

iNZights into Time Series and Multiple-Response data

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Time Series



The screenshot shows the iNZight software interface. On the left, there is a data table with columns for 'Row.names', 'Date', 'Australia', 'China', 'Japan', and 'UK'. The data rows are numbered 1 through 19. Below the table, there are input fields for 'Variable 1', 'Variable 2', 'subset by', and 'subset by', each with a 'Drop name here' label and a 'Clear' button. At the bottom of the interface, there are buttons for 'Get Summary', 'Get Inference', 'rescript', 'rename', 'refresh', 'save', 'close', 'Add to Plot', 'Remove Additions', and 'Inference Information'. In the center of the plot area, there is a 3D illustration of a professional video camera.

Further, Faster, Better

- Data world exploding
- Green shoots in Software
- Vision
- Future is visual
- Accelerators

Shift of focus



From:

- “What are all the things I have to do to get the output I’m meant to produce?”



To:

- “What are the questions?”
- “What can I **see**?”
- “What does that tell me?”



Using “enabling software” to
“cut out the middle man”

General Aim:

Software that helps people
“see more, faster”

Multiple Response Question

From Census At School NZ

4. Which ethnic group do you belong to? Select the space or spaces which apply to you.

- New Zealand European
- Māori
- Samoan
- Cook Island Maori
- Tongan
- Niuean
- Chinese
- Indian
- Other such as DUTCH, JAPANESE, TOKELAUAN. Please state:

Online Activities

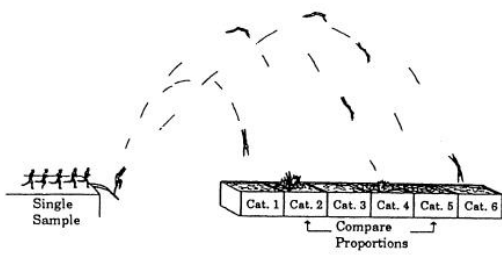
From Census At School NZ

27. In the last seven days, which of these online activities have you done? (You may tick more than one)

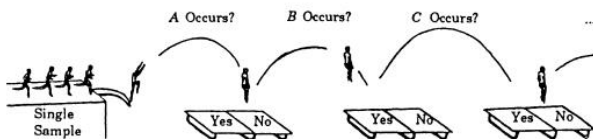
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Comparison

• Single response

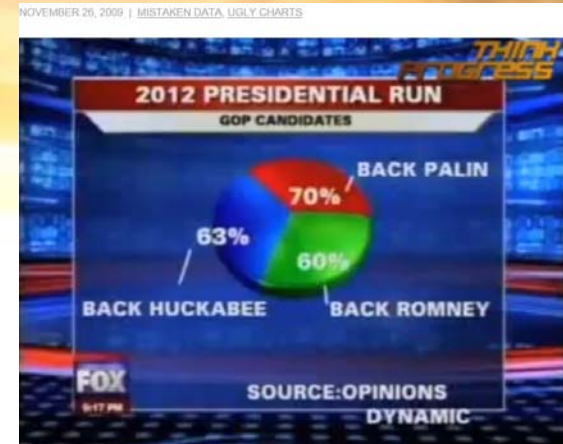


• Multiple response



How do people deal with MR questions?

Pie charts that add to more than 100%!



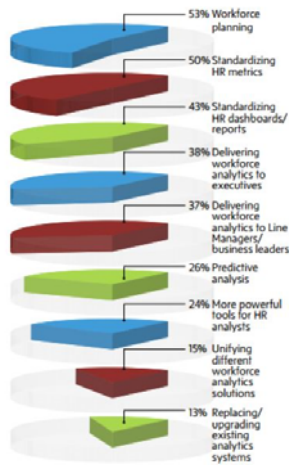
What? I don't see anything wrong with it.

How do people deal with MR questions?

Piemaster

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I'm not entirely sure where this came from, but it's from someone who describes himself as "an innovation leader in delivering analytics." Yep. The 3-D. The layering. The piemaster. [via]



