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Question 1 | Composite Path Models using PLS-PM

```
sec = read.csv("security_data_sem.csv")
```

a. Create a PLS model with specific characteristics

i. Measurement Model

```
# Measurement Model
sec_intxn_mm <- constructs(
  composite("TRUST", multi_items("TRST", 1:4)),
  composite("SEC", multi_items("PSEC", 1:4)),
  composite("REP", multi_items("PREP", 1:4)),
  composite("INV", multi_items("PINV", 1:3)),
  composite("POL", multi_items("PPSS", 1:3)),
  composite("FAML", single_item("FAML1")),
  interaction_term(iv = "REP", moderator = "INV", method = orthogonal)
)</pre>
```

ii. Strutural Model

```
# Structural Model
sec_intxn_sm <- relationships(
  paths(from = c("REP", "INV", "POL", "FAML", "REP*INV"), to = "SEC"),
  paths(from = "SEC", to = "TRUST")
)</pre>
```

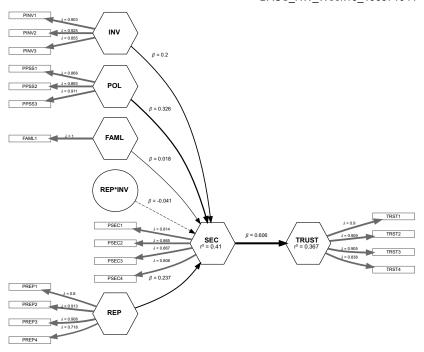
b. Show the following results

```
## Generating the seminr model
```

All 405 observations are valid.

