# Complementarity in Alliances - logfile

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This log file was last compiled on 2025-02-20 using the following system:

```
Sys.info()
```

```
sysname

"Linux"

release

"6.11.0-18-generic"

version

"#18-Ubuntu SMP PREEMPT_DYNAMIC Fri Feb 7 22:34:25 UTC 2025"

nodename

"fuego"

machine

"x86_64"

login

"andres-gannon"

user
```

"andres-gannon"
effective\_user

"andres-gannon"

### sessionInfo()

R version 4.4.2 (2024-10-31)

Platform: x86\_64-pc-linux-gnu

Running under: Ubuntu 24.10

Matrix products: default

BLAS: /usr/lib/x86\_64-linux-gnu/blas/libblas.so.3.12.0

LAPACK: /usr/lib/x86\_64-linux-gnu/lapack/liblapack.so.3.12.0

#### locale:

[1] LC\_CTYPE=en\_US.UTF-8 LC\_NUMERIC=C

[3] LC\_TIME=en\_US.UTF-8 LC\_COLLATE=en\_US.UTF-8

[5] LC\_MONETARY=en\_US.UTF-8 LC\_MESSAGES=en\_US.UTF-8

[7] LC\_PAPER=en\_US.UTF-8 LC\_NAME=C

[9] LC\_ADDRESS=C LC\_TELEPHONE=C

[11] LC\_MEASUREMENT=en\_US.UTF-8 LC\_IDENTIFICATION=C

time zone: America/Chicago

tzcode source: system (glibc)

attached base packages:

[1] stats graphics grDevices utils datasets methods base

loaded via a namespace (and not attached):

- [1] compiler\_4.4.2 fastmap\_1.2.0 cli\_3.6.3 tools\_4.4.2
- [5] htmltools\_0.5.8.1 rstudioapi\_0.17.1 yaml\_2.3.10 rmarkdown\_2.29
- [13] rlang\_1.1.5 evaluate\_1.0.3
- library(knitr)
- 2 library(kableExtra)
- 3 library(ggplot2)
- 4 library(ggtext)
- 5 library(magrittr)
- 6 library(rstan)

Loading required package: StanHeaders

rstan version 2.32.6 (Stan version 2.32.2)

For execution on a local, multicore CPU with excess RAM we recommend calling options(mc.cores = parallel::detectCores()).

To avoid recompilation of unchanged Stan programs, we recommend calling rstan\_options(auto\_write = TRUE)

For within-chain threading using `reduce\_sum()` or `map\_rect()` Stan functions, change `threads\_per\_chain` option:

rstan\_options(threads\_per\_chain = 1)

```
Attaching package: 'rstan'

The following object is masked from 'package:magrittr':

extract
```

### Load data

```
df_raw <- readRDS(file = paste0(here::here(), "/data/rDMC_raw_v1.rds"))

df_long <- readRDS(file = paste0(here::here(), "/data/rDMC_long_v1.rds"))

df_wide <- readRDS(file = paste0(here::here(), "/data/rDMC_wide_v1.rds"))

df <- readRDS(file = paste0(here::here(), "/data/03_df-full.rds"))

df_m1 <- df |>

df_m1 <- df |>

strcomp = strcomp_cinc_total_scaled,

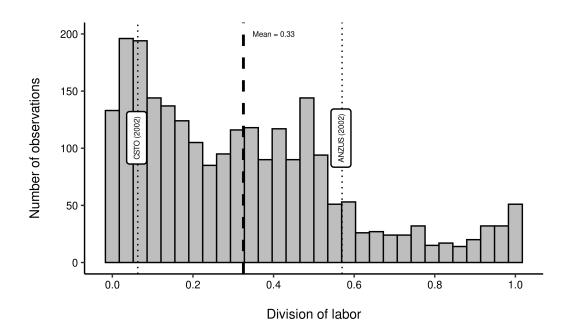
hier = hier_laplace_scaled)
```

```
\# ANZUS = 3215 and CSTO = 4220
   df |>
     ggplot(aes(x = dol_nicheolap)) +
4
     geom_histogram(bins = 30, color = "black", fill = "gray") +
5
     geom_vline(aes(xintercept = mean(dol_nicheolap, na.rm = TRUE)),
6
                 linetype = "dashed", linewidth = 1) +
7
     annotate("text",
               x = mean(df$dol_nicheolap, na.rm = TRUE) + 0.075,
              y = 200,
10
              size = 2,
11
               label = paste("Mean =", round(mean(df$dol_nicheolap, na.rm =
12
                → TRUE), 2))) +
     geomtextpath::geom_labelvline(xintercept = 0.57, label = "ANZUS (2002)",
13
    \hookrightarrow linetype = 3, hjust = 0.55, size = 2) +
     geomtextpath::geom_labelvline(xintercept = 0.063, label = "CSTO (2002)",
14
    \rightarrow linetype = 3, hjust = 0.55, size = 2) +
     scale_x_continuous(breaks = scales::pretty_breaks()) +
15
     labs(title = "",
16
          x = "\nDivision of labor",
17
          y = "Number of observations \n") +
     theme classic() +
19
     theme(text = element_text(size = 10),
20
           axis.text = element_text(color = "black"))
21
```

