



## Paired Comparison Preference Models

The prefmod Package: Day3

Repetition, News , position effect

Repeated measurements

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▷ step 2: fit a model using `gnm()`

```
> mds <- gnm(y ~ LO+PA+MI+SG+BA+ST + (LO+PA+MI+SG+BA+ST):SEX + g1,
+    elim = mu:SEX,
+    family = poisson,
+    data = dd)
```

▷ step 3: ♠ To plot the results we can now use  
`llbt.worth` and `plotworth()`

```
> estmds <- llbt.worth(mds)
> rownames(estmds) <- cities
> colnames(estmds) <- c("female", "male")
```

(♠ We need not to extract the coefficients and calculate a matrix)

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Model fitting with `gnm()` using `llbt.design()`

▷ step 1: generate the design matrix with `llbt.design()`

♠ new option: `cat.scovs = c("SEX")`

```
> load("cpc.Rdata")
> cities<-c("LO","PA","MI","SG","BA","ST")
> dd <- llbt.design(cpc, 6, objnames = cities, undec = T,
+   cat.scov = c("SEX") )

> head(dd)
   y mu g0 g1 g2 LO PA MI SG BA ST SEX
1  91 1  1  0  0  1 -1  0  0  0  0  1
2 10 1  0  1  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  1
3 51 1  0  0  1 -1  1  0  0  0  0  1
4 102 2  1  0  0  1  0 -1  0  0  0  1
5 12 2  0  1  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  1
6 38 2  0  0  1 -1  0  1  0  0  0  1
```

(♠ We need not to declare categorical subject covariates as factors as we did when using `cov.sel =` )

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LLBT ▷ Object Specific Covariates



### Object Specific Covariates

(Dittrich, Hatzinger, Katzenbeisser, J. Royal Statistical Society, C, 1998 )

To model the objects by a few characteristics

$$\lambda_j^o = \sum_{q=1}^Q \beta_q x_{jq}$$

$x_{jq}$  covariate for characteristic  $q$  of object  $j$   
 $\beta_q$  effect of characteristic  $q$

(cf. LLTM)

▷ subject and object specific covariates can be combined

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## Example: CEMS exchange programme

- We considered the following university attributes – object covariates EC, MS, FS, LAT:

The values are given as follows:

Objects	LO	PA	MI	SG	BA	ST
EC (specialised in economics)	1	0	1	0	0	0
MS (specialised in management science)	0	1	0	0	1	0
FS (specialised in finance)	0	0	0	1	0	1
LAT (Latin city)	0	1	1	0	1	0

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- ▷ (5) – ♠ We can apply `llbt.worth()` if we have used the new option `objcovs =`

```
> w_md1 <- llbt.worth(md1)
> w_md1
      estimate
LO,SG,ST 0.55577
PA,MI,BA 0.44423
attr("objtable")
  LAT x.1 x.2 x.3
1  0   LO   SG   ST
2  1   PA   MI   BA

▷ (6) – ♠ plot the worth
> plotworth(w_md1)
```

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`llbt.design()` ♠ new option: `objcovs =`

- To fit a model with object covariates (attributes) we only need the following steps:

▷ (1) – generate object covariate(s):

```
> LAT <- c(0,1,1,0,1,0)
```

▷ (2) – make a `data.frame()` for object covariates

```
> LAT <- data.frame(LAT)
```

▷ (3) – make a `llbt.design()` using option: `objcovs =`

```
> des.neu <- llbt.design(cemspc,6, objnames=cities, undec=TRUE,
+                         objcovs = LAT)
```

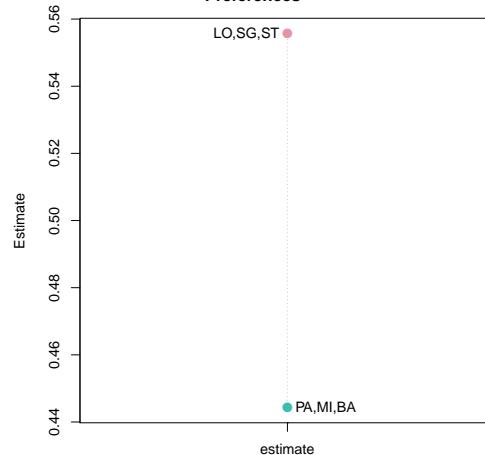
▷ (4) – fit model using `gnm()`

```
> md1 <- gnm(y ~ LAT + g1,
+               eliminate = mu, family = poisson, data = des.neu)
```

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Preferences



## more object covariates

- To fit a model with more object covariates (attributes) proceed as follows:

▷ (1) – generate object covariates:

```
> LAT <- c(0,1,1,0,1,0)
> EC <- c(1,0,1,0,0,0)
> MS <- c(0,1,0,0,1,0)
> FS <- c(0,0,0,1,0,1)
```

