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#### Problem 1

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Warning: package 'gt' was built under R version 4.4.2

### library(modelsummary)

Warning: package 'modelsummary' was built under R version 4.4.2

```
`modelsummary` 2.0.0 now uses `tinytable` as its default table-drawing
  backend. Learn more at: https://vincentarelbundock.github.io/tinytable/
Revert to `kableExtra` for one session:
  options(modelsummary_factory_default = 'kableExtra')
  options(modelsummary_factory_latex = 'kableExtra')
  options(modelsummary_factory_html = 'kableExtra')
Silence this message forever:
  config_modelsummary(startup_message = FALSE)
library(stargazer)
Please cite as:
 Hlavac, Marek (2022). stargazer: Well-Formatted Regression and Summary Statistics Tables.
 R package version 5.2.3. https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=stargazer
library(ROCR)
Warning: package 'ROCR' was built under R version 4.4.2
library(caret)
Warning: package 'caret' was built under R version 4.4.2
Loading required package: lattice
Attaching package: 'caret'
The following object is masked from 'package:purrr':
    lift
library(cvTools)
```

Warning: package 'cvTools' was built under R version 4.4.2

Loading required package: robustbase

Warning: package 'robustbase' was built under R version 4.4.2

```
library(MASS)
```

Attaching package: 'MASS'

The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':

select

```
options(warn = -1)
options(message = -1)
```

```
flmdw <- read.csv("flmdw-1.csv")
head(flmdw, 20)</pre>
```

```
X country year onset instab warl gdpenl
                                             lpopl1 lmtnest ncontig Oil
         USA 1945
                                  0 7.626 11.85630 3.214868
   1
                      0
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         USA 1946
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   2
                                  0 7.626 11.85630 3.214868
                                                                       0
                      0
                             0
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   3
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         USA 1947
                      0
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                                  0 7.654 11.86313 3.214868
                                                                   1
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   4
         USA 1948
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                                  0 8.025 11.86859 3.214868
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         USA 1949
                      0
                                  0 8.270 11.88673 3.214868
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         USA 1950
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                                  0 8.040 11.90488 3.214868
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16 16
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         USA 1962
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                                  0 9.946 12.12099 3.214868
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         USA 1963
                                 0 10.358 12.13638 3.214868
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                                                                 1
20 20
         USA 1964
                                 0 10.642 12.15079 3.214868
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                    0
                             0
  nwstate polity21
                     ethfrac relfrac
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        0
                10 0.3569501
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                              0.596
```

### Distribution of Civil War Onset



This is a rare event. Bayesian Logistic Regression; LASSO

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```
library(dplyr)
colnames(flmdw)
 [1] "X"
                 "country"
                                        "onset"
                           "year"
                                                   "instab"
                                                               "warl"
 [7] "gdpenl"
                 "lpopl1"
                                                   "Oil"
                            "lmtnest"
                                        "ncontig"
                                                               "nwstate"
[13] "polity21" "ethfrac"
                            "relfrac"
flmdw_complete <- flmdw %>%
  dplyr::select(onset, gdpenl, lpopl1, lmtnest, Oil, polity21, relfrac) %>%
  na.omit()
model1 <- glm(onset ~ gdpenl + lpopl1 + lmtnest,</pre>
              data = flmdw_complete, family = binomial)
model2 <- glm(onset ~ gdpenl + lpopl1 + lmtnest,</pre>
              data = flmdw_complete, family = binomial(link = "probit"))
model3 <- glm(onset ~ gdpenl + lpopl1 + lmtnest + Oil + polity21 + relfrac,</pre>
              data = flmdw_complete, family = binomial(link = "probit"))
```

```
model4 <- glm(onset ~ gdpenl + lpopl1 + lmtnest + Oil + polity21 * relfrac,</pre>
          data = flmdw_complete, family = binomial(link = "probit"))
summary(model1)
Call:
glm(formula = onset ~ gdpenl + lpopl1 + lmtnest, family = binomial,
   data = flmdw_complete)
Coefficients:
         Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
gdpenl
         lpopl1
         lmtnest
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
   Null deviance: 1079.6 on 6401 degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 1013.1 on 6398 degrees of freedom
AIC: 1021.1
Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 8
summary(model2)
Call:
glm(formula = onset ~ gdpenl + lpopl1 + lmtnest, family = binomial(link = "probit"),
   data = flmdw_complete)
Coefficients:
         Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
-0.11373 0.02314 -4.914 8.92e-07 ***
gdpenl
         lpopl1
        0.07451 0.03199 2.329 0.019843 *
lmtnest
```

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```
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
   Null deviance: 1079.6 on 6401 degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 1012.4 on 6398 degrees of freedom
AIC: 1020.4
Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 8
summary(model3)
Call:
glm(formula = onset ~ gdpenl + lpopl1 + lmtnest + Oil + polity2l +
   relfrac, family = binomial(link = "probit"), data = flmdw_complete)
Coefficients:
          Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
(Intercept) -2.950436  0.273591 -10.784 < 2e-16 ***
gdpenl
         lpopl1
          lmtnest
Oil
          polity21
          0.222227 0.198665 1.119 0.263311
relfrac
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
   Null deviance: 1079.63 on 6401 degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 999.01 on 6395 degrees of freedom
AIC: 1013
Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 8
summary(model4)
```

