

# Data 102 Final Project Bayesian Hierarchical Modelling

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## 1 Bayesian Hierarchical Modeling

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```
[169]: import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
import pymc3 as pm
```

```
[170]: with pm.Model() as model:
        dummy = pm.Beta('dummy', alpha=1, beta=1)
        pm.sample(1)
```

```
/var/folders/r2/k7ydhtv97nvfmfl71y382zy40000gn/T/ipykernel_9941/1311453619.py:3:
FutureWarning: In v4.0, pm.sample will return an `arviz.InferenceData` object
instead of a `MultiTrace` by default. You can pass return_inferencedata=True or
return_inferencedata=False to be safe and silence this warning.
```

```
pm.sample(1)
Only 1 samples in chain.
Auto-assigning NUTS sampler...
Initializing NUTS using jitter+adapt_diag...
Multiprocess sampling (4 chains in 4 jobs)
NUTS: [dummy]
```

```
<IPython.core.display.HTML object>
```

```
Sampling 4 chains for 1_000 tune and 1 draw iterations (4_000 + 4 draws total)
took 16 seconds.
```

```
/Users/alanjian/opt/anaconda3/envs/pymc3_env/lib/python3.9/site-
packages/arviz/data/base.py:216: UserWarning: More chains (4) than draws (1).
Passed array should have shape (chains, draws, *shape)
```

```
warnings.warn(
/Users/alanjian/opt/anaconda3/envs/pymc3_env/lib/python3.9/site-
packages/pymc3/sampling.py:643: UserWarning: The number of samples is too small
```

to check convergence reliably.

```
warnings.warn("The number of samples is too small to check convergence reliably.")
```

## 2 Data Cleaning

Here, we take a bunch of steps to clean up our data and make it suitable for future work. Here are a series of steps that we took:

### 2.1 Importing Data

We started by importing the data.

In our study we are interested in the following highly polarized issues. To find these, we highlighted differences in the republican and democratic platforms (links below):

<https://democrats.org/where-we-stand/party-platform/>

[https://prod-cdn-static.gop.com/media/documents/DRAFT\\_12\\_FINAL%5B1%5D-ben\\_1468872234.pdf](https://prod-cdn-static.gop.com/media/documents/DRAFT_12_FINAL%5B1%5D-ben_1468872234.pdf)

<https://www2.deloitte.com/us/en/pages/public-sector/articles/top-national-issues.html>

**Abortion** (ABANY): Please tell me whether or not you think it should be possible for a pregnant woman to obtain a legal abortion if the woman wants it for any reason?

**Gun Regulation** (GUNLAW): Would you favor or oppose a law which would require a person to obtain a police permit before he or she could buy a gun?

**Homosexuality** (HOMOSEX): What about sexual relations between two adults of the same sex—do you think it is always wrong, almost always wrong, wrong only sometimes, or not wrong at all?

**Existence of Racial Discrimination** (RACDIF1): On the average (Negroes/Blacks/African-Americans) have worse jobs, income, and housing than white people. Do you think these differences are mainly due to discrimination?

**Investment in Environmental Protection** (NATENVIR): We are faced with many problems in this country, none of which can be solved easily or inexpensively. I'm going to name some of these problems, and for each one I'd like you to name some of these problems, and for each one I'd like you to tell me whether you think we're spending too much money on it, too little money, or about the right amount. Are we spending too much, too little, or about the right amount on improving and protecting the environment?

**Investment in National Defense** (NATARMS): We are faced with many problems in this country, none of which can be solved easily or inexpensively. I'm going to name some of these problems, and for each one I'd like you to tell me whether you think we're spending too much money on it, too little money, or about the right amount. Are we spending too much, too little, or about the right amount on national defense?

**Investment in Welfare** (NATFARE): We are faced with many problems in this country, none of which can be solved easily or inexpensively. I'm going to name some of these problems, and for each one I'd like you to name some of these problems, and for each one I'd like you to tell me whether

you think we're spending too much money on it, too little money, or about the right amount. Are we spending too much, too little, or about the right amount on Welfare?

**Investment in Social Security (NATSOC):** We are faced with many problems in this country, none of which can be solved easily or inexpensively. I'm going to name some of these problems, and for each one I'd like you to name some of these problems, and for each one I'd like you to tell me whether you think we're spending too much money on it, too little money, or about the right amount. Are we spending too much, too little, or about the right amount on Social Security

```
[522]: labels = ['YEAR', 'POLVIEWS', 'ABANY', 'GUNLAW', 'HOMOSEX', 'RACDIF1',
               ↪ 'NATENVIR', 'NATARMS', 'NATFARE', 'NATSOC']
```

```
[523]: origlocation = "./GSS/GSS7218_R3"
       alanLoc = "~/Downloads/GSS_spss/GSS7218_R3.sav"

       pol = pd.read_spss(alanLoc, usecols=labels,
                          convert_categoricals=True)
```

## 2.2 Initial Transformations

Additionally, we make some further modifications, chopping off any data prior to 2000s (because we're interested in the period between 2000-2018).

```
[524]: pol = pol[pol['YEAR'] >= 2000]
       pol
```

```
[524]:
```

	YEAR		POLVIEWS	NATENVIR	NATARMS	NATFARE \
38116	2000.0	SLGHTLY	CONSERVATIVE	TOO LITTLE	TOO MUCH	TOO MUCH
38117	2000.0		CONSERVATIVE	NaN	NaN	NaN
38118	2000.0		CONSERVATIVE	TOO LITTLE	TOO LITTLE	ABOUT RIGHT
38119	2000.0	SLGHTLY	CONSERVATIVE	TOO LITTLE	TOO MUCH	TOO MUCH
38120	2000.0		SLIGHTLY LIBERAL	NaN	NaN	NaN
...	...		...	...	...	...
64809	2018.0		MODERATE	TOO LITTLE	ABOUT RIGHT	TOO LITTLE
64810	2018.0	SLGHTLY	CONSERVATIVE	ABOUT RIGHT	ABOUT RIGHT	ABOUT RIGHT
64811	2018.0		MODERATE	NaN	NaN	NaN
64812	2018.0		CONSERVATIVE	ABOUT RIGHT	TOO LITTLE	TOO MUCH
64813	2018.0		NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN
		NATSOC	GUNLAW ABANY	HOMOSEX	RACDIF1	
38116	TOO LITTLE	OPPOSE	NO	NOT WRONG AT ALL	NO	
38117	TOO LITTLE	FAVOR	NO	NaN	NaN	
38118	ABOUT RIGHT	NaN	NaN	NaN	NO	
38119	TOO LITTLE	NaN	NaN	NaN	NO	
38120	ABOUT RIGHT	NaN	NaN	NaN	NO	
...	...	...	...	...	...	
64809	ABOUT RIGHT	OPPOSE	YES	NOT WRONG AT ALL	YES	
64810	TOO LITTLE	OPPOSE	NO	NaN	NO	

64811	ABOUT RIGHT	FAVOR	NO	NOT WRONG AT ALL	NaN
64812	TOO LITTLE	NaN	NaN	NaN	NO
64813	TOO LITTLE	FAVOR	NO	NaN	NaN

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Since we're most interested in political viewpoint, and it was asked of everyone, we will remove individuals who did not respond, since updates that correspond with those data are not informative.