▷ (2) – make a `data.frame()` for object covariates

```
> OBJ <- data.frame(LAT,EC,MS,FS)
> cities<-c("LO","PA","MI","SG","BA","ST")
```

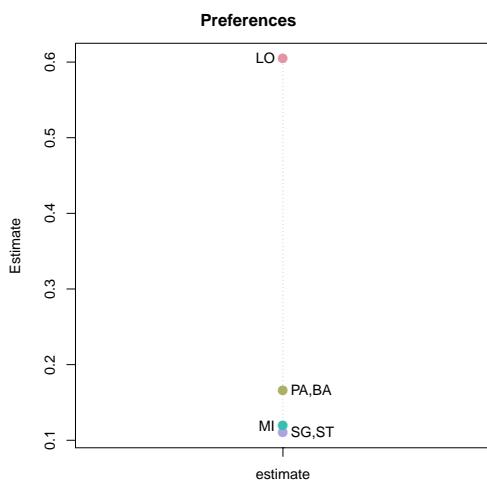
▷ (3) – make a `llbt.design()` using option: `objcovs =`  
`des.n1 <- llbt.design(cpc, 6, objcovs = OBJ,`  
`+ objnames = cities)`

▷ (4) – fit model using `gnm()`

```
> ml3 <- gnm(y ~ LAT+EC+MS+FS+ EC:MS ,
+ eliminate = mu, family=poisson, data=des.n1)
```

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▷ (1) – calculate the worth

```
> ww3 <- llbt.worth(ml3)
> ww3
   estimate
LO      0.60504
PA,BA  0.16563
MI      0.11946
SG,ST  0.10988
attr(),"objtable")
   LAT EC MS FS   x
1   0   1   0   0   LO
2   1   1   0   0   MI
3   1   0   1   0 PA, BA
4   0   0   0   1 SG, ST
```

▷ (2) – plot the worth

```
> plotworth(ww3)
```

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## LLBT ▷ object covs and categorical subject covs

- To fit a model with **object covariates** (attributes) and **categorical subject covariates** proceed as follows:

▷ (1) – generate object covariates:

```
> LAT <- c(0,1,1,0,1,0)
> EC <- c(1,0,1,0,0,0)
> MS <- c(0,1,0,0,1,0)
> FS <- c(0,0,0,1,0,1)
```

▷ (2) – make a `data.frame()` for object covariates

```
> OBJ <- data.frame(LAT,EC,MS,FS)
> cities<-c("LO","PA","MI","SG","BA","ST")
```

▷ (3) – make a `llbt.design()` using option: `objcovs =` and `cat.scovs =`

```
> des.n2 <- llbt.design(cpc,6, objnames = cities,
+ objcovs=OBJ,
+ cat.scovs = c("ENG","SEX"))
```

▷ (4) – fit model using `gnm()`

```
> m.n2 <- gnm(y ~ LAT *EC + MS + FS+ ENG + LAT:ENG +LO:SEX , ,
+ eliminate=ENG:SEX:mu, family=poisson, data=des.n2)
```

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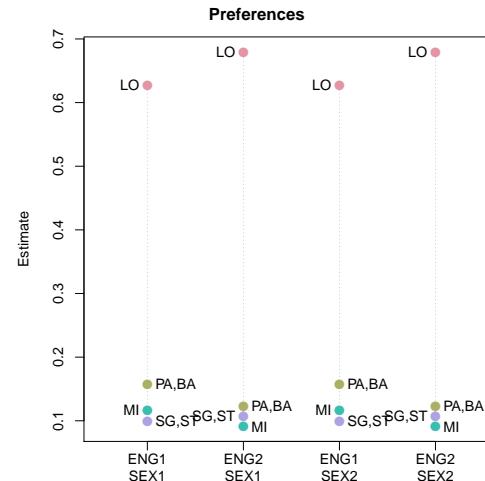
- Calculate worth and plot for **object covariates** and **categorical subject covariates**:

▷ (1) – calculate the worth

```
> w.n2 <- llbt.worth(m.n2)
> w.n2
      ENG1:SEX1 ENG2:SEX1 ENG1:SEX2 ENG2:SEX2
LO      0.627880  0.679654  0.627608  0.679401
PA,BA   0.156699  0.122352  0.156814  0.122448
MI      0.116657  0.091087  0.116742  0.091159
SG,ST   0.098763  0.106907  0.098836  0.106992
attr(,"objtable")
  LAT EC MS FS LO      x
1  1   1   0   0   0   MI
2  1   0   1   0   0   PA, BA
3  0   0   0   1   0   SG, ST
4  0   1   0   0   1   LO
▷ (2) – plot the worth
> plotworth(w.n2)
```

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LLBT ▷ Extension ▷ numerical Subject Covariates

## Numerical Subject Covariates

(Francis, Dittrich, Hatzinger, Penn, J. Royal Statistical Society, C, 2002)

The basic LLBT-model has to be extended for each individual  $i$

The equation for individual  $i$ , 1 comparison ( $jk$ ), 1 response is:

$$\ln m_{(i, j \succ k)} = \mu_{i,(jk)} + \lambda_{i,j} - \lambda_{i,k}$$

We model the  $\lambda_{i,j}$  through the relationship

$$\lambda_{i,j} = \lambda_j + \sum_{r=1}^R \beta_{jr} x_{r,i}$$

where  $x_{r,i}$  corresponds to  
the  $r$ th covariate for individual  $i$

For each object  $j$ , there is a separate set of  $\beta$ -parameters which describe the effect of the covariates on that item.