#### Call:

```
glm(formula = onset ~ gdpenl + lpopl1 + lmtnest + Oil + polity21 *
   relfrac, family = binomial(link = "probit"), data = flmdw_complete)
Coefficients:
               Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
              -3.037835 0.279631 -10.864 < 2e-16 ***
(Intercept)
gdpenl
              0.093681 0.026971
lpopl1
                                 3.473 0.000514 ***
               lmtnest
Oil
               polity21
                        0.202051 1.576 0.115097
relfrac
               0.318370
polity21:relfrac 0.053889
                        0.029070 1.854 0.063767 .
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
   Null deviance: 1079.63 on 6401 degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 995.66 on 6394 degrees of freedom
AIC: 1011.7
Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 8
library(broom)
glance(model1)
# A tibble: 1 x 8
 null.deviance df.null logLik
                            AIC
                                 BIC deviance df.residual nobs
        <dbl>
               <int> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>
                                       <dbl>
                                                 <int> <int>
                6401 -507. 1021. 1048.
1
        1080.
                                       1013.
                                                  6398 6402
glance(model2)
# A tibble: 1 x 8
 null.deviance df.null logLik
                           AIC
                                 BIC deviance df.residual nobs
```

<dbl>

1012.

<int> <int> 6398 6402

<int> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>

6401 -506. 1020. 1047.

<dbl>

1080.

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```
glance(model3)
# A tibble: 1 x 8
 null.deviance df.null logLik AIC BIC deviance df.residual nobs
                 <int> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>
                                             <dbl>
          <dbl>
                                                         <int> <int>
                  6401 -500. 1013. 1060.
          1080.
                                              999.
                                                          6395 6402
1
glance(model4)
# A tibble: 1 x 8
 null.deviance df.null logLik AIC BIC deviance df.residual nobs
          <dbl>
                        <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>
                                             <dbl>
                 <int>
                                                         <int> <int>
          1080.
                  6401 -498. 1012. 1066.
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                                              996.
                                                          6394 6402
```

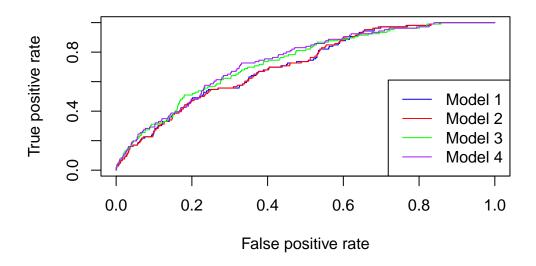
Based on the results and AIC values, Model 4 is the most promising due to its lower AIC and inclusion of interaction effects, which likely capture more nuanced relationships between variables.

```
library(broom)
library(gt)
model_summaries <- bind_rows(</pre>
  tidy(model1, conf.int = TRUE) %>% mutate(model = "Model 1"),
  tidy(model2, conf.int = TRUE) %>% mutate(model = "Model 2"),
  tidy(model3, conf.int = TRUE) %>% mutate(model = "Model 3"),
  tidy(model4, conf.int = TRUE) %>% mutate(model = "Model 4")
)
gt_table <- gt(model_summaries) %>%
  tab_header(
    title = "Results of Logistic and Probit Regression Models"
  ) %>%
  fmt_number(
    columns = vars(estimate, std.error, statistic, p.value, conf.low, conf.high),
    decimals = 3
  ) %>%
  cols_label(
    estimate = "Estimate",
    std.error = "Std. Error",
    statistic = "z value",
```

```
p.value = "P Value",
    conf.low = "CI Low",
    conf.high = "CI High",
    term = "Term"
) %>%
    tab_spanner(
    label = "Confidence Interval",
    columns = vars(conf.low, conf.high)
)
gtsave(gt_table, filename = "gt_table.pdf")
```

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# **ROC Curves Comparison**



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Analysis of Deviance Table

```
Model 1: onset ~ gdpenl + lpopl1 + lmtnest + Oil + relfrac

Model 2: onset ~ gdpenl + lpopl1 + lmtnest + Oil + polity2l * relfrac

Resid. Df Resid. Dev Df Deviance Pr(>Chi)

1 6396 1003.01

2 6394 995.66 2 7.3558 0.02528 *

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

The p-value (0.02528) is less than 0.05, meaning we reject the null hypothesis that  $\beta_{dem} = \beta_{demfrac} = 0$ 

```
library(caret)
library(pROC)
```

Type 'citation("pROC")' for a citation.