Warning in geomtextpath::geom\_labelvline(xintercept = 0.57, label = "ANZUS (2002)", : All ae
i Please consider using `annotate()` or provide this layer with data containing
 a single row.

Warning in geomtextpath::geom\_labelvline(xintercept = 0.063, label = "CSTO (2002)", : All ae
i Please consider using `annotate()` or provide this layer with data containing
 a single row.

Warning: Removed 111 rows containing non-finite outside the scale range (`stat\_bin()`).



```
# US-Japan (3375)
   df |>
     dplyr::filter(atopid == 3375) |>
4
     dplyr::select(year, dol_nicheolap, strcomp_cinc_total) |>
5
     ggplot(aes(y = strcomp_cinc_total, x = year)) +
6
     geom_line() +
     scale_x_continuous(breaks = seq(1970, 2015, 5), minor_breaks = NULL) +
     theme_classic() +
     labs(y = "Strategic compatibility\n",
10
          x = "",
11
          title = "") +
     theme(text = element_text(size = 10),
13
           axis.text = element_text(color = "black"))
14
```



```
shared <- readRDS(file = paste0(here::here(), '/data/dyad_threat.rds')) |>
     dplyr::filter(year == 1995 & ccode1 %in% c(2, 740) & threatenviro == 1) |>
2
     dplyr::select(ccode1, rival, threatenviro, cinc2) |>
     dplyr::mutate(threat_ccode1 = dplyr::if_else(ccode1 == 2 & threatenviro ==
4
    \rightarrow 1, cinc2, 0),
                    threat_ccode2 = dplyr::if_else(ccode1 == 740 & threatenviro
5
                    \Rightarrow == 1, cinc2, 0)) |>
     dplyr::filter(threat_ccode1 > 0 | threat_ccode2 > 0) |>
6
     dplyr::select(-ccode1, -threatenviro) |>
7
     tidyr::pivot_longer(cols = c(threat_ccode1, threat_ccode2)) |>
     dplyr::filter(value > 0) |>
     tidyr::pivot_wider(id_cols = rival, names_from = name) |>
10
     dplyr::mutate(threat_shared = dplyr::if_else(threat_ccode1 > 0 &
11
      threat_ccode2 > 0, 1, 0),
```

```
network <- readRDS(pasteO(here::here(), "/data/sipri_dyad-year.rds")) |>
     dplyr::filter(year == 1975) |>
     dplyr::select(ccode1, ccode2, value)
4
   sipri <- readRDS(paste0(here::here(), "/data/sipri_dyad-year.rds")) |>
     dplyr::filter(year == 1975) |>
     dplyr::select(ccode1, ccode2, value) |>
     dplyr::rename(weight = value) |>
     igraph::graph_from_data_frame(directed = TRUE) |>
     centiserve::laplacian(mode = "out") |>
10
     as.data.frame() |>
11
     dplyr::rename(laplace = 1) |>
     tibble::rownames_to_column(var = "ccode") |>
13
     dplyr::mutate(ccode = as.integer(ccode))
14
15
   nato <- rio::import(pasteO(here::here(), "/inst/extdata/ATOP/atop5_1m.csv"))</pre>
    dplyr::filter(yrexit > 1970 |
17
                     yrexit == 0) >
18
     dplyr::mutate(yrexit = dplyr::if_else(yrexit == 0,
                                            2023,
                                            yrexit)) |>
21
     dplyr::select(atopid, member, yrent, yrexit) |>
22
     dplyr::distinct() |>
23
```

```
dplyr::mutate(row = dplyr::row_number()) |>
     dplyr::group_by(row, atopid, member) |>
25
     dplyr::reframe(year = seq(yrent, yrexit)) |>
26
     dplyr::ungroup() |>
     dplyr::select(-row) |>
     dplyr::rename(ccode = 'member') |>
     dplyr::filter(year == 1975 & atopid == 3180) |>
30
     dplyr::distinct() |>
31
     dplyr::select(-atopid, -year) |>
     dplyr::mutate(nato = 1)
34
   ## Network plot
   library(igraph)
```

```
Attaching package: 'igraph'

The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':

decompose, spectrum

The following object is masked from 'package:base':
```