Data Structure

	AX	AY	AZ	BA	BB	BC	BD	BE	BF	BG
technone	cell	months	onlinemusic	onlinevideo	onlinegame	onlinefriend	onlineschool	onlineother	onlinenone	bedtime
no		12	yes	yes	no	yes	yes	no	no	11:45:00
no		1	yes	yes	no	yes	no	no	no	12:30:00
no		NULL	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	no	no	10:00:00
no		36	yes	yes	no	yes	no	no	no	10:00:00
no		10	no	no	no	no	no	no	no	11:30:00
no		12	no	no	yes	yes	yes	no	no	10:00:00
no		1	no	yes	yes	yes	no	no	no	9:00:00
no		17	no	yes	yes	yes	yes	no	no	10:00:00
no		13	no	yes	yes	yes	yes	no	no	8:45:00
no		2	no	no	no	no	yes	no	no	8:45:00
no		3	no	yes	no	no	yes	no	no	10:00:00
no		13	yes	yes	no	yes	yes	no	no	10:00:00
no		11	yes	yes	no	yes	no	no	no	10:30:00
yes		7	no	no	no	no	no	no	yes	8:00:00
yes		NULL	no	no	no	no	yes	no	no	12:00:00
no		12	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	no	no	NULL
no		15	yes	yes	yes	yes	no	no	no	10:30:00
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no		14	yes	no	yes	yes	yes	no	no	10:30:00
no		5	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	no	no	10:30:00
no		5	no	no	no	no	yes	no	no	8:00:00
no		8	yes	yes	no	yes	no	no	no	22:30:00
no		5	no	yes	yes	yes	no	no	no	10:30:00
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no		14	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	no	no	11:00:00

How do people deal with MR questions?

	AZ	BA	BB	BC	BD	BE	BF
h: onlinemusic	onlinevideo	onlinegame	onlinefriend	onlineschool	onlineother	onlinenone	
2	yes	yes	no	yes	yes	no	no
1	yes	yes	no	yes	no	no	no
1	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	no	no
5	yes	yes	no	yes	no	no	no

- MR data typically coded using a set of variables
 - 1 variable for each response category
- Statistical software typically set up to cope with variables, not a set of variables
- But it makes sense “to keep these things together”
 - That’s why the question was asked this way!
- So want to see all the responses together
 - as a “profile”
 - & see how this profile changes with levels of other variables

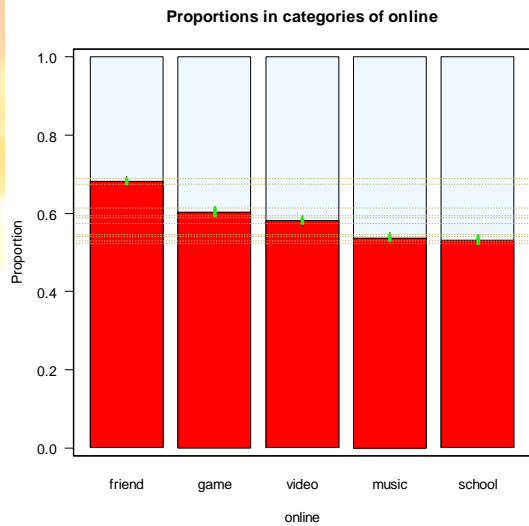
Online Activities

From Census At School NZ

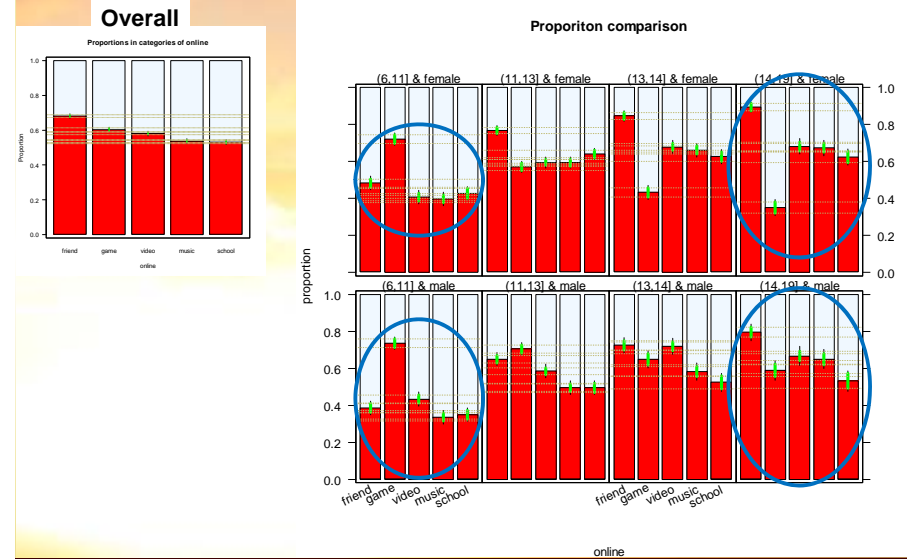
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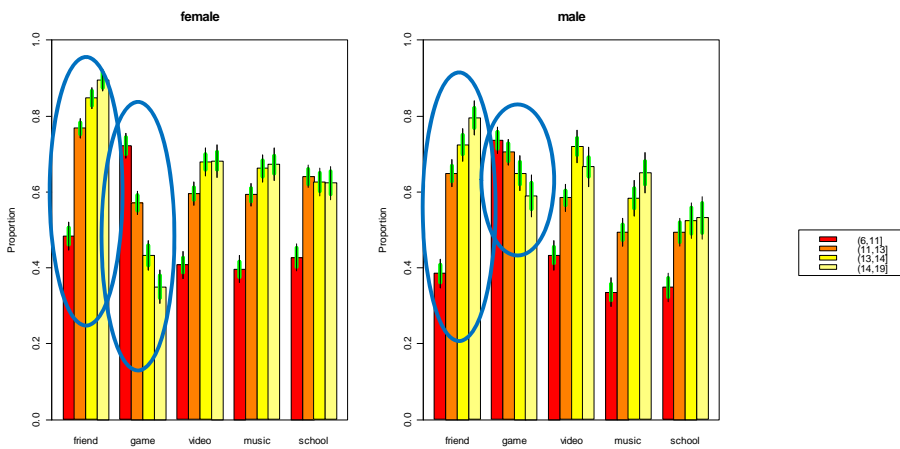
Online activity for ...



