










Control for past alliances and conflicts

Re-analyzing Social Network Studies

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The six structural balance hypotheses with logistic regression - Maoz & al.

			
MID (Militarized Interstate Dispute)	 5	 RH2	 RH4
Alliance	 6	 RH1	 RH3

Names of the different variables in the data

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> names(data_seminar)
[1] "X"          "year"       "statea"     "stateb"     "abb_a"      "abb_b"      "cap_a"
[8] "cap_b"      "lncaprat"   "allies"     "polity_a"   "polity_b"   "majpow_a"   "majpow_b"
[15] "trade"      "contig"     "distance"   "numstate"   "cgdpa"      "cgdpb"      "opena"
[22] "openb"      "total_ig"   "igos_i"     "rgdp96pca"  "rgdp96pcb"  "nextMID"    "mzmidnm"
[29] "mzkeynum"   "mzfatald1"  "mzcowwar1"  "logtrade"   "logdistance" "diffmajp"   "summajp"
[36] "twomajpowers" "onemajpowers" "mingov"    "maxgov"     "meangov"    "nextAllies" "mzmid1_NA"
[43] "MID"        "MID_NA"     "ff"         "ee"         "ef"         "dega_all"   "degb_all"
[50] "dega_mid"   "degb_mid"
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Summary of the data

```
> summary(data_seminar)
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X	year	statea	stateb	abb_a	abb_b	cap_a
Min. : 1	Min. :1885	Min. : 2.0	Min. : 20.0	USA : 10750	THI : 9945	Min. :0.000
1st Qu.:163240	1st Qu.:1965	1st Qu.:100.0	1st Qu.:420.0	MEX : 9955	NEW : 9180	1st Qu.:0.000
Median :326480	Median :1981	Median :235.0	Median :616.0	GUA : 9815	JPN : 9118	Median :0.001
Mean :326480	Mean :1975	Mean :289.6	Mean :579.7	CUB : 9813	CHN : 9117	Mean :0.009
3rd Qu.:489720	3rd Qu.:1993	3rd Qu.:435.0	3rd Qu.:740.0	DOM : 9652	AUL : 9069	3rd Qu.:0.005
Max. :652959	Max. :2002	Max. :987.0	Max. :990.0	SAL : 9593	NEP : 8517	Max. :0.384
				(Other):593381	(Other):598013	NA's :18336

cap_b	lncaprat	allies	polity_a	polity_b	majpow_a
Min. :0.000	Min. : 0.0000	Min. :0.00000	Min. : -10.00	Min. : -10.00	Min. :0.00000
1st Qu.:0.000	1st Qu.: 0.8414	1st Qu.:0.00000	1st Qu.: -7.00	1st Qu.: -7.00	1st Qu.:0.00000
Median :0.001	Median : 1.9424	Median :0.00000	Median : 1.00	Median : -4.00	Median :0.00000
Mean :0.008	Mean : 2.3717	Mean :0.06372	Mean : 1.06	Mean : -1.07	Mean :0.05744
3rd Qu.:0.005	3rd Qu.: 3.4363	3rd Qu.:0.00000	3rd Qu.: 9.00	3rd Qu.: 7.00	3rd Qu.:0.00000
Max. :0.216	Max. :11.9621	Max. :1.00000	Max. : 10.00	Max. : 10.00	Max. :1.00000
NA's :18336	NA's :2072		NA's :80689	NA's :68695	

majpow_b	trade	contig	distance	numstate	cgdpa
Min. :0.00000	Min. : 0.0	Min. :1.000	Min. : 5	Min. : 36.0	Min. : 16
1st Qu.:0.00000	1st Qu.: 0.0	1st Qu.:6.000	1st Qu.: 2589	1st Qu.:125.0	1st Qu.: 2033
Median :0.00000	Median : 0.1	Median :6.000	Median : 4612	Median :159.0	Median : 9705
Mean :0.03993	Mean : 147.4	Mean :5.846	Mean : 4790	Mean :144.4	Mean : 126839
3rd Qu.:0.00000	3rd Qu.: 7.0	3rd Qu.:6.000	3rd Qu.: 6683	3rd Qu.:186.0	3rd Qu.: 50391
Max. :1.00000	Max. :399075.0	Max. :6.000	Max. :12347	Max. :192.0	Max. :9810201
	NA's :92301				NA's :92052

cgdpb	opena	openb	total_ig	igos_i	rgdp96pca	rgdp96pcb
Min. : 16	Min. :0.00	Min. :0.00	Min. : 0.00	Min. : 0.00	Min. : 220	Min. : 220