```
[525]: pol = pol[~pol['POLVIEWS'].isna()]
pol
```

```
[525]:
```

	YEAR		POLVIEWS	NATENVIR	NATARMS	NATFARE \
38116	2000.0	SLGHTLY	CONSERVATIVE	TOO LITTLE	TOO MUCH	TOO MUCH
38117	2000.0		CONSERVATIVE	NaN	NaN	NaN
38118	2000.0		CONSERVATIVE	TOO LITTLE	TOO LITTLE	ABOUT RIGHT
38119	2000.0	SLGHTLY	CONSERVATIVE	TOO LITTLE	TOO MUCH	TOO MUCH
38120	2000.0		SLIGHTLY LIBERAL	NaN	NaN	NaN
...	...		...	...	...	...
64808	2018.0		MODERATE	ABOUT RIGHT	ABOUT RIGHT	TOO MUCH
64809	2018.0		MODERATE	TOO LITTLE	ABOUT RIGHT	TOO LITTLE
64810	2018.0	SLGHTLY	CONSERVATIVE	ABOUT RIGHT	ABOUT RIGHT	ABOUT RIGHT
64811	2018.0		MODERATE	NaN	NaN	NaN
64812	2018.0		CONSERVATIVE	ABOUT RIGHT	TOO LITTLE	TOO MUCH

	NATSOC	GUNLAW	ABANY	HOMOSEX	RACDIF1
38116	TOO LITTLE	OPPOSE	NO	NOT WRONG AT ALL	NO
38117	TOO LITTLE	FAVOR	NO	NaN	NaN
38118	ABOUT RIGHT	NaN	NaN	NaN	NO
38119	TOO LITTLE	NaN	NaN	NaN	NO
38120	ABOUT RIGHT	NaN	NaN	NaN	NO
...	...	...	...	...	...
64808	TOO LITTLE	FAVOR	NO	SOMETIMES WRONG	NaN
64809	ABOUT RIGHT	OPPOSE	YES	NOT WRONG AT ALL	YES
64810	TOO LITTLE	OPPOSE	NO	NaN	NO
64811	ABOUT RIGHT	FAVOR	NO	NOT WRONG AT ALL	NaN
64812	TOO LITTLE	NaN	NaN	NaN	NO

[22849 rows x 10 columns]

```
[526]: # sanity check to make sure we're including all the right years.
sorted(causal['YEAR'].value_counts().index)
```

```
[526]: [2000.0,
2002.0,
2004.0,
2006.0,
```

```
2008.0,  
2010.0,  
2012.0,  
2014.0,  
2016.0,  
2018.0]
```

When comparing the data from the GSS data explorer and our extracted data, it looks like NaN values are comprised of three different types of users: 1. **Declined to Respond**: They did not respond to the prompt 2. **Don't Know**: They did not know enough about the subject to respond 3. **Not Applicable**: They were not asked the prompt

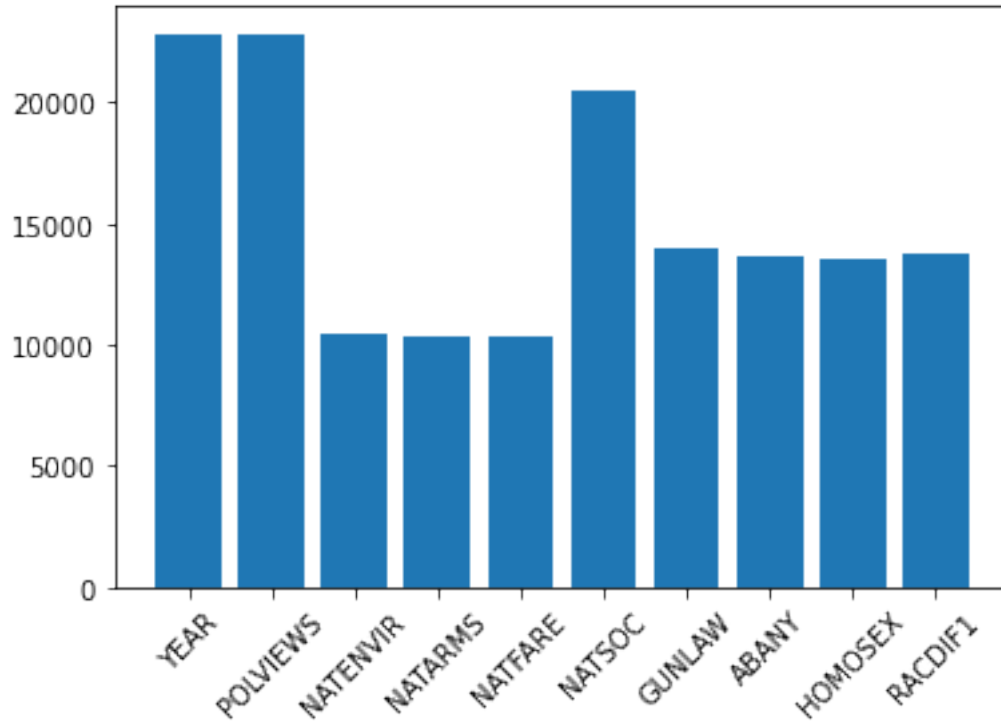
```
[527]: pol[['POLVIEWS']].isna().groupby('POLVIEWS').size()
```

```
[527]: POLVIEWS  
False    22849  
dtype: int64
```

An overwhelming majority of these NaNs are comprised of those who were never asked the question (>95%), so we can safely assume that they are missing completely at random (MCAR).

We can also see that, with a total size of 27000 respondents, a majority of these questions were only asked to roughly half of the individuals in the study, with the exception of self-reported political leaning, and opinion of investment in social security.

```
[528]: num_responses = np.sum(~pol.isna(), axis=0)  
plt.bar(num_responses.index, num_responses)  
plt.xticks(rotation=45);
```



### 3 Binarizing Variables

In order for our study to match the design of our bayesian hierarchical model, we will have to binarize all of the questions that feature multiple values.

As a result, these variables and their interpretation will be changed in the following way: 1. **Homosexuality** (HOMOSEX): What about sexual relations between two adults of the same sex—do you think it is wrong at all? 2. **Gender Discrimination in the Workplace** (DISCAFF): Do you think that it's likely these days that a woman won't get a job or promotion while an equally or less qualified man gets one instead? 4. **Investment in Environmental Protection** (NATENVIR): Do we need to spend more on protecting the environment? 5. **Investment in National Defense** (NATARMS): Do we need to spend more on national defense? 6. **Investment in Welfare** (NATFARE): Do we need to spend more on welfare? 7. **Investment in Social Security** (NATSOC): Do we need to spend more on social security?

Additionally, since PyMC3 works with numerical values, we'll also have to binarize: 1. **Abortion** (ABANY) 2. **Existence of Racial Discrimination** (RACDIF1) 3. **Gun Regulation** (GUNLAW)

```
[529]: binarized = pol.copy()
```

### 3.0.1 Homosexuality

```
[530]: pol['HOMOSEX'].value_counts()
```

```
[530]: ALWAYS WRONG          6354
      NOT WRONG AT ALL      5673
      SOMETIMES WRONG       949
      ALMST ALWAYS WRG      546
      OTHER                  0
      Name: HOMOSEX, dtype: int64
```