union

```
library(ggraph)
library(tidygraph)
```

```
Attaching package: 'tidygraph'

The following object is masked from 'package:igraph':

groups

The following object is masked from 'package:stats':
```

filter

```
edgelist <- dplyr::left_join(network, nato, by = c("ccode1" = "ccode")) |>
    dplyr::rename(nato_sender = nato) %>%
    dplyr::left_join(., nato, by = c("ccode2" = "ccode")) |>
    dplyr::rename(nato_receiver = nato) |>
    dplyr::filter(nato_sender == 1 & nato_receiver == 1) |>
    dplyr::select(!dplyr::starts_with("nato_")) |>
    dplyr::mutate(cown1 = countrycode::countrycode(ccode1, origin = "cown",
    destination = "cowc"),
    cown1 = dplyr::if_else(ccode1 == 260, "GFR", cown1),
    cown2 = countrycode::countrycode(ccode2, origin = "cown",
    destination = "cowc"),
```

```
cown2 = dplyr::if_else(ccode2 == 260, "GFR", cown2)) |>
dplyr::select(cown1, cown2, value)
```

```
Warning: There were 2 warnings in `dplyr::mutate()`.
The first warning was:
i In argument: `cown1 = countrycode::countrycode(ccode1, origin = "cown",
   destination = "cowc")`.
Caused by warning:
! Some values were not matched unambiguously: 260
i Run `dplyr::last_dplyr_warnings()` to see the 1 remaining warning.
```

```
network <- igraph::graph_from_data_frame(edgelist, directed = TRUE)</pre>
   tbl_graph <- tidygraph::as_tbl_graph(network)</pre>
3
   ggraph(tbl_graph,
          layout = 'linear',
5
          circular = TRUE) +
6
     geom_edge_fan(aes(edge_alpha = log(value + 1),
                         edge_width = value),
                    arrow = arrow(length = unit(2, "mm")),
9
                    start_cap = circle(4, 'mm'),
10
                    end_cap = circle(8, 'mm'),
                    show.legend = FALSE,) +
12
     geom_node_label(aes(label = name),
13
                     size = 5,
14
                     repel = FALSE,
15
```

```
color = 'dodgerblue') +
16
     scale_{edge_{width(range = c(0.5, 1.5))} +}
17
     scale_edge_alpha('Edge direction',
                       guide = 'edge_direction') +
     scale_x_continuous(expand = expansion(mult = .1)) +
     theme_void()
21
   ## Bar plot
22
   dplyr::left_join(nato, sipri) |>
     dplyr::select(-nato) |>
     dplyr::mutate(cname = countrycode::countrycode(ccode, origin = "cown",

    destination = "country.name"),
                    cname = dplyr::if_else(ccode == 260, "West Germany", cname))
26
                    dplyr::arrange(laplace) |>
27
     dplyr::mutate(cname = factor(cname, levels = cname)) |>
28
     ggplot(aes(x = laplace,
29
                y = cname)) +
30
     geom_segment(aes(xend = 0, yend = cname)) +
     geom_point(size = 3, color = "dodgerblue") +
32
     labs(title = "",
33
          x = "\nLaplacian entropy",
34
          v = "") +
35
     scale_x_continuous(labels = scales::label_comma()) +
36
     theme_classic() +
37
     theme(text = element_text(size = 14),
38
           axis.text = element_text(color = "black"))
39
```

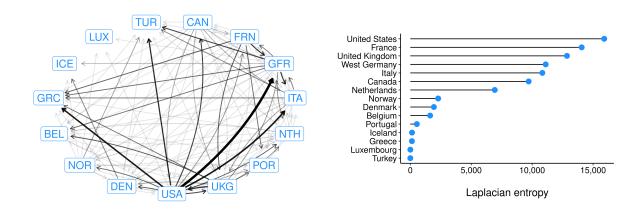
Joining with `by = join\_by(ccode)`

Warning: There was 1 warning in `dplyr::mutate()`.

i In argument: `cname = countrycode::countrycode(ccode, origin = "cown",
 destination = "country.name")`.

