Load necessary packages

```
library(tidyverse)
library(data.table)
library(lavaan)
library(semPlot)
```

MBT scoring function

Read MBT files

```
df.MBT.P1112.F2019pre <- Read.Score.MBT('C:/Users/Cole/Documents/MBT_DATA/Physics_1112_Pre_Test_Fall_20
                                        skip.vec = c(1, 2)) \%
  filter((Finished == 1) & (Q82 == 1)) %>% # only keep students that finished and consented
  select(QA, QB, QC, QD, score) %>%
  `colnames<-`(c('last.name', 'first.name', 'net.id', 'student.id', 'MBT.score'))</pre>
df.MBT.P1112.F2019post <- Read.Score.MBT('C:/Users/Cole/Documents/MBT_DATA/Physics_1112_Post_Test_Fall_
                                     skip.vec = c(1, 2)) \%
  filter((Finished == 1) & (Q82 == 1)) %>% # only keep students that finished and consented
  select(QA, QB, QC, QD, score) %>%
  `colnames<-`(c('last.name', 'first.name', 'net.id', 'student.id', 'MBT.score'))
df.MBT.P1112.S2019pre <- Read.Score.MBT('C:/Users/Cole/Documents/MBT_DATA/Physics_1112_Pre_Test_Spring
df.MBT.P1112.S2019pre <- subset(df.MBT.P1112.S2019pre,</pre>
                                select = c('V5', 'Q55_1', 'Q49', 'Q51',
                                            'Q53', 'Q61', 'score')) %>%
  filter((V5 == 1) & (Q55_1 == 1)) \%% # only keep students that finished and consented
  select(Q49, Q51, Q53, Q61, score) %>%
 `colnames<-`(c('first.name', 'last.name', 'net.id', 'student.id', 'MBT.score'))</pre>
```

Read PLIC files

```
df.PLIC.pre <- fread('C:/Users/Cole/Documents/PLIC_DATA/Collective_Surveys/Complete/Complete_Concat.csv</pre>
  filter(!is.na(PreScores)) %>%
  select(Class_ID, Q5a_x, Q5b_x, Q5c_x, PreScores)
df.PLIC.P1112.F2019pre <- df.PLIC.pre %>%
  filter(Class_ID == 'R_9EVBSZgwQyP6mWZ') %>%
  select(-Class ID) %>%
  `colnames<-`(c('ID', 'last.name', 'first.name', 'PLIC.score'))</pre>
df.PLIC.P1112.S2019pre <- df.PLIC.pre %>%
  filter(Class_ID == 'R_RKRNIWFu1gZuSPf') %>%
  select(-Class ID) %>%
  `colnames<-`(c('ID', 'last.name', 'first.name', 'PLIC.score'))</pre>
df.PLIC.post <- fread('C:/Users/Cole/Documents/PLIC_DATA/Collective_Surveys/Complete/Complete_Concat.cs
  filter(!is.na(PostScores)) %>%
  select(Class_ID, Q5a_y, Q5b_y, Q5c_y, PostScores)
df.PLIC.P1112.F2019post <- df.PLIC.post %>%
  filter(Class_ID == 'R_9EVBSZgwQyP6mWZ') %>%
  select(-Class_ID) %>%
  `colnames<-`(c('ID', 'last.name', 'first.name', 'PLIC.score'))</pre>
df.PLIC.P1112.S2019post <- df.PLIC.post %>%
  filter(Class_ID == 'R_RKRNIWFu1gZuSPf') %>%
  select(-Class_ID) %>%
 `colnames<-`(c('ID', 'last.name', 'first.name', 'PLIC.score'))</pre>
```

Matching MBT and PLIC

```
match.MBT.PLIC <- function(MBT.df, PLIC.df){
  netID.df <- inner_join(MBT.df, PLIC.df, by = c('net.id' = 'ID'))
  studentID.df <- inner_join(MBT.df, PLIC.df, by = c('student.id' = 'ID'))

match.df <- rbind(netID.df, studentID.df) %>%
```

```
filter(!duplicated(student.id)) # %>%
  # select(MBT.score, PLIC.score)
}

F2019pre.df <- match.MBT.PLIC(df.MBT.P1112.F2019pre, df.PLIC.P1112.F2019pre)
S2019pre.df <- match.MBT.PLIC(df.MBT.P1112.S2019pre, df.PLIC.P1112.S2019pre)

pre.df <- rbind(F2019pre.df, S2019pre.df)

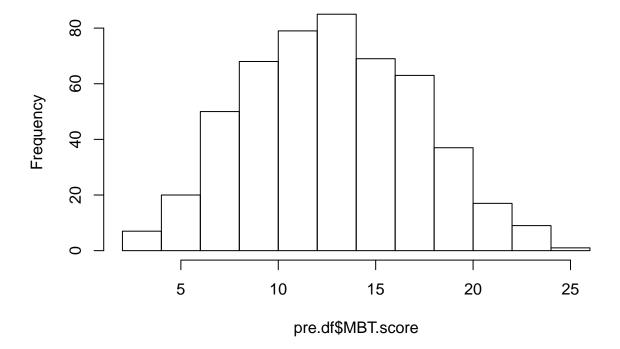
F2019post.df <- match.MBT.PLIC(df.MBT.P1112.F2019post, df.PLIC.P1112.F2019post)
S2019post.df <- match.MBT.PLIC(df.MBT.P1112.S2019post, df.PLIC.P1112.S2019post)

post.df <- rbind(F2019post.df, S2019post.df)</pre>
```

