1. **"Party Competition: An Agent-Based Model" by Michael Laver and Ernest Sergenti (2011)**
   * Essential for understanding how ABMs can simulate political party dynamics and electoral competition.
2. **"Electoral Systems and Real Prices: An Agent-Based Approach" by Flaminio Squazzoni (2010)**
   * Investigates the impact of electoral systems through ABM, providing a unique economic perspective on political simulations.
3. **"Agent-Based Models of Voting and Electoral Competition" by Simon D. Angus and Virginie Masson (2015)**
   * Offers detailed insights into modeling voting behaviors and electoral competition through ABMs, relevant for both versions of your project.
4. **"The Complexity of Cooperation: Agent-Based Models of Competition and Collaboration" by Robert Axelrod (1997)**
   * Discusses the integration of AI and learning algorithms within ABMs, crucial for Version B of your project.

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