# RSA-SvI: A Rational Speech-Act model for the pragmatic use of vague terms in natural language Supplementary files

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This file contains all the code to reproduce the analysis of Cremers (2022). It was completed later than the paper, and there are some minor differences between the two (e.g., in random effects structures of some models), which are documented wherever they occur.

# Pre-computing utility functions

### Relative adjective 'tall'

Semantic assumptions (S0)

We assume that P(MIN) = 0 for now (otherwise the "not tall" alternative has an undefined utility).

The distribution of heights for adult males in the US population is Gaussian with a mean of 69.2in and a standard deviation of 2.66in. We can assume that this is the prior. We now turn to the distribution of the thresholds  $\theta$  and theta' for 'tall' and 'very tall' respectively.

We assume that for any given participant,  $\theta' \geq \theta$  holds so that the entailment from "very tall" to "tall" is valid. However, it is clear from existing data that the distribution of the two variables overlap. The only way to reconcile these two observations is to accept that  $\theta$  and  $\theta'$  cannot be independent variables. The simplest deterministic way to ensure this is to assume that  $\theta' = \theta + \delta$  with  $\delta \geq 0$ . We further assume that  $\theta \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma)$  (this corresponds to first-order vagueness), and  $\delta$  is exponentially distributed for a given participant (first-order vagueness), with parameter  $\lambda$ . We assume that  $\delta$  and  $\theta$  are independent (again, crucially,  $\theta$  and  $\theta'$  are not independent). A participant is therefore parametrized by the triple  $(\mu, \sigma, \lambda)$ . We will assume that in the population,  $\mu$  is normally distributed,  $\sigma$  and  $\lambda$  log-normal. The scale parameters of these distributions correspond to second order vagueness. We further assume that  $(\mu, \sigma, \lambda)$  can be correlated (we will use a hybrid multivariate normal and lognormal distribution, see Flechter & Zupanski 2006).

With the model in place, we can estimate its parameters using the data of Leffel et al.

For this, we need the " $S_0$ " model, i.e. the probability that messages are true given  $(\mu, \sigma, \lambda)$ .

$$S_0(\text{pos tall}|d) = P(\theta < d) = \Phi\left(\frac{d-\mu}{\sigma}\right)$$
 
$$S_0(\text{very tall}|d) = P(\theta + \delta < d) = \Phi\left(\frac{d-\mu}{\sigma}\right) - e^{\frac{\lambda^2\sigma^2}{2} - \lambda(d-\mu)}\Phi\left(\frac{d-\mu - \lambda\sigma^2}{\sigma}\right)$$

We can also write down the probabilities for 'not very tall':

$$S_0(\text{not very tall}|d) = 1 - P(\theta + \delta < d) = \Phi^c\left(\frac{d - \mu}{\sigma}\right) + e^{\frac{\lambda^2 \sigma^2}{2} - \lambda(d - \mu)}\Phi\left(\frac{d - \mu - \lambda \sigma^2}{\sigma}\right)$$

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S_0(\text{EXH[not very tall}]|d) = P(\theta < d \le \theta + \delta) = e^{\frac{\lambda^2 \sigma^2}{2} - \lambda(d - \mu)} \Phi\left(\frac{d - \mu - \lambda \sigma^2}{\sigma}\right)
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NB: Given a set of parameters  $(\mu, \sigma, \lambda)$ , we can directly write:  $P(\theta < d \le \theta + \delta) = P(\theta < d) - P(\theta + \delta < d)$ .

```
Leffel_data <-
read_csv("https://raw.githubusercontent.com/lefft/not_very_adj/master/data/Expt1-data_cleaned_screened.
show_col_types = FALSE)</pre>
```

The next block fits the model, but you can use the saved posterior parameters loaded in the next block.

```
# We remove participant 6, as they're a clear outlier and mess up the evaluation of sigma
Leffel_data %>%
  filter(subj_id == "subj06" & Pred %in% c("tall", "veryTall", "notTall", "notVeryTall"))
  ggplot(aes(x = Unit, y = response, group = Repetition, col = factor(Repetition))) +
  facet_wrap(. ~ Pred) +
  geom_line()
Leffel_data_tall <- Leffel_data %>%
  mutate(subj_id = as.numeric(substr(subj_id, 5, 6))) %>%
  filter(Adj == "Tall" & Pred %in% c("tall", "veryTall") & subj_id != 6) %>%
    Unit = as.numeric(as.character(Unit)),
    Unit = (Unit - 70) / 4
  ) # For the stan model we normalize the scale of heights
Leffel_stan_data <- list(</pre>
  N = nrow(Leffel_data_tall),
  S = n_distinct(Leffel_data_tall$subj_id),
 adv = if_else(Leffel_data_tall$Pred == "veryTall", 1, 0),
 unit = Leffel data tall$Unit,
 subject = as.numeric(factor(Leffel_data_tall$subj_id)),
 y = Leffel_data_tall$response / 100
tall_init_function <- function() {</pre>
  list(
    m_mu = runif(1, -1, 1),
    m_{sigma} = runif(1, -1, 0.5),
    m_{lambda} = log(runif(1, 1.5, 3.5)),
   s_{\underline{mu}} = runif(1, .2, 1),
    s_sigma = runif(1, 0.2, 1.2),
    s_lambda = runif(1, 0.2, 1),
   z_u = matrix(runif(3 * n_distinct(Leffel_data_tall$subj_id), -.25, .25), nrow = 3),
    eps = runif(1, .1, .4)
  )
Leffel_stan_model_tall <- cmdstan_model("Stan-models/affirmative_model_tall.stan")
fit_tall <- Leffel_stan_model_tall$sample(</pre>
 data = Leffel_stan_data,
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init = tall init function,
  chains = 12,
  parallel_chains = 14,
 iter_warmup = 1000,
 iter_sampling = 5000,
 step_size = 0.03,
 adapt delta = 0.9,
 max treedepth = 15
Leffel_stan_fit_tall <- read_stan_csv(fit_tall$output_files())</pre>
## Optional graph if one wants to vizualize the model fit:
# tmp <- (apply(rstan::extract(Leffel_stan_fit_tall,pars=c("pred"))$pred,2,mean))
# Leffel_data_tall %>%
  mutate(Prediction = exp(tmp)) %>%
  group_by(subj_id,NormUnit,Pred) %>%
# summarise(mean_resp = mean(response)/100,
#
              prediction = mean(Prediction)) %>%
# ggplot(aes(x=70+NormUnit/3,y=mean_resp,group=Pred,linetype=Pred))+
   facet\_wrap(.~subj\_id) +
#
  qeom_line(col="blue")+
# geom_line(aes(x=70+NormUnit/3,y=prediction),col="red")+
#
  theme_bw()+
  scale x continuous(name="height (in)")+
# scale_y_continuous(name="response", labels=scales::percent)
# Extract the parameters for each participant:
fitted_mu_theta_tall <- apply(rstan::extract(Leffel_stan_fit_tall, pars = c("mu"))$mu, 2,</pre>
mean)
fitted_sigma_theta_tall <- apply(rstan::extract(Leffel_stan_fit_tall, pars =</pre>
c("sigma"))$sigma, 2, mean)
fitted_lambda_delta_tall <- apply(rstan::extract(Leffel_stan_fit_tall, pars =
c("lambda"))$lambda, 2, median)
# Save estimates parameters in csv files for later use:
write.csv(fitted_mu_theta_tall, "precomputed-parameters/fitted_mu_theta_tall.csv",
row.names = F)
write.csv(fitted_sigma_theta_tall, "precomputed-parameters/fitted_sigma_theta_tall.csv",
row.names = F)
write.csv(fitted_lambda_delta_tall,
"precomputed-parameters/fitted lambda delta tall.csv", row.names = F)
# We approximate an average correlation matrix for practical purposes:
L_matrix <- matrix(summary(Leffel_stan_fit_tall, pars = c("L_u"))$summary[, 1], ncol = 3,</pre>
byrow = T)
M <- L_matrix %*% t(L_matrix)</pre>
M <- M / sqrt(diag(M) %*% t(diag(M)))</pre>
print(M)
# Mean parameters:
fitted_params <- summary(Leffel_stan_fit_tall, pars = c("m_mu", "m_sigma", "m_lambda",
"s_mu", "s_sigma", "s_lambda", "eps"))$summary[, 1]
```

```
# save average Stan fitted parameters (Omega):
emp_values_tall <- c(</pre>
 m_mu = as.numeric(70 + 4 * fitted_params[1]), # Here we convert back to the "natural"
  scale (in inches)
  s_mu = as.numeric(fitted_params[4]) * 4,
 m_sigma = as.numeric(fitted_params[2]) + log(4), # sigma is multiplied by 4, but
  m sigma is on the log-scale
  s_sigma = as.numeric(fitted_params[5]), # on the log-scale, the normalization does not
  affect s_sigma
  m_lambda = as.numeric(fitted_params[3]) - log(4), # delta needs to be multiplied by 4,
  so lambda_delta divided by 4, hence m_lambda adjusted by -log(4).
  s lambda = as.numeric(fitted params[6]), # again, s lambda is unaffected by the
  normalization
 rho_mu_sigma = M[2, 1],
 rho_mu_lambda = M[3, 1],
  rho_sigma_lambda = M[3, 2]
write.csv(emp_values_tall, "precomputed-parameters/fitted_values_tall.csv")
```

Read saved files instead of fitting the model:

```
tmp <- read.csv("precomputed-parameters/fitted_values_tall.csv")
emp_values_tall <- tmp[, 2]
names(emp_values_tall) <- tmp[, 1]
rm(tmp)</pre>
```

## Model equations

We first need to characterize our  $L_0$ :

$$L_0(d|\text{tall}, \text{POS}) \propto f(d) \Phi\left(\frac{d-\mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

$$L_0(d|\text{not tall}, \text{POS}) \propto f(d) \Phi^c\left(\frac{d-\mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

$$L_0(d|\text{very tall}) \propto f(d) \left[\Phi\left(\frac{d-\mu}{\sigma}\right) - e^{\frac{\lambda^2 \sigma^2}{2} - \lambda(d-\mu)} \Phi\left(\frac{d-\mu - \lambda \sigma^2}{\sigma}\right)\right]$$

Similarly:

$$L_0(d|\text{not very tall, Lit}) = f(d) \frac{\Phi^c\left(\frac{d-\mu}{\sigma}\right) + \mathrm{e}^{\frac{\lambda^2\sigma^2}{2} - \lambda(d-\mu)}\Phi\left(\frac{d-\mu-\lambda\sigma^2}{\sigma}\right)}{\int_d \varphi(d;m,s)\Phi^c(d;\mu,\sigma)\,\mathrm{d}d + \mathrm{e}^{\lambda^2\frac{\sigma^2+s^2}{2} - \lambda(m-\mu)}\int_d \varphi(d;m-\lambda s^2,s)\Phi(d;\mu+\lambda\sigma^2,\sigma)\,\mathrm{d}d}$$

$$L_0(d|\text{not very tall}, \text{exh}) = \frac{f(d) \mathrm{e}^{\frac{\lambda^2 \sigma^2}{2} - \lambda(d-\mu)} \Phi\left(\frac{d-\mu - \lambda \sigma^2}{\sigma}\right)}{\mathrm{e}^{\lambda^2 \frac{\sigma^2 + s^2}{2} - \lambda(m-\mu)} \int_d \varphi(d; m - \lambda s^2, s) \Phi(d; \mu + \lambda \sigma^2, \sigma) \, \mathrm{d}d}$$

Which can be further simplified:

$$L_0(d|\text{not very tall, EXH}) = e^{\lambda m - \frac{\lambda^2 s^2}{2}} \frac{f(d)e^{-\lambda d}\Phi\left(\frac{d - \mu - \lambda \sigma^2}{\sigma}\right)}{\int_d \varphi(d; m - \lambda s^2, s)\Phi(d; \mu + \lambda \sigma^2, \sigma) dd}$$

Quick note to possibly optimize computations, using integration by parts:

$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f(x; m, s) \left(1 - F(x; \mu, \sigma)\right) dx = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} F(x; m, s) f(x; \mu, \sigma) dx$$

```
# Prior (taken from somewhere on the internet):
tall_prior_mean <- 69.2
tall_prior_sig <- 2.66</pre>
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The utility functions have also been pre-computed for an array of degree values, so no need to run the next few blocks.