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LLBT ▷ Example ▷ simulated data

## Example for 4 objects (fictitious)

▷ we simulate PC-data using `simPC()`

```
> dat <- simPC(4, 20, c(1,3,5,7), pr = T )
used worth parameters are:  0.0625 0.1875 0.3125 0.4375
```

1st number of objects = 4

2nd number of individuals = 20

3rd numbers to calc worth: c(1,3,5,7)

1/16, 3/16, 5/16, 7/16, where 16 is  $(1+3+5+7)$

▷ we simulate a numerical subject covariate  $p$  for 20 individuals

```
> p<-rnorm(20)
```

▷ we make a data.frame with PC-data and subject covariate

```
> dat<-data.frame(dat,p)
```

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▷ numerical subject covariate



Model fitting with `gnm()` using `llbt.design()`

▷ **step 1:** generate the design matrix with `llbt.design()`

◆ new option: `num.scovs =`

```
> des <- llbt.design(dat, 4, num.scovs = "p")
```

```
> head(des)
  y mu g0 g1 o1 o2 o3 o4      p CASE
1 0 1 1 0 1 -1 0 0 0.54134 1
2 1 1 0 1 -1 1 0 0 0.54134 1
3 0 2 1 0 1 0 -1 0 0.54134 1
4 1 2 0 1 -1 0 1 0 0.54134 1
5 1 3 1 0 0 1 -1 0 0.54134 1
6 0 3 0 1 0 -1 1 0 0.54134 1
```

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▷ numerical subject covariate



▷ **step 3:** calculate the worth ( ♠ can not use `llbt.worth()`)  
extract coefficients of interest

```
> cc <- coef(m2)
```

replace all NA coefficients with zero

```
> cc <- ifelse(is.na(cc),0,cc)
```

extract coefficients

```
> a <- cc[1:4]
> b <- cc[5:8]
```

make a sequence for X coordinate (here person variable p) to be plotted

```
> s <- seq(min(p),max(p),0.01)
```

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▷ numerical subject covariate



▷ **step 2:** fit models using `gnm()`

CASE is a subject covariate, therefore we use

`eliminate = mu:CASE`

```
> m2 <- gnm(y ~ o1+o2+o3+o4+(o1+o2+o3+o4):p,
+              family = poisson, data = des,
+              eliminate=mu:CASE)
```

```
> m2
```

Call:

```
gnm(formula = y ~ o1 + o2 + o3 + o4 + (o1 + o2 + o3 + o4):p,
     eliminate = mu:CASE, family = poisson, data = des)
```

Coefficients of interest:

o1	o2	o3	o4	o1:p	o2:p	o3:p	o4:p
-1.087	-0.599	-0.572	NA	0.336	0.224	0.295	NA

Deviance: 130.48

Pearson chi-squared: 114.14

Residual df: 114

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▷ numerical subject covariate



we write a function to calculate worth

```
> ww <- function(x,a,b){exp(2*(a+b*x))/sum(exp(2*(a+b*x)))}
```

calculate worth matrix

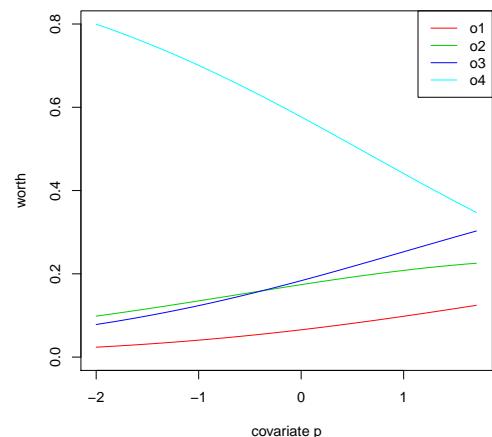
```
> res <- sapply(s,ww,a,b)
> # lambdas for person 1
> res[,1]
  o1        o2        o3        o4
0.023740 0.098398 0.078250 0.799611
```

plot the worth

```
> plot(s,res[,1],type="l",ylim=c(0,max(res)),xlim=range(p),
+       col = 2,ylab = "worth",xlab = "covariate p")
> lines(s,res[2,],col=3)
> lines(s,res[3,],col=4)
> lines(s,res[4,],col=5)
> legend("topright",rownames(res),lty=1,col=2:5)
```

