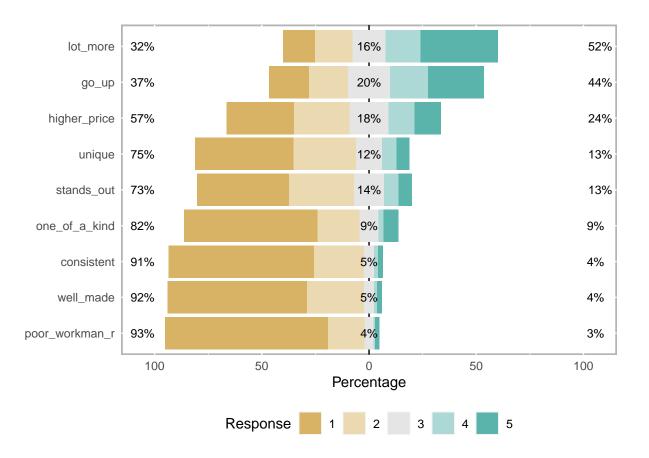
```
library(psych)
library(dplyr)
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
       filter, lag
##
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
       intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
library(likert)
## Loading required package: ggplot2
## Attaching package: 'ggplot2'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:psych':
##
       %+%, alpha
##
## Loading required package: xtable
##
## Attaching package: 'likert'
## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
##
##
       recode
```

```
sme <- read.csv("brandloyalty.csv")</pre>
# Print beginning of sme data frame
head(sme)
##
    BL1 BL2 BL3 BL4 BL5 BL6 BL7 BL8 BL9 BL10
## 1
          4
             4 4
                      4
                          4
                             3
## 2
      4 3 4 3 3
                          3 3
                                 1
                                     1
      5 3 5 3 3
## 3
                        4 2
                                 2
                                     2
## 4
      4 4 2 2 2 2 2 4
                                     2
                                          2
      4 5 4 4 4 4 3 4
## 5
## 6
                             2
                      3
                                 2
                                     2
# Correlation matrix of expert ratings
cor(sme)
##
             BL1
                       BL2
                                 BL3
                                           BL4
                                                    BL5
                                                              BL6
                                                                        BL7
## BL1 1.0000000 0.4383758 0.5013256 0.3500438 0.3750830 0.3979041 0.1512149
## BL2 0.4383758 1.0000000 0.5247358 0.3639021 0.4151766 0.3679184 0.1919387
## BL3 0.5013256 0.5247358 1.0000000 0.3842278 0.4855423 0.4481031 0.2751482
## BL4 0.3500438 0.3639021 0.3842278 1.0000000 0.4956118 0.4725727 0.2876030
## BL5 0.3750830 0.4151766 0.4855423 0.4956118 1.0000000 0.6251928 0.3855511
## BL6 0.3979041 0.3679184 0.4481031 0.4725727 0.6251928 1.0000000 0.3635232
## BL7 0.1512149 0.1919387 0.2751482 0.2876030 0.3855511 0.3635232 1.0000000
## BL8 0.2158089 0.2852414 0.2664924 0.3430974 0.3724939 0.4017230 0.5045515
## BL9 0.2223461 0.2711436 0.2982184 0.2994033 0.3851179 0.3900507 0.6355096
## BL10 0.1636942 0.1951917 0.1993999 0.1378767 0.2517390 0.2772448 0.4792299
             BL8
                       BL9
## BL1 0.2158089 0.2223461 0.1636942
## BL2 0.2852414 0.2711436 0.1951917
## BL3 0.2664924 0.2982184 0.1993999
## BL4 0.3430974 0.2994033 0.1378767
## BL5 0.3724939 0.3851179 0.2517390
## BL6 0.4017230 0.3900507 0.2772448
## BL7 0.5045515 0.6355096 0.4792299
## BL8 1.0000000 0.6487062 0.4613553
## BL9 0.6487062 1.0000000 0.6022968
## BL10 0.4613553 0.6022968 1.0000000
# Percentage agreement of experts
#irr::agree(sme)
# Load psych package
library(psych)
# Check inter-rater reliability
psych::cohen.kappa(sme)
## Warning in cohen.kappa1(x1, w = w, n.obs = n.obs, alpha = alpha, levels =
## levels): upper or lower confidence interval exceed abs(1) and set to +/-1.
## Warning in psych::cohen.kappa(sme): No variance detected in cells 6 5
```

```
## Warning in psych::cohen.kappa(sme): No variance detected in cells 7 1
## Warning in psych::cohen.kappa(sme): No variance detected in cells 7 2
## Warning in psych::cohen.kappa(sme): No variance detected in cells 9 1
## Warning in psych::cohen.kappa(sme): No variance detected in cells 9 2
## Warning in psych::cohen.kappa(sme): No variance detected in cells 9 7
## Warning in psych::cohen.kappa(sme): No variance detected in cells 9 8
## Warning in psych::cohen.kappa(sme): No variance detected in cells 10 9
## At least one item had no variance. Try describe(your.data) to find the problem.
##
## Cohen Kappa (below the diagonal) and Weighted Kappa (above the diagonal)
## For confidence intervals and detail print with all=TRUE
                 BL2
                       BL3 BL4 BL5 BL6
                                           BL7 BL8
## BL1 1.000 0.4337 0.485 0.22 0.26 0.32 0.064 0.11 0.093 0.080
## BL2 0.204 1.0000 0.510 0.24 0.29 0.30 0.084 0.15 0.118 0.098
## BL3 0.266 0.2609 1.000 0.29 0.39 0.41 0.145 0.17 0.156 0.121
## BL4 0.063 0.0290 0.076 1.00 0.49 0.45 0.245 0.32 0.257 0.129
## BL5 0.065 0.0931 0.167 0.26 1.00 0.61 0.317 0.34 0.317 0.228
## BL6 0.141 0.0916 0.141 0.22 0.33 1.00 0.267 0.34 0.285 0.227
## BL7 0.011 0.0360 0.047 0.11 0.16 0.16 1.000 0.49 0.635 0.470
## BL8 0.062 0.0531 0.057 0.11 0.18 0.16 0.271 1.00 0.629 0.458
## BL9 0.026 -0.0033 0.041 0.14 0.14 0.11 0.431 0.44 1.000 0.592
## BL10 0.049 0.0210 0.070 0.12 0.14 0.14 0.236 0.26 0.371 1.000
##
## Average Cohen kappa for all raters 0.15
## Average weighted kappa for all raters 0.3
# Calculate the CVR for each unique item in the data frame
#cvr_by_item <- lawshe %>%
# group_by(item) %>%
# summarize(CVR = CVratio(NTOTAL = length(unique(expert)),
                          NESSENTIAL = sum(rating == 'Essential')))
# See the results
#cvr_by_item
brand_rep <- read.csv("brandrep-cleansurvey-extraitem.csv")</pre>
# Convert items to factor
b_rep_likert <- brand_rep %>%
               mutate_if(is.integer, as.factor)
# Response frequencies - base R
summary(b_rep_likert)
```

```
well_made consistent poor_workman_r higher_price lot_more go_up
                                                                     stands_out
##
  1:363
             1:379
                        1:424
                                       1:175
                                                    1: 83
                                                             1:103
                                                                     1:239
  2:149
             2:131
                        2: 95
                                       2:145
                                                    2: 97
                                                             2:102
                                                                     2:170
##
  3: 27
             3: 26
                        3: 25
                                       3:103
                                                    3: 87
                                                             3:110
                                                                     3: 78
##
             4: 11
                                       4: 67
                                                             4: 99
##
   4: 8
                        4: 4
                                                    4: 91
                                                                     4: 38
##
  5: 12
             5: 12
                        5: 11
                                       5: 69
                                                    5:201
                                                             5:145
                                                                     5: 34
##
  unique one_of_a_kind
## 1:256
           1:348
##
   2:164
           2:109
## 3: 67
           3: 50
## 4: 39
           4: 13
   5: 33
           5: 39
##
```