```
# Parameters for integrals:
int sub <- 1000L
S1_tol <- 1e-4
LO tol <- 1e-4
# NB: integrate is actually faster than houbature and poubature here
# The log1mexp function from copula is faster than the one from VGAM
logL0_tall_pos <- function(d, mu_1, sigma_1) {</pre>
  dnorm(d, tall_prior_mean, tall_prior_sig, log = T) + pnorm(d, mu_1, sigma_1, log.p = T)
   log(integrate(function(x) {
      dnorm(x, tall_prior_mean, tall_prior_sig) * pnorm(x, mu_1, sigma_1)
   },
   50, 90,
   rel.tol = L0_tol, subdivisions = int_sub
   )$value)
}
logLO not tall <- function(d, mu 1, sigma 1) {</pre>
  dnorm(d, tall_prior_mean, tall_prior_sig, log = T) + pnorm(d, mu_1, sigma_1, lower.tail
  = F, log.p = T) - log(integrate(function(x) {
   dnorm(x, tall_prior_mean, tall_prior_sig) * pnorm(x, mu_1, sigma_1, lower.tail = F)
 }, 50, 90, rel.tol = L0_tol, subdivisions = int_sub)$value)
# Functions to optimize the computation of some exponentials
very_exponent <- function(x, ls) { # ls is lambda*sigma > 0, x is (d-mu)/sigma, unbound
  ls^2 / 2 - ls * x + pnorm(x - ls, log.p = T) - pnorm(x, log.p = T)
not_very_exponent <- function(x, ls) { # ls is lambda*sigma > 0, x is (d-mu)/sigma,
 ls^2 / 2 - ls * x + pnorm(x - ls, log.p = T) - pnorm(x, log.p = T, lower.tail = F)
not_very_exh_exponent <- function(x, ls) { # ls is lambda*sigma > 0, x is (d-mu)/sigma,
unbound
  ls^2 / 2 - ls * x + pnorm(x - ls, log.p = T)
logL0_very_tall <- function(d, mu_1, sigma_1, lambda_1) {</pre>
  dnorm(d, tall_prior_mean, tall_prior_sig, log = T) + pnorm(d, mu_1, sigma_1, log.p = T)
  + log1mexp(-very_exponent((d - mu_1) / sigma_1, sigma_1 * lambda_1)) - log(
   tryCatch(integrate(function(x) {
      exp(dnorm(x, tall_prior_mean, tall_prior_sig, log = T) + pnorm(x, mu_1, sigma_1,
      log.p = T) + log1mexp(-very_exponent((x - mu_1) / sigma_1, sigma_1 * lambda_1)))
```

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}, 50, 90, rel.tol = LO_tol, subdivisions = int_sub)$value,
   error = function(e) {
      print(c(d, mu_1, sigma_1, lambda_1))
      NaN
   }
   )
 )
}
logL0_not_very_tall_lit <- function(d, mu_1, sigma_1, lambda_1) {</pre>
  dnorm(d, tall_prior_mean, tall_prior_sig, log = T) + pnorm(d, mu_1, sigma_1, log.p = T,
  lower.tail = F) + log1pexp(not_very_exponent((d - mu_1) / sigma_1, sigma_1 * lambda_1))
 - log(
   tryCatch(integrate(function(x) {
      exp(dnorm(x, tall_prior_mean, tall_prior_sig, log = T) + pnorm(x, mu_1, sigma_1,
      log.p = T, lower.tail = F) + log1pexp(not_very_exponent((x - mu_1) / sigma_1,
      sigma_1 * lambda_1)))
   }, 50, 90, rel.tol = LO_tol, subdivisions = int_sub)$value,
   error = function(e) {
      print(c(d, mu_1, sigma_1, lambda_1))
      NaN
   }
   )
  )
}
logL0_not_very_tall_exh <- function(d, mu_1, sigma_1, lambda_1) {</pre>
  dnorm(d, tall_prior_mean, tall_prior_sig, log = T) + not_very_exh_exponent((d - mu_1) /
  sigma_1, sigma_1 * lambda_1) - log(
   tryCatch(integrate(function(x) {
      exp(dnorm(x, tall_prior_mean, tall_prior_sig, log = T) + not_very_exh_exponent((x -
      mu_1) / sigma_1, sigma_1 * lambda_1))
   }, 50, 90, rel.tol = LO_tol, subdivisions = int_sub)$value,
   error = function(e) {
      print(c(d, mu_1, sigma_1, lambda_1))
      NaN
   }
   )
 )
}
```

We now turn to  $U_1$  functions (without costs for the moment).

```
# We need the joint pdf of mu/sigma and mu/sigma/lambda
# See Flechter & Zupanski (2006) for proofs
# For mu/sigma, it's a bit faster to define it by hand:
joint_pdf_ms <- function(mu, sigma, m_mu, m_sig, s_mu, s_sig, rho) {
    exp(
        -(((mu - m_mu) / s_mu)^2 - 2 * rho * (mu - m_mu) * (log(sigma) - m_sig) / (s_mu *
        s_sig) + ((log(sigma) - m_sig) / s_sig)^2) / (2 * (1 - rho^2))
    ) / (
        2 * pi * s_mu * s_sig * sigma * sqrt(1 - rho^2)
    )
}
# For mu/sigma/lambda... let's just keep it readable even if it might be further
optimized.</pre>
```

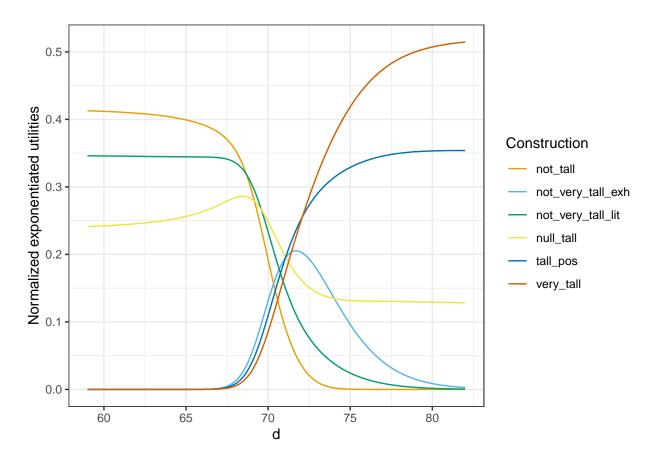
```
joint_pdf_msl <- function(mu, sigma, lambda, m_m, m_s, m_l, M) {</pre>
  dmvnorm(cbind(mu, log(sigma), log(lambda)), c(m_m, m_s, m_l), M) / (sigma * lambda)
}
# Define U1 functions:
U1_null_tall <- function(d) {</pre>
 dnorm(d, tall_prior_mean, tall_prior_sig, log = T)
U1_not_tall <- function(d, m_mu, s_mu, m_sigma, s_sigma, rho) {
  integrand <- function(x) {</pre>
    joint_pdf_ms(x[1], x[2], m_mu, m_sigma, s_mu, s_sigma, rho) * logLO_not_tall(d, x[1],
    x[2]
  hcubature(integrand,
    lowerLimit = c(qnorm(1e-6, m_mu, s_mu), qlnorm(1e-6, m_sigma, s_sigma)),
    upperLimit = c(
      qnorm(1e-6, m_mu, s_mu, lower.tail = F),
      qlnorm(1e-4, m_sigma, s_sigma, lower.tail = F)
    ),
    tol = S1_tol
  )$integral
U1_tall_pos <- function(d, m_mu, s_mu, m_sigma, s_sigma, rho) {</pre>
  integrand <- function(x) {</pre>
    joint_pdf_ms(x[1], x[2], m_mu, m_sigma, s_mu, s_sigma, rho) * logL0_tall_pos(d, x[1],
    x[2]
  }
 hcubature(integrand,
    lowerLimit = c(qnorm(1e-6, m mu, s mu), qlnorm(1e-6, m sigma, s sigma)),
    upperLimit = c(
      qnorm(1e-6, m_mu, s_mu, lower.tail = F),
      qlnorm(1e-4, m_sigma, s_sigma, lower.tail = F)
    ),
    tol = S1_tol
  )$integral
U1_very_tall <- function(d, m_mu, s_mu, m_sigma, s_sigma, m_lambda, s_lambda, M) {
  integrand <- function(x) {</pre>
    joint_pdf_msl(x[1], x[2], x[3], m_mu, m_sigma, m_lambda, M) * logL0_very_tall(d,
    x[1], x[2], x[3])
 hcubature(integrand,
    lowerLimit = c(qnorm(1e-6, m_mu, s_mu), qlnorm(1e-6, m_sigma, s_sigma), qlnorm(5e-6,
    m_lambda, s_lambda)),
    upperLimit = c(
      qnorm(1e-6, m_mu, s_mu, lower.tail = F),
      qlnorm(1e-4, m_sigma, s_sigma, lower.tail = F),
      qlnorm(1e-6, m_lambda, s_lambda, lower.tail = F)
    ),
    tol = S1_tol
  )$integral
U1_not_very_tall_lit <- function(d, m_mu, s_mu, m_sigma, s_sigma, m_lambda, s_lambda, M)
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```
integrand <- function(x) {</pre>
    joint_pdf_msl(x[1], x[2], x[3], m_mu, m_sigma, m_lambda, M) *
    logL0_not_very_tall_lit(d, x[1], x[2], x[3])
  }
  hcubature(integrand,
    lowerLimit = c(qnorm(1e-6, m_mu, s_mu), qlnorm(1e-6, m_sigma, s_sigma), qlnorm(5e-6,
    m lambda, s lambda)),
    upperLimit = c(
      qnorm(1e-6, m_mu, s_mu, lower.tail = F),
      qlnorm(1e-4, m_sigma, s_sigma, lower.tail = F),
      qlnorm(1e-6, m_lambda, s_lambda, lower.tail = F)
    tol = S1_tol
  )$integral
U1_not_very_tall_exh <- function(d, m_mu, s_mu, m_sigma, s_sigma, m_lambda, s_lambda, M)
  integrand <- function(x) {</pre>
    joint_pdf_msl(x[1], x[2], x[3], m_mu, m_sigma, m_lambda, M) *
    logL0_not_very_tall_exh(d, x[1], x[2], x[3])
  hcubature(integrand,
    lowerLimit = c(qnorm(1e-6, m_mu, s_mu), qlnorm(1e-6, m_sigma, s_sigma), qlnorm(5e-6,
    m lambda, s lambda)),
    upperLimit = c(
      qnorm(1e-6, m_mu, s_mu, lower.tail = F),
      qlnorm(1e-4, m_sigma, s_sigma, lower.tail = F),
      qlnorm(1e-6, m_lambda, s_lambda, lower.tail = F)
    ),
    tol = S1_tol
  )$integral
m_mu <- emp_values_tall["m_mu"]</pre>
s_mu <- emp_values_tall["s_mu"]</pre>
m_sigma <- emp_values_tall["m_sigma"]</pre>
s_sigma <- emp_values_tall["s_sigma"]</pre>
m_lambda <- emp_values_tall["m_lambda"]</pre>
s_lambda <- emp_values_tall["s_lambda"]</pre>
rho mu sigma <- emp values tall["rho mu sigma"]
rho_mu_lambda <- emp_values_tall["rho_mu_lambda"]</pre>
rho_sigma_lambda <- emp_values_tall["rho_sigma_lambda"]</pre>
M_msl <- matrix(c(</pre>
  s_mu^2, rho_mu_sigma * s_mu * s_sigma, rho_mu_lambda * s_mu * s_lambda,
  rho_mu_sigma * s_mu * s_sigma, s_sigma^2, rho_sigma_lambda * s_sigma * s_lambda,
  rho_mu_lambda * s_mu * s_lambda, rho_sigma_lambda * s_sigma * s_lambda, s_lambda^2
), nrow = 3)
height_samples <- seq(59, 82, length.out = 346) # step size: 1/15
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```
# Takes 10-15min:
t <- Sys.time()
fixed_U1_tall_pos <- future_sapply(height_samples, function(d) U1_tall_pos(d, m_mu, s_mu,
m_sigma, s_sigma, rho_mu_sigma), future.seed = T)
fixed_U1_not_tall <- future_sapply(height_samples, function(d) U1_not_tall(d, m_mu, s_mu,
m_sigma, s_sigma, rho_mu_sigma), future.seed = T)
fixed U1 very tall <- future sapply(height samples, function(d) U1 very tall(d, m mu,
s_mu, m_sigma, s_sigma, m_lambda, s_lambda, M_msl), future.seed = T)
fixed_U1_notvery_tall_exh <- future_sapply(height_samples, function(d)</pre>
U1_not_very_tall_exh(d, m_mu, s_mu, m_sigma, s_sigma, m_lambda, s_lambda, M_msl),
future.seed = T)
fixed U1 notvery tall lit <- future sapply(height samples, function(d)
U1_not_very_tall_lit(d, m_mu, s_mu, m_sigma, s_sigma, m_lambda, s_lambda, M_msl),
future.seed = T)
print(Sys.time() - t)
fixed_U1_tall <- tibble(</pre>
  d = height samples,
  null_tall = U1_null_tall(height_samples),
  tall_pos = fixed_U1_tall_pos,
 not_tall = fixed_U1_not_tall,
 very_tall = fixed_U1_very_tall,
 not_very_tall_lit = fixed_U1_notvery_tall_lit,
  not_very_tall_exh = fixed_U1_notvery_tall_exh
write_csv(fixed_U1_tall, "precomputed-parameters/U1_tall.csv")
```