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### Position effect

- it makes a difference which object is presented first  
we differentiate between:  
 $(jk)$  if  $j$  is presented first and  $(kj)$  if  $k$  is presented first  
 $m_{(j>k)\cdot j}$  expected preferences for  $j$  if presented first  
 $m_{(j>k)\cdot k}$  expected preferences for  $j$  if **not** presented first

the LLBT model formulas for the comparison  $(jk)$  are now:

$$\ln m_{(j>k)\cdot j} = \mu_{(jk)} + \lambda_j - \lambda_k + \delta$$

$$\ln m_{(k>j)\cdot j} = \mu_{(jk)} - \lambda_j + \lambda_k$$

and the LLBT model formulas for the comparison  $(kj)$  are:

$$\ln m_{(j>k)\cdot k} = \mu_{(kj)} + \lambda_j - \lambda_k$$

$$\ln m_{(k>j)\cdot k} = \mu_{(kj)} - \lambda_j + \lambda_k$$

for 3 objects we have 6 different comparisons  
▷  $\delta$  represents a general position effect

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> LLBT Design Matrix Approach Baseball Example



### Example: Baseball

Results of the 1987 season for professional baseball teams in the Eastern Division of the American League published and analysed by Agresti (1990, pp 371-373)

- the objects are the 7 teams

Milwaukee (MIL), Detroit (DET), Toronto (TOR), New York (NY), Boston (BOS), Cleveland (CLE) and Baltimore (BAL)

- each game is a paired comparison
- no draw – no undecided decision
- possible position effect (home field advantage)
- How many comparisons do we have?

the number of wins and losses  
are given in the R - datafile "baseball"

```
> data(baseball)
```

- Data are given in aggregated form (already counts )

4 3 4 2 4 2 4 3 4 3 2 4 6 1 6 0 4 3 4 3 4 2 6 1 4 2 4 2 5 2 6  
0 4 3 6 0 6 1 6 0 2 4

3 3 5 2 3 4 3 3 1 5 5 2 1 5 5 2 3 3 2 4 5 2 3 3 4 3 3 4 2 4 5  
2 5 1 6 1 4 2 6 1 4 3



## Example: Baseball

- Preparation

- generate **two** dummy response pattern, one for each of two groups

21 responses ( $v_1 - v_{21}$ ) where both responses 0,1 occur  
and one covariate cov with levels (1,2)

```
> d1 <- c(rep(0,21),1)
> d2 <- c(1,rep(0,20),2)
> d<-data.frame(rbind(d1,d2))
> names(d)<-c(paste("v",1:21,sep=""),"cov")
> d
   v1 v2 v3 v4 v5 v6 v7 v8 v9 v10 v11 v12 v13 v14 v15 v16 v17 v18 v19 v20
d1  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0
d2  1  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0
      cov
d1  0  1
d2  0  2
```

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- make design matrix using `llbt.design()`

```
> des5<-llbt.design(d, nitems=7,
+                     objnames=c("MIL","DET","TOR","NY","BOS","CLE","BAL"),
+                     cat.scov="cov")
> head(des5)
   y mu g0 g1 MIL DET TOR NY BOS CLE BAL cov
1 1 1 1 0 1 -1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1
2 0 1 0 1 -1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1
3 1 2 1 0 1 0 -1 0 0 0 0 0 1
4 0 2 0 1 -1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1
5 1 3 1 0 0 1 -1 0 0 0 0 0 1
6 0 3 0 1 0 -1 1 0 0 0 0 0 1
3. replace the old factor mu with a factor of length 42 each number repeated
two times (number of different comparisons is now  $21 \times 2 = 42$ )
> des5$mu <- gl(42,2)
> des5$mu
[1] 1 1 2 2 3 3 4 4 5 5 6 6 7 7 8 8 9 9 10 10 11 11 12
[24] 12 13 13 14 14 15 15 16 16 17 17 18 18 19 19 20 20 21 21 22 22 23 23
[47] 24 24 25 25 26 26 27 27 28 28 29 29 30 30 31 31 32 32 33 33 34 34 35
[70] 35 36 36 37 37 38 38 39 39 40 40 41 41 42 42
42 Levels: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 ... 42
```

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- construct  $\delta$  for position effect – § **must have** the name pos

```
> pos <- c(rep(1:0, 21), rep(0:1,21) )
• for comparisons 1 – 21
the first team ( $1 \succ 2$ ) is playing at home, pos = 1 and
the second team ( $2 \succ 1$ ) is playing away, pos = 0

> pos[1:42]
[1] 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1
[36] 0 1 0 1 0 1 0

• for comparisons 22 – 42
the first team ( $1 \succ 2$ ) is playing away, pos = 0 and
and the second team ( $2 \succ 1$ ) is playing at home, pos = 1

> pos[43:length(pos)]
[1] 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0
```