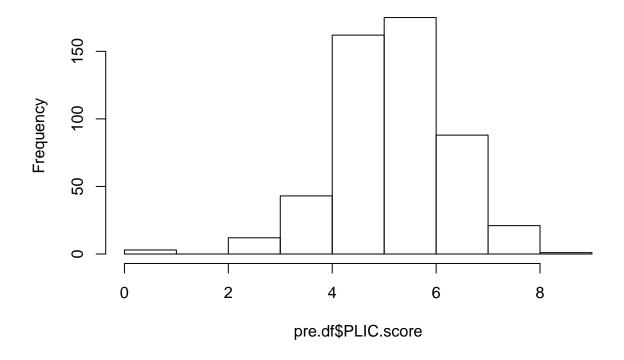
Correlation and visualization (PRE)

```
nrow(pre.df)
## [1] 505
hist(pre.df$MBT.score)
```

Histogram of pre.df\$MBT.score



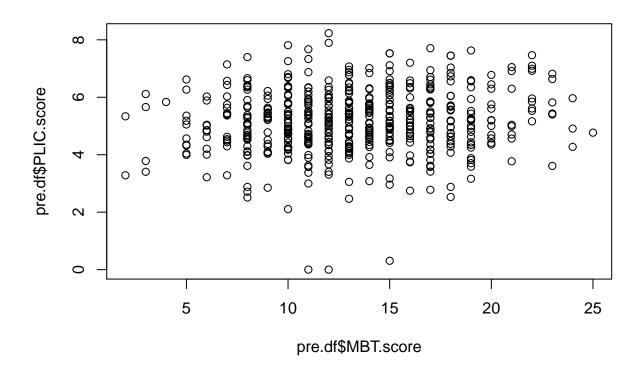
Histogram of pre.df\$PLIC.score



cor(pre.df\$MBT.score, pre.df\$PLIC.score)

[1] 0.1144092

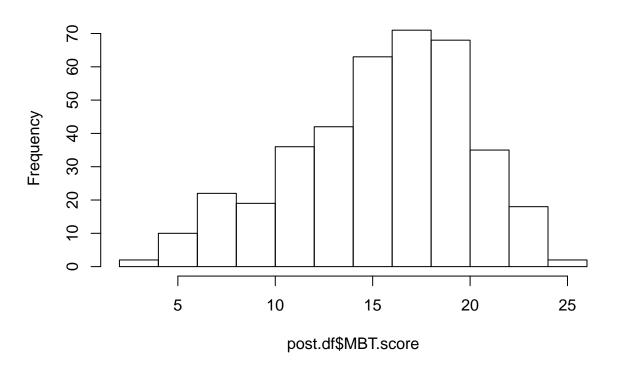
plot(pre.df\$MBT.score, pre.df\$PLIC.score)



Correlation and visualization (POST)

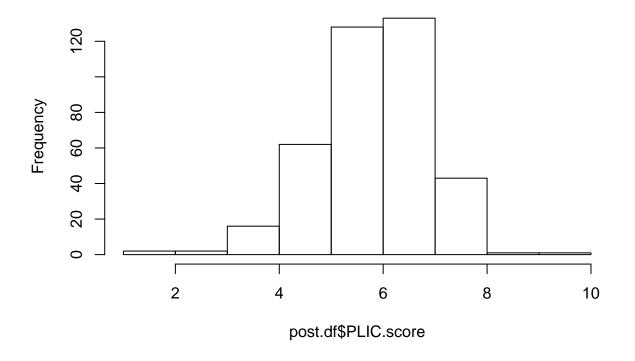
```
nrow(post.df)
## [1] 388
hist(post.df$MBT.score)
```

Histogram of post.df\$MBT.score



hist(post.df\$PLIC.score)

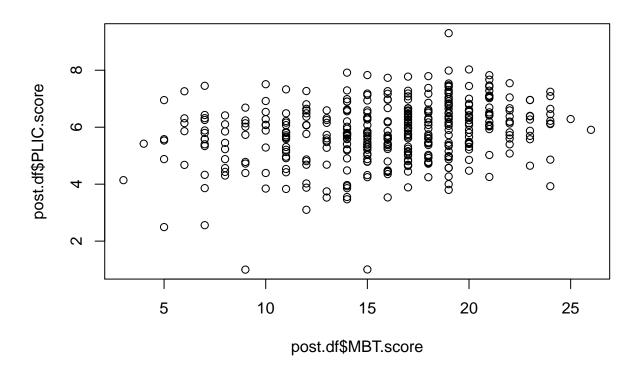
Histogram of post.df\$PLIC.score



```
cor(post.df$MBT.score, post.df$PLIC.score)
```