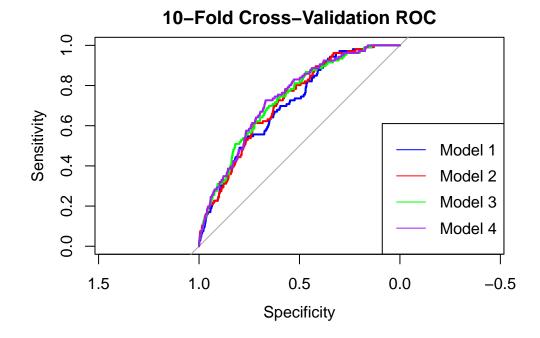
Attaching package: 'pROC'

The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':

cov, smooth, var

```
set.seed(3407) # 3407 is all you need
flmdw_complete onset <- factor(flmdw_complete) onset, levels = c(0,1), labels = c("No", "Yes")
cv control <- trainControl(method = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = "cv", number = 10, classProbs = TRUE, summaryFunction = 10, classProbs 
cv_model1 <- train(onset ~ gdpenl + lpopl1 + lmtnest,</pre>
                                                   data = flmdw_complete, method = "glm", family = binomial(),
                                                    trControl = cv_control, metric = "ROC")
cv_model2 <- train(onset ~ gdpenl + lpopl1 + lmtnest + Oil,</pre>
                                                   data = flmdw_complete, method = "glm", family = binomial(),
                                                    trControl = cv_control, metric = "ROC")
cv_model3 <- train(onset ~ gdpenl + lpopl1 + lmtnest + Oil + polity2l + relfrac,</pre>
                                                   data = flmdw_complete, method = "glm", family = binomial(link = "probit")
                                                    trControl = cv_control, metric = "ROC")
cv_model4 <- train(onset ~ gdpenl + lpopl1 + lmtnest + 0il + polity21 * relfrac,</pre>
                                                    data = flmdw_complete, method = "glm", family = binomial(link = "probit")
                                                   trControl = cv_control, metric = "ROC")
prob1 <- predict(cv_model1, flmdw_complete, type = "prob")[,"Yes"]</pre>
prob2 <- predict(cv_model2, flmdw_complete, type = "prob")[,"Yes"]</pre>
prob3 <- predict(cv_model3, flmdw_complete, type = "prob")[,"Yes"]</pre>
prob4 <- predict(cv_model4, flmdw_complete, type = "prob")[,"Yes"]</pre>
```

```
roc1 <- roc(flmdw_complete$onset, prob1)</pre>
Setting levels: control = No, case = Yes
Setting direction: controls < cases
roc2 <- roc(flmdw_complete$onset, prob2)</pre>
Setting levels: control = No, case = Yes
Setting direction: controls < cases
roc3 <- roc(flmdw_complete$onset, prob3)</pre>
Setting levels: control = No, case = Yes
Setting direction: controls < cases
roc4 <- roc(flmdw_complete$onset, prob4)</pre>
Setting levels: control = No, case = Yes
Setting direction: controls < cases
plot(roc1, col = "blue", main = "10-Fold Cross-Validation ROC")
lines(roc2, col = "red")
lines(roc3, col = "green")
lines(roc4, col = "purple")
legend("bottomright", legend = c("Model 1", "Model 2", "Model 3", "Model 4"),
       col = c("blue", "red", "green", "purple"), lty = 1)
```



### auc(roc1)

Area under the curve: 0.7091

auc(roc2)

Area under the curve: 0.7229

auc(roc3)

Area under the curve: 0.7339

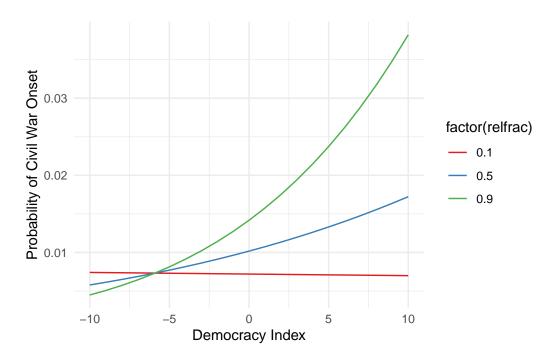
auc(roc4)

Area under the curve: 0.7405

Clearly model4 has the highest AUC. Hard to reject this one.

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```
# Prepare data for predictions
prediction_data <- expand.grid(</pre>
  polity21 = seq(min(flmdw_complete$polity21), max(flmdw_complete$polity21), by = 1),
  relfrac = c(0.1, 0.5, 0.9),
  gdpenl = mean(flmdw_complete$gdpenl),
  lpopl1 = mean(flmdw_complete$lpopl1),
  lmtnest = mean(flmdw_complete$lmtnest),
  Oil = mean(flmdw_complete$0il)
# Predict probabilities
prediction_data$predicted_prob <- predict(cv_model4, newdata = prediction_data, type = "prob</pre>
# Plotting
ggplot(prediction_data, aes(x = polity21, y = predicted_prob, color = factor(relfrac))) +
  geom_line() +
  labs(x = "Democracy Index", y = "Probability of Civil War Onset") +
  scale_color_brewer(palette = "Set1") +
  theme_minimal()
```



The data suggest that while democracy is generally promoted as a means to prevent conflict, its effectiveness can vary significantly depending on the religious composition of a society. In

highly diverse societies, the introduction of democracy should be handled with care, potentially supplemented by measures that promote intergroup dialogue and reconciliation to mitigate the risks of increased conflict.