```
[531]: pd.get_dummies(pol[['HOMOSEX']]).columns
```

```
[531]: Index(['HOMOSEX_ALMST ALWAYS WRG', 'HOMOSEX_ALWAYS WRONG',
      'HOMOSEX_NOT WRONG AT ALL', 'HOMOSEX_OTHER', 'HOMOSEX_SOMETIMES WRONG'],
      dtype='object')
```

```
[532]: # Find individuals who think homosexuality is wrong
homosex = pd.get_dummies(pol[['HOMOSEX']])[['HOMOSEX_ALMST ALWAYS WRG',
      'HOMOSEX_ALWAYS WRONG',
      'HOMOSEX_SOMETIMES WRONG']]

homo_bool = np.sum(homosex, axis=1)

#Re-identify those who did not answer the question
homo_bool.iloc[pol['HOMOSEX'].isna().to_list()] = np.nan

binarized['HOMOSEX'] = homo_bool
homo_bool
```

```
[532]: 38116    0.0
      38117    NaN
      38118    NaN
      38119    NaN
      38120    NaN
      ...
      64808    1.0
      64809    0.0
      64810    NaN
      64811    0.0
      64812    NaN
      Length: 22849, dtype: float64
```

### 3.0.2 Gender Discrimination in the Workplace

```
[499]: """# Find individuals who think gender discrimination is likely to occur even_  
→today  
pol['DISCAFFW'].value_counts()"""
```

```
[499]: SOMEWHAT LIKELY      3298  
VERY LIKELY              1655  
SOMEWHAT UNLIKELY       1292  
VERY UNLIKELY           586  
Name: DISCAFFW, dtype: int64
```

```
[533]: """discaffw = pd.get_dummies(pol[['DISCAFFW']])[['DISCAFFW_SOMEWHAT LIKELY',  
DISCAFFW_VERY LIKELY']]  
  
discaffw_bool = np.sum(discaffw, axis=1)  
  
#Re-identify those who did not answer the question  
discaffw_bool.iloc[pol['DISCAFFW'].isna().to_list()] = np.nan  
  
binarized['DISCAFFW'] = discaffw_bool  
discaffw_bool"""
```

```
[533]: "discaffw = pd.get_dummies(pol[['DISCAFFW']])[['DISCAFFW_SOMEWHAT LIKELY',\n'DISCAFFW_VERY LIKELY']]\n\ndiscaffw_bool = np.sum(discaffw, axis=1)\n\n#Re-identify those who did not answer the question\n\ndiscaffw_bool.iloc[pol['DISCAFFW'].isna().to_list()] = np.nan\n\nbinarized['DISCAFFW'] = discaffw_bool\ndiscaffw_bool"
```

### 3.0.3 Investment in Environmental Protection

```
[534]: pol['NATENVIR'].value_counts()
```

```
[534]: TOO LITTLE      6580  
ABOUT RIGHT      2975  
TOO MUCH         885  
Name: NATENVIR, dtype: int64
```

```
[535]: # Find individuals who think we aren't spending enough on climate change and_  
→preserving environment  
natenvir_bool = pd.get_dummies(pol[['NATENVIR']])[['NATENVIR_TOO LITTLE']]  
  
#Re-identify those who did not answer the question  
natenvir_bool.iloc[pol['NATENVIR'].isna().to_list()] = np.nan  
  
binarized['NATENVIR'] = natenvir_bool  
natenvir_bool
```



```
[535]:      NATENVIR_TOO LITTLE
38116      1.0
38117      NaN
38118      1.0
38119      1.0
38120      NaN
...
64808      0.0
64809      1.0
64810      0.0
64811      NaN
64812      0.0

[22849 rows x 1 columns]
```

### 3.0.4 Investment in National Defense

```
[536]: pol['NATARMS'].value_counts()
```

```
[536]: ABOUT RIGHT      3988
      TOO MUCH        3278
      TOO LITTLE      3107
      Name: NATARMS, dtype: int64
```

```
[537]: # Find individuals who think we aren't spending enough on national defense and
      ↪ army
      natarms_bool = pd.get_dummies(pol[['NATARMS']])[['NATARMS_TOO LITTLE']]

      # Re-identify those who did not answer the question
      natarms_bool.iloc[pol['NATARMS'].isna().to_list()] = np.nan

      binarized['NATARMS'] = natarms_bool
      natarms_bool
```

```
[537]:      NATARMS_TOO LITTLE
38116      0.0
38117      NaN
38118      1.0
38119      0.0
38120      NaN
...
64808      0.0
64809      0.0
64810      0.0
64811      NaN
64812      1.0
```

[22849 rows x 1 columns]

### 3.0.5 Investment in Welfare

```
[538]: natfare_bool = pd.get_dummies(pol[['NATFARE']])[['NATFARE_TOO LITTLE']]

# Re-identify those who did not answer the question
natfare_bool.iloc[pol['NATFARE'].isna().to_list()] = np.nan

binarized['NATFARE'] = natfare_bool
natfare_bool
```

```
[538]:      NATFARE_TOO LITTLE
38116                0.0
38117                NaN
38118                0.0
38119                0.0
38120                NaN
...
64808                0.0
64809                1.0
64810                0.0
64811                NaN
64812                0.0
```

[22849 rows x 1 columns]

### 3.0.6 Investment in Social Security

```
[539]: natsoc_bool = pd.get_dummies(pol[['NATSOC']])[['NATSOC_TOO LITTLE']]

# Re-identify those who did not answer the question
natsoc_bool.iloc[pol['NATSOC'].isna().to_list()] = np.nan

binarized['NATSOC'] = natsoc_bool
natsoc_bool
```

```
[539]:      NATSOC_TOO LITTLE
38116                1.0
38117                1.0
38118                0.0
38119                1.0
38120                0.0
...
64808                1.0
64809                0.0
```

```
64810          1.0
64811          0.0
64812          1.0
```

```
[22849 rows x 1 columns]
```

### 3.0.7 Opinion on Gun Regulation

```
[540]: pol[['GUNLAW']].value_counts()
```

```
[540]: GUNLAW
FAVOR    10679
OPPOSE    3339
dtype: int64
```

```
[541]: gunlaw_bool = pd.get_dummies(pol[['GUNLAW']])[['GUNLAW_FAVOR']]

#Re-identify those who did not answer the question
gunlaw_bool.iloc[pol['GUNLAW'].isna().to_list()] = np.nan

binarized['GUNLAW'] = gunlaw_bool
gunlaw_bool
```

```
[541]:          GUNLAW_FAVOR
38116          0.0
38117          1.0
38118          NaN
38119          NaN
38120          NaN
...          ...
64808          1.0
64809          0.0
64810          0.0
64811          1.0
64812          NaN
```

```
[22849 rows x 1 columns]
```

### 3.0.8 Opinion on Abortion

```
[542]: pol[['ABANY']].value_counts()
```

```
[542]: ABANY
NO      7640
YES     6052
dtype: int64
```

```
[543]: abany_bool = pd.get_dummies(pol[['ABANY']])[['ABANY_YES']]

#Re-identify those who did not answer the question
abany_bool.iloc[pol['ABANY'].isna().to_list()] = np.nan

binarized['ABANY'] = abany_bool
abany_bool
```

```
[543]:      ABANY_YES
38116      0.0
38117      0.0
38118      NaN
38119      NaN
38120      NaN
...
64808      0.0
64809      1.0
64810      0.0
64811      0.0
64812      NaN

[22849 rows x 1 columns]
```

### 3.0.9 Opinion on Racial Discrimination

```
[544]: pol[['ABANY']].value_counts()
```

```
[544]: ABANY
NO      7640
YES     6052
dtype: int64
```

```
[545]: racdif1_bool = pd.get_dummies(pol[['RACDIF1']])[['RACDIF1_YES']]

#Re-identify those who did not answer the question
racdif1_bool.iloc[pol['RACDIF1'].isna().to_list()] = np.nan

binarized['RACDIF1'] = racdif1_bool
racdif1_bool
```

```
[545]:      RACDIF1_YES
38116      0.0
38117      NaN
38118      0.0
38119      0.0
38120      0.0
...
...
```

64808	NaN
64809	1.0
64810	0.0
64811	NaN
64812	0.0

[22849 rows x 1 columns]

## 4 Centering and Reorganizing POLVIEWS

As per Ramesh's suggestion, we're centering POLVIEWS at 0, so that the sign of the variable is informative in whether or not someone is conservative or liberal.