Plot response frequencies result <- likert(b_rep_likert) plot(result)</pre>



```
brand_qual <- read.csv("brandquall11-recodedbutextraitem.csv")

# Get response frequencies from psych
response.frequencies(brand_qual)</pre>
```

```
## trendy 0.8484252 0.1122047 0.01968504 0.007874016 0.01181102 0  
## latest 0.8110236 0.1397638 0.01574803 0.013779528 0.01968504 0
```

```
## tired_r
## happy_pay
                  0.8051181 0.1338583 0.03149606 0.015748031 0.01377953
                  0.6811024 0.2539370 0.03149606 0.011811024 0.02165354
## reason_price 0.6968504 0.2244094 0.04133858 0.013779528 0.02362205
                  0.7322835 0.1968504 0.04921260 0.000000000 0.02165354
## good_deal
                                                                            0
## strong_perform 0.3307087 0.2480315 0.14566929 0.127952756 0.14763780
                  0.1889764\ 0.1476378\ 0.10826772\ 0.185039370\ 0.37007874
## leader
## serious
                  0.2381890 0.1830709 0.15748031 0.141732283 0.27952756
                  0.2204724 0.2263780 0.18700787 0.175196850 0.19094488
## innovator
# Print item descriptions
brand_qual_items <- read.csv("branddesc.csv")</pre>
brand_qual_items
##
                                                               Х1
## 1
                                                                2
## 2
                                                                3
## 3
                                                                4
## 4
                                                                5
## 5
                                                                6
## 6
                                                                7
## 7
## 8 9serious = This brand takes its product quality seriously.
                                          trendy...This.brand.is.trendy.
## 1 latest = This brand offers the latest products.
## 2 tired = This is a tired brand.
## 3 happy_pay = I am happy paying what I do for this brand's products.
## 4 reason_price = This brand's products are reasonably priced.
## 5 good_deal = This brand's products are a good deal.
## 6 strong_perform = This brand's products are strong performers.
## 7 leader = This brand is a leader in its field.
## 8
# Reverse code the "opposite" item
brand_qual$tired_r <- recode(brand_qual$tired,</pre>
                            "1 = 5; 2 = 4; 4 = 2; 5 = 1")
## Error in recode(brand_qual$tired, "1 = 5; 2 = 4; 4 = 2; 5 = 1"): argument "to" is missing, with no d
# Check recoding frequencies
brand_qual %>%
    select(tired, tired_r) %>%
    response.frequencies() %>%
   round(2)
## Error in `select()`:
## ! Can't subset columns that don't exist.
## x Column `tired` doesn't exist.
library(Hmisc)
```

Loading required package: lattice

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## Loading required package: survival
## Loading required package: Formula
##
## Attaching package: 'Hmisc'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:xtable':
##
##
       label, label<-
## The following objects are masked from 'package:dplyr':
##
##
       src, summarize
## The following object is masked from 'package:psych':
##
##
       describe
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##
       format.pval, units
missing_lots <- read.csv("brandquall11-recodedbutextraitem.csv")</pre>
# Total number of rows
nrow(missing_lots)
## [1] 508
# Total number of complete cases
nrow(na.omit(missing_lots))
## [1] 508
# Number of incomplete cases by variable
colSums(is.na(missing_lots))
##
           trendy
                           latest
                                         tired_r
                                                                   reason_price
                                                       happy_pay
##
##
        good_deal strong_perform
                                          leader
                                                         serious
                                                                      innovator
##
                                                               0
# Hierarchical plot -- what values are missing together?
plot(naclus(missing_lots))
```

Fraction Missing	0 -										
		innovator	serious	leader	strong_perform	good_deal	reason_price	happy_pay	tired_r	trendy	atest

View significance of item correlations corr.test(missing_lots)

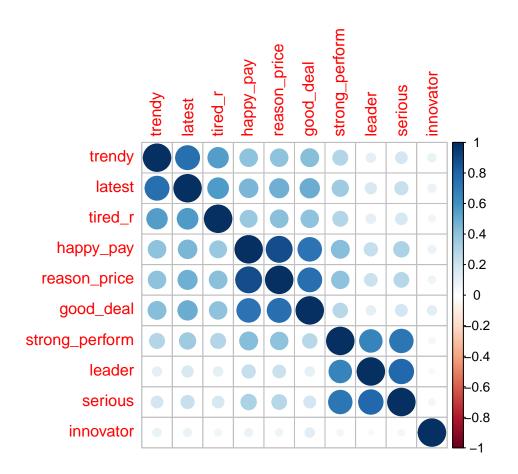
```
## Call:corr.test(x = missing_lots)
## Correlation matrix
##
                   trendy latest tired_r happy_pay reason_price good_deal
## trendy
                                     0.55
                                               0.41
                     1.00
                            0.76
                                                             0.41
                                                                        0.42
                                     0.57
                                                             0.48
## latest
                     0.76
                            1.00
                                               0.46
                                                                        0.49
## tired_r
                     0.55
                            0.57
                                     1.00
                                               0.38
                                                             0.41
                                                                        0.41
## happy_pay
                     0.41
                            0.46
                                     0.38
                                               1.00
                                                             0.89
                                                                        0.73
                                                                        0.75
## reason_price
                     0.41
                            0.48
                                     0.41
                                               0.89
                                                             1.00
                                                                        1.00
## good_deal
                     0.42
                            0.49
                                     0.41
                                               0.73
                                                             0.75
## strong_perform
                     0.30
                            0.35
                                     0.30
                                               0.43
                                                             0.40
                                                                        0.28
## leader
                     0.12
                            0.17
                                     0.12
                                               0.23
                                                             0.21
                                                                        0.12
## serious
                     0.18
                            0.23
                                     0.18
                                               0.31
                                                             0.29
                                                                        0.19
                            0.09
                                     0.07
## innovator
                     0.09
                                               0.09
                                                             0.07
                                                                        0.12
##
                   strong_perform leader serious innovator
## trendy
                             0.30
                                     0.12
                                             0.18
                                                        0.09
## latest
                                             0.23
                                                        0.09
                             0.35
                                     0.17
## tired_r
                             0.30
                                     0.12
                                             0.18
                                                        0.07
## happy_pay
                             0.43
                                     0.23
                                             0.31
                                                        0.09
                             0.40
                                     0.21
                                             0.29
                                                        0.07
## reason_price
## good deal
                             0.28
                                     0.12
                                             0.19
                                                        0.12
                             1.00
## strong_perform
                                     0.67
                                             0.72
                                                        0.06
## leader
                             0.67
                                     1.00
                                             0.79
                                                        0.04
```

```
0.72
                                    0.79
                                                       0.06
## serious
                                            1.00
## innovator
                             0.06
                                    0.04
                                            0.06
                                                       1.00
## Sample Size
## [1] 508
## Probability values (Entries above the diagonal are adjusted for multiple tests.)
##
                  trendy latest tired_r happy_pay reason_price good_deal
## trendy
                    0.00
                            0.00
                                    0.00
                                              0.00
                                                             0.0
                                                                      0.00
## latest
                    0.00
                            0.00
                                    0.00
                                              0.00
                                                             0.0
                                                                      0.00
## tired r
                    0.00
                            0.00
                                    0.00
                                              0.00
                                                             0.0
                                                                      0.00
                    0.00
                            0.00
                                    0.00
                                              0.00
                                                             0.0
                                                                      0.00
## happy_pay
## reason_price
                    0.00
                            0.00
                                    0.00
                                              0.00
                                                             0.0
                                                                      0.00
## good_deal
                    0.00
                           0.00
                                    0.00
                                              0.00
                                                             0.0
                                                                      0.00
                                                                      0.00
## strong_perform
                    0.00
                           0.00
                                    0.00
                                              0.00
                                                             0.0
## leader
                    0.01
                            0.00
                                    0.01
                                              0.00
                                                             0.0
                                                                      0.01
## serious
                    0.00
                            0.00
                                    0.00
                                              0.00
                                                             0.0
                                                                      0.00
## innovator
                    0.03
                           0.04
                                    0.14
                                              0.05
                                                             0.1
                                                                      0.01
##
                  strong_perform leader serious innovator
## trendy
                             0.0
                                    0.08
                                             0.0
                                                       0.26
## latest
                             0.0
                                   0.00
                                             0.0
                                                       0.31
## tired r
                             0.0
                                   0.08
                                             0.0
                                                       0.56
## happy_pay
                             0.0
                                   0.00
                                             0.0
                                                       0.31
## reason_price
                             0.0
                                   0.00
                                             0.0
                                                       0.51
                             0.0
                                   0.08
                                                      0.08
## good_deal
                                             0.0
## strong_perform
                             0.0
                                    0.00
                                             0.0
                                                       0.61
## leader
                             0.0
                                    0.00
                                                       0.61
                                             0.0
## serious
                             0.0
                                    0.00
                                             0.0
                                                       0.61
## innovator
                             0.2
                                    0.39
                                             0.2
                                                       0.00
  To see confidence intervals of the correlations, print with the short=FALSE option
```

library(corrplot)

corrplot 0.92 loaded

