|  |  | Voters by ideologigal dist. to sponsor (negativity) | Voters by ideologigal dist. to sponsor (incivility) | Voters by following the election (negativity) | Voters by following the election (incivility) |
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| Fixed effects | intercept | 6.439\*\*\* [ 5.651, 7.227] | 6.045\*\*\* [ 5.412, 6.678] | 3.182\*\*\* [ 2.324, 4.041] | 3.722\*\*\* [ 3.037, 4.407] |
|  | Negativity [P] | 0.216\*\* [ 0.075, 0.358] |  | 0.412\*\*\* [ 0.257, 0.567] |  |
|  | Incivility [P] |  | 0.375\*\*\* [ 0.242, 0.509] |  | 0.394\*\*\* [ 0.247, 0.540] |
|  | Negativity \*  better alternatives \*  ideol. distance to attacker[D] | 0.018\* [ 0.003, 0.033] |  |  |  |
|  | Incivility \*  better alternatives \*  ideol. distance to attacker[D] |  | 0.020\*\* [ 0.006, 0.034] |  |  |
|  | Negativity \*  better alternatives [D] | -0.125\*\*\* [-0.189,-0.060] |  | -0.293\*\*\* [-0.372,-0.214] |  |
|  | Incivility \*  better alternatives [D] |  | -0.150\*\*\* [-0.213,-0.086] |  | -0.197\*\*\* [-0.272,-0.121] |
|  | Negativity \*  ideol. distance to attacker [D] | -0.031\*\*\* [-0.046,-0.016] |  |  |  |
|  | Incivility \*  ideol. distance to attacker [D] |  | -0.030\*\*\* [-0.045,-0.016] |  |  |
|  | Better alternatives \*  ideol. distance to attacker[D] | -0.342\*\*\* [-0.432,-0.252] | -0.326\*\*\* [-0.397,-0.254] |  |  |
|  | No better alternatives [D] | -1.030\*\*\* [-1.376,-0.683] | -1.088\*\*\* [-1.363,-0.813] | -1.246\*\*\* [-1.675,-0.817] | -1.955\*\*\* [-2.290,-1.621] |
|  | Ideological distance to attacker [D] | -0.219\*\*\* [-0.308,-0.129] | -0.262\*\*\* [-0.333,-0.191] |  |  |
|  | Negativity \* following the elections \* no better alternatives [D] |  |  | -0.009 [-0.022, 0.003] |  |
|  | Incivility \* following the elections \* no better alternatives [D] |  |  |  | -0.022\*\*\* [-0.034,-0.010] |
|  | Negativity \* following the elections [I] |  |  | -0.004 [-0.016, 0.008] |  |
|  | Incivility \* following the elections [I] |  |  |  | 0.012\* [ 0.000, 0.023] |
|  | following the elections \* no better alternatives [D] |  |  | -0.059+ [-0.129, 0.010] | -0.020 [-0.074, 0.034] |
|  | following the elections [I] |  |  | 0.226\*\*\* [ 0.159, 0.293] | 0.156\*\*\* [ 0.104, 0.209] |
|  | gender (male, ref = female) [I] | -0.124\*\*\* [-0.169,-0.080] | -0.124\*\*\* [-0.169,-0.079] | -0.105\*\*\* [-0.149,-0.060] | -0.104\*\*\* [-0.148,-0.059] |
|  | gender (other, ref = female) [I] | -0.981\* [-1.779,-0.184] | -0.975\* [-1.773,-0.178] | -0.946\* [-1.734,-0.158] | -0.930\* [-1.718,-0.142] |
|  | birthyear [I] | 0.262\*\*\* [ 0.238, 0.286] | 0.262\*\*\* [ 0.238, 0.286] | 0.269\*\*\* [ 0.245, 0.293] | 0.269\*\*\* [ 0.245, 0.293] |
|  | medium education (ref = lower) [I] | -0.060 [-0.171, 0.052] | -0.059 [-0.170, 0.053] | -0.024 [-0.135, 0.086] | -0.022 [-0.133, 0.088] |
|  | high education (ref = lower) [I] | -0.052 [-0.162, 0.059] | -0.051 [-0.162, 0.059] | -0.003 [-0.113, 0.107] | -0.001 [-0.111, 0.109] |
|  | political int. - lowest (ref. a little) [I] | -0.441\*\*\* [-0.536,-0.346] | -0.441\*\*\* [-0.536,-0.346] | -0.304\*\*\* [-0.400,-0.209] | -0.303\*\*\* [-0.398,-0.208] |
|  | political int. - 2nd highest (ref. a little) [I] | 0.088\*\* [ 0.034, 0.142] | 0.089\*\* [ 0.035, 0.142] | -0.064\* [-0.119,-0.008] | -0.063\* [-0.119,-0.008] |
|  | political int. - highest (ref. a little) [I] | 0.125\*\*\* [ 0.055, 0.195] | 0.125\*\*\* [ 0.054, 0.195] | -0.253\*\*\* [-0.329,-0.177] | -0.255\*\*\* [-0.331,-0.179] |