Here we load pre-computed utilities (if the previous blocks weren't run), and plot the normalized exponential utilities (i.e., S1 with rationality set to 1 and all costs set to 0).

```
fixed_U1_tall <- read_csv("precomputed-parameters/U1_tall.csv", show_col_types = FALSE)</pre>
# This graphs indicates what S1 would look like with lambda=1 and all costs at 0:
fixed_U1_tall %>%
  mutate_at(2:7, exp) %>%
  mutate(row_sums = rowSums(select(., 2:7))) %>%
  mutate_at(2:7, ~ . / row_sums) %>%
  select(-row_sums) %>%
  pivot_longer(
   cols = -d,
   names_to = "Construction",
   values_to = "Utility"
  ggplot(aes(x = d, y = Utility, col = Construction, group = Construction)) +
  geom_line() +
  theme_bw() +
  scale_color_manual(values = cbbPalette) +
  ylab("Normalized exponentiated utilities")
```



# Minimum standard adjective 'late'

### Semantic assumptions (S0)

We assume that  $\theta$  follows an exponential distribution with parameter  $\lambda_{\theta}$ . Again, we want to maintain the entailment from 'very late' to 'late' (i.e.  $\theta' \geq \theta$ ), so we assume that  $\theta' = \theta + \delta$ , with  $\delta$  independent from  $\theta$  and following another exponential distribution parametrized by  $\lambda_{\delta}$ .

For 'very late', this yields:

$$P(\theta' < d) = \begin{vmatrix} 1 - \frac{\lambda_{\delta} e^{-\lambda_{\theta} d} - \lambda_{\theta} e^{-\lambda_{\delta} d}}{\lambda_{\delta} - \lambda_{\theta}} & \text{if } \lambda_{\delta} \neq \lambda_{\theta} \\ 1 - (1 + \lambda d) e^{-\lambda d} & \text{if } \lambda_{\delta} = \lambda_{\theta} \end{vmatrix}$$

We consider that the acceptability of 'late' as measured in the experiments of Leffel et al. already takes into account the possibility to use MIN, so we will fit the parameter  $\zeta = P(\text{MIN})$ :

$$P([\text{late}] = 1|d) = \zeta 1_{d>0} + (1-\zeta)P(\theta < d)$$

A participant is then parametrized by a triplet  $(\zeta, \lambda_{\theta}, \lambda_{\delta})$ . We assume that these parameters are distributed as follows in the population:

- $\zeta$  follows a logistic-normal distribution with parameters  $m_{\zeta}, s_{\zeta}$
- $\lambda_{\theta}$  is log-normal with parameters  $-m_{\theta}$  and  $s_{\theta}$  (because the mean of  $\theta$  is  $\lambda_{\theta}^{-1}$ , so  $m_{\theta}$  is the mean of  $\log \theta$ )
- $\lambda_{\delta}$  is log-normal with parameters  $-m_{\delta}$  and  $s_{\delta}$

We further allow possible correlations between  $\zeta, \lambda_{\theta}, \lambda_{\delta}$ .

```
Leffel data <-
read_csv("https://raw.githubusercontent.com/lefft/not_very_adj/master/data/Expt1-data_cleaned_screened.
show_col_types = FALSE)
Leffel_data_late <- Leffel_data %>%
  mutate(subj_id = as.numeric(substr(subj_id, 5, 6))) %>%
  filter(Adj == "Late" & Pred %in% c("late", "veryLate")) %>%
  mutate(Unit = NormUnit / 16) # Divide to scale around an sd of ~1
Leffel_stan_data <- list(</pre>
 N = nrow(Leffel_data_late),
 S = n distinct(Leffel data late$subj id),
 adv = if_else(Leffel_data_late$Pred == "veryLate", 1, 0),
 unit = Leffel_data_late$Unit,
 subject = as.numeric(factor(Leffel_data_late$subj_id)),
 y = Leffel_data_late$response / 100
Leffel_stan_model_late <- cmdstan_model("Stan-models/affirmative_model_late.stan")
# Takes just a few minutes:
fit_late <- Leffel_stan_model_late$sample(</pre>
 data = Leffel_stan_data,
 chains = 12.
 parallel_chains = 14,
 iter_warmup = 1000,
 iter_sampling = 5000,
 step_size = 0.1,
 adapt delta = 0.95,
 max_treedepth = 15
Leffel_stan_fit_late <- read_stan_csv(fit_late$output_files())</pre>
# We approximate an average correlation matrix for practical purposes:
L_matrix <- matrix(summary(Leffel_stan_fit_late, pars = c("L_u"))$summary[, 1], ncol = 3,</pre>
byrow = T)
M <- L_matrix %*% t(L_matrix)</pre>
M <- M / sqrt(diag(M) %*% t(diag(M)))</pre>
print(M)
# Mean parameters:
fitted_params_late <- summary(Leffel_stan_fit_late, pars = c("m_zeta", "m_lambda_theta",
"m_lambda_delta", "sigma_u", "eps"))$summary[, 1]
# Save by-participant parameters for fitting the evaluation model:
# For lambda_delta we take the median because some posterior distributions are very
skewed
fitted_lambda_theta <- apply(rstan::extract(Leffel_stan_fit_late, pars =</pre>
c("lambda_theta"))$lambda_theta, 2, mean)
fitted_lambda_delta <- apply(rstan::extract(Leffel_stan_fit_late, pars =</pre>
c("lambda_delta"))$lambda_delta, 2, median)
fitted_p_min <- apply(rstan::extract(Leffel_stan_fit_late, pars = c("zeta"))$zeta, 2,</pre>
mean)
```

```
# save average Stan fitted parameters (Omega):
# theta and delta must be multiplied by 16 to get back to the original scale (in min), so
the corresponding lambda's need a -log(16) correction
emp_values_late <- c(</pre>
 m_zeta = as.numeric(fitted_params_late[1]),
  s_zeta = as.numeric(fitted_params_late[4]),
 m_lambda_theta = as.numeric(fitted_params_late[2]) - log(16),
  s_lambda_theta = as.numeric(fitted_params_late[5]),
  m_lambda_delta = as.numeric(fitted_params_late[3]) - log(16),
  s lambda delta = as.numeric(fitted params late[6]),
 rho_zeta_theta = M[2, 1],
 rho_zeta_delta = M[3, 1],
 rho_theta_delta = M[3, 2]
)
write.csv(emp_values_late, "precomputed-parameters/fitted_values_late.csv")
write.csv(fitted_lambda_theta, "precomputed-parameters/fitted_lambda_theta_late.csv",
row.names = F)
write.csv(fitted_lambda_delta, "precomputed-parameters/fitted_lambda_delta_late.csv",
row.names = F)
write.csv(fitted_p_min, "precomputed-parameters/fitted_p_min_late.csv", row.names = F)
```

Just read values saved earlier:

```
tmp <- read.csv("precomputed-parameters/fitted_values_late.csv")
emp_values_late <- tmp[, 2]
names(emp_values_late) <- tmp[, 1]
rm(tmp)</pre>
```

### Model equations

We will define  $L_0$  and  $U_1$  for all possible parses, although we will end up considering models which may not use all these available parses. The full list of parses includes: \* MIN and POS parses for the bare adjective and its negation. \* Three parses for 'not very late': literal, exhaustive with negation of 'MIN not late' ( $\frac{exh_{POS}}{exh_{MIN}}$ ) parse, which entails the EXH<sub>MIN</sub> parse since  $\theta \ge 0$ ).