i. Plot a figure of the estimated model

```
plot(sec_intxn_pls)
```



ii. Weights and loadings of composites

```
sec_report <- summary(sec_intxn_pls)</pre>
# Weiahts
sec_report$weights
##
                       INV
                             POL FAML REP*INV SEC TRUST
## TRST1
               0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                        0.000 0.000 0.282
## TRST2
               0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.000 0.000 0.280
               0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
## TRST3
                                         0.000 0.000 0.286
## TRST4
               0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.000 0.000 0.278
## PSEC1
               0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.000 0.279 0.000
## PSEC2
               0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.000 0.313 0.000
              0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
## PSEC3
                                         0.000 0.306 0.000
## PSEC4
               0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.000 0.293 0.000
## PREP1
               0.215 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.000 0.000 0.000
## PRFP2
              0.334 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.000 0.000 0.000
## PREP3
               0.349 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.000 0.000 0.000
## PREP4
               0.287 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.000 0.000 0.000
## PINV1
               0.000 0.363 0.000 0.000
                                         0.000 0.000 0.000
## PINV2
               0.000 0.395 0.000 0.000
                                         0.000 0.000 0.000
              0.000 0.359 0.000 0.000
## PINV3
                                         0.000 0.000 0.000
## PPSS1
               0.000 0.000 0.360 0.000
                                         0.000 0.000 0.000
## PPSS2
               0.000 0.000 0.395 0.000
                                         0.000 0.000 0.000
## PPSS3
               0.000 0.000 0.367 0.000
                                         0.000 0.000 0.000
## FAML1
               0.000 0.000 0.000 1.000
                                         0.000 0.000 0.000
## PREP1*PINV1 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.196 0.000 0.000
## PREP1*PINV2 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.124 0.000 0.000
## PREP1*PINV3 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.125 0.000 0.000
## PREP2*PINV1 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.053 0.000 0.000
## PREP2*PINV2 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.066 0.000 0.000
## PREP2*PINV3 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.083 0.000 0.000
## PREP3*PINV1 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.139 0.000 0.000
## PREP3*PINV2 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.147 0.000 0.000
## PREP3*PINV3 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.089 0.000 0.000
## PREP4*PINV1 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.065 0.000 0.000
## PREP4*PINV2 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.109 0.000 0.000
## PREP4*PINV3 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.068 0.000 0.000
# Loadings
sec_report$loadings
```

```
REP
                       INV
                             POL
                                   FAML REP*INV
                                                  SEC TRUST
## TRST1
              0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.000 0.000
                                                       0.900
## TRST2
              0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         -0.000 0.000
                                                       0.909
## TRST3
              0.000 0.000 0.000
                                  0.000
                                         -0.000 0.000
                                                       0.905
## TRST4
              0.000 0.000
                           0.000
                                  0.000
                                         -0.000 0.000
                                                       0.838
## PSEC1
              0.000 0.000 0.000
                                  0.000
                                         -0.000 0.814
                                                       0.000
## PSEC2
              0.000 0.000
                           0.000
                                  0.000
                                         -0.000 0.865
                                                       0.000
## PSEC3
              0.000 0.000
                           0.000
                                  0.000
                                         -0.000 0.867
                                                       0.000
              0.000 0.000 0.000
## PSEC4
                                  0.000
                                         -0.000 0.808
## PREP1
              0.800 0.000 0.000
                                         0.000 0.000
                                  0.000
                                                       0.000
## PREP2
              0.913 0.000
                            0.000
                                  0.000
                                         -0.000
                                                0.000
                                                       0.000
## PREP3
              0.908 0.000 0.000
                                 0.000
                                         -0.000 0.000
                                                       0.000
## PREP4
              0.718 0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         0.000 0.000
                                                       0.000
## PINV1
              0.000 0.903
                            0.000
                                  0.000
                                         -0.000
                                                0.000
                                                       0.000
## PINV2
              0.000 0.925 0.000 0.000
                                         -0.000 0.000
                                                       0.000
## PINV3
              0.000 0.855 0.000 0.000
                                         -0.000 0.000
                                                       0.000
## PPSS1
              0.000 0.000
                            0.868
                                  0.000
                                         -0.000
                                                0.000
                                                       0.000
## PPSS2
              0.000 0.000 0.893 0.000
                                         -0.000 0.000
                                                       0.000
## PPSS3
              0.000 0.000 0.911 0.000
                                         -0.000 0.000
                                                       0.000
## FAML1
              0.000 0.000 0.000
                                         -0.000 0.000
                                  1.000
## PREP1*PINV1 -0.000 -0.000 -0.000 0.000 0.933 -0.000 -0.000
## PREP1*PINV2 -0.000 -0.000 -0.000 0.000 0.786 -0.000 -0.000
## PREP1*PINV3 0.000 0.000 -0.000 0.000
                                          0.828 -0.000 -0.000
## PREP2*PINV1 -0.000 -0.000 -0.000 0.000 0.942 -0.000 0.000
## PREP2*PINV2 0.000 0.000 -0.000 -0.000 0.982 -0.000
                                                       0.000
                                                       0.000
## PREP2*PINV3 0.000 0.000 -0.000 -0.000 0.954 -0.000
## PREP3*PINV1 -0.000 -0.000 -0.000 -0.000 0.978 -0.000 -0.000
## PREP3*PINV2 -0.000 -0.000 -0.000 -0.000 0.978 -0.000 -0.000
## PREP3*PINV3 0.000 0.000 -0.000 -0.000 0.935 -0.000
                                                       0.000
## PREP4*PINV1 0.000 0.000 -0.000 -0.000
                                          0.822 -0.000
                                                       0.000
## PREP4*PINV2 0.000 0.000 -0.000 -0.000
                                          0.881 -0.000
                                                       0.000
## PREP4*PINV3 -0.000 -0.000 -0.000 0.000 0.723 -0.000
```

