

Chapter 3: Online Appendix

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Appendix A: Additional Variable Coding

Unemployed - 0 = not unemployed, 1 = currently unemployed at time of survey.

Union Member - 0 = not a member of a union, 1 = currently a union member.

Party ID - coded as the party the respondent identifies with.

Political Interest – attention to politics 0 = hardly; 1 = only now and then, 2 = some of the time, 3 = most of the time.

Appendix B: Descriptive Statistics

Table B1: Descriptive Statistics – Socio-Demographics

| Variable | Min | Median | Mean | Max | SD |
|-------------------|--------|--------|-------|-----|-------|
| Age | 18 | 54 | 53.33 | 96 | 16.59 |
| Variable | 0 | 1 | | | |
| Gender | 48.58% | 51.42% | | | |
| University Degree | 61.73% | 38.27% | | | |
| Unemployed | 61.22% | 38.78% | | | |
| Union Member | 84.55% | 15.45% | | | |

Table B2: Descriptive Statistics – Political Attitudes

| Variable | Min | Median | Mean | Max | SD |
|---------------------------------|-----|--------|-------|-----|------|
| Political Ideology | 1 | 5 | 5.34 | 11 | 2.23 |
| Anti-Immigrant Sentiment | -2 | 1 | 0.77 | 2 | 1.15 |
| Political Interest | 0 | 2 | 2.45 | 4 | 1.00 |
| Prospective Economic Evaluation | -2 | 0 | 0.19 | 2 | 0.91 |
| EU Country Bailout | -2 | 0 | -0.82 | 2 | 1.10 |
| Concern Debt Crisis | 0 | 2 | 1.88 | 4 | 1.00 |
| Gov. Reduce Disparity | -2 | 1 | 0.92 | 2 | 1.00 |

Table B3: Descriptive Statistics – Party ID

| Variable | AfD | FDP | CDU/CSU | SPD | Greens | The Left | Other |
|----------|-------|-------|---------|--------|--------|----------|-------|
| Party ID | 0.34% | 2.24% | 29.73% | 22.97% | 9.50% | 4.31% | 1.11% |

Appendix C: Average Marginal Effects for Independent Variables from Tables 1 and 2

