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**1. Growing gaps in satisfaction with democracy by different social groups**

**Predicted values of satisfaction with democracy by different social groups**

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Source: DPES 1998-2021. Note that satisfaction with democracy is measured on a 4-point scale in the NKO, ranging from (1) not at all, to (2) not very, to (3) fairly, and (4) very satisfied. Since the predicted values of all three figures are located between 2.5 and 3.5 on this scale, in this Figure we zoom in on that part of the variation to make group differences better visible.

**2. Growing gaps by different social groups non-linear tests**

**Trust in parliament by social groups non-linear**

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**Satisfaction with democracy by social groups non-linear**

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**3. Politicisation of political support: satisfaction with democracy & issue positions**

**Marginal effects issue positions on satisfaction with democracy**

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Source: DPES 1998-2021.

**4. Politicisation of political support: non-linear associations issue positions**

**Marginal effects issue positions on trust in parliament – non-linear effects**

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**Marginal effects issue positions on satisfaction with democracy – non-linear effects**

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