```
# Visualize item correlations -- corrplot
corrplot(cor(missing_lots), method = "circle")
```



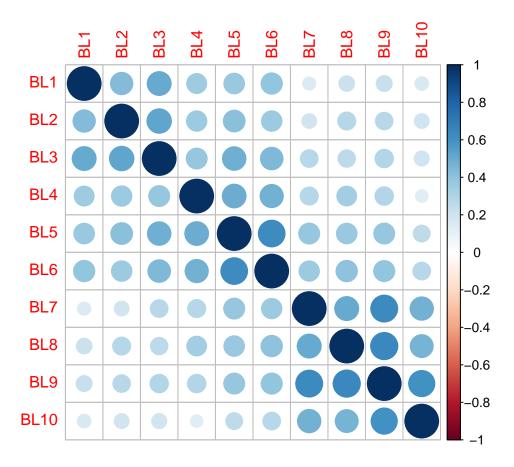
```
# Get response frequencies
response.frequencies(missing_lots)
```

```
##
                                     2
                                                3
                                                                        5 miss
                  0.8484252 0.1122047 0.01968504 0.007874016 0.01181102
## trendy
                  0.8110236 0.1397638 0.01574803 0.013779528 0.01968504
## latest
## tired_r
                  0.8051181 0.1338583 0.03149606 0.015748031 0.01377953
## happy_pay
                  0.6811024 0.2539370 0.03149606 0.011811024 0.02165354
## reason_price
                  0.6968504\ 0.2244094\ 0.04133858\ 0.013779528\ 0.02362205
                  0.7322835\ 0.1968504\ 0.04921260\ 0.000000000\ 0.02165354
## good_deal
## strong_perform 0.3307087 0.2480315 0.14566929 0.127952756 0.14763780
                                                                            0
                  0.1889764 0.1476378 0.10826772 0.185039370 0.37007874
## leader
                  0.2381890 0.1830709 0.15748031 0.141732283 0.27952756
## serious
                                                                            0
## innovator
                  0.2204724 0.2263780 0.18700787 0.175196850 0.19094488
```

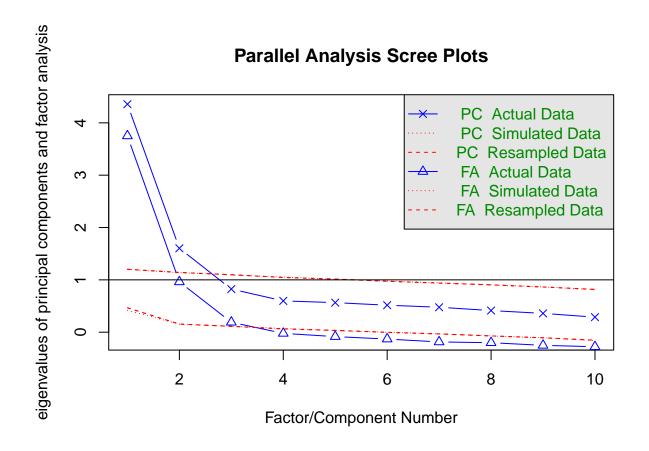
```
# Recode the appropriate item
#b_rep_items
#missing_lots$poor_workman_r <- recode(missing_lots$poor_workman,
# "1 = 5; 2 = 4; 4 = 2; 5 = 1")</pre>
```

Exploratory factor analysis & survey development

```
b_loyal_10 <- read.csv("brandloyalty.csv")</pre>
corr.test(b_loyal_10)
## Call:corr.test(x = b_loyal_10)
## Correlation matrix
##
         BL1 BL2 BL3 BL4 BL5 BL6 BL7 BL8 BL9 BL10
## BL1
       1.00 0.44 0.50 0.35 0.38 0.40 0.15 0.22 0.22 0.16
## BL2 0.44 1.00 0.52 0.36 0.42 0.37 0.19 0.29 0.27 0.20
## BL3 0.50 0.52 1.00 0.38 0.49 0.45 0.28 0.27 0.30 0.20
## BL4 0.35 0.36 0.38 1.00 0.50 0.47 0.29 0.34 0.30 0.14
## BL5 0.38 0.42 0.49 0.50 1.00 0.63 0.39 0.37 0.39 0.25
## BL6 0.40 0.37 0.45 0.47 0.63 1.00 0.36 0.40 0.39 0.28
## BL7 0.15 0.19 0.28 0.29 0.39 0.36 1.00 0.50 0.64 0.48
## BL8 0.22 0.29 0.27 0.34 0.37 0.40 0.50 1.00 0.65 0.46
## BL9 0.22 0.27 0.30 0.30 0.39 0.39 0.64 0.65 1.00 0.60
## BL10 0.16 0.20 0.20 0.14 0.25 0.28 0.48 0.46 0.60 1.00
## Sample Size
## [1] 639
## Probability values (Entries above the diagonal are adjusted for multiple tests.)
        BL1 BL2 BL3 BL4 BL5 BL6 BL7 BL8 BL9 BL10
## BL1
              0
                  0
                      0
                          0
                              0
                                  0
                                      0
## BL2
              0
                                  0
          0
                  0
                      0
                          0
                              0
                                      0
                                               0
## BL3
              0
                  0
                      0
                          0
                                  0
## BL4
              0
                  0
                      0
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                              0
                                  0
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          0
## BL5
          0
              0
                  0
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## BL6
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## BL7
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## BL8
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## BL9
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## BL10
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##
## To see confidence intervals of the correlations, print with the short=FALSE option
# Visualize b_loyal_10 correlation matrix
corrplot(cor(b_loyal_10))
```

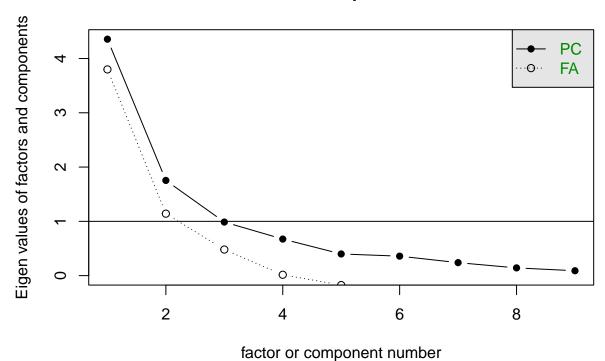


Parallel analysis
fa.parallel(b_loyal_10)



Parallel analysis suggests that the number of factors = 3 and the number of components = 2
brand_rep_9 <- read.csv("brandrep-cleansurvey-extraitem.csv")
scree(brand_rep_9)</pre>

Scree plot



Conduct three-factor EFA
brand_rep_9_EFA_3 <- fa(brand_rep_9, nfactors = 3)</pre>

Loading required namespace: GPArotation

Warning in fac(r = r, nfactors = nfactors, n.obs = n.obs, rotate = rotate, : I ## am sorry, to do these rotations requires the GPArotation package to be installed

Print output of EFA names(brand_rep_9_EFA_3)