iii. Regression coefficients of paths between factors

iv. Bootstrapped path coefficients: t-values, 95% CI

```
boot_pls <- bootstrap_model(sec_intxn_pls, nboot = 1000)

## Bootstrapping model using seminr...

## SEMinR Model successfully bootstrapped

summary(boot_pls)</pre>
```

```
## Results from Bootstrap resamples: 1000
## Bootstrapped Structural Paths:
##
                 Original Est. Bootstrap Mean Bootstrap SD T Stat. 2.5% CI
                                  0.236
                                             0.059 4.030 0.119
## REP -> SEC
                   0.237
## INV -> SEC
                        0.200
                                      0.199
                                                  0.059 3.370
                                                                0.082
## POL -> SEC
                                                 0.054 6.019 0.226
                        0.326
                                      0.333
                                             0.062 0.286 -0.102
0.046 -0.896 -0.119
0.035 17.173 0.536
## FAML -> SEC
## FAML -> SEC ## REP*INV -> SEC -0.041
                       0.018
                                     0.016
                                     -0.050
## SEC -> TRUST
                        0.606
                                      0.608
                  97.5% CI
## REP -> SEC
                  0.341
## INV -> SEC
                    0.315
## POL -> SEC
## FAML -> SEC
                    0.142
## REP*INV -> SEC
                    0.111
## SEC -> TRUST
                    0.674
##
## Bootstrapped Weights:
                         Original Est. Bootstrap Mean Bootstrap SD T Stat.
##
## TRST1 -> TRUST
                                0.282
                                             0.282
                                                         0.015 18.607
## TRST2 -> TRUST
                                0.280
                                             0.280
                                                         0.016 17.694
## TRST3 -> TRUST
                                0.286
                                             0.285
                                                         0.016 18.164
## TRST4 -> TRUST
                                0.278
                                             0.278
                                                         0.020 13.891
## PSEC1 -> SEC
                               0.279
                                             0.278
                                                         0.016 17.872
                               0.313
## PSEC2 -> SEC
                                                         0.017 18.591
                                             0.313
                              0.306
## PSEC3 -> SEC
                                            0.306
                                                         0.016 18.941
                               0.293
0.215
                                             0.293
                                                         0.018 16.415
## PSEC4 -> SEC
## PREP1 -> REP
                                             0.215
                                                         0.027
                                                                7.899
                                                         0.019 17.299
## PREP2 ->
                               0.334
                                             0.333
## PREP3 -> REP
                               0.349
                                             0.348
                                                         0.022 15.957
## PREP4 ->
            REP
                               0.287
                                             0.286
                                                         0.026 11.144
## PINV1 -> INV
                               0.363
                                             0.362
                                                         0.025 14.804
                                             0.395
                                                         0.025 15.730
## PINV2 -> INV
                               0.395
## PINV3 ->
            {\sf INV}
                                0.359
                                             0.359
                                                         0.028 12.819
                               0.360
                                             0.360
                                                         0.023 15.731
## PPSS1 -> POL
                                0.395
                                             0.396
## PPSS2 -> POL
                                                         0.023 17.135
                                             0.367
                                                         0.020
## PPSS3 ->
            POL
                                0.367
                                                                18.767
## FAML1 -> FAML
                                1.000
                                             1.000
                                                         0.000
## PREP1*PINV1 -> REP*INV
                                0.196
                                             0.205
                                                         0.185
                                                                1.057
## PREP1*PINV2 ->
                  REP*INV
                                0.124
                                             0.132
                                                         0.142
## PREP1*PINV3 -> REP*INV
                                0.125
                                             0.139
                                                         0.117
                                                                1.075
## PREP2*PINV1 -> REP*INV
                                0.053
                                             0.040
                                                         0.118
                                                                0.448
## PREP2*PINV2 -> REP*INV
                                0.066
                                             0.045
                                                         0.114
## PREP2*PINV3 -> REP*INV
                               0.083
                                             0.076
                                                         0.086
                                                                0.973
## PREP3*PINV1 -> REP*INV
                               0.139
                                             0.121
                                                         0.101
                                                                1.379
## PREP3*PINV2 -> REP*INV
                               0.147
                                             0.119
                                                         0.110
                                                                 1.340
## PREP3*PINV3 -> REP*INV
                               0.089
