

# Introduction to Mixed Models for Multivariate Regression

EPSY 905: Fundamentals of  
Multivariate Modeling  
Online Lecture #15

# In This Lecture...

- Multivariate regression via mixed models
- Comparing and contrasting path analysis with mixed models
  - Differences in model fit measures
  - Differences in software estimation methods
  - Model comparisons via multivariate Wald tests (instead of LRTs)
  - How to compute  $R^2$

# Today's Data Example

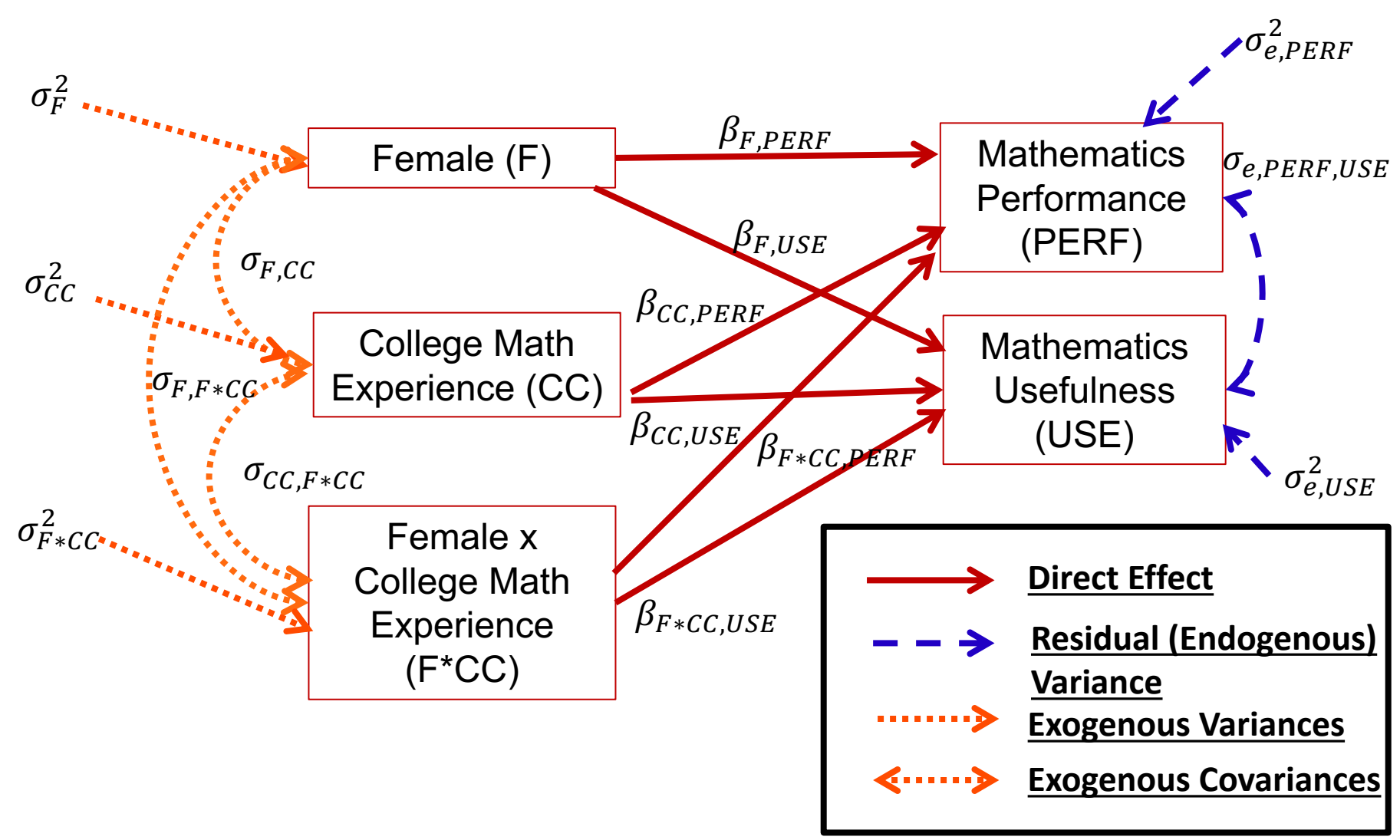
- Data are simulated based on the results reported in:  
Pajares, F., & Miller, M. D. (1994). Role of self-efficacy and self-concept beliefs in mathematical problem solving: a path analysis. *Journal of Educational Psychology*, 86, 193-203.
- Sample of 350 undergraduates (229 women, 121 men)
  - In simulation, 10% of variables were missing (using missing completely at random mechanism)
- Note: simulated data characteristics differ from actual data (some variables extend beyond their official range)
  - Simulated using Multivariate Normal Distribution
    - ◆ Some variables had boundaries that simulated data exceeded
  - Results will not match exactly due to missing data and boundaries

# Variables of Data Example

- Female (1 = male; 0 = female)
- Math Self-Efficacy (MSE)
  - Reported reliability of .91
  - Assesses math confidence of college students
- Perceived Usefulness of Mathematics (USE)
  - Reported reliability of .93
- Math Anxiety (MAS)
  - Reported reliability ranging from .86 to .90
- Math Self-Concept (MSC)
  - Reported reliability of .93 to .95
- Prior Experience at High School Level (HSL)
  - Self report of number of years of high school during which students took mathematics courses
- Prior Experience at College Level (CC)
  - Self report of courses taken at college level
- Math Performance (PERF)
  - Reported reliability of .788
  - 18-item multiple choice instrument (total of correct responses)