```
##
    [1] "residual"
                          "dof"
                                           "chi"
                                                             "nh"
                          "EPVAL"
                                                             "EBIC"
                                           "crms"
##
    [5] "rms"
                                                             "sd"
    [9] "ESABIC"
                          "fit"
                                           "fit.off"
##
   [13]
        "factors"
                          "complexity"
                                           "n.obs"
                                                             "objective"
                          "STATISTIC"
                                           "PVAL"
                                                             "Call"
   [17]
        "criteria"
                                                             "TLI"
   [21]
        "null.model"
                          "null.dof"
                                           "null.chisq"
        "RMSEA"
                          "BIC"
                                           "SABIC"
  [25]
                                                             "r.scores"
   [29]
        "R2"
                          "valid"
                                           "weights"
                                                             "rotation"
## [33]
        "hyperplane"
                          "communality"
                                           "communalities"
                                                             "uniquenesses"
## [37]
        "values"
                          "e.values"
                                           "loadings"
                                                             "model"
## [41]
        "fm"
                          "Structure"
                                           "method"
                                                             "scores"
## [45] "R2.scores"
                          "r"
                                           "np.obs"
                                                             "fn"
## [49] "Vaccounted"
```

```
# Summarize results of three-factor EFA
summary(brand_rep_9_EFA_3)
## Factor analysis with Call: fa(r = brand_rep_9, nfactors = 3)
## Test of the hypothesis that 3 factors are sufficient.
## The degrees of freedom for the model is 12 and the objective function was 0.08
## The number of observations was 559 with Chi Square = 43.11 with prob < 2.2e-05
##
## The root mean square of the residuals (RMSA) is 0.02
## The df corrected root mean square of the residuals is 0.03
## Tucker Lewis Index of factoring reliability = 0.972
## RMSEA index = 0.068 and the 10 % confidence intervals are 0.047 0.091
## BIC = -32.8
# Build and print loadings for a two-factor EFA
brand_rep_9_EFA_2 <- fa(brand_rep_9, nfactors = 2)</pre>
## Loading required namespace: GPArotation
## Warning in fac(r = r, nfactors = nfactors, n.obs = n.obs, rotate = rotate, : I
## am sorry, to do these rotations requires the GPArotation package to be installed
brand_rep_9_EFA_2$loadings
##
## Loadings:
##
                 MR1
                         MR2
                  0.744 - 0.504
## well made
## consistent
                  0.725 - 0.569
## poor_workman_r 0.570 -0.442
## higher_price
                  0.704 0.343
## lot_more
                  0.558 0.495
## go_up
                  0.641 0.517
## stands_out
                  0.730 0.145
## unique
                  0.704 0.105
                 0.566
## one_of_a_kind
##
##
                   MR1
                         MR2
## SS loadings
                 3.971 1.436
## Proportion Var 0.441 0.160
## Cumulative Var 0.441 0.601
# Build and print loadings for a four-factor EFA
brand_rep_9_EFA_4 <- fa(brand_rep_9, nfactors = 4)</pre>
## Loading required namespace: GPArotation
## Warning in fac(r = r, nfactors = nfactors, n.obs = n.obs, rotate = rotate, : I
## am sorry, to do these rotations requires the GPArotation package to be installed
```

brand_rep_9_EFA_4\$loadings

```
##
## Loadings:
                               MR3
##
                 MR1
                        MR2
                                      MR4
## well_made
                  0.719 -0.522 0.112 0.124
## consistent
                  0.706 -0.599 0.108 0.165
## poor_workman_r 0.551 -0.454
                                       0.106
## higher_price 0.685 0.301 0.140
## lot_more
                  0.561 0.499 0.262 0.185
## go_up
                  0.652 0.537 0.266 0.236
## stands_out
                 0.795 0.164 -0.540
## unique
                  0.758 0.112 -0.526
## one_of_a_kind 0.657
                                0.306 -0.686
##
##
                   MR1
                         MR2 MR3
                                     MR4
## SS loadings
                 4.167 1.506 0.854 0.620
## Proportion Var 0.463 0.167 0.095 0.069
## Cumulative Var 0.463 0.630 0.725 0.794
# Eigenvalues
brand_rep_9_EFA_3$e.values
## [1] 4.35629549 1.75381015 0.98701607 0.67377072 0.39901205 0.35865598 0.23915591
## [8] 0.14238807 0.08989556
# Factor score correlations
brand_rep_9_EFA_3$score.cor
## NULL
# Factor loadings
brand_rep_9_EFA_3$loadings
```

```
##
## Loadings:
##
                 MR1
                        MR2
                              MR3
## well_made
                0.727 -0.528 0.145
## consistent
                0.709 -0.594 0.144
## poor_workman_r 0.556 -0.457 0.123
## higher_price
                  0.691 0.305 0.160
## lot_more
                  0.566 0.499 0.316
                  0.650 0.520 0.313
## go_up
## stands_out
                  0.812 0.174 -0.553
                  0.760 0.114 -0.485
## unique
## one_of_a_kind
                 0.554
##
##
                   MR1
                         MR2
                              MR3
## SS loadings
                 4.104 1.496 0.830
## Proportion Var 0.456 0.166 0.092
## Cumulative Var 0.456 0.622 0.714
```

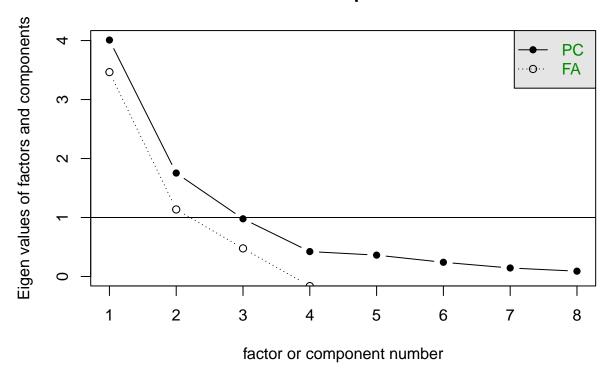
```
# Create brand_rep_8 data frame
brand_rep_8 <- select(brand_rep_9, -one_of_a_kind)</pre>
# Create three-factor EFA
brand_rep_8_EFA_3 <- fa(brand_rep_8, nfactors = 3)</pre>
## Loading required namespace: GPArotation
## Warning in fac(r = r, nfactors = nfactors, n.obs = n.obs, rotate = rotate, : I
## am sorry, to do these rotations requires the GPArotation package to be installed
# Factor loadings
brand_rep_8_EFA_3$loadings
##
## Loadings:
##
                        MR2
                               MR3
                 MR1
## well_made
                  0.721 -0.522 0.157
## consistent
                  0.713 -0.600 0.166
## poor_workman_r 0.552 -0.455 0.134
                  0.669 0.297 0.147
## higher_price
                  0.565 0.501 0.321
## lot_more
## go_up
                 0.658 0.534 0.337
## stands_out
                 0.816 0.166 -0.527
## unique
                  0.774 0.111 -0.488
##
##
                   MR1
                         MR2
                               MR3
## SS loadings
                 3.799 1.504 0.825
## Proportion Var 0.475 0.188 0.103
## Cumulative Var 0.475 0.663 0.766
# Factor correlations -- 9 versus 8 item model
brand_rep_9_EFA_3$score.cor
## NULL
brand_rep_8_EFA_3$score.cor
## NULL
# Three factor EFA loadings
brand_rep_8_EFA_3$loadings
##
## Loadings:
##
                 MR1
                        MR2
                               MR3
## well made
                  0.721 -0.522 0.157
## consistent
                 0.713 -0.600 0.166
## poor_workman_r 0.552 -0.455 0.134
## higher_price 0.669 0.297 0.147
```