                                             0.076
                                                         0.105
                                                                 0.849
## PREP4*PINV1 -> REP*INV
                                0.065
                                             0.053
                                                         0.113
                                                                 0.575
                                0.109
## PREP4*PINV2 -> REP*INV
                                             0.089
                                                         0.100
                                                                 1.093
## PREP4*PINV3 -> REP*INV
                                0.068
                                              0.069
                                                         0.095
                                                                 0.716
                      2.5% CI 97.5% CI
                          0.252 0.313
## TRST1 -> TRUST
## TRST2 -> TRUST
                          0.250
                                  0.312
## TRST3 -> TRUST
                         0.253
                                 0.315
## TRST4 -> TRUST
                          0.238
                                  0.318
## PSEC1 -> SEC
                          0.249
                                   0.309
## PSEC2 -> SEC
                         0.279
                                   0.347
## PSEC3 -> SEC
                          0.277
                                  0.339
## PSEC4 ->
            SEC
                          0.260
                                   0.331
## PREP1 -> REP
                         0.155
                                  0.263
## PREP2 -> REP
                          0.300
                                  0.375
## PREP3 ->
            REP
                          0.307
## PREP4 -> REP
                          0.240
                                  0.337
## PINV1 -> INV
                          0.314
                                   0.414
## PINV2 -> INV
                          0.345
                                   0.441
## PINV3 -> INV
                          0.307
                                   0.416
## PPSS1 -> POL
                          0.314
                                   0.401
## PPSS2 -> POL
                          0.356
                                   0.446
## PPSS3 -> POL
                          0.328
                                   0.406
## FAML1 -> FAML
                          1.000
## PREP1*PINV1 -> REP*INV -0.300
                                   0.627
## PREP1*PINV2 -> REP*INV -0.177
                                   0.446
## PREP1*PINV3 -> REP*INV -0.091
                                   0.408
## PREP2*PINV1 -> REP*INV -0.251
                                   0.230
## PREP2*PINV2 -> REP*INV -0.242
                                   0.216
## PREP2*PINV3 -> REP*INV -0.137
                                   0.226
## PREP3*PINV1 -> REP*INV -0.096
                                   0.287
## PREP3*PINV2 -> REP*INV -0.183
                                   0.302
## PREP3*PINV3 -> REP*INV -0.200
                                   0.259
## PREP4*PINV1 -> REP*INV -0.223
                                   0.266
```

```
## PREP4*PINV2 -> REP*INV -0.174
                                    0.262
## PREP4*PINV3 -> REP*INV -0.119
                                    0.260
##
## Bootstrapped Loadings:
                          Original Est. Bootstrap Mean Bootstrap SD T Stat.
##
## TRST1 -> TRUST
                                 0.900
                                               0.900
                                                           0.015 58.295
## TRST2 -> TRUST
                                 0.909
                                               0.910
                                                            0.020 45.920
## TRST3 -> TRUST
                                 0.905
                                               0.905
                                                           0.021 42.327
## TRST4 -> TRUST
                                 0.838
                                               0.840
                                                            0.031 26.866
## PSEC1 -> SEC
                                 0.814
                                               0.814
                                                            0.025 32.196
                                                           0.025 35.032
## PSEC2 -> SEC
                                 0.865
                                               0.864
## PSEC3 -> SEC
                                 0.867
                                               0.868
                                                            0.021 41.109
## PSEC4 -> SEC
                                 0.808
                                               0.808
                                                           0.025 32.566
## PREP1 ->
             REP
                                 0.800
                                               0.800
                                                            0.040 20.180
## PREP2 -> REP
                                 0.913
                                               0.914
                                                            0.016 57.464
## PRFP3 -> RFP
                                 0.908
                                               0.909
                                                            0.020 46.094
## PREP4 ->
             REP
                                 0.718
                                               0.718
                                                            0.033 21.606
## PINV1 -> INV
                                 0.903
                                               0.903
                                                           0.025 36.024
                                 0.925
                                               0.925
                                                            0.021 43.181
## PINV2 -> INV
                                 0.855
                                                            0.026
## PINV3 ->
             INV
                                               0.856
                                                                  32.844
## PPSS1 -> POL
                                 0.868
                                               0.866
                                                           0.025 34.424
## PPSS2 -> POL
                                 0.893
                                               0.894
                                                            0.014 65.495
                                                            0.017
## PPSS3 ->
                                 0.911
                                               0.910
                                 1.000