# Multivariate Linear Regression Path Diagram



# The Big Picture

- Mixed models are used for many types of analyses:
  - Analogous to MANOVA and M-Regression (so repeated measures analyses)
  - Multilevel models for clustered, longitudinal, and crossed-effects data
- The biggest difference between mixed models and path analysis software is in the assumed distribution of the exogenous variables
  - Mixed models: no distribution assumed
  - Path analysis: most software assumes multivariate normal
    - ◆ Mplus does not by default
  - This affects how missing data are managed – mixed models cannot have any missing IVs
- Mixed models also do not allow endogenous variables to predict other endogenous variables
  - No indirect effects are possible from a single analysis (multiple analyses needed)
- Mixed models software also often needs variables to be stored in so-called “stacked” or long-format data (one row per DV)
  - We used wide-format data for lavaan (one row per person)

# Multivariate Linear Models Software Scorecard

Feature	Need	Classical MANOVA/ M-Regression	Path Analysis (lavaan unless stated)	Mixed Models (nlme/lme4 unless stated)
<b>Dependent variables can predict other dependent variables simultaneously</b>	<b>Path analysis definition</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
Variable-specific modeling options	Precise model development	NO	YES (directly)	<b>YES (with dummy codes)</b>
“Robust” Maximum Likelihood Estimation	Provides lepto/platykurtic data protection	NO	YES	YES (most without LRT)
Residual Maximum Likelihood Estimation	Provides unbiased variances, covariance, and (some) path estimates	YES (analogously)	NO	<b>YES</b>
Ability to Incorporate Random Effects	Additional levels of dependency	NO	YES (two-level nested; Mplus does more)	YES
Multiple Covariance Structures (beyond Compound Symmetry and Unstructured)	Model parsimony (“Curse” of multidimensionality)	NO	YES (some)	YES (many in R; many more in SAS)
Approximate Model Fit Indices	Determining How Bad a Model May Be	NO	YES	NO
Different denominator df methods		NO	NO	YES

# MULTIVARIATE REGRESSION/ANOVA/ANCOVA VIA PATH ANALYSIS

# Multivariate Regression

- Before we dive into mixed models, we will begin with a multivariate regression model:
  - Predicting mathematics performance (PERF) with female (F), college math experience (CC), and the interaction between female and college math experience (FxCC)
  - Predicting perceived usefulness (USE) with female (F), college math experience (CC), and the interaction between female and college math experience (FxCC)

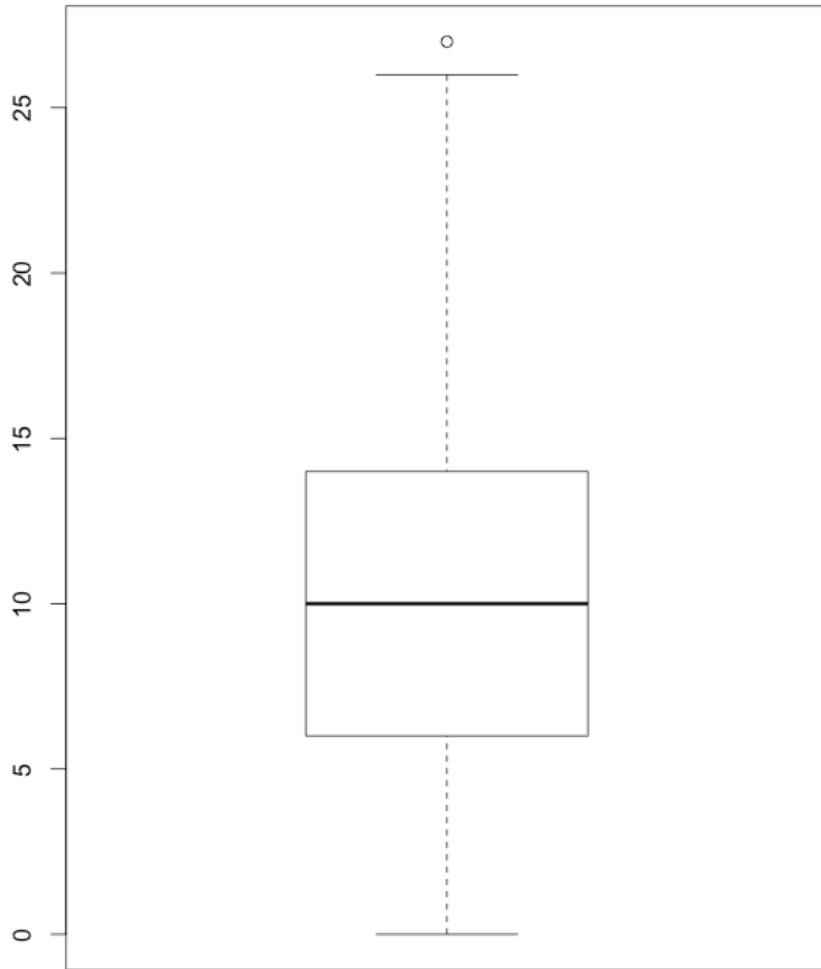
$$\begin{aligned} PERF_i &= \beta_{0,PERF} + \beta_{F,PERF}F_i + \beta_{CC,PERF}CC_i + \beta_{F*CC,PERF}F_i * CC_i + e_{i,PERF} \\ USE_i &= \beta_{0,USE} + \beta_{F,USE}F_i + \beta_{CC,USE}CC_i + \beta_{F*CC,USE}F_i * CC_i + e_{i,USE} \end{aligned}$$

