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Can we predict voting outcomes?

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8. Chris Butterworth
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10. Lu

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Data Files

File Name	Available Formats
Questions	.pdf (41.07 kb)
test2016	.csv (523.16 kb)
train2016	.csv (2.10 mb)
sampleSubmission2016	.csv (20.16 kb)

File descriptions

Here is a description of the files you have been provided for this competition:

- **train2016.csv** - the training set of data that you should use to build your models
- **test2016.csv** - the test set that you will be evaluated on. It contains all of the independent variables, but not the dependent variable.
- **sampleSubmission2016.csv** - a sample submission file in the correct format.
- **Questions.pdf** - the question test corresponding to each of the question codes, as well as the possible answers.

Data fields

- **USER_ID** - an anonymous id unique to a given user
- **YOB** - the year of birth of the user
- **Gender** - the gender of the user, either Male or Female
- **Income** - the household income of the user. Either not provided, or one of "under \$25,000", "\$25,001 - \$50,000", "\$50,000 - \$74,999", "\$75,000 - \$100,000", "\$100,001 - \$150,000", or "over \$150,000".
- **HouseholdStatus** - the household status of the user. Either not provided, or one of "Domestic Partners (no kids)", "Domestic Partners (w/kids)", "Married (no kids)", "Married (w/kids)", "Single (no kids)", or "Single (w/kids)".
- **EducationalLevel** - the education level of the user. Either not provided, or one of "Current K-12", "High School Diploma", "Current Undergraduate", "Associate's Degree", "Bachelor's Degree", "Master's Degree", or "Doctoral Degree".
- **Party** - the political party for whom the user intends to vote for. Either "Democrat" or "Republican"
- **Q124742, Q124122, . . . , Q96024** - 101 different questions that the users

were asked on Show of Hands. If the user didn't answer the question, there is a blank. For information about the question text and possible answers, see the file Questions.pdf.