### Caused by warning:

! Some values were not matched unambiguously: 260



### Table 1

```
df_m1 <- df |>
     dplyr::rename(dv = dol_nicheolap,
                    strcomp = strcomp_cinc_total_scaled,
                   hier = hier_laplace_scaled)
4
5
   models <- list(fixest::feols(dv ~ strcomp + hier +</pre>
                                   year_norm + year_sq + year_cube,
7
                                 cluster = "atopid",
                                 data = df_m1),
                   fixest::feols(dv ~ strcomp + hier + milinst + demo_polityprop
10
    + dist_contigprop + dist_maxlog + rivals_log + members_log +
    → allianceage_avg +
                                   year_norm + year_sq + year_cube,
11
                                 cluster = "atopid",
12
                                 data = df_m1),
13
                   fixest::feols(dv ~ strcomp + hier
14
                                 | year_norm,
                                 cluster = "atopid",
16
                                 data = df_m1),
17
                   fixest::feols(dv ~ strcomp + hier + milinst + demo_polityprop
18
    + dist_contigprop + dist_maxlog + rivals_log + members_log +
    → allianceage_avg
                                 | year_norm,
19
                                 cluster = "atopid",
20
```

```
data = df_m1),
lmerTest::lmer(dv ~ strcomp + hier +

(1 | year_norm),

data = df_m1),

lmerTest::lmer(dv ~ strcomp + hier + milinst + demo_polityprop

+ dist_contigprop + dist_maxlog + rivals_log + members_log +

allianceage_avg +

(1 | year_norm),

data = df_m1))
```

NOTE: 113 observations removed because of NA values (LHS: 111, RHS: 3).

NOTE: 231 observations removed because of NA values (LHS: 111, RHS: 156).

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NOTE: 231 observations removed because of NA values (LHS: 111, RHS: 156).

```
"members_log" = "Number of members (log)",
               "allianceage_avg" = "Alliance age (average)")
10
   modelsummary::modelsummary(models,
                               stars = c('+' = .10, '*' = .05, '**' = .01),
12
                               coef_map = coefs,
13
                               coef_omit = "Intercept",
14
                               gof_map = c("nobs", "r.squared", 'adj.r.squared',
15

    'r2.marginal', 'r2.conditional', 'aic', 'bic',

    'rmse'),
                               output = "tinytable") |>
16
    tinytable::group_tt(j = list("Year polynomials" = 2:3, "Year fixed effects"
17
    \rightarrow = 4:5, "Multilevel model" = 6:7)) |>
     tinytable::theme_tt("resize")
```

	Year polynomials		Year fixed effects		Multilevel model	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Strategic compatibility	0.186**	0.153*	0.192**	0.165*	0.197**	0.168**
	(0.046)	(0.061)	(0.048)	(0.064)	(0.019)	(0.024)
<b>Hierarchy</b>	0.403**	0.320**	0.397**	0.313*	0.396**	0.327**
	(0.067)	(0.119)	(0.067)	(0.121)	(0.021)	(0.039)
Alliance institutionalization		0.039*		0.039*		0.035**
		(0.017)		(0.017)		(0.006)
Democracy ratio		0.118*		0.116*		0.116**
		(0.046)		(0.047)		(0.017)
Contiguity ratio		<del>-</del> 0.127		-0.140		-0.142**
		(0.106)		(0.106)		(0.045)
Maximum distance (log)		-0.025+		<del>-0.026+</del>		<del>-0.026**</del>
		(0.015)		(0.015)		(0.006)
Number of rivals (log)		0.064*		0.060*		0.066**
		(0.027)		(0.027)		(0.009)
Number of members (log)		<mark>-0.029</mark>		-0.02 <mark>7</mark>		-0.031**
		(0.019)		(0.019)		(0.008)
Alliance age (average)		0.000		0.000		0.000
		(0.001)		(0.001)		(0.000)
Num.Obs.	<mark>2398</mark>	2280	2398	2280	<mark>2398</mark>	2280
R2	0.206	0.284	0.232	0.307		
R2 Adj.	0.204	0.281	0.217	0.290		
R2 Marg.					0.127	0.201
R2 Cond.					0.217	0.289
AIC	-226.4	<mark>-482.2</mark>	<mark>-226.2</mark>	-472.2	<mark>-158.4</mark>	<mark>-341.9</mark>
BIC	<del>-191.8</del>	<del>-407.7</del>	45.5	-162.7	<mark>-129.4</mark>	<del>-273.1</del>
RMSE	0.23	0.22	0.23	0.21	0.23	0.21