- We denote the residual for PERF as  $e_{i,PERF}$  and the residual for USE as  $e_{i,USE}$ 
  - We also assume the residuals are Multivariate Normal:

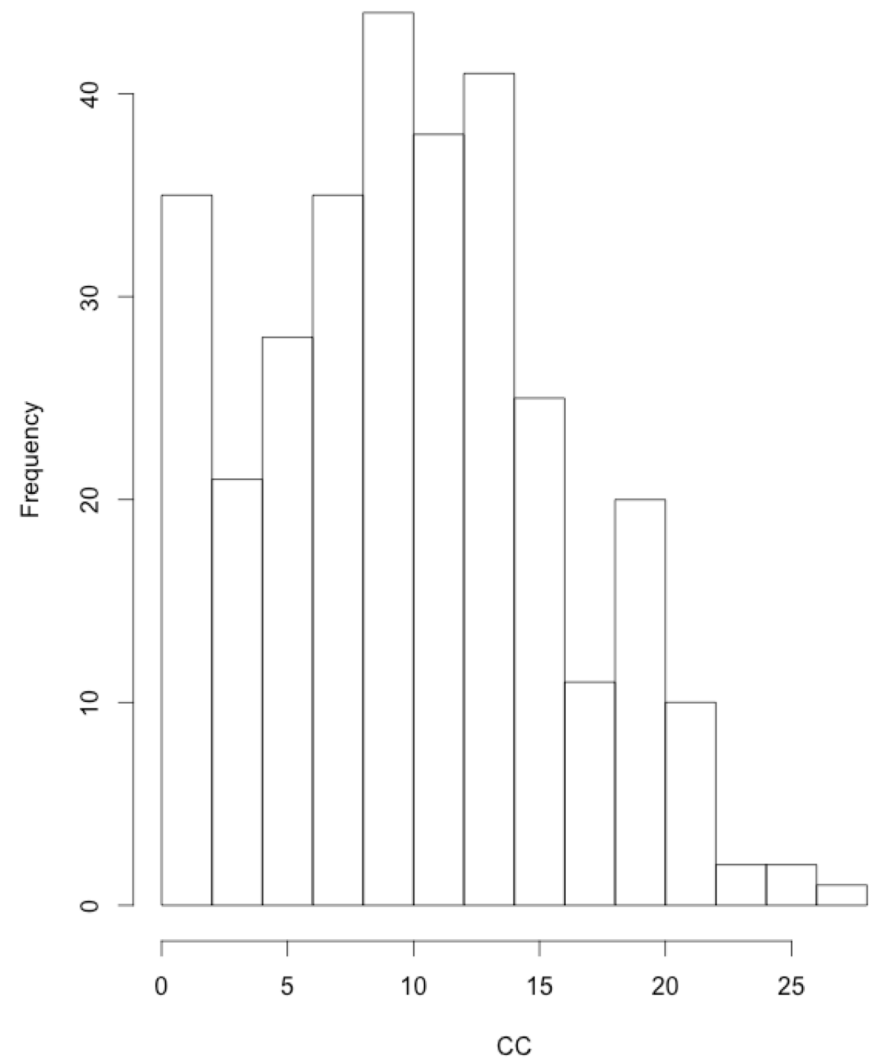
$$\begin{bmatrix} e_{i,PERF} \\ e_{i,USE} \end{bmatrix} \sim N_2 \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{e,PERF}^2 & \sigma_{e,PERF,USE} \\ \sigma_{e,PERF,USE} & \sigma_{e,USE}^2 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

# Before Continuing: We will Center CC at 10

Boxplot of College Experience (CC)