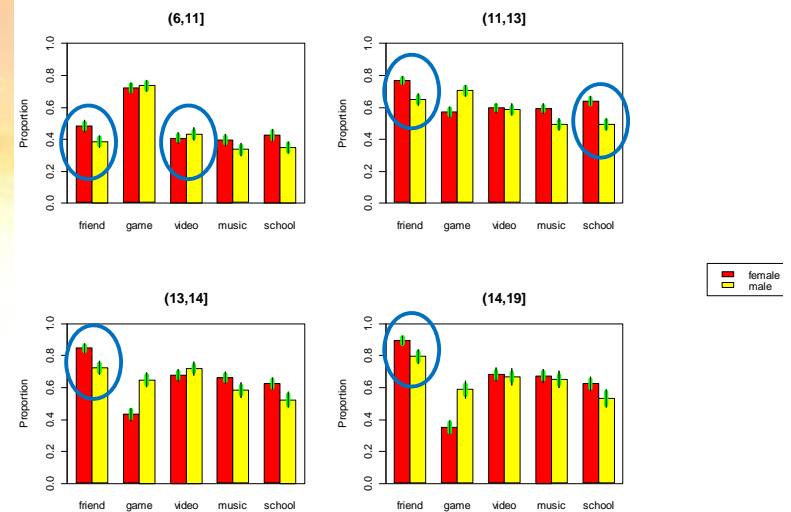
Comparing whole profiles – by age and gender



Comparing categories – by age within gender



Comparing categories – by gender within age



Show MR module



Multiple Response Question

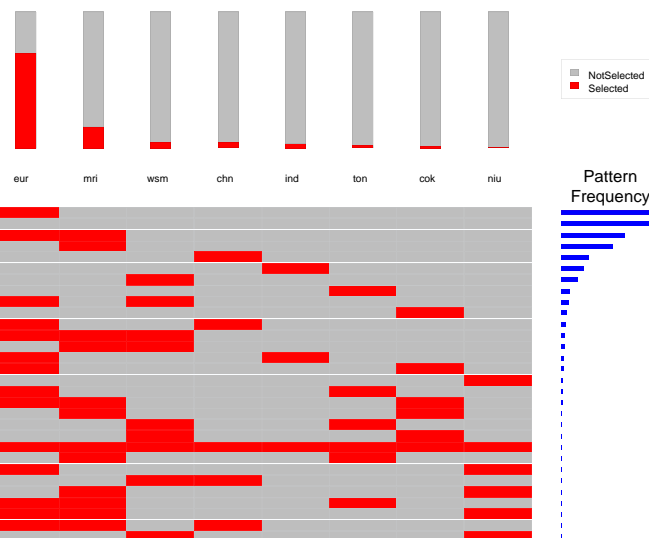
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Combination Plot