1st Qu.: 2534	1st Qu.:0.12	1st Qu.:0.09	1st Qu.: 14.00	1st Qu.: 12.00	1st Qu.: 1946	1st Qu.: 1176
Median : 9416	Median :0.21	Median :0.18	Median : 20.00	Median : 19.00	Median : 4315	Median : 2521
Mean : 87389	Mean :0.32	Mean :0.30	Mean : 21.53	Mean : 20.08	Mean : 6525	Mean : 5151
3rd Qu.: 38326	3rd Qu.:0.38	3rd Qu.:0.34	3rd Qu.: 28.00	3rd Qu.: 27.00	3rd Qu.: 8633	3rd Qu.: 6083
Max. :4838492	Max. :7.69	Max. :7.69	Max. :107.00	Max. :107.00	Max. :46065	Max. :46065
NA's :97580	NA's :92307	NA's :98595	NA's :164312	NA's :3271	NA's :79041	NA's :83994

nextMID	mzmidnm	mzkeynum	mzfatald1	mzcowwar1	logtrade	logdistance
Min. :0	Min. : 0.00	Min. : 0.00	Min. :0	Min. :0	Min. : 0.00	Min. :1.609
1st Qu.:0	1st Qu.: 0.00	1st Qu.: 0.00	1st Qu.:0	1st Qu.:0	1st Qu.: 0.00	1st Qu.:7.859
Median :0	Median : 0.00	Median : 0.00	Median :0	Median :0	Median : 0.12	Median :8.436
Mean :0	Mean : 10.31	Mean : 10.26	Mean :0	Mean :0	Mean : 1.28	Mean :8.233
3rd Qu.:0	3rd Qu.: 0.00	3rd Qu.: 0.00	3rd Qu.:0	3rd Qu.:0	3rd Qu.: 2.08	3rd Qu.:8.807
Max. :1	Max. :4343.00	Max. :4343.00	Max. :6	Max. :1	Max. :12.90	Max. :9.421
NA's :39706	NA's :39706	NA's :39706	NA's :40048	NA's :39706	NA's :92301	
diffmajp	summajp	twomajpowers	onemajpowers	mingov	maxgov	
Min. :0.00000	Min. :0.00000	Min. :0.00000	Min. :0.00000	Mode:logical	Mode:logical	
1st Qu.:0.00000	1st Qu.:0.00000	1st Qu.:0.00000	1st Qu.:0.00000	NA's:652959	NA's:652959	
Median :0.00000	Median :0.00000	Median :0.00000	Median :0.00000			
Mean :0.09135	Mean :0.09736	Mean :0.003003	Mean :0.09436			
3rd Qu.:0.00000	3rd Qu.:0.00000	3rd Qu.:0.00000	3rd Qu.:0.00000			
Max. :1.00000	Max. :2.00000	Max. :1.00000	Max. :1.00000			
meangov	nextAllies	mzmidl_NA	MID	MID_NA	ff	
Min. :-10.00	Min. :0.00000	Min. :0.00000	Min. :0.00000	Min. :0.00000	Min. : 0.000	
1st Qu.: -5.00	1st Qu.:0.00000	1st Qu.:0.00000	1st Qu.:0.00000	1st Qu.:0.00000	1st Qu.: 0.000	
Median : 0.50	Median :0.00000	Median :0.00000	Median :0.00000	Median :0.00000	Median : 0.000	
Mean : -0.08	Mean :0.06331	Mean :0.004092	Mean :0.00409	Mean :0.004091	Mean : 1.287	
3rd Qu.: 3.50	3rd Qu.:0.00000	3rd Qu.:0.00000	3rd Qu.:0.00000	3rd Qu.:0.00000	3rd Qu.: 0.000	
Max. : 10.00	Max. :1.00000	Max. :1.00000	Max. :1.00000	Max. :1.00000	Max. :52.000	
NA's :124245	NA's :200		NA's :200			
ee	ef	dega_all	degb_all	dega_mid	degb_mid	
Min. : 0.00000	Min. : 0.00000	Min. : 0.000	Min. : 0.000	Min. : 0.0000	Min. : 0.0000	
1st Qu.: 0.00000	1st Qu.: 0.00000	1st Qu.: 0.000	1st Qu.: 0.000	1st Qu.: 0.0000	1st Qu.: 0.0000	
Median : 0.00000	Median : 0.00000	Median : 0.000	Median : 0.000	Median : 0.0000	Median : 0.0000	
Mean : 0.01104	Mean : 0.06941	Mean : 3.151	Mean : 2.711	Mean : 0.3036	Mean : 0.4296	
3rd Qu.: 0.00000	3rd Qu.: 0.00000	3rd Qu.: 0.000	3rd Qu.: 0.000	3rd Qu.: 0.0000	3rd Qu.: 0.0000	
Max. :12.00000	Max. :19.00000	Max. :56.000	Max. :49.000	Max. :39.0000	Max. :39.0000	

Creation of different models in RStudio

- dyadic model : states a & b : relation in the next year
- basic model : next Allies, next MID, depends on ee, ff, ef
- degree model : deg_all & deg_MID

Model 1 : probability of next allies in $t+1$ when two countries are allies in t