```
## lot_more
               0.565 0.501 0.321
                  0.658 0.534 0.337
## go_up
                 0.816 0.166 -0.527
## stands_out
## unique
                  0.774 0.111 -0.488
##
##
                         MR2
                                MR3
                    MR1
                 3.799 1.504 0.825
## SS loadings
## Proportion Var 0.475 0.188 0.103
## Cumulative Var 0.475 0.663 0.766
# Two factor EFA & loadings
brand_rep_8_EFA_2 <- fa(brand_rep_8, nfactors = 2)</pre>
## Loading required namespace: GPArotation
## Warning in fac(r = r, nfactors = nfactors, n.obs = n.obs, rotate = rotate, : I
## am sorry, to do these rotations requires the GPArotation package to be installed
brand_rep_8_EFA_2$loadings
##
## Loadings:
                 MR1
                         MR2
                  0.742 -0.497
## well_made
## consistent
                  0.732 -0.569
## poor workman r 0.571 -0.438
## higher_price
                  0.685 0.337
## lot_more
                  0.556 0.499
                  0.644 0.524
## go_up
## stands_out
                  0.735 0.150
                  0.712 0.111
## unique
##
                    MR1
                          MR.2
                 3.652 1.436
## SS loadings
## Proportion Var 0.456 0.179
## Cumulative Var 0.456 0.636
# Four factor EFA & loadings
brand_rep_8_EFA_4 <- fa(brand_rep_8, nfactors = 4)</pre>
## Loading required namespace: GPArotation
## Warning in fac(r = r, nfactors = nfactors, n.obs = n.obs, rotate = rotate, : I
## am sorry, to do these rotations requires the GPArotation package to be installed
brand_rep_8_EFA_4$loadings
## Loadings:
##
                  MR1
                         MR2
                               MR3
                                       MR4
```

```
## well_made
                  0.715 -0.497 0.137
## consistent
                   0.734 -0.627
                                0.171 -0.184
## poor_workman_r 0.563 -0.463
                                0.132 0.208
## higher_price
                   0.668 0.302
                                0.150
## lot_more
                   0.563
                         0.505
                                0.331
## go_up
                   0.654 0.531 0.339
## stands_out
                   0.813 0.181 -0.529
                   0.771 0.125 -0.487
## unique
##
##
                   MR1
                          MR2
                                MR3
                                      MR4
## SS loadings
                  3.813 1.532 0.830 0.089
## Proportion Var 0.477 0.191 0.104 0.011
## Cumulative Var 0.477 0.668 0.772 0.783
```

```
# Scree plot of brand_rep_8
scree(brand_rep_8)
```

Scree plot



```
# Standardized coefficient alpha
psych::alpha(brand_rep_9)$total$std.alpha
```

[1] 0.8648896

```
# 3-factor EFA
brand_rep_9_EFA_3 <- fa(brand_rep_9, nfactors = 3)</pre>
```

```
## Loading required namespace: GPArotation
## Warning in fac(r = r, nfactors = nfactors, n.obs = n.obs, rotate = rotate, : I
## am sorry, to do these rotations requires the GPArotation package to be installed
brand_rep_9_EFA_3$loadings
##
## Loadings:
##
                 MR1
                        MR2
                               MR3
## well made
                 0.727 -0.528 0.145
## consistent
                 0.709 -0.594 0.144
## poor_workman_r 0.556 -0.457 0.123
## higher_price 0.691 0.305 0.160
## lot_more
                  0.566 0.499 0.316
## go_up
                  0.650 0.520 0.313
                  0.812 0.174 -0.553
## stands_out
                  0.760 0.114 -0.485
## unique
## one_of_a_kind 0.554
##
##
                    MR.1
                          MR2
                                MR.3
                  4.104 1.496 0.830
## SS loadings
## Proportion Var 0.456 0.166 0.092
## Cumulative Var 0.456 0.622 0.714
# Get names of survey items
colnames(brand_rep_8)
## [1] "well_made"
                        "consistent"
                                         "poor_workman_r" "higher_price"
## [5] "lot_more"
                        "go_up"
                                         "stands_out"
                                                          "unique"
# Create new data frames for each of three dimensions
p_quality <- select(brand_rep_8, 1:3)</pre>
p_willingness <- select(brand_rep_8, 4:6)</pre>
p_difference <- select(brand_rep_8, 7:8)</pre>
# Get split-half reliability
splitHalf(brand_rep_8)
## Split half reliabilities
## Call: splitHalf(r = brand_rep_8)
## Maximum split half reliability (lambda 4) = 0.93
## Guttman lambda 6
                                             = 0.92
                                             = 0.86
## Average split half reliability
## Guttman lambda 3 (alpha)
                                             = 0.86
## Guttman lambda 2
                                             = 0.87
## Minimum split half reliability (beta)
                                             = 0.66
## Average interitem r = 0.43 with median = 0.4
```

```
# Get averages of even and odd row scores
even_items <- colMeans(brand_rep_8[,c(FALSE,TRUE)])</pre>
odd_items <- colMeans(brand_rep_8[,c(TRUE,FALSE)])</pre>
# Correlate scores from even and odd items
cor(even_items, odd_items)
## [1] 0.7441724
# Get Cronbach's alpha
psych::alpha(brand_rep_8)
##
## Reliability analysis
## Call: psych::alpha(x = brand_rep_8)
##
##
     raw_alpha std.alpha G6(smc) average_r S/N
                                                             sd median_r
                                                  ase mean
##
         0.85
                   0.86
                           0.92
                                     0.43 5.9 0.0096 2.2 0.81
                                                                     0.4
##
       95% confidence boundaries
##
##
            lower alpha upper
            0.83 0.85 0.86
## Feldt
## Duhachek 0.83 0.85 0.87
##
   Reliability if an item is dropped:
##
                  raw_alpha std.alpha G6(smc) average_r S/N alpha se var.r med.r
## well_made
                       0.83
                                 0.83
                                         0.89
                                                   0.42 5.0
                                                              0.0102 0.042
                                                                            0.39
                       0.84
                                 0.84
                                         0.89
                                                   0.42 5.1
                                                               0.0100 0.039 0.41
## consistent
## poor_workman_r
                       0.85
                                 0.85
                                         0.92
                                                   0.45 5.7
                                                              0.0098 0.041
## higher_price
                       0.82
                                 0.83
                                         0.91
                                                   0.42 5.0
                                                              0.0120 0.052 0.39
## lot_more
                       0.84
                                 0.85
                                         0.91
                                                   0.45 5.7
                                                              0.0105 0.041
                                                                            0.41
## go_up
                       0.82
                                 0.84
                                         0.90
                                                   0.43 5.3
                                                              0.0115 0.044 0.39
## stands_out
                       0.81
                                 0.83
                                         0.88
                                                   0.41 4.8
                                                              0.0116 0.045 0.34
                                                   0.41 4.9
                       0.82
                                 0.83
                                         0.88
                                                              0.0113 0.046 0.38
## unique
##
##
  Item statistics
##
                   n raw.r std.r r.cor r.drop mean
                                          0.56 1.5 0.83
## well_made
                  559 0.64 0.73 0.72
## consistent
                  559 0.62 0.71 0.70
                                          0.52 1.5 0.85
## poor_workman_r 559 0.52 0.62 0.56
                                          0.43 1.4 0.77
## higher_price
                  559 0.78 0.73 0.68
                                          0.68 2.5 1.36
## lot_more
                             0.62 0.57
                  559 0.71
                                          0.56 3.4 1.48
                  559 0.76 0.69 0.65
                                          0.64 3.1 1.45
## go_up
## stands_out
                  559 0.78 0.77 0.78
                                          0.69 2.0 1.18
                  559 0.76 0.76 0.76
## unique
                                          0.66 2.0 1.18
## Non missing response frequency for each item
##
                     1
                          2
                               3
## well_made
                  0.65 0.27 0.05 0.01 0.02
## consistent
                  0.68 0.23 0.05 0.02 0.02
## poor_workman_r 0.76 0.17 0.04 0.01 0.02
                                              0
## higher_price
                  0.31 0.26 0.18 0.12 0.12
```

0.15 0.17 0.16 0.16 0.36

lot_more