Figure C1: Average Marginal Effect of Age on Vote Choice

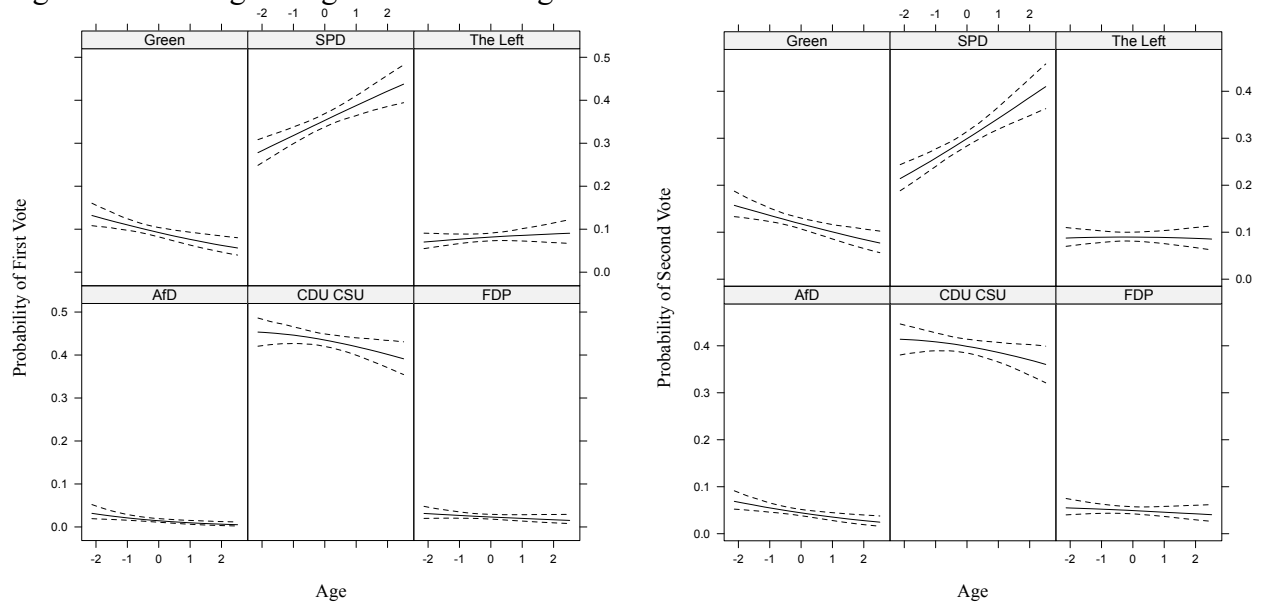
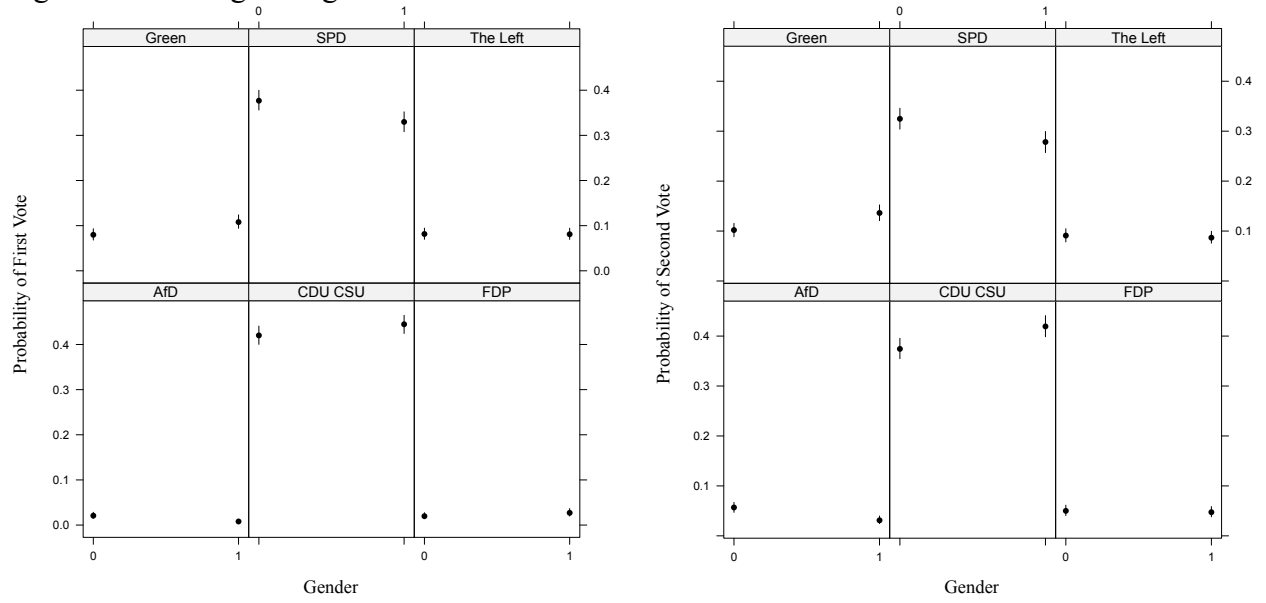


Figure C2: Average Marginal Effect of Gender on Vote Choice



Appendix D: Alternative Models (w/ Party ID Included)