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- read in the number of wins and losses given in `baseball.rda`  
which is a dataset in `prefmod` and assign it to y

```
> data(baseball)
> head(baseball)
[1] 4 3 4 2 4 2
> des5$y <- baseball
```

- The design matrix des5 now looks like

```
> head(des5)
   y mu g0 g1 MIL DET TOR NY BOS CLE BAL cov
1 4 1 1 0 1 -1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1
2 3 1 0 1 -1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1
3 4 2 1 0 1 0 -1 0 0 0 0 0 1
4 2 2 0 1 -1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1
5 4 3 1 0 0 1 -1 0 0 0 0 0 1
6 2 3 0 1 0 -1 1 0 0 0 0 0 1
```

(The columns `g0,g1,cov` are only auxiliary variables)

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7. fit the basic model including a position effect

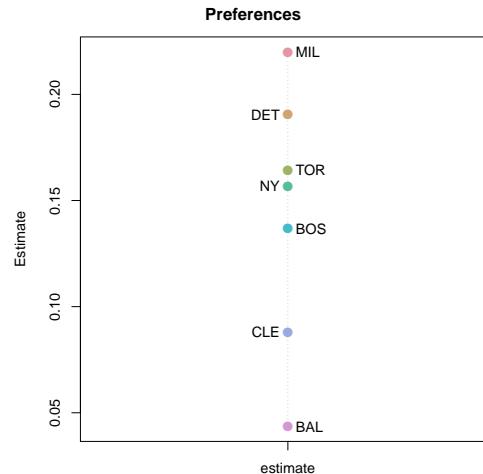
```
> res5<-gnm(y ~ MIL+DET+TOR+NY+BOS+CLE+BAL + pos,
+            eliminate = mu, data = des5, family = poisson)
```

8. Calculate the worth and plot

```
> w5<- llbt.worth(res5)
> plotworth(w5)
```

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- ▷ The  $\lambda$ s and the worth (given in  $w5$ ) are the strength of the teams when **play away**:

```
> res5
Call:
gnm(formula = y ~ MIL + DET + TOR + NY + BOS + CLE + BAL + pos,
     eliminate = mu, family = poisson, data = des5)
```

Coefficients of interest:  
MIL    DET    TOR    NY    BOS    CLE    BAL    pos  
0.810  0.738  0.664  0.641  0.572  0.352    NA  0.302

Deviance:            38.643  
Pearson chi-squared: 34.963  
Residual df:         35

9. How can we interpret  $pos$  which is the "home effect" ?

$$\exp(0.3023) = 1.35$$

the estimated ODDS for all teams to win when plying at home are 1.35 higher compared to playing away.

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### Comparing two teams

- ▷ Compare TOR and NY when playing against each other;

- if NY is playing at home and Toronto is playing away the odds for NY (team 4) to win against TOR (team 3) are:

```
> home <- coef(res5)[8]
> team <- coef(res5)[1:7]
> oddsNY <- exp((2 * team[4] + home) - 2 * team[3])
> oddsNY
NY
1.2924
```

▷ odds for New York to win against Toronto is now 1.292 times higher if New York plays at home and Toronto plays away.

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## Remarks

1. it is assumed that the decisions are independent!  
(may be not reasonable)
2. missing values (NA) can occur in the comparisons  
just reduce the number of respondents  $N_{ij}$   
but no missing values are allowed in the subject covariates
3. the number of rows of the design matrix is:

number of comparisons  $\times$   
number of possible decisions ( response categories)  $\times$   
number of subject groups

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Response-format	Model		Designmatrix	Estimation	Notes
real PCs	LLBT	Data	<code>llbt.design()</code>	<code>glm(), gnm()</code>	1,2,(3),4, (5)
		Data	<code>llbt.design()</code>	<code>llbt.fit()</code>	1,3,4,5
	Pattern	Data	—————>	<code>llbtPC.fit()</code>	1,3,5
		Data	—————>	<code>pattPC.fit()</code>	2,4,(5),6
Rankings	Pattern	Data	<code>patt.design()</code>	<code>glm(), gnm()</code>	2,4,(5)
		Data	—————>	<code>pattR.fit()</code>	1,3,5
Ratings (Likert)	Pattern	Data	<code>patt.design()</code>	<code>glm(), gnm()</code>	2,4,(5)
		Data	—————>	<code>pattL.fit()</code>	1,3,5,6

(1) NAs

(2) R standard Output

(3) larger number of comparisons (objects)

(4) object specific covariates

(5) continuous subject covariates

(6) dependencies

LLBT  $\triangleright$  repeated measurements ( $\triangleright$  multivariate)

## The Basic Bradley-Terry Model (BT)

In the comparison  $(jk)$  the probability that object  $j$  is preferred to object  $k$  is defined as:

$$p_{(jk)}(+) = p(j \succ k) = \frac{\pi_j}{\pi_j + \pi_k} = c_{(jk)} \frac{\sqrt{\pi_j}}{\sqrt{\pi_k}}$$

and

$$p_{(jk)}(-) = p(k \succ j) = c_{(jk)} \frac{\sqrt{\pi_k}}{\sqrt{\pi_j}}$$

the  $\pi$ 's are the location of the objects  
 $c_{(jk)}$  is constant for a given comparison

