

# British Election Panel Study

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> library(EffectStars)
> data(BEPS)
> BEPS$Europe<-scale(BEPS$Europe)
> BEPS$Age<-scale(BEPS$Age)
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Effect Stars for the multinomial logit model for the BEPS data. The variable leader is category-specific, so it has to be transformed first.

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> BEPS$Leader_Labour<-BEPS$Leader_Labour-BEPS$Leader_Cons
> BEPS$Leader<-BEPS$Leader_Labour
> BEPS$Leader_Liberals<-BEPS$Leader_Liberals-BEPS$Leader_Cons

> star.nominal(Vote ~ Age + Household + National_Economy + Household + Leader +
+ Europe + Political_Knowledge + Gender, data = BEPS,
+ xij = list(Leader~Leader_Labour+Leader_Liberals), catstar = F
+ , cex.cat = 1, cex.labels = 1.2, lwd.circle = 1.5, col.circle = "blue")

      Leader
[1,] 0.7055805
$odds
            (Intercept)      Age Household National_Economy      Europe
Conservative    2.0619817 1.1967124 0.9391499      0.7662372 1.6213210
Labour          0.4989523 0.8770345 1.1178084      1.3832865 0.7545727
Liberal Democrat 0.9719774 0.9527820 0.9525718      0.9434626 0.8173911
            Political_Knowledge Gendermale
Conservative      1.2581011   0.915207
Labour            0.7545625   1.040712
Liberal Democrat  1.0533901   1.049905

$coefficients
            (Intercept)      Age Household National_Economy      Europe
Conservative    0.72366750 0.17957811 -0.06278018     -0.26626356
Labour          -0.69524474 -0.13120898  0.11136999      0.32446217
Liberal Democrat -0.02842276 -0.04836913 -0.04858981     -0.05819861
            Political_Knowledge Gendermale
Conservative     0.4832413    0.22960355 -0.08860497
Labour           -0.2816037    -0.28161715  0.03990555
Liberal Democrat -0.2016376    0.05201361  0.04869941

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              (Intercept)      Age  Household National_Economy      Europe
Conservative     0.2246614 0.04830192 0.05480146     0.05978239 0.05371571
Labour          0.2121346 0.04252510 0.04860122     0.05418439 0.04586360
Liberal Democrat 0.2176356 0.04600028 0.05197951     0.05646610 0.04888314
                           Political_Knowledge Gendermale
Conservative      0.04631649 0.09711340
Labour            0.04019716 0.08526619
Liberal Democrat  0.04389986 0.09191268

$pvalues
              (Intercept)      Age  Household National_Economy      Europe
Conservative    0.0006383908 0.0001004726 0.12598176     4.216628e-06
Labour          0.0005238845 0.0010162294 0.01096709     1.061460e-09
Liberal Democrat 0.4480466817 0.1465153351 0.17494886     1.513449e-01
                           Europe Political_Knowledge Gendermale
Conservative   0.000000e+00      3.574449e-07 0.1807826
Labour         4.125436e-10      1.227018e-12 0.3198882
Liberal Democrat 1.854553e-05      1.180435e-01 0.2981099

$catspec
      Leader
[1,] 0.7055805

$catspecse
      Leader
[1,] 0.03926252

$p_rel
      Age  Household National_Economy      Leader Europe Political_Knowledge
[1,] 0 0.0003200035 0.07165663 1.804596e-09 0 1.44873e-12
      Gendermale
[1,] 0.6590674

$xlim
[1] 5.361152 29.280140

$ylim
[1] 5.134334 28.805884

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