```
[546]: pol[['POLVIEWS']].value_counts()
```

```
[546]: POLVIEWS
MODERATE          8831
CONSERVATIVE      3601
SLGHTLY CONSERVATIVE 3231
LIBERAL           2770
SLIGHTLY LIBERAL  2604
EXTREMELY LIBERAL   917
EXTRMLY CONSERVATIVE 895
dtype: int64
```

```
[547]: neg_three = pol[['POLVIEWS']] == 'EXTREMELY LIBERAL'
neg_two = pol[['POLVIEWS']] == 'LIBERAL'
neg_one = pol[['POLVIEWS']] == 'SLIGHTLY LIBERAL'
zero = pol[['POLVIEWS']] == 'MODERATE'
one = pol[['POLVIEWS']] == 'SLGHTLY CONSERVATIVE'
two = pol[['POLVIEWS']] == 'CONSERVATIVE'
three = pol[['POLVIEWS']] == 'EXTRMLY CONSERVATIVE'
```

```
[548]: polviews = -3 * neg_three + -2 * neg_two + -1 * neg_one + 0 * zero + 1 * one +
↪ 2 * two + 3 * three
binarized['POLVIEWS'] = polviews
polviews
```

```
[548]: POLVIEWS
38116      1
38117      2
38118      2
38119      1
38120     -1
...
64808      0
64809      0
```

```
64810      1
64811      0
64812      2
```

```
[22849 rows x 1 columns]
```

## 5 Cleaned Data Ready for Use!

```
[549]: clean_data = binarized.copy()
       clean_data.head()
```

```
[549]:
```

	YEAR	POLVIEWS	NATENVIR	NATARMS	NATFARE	NATSOC	GUNLAW	ABANY	\
38116	2000.0	1	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	
38117	2000.0	2	NaN	NaN	NaN	1.0	1.0	0.0	
38118	2000.0	2	1.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	NaN	NaN	
38119	2000.0	1	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	NaN	NaN	
38120	2000.0	-1	NaN	NaN	NaN	0.0	NaN	NaN	

	HOMOSEX	RACDIF1
38116	0.0	0.0
38117	NaN	NaN
38118	NaN	0.0
38119	NaN	0.0
38120	NaN	0.0

## 6 Notes on Value Imputation

Like I said before, our data is MCAR, so it stands that we could just use automatic imputation as implemented by PyMC3. In order to do this, we literally do nothing; PyMC3 will automatically do the imputation once it sees NaN values (source: <https://discourse.pymc.io/t/missing-values-in-a-model/2157/9>).

Logically, this imputation will not affect our update to the prior, since it is treated as an unseen random variable with a prior that can be updated just like any other random variable.

## 7 Yeet

Let's do this thing!

```
[550]: test = clean_data.dropna()
       test
```

```
[550]:
```

	YEAR	POLVIEWS	NATENVIR	NATARMS	NATFARE	NATSOC	GUNLAW	ABANY	\
38116	2000.0	1	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	
38122	2000.0	0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
38137	2000.0	0	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	

38138	2000.0	-1	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0
38139	2000.0	2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
64786	2018.0	-3	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
64791	2018.0	-2	1.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	1.0
64799	2018.0	0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
64805	2018.0	0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0
64809	2018.0	0	1.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.0

	HOMOSEX	RACDIF1
38116	0.0	0.0
38122	1.0	0.0
38137	1.0	0.0
38138	1.0	0.0
38139	1.0	0.0
...	...	...
64786	0.0	1.0
64791	0.0	1.0
64799	0.0	1.0
64805	0.0	1.0
64809	0.0	1.0

[2866 rows x 10 columns]

```
[551]: #questions = clean_data.columns[2:]
questions = test.columns[2:]
questions
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[551]: Index(['NATENVIR', 'NATARMS', 'NATFARE', 'NATSOC', 'GUNLAW', 'ABANY',
            'HOMOSEX', 'RACDIF1'],
            dtype='object')
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[552]: import theano.tensor as tt
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[631]: with pm.Model() as model:

    eps = pm.Normal('eps', 0, 0.025)
    beta_vector = pm.Flat('beta', shape=(len(questions), 1))
    noisy = test['POLVIEWS'].to_numpy() + eps
    p = pm.math.sigmoid(tt.outer(noisy, beta_vector))
    pm.Bernoulli('ys', p=p, observed=test[questions])

    trace = pm.sample(500, tune=2000)
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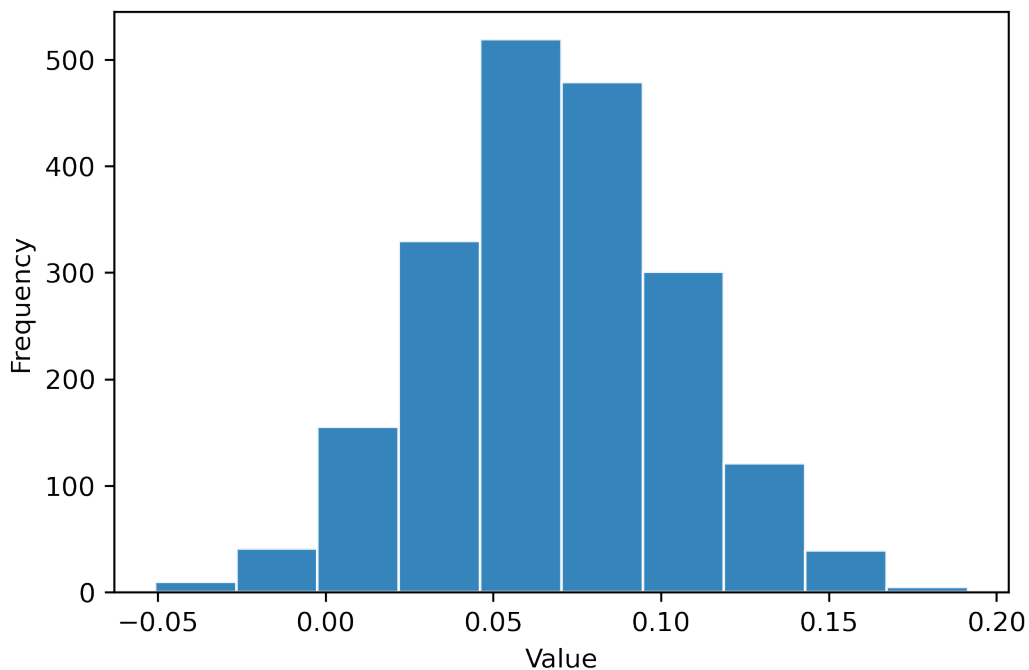
/var/folders/r2/k7ydhtv97nvfmfl71y382zy40000gn/T/ipykernel\_9941/2085958981.py:9:  
FutureWarning: In v4.0, pm.sample will return an `arviz.InferenceData` object  
instead of a `MultiTrace` by default. You can pass return\_inferencedata=True or