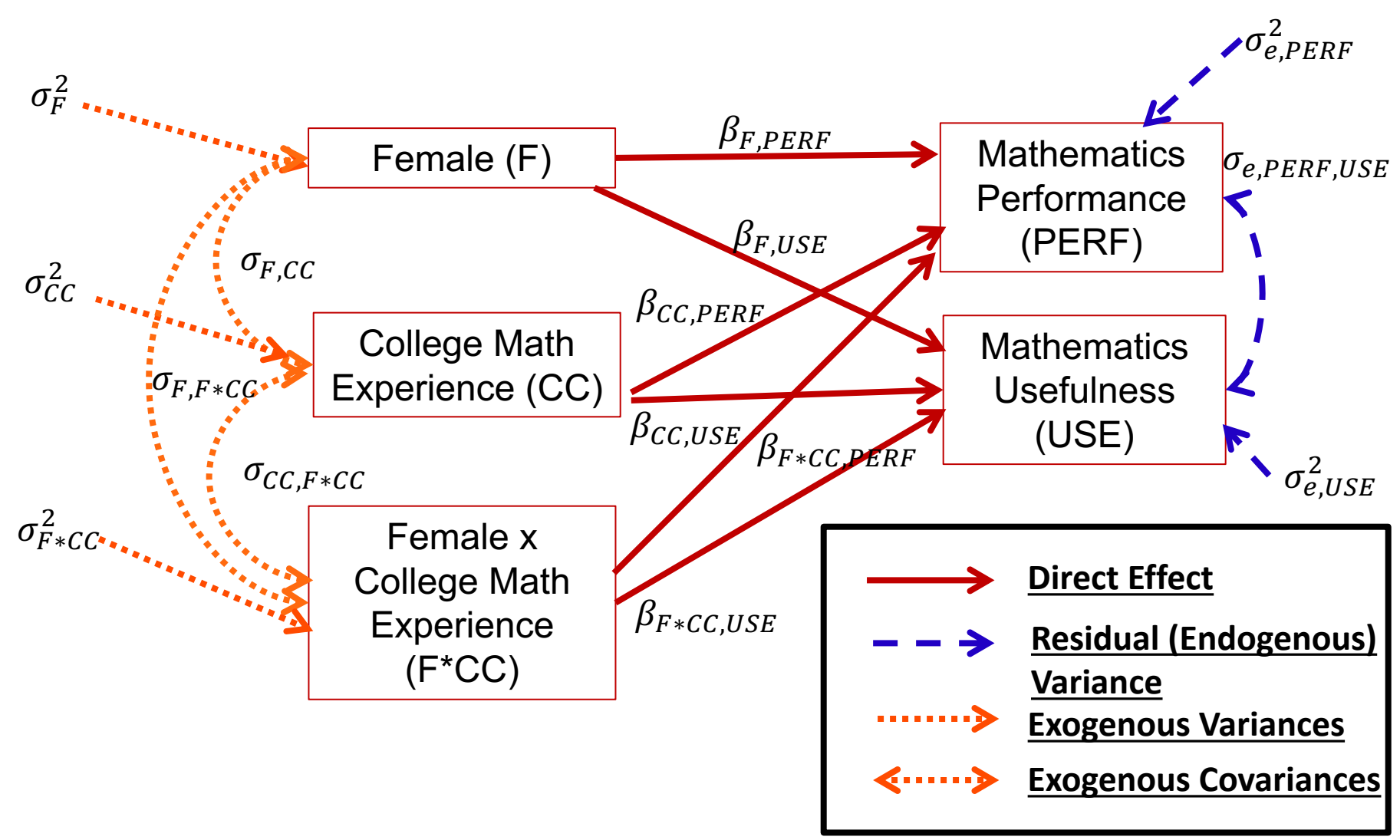
Histogram of College Experience (CC)



# Types of Variables in the Analysis

- An important distinction in path analysis is between endogenous and exogenous variables
- Endogenous variable(s): variables whose variability *is explained* by one or more variables in a model
  - In linear regression, the **dependent variable** is the only endogenous variable in an analysis
    - ♦ Mathematics Performance (PERF) and Mathematics Usefulness (USE)
- Exogenous variable(s): variables whose variability *is not explained* by any variables in a model
  - In linear regression, the **independent variable(s)** are the exogenous variables in the analysis
    - ♦ Female (F), college experience (CC), and the interaction (FxCC)
- These distinctions are not commonly used in mixed models:
  - Endogenous variables are called dependent variables or outcomes
  - Exogenous variables are called independent variables or predictors

# Multivariate Linear Regression Path Diagram





# CONVERTING DATA FROM WIDE- TO LONG-FORMAT USING THE RESHAPE FUNCTION

# First Step: Convert Data from Wide to Long

- Original wide-format data (all DVs for a person on one row)

	id	perf	use	female	cc10
1	1	14	44	1	-1
2	2	12	77	0	-8
3	3	NA	64	1	2
4	4	19	71	0	10
5	5	12	48	0	5

- Reshape commands:

```
#omit all variables but those in the analysis:
```

```
data02 = data01[c("id", "perf", "use", "female", "cc10")]
```

```
#create long-format data set using reshape command
```

```
data02_long = reshape(data02, varying = c("perf", "use"), v.names = "score",  
  timevar = "DV", times = c("perf", "use"),  
  direction = "long")
```

- Resulting data:

	id	female	cc10	DV	score
1.perf	1	1	-1	perf	14
1.use	1	1	-1	use	44
2.perf	2	0	-8	perf	12
2.use	2	0	-8	use	77
3.perf	3	1	2	perf	NA
3.use	3	1	2	use	64
4.perf	4	0	10	perf	19
4.use	4	0	10	use	71
5.perf	5	0	5	perf	12

## Second Step: Remove any Missing Values

- Because all variables are not put into the likelihood function, any missing values (on any DV or IV) are not permitted
  - For IVs, omitting variables has serious implications for the analysis (assumes data are missing completely at random)
  - For DVs, because the DVs are part of the likelihood, they can be missing without problem (well without problems that aren't easy to handle)
- So, we must remove all missing values from all variables:

```
#catch #1: missing values must be removed from DV and all predictors:  
data03_long = data02_long[which(is.na(data02_long$score) == FALSE &  
                               is.na(data02_long$cc10) == FALSE &  
                               is.na(data02_long$female) == FALSE),]
```

