# **Appendix B**

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Summary of statistics results
terms1=Xi Jinping (Dummy=Hu Jintao)
event1=color revolution (Dummy=Arab Spring)
Topico2 [Hong Kong] Pro-Democracy Protests
> summary(myfit02)
Call:
lm(formula = Topic02 \sim term + event, data = K3)
Residuals:
    Min
              1Q
                  Median
                               3Q
                                      Max
-0.09886 -0.05078 -0.03215 0.01573 0.96391
Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) -0.015721  0.007463 -2.106  0.0354 *
                                5.024 5.84e-07 ***
            0.047988
                     0.009552
                                6.833 1.32e-11 ***
event1
            0.066604
                      0.009747
Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Residual standard error: 0.1649 on 1200 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.0616, Adjusted R-squared: 0.06003
F-statistic: 39.38 on 2 and 1200 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
Topico3 [PRC] Ideological Control
> summary(myfit03)
Call:
lm(formula = Topic03 ~ term + event, data = K3)
Residuals:
     Min
               1Q
                    Median
                                 3Q
-0.08161 -0.04446 -0.02846 0.00859 0.99218
Coefficients:
             Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) -0.008582 0.007331 -1.171
                                            0.242
term1
             0.037106
                        0.009384
                                 3.954 8.13e-05 ***
event1
             0.053096
                        0.009575
                                 5.545 3.61e-08 ***
Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' '1
Residual standard error: 0.162 on 1200 degrees of freedom
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Multiple R-squared: 0.04058, Adjusted R-squared: 0.03898 F-statistic: 25.38 on 2 and 1200 DF, p-value: 1.603e-11

# Topico9 [PRC] China, Geopolitics & International Affairs

# > summary(myfit09)

#### Call:

lm(formula = Topic09 ~ term + event, data = K3)

### Residuals:

Min 1Q Median 3Q Max -0.05088 -0.04434 -0.01716 -0.01087 0.97407

## Coefficients:

Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 0.010926 0.006640 1.645 0.100137
term1 0.006321 0.008499 0.744 0.457177
event1 0.033636 0.008672 3.879 0.000111 \*\*\*
--Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 0.1467 on 1200 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.01336, Adjusted R-squared: 0.01172 F-statistic: 8.126 on 2 and 1200 DF, p-value: 0.0003125

## Topic13 [USA] NATO's Eastern Expansion

## > summary(myfit13)

## Call:

 $lm(formula = Topic13 \sim term + event, data = K3)$ 

# Residuals:

Min 1Q Median 3Q Max -0.21072 -0.18222 -0.01656 0.00787 0.97847

## Coefficients:

Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 0.01691 0.01033 1.638 0.1018
term1 -0.02472 0.01322 -1.870 0.0617 .
event1 0.19393 0.01349 14.379 <2e-16 \*\*\*

Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 0.2281 on 1200 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.1472, Adjusted R-squared: 0.1458 F-statistic: 103.5 on 2 and 1200 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16

# Topic14 [USA] Malicious Western Powers

# > summary(myfit14) Call: lm(formula = Topic14 ~ term + event, data = K3) Residuals: Min 10 Median 3Q Max -0.01962 -0.01838 -0.01598 -0.01493 0.98128 Coefficients: Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|) 3.038 0.00243 \*\* (Intercept) 0.016325 0.005374 term1 0.003298 0.006878 0.479 0.63170 event1 -0.004454 0.007018 -0.635 0.52582 ---Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' '1 Residual standard error: 0.1187 on 1200 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.0004851, Adjusted R-squared: -0.001181 F-statistic: 0.2912 on 2 and 1200 DF, p-value: 0.7474 Topic16 [USA] The Failure of the U.S. Middle East Policy > summary(myfit16) Call: $lm(formula = Topic16 \sim term + event, data = K3)$ Residuals: Median **1**Q 3Q Max -0.06920 -0.03798 -0.02886 -0.00071 0.96739 Coefficients: Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|) (Intercept) 0.028978 0.007311 3.963 7.82e-05 \*\*\* 0.040244 0.009358 4.300 1.84e-05 \*\*\* term1 0.009549 -3.263 0.00113 \*\* -0.031162 event1 Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' '1 Residual standard error: 0.1615 on 1200 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-squared: 0.02187, Adjusted R-squared: 0.02024 F-statistic: 13.41 on 2 and 1200 DF, p-value: 1.732e-06

# Topic18 [USA] US-led Global War on Terrorism

# > summary(myfit18)

### Call:

lm(formula = Topic18 ~ term + event, data = K3)

#### Residuals:

Min 1Q Median 3Q Max -0.03007 -0.02295 -0.02206 -0.01676 0.98217

### Coefficients:

Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|) 4.227 2.54e-05 \*\*\* (Intercept) 0.023019 0.005445 term1 0.007064 0.006969 1.014 0.3110 event1 -0.012427 0.007112 -1.747 0.0808 . \_\_\_ Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' '1

Residual standard error: 0.1203 on 1200 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.00315, Adjusted R-squared: 0.001488 F-statistic: 1.896 on 2 and 1200 DF, p-value: 0.1506

# Topic19 [USA] Critics of Western Democracy

## > summary(myfit19)

## Call:

lm(formula = Topic19 ~ term + event, data = K3)

#### Residuals:

Min 10 Median 3Q Max -0.05843 -0.03870 -0.03795 -0.02698 0.97010

### Coefficients:

Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|) 5.135 3.29e-07 \*\*\* (Intercept) 0.038723 0.007541 term1 0.019730 0.009652 2.044 0.04116 \* event1 -0.030488 0.009849 -3.096 0.00201 \*\* \_\_\_

Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\* 0.001 '\*\* 0.01 '\* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' '1

Residual standard error: 0.1666 on 1200 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.01049, Adjusted R-squared: 0.008841 F-statistic: 6.361 on 2 and 1200 DF, p-value: 0.001786

# Topic20 [USA] Confronting US-led Information Warfare

# > summary(myfit20)

#### Call:

lm(formula = Topic20 ~ term + event, data = K3)

## Residuals:

Min 1Q Median 3Q Max -0.07920 -0.04477 -0.02784 0.00638 1.00296

#### Coefficients:

Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) -0.006374 0.006980 -0.913 0.361291
term1 0.034322 0.008934 3.842 0.000128 \*\*\*
event1 0.051252 0.009116 5.622 2.34e-08 \*\*\*
--Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 0.1542 on 1200 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.04052, Adjusted R-squared: 0.03893 F-statistic: 25.34 on 2 and 1200 DF, p-value: 1.661e-11

# Sum [USA]

## > summary(myfitSum\_USA)

## Call:

 $lm(formula = Sum\_USA \sim term + event, data = K3)$ 

## Residuals:

Min 1Q Median 3Q Max -0.36391 -0.19683 -0.11678 0.01918 0.88035

#### Coefficients:

Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 0.11758 0.01650 7.124 1.80e-12 \*\*\*
term1 0.07994 0.02113 3.784 0.000162 \*\*\*
event1 0.16666 0.02156 7.731 2.24e-14 \*\*\*

Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' '1

Residual standard error: 0.3646 on 1200 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.06252, Adjusted R-squared: 0.06096 F-statistic: 40.01 on 2 and 1200 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16