We assume a normal prior centered on 0 with sd 10min (arbitrary, but doesn't make much difference anyway).

```
late_prior_mean <- 0 # this is mu_d
late_prior_sig <- 10 # this is sigma_d</pre>
```

The  $L_0$  speaker is now parametrized by a pair  $(\lambda_{\theta}, \lambda_{\delta})$ , a choice between MIN and POS for the bare adjective, and a choice to exhaustify or not for the "not very late" utterance. While we have measured  $\zeta$ , we are not going to use it at this point, since the RSA-SvI model generates predictions for the posterior probability of all parses, including MIN.

The  $L_0$  listener quickly becomes very complicated unfortunately.

$$L_0(d|\text{late}, \text{MIN}) = \frac{\varphi(d)}{\Phi^c(-\mu_d/\sigma_d)} \quad \text{if } d > 0$$

$$\begin{split} L_0(d|\text{late}, \text{pos}, \lambda_\theta) &= \frac{\varphi(d)(1 - \mathrm{e}^{-\lambda_\theta d})}{\Phi^c(-\mu_d/\sigma_d) - \mathrm{e}^{\frac{\lambda_\theta^2 \sigma_d^2}{2} - \lambda_\theta \mu_d} \Phi^c(\lambda_\theta \sigma_d - \mu_d/\sigma_d)} \quad \text{if } d > 0 \\ L_0(d|\text{not late}, \text{min}) &= \frac{\varphi(d)}{\Phi(-\mu_d/\sigma_d)} \quad \text{if } d \leq 0 \end{split}$$

$$L_0(d|\text{not late, pos}, \lambda_{\theta}) = \frac{\varphi(d)\min(1, e^{-\lambda_{\theta}d})}{\Phi^c(-\mu_d/\sigma_d) + e^{\frac{\lambda_{\theta}^2 \sigma_d^2}{2} - \lambda_{\theta}\mu_d}\Phi^c(\lambda_{\theta}\sigma_d - \mu_d/\sigma_d)}$$

If d > 0 and  $\lambda_{\delta} \neq \lambda_{\theta}$ :

$$L_0(d|\text{very late}, \lambda_{\theta}, \lambda_{\delta}) = \frac{\varphi(d) \left(\lambda_{\delta} (1 - e^{-\lambda_{\theta} d}) - \lambda_{\theta} (1 - e^{-\lambda_{\delta} d})\right)}{(\lambda_{\delta} - \lambda_{\theta}) \Phi^c(-\mu_d/\sigma_d) - \lambda_{\delta} e^{\frac{\lambda_{\theta}^2 \sigma_d^2}{2} - \lambda_{\theta} \mu_d} \Phi^c(\lambda_{\theta} \sigma_d - \mu_d/\sigma_d) + \lambda_{\theta} e^{\frac{\lambda_{\delta}^2 \sigma_d^2}{2} - \lambda_{\delta} \mu_d} \Phi^c(\lambda_{\delta} \sigma_d - \mu_d/\sigma_d)}$$

Note: in case  $\lambda_{\delta} = \lambda_{\theta} = \lambda$ , we have  $P(\theta' < d) = 1 - (1 + \lambda d)e^{-\lambda d}$ .

If d > 0 and  $\lambda_{\delta} \neq \lambda_{\theta}$ :

$$L_0(d|\text{not very late}, \lambda_{\theta}, \lambda_{\delta}, \text{LIT}) = \frac{\varphi(d) \text{ ifelse} \left(d < 0, \lambda_{\delta} - \lambda_{\theta}, \left(\lambda_{\delta} e^{-\lambda_{\theta} d} - \lambda_{\theta} e^{-\lambda_{\delta} d}\right)\right)}{(\lambda_{\delta} - \lambda_{\theta}) \Phi^c(-\mu_d/\sigma_d) + \lambda_{\delta} e^{\frac{\lambda_{\delta}^2 \sigma_d^2}{2} - \lambda_{\theta} \mu_d} \Phi^c(\lambda_{\theta} \sigma_d - \mu_d/\sigma_d) - \lambda_{\theta} e^{\frac{\lambda_{\delta}^2 \sigma_d^2}{2} - \lambda_{\delta} \mu_d} \Phi^c(\lambda_{\delta} \sigma_d - \mu_d/\sigma_d)}$$

$$L_0(d|\text{not very late}, \lambda_{\theta}, \lambda_{\delta}, \text{EXH}_{\text{POS}}) = \frac{\varphi(d) \left( \mathrm{e}^{-\lambda_{\theta} d} - \mathrm{e}^{-\lambda_{\delta} d} \right)}{\mathrm{e}^{\frac{\lambda_{\theta}^2 \sigma_d^2}{2} - \lambda_{\theta} \mu_d} \Phi^c(\lambda_{\theta} \sigma_d - \mu_d / \sigma_d) - \mathrm{e}^{\frac{\lambda_{\delta}^2 \sigma_d^2}{2} - \lambda_{\delta} \mu_d} \Phi^c(\lambda_{\delta} \sigma_d - \mu_d / \sigma_d)} \quad \text{if } d > 0 \text{ and } \lambda_{\delta} \neq \lambda_{\theta}$$

In case  $\lambda_{\delta} = \lambda_{\theta} = \lambda$  (but it turns out we don't really need this):

$$L_0(d|\text{not very late}, \lambda, \lambda, \text{EXH}_{POS}) = \frac{\varphi(d)he^{-\lambda d}}{e^{\frac{\lambda^2\sigma_d^2}{2} - \lambda\mu_d} \left[\mu\Phi^c(\lambda\sigma_d - \frac{\mu_d}{\sigma_d}) + \frac{\sigma_d}{\sqrt{2\pi}}e^{-\frac{1}{2}(\lambda\sigma_d - \mu_d/\sigma_d)^2}\right]} \quad \text{if } d > 0$$

$$L_0(d|\text{not very late}, \lambda_{\theta}, \lambda_{\delta}, \text{exh}_{\text{MIN}}) = \frac{\varphi(d) \left(\lambda_{\delta} \mathrm{e}^{-\lambda_{\theta} d} - \lambda_{\theta} \mathrm{e}^{-\lambda_{\delta} d}\right)}{\lambda_{\delta} \mathrm{e}^{\frac{\lambda_{\theta}^2 \sigma_d^2}{2} - \lambda_{\theta} \mu_d} \Phi^c(\lambda_{\theta} \sigma_d - \mu_d / \sigma_d) - \lambda_{\theta} \mathrm{e}^{\frac{\lambda_{\delta}^2 \sigma_d^2}{2} - \lambda_{\delta} \mu_d} \Phi^c(\lambda_{\delta} \sigma_d - \mu_d / \sigma_d)} \quad \text{if } d > 0 \text{ and } \lambda_{\delta} \neq \lambda_{\theta}$$

We can now move to implementing all these  $L_0$  functions. The most efficient implementation is to group together all the exponential terms (including the one coming from  $\varphi(d)$ ), so we directly look at  $\log L_0$ . Again, you can skip the following blocks, as the utilities have already been pre-computed.

```
logL0_late_min <- function(d) {
   if_else(d <= 0, -Inf, dnorm(d, late_prior_mean, late_prior_sig, log = T) -
   pnorm(-late_prior_mean / late_prior_sig, log.p = T))
}
logL0_late_pos <- function(d, l_theta) {
   if_else(d <= 0, -Inf,
        dnorm(d, late_prior_mean, late_prior_sig, log = T) +
        log1p(-exp(-abs(l_theta * d))) - log(pnorm(-late_prior_mean / late_prior_sig,
        lower.tail = F) -
        exp(pnorm(l_theta * late_prior_sig - late_prior_mean / late_prior_sig, lower.tail
        = F, log.p = T) +
        l_theta^2 * late_prior_sig^2 / 2 - l_theta * late_prior_mean))
}</pre>
```

```
logL0_not_late_min <- function(d) {</pre>
  if_else(d > 0, -Inf, dnorm(d, late_prior_mean, late_prior_sig, log = T) -
 pnorm(-late_prior_mean / late_prior_sig, lower.tail = F, log.p = T))
logL0_not_late_pos <- function(d, l_theta) {</pre>
  dnorm(d, late_prior_mean, late_prior_sig, log = T) + pmin(0, -l_theta * d) -
    pnorm(-late_prior_mean / late_prior_sig, lower.tail = F, log.p = T) -
    log1p(exp(pnorm(l_theta * late_prior_sig - late_prior_mean / late_prior_sig,
    lower.tail = F, log.p = T) +
      1_theta^2 * late_prior_sig^2 / 2 - 1_theta * late_prior_mean -
pnorm(-late_prior_mean / late_prior_sig, lower.tail = F, log.p = T)))
# Let's start optimizing!
# First, we need to take into account sign(l_delta-l_theta), as the signs of the
num/denom depend on it
# Second, we need to avoid the product pnorm*exp, as the former goes to 0 and the latter
diverges with lambda (the product actually goes to 0)
# Third, if we want to integrate on the whole R^2, we might need a special case for equal
lambdas \ (alternatively, \ it's \ possible \ to \ integrate \ on \ all \ lambda\_delta \ but \ only \ limited
lambda_theta). But that doesn't seem necessary fortunately.
logL0_very_late <- function(d, l_theta, l_delta) {</pre>
  if_else(d <= 0, -Inf,</pre>
    dnorm(d, late_prior_mean, late_prior_sig, log = T) +
      log(-sign(l_delta - l_theta) * l_delta * (expm1(-l_theta * d)) + sign(l_delta -
      l_theta) * l_theta * expm1(-l_delta * d)) -
      log(abs(l_delta - l_theta) * pnorm(-late_prior_mean / late_prior_sig, lower.tail =
      F) -
        sign(1 delta - 1 theta) * 1 delta * exp(pnorm(1 theta * late prior sig -
        late_prior_mean / late_prior_sig, lower.tail = F, log.p = T) +
          1_theta^2 * late_prior_sig^2 / 2 - l_theta * late_prior_mean) +
        sign(l_delta - l_theta) * l_theta * exp(pnorm(l_delta * late_prior_sig -
        late_prior_mean / late_prior_sig, lower.tail = F, log.p = T) +
          1_delta^2 * late_prior_sig^2 / 2 - 1_delta * late_prior_mean))
logL0_not_very_late_lit <- function(d, l_theta, l_delta) {</pre>
  dnorm(d, late_prior_mean, late_prior_sig, log = T) +
    if_else(d < 0, log(abs(l_delta - l_theta)), log(abs(l_delta * (exp(-l_theta * d)) -</pre>
    l theta * exp(-l delta * d)))) -
    log(abs(l_delta - l_theta) * pnorm(-late_prior_mean / late_prior_sig, lower.tail = F)
      sign(l_delta - l_theta) * l_delta * exp(pnorm(l_theta * late_prior_sig -
      late_prior_mean / late_prior_sig, lower.tail = F, log.p = T) +
        1_theta^2 * late_prior_sig^2 / 2 - l_theta * late_prior_mean) -
      sign(l_delta - l_theta) * l_theta * exp(pnorm(l_delta * late_prior_sig -
      late_prior_mean / late_prior_sig, lower.tail = F, log.p = T) +
        1_delta^2 * late_prior_sig^2 / 2 - 1_delta * late_prior_mean))
logL0_not_very_late_exhpos <- function(d, l_theta, l_delta) {</pre>
  if_else(d <= 0, -Inf,</pre>
    dnorm(d, late_prior_mean, late_prior_sig, log = T) -
```

```
pmin(l_theta, l_delta) * d + log1mexp(abs((l_theta - l_delta) * d)) -
      pnorm(pmin(l_theta, l_delta) * late_prior_sig - late_prior_mean / late_prior_sig,
      lower.tail = F, log.p = T) - pmin(1_theta, 1_delta)^2 * late_prior_sig^2 / 2 +
      pmin(l_theta, l_delta) * late_prior_mean -
      log1mexp(abs(pnorm(l_delta * late_prior_sig - late_prior_mean / late_prior_sig,
      lower.tail = F, log.p = T) + l_delta^2 * late_prior_sig^2 / 2 - l_delta *
      late_prior_mean - pnorm(l_theta * late_prior_sig - late_prior_mean /
      late_prior_sig, lower.tail = F, log.p = T) - l_theta^2 * late_prior_sig^2 / 2 +
      l_theta * late_prior_mean))
 )
}
logL0_not_very_late_exhmin <- function(d, l_theta, l_delta) {</pre>
 11 <- pmin(l_theta, l_delta)</pre>
  12 <- pmax(l_theta, l_delta)</pre>
  if_else(d <= 0, -Inf,</pre>
    dnorm(d, late_prior_mean, late_prior_sig, log = T) -
      11 * (d - late_prior_mean) + log1mexp((12 - 11) * d + log(12) - log(11)) -
      (l1 * late_prior_sig)^2 / 2 - pnorm(l1 * late_prior_sig - late_prior_mean /
late_prior_sig, lower.tail = F, log.p = T) -
      log1mexp(log(12) - log(11) + (12 - 11) * (late_prior_mean - (11 + 12) *
      late_prior_sig^2 / 2) +
        pnorm(l1 * late_prior_sig - late_prior_mean / late_prior_sig, lower.tail = F,
        log.p = T) -
        pnorm(12 * late_prior_sig - late_prior_mean / late_prior_sig, lower.tail = F,
        log.p = T)
 )
}
```