# Third Step: Create Dummy Code for DV

- In stacked data, the dependent variable values are all put into one column (variable) of the data set
- As mixed model software has one spot for a single outcome, we trick the software into modeling more than one by using a dummy coded variable that is part of our analysis, making each effect conditional on the correct DV

```
#create dummy coded variable for indicating which DV is in use:  
data03_long$dPerf = 0  
data03_long[which(data03_long$DV == "perf"),]$dPerf = 1
```

- We've decided to put USE as the reference variable
  - Like reference group, but now for DV

# **BUILDING THE “EMPTY” MULTIVARIATE MODEL IN MIXED MODELS SOFTWARE**

# Multivariate Regression from the Path Analysis Method

- If we were to put our empty model into a path analysis framework, we would end up with the following:

$$PERF_i = \beta_{0,PERF} + e_{i,PERF}$$

$$USE_i = \beta_{0,USE} + e_{i,USE}$$

- We denote the residual for PERF as  $e_{i,PERF}$  and the residual for USE as  $e_{i,USE}$

- We also assume the residuals are Multivariate Normal:

$$\begin{bmatrix} e_{i,PERF} \\ e_{i,USE} \end{bmatrix} \sim N_2 \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{e,PERF}^2 & \sigma_{e,PERF,USE} \\ \sigma_{e,PERF,USE} & \sigma_{e,USE}^2 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

# Building the Empty Model: Not So Empty

- A multivariate model using mixed model software uses the dummy code for DV to make all effects conditional on the specific DV in the model
  - Here I use the symbol  $\delta$  to represent each fixed effect in the multivariate model from the mixed model perspective
  - I will compare/contrast these with the symbols  $\beta$  from the fixed effects in path analysis

- For instance, our empty model is thus:

$$Y_{i,DV} = \delta_0 + \delta_1 dPerf_i + e_{i,DV}$$

- The prediction is conditional on the value of dPerf:
  - When dPerf = 0  $\rightarrow$  DV = "Use"  $\rightarrow USE_i = \delta_0 + e_{i,USE}$
  - When dPerf = 1  $\rightarrow$  DV = "Perf"  $\rightarrow PERF_i = \delta_0 + \delta_1 * 1 + e_{i,Perf}$

# Estimating the Empty Model

- From the nlme library, we use the gls() function

- Be sure the library is installed and loaded before trying this!

```
#create empty model using REML estimation to attempt to mirror initial analysis:  
model01_mixed = gls(model = score ~ 1 + dPerf, method = "REML", data = data03_long,  
                    correlation=corSymm(form=~1|id), weights=varIdent(form = ~1|DV))
```

- model = score ~ 1 + dPerf:

- DV ~ → put the name of the DV on the left of the ~
- 1 → Unnecessary but indicates the intercept is estimated
- dPerf → The rest of the IVs go between plus signs after the ~

- method = "REML" → Don't change (more details next)

- correlation = corSymm(form = ~1|id)

- Provides estimates of all unique correlations
- Needs id variable name after | for program to know which data comes from which person

- weights = varIdent(form = ~1|DV)

- Estimates a different (residual) variance for each DV
- With correlation line ensures an unstructured model is estimated



# Empty Model Results: Fixed Effects and “Model Fit”

```
> summary(model01_mixed)
```

Generalized least squares fit by REML

Model: score ~ 1 + dPerf

Data: data03\_long

AIC	BIC	logLik
3774.313	3795.871	-1882.156

Correlation Structure: General

Formula: ~1 | id

Parameter estimate(s):

Correlation:

1

2 0.136

Variance function:

Structure: Different standard deviations per stratum

Formula: ~1 | DV

Parameter estimates:

perf	use
1.000000	5.337397

Coefficients:

	Value	Std.Error	t-value	p-value
(Intercept)	52.40986	0.9437950	55.53098	0
dPerf	-38.46901	0.9399708	-40.92575	0

Correlation:

(Intr)

dPerf -0.98

Standardized residuals:

Min	Q1	Med	Q3	Max
-3.24789265	-0.64196261	0.01956532	0.68109325	2.99644101

Residual standard error: 3.023304

Degrees of freedom: 553 total; 551 residual

# Empty Model Results: Residual Covariance Matrix

- The residual covariance matrix comes from the `getVarCov()` function:

```
> getVarCov(model01_mixed)
Marginal variance covariance matrix
      [,1]      [,2]
[1,] 9.1404  6.6311
[2,] 6.6311 260.3900
Standard Deviations: 3.0233 16.137
```

# Mapping Multivariate Mixed Models onto Path Models

- To compare this result with the path analyses we conducted previously, we'll have to use this data set
  - Omit the same observations
- So, we'll need to take our long-format data and reshape it into wide-format:

```
#Comparison with Path Model Version: removed NA values -----
data03_wide = reshape(data03_long, timevar = "DV", idvar = c("id", "female", "cc10"), direction = "wide")

#create DVs with original names:
data03_wide$perf = data03_wide$score.perf
data03_wide$use = data03_wide$score.use

#creating interaction between male and cc:-----
data03_wide$femaleXcc10 = data03_wide$female*data03_wide$cc10
```