```
> summary(model1)
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```
Call:
```

```
glm(formula = nextAllies ~ allies, family = "binomial", data = data_seminar)
```

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Deviance Residuals:
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Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-2.4797	-0.0733	-0.0733	-0.0733	3.4411

```
Coefficients:
```

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	-5.91796	0.02472	-239.4	<2e-16 ***
allies	8.94502	0.03401	263.0	<2e-16 ***

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Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
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```
Null deviance: 308064 on 652758 degrees of freedom
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```
Residual deviance: 38275 on 652757 degrees of freedom
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```
(200 observations deleted due to missingness)
```

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AIC: 38279
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```
Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 8
```

Model 2 : nextMID when MID

```
> summary(model2)
```

```
Call:
```

```
glm(formula = nextMID ~ MID, family = "binomial", data = data_seminar)
```

```
Deviance Residuals:
```

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-0.8829	-0.0820	-0.0820	-0.0820	3.3754

```
Coefficients:
```

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	-5.69314	0.02211	-257.46	<2e-16 ***
MID	4.95197	0.05358	92.43	<2e-16 ***

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```

```
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
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```
Null deviance: 34380 on 613053 degrees of freedom
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Residual deviance: 29892 on 613052 degrees of freedom
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(39905 observations deleted due to missingness)
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AIC: 29896
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```
Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 8
```


Model 3 : next Alliance, just with ff

```
> summary(model3)
```

Call:

```
glm(formula = nextAllies ~ ff, family = "binomial", data = data_seminar)
```

Deviance Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-6.1584	-0.1408	-0.1408	-0.1408	3.0394

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	-4.60918	0.01251	-368.4	<2e-16 ***
ff	0.48107	0.00215	223.7	<2e-16 ***

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

Null deviance: 308064 on 652758 degrees of freedom

Residual deviance: 83868 on 652757 degrees of freedom

(200 observations deleted due to missingness)

AIC: 83872

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 7

Model 4 : next Alliance with ff, ef, ee

```
> summary(model4)
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Call:
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```
glm(formula = nextAllies ~ ff + ef + ee, family = "binomial",  
     data = data_seminar)
```

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Deviance Residuals:
```

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-6.3650	-0.1387	-0.1387	-0.1387	3.0491

```
Coefficients:
```

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	-4.638970	0.012712	-364.93	<2e-16 ***
ff	0.477266	0.002148	222.20	<2e-16 ***
ef	0.173825	0.015070	11.54	<2e-16 ***
ee	0.667969	0.039827	16.77	<2e-16 ***

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```

```
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
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```
Null deviance: 308064 on 652758 degrees of freedom  
Residual deviance: 83446 on 652755 degrees of freedom  
(200 observations deleted due to missingness)  
AIC: 83454
```

```
Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 7
```