(+) indicates that the first object is preferred and  
(-) indicates that the second object is preferred

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LLBT



## The Basic Loglinear BT Model (LLBT)

the model can be formulated as a log-linear model following the usual Multinomial / Poisson - equivalence.

our basic paired comparison model for one comparison  $(jk)$  is given by two equations

$$\ln m_{(jk)}(+) = \mu_{(jk)} + \lambda_j^O - \lambda_k^O$$

$$\ln m_{(jk)}(-) = \mu_{(jk)} - \lambda_j^O + \lambda_k^O,$$

and the expected values are

$$m_{(jk)}(+) = N_{(jk)} p_{(jk)}(+) \quad \text{and} \quad m_{(jk)}(-) = N_{(jk)} p_{(jk)}(-)$$

this model formulation is feasible for further extensions

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## ♠ Repeated observations at two time points

In the comparison  $(jk)$  the probability that  $(j > k)$  at both timepoints is defined as:

$$p_{(jk)}(++) = c_{(jk)} \frac{\sqrt{\pi_{j1}}}{\sqrt{\pi_{k1}}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{\pi_{j2}}}{\sqrt{\pi_{k2}}}$$

The other probabilities are:

$$p_{(jk)}(+-) = c_{(jk)} \frac{\sqrt{\pi_{j1}}}{\sqrt{\pi_{k1}}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{\pi_{k2}}}{\sqrt{\pi_{j2}}}$$

$$p_{(jk)}(-+) = c_{(jk)} \frac{\sqrt{\pi_{k1}}}{\sqrt{\pi_{j1}}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{\pi_{j2}}}{\sqrt{\pi_{k2}}}$$

$$p_{(jk)}(--)=c_{(jk)}\frac{\sqrt{\pi_{k1}}}{\sqrt{\pi_{j1}}}\cdot\frac{\sqrt{\pi_{k2}}}{\sqrt{\pi_{j2}}}$$

where  $c_{(jk)}$  is different constant for a given comparison



The corresponding loglinear model has now four equations for each comparison  $(jk)$

$$\ln m_{(jk)}(++) = \mu_{(jk)} + \lambda_{j1}^O - \lambda_{k1}^O + \lambda_{j2}^O - \lambda_{k2}^O \quad (1)$$

$$\ln m_{(jk)}(+-) = \mu_{(jk)} - \lambda_{j1}^O + \lambda_{k1}^O + \lambda_{j2}^O - \lambda_{k2}^O$$

$$\ln m_{(jk)}(-+) = \mu_{(jk)} + \lambda_{j1}^O - \lambda_{k1}^O - \lambda_{j2}^O + \lambda_{k2}^O$$

$$\ln m_{(jk)}(--)=\mu_{(jk)}-\lambda_{j1}^O+\lambda_{k1}^O-\lambda_{j2}^O+\lambda_{k2}^O$$



## terms and relations

- relation between  $\pi$  and  $\lambda$ :

$$\lambda_{jt} = \ln \sqrt{\pi_{jt}} \quad \text{for all times } t = 1, \dots, T$$

$$\pi_{jt} = \exp 2\lambda_{jt}$$

- identifiability of  $\pi$ s is obtained by the restriction  $\pi_{Jt} = 1$  via  $\lambda_{Jt} = 0$
- the worth parameters are calculated by

$$\pi_{jt} = \frac{\exp(2\lambda_{jt})}{\sum_j \exp(2\lambda_{jt})} \quad t = 1, \dots, T$$

where  $\sum_j \pi_{jt} = 1$  for all times  $t = 1, \dots, T$



## Within-comparison Dependencies

one important feature of a multivariate-LLBT is:

- we can introduce *within-comparison* dependencies
  - association between responses to  $(jk)$  at time  $t_1$  and responses to  $(jk)$  at time  $t_2$
- for 2 times there are  $\binom{J}{2}$  *within-comparison* dependencies
- for  $T$  times there are  $\binom{T}{2} \times \binom{J}{2}$  such dependencies

these dependence terms are denoted by:  $\zeta_{(ij)}$

- repeated – dependencies between 2 or more timepoints for all pairs of comparisons
- multivariate – dependencies between 2 dimensions (e.g.  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2$ )



## Within-comparison Dependencies

we look at one comparisons ( $jk$ )

		time 2	
		(1 > 3)	(3 > 1)
		+	-
time 1	(1 > 2)	+	$m_{++}$
	(2 > 1)	-	$m_{+-}$

$$OR_{(jk)} = \frac{m_{++} m_{--}}{m_{+-} m_{-+}}$$

nominator are "coherent" decisions  
denominator are "incoherent" decisions

Interpretation in terms of the parameters  $\zeta_{(ij)}$ 

$$\ln OR_{(jk)} = 4\zeta_{(ij)}$$

$$OR_{(jk)} = \exp(4\zeta_{(ij)})$$

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## multivariate-LLBT Design Structure