Table D1: 2013 German Federal Election 1st Vote – Multinomial Logit Model

| | FDP | CDU/CSU | SPD | Green | The Left | Other |
|--------------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Constant | -2.71 (2.79) | 0.67 (0.74) | -0.04 (1.02) | -1.89 (2.61) | -1.62 (1.86) | -0.26 (0.82) |
| Age | 0.19 (0.19) | 0.31* (0.15) | 0.43** (0.15) | 0.20 (0.16) | 0.40* (0.16) | -0.35* (0.17) |
| Woman | 0.71** (0.19) | 0.54** (0.16) | 0.40* (0.16) | 0.53** (0.17) | 0.45** (0.17) | 0.18 (0.18) |
| University Qualification | 0.18 (0.22) | -0.04 (0.18) | 0.05 (0.18) | 0.18 (0.19) | 0.14 (0.20) | -0.01 (0.20) |
| Union Membership | -0.01 (0.21) | 0.16 (0.15) | 0.24 (0.15) | 0.13 (0.16) | 0.20 (0.16) | 0.26 (0.17) |
| Political Ideology | 0.07 (0.20) | 0.12 (0.15) | -0.12 (0.15) | -0.33 (0.17) | -0.71** (0.17) | -0.16 (0.18) |
| Anti-Immigrant Sentiment | -0.47* (0.20) | -0.33* (0.17) | -0.61** (0.17) | -0.75** (0.18) | -0.44* (0.18) | -0.16 (0.19) |
| Prospective Econ Eval | 0.79** (0.19) | 0.68** (0.14) | 0.50** (0.15) | 0.53** (0.16) | 0.32* (0.16) | 0.55** (0.16) |
| EU Country Bailout | -0.25 (0.19) | -0.59** (0.15) | -0.56** (0.15) | -0.64** (0.17) | -0.33* (0.17) | -0.33 (0.17) |
| Concern Debt Crisis | -0.08 (0.18) | -0.04 (0.14) | -0.17 (0.14) | -0.13 (0.15) | -0.15 (0.15) | -0.36* (0.16) |
| Gov. Reduce Disparity | 0.02 (0.18) | -0.004 (0.14) | 0.32* (0.14) | 0.34* (0.16) | 0.44** (0.16) | 0.24 (0.16) |
| Party ID - FDP | 4.61 (2.84) | 2.11* (0.90) | 1.00 (1.20) | 1.91 (2.73) | 0.52 (2.31) | -0.14 (1.17) |
| Party ID – CDU/CSU | 4.02 (2.80) | 4.55** (0.79) | 2.20* (1.07) | 3.21 (2.63) | 2.61 (1.90) | 0.52 (0.91) |
| Party ID - SPD | 1.71 (2.92) | 2.10* (0.82) | 5.21** (1.07) | 4.42 (2.63) | 3.73* (1.89) | 1.51 (0.89) |
| Party ID - Green | 2.12 (3.06) | 1.95 (1.04) | 4.31** (1.24) | 6.07* (2.70) | 3.53 (2.00) | 1.95 (1.10) |
| Party ID - Left | 2.83 (3.08) | 1.57 (1.21) | 3.18* (1.36) | 3.13 (2.80) | 5.66** (2.06) | 0.55 (1.44) |
| Party ID – Other | 4.74 (3.16) | 2.97 (1.54) | 3.32 (1.71) | 3.84 (3.02) | 3.96 (2.35) | 4.42** (1.54) |
| Party ID - None | 3.49 (2.79) | 2.73** (0.75) | 3.17** (1.03) | 3.32 (2.61) | 3.37 (1.86) | 1.54 (0.82) |
| <i>N</i> | | | | | | 4,290 |
| PRE | | | | | | 0.471 |
| ePRE | | | | | | 0.395 |
| Akaike Inf. Crit. | | | | | | 7,012.13 |

Note: * p<0.05; ** p<0.01; standard errors in parentheses.