[1] 0.2585021

plot(post.df\$MBT.score, post.df\$PLIC.score)



SEM analysis

```
df <- inner_join(pre.df, post.df, by = 'student.id', suffix = c('.pre', '.post')) %>%
  filter(!duplicated(student.id)) %>%
  select(MBT.score.pre, MBT.score.post, PLIC.score.pre, PLIC.score.post)
mod <- '
  PLIC.score.pre ~ MBT.score.pre
  MBT.score.post ~ MBT.score.pre + PLIC.score.pre
  PLIC.score.post ~ PLIC.score.pre + MBT.score.post
fit <- sem(mod, df)
summary(fit, standardized = TRUE, fit.measures = TRUE, modindices = TRUE)
## lavaan 0.6-3 ended normally after 24 iterations
##
##
     Optimization method
                                                    NLMINB
##
     Number of free parameters
                                                         8
##
##
                                                       351
     Number of observations
##
                                                        ML
##
     Estimator
```

```
3.422
##
     Model Fit Test Statistic
##
     Degrees of freedom
##
     P-value (Chi-square)
                                                     0.064
##
## Model test baseline model:
##
##
    Minimum Function Test Statistic
                                                   171.372
     Degrees of freedom
##
                                                          6
##
     P-value
                                                     0.000
##
## User model versus baseline model:
##
                                                     0.985
##
     Comparative Fit Index (CFI)
##
     Tucker-Lewis Index (TLI)
                                                     0.912
##
## Loglikelihood and Information Criteria:
##
##
     Loglikelihood user model (HO)
                                                 -1975.730
##
     Loglikelihood unrestricted model (H1)
                                                 -1974.019
##
##
    Number of free parameters
                                                         8
##
     Akaike (AIC)
                                                  3967.461
##
     Bayesian (BIC)
                                                  3998.347
##
     Sample-size adjusted Bayesian (BIC)
                                                  3972.968
##
## Root Mean Square Error of Approximation:
##
     RMSEA
                                                     0.083
##
     90 Percent Confidence Interval
                                              0.000 0.187
##
     P-value RMSEA <= 0.05
##
                                                     0.183
##
## Standardized Root Mean Square Residual:
##
##
     SRMR
                                                     0.025
##
## Parameter Estimates:
##
##
     Information
                                                  Expected
##
     Information saturated (h1) model
                                                Structured
                                                  Standard
     Standard Errors
##
##
## Regressions:
                       Estimate Std.Err z-value P(>|z|)
                                                              Std.lv Std.all
##
##
     PLIC.score.pre ~
##
                          0.037
                                    0.014
                                             2.707
                                                      0.007
                                                                0.037
       MBT.score.pre
                                                                         0.143
##
     MBT.score.post ~
                          0.491
                                    0.049
                                                      0.000
                                                                0.491
                                                                         0.467
##
       MBT.score.pre
                                            10.125
##
                          0.695
                                    0.187
                                                      0.000
                                                                0.695
       PLIC.score.pre
                                             3.717
                                                                         0.171
##
     PLIC.score.post ~
                          0.249
                                                      0.000
                                                                0.249
##
       PLIC.score.pre
                                    0.049
                                             5.126
                                                                         0.262
##
                          0.047
                                    0.012
                                             3.900
                                                      0.000
                                                                0.047
                                                                         0.200
       MBT.score.post
##
## Variances:
                      Estimate Std.Err z-value P(>|z|)
##
                                                             Std.lv Std.all
```

```
##
      .PLIC.score.pre
                         1.167
                                  0.088
                                           13.248
                                                     0.000
                                                              1.167
                                                                       0.980
##
      .MBT.score.post
                        14.315
                                  1.081
                                           13.248
                                                     0.000
                                                             14.315
                                                                       0.730
##
      .PLIC.score.pst
                         0.931
                                  0.070
                                           13.248
                                                     0.000
                                                              0.931
                                                                       0.867
##
## Modification Indices:
##
##
                                                   epc sepc.lv sepc.all
                  lhs op
                                     rhs
                                             mi
## 11 PLIC.score.pre ~~ PLIC.score.post 3.406 -0.816
                                                       -0.816
                                                                 -0.783
## 12 MBT.score.post ~~ PLIC.score.post 3.406 -0.756
                                                        -0.756
                                                                 -0.207
       PLIC.score.pre ~ PLIC.score.post 3.406 -0.876
                                                        -0.876
                                                                 -0.832
## 15 MBT.score.post ~ PLIC.score.post 3.406 -0.812
                                                        -0.812
                                                                 -0.190
## 16 PLIC.score.post ~
                           MBT.score.pre 3.406 0.026
                                                         0.026
                                                                  0.105
        MBT.score.pre ~ PLIC.score.post 3.406 0.493
## 19
                                                         0.493
                                                                  0.122
##
      sepc.nox
## 11
        -0.783
## 12
        -0.207
## 14
        -0.832
## 15
        -0.190
## 16
         0.025
## 19
         0.122
```

semPaths(fit, whatLabels = 'std', edge.color = 'black', edge.label.cex = 1.5, curve = 2, sizeMan = 12,