+ p < 0.1, \* p < 0.05, \*\* p < 0.01

# Figure 4 (in-text results)

```
m1_obr <- ordbetareg::ordbetareg(dv ~</pre>
                                        strcomp + hier +
                                        milinst + latent.depth.mean +
3
    → demo_polityprop + dist_contigprop + dist_maxlog + rivals_log +
    → members_log + allianceage_avg +
                                        (1 | year_norm),
4
                                      data = df_m1,
5
                                      cores = 6,
6
                                      chains = 6,
                                      iter = 2000,
                                      backend = "cmdstanr",
                                      refresh = 0,
10
                                      file = "ordbeta",
11
                                      file_refit = "on_change")
12
```

Warning: Rows containing NAs were excluded from the model.

```
ordpred_strcomp <- brms::conditional_effects(m1_obr)[[1]]

ordpred_hier <- brms::conditional_effects(m1_obr)[[2]]

# Figure 4(a) in-text description

marginaleffects::avg_comparisons(m1_obr, variables = list(strcomp = "sd")) |>

broom::tidy() |> dplyr::pull(estimate) |> round(3)
```

```
1 [1] <mark>0.039</mark>
```

```
# Figure 4(b) in-text description
marginaleffects::avg_comparisons(m1_obr, variables = list(hier = "sd")) |>
    broom::tidy() |> dplyr::pull(estimate) |> round(3)
```

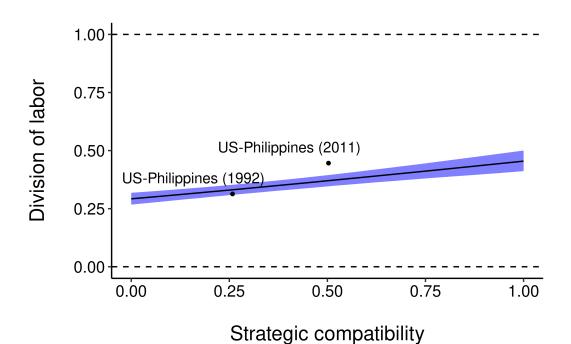
ı [1] <mark>0.083</mark>

```
# Strategic compatibility predicted values with example
   ex_strcomp <- df |>
     dplyr::filter(year %in% c(1992, 2011), atopid == 3375) |>
3
     dplyr::select(year, atopid, dol nicheolap, strcomp_cinc_total_scaled) |>
4
     dplyr::mutate(year = dplyr::recode(year, "1992" = "US-Philippines (1992)",

    "2011" = "US-Philippines (2011)"))

   ordpred_strcomp |>
     ggplot(aes(y = estimate__, x = strcomp)) +
     geom_ribbon(aes(ymin = lower__,
9
                      ymax = upper__), fill="blue",
                  alpha = 0.5) +
11
     geom_hline(yintercept = 1, linetype = 2) +
12
     geom_hline(yintercept = 0, linetype = 2) +
13
     geom_line() +
14
     geom_point(data = ex_strcomp,
                 aes(x = strcomp_cinc_total_scaled, y = dol_nicheolap),
16
                 size = 1) +
17
     geom_text(data = ex_strcomp,
18
                aes(x = strcomp_cinc_total_scaled - 0.1, y = dol_nicheolap, label
19
                \rightarrow = year),
                vjust = -1) +
20
     theme classic() +
21
     theme(text = element_text(size = 15),
22
```

```
23          axis.text = element_text(color = "black")) +
24     labs(y = "Division of labor\n",
25          x = "\nStrategic compatibility")
```



```
ggplot(aes(y = estimate__, x = hier)) +
10
     geom_ribbon(aes(ymin = lower__,
11
                      ymax = upper__), fill="blue",
12
                  alpha = 0.5) +
13
     geom_hline(yintercept = 1, linetype = 2) +
14
     geom_hline(yintercept = 0, linetype = 2) +
15
     geom_line() +
16
     geom_point(data = ex_hier,
17
                 aes(x = hier_laplace_scaled, y = dol_nicheolap),
                 size = 1) +
19
     geom_text(data = ex_hier,
20
                aes(x = hier_laplace_scaled, y = dol_nicheolap, label = year),
21
               vjust = 2) +
22
     theme_classic() +
23
     theme(text = element_text(size = 15),
24
           axis.text = element_text(color = "black")) +
25
     labs(y = "Division of labor\n",
26
          x = "\nHierarchy")
```