```
## go_up
                 0.18 0.18 0.20 0.18 0.26
## stands_out
                 0.43 0.30 0.14 0.07 0.06
                                              0
                 0.46 0.29 0.12 0.07 0.06
## unique
# 3 factor EFA
b_loyal_10_EFA_3 <- fa(b_loyal_10, nfactors = 3)</pre>
## Loading required namespace: GPArotation
## Warning in fac(r = r, nfactors = nfactors, n.obs = n.obs, rotate = rotate, : I
## am sorry, to do these rotations requires the GPArotation package to be installed
head(b_loyal_10)
     BL1 BL2 BL3 BL4 BL5 BL6 BL7 BL8 BL9 BL10
##
## 1
              4
                   4
                       4
                           4
                               3
## 2
      4
           3
              4
                   3
                       3
                           3
                               3
                                   1
                                       1
                                            1
## 3
      5
           3
              5
                   3
                       3
                           4
                               2
                                   2
                                            3
## 4
      4
          4
             2
                 2
                       2
                          2 2 4
                                       2
                                            2
## 5
           5
                               3 4
                                       4
                                            4
## 6
      4
# 3 factor EFA
b_loyal_10_EFA_3 <- fa(b_loyal_10, nfactors = 3)</pre>
## Loading required namespace: GPArotation
## Warning in fac(r = r, nfactors = nfactors, n.obs = n.obs, rotate = rotate, : I
## am sorry, to do these rotations requires the GPArotation package to be installed
# Factor loadings, eigenvalues and factor score correlations
b loyal 10 EFA 3$loadings
##
## Loadings:
##
       MR1
              MR2
                      MR3
## BL1
        0.513 0.361 0.200
        0.558 0.321 0.241
## BL2
## BL3
        0.627 0.367 0.214
## BL4
        0.569 0.222 -0.166
## BL5
        0.716 0.232 -0.279
        0.698 0.188 -0.253
## BL6
## BL7
        0.618 -0.367
        0.651 -0.308
## BL8
## BL9
        0.741 - 0.506
## BL10 0.524 -0.411 0.136
##
##
                    MR1
                          MR2
## SS loadings
                 3.920 1.160 0.345
## Proportion Var 0.392 0.116 0.035
## Cumulative Var 0.392 0.508 0.543
```

```
b_loyal_10_EFA_3$e.values
## [1] 4.3564537 1.6031839 0.8242739 0.5982539 0.5649528 0.5155507 0.4767388
## [8] 0.4136564 0.3594158 0.2875202
b_loyal_10_EFA_3$score.cor
## NULL
# 2 factor EFA
b_loyal_10_EFA_2 <- fa(b_loyal_10, nfactors = 2)</pre>
## Loading required namespace: GPArotation
## Warning in fac(r = r, nfactors = nfactors, n.obs = n.obs, rotate = rotate, : I
## am sorry, to do these rotations requires the GPArotation package to be installed
\# Factor loadings, eigenvalues and factor score correlations
b_loyal_10_EFA_2$loadings
##
## Loadings:
##
       MR1
              MR2
        0.508 0.361
## BL1
## BL2
        0.549 0.316
## BL3
        0.620 0.365
## BL4
        0.567 0.229
## BL5
        0.700 0.226
        0.687 0.189
## BL6
## BL7
        0.623 -0.362
       0.657 -0.302
## BL8
## BL9
        0.744 -0.493
## BL10 0.526 -0.399
##
##
                   MR1
                          MR2
                 3.877 1.127
## SS loadings
## Proportion Var 0.388 0.113
## Cumulative Var 0.388 0.500
b_loyal_10_EFA_2$e.values
  [1] 4.3564537 1.6031839 0.8242739 0.5982539 0.5649528 0.5155507 0.4767388
   [8] 0.4136564 0.3594158 0.2875202
b_loyal_10_EFA_2$score.cor
```

NULL

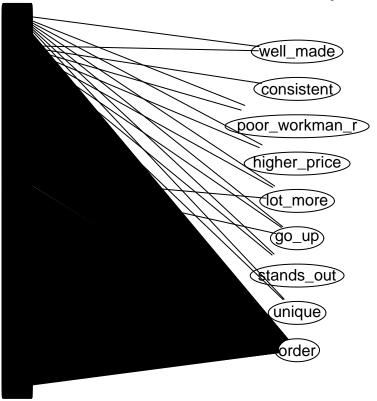
Confirmatory factor analysis & construct validation

```
# Factor loadings -- EFA
brand_rep_8$loadings
```

NULL

```
# Plot diagram -- EFA
fa.diagram(brand_rep_8)
```

Factor Analysis



library(lavaan)

```
## This is lavaan 0.6-11
## lavaan is FREE software! Please report any bugs.
##
## Attaching package: 'lavaan'
## The following object is masked from 'package:psych':
##
## cor2cov
```

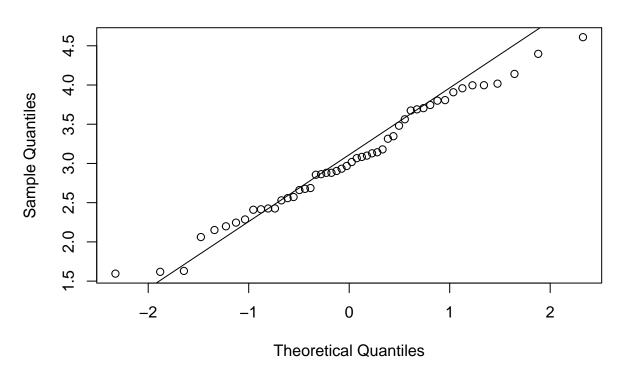
```
# Rename items based on proposed dimensions
colnames(b_loyal_10) <- c("ID1", "ID2", "ID3",</pre>
                         "PV1", "PV2", "PV3",
                         "BT1", "BT2", "BT3", "BT4")
# Define the model
b_loyal_cfa_model <- 'ID =~ ID1 + ID2 + ID3
                    PV = \sim PV1 + PV2 + PV3
                    BT =~ BT1 + BT2 + BT3 + BT4'
# Fit the model to the data
b_loyal_cfa <- cfa(model = b_loyal_cfa_model, data = b_loyal_10)</pre>
# Check the summary statistics -- include fit measures and standardized estimates
summary(b_loyal_cfa, fit.measures = TRUE, standardized = TRUE)
## lavaan 0.6-11 ended normally after 33 iterations
##
##
     Estimator
                                                         ML
##
     Optimization method
                                                     NLMINB
     Number of model parameters
##
                                                         23
##
                                                        639
##
     Number of observations
##
## Model Test User Model:
##
##
     Test statistic
                                                     63.953
     Degrees of freedom
##
                                                         32
##
     P-value (Chi-square)
                                                      0.001
##
## Model Test Baseline Model:
##
     Test statistic
                                                   2485.786
##
     Degrees of freedom
                                                         45
##
                                                      0.000
     P-value
##
##
## User Model versus Baseline Model:
##
                                                      0.987
##
     Comparative Fit Index (CFI)
     Tucker-Lewis Index (TLI)
                                                      0.982
##
##
## Loglikelihood and Information Criteria:
##
##
     Loglikelihood user model (HO)
                                                  -7214.586
     Loglikelihood unrestricted model (H1)
##
                                                  -7182.610
##
     Akaike (AIC)
##
                                                  14475.173
##
     Bayesian (BIC)
                                                  14577.751
##
     Sample-size adjusted Bayesian (BIC)
                                                  14504.727
##
## Root Mean Square Error of Approximation:
##
##
     RMSEA
                                                      0.040
```