                                               1.000
                                                            0.000
## FAML1 -> FAML
## PREP1*PINV1 -> REP*INV
                                 0.933
                                               0.870
                                                            0.197
                                                                   4.739
## PREP1*PINV2 ->
                  REP*INV
                                 0.786
                                               0.760
                                                            0.229
                                                                   3.428
## PREP1*PINV3 -> REP*INV
                                 0.828
                                               0.780
                                                            0.212
                                                                   3.909
## PREP2*PINV1 -> REP*INV
                                 0.942
                                               0.848
                                                            0.198
                                                                   4.756
## PREP2*PINV2 -> REP*INV
                                 0.982
                                               0.883
                                                            0.209
                                                                   4.707
## PREP2*PINV3 -> REP*INV
                                 0.954
                                               0.861
                                                            0.210
                                                                   4.551
## PREP3*PINV1 -> REP*INV
                                 0.978
                                               0.888
                                                            0.194
                                                                   5.031
                                 0.978
                                               0.890
                                                            0.206
## PREP3*PINV2 -> REP*INV
                                                                   4.758
## PREP3*PINV3 -> REP*INV
                                 0.935
                                               0.846
                                                            0.215
                                                                   4.348
## PREP4*PINV1 -> REP*INV
                                 0.822
                                               0.742
                                                            0.197
                                                                   4.166
## PREP4*PINV2 -> REP*INV
                                 0.881
                                               0.795
                                                            0.198
                                                                   4,441
## PREP4*PINV3 -> REP*INV
                                 0.723
                                               0.655
                                                            0.188
                                                                   3.850
                       2.5% CI 97.5% CI
## TRST1 -> TRUST
                           0.867
                                   0.927
## TRST2 -> TRUST
                           0.869
                                    0.942
                           0.854
                                    0.940
## TRST3 -> TRUST
## TRST4 -> TRUST
                           0.772
                                    0.893
## PSEC1 ->
                            0.758
            SEC
                                    0.859
## PSEC2 -> SEC
                           0.810
                                    0.906
## PSEC3 -> SEC
                           0.823
                                    0.906
## PSEC4 ->
            SEC
                            0.756
                                    0.853
## PREP1 -> REP
                           0.712
                                    0.867
## PREP2 -> REP
                            0.879
                                    0.942
## PREP3 ->
            REP
                            0.866
                                    0.941
## PRFP4 -> RFP
                           0.650
                                    0.778
## PINV1 -> INV
                            0.845
                                    0.946
## PINV2 ->
            INV
                            0.879
                                    0.960
## PINV3 -> INV
                           0.799
                                    0.901
## PPSS1 -> POL
                            0.807
                                    0.906
## PPSS2 -> POL
                            0.867
                                    0.918
## PPSS3 -> POL
                            0.873
                                    0.937
## FAML1 -> FAML
                            1.000
## PREP1*PINV1 -> REP*INV
                           0.280
                                    1.093
## PREP1*PINV2 -> REP*INV
                            0.175
                                    1.077
## PREP1*PINV3 -> REP*INV
                           0.168
                                    1.059
## PREP2*PINV1 -> REP*INV
                           0.242
                                    1.085
## PREP2*PINV2 -> REP*INV
                            0.244
                                    1.108
## PREP2*PINV3 -> REP*INV
                           0.181
                                    1.085
## PREP3*PINV1 -> REP*INV
                            0.293
                                    1.108
## PREP3*PINV2 -> REP*INV
                            0.235
                                    1.101
## PREP3*PINV3 -> REP*INV
                           0.128
                                    1.073
## PREP4*PINV1 -> REP*INV
                           0.174
                                    0.996
## PREP4*PINV2 -> REP*INV
                            0.195
                                    1.025
## PREP4*PINV3 -> REP*INV
                           0.168
                                    0.912
##
## Bootstrapped HTMT:
                    Original Est. Bootstrap Mean Bootstrap SD 2.5% CI 97.5% CI
##
## REP -> INV
                           0.705
                                                      0.050 0.598
                                                                      0.791
                                     0.702
                                                      0.059
## REP
      -> POL
                            0.543
                                          0.542
                                                             0.421
                                                                      0.652
## RFP
      -> FAML
                           0.599
                                          0.599
                                                      0.056