|  | L-R position [I] | -0.094\*\*\* [-0.116,-0.071] | -0.094\*\*\* [-0.116,-0.071] | 0.069\*\*\* [ 0.047, 0.091] | 0.068\*\*\* [ 0.046, 0.090] |
|  | L-R extremity [I] | 0.416\*\*\* [ 0.392, 0.440] | 0.416\*\*\* [ 0.392, 0.440] | -0.091\*\*\* [-0.113,-0.068] | -0.091\*\*\* [-0.113,-0.068] |
|  | EU position extremity [I] | 0.286\*\*\* [ 0.262, 0.310] | 0.286\*\*\* [ 0.262, 0.311] | -0.083\*\*\* [-0.106,-0.060] | -0.082\*\*\* [-0.105,-0.059] |
|  | EU position [I] | 0.222\*\*\* [ 0.196, 0.247] | 0.216\*\*\* [ 0.191, 0.241] | 0.309\*\*\* [ 0.286, 0.332] | 0.309\*\*\* [ 0.286, 0.332] |
|  | Negativity of closest competitor [P] | 0.020 [-0.169, 0.208] |  | 0.127 [-0.073, 0.326] |  |
|  | Incivility of closest competitor [P] |  | 0.006 [-0.178, 0.190] |  | 0.065 [-0.132, 0.261] |
|  | L-R position[P] | -0.063 [-0.206, 0.080] | -0.109 [-0.246, 0.029] | -0.061 [-0.213, 0.091] | -0.077 [-0.225, 0.070] |
|  | L-R extremity [P] | 0.318\*\*\* [ 0.138, 0.498] | 0.321\*\*\* [ 0.145, 0.497] | 0.015 [-0.176, 0.206] | 0.021 [-0.167, 0.209] |
|  | EU position [P] | -0.157 [-0.390, 0.076] | 0.016 [-0.199, 0.231] | 0.342\*\* [ 0.096, 0.589] | 0.439\*\*\* [ 0.210, 0.668] |
|  | EU position extremity[P] | 0.263\*\*\* [ 0.146, 0.379] | 0.211\*\*\* [ 0.094, 0.328] | 0.060 [-0.064, 0.184] | 0.022 [-0.103, 0.147] |
|  | incumbency [P] | 0.149\* [ 0.036, 0.263] | 0.154\*\* [ 0.048, 0.259] | 0.164\*\* [ 0.043, 0.285] | 0.150\*\* [ 0.036, 0.263] |
|  | Negativity of election [E] | -0.136 [-0.347, 0.075] |  | -0.221\* [-0.442, 0.000] |  |
|  | Incivility of election [E] |  | -0.189+ [-0.413, 0.035] |  | -0.232+ [-0.467, 0.002] |
|  | region North (ref = East) [E] | 0.197 [-0.400, 0.793] | 0.266 [-0.386, 0.917] | 0.190 [-0.427, 0.806] | 0.197 [-0.467, 0.862] |
|  | region South (ref = East) [E] | 0.457\* [ 0.019, 0.895] | 0.399+ [-0.014, 0.812] | 0.470\* [ 0.016, 0.924] | 0.406+ [-0.018, 0.829] |
|  | region West (ref = East) [E] | 0.590\* [ 0.040, 1.139] | 0.617\* [ 0.035, 1.198] | 0.590\* [ 0.021, 1.160] | 0.538+ [-0.056, 1.133] |
|  | experts' L-R scale [E] | -0.107 [-0.299, 0.086] | -0.095 [-0.289, 0.099] | -0.088 [-0.287, 0.111] | -0.089 [-0.287, 0.109] |
|  | experts' perception of EU [E] | -0.165\* [-0.325,-0.004] | -0.178\* [-0.331,-0.025] | -0.224\*\* [-0.390,-0.058] | -0.233\*\* [-0.390,-0.076] |
|  | experts' familiarity [E] | -0.027 [-0.173, 0.119] | -0.047 [-0.186, 0.092] | -0.009 [-0.160, 0.143] | -0.023 [-0.165, 0.119] |
|  | experts' easiness [E] | -0.120 [-0.324, 0.085] | -0.122 [-0.322, 0.077] | -0.181+ [-0.392, 0.030] | -0.195+ [-0.398, 0.008] |
|  | experts' citizen [E] | 0.020 [-0.106, 0.146] | 0.003 [-0.126, 0.131] | 0.005 [-0.126, 0.135] | -0.014 [-0.145, 0.117] |
|  | experts' % female [E] | 0.099 [-0.068, 0.265] | 0.068 [-0.092, 0.228] | 0.146+ [-0.026, 0.319] | 0.134 [-0.030, 0.297] |
| System-level | variation of country-level random intercepts | 0.145 | 0.130 | 0.135 | 0.098 |
| Party-level | variation of party-level random intercepts | 0.672 | 0.658 | 0.715 | 0.708 |
| Respondent-level | variation of voter-level random intercepts | 1.054 | 1.054 | 0.922 | 0.922 |
| Dyad (residual) | variation of level 1 residual | 2.746 | 2.746 | 2.975 | 2.976 |
|  | N | 115661 | 115661 | 115661 | 115661 |
|  | R2 Marg. | 0.212 | 0.213 | 0.112 | 0.113 |
|  | AIC | 574774.1 | 574766.4 | 589950.0 | 589980.0 |
|  | BIC | 575160.4 | 575152.7 | 590336.3 | 590366.3 |