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return_inferencedata=False to be safe and silence this warning.
  trace = pm.sample(500, tune=2000)
Auto-assigning NUTS sampler...
Initializing NUTS using jitter+adapt_diag...
Multiprocess sampling (4 chains in 4 jobs)
NUTS: [beta, eps]

<IPython.core.display.HTML object>

Sampling 4 chains for 2_000 tune and 500 draw iterations (8_000 + 2_000 draws
total) took 97 seconds.
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[658]: plt.figure(dpi=300)
plt.hist(trace['eps'], ec='w', alpha=0.9)
plt.xlabel("Value")
plt.ylabel("Frequency");
plt.savefig("/Users/alanjian/Desktop/Data 102/Posterior of Eps")
```



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[648]: # Concentration inequality
np.mean(trace['eps'] >= 0)
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[648]: 0.97
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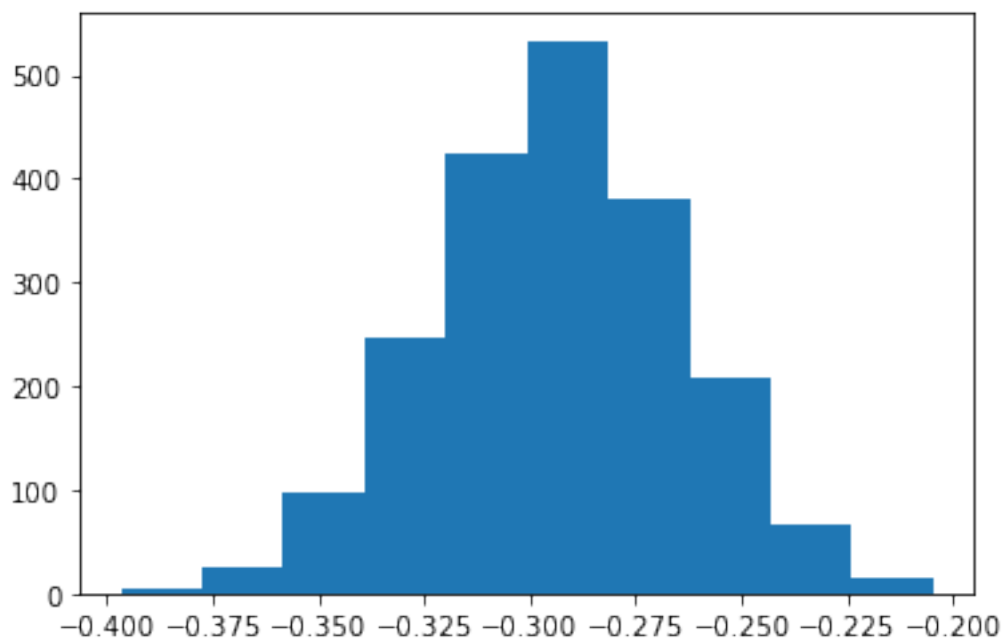
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[788]: np.mean(trace['eps'])
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[788]: 0.06813629620390414
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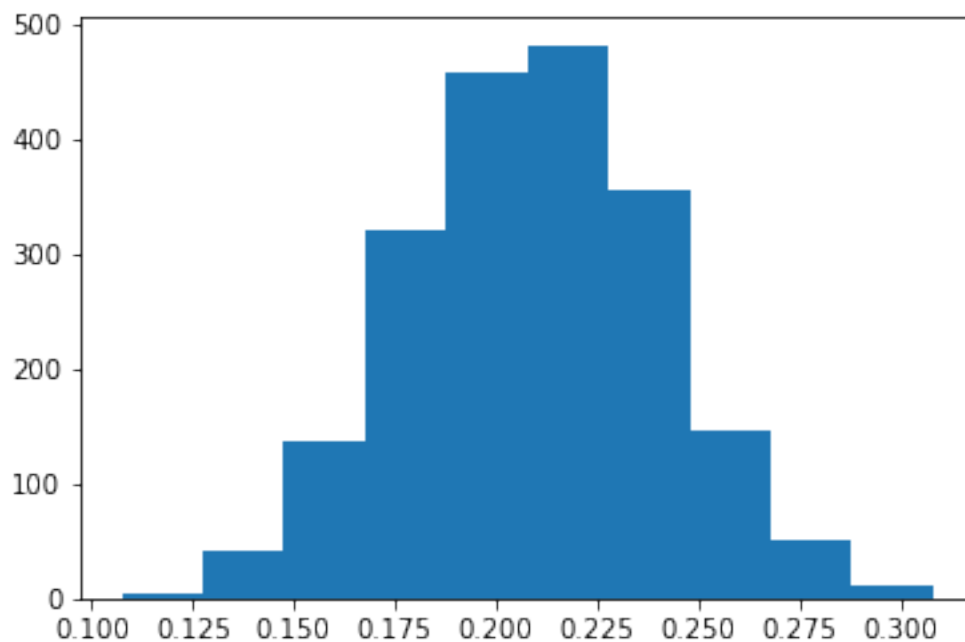
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[636]: #NATENVIR
plt.figure(dpi=300)
plt.hist(trace['beta'][:, 0], ec='w', alpha=0.9)
plt.xlabel("Value")
plt.ylabel("Frequency");
plt.savefig("/Users/alanjian/Desktop/Data 102/Posterior of Eps")
```