# Lavaan Model Syntax

```
model01_mirror.syntax = "  
  
#Means:  
perf ~ 1  
use  ~ 1  
  
#Variances:  
perf ~~ perf  
use  ~~ use  
  
#Covariance:  
perf ~~ use  
  
"  
  
model01_path_noNA.fit = sem(model01_mirror.syntax, data=data03_wide,  
                             conditional.x=TRUE, fixed.x = TRUE, mimic = "MPLUS", estimator = "MLR")  
  
summary(model01_path_noNA.fit, fit.measures = TRUE, standardized = TRUE)
```

# Comparing and Contrasting Results: Model Fit

```
> summary(model01_path_noNA.fit, fit.measures = TRUE, standardized = TRUE)
lavaan (0.5-20) converged normally after 29 iterations
```

Number of observations	311	
Number of missing patterns	3	
Estimator	ML	Robust
Minimum Function Test Statistic	0.000	0.000
Degrees of freedom	0	0
Scaling correction factor		NA
for the Yuan-Bentler correction (Mplus variant)		

Model test baseline model:

Minimum Function Test Statistic	4.798	4.574
Degrees of freedom	1	1
P-value	0.028	0.032

User model versus baseline model:

Comparative Fit Index (CFI)	1.000	1.000
Tucker-Lewis Index (TLI)	1.000	1.000

Loglikelihood and Information Criteria:

Loglikelihood user model (H0)	-1882.250	-1882.250
Loglikelihood unrestricted model (H1)	-1882.250	-1882.250
Number of free parameters	5	5
Akaike (AIC)	3774.500	3774.500
Bayesian (BIC)	3793.199	3793.199
Sample-size adjusted Bayesian (BIC)	3777.341	3777.341

Root Mean Square Error of Approximation:

RMSEA	0.000	0.000	
90 Percent Confidence Interval	0.000	0.000	0.000
P-value RMSEA <= 0.05	1.000	1.000	

Standardized Root Mean Square Residual:

SRMR	0.000	0.000
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```
> summary(model02_reml)
```

Generalized least squares fit by REML  
Model: score ~ 1 + dPerf  
Data: data03\_long  
AIC BIC logLik  
3774.313 3795.871 -1882.156

# Comparing and Contrasting Results: Parameter Estimates

## Correlation Structure: General

Formula: ~1 | id  
 Parameter estimate(s):  
 Correlation:  
 1  
 2 0.136  
 Variance function:  
 Structure: Different standard deviations per stratum  
 Formula: ~1 | DV  
 Parameter estimates:  
 perf use  
 1.000000 5.337397

## Coefficients:

	Value	Std.Error	t-value	p-value
(Intercept)	52.40986	0.9437950	55.53098	0
dPerf	-38.46901	0.9399708	-40.92575	0

```
#create mean for Usefulness (sum of intercept plus main effect of dPerf)
estimate01 = matrix(c(1,1), nrow = 1); rownames(estimate01) = "Mean Usefulness"
estimate02 = matrix(c(1,0), nrow = 1); rownames(estimate02) = "Mean Performance"
```

```
estimates = rbind(estimate01, estimate02)
effects = glht(model = model01_mixed, linfct = estimates)
summary(effects)
```

## Simultaneous Tests for General Linear Hypotheses

```
Fit: gls(model = score ~ 1 + dPerf, data = data03_long, correlation = corSymm(form = ~1 | id), weights = varIdent(form = ~1 | DV), method = "REML")
```

## Linear Hypotheses:

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z )
Mean Usefulness == 0	13.9408	0.1869	74.61	<1e-10 ***
Mean Performance == 0	52.4099	0.9438	55.53	<1e-10 ***

---  
 Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1  
 (Adjusted p values reported -- single-step method)

## Covariances:

	Estimate	Std.Err	Z-value	P(> z )	Std.lv	Std.all
perf ~ use	6.610	3.049	2.168	0.030	6.610	0.136

## Intercepts:

	Estimate	Std.Err	Z-value	P(> z )	Std.lv	Std.all
perf	13.941	0.187	74.660	0.000	13.941	4.620
use	52.410	0.940	55.750	0.000	52.410	3.253

## Variances:

	Estimate	Std.Err	Z-value	P(> z )	Std.lv	Std.all
perf	9.105	0.827	11.006	0.000	9.105	1.000
use	259.498	20.968	12.376	0.000	259.498	1.000

```
> getVarCov(model01_mixed)
Marginal variance covariance matrix
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Standard Deviations: 3.0233 16.137
```

# **RESIDUAL MAXIMUM LIKELIHOOD ESTIMATION (UNBIASED VARIANCE COMPONENTS)**

# Residual Maximum Likelihood Estimation

- The ML estimator is nice, but the variance estimate is downward biased (too small)
  - Remember – it divides by  $N$  for the residual covariance matrix
- In small samples, this is likely to lead to biased estimates and incorrect p-values
  - The variance goes into the SE, which goes into the Wald test, which dictates the p-value for the beta
- Instead, another maximum likelihood technique has been developed: Residual Maximum Likelihood (REML)
  - Maximizes the likelihood of the residuals rather than the data
  - Has unbiased estimates of the residual covariance matrix
  - Is the default method of estimation for most mixed model estimation packages
- There is one catch to REML: you cannot use a LRT to compare nested models with differing fixed effects
  - Because the algorithm uses residuals, if the residuals change, the likelihood changes
  - Residuals come from the fixed effects → if fixed effects are different, then residuals change, causing the likelihood to change
  - Can use multivariate Wald test for fixed effects
- Don't mix ML and REML for the same analysis



# ADDING PREDICTORS TO THE MODEL

# Adding Predictors To The Model

- Adding predictors to the model is similar to adding predictors in regular regression models
  - No 0\* terms in syntax to remove
- By using REML we cannot compare models using likelihood ratio tests
  - REML LRTs must have same fixed effects
  - Adding predictors adds new fixed effects to the empty model
- We are predicting each DV with female, cc10, and female\*cc10

# Model with Predictors: Syntax