We can now define the utility functions.

```
m_lambda_theta <- emp_values_late[3]</pre>
s_lambda_theta <- emp_values_late[4]</pre>
m_lambda_delta <- emp_values_late[5]</pre>
s_lambda_delta <- emp_values_late[6]</pre>
rho_theta_delta <- emp_values_late[9]</pre>
# For correlated delta/theta:
M_theta_delta <- c(m_lambda_theta, m_lambda_delta)</pre>
S_theta_delta <- matrix(c(s_lambda_theta^2, s_lambda_theta * s_lambda_delta *
rho_theta_delta, s_lambda_theta * s_lambda_delta * rho_theta_delta, s_lambda_delta^2),
ncol = 2)
U1 null late <- function(d) {
  dnorm(d, late_prior_mean, late_prior_sig, log = T)
U1_late_min <- function(d) {</pre>
  logL0_late_min(d)
U1_late_pos <- function(d, m_lambda_theta, s_lambda_theta) {</pre>
  integrand <- function(x) {</pre>
    dlnorm(x, m_lambda_theta, s_lambda_theta) * logL0_late_pos(d, x)
  hcubature(integrand,
    lowerLimit = qlnorm(1e-6, m_lambda_theta, s_lambda_theta),
```

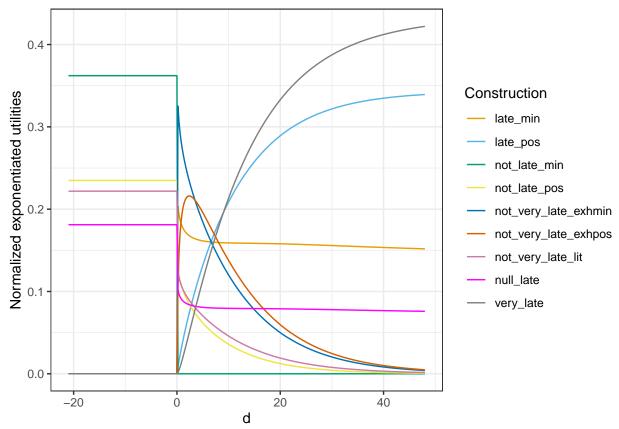
```
upperLimit = qlnorm(1e-6, m_lambda_theta, s_lambda_theta, lower.tail = F),
    tol = S1_tol
 )$integral
}
U1_very_late <- function(d, M_theta_delta, S_theta_delta) {</pre>
  if (d <= 0) {
    return(-Inf)
  integrand <- function(x) {</pre>
    dlnorm.rplus(x, M_theta_delta, S_theta_delta) * logLO_very_late(d, x[1], x[2])
 hcubature(integrand,
    lowerLimit = c(0, 0),
    upperLimit = c(qlnorm(1e-6, m_lambda_theta, s_lambda_theta, lower.tail = F), Inf),
    tol = S1_tol
  )$integral
U1_not_late_min <- function(d) {</pre>
  logL0_not_late_min(d)
U1_not_late_pos <- function(d, m_lambda_theta, s_lambda_theta) {</pre>
  integrand <- function(x) {</pre>
    dlnorm(x, m_lambda_theta, s_lambda_theta) * logL0_not_late_pos(d, x)
 hcubature(integrand,
    lowerLimit = qlnorm(1e-6, m_lambda_theta, s_lambda_theta),
    upperLimit = qlnorm(1e-6, m_lambda_theta, s_lambda_theta, lower.tail = F),
    tol = S1 tol
 )$integral
U1_not_very_late_lit <- function(d, M_theta_delta, S_theta_delta) {</pre>
  integrand <- function(x) {</pre>
    dlnorm.rplus(x, M_theta_delta, S_theta_delta) * logLO_not_very_late_lit(d, x[1],
    x[2])
  }
 hcubature(integrand,
    lowerLimit = c(0, 0),
    upperLimit = c(qlnorm(1e-6, m_lambda_theta, s_lambda_theta, lower.tail = F), Inf),
    tol = S1_tol
 )$integral
U1_not_very_late_exhpos <- function(d, M_theta_delta, S_theta_delta) {</pre>
  if (d <= 0) {
    return(-Inf)
  integrand <- function(x) {</pre>
    dlnorm.rplus(x, M_theta_delta, S_theta_delta) * logLO_not_very_late_exhpos(d, x[1],
    x[2])
  }
 hcubature(integrand,
    lowerLimit = c(0, 0),
    upperLimit = c(qlnorm(1e-6, m_lambda_theta, s_lambda_theta, lower.tail = F), Inf),
```

```
tol = S1 tol
  )$integral
U1_not_very_late_exhmin <- function(d, M_theta_delta, S_theta_delta) {</pre>
  if (d <= 0) {
    return(-Inf)
  integrand <- function(x) {</pre>
    dlnorm.rplus(x, M_theta_delta, S_theta_delta) * logLO_not_very_late_exhmin(d, x[1],
    x[2])
  }
 hcubature(integrand,
    lowerLimit = c(0, 0),
    upperLimit = c(qlnorm(1e-6, m_lambda_theta, s_lambda_theta, lower.tail = F), Inf),
    tol = S1_tol
  )$integral
}
time_samples <- seq(-21, 48, by = .2) # make sure it's length 3n+1, but any 1/k fraction
works for the 'by' parameter.
# Needs higher precision than for 'tall', otherwise weird artifacts show up.
S1_tol <- 2e-6
t <- Sys.time()
fixed_U1_late_min <- U1_late_min(time_samples)</pre>
fixed_U1_not_late_min <- U1_not_late_min(time_samples)</pre>
fixed_U1_late_pos <- future_sapply(time_samples, function(d) U1_late_pos(d,</pre>
m_lambda_theta, s_lambda_theta), future.seed = T)
fixed U1 not late pos <- future sapply(time samples, function(d) U1 not late pos(d,
m_lambda_theta, s_lambda_theta), future.seed = T)
fixed_U1_very_late <- future_sapply(time_samples, function(d) U1_very_late(d,</pre>
M_theta_delta, S_theta_delta), future.seed = T)
fixed_U1_not_very_late_lit <- future_sapply(time_samples, function(d)</pre>
U1_not_very_late_lit(d, M_theta_delta, S_theta_delta), future.seed = T)
fixed_U1_not_very_late_exhpos <- future_sapply(time_samples, function(d)</pre>
U1_not_very_late_exhpos(d, M_theta_delta, S_theta_delta), future.seed = T)
fixed_U1_not_very_late_exhmin <- future_sapply(time_samples, function(d)</pre>
U1_not_very_late_exhmin(d, M_theta_delta, S_theta_delta), future.seed = T)
print(Sys.time() - t)
fixed U1 late <- data.frame(</pre>
 d = time samples,
 null_late = U1_null_late(time_samples),
 late_min = fixed_U1_late_min,
 not_late_min = fixed_U1_not_late_min,
 late_pos = fixed_U1_late_pos,
  not_late_pos = fixed_U1_not_late_pos,
 very_late = fixed_U1_very_late,
  not_very_late_lit = fixed_U1_not_very_late_lit,
 not_very_late_exhpos = fixed_U1_not_very_late_exhpos,
  not_very_late_exhmin = fixed_U1_not_very_late_exhmin
```

```
write_csv(fixed_U1_late, "precomputed-parameters/U1_late.csv")
```

Load the saved data and plot the exponential utilities:

```
fixed_U1_late <- read_csv("precomputed-parameters/U1_late.csv", show_col_types = FALSE)</pre>
fixed U1 late %>%
  mutate_at(2:10, exp) %>%
  mutate(row_sums = rowSums(select(., 2:10))) %>%
  mutate_at(2:10, ~ . / row_sums) %>%
  select(-row_sums) %>%
  pivot_longer(
   cols = -d,
   names_to = "Construction",
   values_to = "Utility"
  ) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = d, y = Utility, col = Construction, group = Construction)) +
  geom_line() +
  theme_bw() +
  scale_color_manual(values = cbbPalette) +
  ylab("Normalized exponentiated utilities")
```



# Fitting RSA-SvI and alternative models

We have computed the informativity term of the utility for each candidate parse of each message. We can now fit the RSA-SvI model, but first, we consider an alternative literal model which will serve as our baseline.

### Literal model

We consider a simple literal baseline, whereby negative expressions 'not adj' and 'not very adj' are simply treated as the negations of their affirmative counterparts (i.e., no implicature is considered). This is important because the parameters we fitted on the affirmative sentences already contain a lot of information, so we need to make sure that the RSA-SvI model does provide significant added value. Presumably, the literal model should perform very well on 'tall' since the puzzle there is precisely the absence of implicatures, but not so much on 'late', where most participants derive an implicature.

