Project: Sustainable Representation through Electoral Quotas: Evidence from India

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| Variable | Description |
| responseid | Unique ID of the respondent |
| r\_age | The age group of the respondent |
| r\_religion | Religion that the respondent identifies with |
| r\_edu | Highest level of education completed by respondent |
| r\_income | Monthly household income group of respondent |
| r\_gender | Gender of respondent |
| r\_caste | The caste group of the respondent |
| voter\_id | Whether the respondent has a valid voter ID |
| voted\_nat\_elect | Whether the respondent voted in the last national-level elections |
| voted\_state\_elect | Whether the respondent voted in the last state-level elections |
| Interact\_poli | Whether the respondent has interacted with a politician or elected representative |
| interact\_pol\_level | Which level of politician respondent has interacted with |
| pol\_interest | Level of political interest of the respondent in political issues and public affairs of the country |
| dep\_pm | Who is the deputy prime minister of India? |
| party\_support | The political party that the respondent supports |
| women\_res\_approv | Whether the respondent approves of women’s reservation in politics |
| caste\_res\_approv | Whether the respondent approves of caste-based reservations in politics |
| women\_mp | Respondent’s best guess of the percentage of women MPs in Lok Sabha |
| wom\_unfit\_patriarchal | Respondent’s agreement on whether women are unsuitable for politics and their scope should remain limited to work that their father or husband approves of. |
| wom\_unfit\_dirtypol | Respondent’s agreement on whether women are simply unsuitable for politics because politics is a dirty business. |
| gen\_intelligent | Respondent’s agreement on whether people from the Forward (General) caste are more intelligent on average. |
| wom\_discrim | Respondent’s agreement on whether women are discriminated against in India. |
| caste\_discrim | Respondent’s agreement on whether people are discriminated against based on caste in India. |
| indians\_fair | Respondent’s agreement on whether Indians treat everyone fairly. |
| women\_res50 | Whether the respondent resides in |
| vignette | Respondent’s correct identification of the vignette content |
| vignette\_info | Vignette received by respondent |
| q45 | Caste of respondent |
| correct\_vignette | Whether the respondent correctly recalled vignette information |
| conjoint | Conjoint number |
| Gender | Gender of candidate |
| Caste | Caste of candidate |
| Local gender quota | Whether the candidate used the local gender quota in the past |
| Local caste quota | Whether the candidate used the local caste quota in the past |
| Religion | The religion of the candidate |
| Dynastic family | Whether the candidate belongs to a dynastic political family |
| Local political experience | Whether the candidate has local political experience |
| Age | The age of candidate |
| Party type | Party type of the candidate |
| Caste reservation on MLA seat | Whether MLA level seat is reserved or not |
| Picked | Choice of the respondent from the candidate pair profile |