```
#model 02: all predictors included -----  
model02_mixed = gls(model = score ~ 1 + dPerf + female + dPerf*female +  
                    cc10 + dPerf*cc10 + female*cc10 + dPerf*female*cc10,  
                    method = "REML", data = data03_long, correlation=corSymm(form=~1|id),  
                    weights=varIdent(form = ~1|DV))
```

## **Interpret the Parameters:**

$\beta_0$ :

$\beta_{dPerf}(dPerf_i)$ :

$\beta_{Female}(Female_i)$ :

$\beta_{dPerf*Female}(dPerf_i Female_i)$ :

$\beta_{CC10}(CC10_i)$ :

$\beta_{dPerf*CC10}(dPerf_i CC10_i)$ :

$\beta_{Female*CC10}(CC10_i Female_i)$ :

$\beta_{dPerf*Female*CC10}(dPerf_i CC10_i Female_i)$ :

# First Question: Which Model “Fits” Better?

- After adding the predictors (estimating their betas) to the model, we must first ask which model fits better
- A likelihood ratio test (LRT) cannot be performed as we are using REML

```
> anova(model01_mixed, model02_mixed)
```

	Model	df	AIC	BIC	logLik	Test	L.Ratio	p-value
model01_mixed	1	5	3774.313	3795.871	-1882.156			
model02_mixed	2	11	3771.308	3818.617	-1874.654	1 vs 2	15.00473	0.0202

Warning message:  
In nlme::anova.lme(object = model01\_mixed, model02\_mixed) :  
fitted objects with different fixed effects. REML comparisons are not meaningful.

- Which model is the null model?
  - Model01
- Which model is the alternative model?
  - Model02
- What is the null hypothesis?
  - $H_0$ :
- What is the alternative hypothesis?

# Syntax for Multivariate Wald Test for Model Fit

```
#create a specific vector for each beta weight: will use later to create specific parameters for each DV prediction
intercept =          matrix(c(1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0), nrow = 1)
rownames(intercept) = "Intercept"
dPerf =              matrix(c(0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0), nrow = 1)
rownames(dPerf) = "dPerf"
female =              matrix(c(0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0), nrow = 1)
rownames(female) = "female"
cc10 =                matrix(c(0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0), nrow = 1)
rownames(cc10) = "cc10"
dPerf_female =        matrix(c(0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0), nrow = 1)
rownames(dPerf_female) = "dPerf:female"
dPerf_cc10 =           matrix(c(0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0), nrow = 1)
rownames(dPerf_cc10) = "dPerf:cc10"
female_cc10 =          matrix(c(0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0), nrow = 1)
rownames(female_cc10) = "female:cc10"
dPerf_female_cc10 =    matrix(c(0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1), nrow = 1)
rownames(dPerf_female_cc10) = "dPerf:female:cc10"

#analog to LRT: test all parameters simultaneously (a multi-DF contrast)
overall_sig = rbind(female, cc10, dPerf_female, dPerf_cc10, female_cc10, dPerf_female_cc10)
effects = glht(model = model02_mixed, linct = overall_sig)

#note: R's package do not give you an F-test [BAD R, BAD!]
summary(effects, test=Ftest())
```

# Results for Model Fit

- Note: R's nlme function doesn't do a good job with df.residual and provides a Chi-square test
  - SAS is way more advanced on this as there are multiple options

## General Linear Hypotheses

### Linear Hypotheses:

	Estimate
Intercept for Use == 0	51.79933
Simple main effect for Female predicting Use == 0	1.83570
Simple main effect for CC10 predicting Use == 0	0.19525
Interaction of Female and CC10 predicting Use == 0	0.26018
Intercept for Perf == 0	13.68949
Simple main effect for Female predicting Perf == 0	0.65832
Simple main effect for CC10 predicting Perf == 0	0.09871
Interaction of Female and CC10 predicting Perf == 0	0.09377

### Global Test:

```
Chisq DF Pr(>Chisq)
1 8328 8          0
```

Warning message:

In test(object) :

'df.residual' is not available for 'model' a Chisq test is performed instead of the requested F test.  
> |

- Also note there are 6 degrees of freedom (one for each additional beta weight in the model)

# Up Next: Inspect Parameters and Make Interpretations

- Using the `summary()` function for the model:

Coefficients:

	Value	Std.Error	t-value	p-value
(Intercept)	51.79933	1.1750554	44.08246	0.0000
dPerf	-38.10983	1.1751688	-32.42924	0.0000
female	1.83570	2.0060709	0.91507	0.3606
cc10	0.19525	0.1981999	0.98510	0.3250
dPerf:female	-1.17738	2.0068176	-0.58669	0.5577
dPerf:cc10	-0.09653	0.1979034	-0.48778	0.6259
female:cc10	0.26018	0.3527298	0.73761	0.4611
dPerf:female:cc10	-0.16641	0.3529074	-0.47155	0.6374

- But, there is a way to directly code these beta weights into path model analogs using the `glht()` function

# Direct Betas using Linear Combinations and glht()