% Present



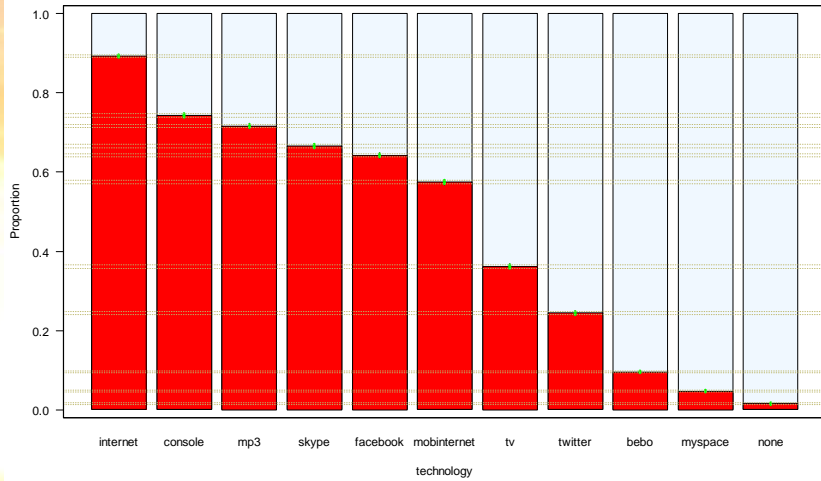
Technology question 2013

27. Which of the following do you have? (You may tick more than one.)

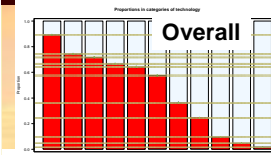
- your own cell phone
- a TV in your bedroom
- your own MP3 player e.g. iPod
- access to the internet at home
- access to the internet from your cellphone
- your own Facebook page
- your own Twitter page
- your own Bebo page
- your own MySpace page
- Skype on a computer at home
- a game console at home e.g. PlayStation, Xbox, Nintendo
- none of these

Technology question 2013

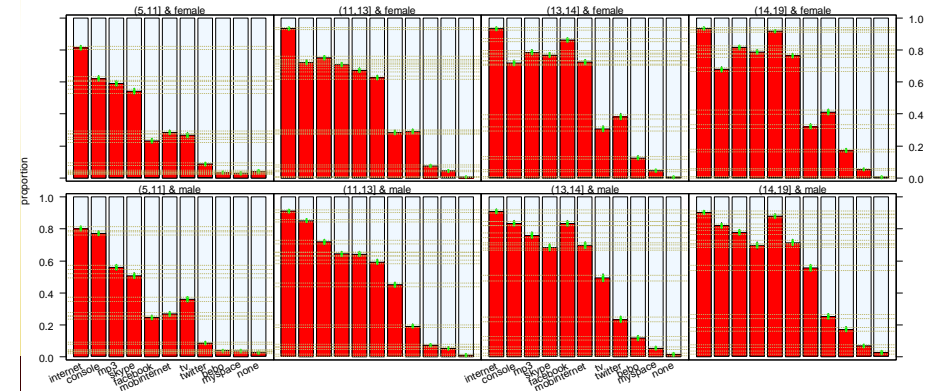
Proportions in categories of technology



Technology by age and gender

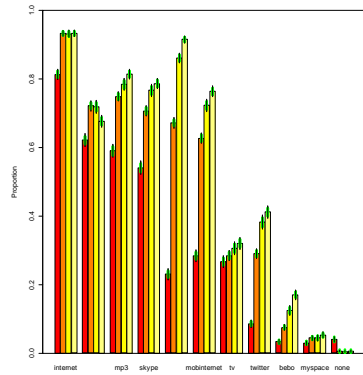


Proportion comparison

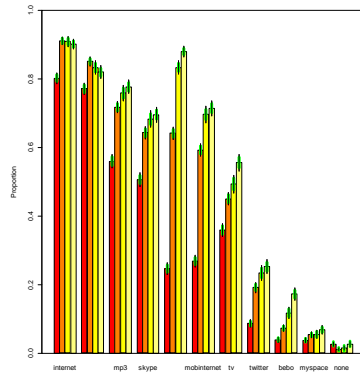


Technology by gender and age

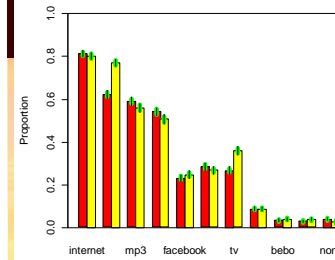
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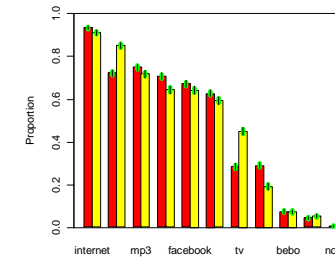
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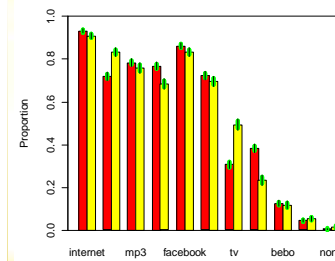
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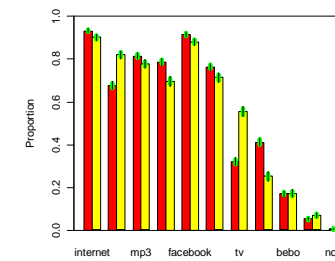
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