

This form documents the artifacts associated with the article (i.e., the data and code supporting the computational findings) and describes how to reproduce the findings.

Part 1: Data

- ☐ This paper does not involve analysis of external data (i.e., no data are used or the only data are generated by the authors via simulation in their code).
- ☒ I certify that the author(s) of the manuscript have legitimate access to and permission to use the data used in this manuscript.

Abstract

Availability

- ☒ Data **are** publicly available.
- ☐ Data **cannot be made** publicly available.

If the data are publicly available, see the *Publicly available data* section. Otherwise, see the *Non-publicly available data* section, below.

Publicly available data

- ☒ Data are available online at: <https://voteview.com/data>
- ☐ Data are available as part of the paper's supplementary material.
- ☐ Data are publicly available by request, following the process described here:
- ☐ Data are or will be made available through some other mechanism, described here:

Non-publicly available data

Description

File format(s)

- ☒ CSV or other plain text.
- ☐ Software-specific binary format (.Rda, Python pickle, etc.):
- ☐ Standardized binary format (e.g., netCDF, HDF5, etc.):
- ☐ Other (please specify):

Data dictionary

- ☐ Provided by authors in the following file(s):
- ☐ Data file(s) is(are) self-describing (e.g., netCDF files)
- ☒ Available at the following URL: <https://voteview.com/data>. Following the steps to download proper data. First, set the options in the website. Specifically, set (i) **Data Type=Congressional Votes**, (ii) **Chamber=Senate Only**, (iii) **Congress=All**, and (iv) **File Format=CSV (Recommended)**. Second, click the **Download Data** button to get the CSV file.

Additional Information (optional)

Part 2: Code

Abstract

We provide the code in reproducing the empirical sample complexity analysis, high-dimensional cases, and real-world data analysis

Description

Code format(s)

- ☒ Script files
 - ☒ R
 - ☐ Python
 - ☐ Matlab
 - ☐ Other:
- ☒ Package
 - ☒ R
 - ☐ Python
 - ☐ MATLAB toolbox
 - ☐ Other:
- ☐ Reproducible report
 - ☐ R Markdown
 - ☐ Jupyter notebook
 - ☐ Other:
- ☒ Shell script
- ☐ Other (please specify):

Supporting software requirements

Version of primary software used R version 4.1.2

Libraries and dependencies used by the code The package versions are summarized in `pkg.txt`.

Supporting system/hardware requirements (optional)

I conducted experiments on both MacOS and Linux platforms. So, the two platforms are recommended.

Parallelization used

- ☐ No parallel code used
- ☒ Multi-core parallelization on a single machine/node
 - Number of cores used: 45 cores
- ☐ Multi-machine/multi-node parallelization
 - Number of nodes and cores used:

License

- ☐ MIT License (default)
- ☐ BSD
- ☒ GPL v3.0
- ☐ Creative Commons
- ☐ Other: (please specify)

Additional information (optional)

Part 3: Reproducibility workflow

Scope

The provided workflow reproduces:

- ☐ Any numbers provided in text in the paper

- ☐ The computational method(s) presented in the paper (i.e., code is provided that implements the method(s))
- ☒ All tables and figures in the paper
- ☐ Selected tables and figures in the paper, as explained and justified below:

Workflow

- **simu_degree.R**: conduct experiments for empirical sample complexity analysis on the degree. It is essential for reproducing Figure 1 and Table S1.
- **simu_beta.R**: conduct experiments for empirical sample complexity analysis on the “maximum” signal. It reproduces Figure 2 and Figure S1.
- **simu_high.R**: conduct experiments for high-dimensional cases. It is helpful for reproducing Figure 3 and Figure S2.
- **simu_p.R**: empirical sample complexity analysis on the dimension. It is essential for reproducing Figure S3.
- **simu_ws.R**: empirical sample complexity analysis on the weakest signal. It reproduces Figure S4.
- **batch.sh**: the shell script for various experiments

Location

The workflow is available:

- ☐ As part of the paper’s supplementary material.
- ☒ In this Git repository: to maintain anonymity during the review process, we have kept the code repository private. Our code and workflow will be published on github.com once it gets acceptance.
- ☐ Other (please specify):

Format(s)

- ☐ Single master code file
- ☒ Wrapper (shell) script(s)
- ☐ Self-contained R Markdown file, Jupyter notebook, or other literate programming approach
- ☒ Text file (e.g., a readme-style file) that documents workflow
- ☐ Makefile
- ☐ Other (more detail in *Instructions* below)

Instructions

Conduct the following code to reproduce the results in **simulation studies**:

```
chmod 777 batch.sh
./batch.sh
```

Following **README.md** in the **voting** directory to get results in **real-world data analysis**.

Expected run-time

Approximate time needed to reproduce the analyses on a standard desktop machine:

- ☐ < 1 minute
- ☐ 1-10 minutes
- ☐ 10-60 minutes
- ☐ 1-8 hours
- ☒ > 8 hours
- ☐ Not feasible to run on a desktop machine, as described here:

Additional information (optional)

Notes (optional)