Table D2: 2013 German Federal Election 2nd Vote – Multinomial Logit Model

| | FDP | CDU/CSU | SPD | Green | The Left | Other |
|--------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Constant | -3.60 (2.44) | -1.97 (1.15) | -3.60 (2.58) | -3.17 (2.41) | -3.61 (2.46) | -4.55 (2.50) |
| Age | 0.14 (0.12) | 0.15 (0.09) | 0.33** (0.10) | 0.12 (0.11) | 0.18 (0.11) | -0.62** (0.13) |
| Woman | 0.34** (0.12) | 0.41** (0.09) | 0.24* (0.09) | 0.34** (0.11) | 0.27* (0.11) | 0.22 (0.12) |
| University Qualification | -0.14 (0.13) | -0.22* (0.11) | -0.15 (0.11) | -0.08 (0.12) | -0.12 (0.13) | -0.26 (0.14) |
| Union Membership | -0.02 (0.13) | 0.03 (0.09) | 0.23** (0.09) | 0.06 (0.10) | 0.21* (0.10) | -0.12 (0.13) |
| Political Ideology | 0.11 (0.13) | 0.01 (0.09) | -0.26** (0.10) | -0.40** (0.12) | -0.73** (0.12) | -0.14 (0.13) |
| Anti-Immigrant Sentiment | -0.36** (0.13) | -0.10 (0.10) | -0.30** (0.10) | -0.48** (0.11) | -0.24* (0.12) | -0.11 (0.13) |
| Prospective Econ Eval | 0.34** (0.12) | 0.35** (0.09) | 0.17* (0.09) | 0.15 (0.10) | -0.02 (0.10) | 0.14 (0.12) |
| EU Country Bailout | -0.50** (0.13) | -0.70** (0.10) | -0.64** (0.10) | -0.63** (0.11) | -0.44** (0.11) | -0.37** (0.13) |
| Concern Debt Crisis | -0.09 (0.12) | -0.21* (0.09) | -0.27** (0.09) | -0.34** (0.10) | -0.33** (0.10) | -0.56** (0.12) |
| Gov. Reduce Disparity | -0.15 (0.11) | -0.04 (0.09) | 0.23* (0.09) | 0.33** (0.11) | 0.44** (0.12) | 0.27* (0.13) |
| Party ID - FDP | 5.72* (2.48) | 3.58** (1.24) | 3.45 (2.67) | 2.52 (2.55) | 2.12 (2.77) | 3.52 (2.63) |
| Party ID – CDU/CSU | 4.49 (2.45) | 5.70** (1.16) | 4.35 (2.58) | 3.09 (2.42) | 3.49 (2.48) | 3.30 (2.52) |
| Party ID - SPD | 2.10 (2.49) | 3.04** (1.17) | 6.99** (2.58) | 4.12 (2.42) | 4.16 (2.47) | 4.21 (2.51) |
| Party ID - Green | 2.02 (2.59) | 3.11* (1.22) | 5.68* (2.60) | 6.09* (2.43) | 4.07 (2.50) | 3.77 (2.56) |
| Party ID - Left | -6.43 (81.14) | 2.38 (1.32) | 4.97 (2.63) | 3.03 (2.51) | 6.59** (2.51) | 3.56 (2.68) |
| Party ID – Other | 3.66 (2.60) | 2.59 (1.42) | 4.91 (2.68) | 3.74 (2.55) | 3.76 (2.61) | 6.88** (2.57) |
| Party ID - None | 3.63 (2.45) | 3.95** (1.15) | 5.12* (2.58) | 3.71 (2.41) | 4.07 (2.46) | 4.40 (2.50) |
| <i>N</i> | | | | | | 4,349 |
| PRE | | | | | | 0.482 |
| ePRE | | | | | | 0.383 |
| Akaike Inf. Crit. | | | | | | 8,098.81 |

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Appendix A: Additional Variable Coding

Unemployed - 0 = not unemployed, 1 = currently unemployed at time of pre-election survey.

Union Member - 0 = not a member of a union, 1 = currently a union member.

Political Interest – attention to politics 0 = hardly; 1 = only now and then, 2 = some of the time, 3 = most of the time.

Political Knowledge - The political knowledge variable was created through the estimation of factor analysis on seven knowledge questions. The Cronbach's Alpha score for the seven variables was 0.669. The proportion of the variance explained with one factor loading was 0.27. The following seven questions were coded so that 0 = not correct, 1 = correct. 1.) First or second vote fills more of the Bundestag seats? 2.) What is the threshold for parties gaining seats in the Bundestag 3.) Recognized Martin Schulz as member of SPD? 4.) Recognize Katrin Gring-Eckardt as member of Green Party? 5.) Recognize Christian Lindner as member of FDP? 6.) Did Germany have a budget deficit last year? 7.) Was the unemployment rate last year above or below 10%?

Gov. Reduce Income Inequality - Respondent is asked their level of agreement with the statement "the government should take measures to reduce income differentials." -2 = strongly disagree, -1 = tend to disagree, 0 = neutral, 1 = rather agree, 2 = fully agree.

