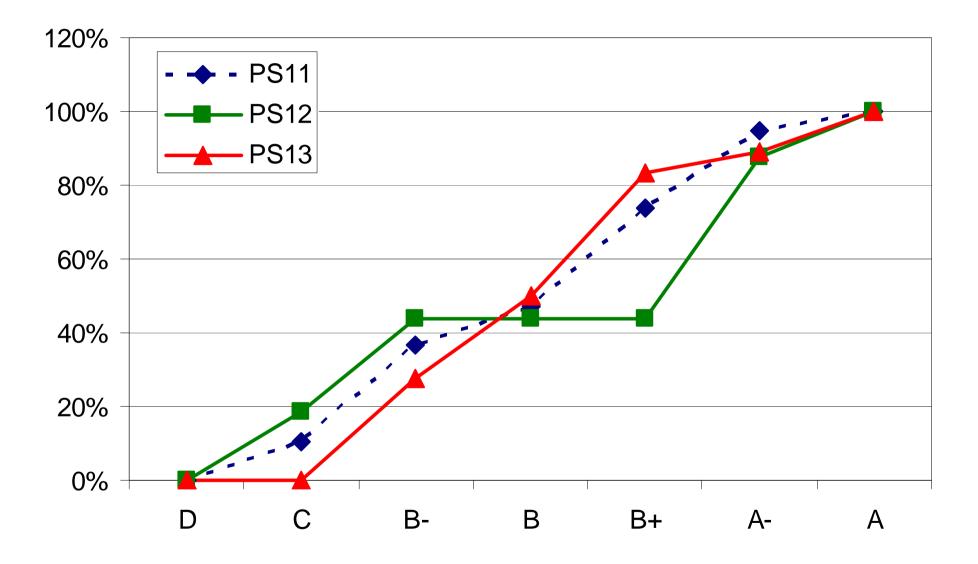
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Comments on PS13

Problem 1 and Problem 2

- Marginal effects in the logit and probit: effects of a change in the explanatory variable <u>at the sample average</u> (holding the other variables constant).
- The disturbance term in the Linear Probability Model (LPM/OLS) is <u>heteroscedastic and not normally distributed.</u> This implies that se and usual tests are invalid.

Comments on PS13

Problem 3

- Heckman 2 steps procedure and sample selection bias.
- Need to know how to assess if there is or not selection bias:
 - Asymptotic "z-test" for Ho:arctanh(rho)=0
 - Likelihood ratio test 2log(Lu/Lr) with a chi2(k) distribution under Ho: rho=0
- New tests but you need as always:

 To state the <u>significance level</u> and the conclusion (what does it imply to reject Ho ?)