- for 2 timepoints and 3 objects

PC	counts	time 1				time 2			dependencies		
		$\mu$	$\lambda_{11}$	$\lambda_{21}$	$\lambda_{31}$	$\lambda_{12}$	$\lambda_{22}$	$\lambda_{32}$	$\zeta_{(12)}$	$\zeta_{(13)}$	$\zeta_{(23)}$
(12)	$n_{(12)}++$	1	1	-1	0	1	-1	0	1	0	0
(12)	$n_{(12)}-+$	1	-1	1	0	1	-1	0	-1	0	0
(12)	$n_{(12)}+-$	1	1	-1	0	-1	1	0	-1	0	0
(12)	$n_{(12)}--$	1	-1	1	0	-1	1	0	1	0	0
(13)	:	2	:	:	:						
(23)	$n_{(23)}++$	3	0	1	-1	0	1	-1	0	0	1
(23)	$n_{(23)}-+$	3	0	-1	1	0	1	-1	0	0	-1
(23)	$n_{(23)}+-$	3	0	1	-1	0	-1	1	0	0	-1
(23)	$n_{(23)}--$	3	0	-1	1	0	-1	1	0	0	1

the **design matrix X** with:  $\mu$  which is a factor (dummies for  $\mu_1, \mu_2, \mu_3$ ), variates for the objects  $O_{11}, O_{21}, O_{31}$  at time 1, for the objects  $O_{12}, O_{22}, O_{32}$  at time 2 and **within-comparison dependencies**  $\zeta$

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Extending (1), the four equations for comparison ( $jk$ ) become

$$\begin{aligned}\ln m_{(jk)}(++) &= \mu_{(jk)} + \lambda_{j1}^O - \lambda_{k1}^O + \lambda_{j2}^O - \lambda_{k2}^O + \zeta_{(jk)} \\ \ln m_{(jk)}(-+) &= \mu_{(jk)} - \lambda_{j1}^O + \lambda_{k1}^O + \lambda_{j2}^O - \lambda_{k2}^O - \zeta_{(jk)} \\ \ln m_{(jk)}(+-) &= \mu_{(jk)} + \lambda_{j1}^O - \lambda_{k1}^O - \lambda_{j2}^O + \lambda_{k2}^O - \zeta_{(jk)} \\ \ln m_{(jk)}(--) &= \mu_{(jk)} - \lambda_{j1}^O + \lambda_{k1}^O - \lambda_{j2}^O + \lambda_{k2}^O + \zeta_{(jk)}\end{aligned}$$

The sign of  $\zeta_{(ij)}$  depends on the response pattern and can be regarded as the interaction of the responses at  $t_1$  and  $t_2$ .



## Inglehart Index (fictitious PC data)

**theory states:** personal values shifted after the Second World War from a materialist (M) to a post-materialist (P) orientation (Inglehart, 1977).

the 4 values are:

- |   |   |                           |         |   |
|---|---|---------------------------|---------|---|
| 1 | O | Maintain order in nation  | order   | M |
| 2 | S | Give people more to say s | say     | P |
| 3 | P | Fight rising prices       | prices  | M |
| 4 | F | Protect freedom of speech | freedom | P |

▷ the 4 values compared pairwise  
people were asked which value should have higher priority for the country

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▷ This investigation was done at two timepoints time 1 and time 2

- aim of the study:

- preference order for the 4 values at each time
- was there a change of values in time?

(Francis, Dittrich, Hatzinger, Penn, J. Royal Statistical Society, C, 2002)

## Data – Coding

### Coding

all possible comparisons for time 1 and time 2 are:

v1.1 ,v2.1, v3.1, v4.1, v5.1, v6.1, v1.2, v2.2, v3.2, v4.2, v5.2, v6.2

v1.1 (12)1 (OS)1	v2.1 (13)1 (OP)1	v3.1 (23)1 (SP)1	v4.1 (14)1 (OF)1	v5.1 (24)1 (SF)1	v6.1 (34)1 (PF)1
-1	1	1	1	1	1

v1.2 v2.2 v3.2 v4.2 v5.2 v6.2

v1.2 (12)2 (OS)2	v2.2 (13)2 (OP)2	v3.2 (23)2 (SP)2	v4.2 (14)2 (OF)2	v5.2 (24)2 (SF)2	v6.2 (34)2 (PF)2
-1	-1	1	1	1	1

We get the data (ingle.dat):

```
> data <- read.table("D:/talk_seminar10/tag3/inglehart/ingle.dat",
+ header = TRUE)
```