Conventional Participation - The conventional political participation measure was created through the estimation of factor analysis on eight conventional acts of political participation. The Cronbach's Alpha score for the eight variables was 0.627. The proportion of the variance explained with one factor loading was 0.189. The following eight items were coded so that 0 = did not participate, 1 = participated. 1.) Citizen's Initiative 2.) Demonstration 3.) Signature Collection 4.) Donated - Political Parties or Organizations 5.) Boycotted/Consumed Products (Ethics or Pol) 6.) Letter to Newspaper or Periodical 7.) Public Discussions at Meetings 8.) Supports Party in Election Campaign.

Unconventional Participation - The unconventional political participation measure was created through the estimation of factor analysis on nine unconventional acts of political participation. The Cronbach's Alpha score for the eight variables was 0.726. The

proportion of the variance explained with one factor loading was 0.283. The following nine items were coded so that 0 = did not participate, 1 = participated. 1.) Political Post on social media 2.) Shared Political Post on social media 3.) "Liked" Political Post on social media 4.) Write Comments on Political Post 5.) Email Political Letter to the Editor 6.) Wrote Political Blog Article 7.) Online Petitions/Sign Campaign 8.) Citizens' Participation Platform 9.) Contacted Politicians Online.

Candidate Evaluations - The study used two measures to capture evaluations of the two main chancellorship candidates. The measures were created through the estimation of factor analysis on four candidate evaluation traits for each candidate. The traits included are 1.) Assertiveness 2.) Trustworthiness 3.) Sympathetic human being 4.) Reasonable ideas to boost economy. The four variables are coded on a numeric scale: -2 = does not apply at all, -1 = rather does not apply, 1 = partly, 2 = is more applicable, 3 = fully applies. For the measure indicating evaluations of Merkel's traits, the Cronbach's Alpha score for the four variables was 0.8. The proportion of the variance explained with one factor loading was 0.516. For the measure indicating evaluations of Schulz's traits, the Cronbach's Alpha score for the four variables was 0.818. The proportion of the variance explained with one factor loading was 0.538.

Additional Anti-Immigrant Attitudes - Immigrants Required to Adapt - Respondent is asked their level of agreement with the statement Immigrants should be required to adapt to German culture. -2 = strongly disagree, -1 = tend to disagree, 0 = neutral, 1 = rather agree, 2 = fully agree; Refugee Ceiling - Respondent is asked their level of agreement with the statement "Germany needs an annual ceiling for the reception of refugees." -2 = strongly disagree, -1 = tend to disagree, 0 = neutral, 1 = rather agree, 2 = fully agree; Fear of refugees - Respondent is asked "how scared are you of refugees." 1 = not at all scared to 7 = very scared; Fear of international terrorism - Respondent is asked, "how scared are you of international terrorism." 1 = not at all scared to 7 = very scared.

Appendix B: Descriptive Statistics

Table B1: Descriptive Statistics – Socio-Demographics

| Variable | Min | Median | Mean | Max | SD |
|-------------------|--------|--------|-------|-----|-------|
| Age | 16 | 51 | 50.18 | 95 | 19.19 |
| Income | 1 | 8 | 7.65 | 13 | 2.44 |
| Variable | 0 | 1 | | | |
| Gender | 52% | 48% | | | |
| University Degree | 96.49% | 18.46% | | | |
| Unemployed | 81.54% | 2.58% | | | |
| Union Member | 89.19% | 10.81% | | | |
| Eastern Germany | 69.87% | 30.13% | | | |

Table B2: Descriptive Statistics – Political Attitudes

| Variable | Min | Median | Mean | Max | SD |
|-------------------------------|-------|--------|-------|-----|------|
| Political Ideology | 1 | 5 | 5.19 | 11 | 1.93 |
| Anti-Immigrant Sentiment | -1.74 | -0.09 | 0 | 2.1 | 1.00 |
| Fear of Globalization | 1 | 4 | 3.67 | 7 | 1.67 |
| Gov. Reduce Income Inequality | -2 | 1 | 1.09 | 2 | 1.06 |
| Dissatisfaction w/ Democracy | -2 | -1 | -0.52 | 2 | 1.10 |
| Economic Prospective | -2 | 0 | 0.2 | 2 | 0.65 |
| Anti-European Integration | -2 | 0 | -0.92 | 2 | 1.09 |