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[636]: (array([ 5., 24., 98., 246., 424., 533., 381., 208., 66., 15.]),
array([-0.39674304, -0.37752905, -0.35831507, -0.33910108, -0.3198871 ,
        -0.30067311, -0.28145913, -0.26224514, -0.24303116, -0.22381717,
        -0.20460319]),
<BarContainer object of 10 artists>)
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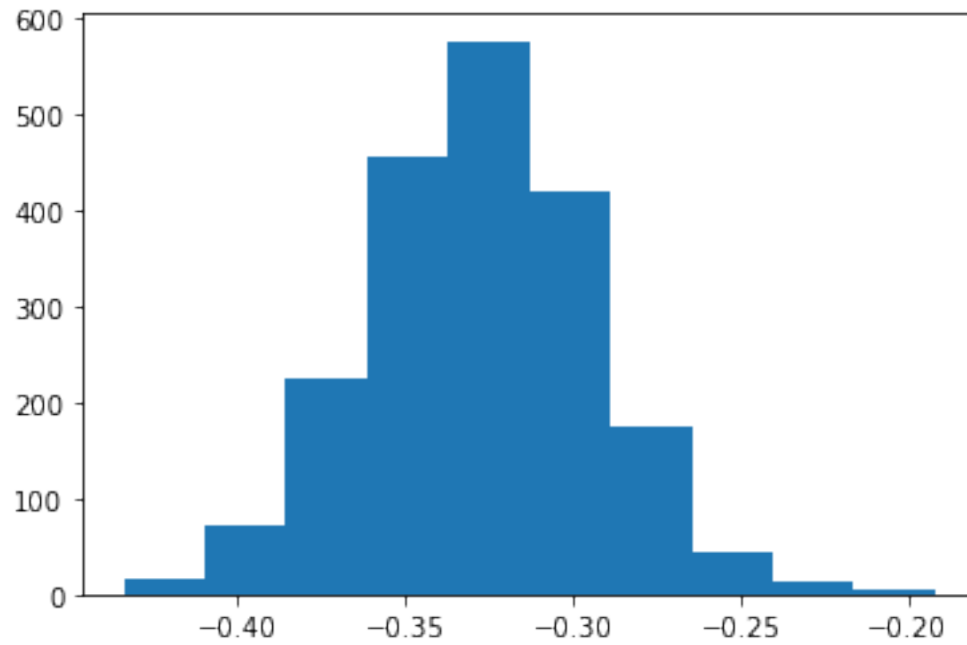
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[637]: #NATARMS
plt.figure(dpi=300)
plt.hist(trace['beta'][:, 1], ec='w', alpha=0.9)
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[637]: (array([ 5., 41., 136., 320., 457., 481., 354., 145., 50., 11.]),
array([0.10736056, 0.12742431, 0.14748806, 0.16755181, 0.18761556,
        0.20767931, 0.22774306, 0.24780681, 0.26787056, 0.28793431,
        0.30799806]),
<BarContainer object of 10 artists>)
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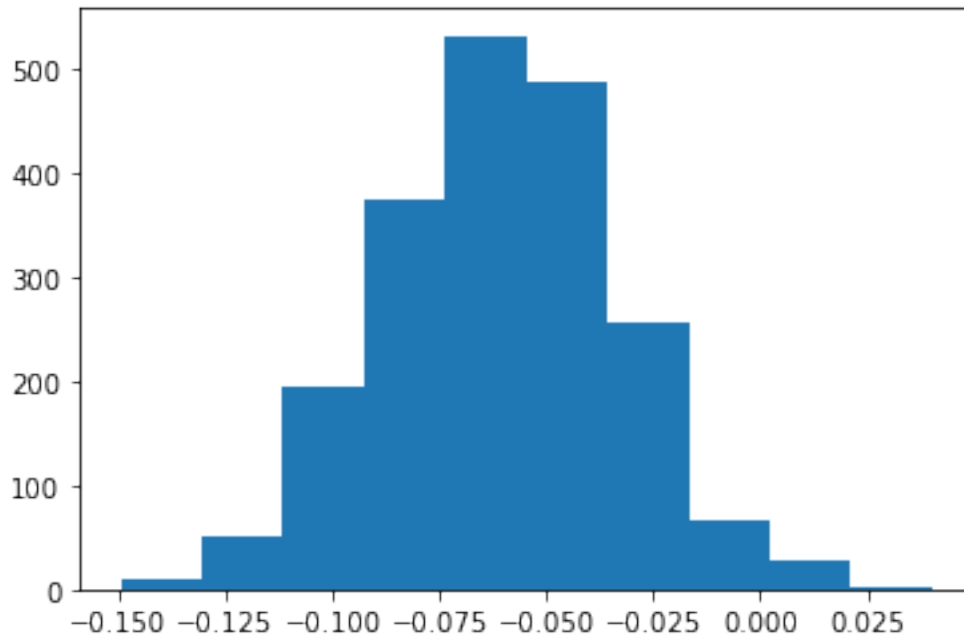
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[638]: #NATFARE
plt.figure(dpi=300)
plt.hist(trace['beta'][:, 2], ec='w', alpha=0.9)
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[638]: (array([ 15.,  72., 225., 456., 577., 419., 176.,  44.,  12.,   4.]),
array([-0.43376586, -0.40957713, -0.38538841, -0.36119968, -0.33701095,
        -0.31282222, -0.28863349, -0.26444477, -0.24025604, -0.21606731,
        -0.19187858]),
<BarContainer object of 10 artists>)
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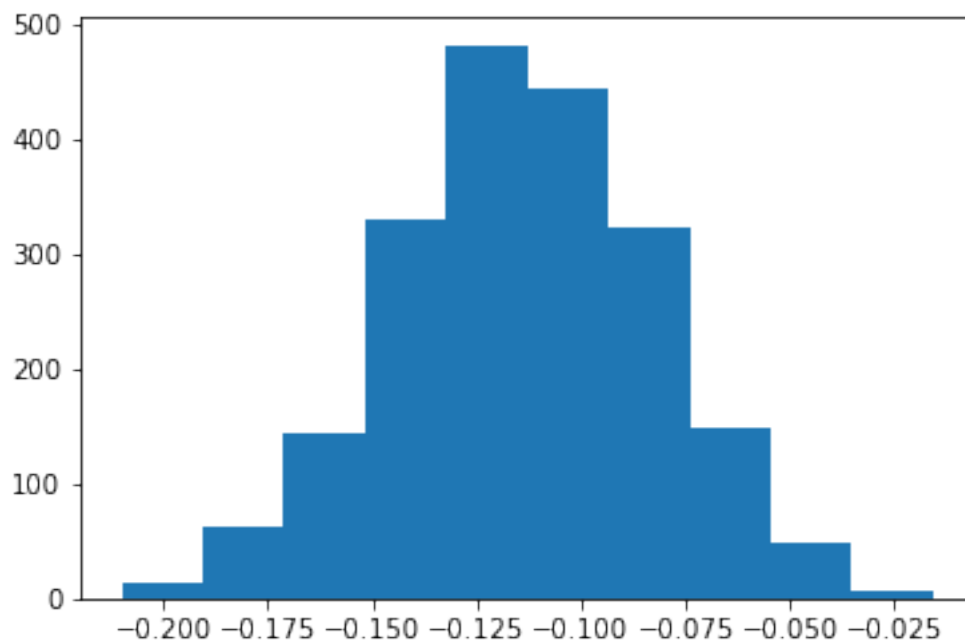
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[639]: #NATSOC
plt.figure(dpi=300)
plt.hist(trace['beta'][:, 3], ec='w', alpha=0.9)
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[639]: (array([ 9., 50., 195., 374., 532., 488., 256., 67., 28., 1.]),
array([-0.14951508, -0.13054542, -0.11157575, -0.09260608, -0.07363642,
        -0.05466675, -0.03569708, -0.01672741, 0.00224225, 0.02121192,
        0.04018159]),
<BarContainer object of 10 artists>)
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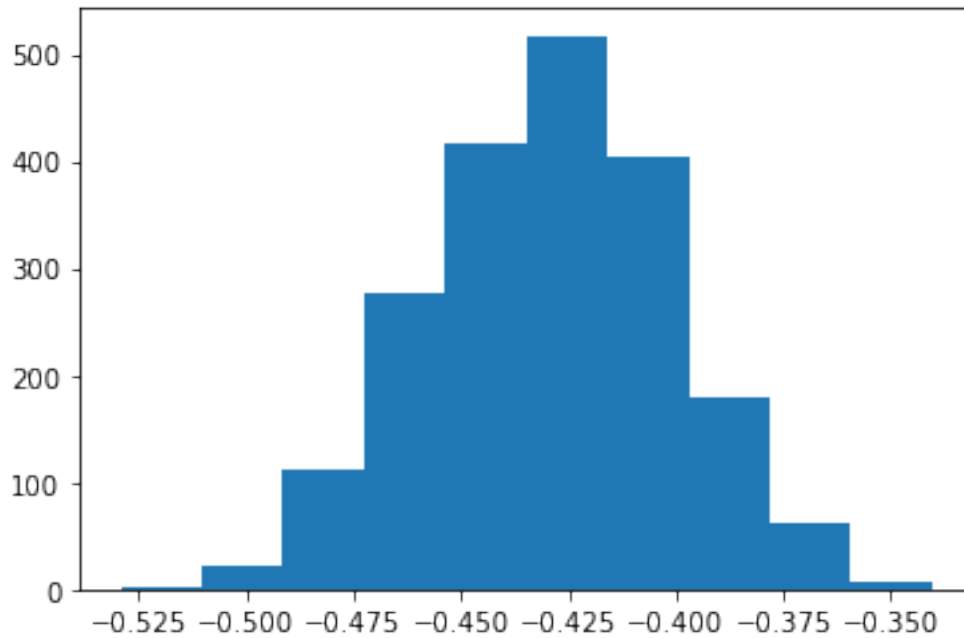
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[640]: #GUNLAW
plt.figure(dpi=300)
plt.hist(trace['beta'][:, 4], ec='w', alpha=0.9)
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[640]: (array([ 14.,  63., 143., 330., 482., 443., 322., 148.,  48.,   7.]),
array([-0.21006821, -0.19063603, -0.17120386, -0.15177168, -0.13233951,
        -0.11290733, -0.09347516, -0.07404298, -0.05461081, -0.03517863,
        -0.01574646]),
<BarContainer object of 10 artists>)
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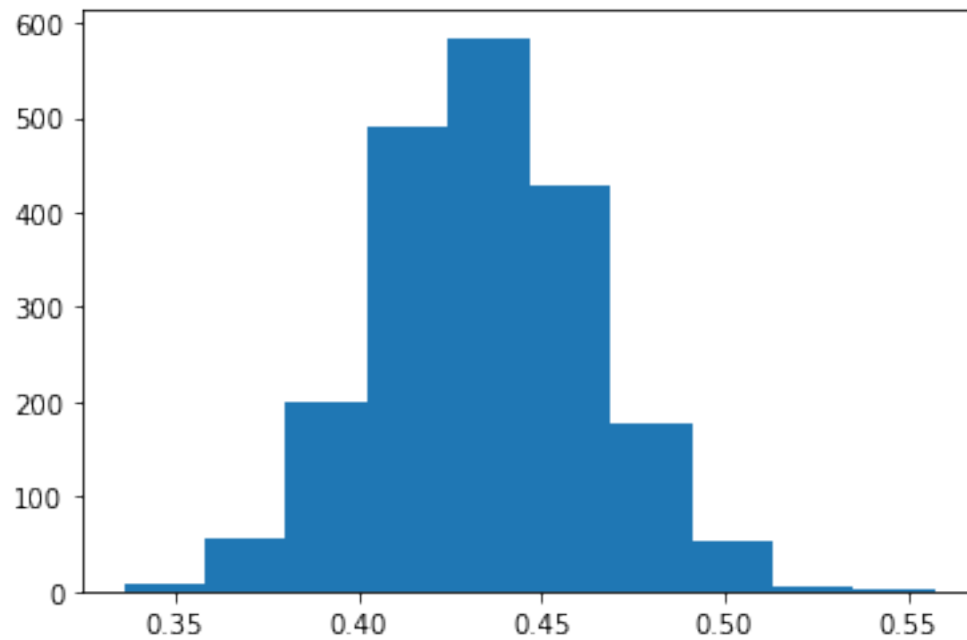
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[641]: #ABANY
plt.figure(dpi=300)
plt.hist(trace['beta'][:, 5], ec='w', alpha=0.9)
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[641]: (array([ 3., 22., 113., 277., 416., 517., 404., 180., 61., 7.]),
array([-0.52919035, -0.51031159, -0.49143283, -0.47255407, -0.45367531,
        -0.43479655, -0.41591779, -0.39703903, -0.37816027, -0.35928151,
        -0.34040275]),
<BarContainer object of 10 artists>)
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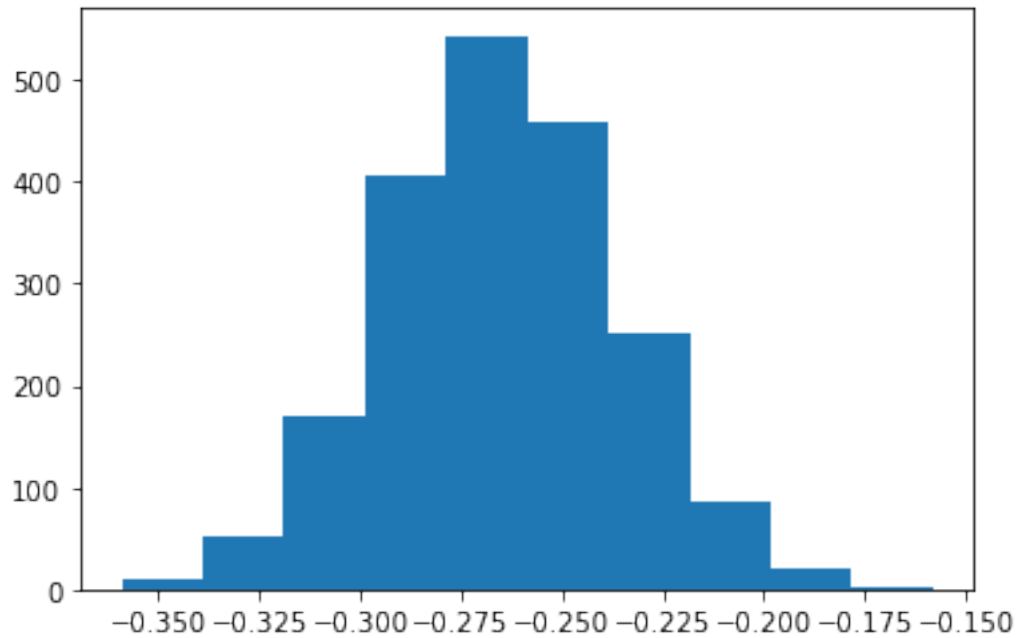
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[642]: #HOMOSEX (I defined it in the inverse; Do you think Homosexual relations are
        ↪ wrong?)
plt.figure(dpi=300)
plt.hist(trace['beta'][:, 6], ec='w', alpha=0.9)
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[642]: (array([ 7., 56., 201., 489., 584., 427., 177., 53., 5., 1.]),
        array([0.33579566, 0.35796155, 0.38012744, 0.40229333, 0.42445921,
                0.4466251 , 0.46879099, 0.49095688, 0.51312277, 0.53528865,
                0.55745454]),
        <BarContainer object of 10 artists>)
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[643]: #RACDIF1
plt.figure(dpi=300)
plt.hist(trace['beta'][:, 7], ec='w', alpha=0.9)
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[643]: (array([ 9., 51., 171., 406., 543., 459., 251., 86., 21., 3.]),
array([-0.35909741, -0.33899009, -0.31888278, -0.29877547, -0.27866816,
-0.25856084, -0.23845353, -0.21834622, -0.1982389 , -0.17813159,
-0.15802428]),
<BarContainer object of 10 artists>)
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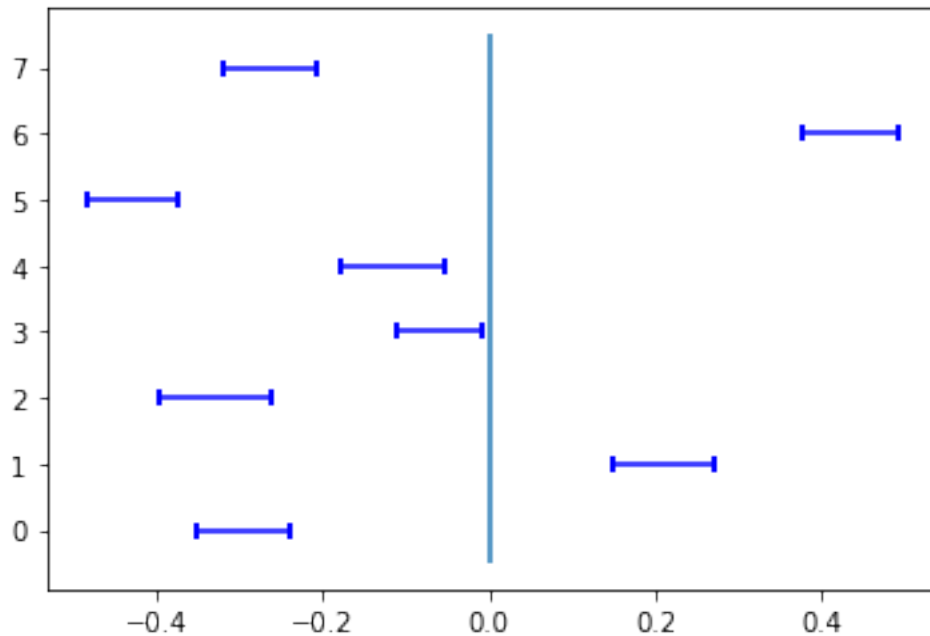