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## LLBT – repeated



To generate a design matrix for 2 times we use a new ♠ function `llbtrep()`

▷ get function `llbtrep()`

```
> library(prefmod)
> source("D:/talk_seminar10/tag3/inglehart,llbtrep.R")

▷ use llbtrep() :
> des <- llbtrep(data, 4, mpoints = 2)
```

the options in `llbtrep()` are:

1st data object: data

2nd number of items: 4

3rd number of times: mpoints = 2

## LLBT – repeated



▷ give names to the columns of the design matrix

```
> tail(des)
   y mu X1 X2 X3 X4 X5 X6 X7 X8 X1.1 X2.1 X3.1 X4.1 X5.1 X6.1
19  59  5  0  1  0 -1  0 -1  0  1   0   0   0   0   0   -1   0
20  15  5  0 -1  0  1  0 -1  0  1   0   0   0   0   0    1   0
21 152  6  0  0  1 -1  0  0  1 -1   0   0   0   0   0    0   1
22  85  6  0  0 -1  1  0  0  1 -1   0   0   0   0   0    -1
23  37  6  0  0  1 -1  0  0 -1  1   0   0   0   0   0    -1
24  26  6  0  0 -1  1  0  0 -1  1   0   0   0   0   0    1
> objnam <- paste(c("0","S","P","F"), rep(1:2,each=4), sep="")
> objnam
[1] "01" "S1" "P1" "F1" "02" "S2" "P2" "F2"
> #
> ianam<-paste("I", 1:6, sep="")
> ianam
[1] "I1" "I2" "I3" "I4" "I5" "I6"
> #
> names(des)[3:16]<-c(objnam,ianam)
> names(des)
[1] "y" "mu" "01" "S1" "P1" "F1" "02" "S2" "P2" "F2" "I1" "I2" "I3" "I4"
[15] "I5" "I6"
```

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▷ fit basic model using `gnm()`

```
> m0 <- gnm(y ~ O1+S1+P1+F1+O2+S2+P2+F2,
+              elim = mu, family = poisson, data = des)
> m0
Call:

gnm(formula = y ~ O1 + S1 + P1 + F1 + O2 + S2 + P2 + F2, eliminate = mu,
     family = poisson, data = des)

Coefficients of interest:
      O1      S1      P1      F1      O2      S2      P2      F2
0.446  0.697  0.352    NA  0.332  0.522  0.684    NA

Deviance:           10.696
Pearson chi-squared: 10.837
Residual df:        12
```



- compare models with and without interactions

$I1 = \zeta_{(OS)}$ ,  $I2 = \zeta_{(OP)}$ ,  $I3 = \zeta_{(SP)}$ ,  
 $I4 = \zeta_{(OF)}$ ,  $I5 = \zeta_{(SF)}$ ,  $I6 = \zeta_{(FP)}$

```
> anova(m0,mia)
Analysis of Deviance Table

Model 1: y ~ O1 + S1 + P1 + F1 + O2 + S2 + P2 + F2 - 1
Model 2: y ~ O1 + S1 + P1 + F1 + O2 + S2 + P2 + F2 + I1 + I2 + I3 + I4 +
          I5 + I6 - 1
  Resid. Df Resid. Dev Df Deviance
1       12      10.70
2       6      5.05  6      5.65
```

interaction terms are within-comparison dependencies

▷ interaction terms not needed,  
decisions at time 1 are independent of decision at time 2



▷ fit a model including interaction terms  $I1+I2+I3+I4+I5+I6$

- with `update()` we can add new terms to old model `m0`

```
> mia<-update(m0, ~.
+               +I1+I2+I3+I4+I5+I6)
> mia
Call:
gnm(formula = y ~ O1 + S1 + P1 + F1 + O2 + S2 + P2 + F2 + I1 +
     I2 + I3 + I4 + I5 + I6 - 1, eliminate = mu, family = poisson,
     data = des)

Coefficients of interest:
```

O1	S1	P1	F1	O2	S2	P2
0.44553	0.67816	0.33373	NA	0.31455	0.49016	0.67290
F2	I1	I2	I3	I4	I5	I6
NA	0.08084	0.09167	0.02663	0.04016	0.07164	-0.00232

```
Deviance:           5.0483
Pearson chi-squared: 5.1015
Residual df:        6
```



▷ calculate the worth ( ♠can not use `llbt.worth()`)  
extract coefficients for time 1 (set F1 to zero) and  
calculate worth

```
> e1<-coef(m0)[1:4]
> #
> e1[4]<-0
> #
> w1<-exp(2*e1)/sum(exp(2*e1))
```

do the same for time 2

```
> e2<-coef(m0)[5:8]
> #
> e2[4]<-0
> #
> w2<-exp(2*e2)/sum(exp(2*e2))
```

▷ combine the worth in matrix and give names

```
> wm<-cbind(w1,w2)
> rownames(wm)<-c("order","say","price","freedom")
> colnames(wm)<-c("time 1","time 2")
```

▷ plot the worth

```
> plotworth(wm)
```