NB: This model uses the fitted  $\zeta$  on 'late', while the RSA-SvI model will not have access to this. We could consider refitting  $\zeta$  again to properly account for the additional degree of freedom, but this would make our baseline worse if anything, so let's be conservative.

```
Leffel_data_negative <- Leffel_data %>%
  mutate(subj_id = as.numeric(substr(subj_id, 5, 6))) %>%
  filter(Pred %in% c("notTall", "notVeryTall", "notLate", "notVeryLate") & subj_id != 6)
  mutate(NormUnit2 = if_else(Adj == "Late", NormUnit / 16, NormUnit / 12)) # Divide to
  scale around an sd of ~1
fitted mu theta tall <- read.csv("precomputed-parameters/fitted mu theta tall.csv") $x
fitted_sigma_theta_tall <-
read.csv("precomputed-parameters/fitted_sigma_theta_tall.csv")$x
fitted_lambda_delta_tall <-</pre>
read.csv("precomputed-parameters/fitted lambda delta tall.csv") $x
fitted_lambda_theta_late <-</pre>
read.csv("precomputed-parameters/fitted_lambda_theta_late.csv")$x
fitted_lambda_delta_late <-</pre>
read.csv("precomputed-parameters/fitted_lambda_delta_late.csv")$x
fitted_p_min_late <- read.csv("precomputed-parameters/fitted_p_min_late.csv")$x</pre>
# We need an index telling us which adjective each participant saw:
subj_adj <- Leffel_data_negative %>%
  group_by(subj_id) %>%
  summarise(adj = first(Adj) == "Late") %>%
  pull(adj) %>%
  as.numeric()
stan_data_negative <- list(</pre>
  N = nrow(Leffel_data_negative),
  S = n_distinct(Leffel_data_negative$subj_id),
  unit = Leffel_data_negative$NormUnit2,
  subject = Leffel_data_negative %>% pull(subj_id) %>% factor() %>% as.numeric(),
  adj = as.numeric(Leffel_data_negative$Adj == "Late"),
  adv = if_else(Leffel_data_negative$Pred %in% c("notVeryTall", "notVeryLate"), 1, 0),
  y = Leffel_data_negative$response / 100,
  subj_adj = subj_adj,
  # Need some wizardry to map the right values to the right participant:
  mu_theta_tall = if_else(subj_adj == 0, fitted_mu_theta_tall[pmax(1, cumsum(1 -
  subi adi))], 0),
  sigma_theta_tall = if_else(subj_adj == 0, fitted_sigma_theta_tall[pmax(1, cumsum(1 -
  subj_adj))], 0),
  lambda_delta_tall = if_else(subj_adj == 0, fitted_lambda_delta_tall[pmax(1, cumsum(1 -
  subj adj))], 0),
  lambda_theta_late = if_else(subj_adj == 1, fitted_lambda_theta_late[pmax(1,
  cumsum(subj adj))], 0),
```

```
lambda_delta_late = if_else(subj_adj == 1, fitted_lambda_delta_late[pmax(1,
  cumsum(subj_adj))], 0),
  p_min_late = if_else(subj_adj == 1, fitted_p_min_late[pmax(1, cumsum(subj_adj))], 0)
literal_model <- cmdstan_model("Stan-models/literal_model.stan")</pre>
# takes like 5s, only fitting eps
literal_model_fit <- literal_model$sample(</pre>
 data = stan_data_negative,
 chains = 8,
  parallel chains = 14,
 iter_warmup = 1000,
 iter_sampling = 1000,
 refresh = 0,
  show_messages = F
## Running MCMC with 8 chains, at most 14 in parallel...
## Chain 1 finished in 4.5 seconds.
## Chain 4 finished in 4.4 seconds.
## Chain 2 finished in 4.6 seconds.
## Chain 3 finished in 4.6 seconds.
## Chain 6 finished in 4.5 seconds.
## Chain 5 finished in 4.7 seconds.
## Chain 7 finished in 4.6 seconds.
## Chain 8 finished in 4.7 seconds.
## All 8 chains finished successfully.
## Mean chain execution time: 4.6 seconds.
## Total execution time: 5.0 seconds.
literal_loglik_matrix <- literal_model_fit$draws("log_lik")</pre>
literal_r_eff <- relative_eff(exp(literal_loglik_matrix))</pre>
literal_loo <- loo(literal_loglik_matrix, r_eff = literal_r_eff)</pre>
## Warning: Some Pareto k diagnostic values are slightly high. See help('pareto-k-diagnostic') for deta
# Diagnostic:
# plot(literal_loo, label_points = TRUE)
# Save model draws (not worth it, as this model can be fitted very quickly)
literal\_model\_fit\$save\_output\_files(dir="saved-models-draws/literal\_model", basename="literal\_model")
```

### RSA-SvI models

We finally fit the RSA-SvI models.

There are a few differences with the model presented in the paper, namely:

• The random effect structure has been simplified. The model in the paper had a maximal RE structure, including random variation on the costs of negation and *very*, which led to extreme values. Here we only kept random effects for the rationality parameter and the cost of the base sentence, while the costs

- of negation and very are fixed across participants.
- The priors are slightly different. In particular, the costs of negation and very now have gamma priors (earlier they were log-normal among participants), and the priors on the location of  $\alpha$  and the cost of the base sentences are more informative.
- We also test two intermediate models between the full model and the simplified one, namely one with EXH<sub>MIN</sub> but a single cost for *tall* and *late*, and the mirror image with separate costs but no EXH<sub>MIN</sub> parse. The former would not converge no matter how hard we tried.

```
# Prepare the data:
Leffel_data_negative <- Leffel_data %>%
  mutate(subj_id = as.numeric(substr(subj_id, 5, 6))) %>%
  filter(Pred %in% c("notTall", "notVeryTall", "notLate", "notVeryLate") & subj_id != 6)
  %>%
  mutate(NormUnit2 = if_else(Adj == "Late", NormUnit / 16, NormUnit / 12)) # Divide to
  scale around an sd of ~1
# Load by-participant parameters fitted earlier:
fitted_mu_theta_tall <- read.csv("precomputed-parameters/fitted_mu_theta_tall.csv")$x
fitted_sigma_theta_tall <-</pre>
read.csv("precomputed-parameters/fitted_sigma_theta_tall.csv") $x
fitted_lambda_delta_tall <-</pre>
read.csv("precomputed-parameters/fitted_lambda_delta_tall.csv")$x
fitted_lambda_theta_late <-</pre>
read.csv("precomputed-parameters/fitted lambda theta late.csv") $x
fitted lambda delta late <-
read.csv("precomputed-parameters/fitted lambda delta late.csv") $x
subj_adj <- Leffel_data_negative %>%
  group by(subj id) %>%
  summarise(adj = first(Adj) == "Late") %>%
  pull(adj) %>%
  as.numeric()
stan_data_negative_SvI <- list(</pre>
  N = nrow(Leffel_data_negative),
  S = n_distinct(Leffel_data_negative$subj_id),
  adj = as.numeric(Leffel data negative$Adj == "Late"),
  adv = if_else(Leffel_data_negative$Pred %in% c("notVeryTall", "notVeryLate"), 1, 0),
  unit = Leffel_data_negative$NormUnit2,
  subject = Leffel_data_negative %% pull(subj_id) %>% factor() %>% as.numeric(),
  subj adj = subj adj,
  y = Leffel_data_negative$response / 100,
  K = length(height_samples),
  heights = (height_samples - 70) / 4,
  tall_prior_mean = (tall_prior_mean - 70) / 4,
  tall_prior_sd = tall_prior_sig / 4,
  times = time_samples / 16,
  late_prior_mean = late_prior_mean / 16,
  late_prior_sd = late_prior_sig / 16,
  U1_null_tall = fixed_U1_tall$null_tall,
  U1_tall_pos = fixed_U1_tall$tall_pos,
  U1_not_tall = fixed_U1_tall$not_tall,
  U1_very_tall = fixed_U1_tall$very_tall,
```

```
U1_not_very_tall_lit = fixed_U1_tall$not_very_tall_lit,
  U1_not_very_tall_exh = fixed_U1_tall$not_very_tall_exh,
  U1_null_late = fixed_U1_late$null_late,
  U1_late_min = fixed_U1_late$late_min,
  U1_late_pos = fixed_U1_late$late_pos,
  U1_not_late_min = fixed_U1_late$not_late_min,
  U1 not late pos = fixed U1 late$not late pos,
  U1_very_late = fixed_U1_late$very_late,
  U1_not_very_late_lit = fixed_U1_late$not_very_late_lit,
  U1_not_very_late_exhpos = fixed_U1_late$not_very_late_exhpos,
  U1_not_very_late_exhmin = fixed_U1_late$not_very_late_exhmin,
  # Need some wizardry to get get the right values in the right order:
  mu_theta_tall = if_else(subj_adj == 0, fitted_mu_theta_tall[pmax(1, cumsum(1 -
  subj_adj))], 0),
  sigma_theta_tall = if_else(subj_adj == 0, fitted_sigma_theta_tall[pmax(1, cumsum(1 -
  subj_adj))], 1), # set at 1 when not used to avoid accidental division by zero
  lambda_delta_tall = if_else(subj_adj == 0, fitted_lambda_delta_tall[pmax(1, cumsum(1 -
  subi adi))], 0),
  lambda_theta_late = if_else(subj_adj == 1, fitted_lambda_theta_late[pmax(1,
  cumsum(subj_adj))], 1), # again, this is to avoid a division by 0
  lambda_delta_late = if_else(subj_adj == 1, fitted_lambda_delta_late[pmax(1,
  cumsum(subj_adj))], 0)
)
```