```
##
     90 Percent confidence interval - lower
                                                       0.025
##
     90 Percent confidence interval - upper
                                                       0.054
     P-value RMSEA <= 0.05
                                                       0.885
##
##
## Standardized Root Mean Square Residual:
##
##
     SRMR
                                                       0.030
##
## 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
##
     ID =~
##
       ID1
                          1.000
                                                                 0.450
                                                                          0.646
##
       ID2
                          1.186
                                    0.090
                                             13.235
                                                       0.000
                                                                 0.534
                                                                          0.675
                          1.445
                                                       0.000
##
       ID3
                                    0.102
                                             14.209
                                                                 0.651
                                                                          0.778
##
     PV =~
##
       PV1
                          1.000
                                                                 0.555
                                                                          0.626
##
                          1.311
                                                                 0.728
       PV2
                                    0.087
                                             15.012
                                                       0.000
                                                                          0.800
##
       PV3
                          1.340
                                    0.091
                                             14.765
                                                       0.000
                                                                 0.744
                                                                          0.772
##
     BT =~
##
       BT1
                          1.000
                                                                 0.723
                                                                          0.717
##
       BT2
                          1.106
                                    0.065
                                             17.064
                                                       0.000
                                                                 0.799
                                                                          0.729
##
       BT3
                          1.174
                                    0.060
                                             19.529
                                                       0.000
                                                                 0.848
                                                                          0.888
##
       BT4
                          0.886
                                    0.057
                                             15.507
                                                       0.000
                                                                 0.641
                                                                          0.660
##
## Covariances:
##
                       Estimate Std.Err z-value P(>|z|)
                                                                Std.lv Std.all
##
     ID ~~
##
       PV
                          0.192
                                    0.020
                                             9.511
                                                       0.000
                                                                 0.768
                                                                          0.768
##
       BT
                          0.142
                                    0.019
                                             7.423
                                                       0.000
                                                                 0.436
                                                                          0.436
##
     PV ~~
##
       BT
                          0.234
                                    0.026
                                             8.966
                                                       0.000
                                                                 0.583
                                                                          0.583
##
## Variances:
##
                       Estimate Std.Err z-value P(>|z|)
                                                                Std.lv Std.all
##
      .ID1
                          0.282
                                    0.019
                                             14.506
                                                       0.000
                                                                 0.282
                                                                          0.582
                          0.341
##
      .ID2
                                    0.024
                                             13.918
                                                       0.000
                                                                 0.341
                                                                          0.545
##
      .ID3
                          0.277
                                    0.026
                                             10.637
                                                       0.000
                                                                 0.277
                                                                          0.395
##
      .PV1
                          0.479
                                    0.031
                                             15.569
                                                       0.000
                                                                 0.479
                                                                          0.608
##
      .PV2
                          0.299
                                    0.026
                                             11.301
                                                       0.000
                                                                 0.299
                                                                          0.361
##
      .PV3
                          0.374
                                    0.030
                                             12.369
                                                       0.000
                                                                 0.374
                                                                          0.403
##
      .BT1
                          0.492
                                    0.033
                                                       0.000
                                             14.907
                                                                 0.492
                                                                          0.485
##
      .BT2
                          0.563
                                    0.038
                                             14.670
                                                       0.000
                                                                 0.563
                                                                          0.468
##
      .BT3
                          0.192
                                    0.024
                                             8.013
                                                       0.000
                                                                 0.192
                                                                          0.211
##
      .BT4
                          0.530
                                    0.034
                                             15.777
                                                       0.000
                                                                 0.530
                                                                          0.564
##
       ID
                          0.203
                                    0.025
                                             8.166
                                                       0.000
                                                                 1.000
                                                                          1.000
##
       PV
                          0.308
                                    0.038
                                             8.097
                                                       0.000
                                                                 1.000
                                                                          1.000
##
       ВТ
                          0.522
                                    0.053
                                             9.879
                                                       0.000
                                                                 1.000
                                                                          1.000
```

```
c_sat <- read.csv("customersatisfactionclean.csv")</pre>
# Two dimensions: odd- versus even-numbered items
c_sat_bad_model <- 'ODD =~ CS1 + CS3 + CS5 + CS7 + CS9</pre>
                EVEN =~ CS2 + CS4 + CS6 + CS8 + CS10'
# Fit the model to the data
c_sat_bad_CFA <- cfa(model = c_sat_bad_model, data = c_sat)</pre>
## Warning in lav_object_post_check(object): lavaan WARNING: covariance matrix of latent variables
                   is not positive definite;
##
                   use lavInspect(fit, "cov.lv") to investigate.
# Summary measures
summary(c_sat_bad_CFA, fit.measures = TRUE, standardized = TRUE)
## lavaan 0.6-11 ended normally after 31 iterations
##
##
     Estimator
                                                         ML
                                                     NLMINB
##
     Optimization method
     Number of model parameters
                                                         21
##
##
                                                        350
##
     Number of observations
##
## Model Test User Model:
##
                                                    305.396
##
     Test statistic
##
     Degrees of freedom
                                                         34
##
     P-value (Chi-square)
                                                      0.000
##
## Model Test Baseline Model:
##
##
     Test statistic
                                                   1054.540
##
     Degrees of freedom
                                                         45
##
     P-value
                                                      0.000
##
## User Model versus Baseline Model:
##
                                                      0.731
##
     Comparative Fit Index (CFI)
##
     Tucker-Lewis Index (TLI)
                                                      0.644
##
## Loglikelihood and Information Criteria:
##
##
     Loglikelihood user model (HO)
                                                  -3803.754
##
     Loglikelihood unrestricted model (H1)
                                                  -3651.057
##
     Akaike (AIC)
##
                                                   7649.509
##
     Bayesian (BIC)
                                                   7730.525
     Sample-size adjusted Bayesian (BIC)
##
                                                   7663.906
##
## Root Mean Square Error of Approximation:
##
##
    RMSEA
                                                      0.151
```

```
##
     90 Percent confidence interval - lower
                                                       0.136
##
     90 Percent confidence interval - upper
                                                       0.167
     P-value RMSEA <= 0.05
                                                       0.000
##
##
## Standardized Root Mean Square Residual:
##
##
     SRMR
                                                       0.099
##
## 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
##
     ODD =~
##
       CS1
                          1.000
                                                                0.537
                                                                          0.626
##
       CS3
                          0.866
                                   0.092
                                             9.382
                                                       0.000
                                                                0.465
                                                                          0.581
       CS5
                                   0.085
                                             8.534
##
                          0.726
                                                       0.000
                                                                0.390
                                                                          0.519
##
       CS7
                          0.721
                                   0.098
                                             7.354
                                                       0.000
                                                                0.387
                                                                          0.438
##
       CS9
                          0.641
                                    0.093
                                             6.915
                                                       0.000
                                                                0.344
                                                                          0.409
##
     EVEN =~
##
       CS2
                          1.000
                                                                0.453
                                                                          0.569
##
       CS4
                          1.139
                                   0.118
                                             9.655
                                                       0.000
                                                                0.516
                                                                          0.694
                          0.777
##
       CS6
                                    0.102
                                             7.642
                                                       0.000
                                                                0.352
                                                                          0.498
##
       CS8
                          0.880
                                    0.114
                                             7.687
                                                       0.000
                                                                0.398
                                                                          0.502
##
       CS10
                          1.040
                                    0.123
                                                       0.000
                                                                          0.567
                                             8.422
                                                                0.471
##
## Covariances:
##
                       Estimate Std.Err z-value P(>|z|)
                                                               Std.lv Std.all
##
     ODD ~~
       EVEN
                          0.268
##
                                    0.035
                                             7.699
                                                       0.000
                                                                1.102
                                                                          1.102
##
## Variances:
##
                       Estimate Std.Err z-value P(>|z|)
                                                               Std.lv Std.all
##
      .CS1
                          0.447
                                   0.038
                                            11.744
                                                       0.000
                                                                0.447
                                                                          0.608
##
      .CS3
                          0.424
                                   0.035
                                            12.140
                                                       0.000
                                                                0.424
                                                                          0.663
##
      .CS5
                          0.411
                                   0.033
                                            12.503
                                                       0.000
                                                                0.411
                                                                          0.730
##
      .CS7
                          0.630
                                   0.049
                                            12.800
                                                       0.000
                                                                0.630
                                                                          0.808
##
      .CS9
                          0.588
                                   0.046
                                            12.875
                                                       0.000
                                                                0.588
                                                                          0.832
##
      .CS2
                          0.428
                                   0.035
                                            12.175
                                                       0.000
                                                                0.428
                                                                          0.676
##
      .CS4
                          0.286
                                   0.026
                                            10.978
                                                       0.000
                                                                0.286
                                                                          0.518
##
      .CS6
                          0.376
                                   0.030
                                            12.527
                                                       0.000
                                                                0.376
                                                                          0.752
##
      .CS8
                          0.472
                                   0.038
                                            12.512
                                                       0.000
                                                                0.472
                                                                          0.748
##
      .CS10
                          0.468
                                    0.038
                                            12.189
                                                       0.000
                                                                0.468
                                                                          0.679
##
       ODD
                          0.288
                                    0.047
                                             6.070
                                                       0.000
                                                                1.000
                                                                          1.000
##
       EVEN
                          0.205
                                    0.038
                                             5.420
                                                       0.000
                                                                1.000
                                                                          1.000
c_sat_50 <- head(c_sat, 50 )</pre>
c_sat_model <- "F1 =~ CS1 + CS2 + CS3 + CS4\nF2 =~ CS5 + CS6 + CS7\nF3 =~ CS8 + CS9 + CS10"
# Mardia's test for multivariate normality
mardia(c sat 50)
```

Normal Q-Q Plot



