

Table 1: glm: General1

<i>Dependent variable:</i>	
	general_deng
deng.network	2.471*** (0.621)
Constant	-3.695*** (0.506)
Observations	209
Log Likelihood	-42.412
Akaike Inf. Crit.	88.824
<i>Note:</i> *p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01	

Table 2: glm: General2

<i>Dependent variable:</i>	
	general_jiang
jiang.network	0.184 (0.600)
Constant	-1.195*** (0.137)
Observations	312
Log Likelihood	-169.693
Akaike Inf. Crit.	343.386
<i>Note:</i> *p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01	

Table 3: glm: General3

	<i>Dependent variable:</i>
	general_hu
hu.network	0.440 (1.236)
Constant	−1.133*** (0.166)
Observations	200
Log Likelihood	−111.295
Akaike Inf. Crit.	226.590
<i>Note:</i>	*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

Table 4: glm: Genearl4

	<i>Dependent variable:</i>
	general_xi
xi.network	1.535** (0.616)
Constant	−2.005*** (0.232)
Observations	190
Log Likelihood	−73.128
Akaike Inf. Crit.	150.255
<i>Note:</i>	*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

Table 5: glm: CMC1

	<i>Dependent variable:</i>
	general_deng
deng.network	2.471*** (0.621)
Constant	−3.695*** (0.506)
Observations	209
Log Likelihood	−42.412
Akaike Inf. Crit.	88.824
<i>Note:</i>	*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

Table 6: glm: CMC2

	<i>Dependent variable:</i>
	general_jiang
jiang.network	0.184 (0.600)
Constant	−1.195*** (0.137)
Observations	312
Log Likelihood	−169.693
Akaike Inf. Crit.	343.386
<i>Note:</i>	*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

Table 7: glm: CMC3

	<i>Dependent variable:</i>
	general_hu
hu.network	0.440 (1.236)
Constant	-1.133*** (0.166)
Observations	200
Log Likelihood	-111.295
Akaike Inf. Crit.	226.590
<i>Note:</i>	*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

Table 8: glm: CMC4

	<i>Dependent variable:</i>
	general_xi
xi.network	1.535** (0.616)
Constant	-2.005*** (0.232)
Observations	190
Log Likelihood	-73.128
Akaike Inf. Crit.	150.255
<i>Note:</i>	*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

Table 9: logit model, additive: cmc

	<i>Dependent variable:</i>
	cmc
cmc_chair_connection_current	1.619*** (0.356)
combat_post_1949	0.855** (0.425)
college	1.135*** (0.440)
participated_long_march	1.717** (0.741)
commissar	-0.273 (0.350)
minority	1.273 (0.845)
parent_CCP_leader	-0.140 (0.815)
rural	1.077*** (0.386)
cohort_decade1	-1.924** (0.847)
cohort_decade2	-3.041*** (1.063)
cohort_decade3	-1.886* (1.016)
cohort_decade4	-1.279 (0.955)
cohort_decade5	-1.257 (0.957)
cohort_decade6	-1.519 (1.373)
Constant	-3.045*** (0.974)
Observations	755
Log Likelihood	-141.371
Akaike Inf. Crit.	312.741
<i>Note:</i>	*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

Table 10: logit model, interaction: cmc

	<i>Dependent variable:</i>
	cmc
cmc_chair_connection_current	1.630*** (0.356)
combat_post_1949	0.868** (0.426)
college	1.129** (0.440)
participated_long_march	1.717** (0.745)
commissar	-0.278 (0.350)
minority	0.933 (1.111)
parent_CCP_leader	-0.100 (0.815)
rural	1.051*** (0.390)
cohort_decade1	-1.943** (0.848)
cohort_decade2	-3.111*** (1.077)
cohort_decade3	-1.870* (1.017)
cohort_decade4	-1.283 (0.956)
cohort_decade5	-1.257 (0.958)
cohort_decade6	-1.502 (1.374)
minority:rural	1.055 (1.851)
Constant	-3.028*** (0.975)
Observations	755
Log Likelihood	-141.207
Akaike Inf. Crit.	314.415
<i>Note:</i>	*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

Table 11: logit model, additive: general

	<i>Dependent variable:</i>
	general
cmc_chair_connection_current	0.751*** (0.237)
combat_post_1949	1.239*** (0.274)
college	0.879*** (0.217)
participated_long_march	0.375 (0.446)
commissar	0.667*** (0.188)
minority	0.784 (0.538)
parent_CCP_leader	0.083 (0.451)
rural	0.383* (0.232)
cohort_decade1	-0.782 (0.706)
cohort_decade2	-1.751** (0.754)
cohort_decade3	-1.397* (0.742)
cohort_decade4	-1.608** (0.733)
cohort_decade5	-1.139 (0.729)
cohort_decade6	-2.087** (0.944)
Constant	-1.136 (0.736)
Observations	755
Log Likelihood	-366.939
Akaike Inf. Crit.	763.878
<i>Note:</i>	*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