The next block fits the four models. Evaluation is set to false, as this would take about 2 days on a laptop.

```
# Models with separate costs and both exh_pos and exh_min parses for late:
SvI min exhmin sepcost model <-
cmdstan_model("Stan-Models/RSA-SvI_min_exhmin_sepcost_model.stan")
# Models with a shared cost for both adjectives and both exh pos and exh min parses for
SvI_min_exhmin_onecost_model <-</pre>
cmdstan_model("Stan-Models/RSA-SvI_min_exhmin_onecost_model.stan")
# Models with separate costs and only the exh_pos parse for late:
SvI_min_sepcost_model <- cmdstan_model("Stan-Models/RSA-SvI_min_sepcost_model.stan")</pre>
# Models with a shared cost for both adjectives and only the exh_pos parse for late:
SvI_min_onecost_model <- cmdstan_model("Stan-Models/RSA-SvI_min_onecost_model.stan")</pre>
# Random init functions:
SvI_sepcost_init_function <- function() {</pre>
 list(
    m_{alpha} = runif(1, -0.5, 0.5),
    m_cost_sen_tall = runif(1, 1, 4),
   m_cost_sen_late = runif(1, 0, 2),
   cost_neg = runif(1, 1, 3),
    cost_very = runif(1, .5, 1),
    z_v = matrix(runif(2 * n_distinct(Leffel_data_negative$subj_id), -.15, .15), nrow =
    2),
   s_v = runif(2, 1, 2),
    eps = runif(1, .1, .4)
}
SvI_onecost_init_function <- function() {</pre>
 list(
```

```
m = alpha = runif(1, -0.5, 0.5),
    m_{\text{cost\_sen}} = runif(1, 1, 3),
   cost_neg = runif(1, 1, 3),
    cost_very = runif(1, .5, 1),
    z_v = matrix(runif(2 * n_distinct(Leffel_data_negative$subj_id), -.15, .15), nrow =
    2),
    s_v = runif(2, 1, 2),
    eps = runif(1, .1, .4)
}
# Fit the models with cmdstanr
# 16h, 3% divergent transitions with stepsize=0.5 and adapt_delta = .98
# 32h, 2% divergent transitions with stepsize=0.25 and adapt_delta = .99 + one chain hit
max treedepth (all other chains had finished by 18h)
SvI_min_exhmin_sepcost_fit <- SvI_min_exhmin_sepcost_model$sample(</pre>
  data = stan data negative SvI,
  init = SvI_sepcost_init_function,
  chains = 8,
 parallel_chains = 14,
 iter_warmup = 1500,
 iter_sampling = 1000,
  step size = 0.25,
 adapt delta = 0.99,
 max_treedepth = 11
SvI_min_exhmin_sepcost_fit$save_output_files(dir =
"saved-models-draws/SvI min exhmin sepcost", basename = "SvI min exhmin sepcost")
# with step_size = 0.15, adapt_delta = 0.95, Rhat=1.7 for s_v[2] (less iterations though)
# almost 21h with step_size = 0.25, adapt_delta = 0.98, even more divergent transitions
(57\%), and Rhat=1.5 for s_v[2]!!
# retry with stronger prior on s_v (gamma(1.3,8) instead of gamma(1.3,4)) to avoid high
alpha values. And further increase adapt_delta to .99
# -> 24h, 34% divergent transitions, Rhat=1.3 for s_v[2] -> giving up on this model.
SvI_min_exhmin_onecost_fit <- SvI_min_exhmin_onecost_model$sample(</pre>
  data = stan_data_negative_SvI,
  init = SvI_onecost_init_function,
  chains = 8,
 parallel_chains = 14,
 iter_warmup = 1500,
 iter_sampling = 1000,
 step_size = 0.25,
 adapt_delta = 0.99,
 max_treedepth = 12 # it does reach 10 occasionally
SvI_min_exhmin_onecost_fit$save_output_files(dir =
"saved-models-draws/SvI_min_exhmin_onecost", basename = "SvI_min_exhmin_onecost")
# <4h, perfect
SvI_min_sepcost_fit <- SvI_min_sepcost_model$sample(</pre>
 data = stan_data_negative_SvI,
```

```
init = SvI sepcost init function,
  chains = 8,
  parallel chains = 14,
 iter_warmup = 1500,
 iter_sampling = 1000,
 step_size = 0.15,
 adapt delta = 0.96,
 max treedepth = 11
SvI_min_sepcost_fit$save_output_files(dir = "saved-models-draws/SvI_min_sepcost",
basename = "SvI min sepcost")
# 6h, perfect
SvI_min_onecost_fit <- SvI_min_onecost_model$sample(</pre>
 data = stan_data_negative_SvI,
 init = SvI_onecost_init_function,
 chains = 8,
 parallel chains = 14,
 iter_warmup = 1500,
 iter_sampling = 1000,
 step_size = 0.25,
 adapt delta = 0.97,
 max_treedepth = 11
SvI_min_onecost_fit$save_output_files(dir = "saved-models-draws/SvI_min_onecost",
basename = "SvI min onecost")
```

### Examine the results:

```
# Work with rstan for pairs and other useful functions
# Load from cmdstanr models if previous block was run:
# SvI_min_exhmin_sepcost_rstan_fit <-</pre>
rstan::read\_stan\_csv(SvI\_min\_exhmin\_sepcost\_fit\$output\_files())
# SvI_min_exhmin_onecost_rstan_fit <-
rstan::read_stan_csv(SvI_min_exhmin_onecost_fit$output_files())
# SvI_min_sepcost_rstan_fit <- rstan::read_stan_csv(SvI_min_sepcost_fit$output_files())
\# SvI\_min\_onecost\_rstan\_fit <- rstan::read\_stan\_csv(SvI\_min\_onecost\_fit\$output\_files())
# Load from saved draws otherwise:
SvI_min_exhmin_sepcost_rstan_fit <-</pre>
rstan::read stan csv(paste0("saved-models-draws/SvI min exhmin sepcost/",
list.files("saved-models-draws/SvI min exhmin sepcost", pattern = "260eb3")))
SvI_min_exhmin_onecost_rstan_fit <-</pre>
rstan::read stan csv(paste0("saved-models-draws/SvI min exhmin onecost/",
list.files("saved-models-draws/SvI_min_exhmin_onecost", pattern = "8ab7a7")))
SvI_min_sepcost_rstan_fit <-</pre>
rstan::read_stan_csv(paste0("saved-models-draws/SvI_min_sepcost/",
list.files("saved-models-draws/SvI_min_sepcost", pattern = "32ae9c")))
SvI_min_onecost_rstan_fit <-</pre>
rstan::read_stan_csv(paste0("saved-models-draws/SvI_min_onecost/",
list.files("saved-models-draws/SvI_min_onecost", pattern = "94b022")))
# Pairs plots:
```

```
# pairs(SvI min exhmin sepcost rstan fit,
pars=c("m_alpha", "m_cost_sen_tall", "m_cost_sen_late", "cost_neq", "cost_very", "s_v", "lp__"))
# pairs(SvI_min_exhmin_onecost_rstan_fit,
        pars=c("m_alpha", "m_cost_sen", "cost_neg", "cost_very", "s_v", "lp__"))
# pairs(SvI_min_sepcost_rstan_fit,
pars = c("m\_alpha", "m\_cost\_sen\_tall", "m\_cost\_sen\_late", "cost\_neg", "cost\_very", "s\_v", "lp\_\_"))
# pairs(SvI_min_onecost_rstan_fit,
        pars=c("m_alpha", "m_cost_sen", "cost_neg", "cost_very", "s_v", "lp__"))
# Parameters:
summary(SvI_min_exhmin_sepcost_rstan_fit, pars = c("m_alpha", "m_cost_sen_tall",
"m_cost_sen_late", "cost_neg", "cost_very", "s_v"), use_cache = F)$summary %>%
 as_tibble(rownames = NA) %>%
  as_tibble(rownames = NA) %>%
  rownames_to_column("variable") %>%
  select(c(1:5, 9:11)) %>%
  kableExtra::kbl(digits = c(0, 2, 4, 2, 2, 2, 0, 2), booktabs = T)
```

variable	mean	se_mean	$\operatorname{sd}$	2.5%	97.5%	n_eff	Rhat
m_alpha	2.32	0.0073	0.25	1.75	2.74	1222	1.00
$m\_cost\_sen\_tall$	2.27	0.0255	1.13	0.72	4.92	1948	1.01
$m\_cost\_sen\_late$	-0.18	0.0005	0.02	-0.22	-0.14	1631	1.00
$cost\_neg$	2.52	0.0217	1.00	1.21	5.01	2127	1.00
$cost\_very$	1.34	0.0109	0.81	0.34	3.40	5502	1.00
$s\_v[1]$	1.25	0.0088	0.29	0.76	1.86	1067	1.01
$s\_v[2]$	0.09	0.0005	0.03	0.05	0.15	2310	1.00

```
summary(SvI_min_exhmin_onecost_rstan_fit, pars = c("m_alpha", "m_cost_sen", "cost_neg",
"cost_very", "s_v"), use_cache = F)$summary %>%
   as_tibble(rownames = NA) %>%
   rownames_to_column("variable") %>%
   select(c(1:5, 9:11)) %>%
   kableExtra::kbl(digits = c(0, 2, 4, 2, 2, 2, 0, 2), booktabs = T)
```

variable	mean	se_mean	$\operatorname{sd}$	2.5%	97.5%	n_eff	Rhat
m_alpha	1.03	0.0297	0.27	0.50	1.58	84	1.08
$m\_cost\_sen$	-0.17	0.0031	0.07	-0.30	-0.02	453	1.03
$cost\_neg$	3.48	0.0284	1.23	1.77	6.56	1879	1.01
$cost\_very$	1.23	0.0136	0.77	0.29	3.17	3188	1.00
$s\_v[1]$	1.51	0.0157	0.19	1.17	1.92	152	1.05
$s\_v[2]$	0.23	0.0399	0.14	0.07	0.53	12	1.49

```
summary(SvI_min_sepcost_rstan_fit, pars = c("m_alpha", "m_cost_sen_tall",
"m_cost_sen_late", "cost_neg", "cost_very", "s_v"), use_cache = F)$summary %>%
   as_tibble(rownames = NA) %>%
   rownames_to_column("variable") %>%
   select(c(1:5, 9:11)) %>%
   kableExtra::kbl(digits = c(0, 2, 4, 2, 2, 2, 0, 2), booktabs = T)
```

```
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cost very
                       1.17
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                                          0.98
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                                                                   1860
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s\_v[1]
                       0.72
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                                          0.19
                                                  0.40
                                                           1.14
                                                                    317
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                                                           2.36
                                                                    727
s_v[2]
                       1.33
                                0.0170
                                          0.46
                                                  0.59
                                                                           1.01
```

```
summary(SvI_min_onecost_rstan_fit, pars = c("m_alpha", "m_cost_sen", "cost_neg",
"cost_very", "s_v"), use_cache = F)$summary %>%
  as_tibble(rownames = NA) %>%
  rownames_to_column("variable") %>%
  select(c(1:5, 9:11)) %>%
  kableExtra::kbl(digits = c(0, 2, 4, 2, 2, 2, 0, 2), booktabs = T)
```

variable	mean	se_mean	$\operatorname{sd}$	2.5%	97.5%	n_eff	Rhat
m_alpha	0.43	0.0034	0.18	0.07	0.79	2929	1
$m\_cost\_sen$	0.14	0.0064	0.27	-0.42	0.68	1821	1
$cost\_neg$	2.01	0.0185	0.73	1.10	3.88	1579	1
$cost\_very$	1.33	0.0170	1.04	0.03	3.79	3739	1
$s\_v[1]$	0.71	0.0057	0.19	0.36	1.12	1161	1
$s\_v[2]$	1.09	0.0064	0.35	0.55	1.91	3044	1

#### # LOO evaluation:

SvI\_min\_exhmin\_sepcost\_loo <- loo(SvI\_min\_exhmin\_sepcost\_rstan\_fit)</pre>

## Warning: Some Pareto k diagnostic values are too high. See help('pareto-k-diagnostic') for details.
SvI\_min\_exhmin\_onecost\_loo <- loo(SvI\_min\_exhmin\_onecost\_rstan\_fit)</pre>

## Warning: Some Pareto k diagnostic values are too high. See help('pareto-k-diagnostic') for details.
SvI\_min\_sepcost\_loo <- loo(SvI\_min\_sepcost\_rstan\_fit)</pre>

## Warning: Some Pareto k diagnostic values are too high. See help('pareto-k-diagnostic') for details.
SvI\_min\_onecost\_loo <- loo(SvI\_min\_onecost\_rstan\_fit)</pre>