Model 5 : next MID

```
> summary(model5)
```

Call:

```
glm(formula = nextMID ~ ff + ef + ee, family = "binomial", data = data_seminar)
```

Deviance Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-3.6006	-0.0853	-0.0853	-0.0853	3.3518

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	-5.613665	0.021564	-260.324	< 2e-16 ***
ff	0.021093	0.002713	7.774	7.61e-15 ***
ef	0.595638	0.015938	37.372	< 2e-16 ***
ee	0.686466	0.046283	14.832	< 2e-16 ***

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

Null deviance: 34382 on 613252 degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 32735 on 613249 degrees of freedom
(39706 observations deleted due to missingness)
AIC: 32743

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 8

Model 6 : MID depends on ee and ef

```
> summary(model6)
```

Call:

```
glm(formula = nextMID ~ ef + ee, family = "binomial", data = data_seminar)
```

Deviance Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-3.6981	-0.0871	-0.0871	-0.0871	3.3399

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	-5.57363	0.02058	-270.78	<2e-16 ***
ef	0.61221	0.01606	38.12	<2e-16 ***
ee	0.69529	0.04667	14.90	<2e-16 ***

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

Null deviance: 34382 on 613252 degrees of freedom

Residual deviance: 32787 on 613250 degrees of freedom

(39706 observations deleted due to missingness)

AIC: 32793

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 8

Model 7 : degree model

```
> summary(model7)
```

Call:

```
glm(formula = nextAllies ~ ff + ee + ef + dega_all + degb_all,  
     family = "binomial", data = data_seminar)
```

Deviance Residuals:

	Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
	-6.2763	-0.1078	-0.1078	-0.1078	3.2100

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	-5.146113	0.016382	-314.136	< 2e-16 ***
ff	0.390209	0.002213	176.351	< 2e-16 ***
ee	0.452239	0.039564	11.430	< 2e-16 ***
ef	0.082522	0.017696	4.663	3.11e-06 ***
dega_all	0.049858	0.001201	41.527	< 2e-16 ***
degb_all	0.042703	0.001680	25.416	< 2e-16 ***

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

Null deviance: 308064 on 652758 degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 73639 on 652753 degrees of freedom
(200 observations deleted due to missingness)
AIC: 73651

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 8

Model 8 : deg_allies

```
> summary(model8)
```

Call:

```
glm(formula = nextAllies ~ dega_all + degb_all, family = "binomial",  
     data = data_seminar)
```

Deviance Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-2.8929	-0.1576	-0.1576	-0.1576	2.9648

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	-4.382477	0.011125	-393.95	<2e-16 ***
dega_all	0.032020	0.000833	38.44	<2e-16 ***
degb_all	0.139890	0.001020	137.12	<2e-16 ***

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

Null deviance: 308064 on 652758 degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 154057 on 652756 degrees of freedom
(200 observations deleted due to missingness)
AIC: 154063

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 7

Model 9 : global compilation

```
> summary(model9)
```

Call:

```
glm(formula = nextAllies ~ allies + ef + ff + ee + dega_mid +  
     degb_mid + dega_all + degb_all, family = "binomial", data = data_seminar)
```

Deviance Residuals:

	Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
	-3.6752	-0.0411	-0.0411	-0.0411	4.2167

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	-7.075009	0.042856	-165.088	< 2e-16 ***
allies	9.588219	0.070059	136.860	< 2e-16 ***
ef	-0.142510	0.028025	-5.085	3.67e-07 ***
ff	-0.133163	0.003203	-41.573	< 2e-16 ***
ee	-0.754564	0.049615	-15.208	< 2e-16 ***
dega_mid	0.015996	0.007004	2.284	0.0224 *
degb_mid	-0.008268	0.005572	-1.484	0.1379
dega_all	0.015281	0.002016	7.578	3.50e-14 ***
degb_all	0.125521	0.002764	45.408	< 2e-16 ***

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

Null deviance: 308064 on 652758 degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 31505 on 652750 degrees of freedom
(200 observations deleted due to missingness)
AIC: 31523

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 9