```
## Call: mardia(x = c_sat_50)
## Mardia tests of multivariate skew and kurtosis
## Use describe(x) the to get univariate tests
## n.obs = 50
              num.vars = 10
## b1p = 25.88
                  skew = 215.65 with probability <= 0.57
## small sample skew = 231.06 with probability <= 0.29
## b2p = 115.85
                  kurtosis = -0.95 with probability <= 0.34
# Fit model to the data using robust standard errors
c_sat_cfa_mlr <- cfa(model = c_sat_model, data = c_sat_50, estimator = "MLR")</pre>
# Summary including standardized estimates and fit measures
#summary(c_sat_cfa_mlr, standardized = TRUE, fit.measures = TRUE)
# View current c_sat model
cat(c_sat_model)
## F1 =~ CS1 + CS2 + CS3 + CS4
## F2 =~ CS5 + CS6 + CS7
## F3 =~ CS8 + CS9 + CS10
c_sat_model_a \leftarrow "F1 = CS1 + CS2 + CS3 + CS4\n
                                                             F2 = ~CS5 + CS6 + CS7 n
```

F3 =~

```
# Add EU1 to the CSU factor
# Fit Models A and B to the data
c_sat_cfa_a <- cfa(model = c_sat_model_a, data = c_sat)</pre>
c_sat_cfa_b <- cfa(model = c_sat_model_b, data = c_sat)</pre>
## Warning in lav_object_post_check(object): lavaan WARNING: covariance matrix of latent variables
##
                  is not positive definite;
##
                  use lavInspect(fit, "cov.lv") to investigate.
# Calculate the desired model fit statistics
fitMeasures(c_sat_cfa_a, fit.measures = c("cfi", "tli"))
##
   cfi
         tli
## 0.962 0.947
fitMeasures(c_sat_cfa_b, fit.measures = c("cfi", "tli"))
##
    cfi
         tli
## 0.731 0.644
# Compare the nested models
anova(c_sat_cfa_a, c_sat_cfa_b)
## Chi-Squared Difference Test
##
                          BIC Chisq Chisq diff Df diff Pr(>Chisq)
##
                   AIC
              Df
## c_sat_cfa_a 32 7418.2 7506.9 70.057
                                                      2 < 2.2e-16 ***
## c_sat_cfa_b 34 7649.5 7730.5 305.396
                                         235.34
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
c_sat_cfa_model_2 \leftarrow "F1 = CS1 + CS2 + CS3 + CS4 + CS5\n
                                                                           + CS6 + CS7\n
c sat cfa model 3 <-"F1 =~ CS1 + CS2 + CS3 + CS4\nF2 =~ CS5 + CS6 + CS7\nF3 =~ CS8 + CS9 + CS10"
# Fit three-factor CFA
c_sat_cfa_3 <- cfa(model = c_sat_cfa_model_3, data = c_sat)</pre>
# Inspect key fit measures - three-factor CFA
fitMeasures(c_sat_cfa_3, fit.measures = c("cfi","tli","rmsea"))
   cfi tli rmsea
## 0.962 0.947 0.058
# Fit two-factor CFA
c_sat_cfa_2 <- cfa(model = c_sat_cfa_model_2, data = c_sat)</pre>
# Inspect key fit measures - two-factor CFA
fitMeasures(c_sat_cfa_2, fit.measures = c("cfi","tli","rmsea"))
```

```
cfi tli rmsea
## 0.896 0.862 0.094
# Compare measures of construct validity for three- versus two-factor models
#reliability(c_sat_cfa_3)
\#reliability(c\_sat\_cfa\_2)
# Store F1 estimates as object loadings
loadings <- standardizedSolution(c_sat_cfa) %>%
filter(op == "=~", lhs == "F1") %>% select(est.std)
## Error in standardizedSolution(c_sat_cfa): object 'c_sat_cfa' not found
# Composite reliability -- the squared sum of all loadings divided by that same figure plus the sum of
com_rel <- sum(loadings) ^ 2 / ((sum(loadings)^ 2) + sum(1 - loadings ^ 2))</pre>
## Error in sum(loadings): invalid 'type' (closure) of argument
com_rel
## Error in eval(expr, envir, enclos): object 'com_rel' not found
# Average variance extracted -- sum of all factor squares divided by the number of items
avg_var <- sum(loadings ^ 2) / nrow(loadings)</pre>
## Error in loadings^2: non-numeric argument to binary operator
avg_var
## Error in eval(expr, envir, enclos): object 'avg_var' not found
# Compare versus semTools
reliability(c_sat_cfa)
## Error in reliability(c_sat_cfa): object 'c_sat_cfa' not found
# Print brand_rep_factors
brand_rep_factors <- read.csv("fact.csv")</pre>
# Build model for lavaan
brand_rep_8_cfa_model <- "QUAL =~ consistent + well_made + poor_workman_r</pre>
                PRICE =~ go_up + lot_more + higher_price
                UNIQUE =~ stands_out + unique"
```

Criterion validity and replication

```
# Correlate F1, F2 and F3 to spend_f, the 'latentized' spend
brand_rep_model <- 'F1 =~ well_made + consistent + poor_workman_r</pre>
                    F2 =~ higher_price + lot_more + go_up
                    F3 =~ stands_out + unique
                    spend_f =~ spend
                    spend_f ~~ F1 + F2 + F3'
# Fit the model to the data -- sem()
#brand_rep_cv <- sem(data = brand_rep_scaled, model = brand_rep_model)</pre>
# Print the standardized covariances b/w spend_f and other factors
#standardizedSolution(brand_rep_cv) %>% filter(rhs == "spend_f")
# Plot the model with standardized estimate labels
#semPaths(brand_rep_cv, whatLabels = "est.std", edge.label.cex = .8)
# Bind & scale the variables
#c_sat_rec_scale <- cbind(c_sat, c_sat_recommend) %>% scale()
# Define the model - Rec_f covaries with F1, F2, F3
#c_sat_rec_model <- 'F1 =~ CS1 + CS2 + CS3 + CS4
#F2 =~ CS5 + CS6 + CS7
#F3 =~ CS8 + CS9 + CS10
\#Rec_f = Rec_1
#Rec_f ~~ F1 + F2 + F3'
# Fit the model to the data
#c_sat_rec_sem <- sem(model = c_sat_rec_model, data = c_sat_rec)</pre>
# Look up standardized covariances
#standardizedSolution(c_sat_rec_sem) %>% filter(rhs == "Rec_f")
```

Predictive validity & factor scores

```
# Plot the new model
#semPaths(brand_rep_sem, rotation = 2)
```

```
# Get the coefficient information
\#standardizedSolution(brand\_rep\_sem) \%>\% filter(op == "~")
# Get the r-squared
#r_squared <- inspect(brand_rep_sem, 'r2')["F2"]</pre>
\#r\_squared
# Linear regression of standardized spending and factor scores
\#bq\_fs\_reg \leftarrow lm(spend \sim F1 + F2 + F3, data = bq\_fs\_spend)
\# Summarize results, round estimates
#rounded_summary <- round(summary(bq_fs_reg)$coef, 3)</pre>
#rounded_summary
# Summarize the results of CFA model
#summary(brand_qual_pv)
# Compare the r-squared of each
\#inspect\_rsq <- inspect(brand\_qual\_pv, "r2")["spend"]
#inspect_rsq
#summary(bq_fs_reg)$r.squared
```