                                                             0.483
                                                                      0.699
                            0.000
                                          0.000
## REP -> REP*INV
                                                      0.000
                                                              0.000
                           0.595
                                          0.593
## REP
                                                      0.045
                                                             0.496
                                                                      0.674
      -> SEC
## REP
      -> TRUST
                            0.682
                                          0.680
                                                      0.044
                                                             0.586
                                                                      0.761
## INV
      -> POL
                            0.498
                                          0.500
                                                      0.057
                                                             0.390
                                                                      0.607
## INV -> FAML
                            0.494
                                          0.492
                                                      0.056
                                                             0.382
                                                                      0.599
## INV
           REP*INV
                            0.000
                                          0.000
                                                      0.000
                                                              0.000
                                                                      0.000
      ->
## INV -> SEC
                            0.568
                                          0.566
                                                      0.048
                                                             0.465
                                                                      0.655
                                                      0.050
                                                             9.467
## INV -> TRUST
                            0.563
                                          0.562
                                                                      0.658
## POL
          FAML
                            0.596
                                          0.595
                                                      0.051
                                                              0.488
                                                                      0.688
```

```
0.123
## POL -> REP*INV
                         0.113
                                                0.053 0.519
                                                               0.722
## POL -> SEC
                        0.622
                                     0.625
## POL -> TRUST
                        0.458
                                     0.459
                                                 0.058 0.337
                                                               0.570
## FAML -> REP*INV
                         0.036
                                     0.059
                                                 0.023
                                                       0.027
                                                0.053 0.345
## FAML -> SEC
                        0.455
                                     0.453
                                                               0.552
## FAML -> TRUST
                        0.471
                                     0.470
                                                 0.053 0.366
                                                               0.575
## REP*INV -> SEC
                         0.081
                                     0.090
                                                 0.028
                                                       0.048
                                                               0.154
## REP*INV -> TRUST
                                                 0.017 0.048
                        0.056
                                     0.076
                                                               0.113
## SEC -> TRUST
                         0.685
                                      0.684
                                                 0.037 0.610
                                                               0.750
##
## Bootstrapped Total Paths:
              Original Est. Bootstrap Mean Bootstrap SD 2.5% CI 97.5% CI
## REP -> SEC
                                                0.059
                                                       0.119
                       0.237
                                     0.236
## REP -> TRUST
                        0.144
                                     0.144
                                                 0.038 0.072
                                                               0.216
## INV -> SEC
                        0.200
                                     0.199
                                               0.059 0.082
                                                               0.315
                                                0.037 0.047
0.054 0.226
## TNV -> TRUST
                        0.121
                                     0.121
                                                               0.192
## POL -> SEC
                        0.326
                                     0.333
                                                               0.440
                                                0.036 0.134
## POL -> TRUST
                       0.197
                                   0.202
                                                               0.274
## FAML -> SEC
                        0.018
                                     0.016
                                                0.062 -0.102
                                                               0.142
## FAML -> TRUST
                         0.011
                                     0.010
                                                 0.038 -0.061
                                     -0.050
## REP*INV -> SEC
                        -0.041
                                                0.046 -0.119
                                                               0.111
## REP*INV -> TRUST
                                     -0.030
                        -0.025
                                                 0.028 -0.073
                                                               0.068
## SEC -> TRUST
                         0.606
                                     0.608
                                                 0.035 0.536
```