```
#creating direct betas vectors for prediction of usefulness (dPerf = 0)
beta_use_0 = intercept; rownames(beta_use_0) = "Intercept for Use"
beta_use_female = female; rownames(beta_use_female) = "Simple main effect for Female predicting Use"
beta_use_cc10 = cc10; rownames(beta_use_cc10) = "Simple main effect for CC10 predicting Use"
beta_use_femaleXcc10 = female_cc10; rownames(beta_use_femaleXcc10) = "Interaction of Female and CC10 predicting Use"

beta_perf_0 = intercept + dPerf; rownames(beta_perf_0) = "Intercept for Perf"
beta_perf_female = female + dPerf_female; rownames(beta_perf_female) = "Simple main effect for Female predicting Perf"
beta_perf_cc10 = cc10 + dPerf_cc10; rownames(beta_perf_cc10) = "Simple main effect for CC10 predicting Perf"
beta_perf_femaleXcc10 = female_cc10 + dPerf_female_cc10; rownames(beta_perf_femaleXcc10) = "Interaction of Female and CC10 predicting Perf"

beta = rbind(beta_use_0, beta_use_female, beta_use_cc10, beta_use_femaleXcc10, beta_perf_0, beta_perf_female,
             beta_perf_cc10, beta_perf_femaleXcc10)
effects = glht(model = model02_mixed, linfct = beta)
summary(effects)
```

## Simultaneous Tests for General Linear Hypotheses

```
Fit: gls(model = score ~ 1 + dPerf + female + dPerf * female + cc10 +
      dPerf * cc10 + female * cc10 + dPerf * female * cc10, data = data03_long,
      correlation = corSymm(form = ~1 | id), weights = varIdent(form = ~1 |
      DV), method = "REML")
```

## Linear Hypotheses:

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z )
Intercept for Use == 0	51.79933	1.17506	44.082	<1e-04 ***
Simple main effect for Female predicting Use == 0	1.83570	2.00607	0.915	0.9575
Simple main effect for CC10 predicting Use == 0	0.19525	0.19820	0.985	0.9372
Interaction of Female and CC10 predicting Use == 0	0.26018	0.35273	0.738	0.9879
Intercept for Perf == 0	13.68949	0.22375	61.183	<1e-04 ***
Simple main effect for Female predicting Perf == 0	0.65832	0.38378	1.715	0.4733
Simple main effect for CC10 predicting Perf == 0	0.09871	0.03543	2.786	0.0397 *
Interaction of Female and CC10 predicting Perf == 0	0.09377	0.06716	1.396	0.7129

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Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1  
(Adjusted p values reported -- single-step method)



# Questions to Answer about this Model

- What is the effect of college experience on usefulness for males?
- What is the effect of college experience on usefulness for females?
- What is the difference between males and females ratings of usefulness when college experience = 10?
- How did the difference between males and females ratings change for each additional hour of college experience?

# Questions to Answer about this Model

- What is the effect of college experience on performance for males?
- What is the effect of college experience on performance for females?
- What is the difference between males and females performance when college experience = 10?
- How did the difference between males and females performance change for each additional hour of college experience?

# Model R-squared

- To determine the model R-squared, we have to compare the variance/covariance matrix from model01 and model02 and make the statistics ourselves:

```
> #R-squared for model02 vs model01 -----
> #model01 residual covariance matrix:
> Vmodel01 = getVarCov(model01_mixed)
> Vmodel01
Marginal variance covariance matrix
      [,1]      [,2]
[1,] 9.1404   6.6311
[2,] 6.6311 260.3900
      Standard Deviations: 3.0233 16.137
>
> #model02 residual covariance matrix:
> Vmodel02 = getVarCov(model02_mixed)
> Vmodel02
Marginal variance covariance matrix
      [,1]      [,2]
[1,] 8.5491   5.0582
[2,] 5.0582 259.5200
      Standard Deviations: 2.9239 16.11
>
> #Rsquare for Performance:
> (Vmodel01[1,1] - Vmodel02[1,1])/Vmodel01[1,1]
[1] 0.06468645
>
> #Rsquare for Usefulness:
> (Vmodel01[2,2] - Vmodel02[2,2])/Vmodel01[2,2]
[1] 0.003341706
```

# WRAPPING UP

# Differences Between Mixed and Path Model Results

- Things we get directly from path models that we do not get directly in mixed models:
  - Tests for approximate model fit
  - Scaled Chi-square for some types of non-normal data
  - Standardized parameter coefficients
  - Tests for indirect effects
  - R-squared statistics
- Things we get directly in mixed models that we do not get in path models:
  - REML (unbiased estimates of variances/covariances)

# Wrapping Up

- In this lecture we discussed the basics of mixed model analyses for multivariate models
  - Model specification/identification
  - Model estimation
  - Model modification and re-estimation
  - Final model parameter interpretation
- There is a lot to the analysis – but what is important to remember is the over-arching principal of multivariate analyses: covariance between variables is important
  - Mixed models imply very specific covariance structures
  - The validity of the results still hinge upon accurately finding an approximation to the covariance matrix