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[644]: """#DISCAFF
plt.hist(trace['beta'][:, 8])"""
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[644]: "#DISCAFF\nplt.hist(trace['beta'][:, 8])"
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[671]: plt.vlines(0, -0.5, 7.5)
for i in np.arange(8):
    posterior = trace['beta'][:, i]
    pts = [np.percentile(posterior, 2.5), np.percentile(posterior, 97.5)]
    plt.hlines(i, pts[0], pts[1], color='b')
    plt.scatter(pts, [i, i], color='b', lw=2, marker='|')
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[781]: [trace['beta'][:, i] for i in np.arange(8)]
labels = ['Environment', "Nat'l Security", 'Welfare', 'Social Security', 'Gun_
↪Regulation', 'Abortion', 'Homosexuality', 'Race Discrimination']
idea = pd.DataFrame(columns=['x', 'label'])
i = 0
while i < len(labels):
    df = pd.DataFrame(trace['beta'][:, i].flatten()).rename({0:'x'}, axis=1)
    df['label'] = labels[i]
    idea = idea.append(df)
    i += 1
idea['hue'] = idea['x'] < 0
idea = idea.sort_values('x', ascending=False)
idea
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[781]:
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	x	label	hue
286	0.557455	Homosexuality	False
432	0.521324	Homosexuality	False
580	0.520051	Homosexuality	False
771	0.519373	Homosexuality	False
485	0.516107	Homosexuality	False
...	...	...	...
451	-0.506627	Abortion	True
1630	-0.509734	Abortion	True
1612	-0.510869	Abortion	True
151	-0.514576	Abortion	True
778	-0.529190	Abortion	True