Table 12: logit model, interaction, general

	<i>Dependent variable:</i>
	general
cmc_chair_connection_current	0.755*** (0.237)
combat_post_1949	1.234*** (0.274)
college	0.880*** (0.217)
participated_long_march	0.372 (0.447)
commissar	0.670*** (0.188)
minority	0.694 (0.599)
parent_CCP_leader	0.093 (0.452)
rural	0.372 (0.234)
cohort_decade1	-0.784 (0.706)
cohort_decade2	-1.765** (0.755)
cohort_decade3	-1.398* (0.742)
cohort_decade4	-1.614** (0.733)
cohort_decade5	-1.143 (0.729)
cohort_decade6	-2.085** (0.943)
minority:rural	0.516 (1.446)
Constant	-1.131 (0.736)
Observations	755
Log Likelihood	-366.874
Akaike Inf. Crit.	765.747
<i>Note:</i>	*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

Table 13: logit model, interaction (combatpost1949 : commissar): general

	<i>Dependent variable:</i>
	general
cmc_chair_connection_current	0.753*** (0.237)
combat_post_1949	1.377*** (0.337)
college	0.873*** (0.217)
participated_long_march	0.360 (0.445)
commissar	0.722*** (0.204)
minority	0.746 (0.542)
parent_CCP_leader	0.081 (0.453)
rural	0.387* (0.232)
cohort_decade1	-0.791 (0.708)
cohort_decade2	-1.773** (0.756)
cohort_decade3	-1.390* (0.743)
cohort_decade4	-1.620** (0.734)
cohort_decade5	-1.157 (0.731)
cohort_decade6	-2.092** (0.945)
combat_post_1949:commissar	-0.371 (0.525)
Constant	-1.147 (0.737)
Observations	755
Log Likelihood	-366.691
Akaike Inf. Crit.	765.381
<i>Note:</i>	*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

Table 14: logit model, interaction (combat post 1949 : commissar): cmc

	<i>Dependent variable:</i>
	cmc
cmc_chair_connection_current	1.624*** (0.357)
combat_post_1949	0.787 (0.496)
college	1.137*** (0.440)
participated_long_march	1.719** (0.740)
commissar	-0.324 (0.402)
minority	1.304 (0.853)
parent_CCP_leader	-0.139 (0.815)
rural	1.074*** (0.387)
cohort_decade1	-1.924** (0.847)
cohort_decade2	-3.044*** (1.065)
cohort_decade3	-1.901* (1.018)
cohort_decade4	-1.278 (0.955)
cohort_decade5	-1.250 (0.958)
cohort_decade6	-1.525 (1.373)
combat_post_1949:commissar	0.221 (0.828)
Constant	-3.031*** (0.976)
Observations	755
Log Likelihood	-141.335
Akaike Inf. Crit.	314.671
<i>Note:</i>	*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

Table 15: logit model, interaction (minority : commissar): general

	<i>Dependent variable:</i>
	general
cmc_chair_connection_current	0.752*** (0.237)
combat_post_1949	1.252*** (0.275)
college	0.875*** (0.217)
participated_long_march	0.373 (0.447)
commissar	0.654*** (0.191)
minority	0.555 (0.774)
parent_CCP_leader	0.093 (0.451)
rural	0.387* (0.232)
cohort_decade1	-0.788 (0.706)
cohort_decade2	-1.752** (0.754)
cohort_decade3	-1.391* (0.742)
cohort_decade4	-1.602** (0.733)
cohort_decade5	-1.139 (0.729)
cohort_decade6	-2.100** (0.946)
commissar:minority	0.458 (1.083)
Constant	-1.132 (0.736)
Observations	755
Log Likelihood	-366.849
Akaike Inf. Crit.	765.698
<i>Note:</i>	*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

