

Econometric models

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Table 1: Regression Results (1) Descriptive variables

| | <i>Dependent variable:</i> | | | |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| | bb100 | vote100 | bb100 | vote100 |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) |
| avg_wordpersong | -0.004 (0.077) | -0.250** (0.101) | | |
| avg_uniquewordpersong | 0.030 (0.110) | 0.595*** (0.145) | | |
| avg_wordlength | -7.227 (11.708) | 4.237 (15.410) | | |
| brand_ps | | | 2.213 (2.272) | -9.148*** (3.403) |
| gang_ps | | | -1.271* (0.652) | 3.298*** (0.976) |
| profan_ps | | | 0.413 (0.369) | -0.437 (0.553) |
| Constant | 48.323 (60.252) | -25.236 (79.309) | 18.260*** (3.497) | 4.289 (5.238) |
| Observations | 155 | 155 | 155 | 155 |
| R ² | 0.004 | 0.291 | 0.028 | 0.104 |
| Adjusted R ² | -0.016 | 0.277 | 0.008 | 0.087 |
| Residual Std. Error (df = 151) | 18.745 | 24.674 | 18.521 | 27.740 |
| F Statistic (df = 3; 151) | 0.200 | 20.706*** | 1.432 | 5.870*** |

Note:

*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

Table 2: Regression Results (2) Emotions

| | <i>Dependent variable:</i> | |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|
| | bb100 | vote100 |
| | (1) | (2) |
| anger_ps | 1.051 (0.639) | -2.128** (0.962) |
| fear_ps | -1.495** (0.751) | 4.156*** (1.130) |
| joy_ps | 1.116** (0.561) | -0.664 (0.844) |
| Constant | 4.393 (8.218) | 5.979 (12.363) |
| Observations | 155 | 155 |
| R ² | 0.047 | 0.114 |
| Adjusted R ² | 0.028 | 0.097 |
| Residual Std. Error (df = 151) | 18.337 | 27.585 |
| F Statistic (df = 3; 151) | 2.475* | 6.504*** |

Note: *p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

Table 3: Regression Results (3) Topics

| | <i>Dependent variable:</i> | |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| | bb100 | vote100 |
| | (1) | (2) |
| topic_money_percent | -4.400 (9.118) | -11.199 (11.410) |
| topic_sex_percent | -2.395 (13.954) | -5.664 (17.462) |
| topic_street_percent | -21.015** (8.203) | 71.231*** (10.265) |
| topic_music_percent | -7.417 (9.541) | 57.280*** (11.940) |
| Constant | 19.667*** (3.427) | 1.601 (4.289) |
| Observations | 155 | 155 |
| R ² | 0.045 | 0.386 |
| Adjusted R ² | 0.019 | 0.369 |
| Residual Std. Error (df = 150) | 18.419 | 23.049 |
| F Statistic (df = 4; 150) | 1.752 | 23.555*** |
| <i>Note:</i> | *p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01 | |

Table 4: Regression Results (4) Robust SE models for GOATs

| | <i>Dependent variable: vote100</i> | | | |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) |
| avg_wordpersong | -0.250*** (0.095) | | | |
| avg_uniquewordpersong | 0.595*** (0.131) | | | |
| avg_wordlength | 4.237 (13.486) | | | |
| brand_ps | | -9.148*** (2.967) | | |
| gang_ps | | 3.298*** (1.064) | | |
| profan_ps | | -0.437 (0.535) | | |
| anger_ps | | | -2.128* (1.122) | |
| fear_ps | | | 4.156*** (1.462) | |
| joy_ps | | | -0.664 (0.721) | |
| topic_money_percent | | | | -11.199** (5.432) |
| topic_sex_percent | | | | -5.664 (11.394) |
| topic_street_percent | | | | 71.231*** (15.006) |
| topic_music_percent | | | | 57.280*** (14.527) |
| Constant | -25.236 (71.888) | 4.289 (4.171) | 5.979 (11.413) | 1.601 (2.766) |

Note:

*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

Table 5: Regression Results (5) Best mixed variable BB and GOAT models

| | <i>Dependent variable:</i> | |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| | bb100 | vote100 |
| | (1) | (2) |
| avg_uniquewordpersong | 0.223*** (0.068) | 0.402*** (0.104) |
| gang_ps | -0.528 (0.970) | |
| anger_ps | 0.261 (0.789) | |
| fear_ps | -1.007 (0.853) | |
| avg_wordpersong | | -0.160* (0.081) |
| topic_street_percent | -33.009*** (10.082) | 41.552*** (11.851) |
| topic_music_percent | -28.116** (12.582) | |
| topic_money_percent | | -24.361** (11.386) |
| Constant | 3.886 (5.922) | -1.446 (10.187) |
| Observations | 155 | 155 |
| R ² | 0.117 | 0.375 |
| Adjusted R ² | 0.082 | 0.358 |
| Residual Std. Error | 17.823 (df = 148) | 23.251 (df = 150) |
| F Statistic | 3.283*** (df = 6; 148) | 22.499*** (df = 4; 150) |

Note:

*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

Table 6: Regression Results (6) Robust SE model for the best mixed variable GOAT model

| | <i>Dependent variable: vote100</i> |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------|
| avg_uniquewordpersong | 0.402*** (0.101) |
| avg_wordpersong | -0.160** (0.073) |
| topic_street_percent | 41.552** (18.974) |
| topic_money_percent | -24.361*** (7.717) |
| Constant | -1.446 (10.520) |
| <i>Note:</i> | *p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01 |