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[787]: import seaborn as sns
sns.set_theme(style="white", rc={"axes.facecolor": (0, 0, 0, 0)})

plt.figure(dpi=300)
# Initialize the FacetGrid object
pal = sns.cubehelix_palette(10, rot=-.25, light=.7)
g = sns.FacetGrid(idea, row="label", hue="label", aspect=15, height=.75,
    palette='RdBu')

# Draw the densities in a few steps
g.map(sns.kdeplot, 'x',
      bw_adjust=.5, clip_on=False,
      fill=True, alpha=1, linewidth=1.5)
g.map(sns.kdeplot, 'x', clip_on=False, color="w", lw=2, bw_adjust=.5)

# passing color=None to refline() uses the hue mapping
g.refline(y=0, linewidth=2, linestyle="-", color=None, clip_on=False)

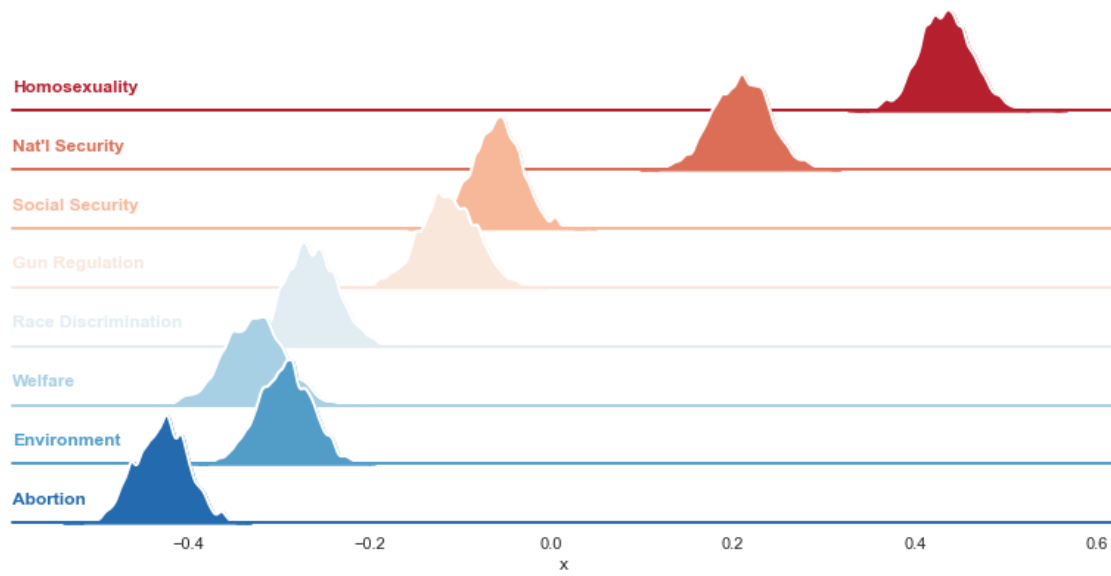
# Define and use a simple function to label the plot in axes coordinates
def label(x, color, label):
    ax = plt.gca()
    ax.text(0, .2, label, fontweight="bold", color=color,
          ha="left", va="center", transform=ax.transAxes)

g.map(label, 'x')

# Set the subplots to overlap
g.figure.subplots_adjust(hspace=-.5)

# Remove axes details that don't play well with overlap
g.set_titles("")
g.set(yticks=[], ylabel="")
g.despine(bottom=True, left=True);
#plt.savefig("/Users/alanjian/Desktop/Data 102/Beta Posteriors")
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