## Warning: Some Pareto k diagnostic values are too high. See help('pareto-k-diagnostic') for details.

```
# Diagnostic plots:
# plot(SvI_min_exhmin_sepcost_loo,label_points=T)
# plot(SvI_min_exhmin_onecost_loo,label_points=T)
# plot(SvI_min_sepcost_loo,label_points=T)
# plot(SvI_min_onecost_loo,label_points=T)

loo_comparison <- loo_compare(SvI_min_exhmin_sepcost_loo, SvI_min_exhmin_onecost_loo, SvI_min_sepcost_loo, SvI_min_sepcost_loo, SvI_min_exhmin_onecost_loo, literal_loo)
loo_comparison %>% kableExtra::kbl(digits = 1, booktabs = T)
```

	elpd_diff	se_diff	elpd_loo	$se\_elpd\_loo$	p_loo	se_p_loo	looic	se_looic
model1	0.0	0.0	888.5	126.1	67.6	7.2	-1777.0	252.2
model2	-12.2	7.7	876.3	125.7	86.2	11.4	-1752.6	251.4
model3	-231.7	62.5	656.8	123.9	56.4	4.4	-1313.7	247.8
model4	-232.9	62.4	655.6	124.0	56.7	4.8	-1311.1	248.1
model5	-894.0	143.7	-5.5	165.2	14.8	3.9	11.0	330.3

We can also compare the RSA-SvI to the literal model separately for each adjective. Unsurprisingly, the RSA-SvI is particularly better with 'late', but it also outperforms the literal model on 'tall'.

```
# LOO by adjective
literal_tall_loglik_matrix <- literal_model_fit$draws("log_lik")[, , subj_adj == 0]
literal_tall_r_eff <- relative_eff(exp(literal_tall_loglik_matrix))
literal_tall_loo <- loo(literal_tall_loglik_matrix, r_eff = literal_tall_r_eff)

literal_late_loglik_matrix <- literal_model_fit$draws("log_lik")[, , subj_adj == 1]
literal_late_r_eff <- relative_eff(exp(literal_late_loglik_matrix))
literal_late_loo <- loo(literal_late_loglik_matrix, r_eff = literal_late_r_eff)</pre>
```

## Warning: Some Pareto k diagnostic values are slightly high. See help('pareto-k-diagnostic') for deta
SvI\_loglik\_tall <- rstan::extract(SvI\_min\_exhmin\_sepcost\_rstan\_fit, pars = "log\_lik",</pre>

```
permuted = F)[, , subj_adj == 0]
SvI_loglik_late <- rstan::extract(SvI_min_exhmin_sepcost_rstan_fit, pars = "log_lik",
permuted = F)[, , subj_adj == 1]
SvI_r_eff_tall <- relative_eff(exp(SvI_loglik_tall))
SvI_loo_tall <- loo(SvI_loglik_tall, r_eff = SvI_r_eff_tall)</pre>
```

## Warning: Some Pareto k diagnostic values are too high. See help('pareto-k-diagnostic') for details.

```
SvI_r_eff_late <- relative_eff(exp(SvI_loglik_late))
SvI_loo_late <- loo(SvI_loglik_late, r_eff = SvI_r_eff_late)</pre>
```

## Warning: Some Pareto k diagnostic values are too high. See help('pareto-k-diagnostic') for details.
loo\_compare(SvI\_loo\_tall, literal\_tall\_loo) %>% kableExtra::kbl(digits = 1, booktabs = T)

	$elpd\_diff$	$se\_diff$	$elpd\_loo$	$se\_elpd\_loo$	p_loo	$se\_p\_loo$	looic	$se\_looic$
model1	0.0	0.0	561.4	60.3	21.5	2.8	-1122.8	120.7
model2	-219.5	26.7	341.9	44.2	3.0	0.5	-683.8	88.3

loo\_compare(SvI\_loo\_late, literal\_late\_loo) %>% kableExtra::kbl(digits = 1, booktabs = T)

	elpd_diff	se_diff	elpd_loo	$se\_elpd\_loo$	p_loo	se_p_loo	looic	se_looic
model1	0.0	0.0	327.1	107.6	46.1	6.1	-654.2	215.3
model2	-674.5	131.6	-347.4	136.5	11.8	3.7	694.7	273.0

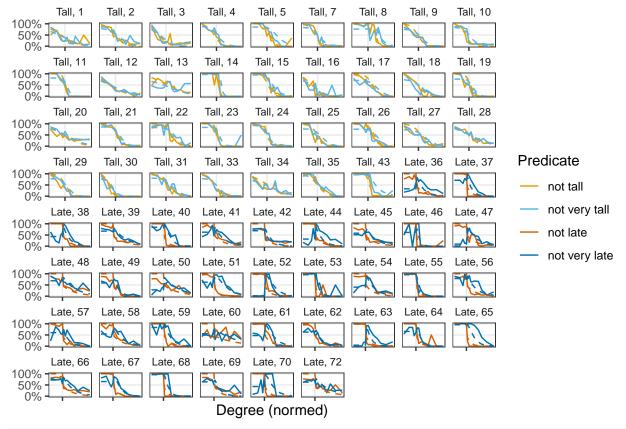
We then look at the posterior probabilities for EXH parses.

```
# Posterior on exhaustification:
post_exhpos <- rstan::extract(SvI_min_exhmin_sepcost_rstan_fit, pars =
"post_logit_exhpos")$post_logit_exhpos
post_exhmin <- rstan::extract(SvI_min_exhmin_sepcost_rstan_fit, pars =
"post_logit_exhmin")$post_logit_exhmin</pre>
```

```
# Distribution among participants (tall):
range(plogis(colMeans(post_exhpos[, subj_adj == 0])))
## [1] 0.001271713 0.296359704
mean(plogis(colMeans(post exhpos[, subj adj == 0])))
## [1] 0.145765
# Overall mean and CI:
mean(plogis(post_exhpos[, subj_adj == 0]))
## [1] 0.1773016
hdi(rowMeans(plogis(post_exhpos[, subj_adj == 0])), ci = .95)
## 95% HDI: [0.15, 0.20]
# Distribution among participants (late):
range(plogis(colMeans(post_exhmin[, subj_adj == 1])) + plogis(colMeans(post_exhmos[,
subj_adj == 1])))
## [1] 0.00744617 0.99996715
mean(plogis(colMeans(post_exhmin[, subj_adj == 1])) + plogis(colMeans(post_exhpos[,
subj_adj == 1])))
## [1] 0.3889174
# Overall mean and CI:
mean(plogis(post exhmin[, subj adj == 1]) + plogis(post exhpos[, subj adj == 1]))
## [1] 0.4131475
hdi(rowMeans(plogis(post_exhmin[, subj_adj == 1]) + plogis(post_exhpos[, subj_adj ==
1])), ci = .95)
## 95% HDI: [0.40, 0.43]
We can plot the model predictions against the data.
extracted_predictions <- colMeans(rstan::extract(SvI_min_exhmin_sepcost_rstan_fit, pars =</pre>
"pred")$pred)
Leffel_data_negative <- Leffel_data_negative %>%
 mutate(Prediction = extracted_predictions)
# Graph posterior predictions (not adj and not very adj)
# the 'not adj' construction isn't particularly interesting since the only degree of
freedom for the model is in the proportion of MIN parses for 'late'.
Leffel_data_negative %>%
  group_by(subj_id, Pred, Adj, NormUnit2) %>%
  summarize(
   response = mean(response) / 100,
   prediction = mean(Prediction)
```

```
) %>%
mutate(
  Predicate = factor(Pred,
    levels = c("notTall", "notVeryTall", "notLate", "notVeryLate"),
   labels = c("not tall", "not very tall", "not late", "not very late")
  ),
 Adj = factor(Adj, levels = c("Tall", "Late"))
) %>%
ggplot(aes(x = NormUnit2, y = response, color = Predicate)) +
facet_wrap(~ Adj + subj_id, scales = "free_x", labeller = function(labs) {
 label_value(labs, multi_line = FALSE)
}) +
geom_line() +
geom_line(aes(y = prediction), linetype = 2, show.legend = F) +
scale_x_continuous(name = "Degree (normed)", breaks = c(0), minor_breaks = NULL, labels
= NULL) +
scale_y_continuous(name = NULL, breaks = c(0, .5, 1), minor_breaks = NULL, labels =
scales::percent) +
scale_color_manual(values = cbbPalette[c(1, 2, 6, 5)]) +
theme bw() +
theme(
  strip.background = element_blank(), # element_rect(fill="transparent"),
 strip.text = element_text(size = 8),
 panel.spacing.y = unit(0, "lines")
) +
coord_cartesian(ylim = c(0, 1))
```

## `summarise()` has grouped output by 'subj\_id', 'Pred', 'Adj'. You can override
## using the `.groups` argument.



```
# Graph posterior predictions (not very adj only)
# pdf(file="posterior_not_very_model.pdf", width=10, height=6)
Leffel_data_negative %>%
  group_by(subj_id, Pred, Adj, NormUnit2) %>%
  summarize(
    response = mean(response) / 100,
   prediction = mean(Prediction)
  ) %>%
 mutate(
   Predicate = factor(Pred,
      levels = c("notTall", "notVeryTall", "notLate", "notVeryLate"),
     labels = c("not tall", "not very tall", "not late", "not very late")
   ),
   Adj = factor(Adj, levels = c("Tall", "Late"))
  ) %>%
  filter(Predicate %in% c("not very tall", "not very late")) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = NormUnit2, y = response, col = Adj)) +
  facet_wrap(~ Adj + subj_id, scales = "free_x", labeller = function(labs) {
   label_value(labs, multi_line = FALSE)
  }) +
  geom_line() +
  geom_line(aes(y = prediction), linetype = 1, show.legend = F, col = "black") +
  scale_x_continuous(name = "Degree (normed)", breaks = c(0), minor_breaks = NULL, labels
  = NULL) +
  scale y continuous(name = NULL, breaks = c(0, .5, 1), minor breaks = NULL, labels =
  scales::percent) +
  scale_color_manual(values = cbbPalette[5:6], guide = "none") +
```

```
theme bw() +
  theme(
     strip.background = element_blank(), # element_rect(fill="transparent"),
     strip.text = element_text(size = 8),
     panel.spacing.y = unit(0, "lines")
  )
## `summarise()` has grouped output by 'subj_id', 'Pred', 'Adj'. You can override
## using the `.groups` argument.
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### # dev.off()

Finally, we can look at the fitted posterior on EXH as a function of the rationality parameter. The plot confirms that for 'tall', exhaustivity is impossible with high rationality, whereas for 'late' both the exhaustive and the literal interpretation are possible.

```
alpha <- rstan::extract(SvI_min_exhmin_sepcost_rstan_fit, pars = "alpha")$alpha

# pdf(file="pEXH-by-alpha.pdf",width=7,height=4)
ggplot(data = NULL, aes(x = colMeans(alpha), y = plogis(colMeans(post_exhpos)) + subj_adj
* plogis(colMeans(post_exhmin)), color = factor(subj_adj, levels = c(0, 1), labels =
c("tall", "late")))) +
geom_point() +
scale_color_manual(name = "Adjective", values = cbbPalette[5:6]) +
scale_x_continuous(name = expression(alpha), trans = "log", breaks = c(.1, .5, 1, 5,
10, 50, 100), minor_breaks = c(.2, 2, 20)) +
scale_y_continuous(name = expression("P(EXH|not very adj)"), labels = scales::percent)
+</pre>
```