Table 16: logit model, interaction (minority : commissar): cmc

	<i>Dependent variable:</i>
	cmc
cmc_chair_connection_current	1.619*** (0.356)
combat_post_1949	0.865** (0.429)
college	1.129** (0.441)
participated_long_march	1.713** (0.742)
commissar	-0.285 (0.358)
minority	1.148 (1.155)
parent_CCP_leader	-0.122 (0.820)
rural	1.076*** (0.386)
cohort_decade1	-1.930** (0.848)
cohort_decade2	-3.040*** (1.063)
cohort_decade3	-1.883* (1.017)
cohort_decade4	-1.278 (0.955)
cohort_decade5	-1.262 (0.958)
cohort_decade6	-1.533 (1.376)
commissar:minority	0.285 (1.727)
Constant	-3.036*** (0.975)
Observations	755
Log Likelihood	-141.357
Akaike Inf. Crit.	314.714
<i>Note:</i> *p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01	

Table 17: Post-Deng Officers Only: Promotion to full general-level position and to the CCP Central Military Commission

	<i>Dependent variable:</i>					
	Promoted to General			Promoted to CMC		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Career Tie to Paramount Leader	0.169** (0.055)		0.125* (0.055)	0.129** (0.041)		0.100** (0.038)
Combat Experience, Post-1949		0.349** (0.066)	0.245** (0.072)		0.117* (0.047)	0.058 (0.043)
College-Level Education			0.133** (0.031)			0.039** (0.015)
Long March Participant			0.459** (0.159)			0.429* (0.214)
Political Commissar Experience			0.110** (0.034)			-0.017 (0.017)
Ethnic Minority			0.022 (0.131)			0.017 (0.069)
Princeling			-0.014 (0.078)			0.007 (0.044)
Rural Birth			0.088 ⁺ (0.048)			0.055 ⁺ (0.031)
Constant	0.203** (0.017)	0.207** (0.017)	0.040 (0.024)	0.034** (0.008)	0.042** (0.008)	-0.0005 (0.011)
Observations	648	663	648	648	663	648
R ²	0.019	0.057	0.114	0.040	0.024	0.110
Adjusted R ²	0.017	0.056	0.103	0.038	0.022	0.099

Note:

⁺p<0.1; *p<0.05; **p<0.01

Table 18: glm, Post-Deng Officers Only: Promotion to full general-level position and to the CCP Central Military Commission

	<i>Dependent variable:</i>					
	Promoted to General			Promoted to CMC		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Career Tie to Paramount Leader	0.845** (0.249)		0.707* (0.284)	1.715** (0.377)		1.497** (0.425)
Combat Experience, Post-1949		1.568** (0.277)	1.262** (0.336)		1.468** (0.406)	0.740 (0.545)
College-Level Education			0.937** (0.240)			1.153* (0.487)
Long March Participant			2.679+ (1.433)			2.374+ (1.291)
Political Commissar Experience			0.693** (0.206)			-0.403 (0.430)
Ethnic Minority			0.171 (0.707)			0.434 (1.275)
Princeling			-0.070 (0.469)			0.151 (0.777)
Rural Birth			0.508+ (0.262)			0.929* (0.464)
Constant	-1.369** (0.105)	-1.345** (0.101)	-2.569** (0.243)	-3.353** (0.234)	-3.135** (0.205)	-4.436** (0.478)
Observations	648	663	648	648	663	648
Log Likelihood	-340.195	-348.983	-310.012	-121.236	-131.489	-109.285
Akaike Inf. Crit.	684.390	701.965	638.024	246.473	266.979	236.570

Note:

+p<0.1; *p<0.05; **p<0.01

Table 19: Domestic threat, general promotion

	<i>Dependent variable:</i>
	general_varying
cmc.connection_varying	1.189*** (0.120)
domestic1990	-0.055 (0.513)
as.factor(year)1980	0.333 (0.538)
as.factor(year)1981	0.171 (0.531)
as.factor(year)1982	0.121 (0.507)
as.factor(year)1983	0.061 (0.516)
as.factor(year)1984	0.080 (0.515)
as.factor(year)1985	-0.118 (0.504)
as.factor(year)1986	0.104 (0.524)
as.factor(year)1987	0.254 (0.516)
as.factor(year)1988	0.011 (0.517)
as.factor(year)1989	0.039 (0.517)
as.factor(year)1990	0.192 (0.506)
as.factor(year)1991	0.061 (0.300)
as.factor(year)1992	0.127 (0.282)
as.factor(year)1993	-0.181 (0.287)
as.factor(year)1994	-0.201 (0.509)
as.factor(year)1995	0.030 (0.510)
as.factor(year)1996	-0.001 (0.505)
as.factor(year)1997	-0.049 (0.509)
as.factor(year)1998	-0.110 (0.509)
as.factor(year)1999	-0.159 (0.506)
as.factor(year)2000	-0.245 (0.508)
as.factor(year)2001	-0.304

Table 20:

Domestic threat, general promotion