Question 2 | Common-Factor Models using CB-SEM

a. Create a common factor model with specific characteristics

i. Measurement Model

```
# Measurement Model
sec_cf_mm <- constructs(
  reflective("TRUST", multi_items("TRST", 1:4)),
  reflective("SEC", multi_items("PSEC", 1:4)),
  reflective("REP", multi_items("PREP", 1:4)),
  reflective("INV", multi_items("PINV", 1:3)),
  reflective("INV", multi_items("PINV", 1:3)),
  reflective("POL", multi_items("PPSS", 1:3)),
  reflective("FAML", single_item("FAML1")),
  interaction_term(iv = "REP", moderator = "INV", method = orthogonal)
)</pre>
```

ii. Structural Model

```
# Structural Model
sec_cf_sm <- relationships(
  paths(from = c("REP", "INV", "POL", "FAML", "REP*INV"), to = "SEC"),
  paths(from = "SEC", to = "TRUST")
)</pre>
```

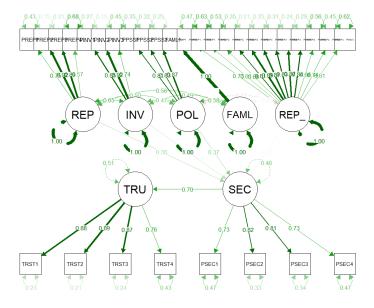
b. Show the following results

```
## Generating the seminr model for CBSEM
```

Plot a figure of the estimated model

```
plot(sec_cf_pls)

## Plotting of lavaan models using semPlot.
```



NULL

ii. Loadings of composites

sec_cf_report <- summary(sec_cf_pls)</pre>

sec_cf_report\$loadings

##		TRUST	SEC	REP	INV	POL	FAML
##	TRST1	0.8799615	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
##	TRST2	0.8886292	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
##	TRST3	0.8691222	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
##	TRST4	0.7576208	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
##	PSEC1	NA	0.7310608	NA	NA	NA	NA
##	PSEC2	NA	0.8177947	NA	NA	NA	NA
##	PSEC3	NA	0.8149511	NA	NA	NA	NA
##	PSEC4	NA	0.7258615	NA	NA	NA	NA
##	PREP1	NA	NA	0.7549368	NA	NA	NA
##	PREP2	NA	NA	0.9199005	NA	NA	NA
##	PREP3	NA	NA	0.8872517	NA	NA	NA
##	PREP4	NA	NA	0.5650606	NA	NA	NA
##	PINV1	NA	NA	NA	0.8543652	NA	NA
##	PINV2	NA	NA	NA	0.9229589	NA	NA
##	PINV3	NA	NA	NA	0.7401577	NA	NA
##	PPSS1	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.8073277	NA
##	PPSS2	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.8252803	NA
##	PPSS3	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.8672083	NA
##	FAML1	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1

iii. Regression coefficients of paths between factors, and their p-values

sec_cf_report\$paths

```
## $coefficients
## R^2 0.540610045 0.4946551
## REP 0.300978232 NA
## INV 0.214436466 NA
## POL 0.372316364 NA
## FAML -0.008638191 NA
## REP_x_INV -0.022641595 NA
## SEC NA 0.7033172
##
## $pvalues
## $ SEC TRUST
## REP 2.578779e-05 NA
## INV 3.803286e-03 NA
## POL 6.934418e-09 NA
## FAML 9.012472e-01 NA
## REP_x_INV 5.770046e-01 NA
## SEC NA 0
```