Table B3: Descriptive Statistics – Anti-Immigrant Sentiment

| Variable | Min | Median | Mean | Max | SD |
|-----------------------------------|-----|--------|--------|-----|-------|
| Immigrants bad for German economy | -2 | 0 | -0.327 | 2 | 0.967 |
| Immigrants bad for German culture | -2 | 0 | -0.371 | 2 | 1.317 |
| Immigrants lead to more crime | -2 | 0 | 0.148 | 2 | 1.245 |

Table B4: Descriptive Statistics – Political Knowledge

| Question | Incorrect | Correct |
|---|-----------|---------|
| First or second vote files more of the Bundestag seats? ^[1] _[SEP] | 35.09% | 64.91% |
| What is the threshold for parties gaining seats in the Bundestag? | 29.33% | 70.67% |
| Recognize Katrin Gring-Eckardt as member of Green Party? | 43.57% | 56.43% |
| Recognize Christian Lindner as member of FDP? ^[1] _[SEP] | 20.22% | 79.78% |
| Recognize Martin Schulz as member of SPD? ^[1] _[SEP] | 9.22% | 90.78% |
| Did Germany have a budget deficit last year? | 45.45% | 54.55% |
| Was the unemployment rate last year above or below 10% | 23.48% | 76.52% |

Table B5: Descriptive Statistics – Party ID

| Variable | AFD | FDP | CDU/CSU | SPD | Greens | The Left | Other |
|----------|-------|-------|---------|--------|--------|----------|--------|
| Party ID | 4.19% | 4.83% | 7.98% | 18.13% | 9.7% | 8.37% | 50.99% |

Table B6: Descriptive Statistics – Conventional Political Participation

| Participatory Act | Did Not Participate | Participated |
|--|---------------------|--------------|
| Citizen’s Initiative | 96.14% | 3.86% |
| Demonstration | 92.69% | 7.31% |
| Signature Collection | 80.47% | 19.53% |
| Donated – Political Parties or Organizations | 95.59% | 4.41% |
| Boycotted/Consumed Products (Ethics or pol) | 77.11% | 22.89% |
| Letter to Newspaper or Periodical | 98.21% | 1.79% |
| Public Discussions at Meetings | 92.23% | 7.77% |
| Supports Party in Election Campaign | 96.41% | 3.59% |

Table B7: Descriptive Statistics – Unconventional Political Participation

| Participatory Act | Did Not Participate | Participated |
|--|---------------------|--------------|
| Political Post on social media | 96.05% | 3.95% |
| Share Political Post on social media | 90.09% | 9.91% |
| “Liked” Political Post on social media | 85.64% | 14.36% |
| Write Comments on Political Post | 96.24% | 3.76% |
| Email Political Letter to the Editor | 98.49% | 1.51% |
| Wrote Political Blog Article | 99.63% | 0.37% |
| Online Petitions/Sign Campaign | 86.23% | 13.77% |
| Citizens’ Participation Platform | 97.7% | 2.3% |
| Contacted Politicians Online | 96.7% | 3.3% |

Table B8: Descriptive Statistics – Evaluations of Merkel

| Variable | Min | Median | Mean | Max | SD |
|-----------------------------------|-----|--------|------|-----|------|
| Assertive | -2 | 1 | 1.88 | 3 | 1.3 |
| Trustworthy | -2 | 1 | 1.55 | 3 | 1.5 |
| Sympathetic Human | -2 | 1 | 1.5 | 3 | 1.48 |
| Reasonable Ideas to Boost Economy | -2 | 1 | 1.33 | 3 | 3 |

Table B9: Descriptive Statistics – Evaluations of Schulz

| Variable | Min | Median | Mean | Max | SD |
|-----------------------------------|-----|--------|------|-----|------|
| Assertive | -2 | 1 | 0.83 | 3 | 1.49 |
| Trustworthy | -2 | 1 | 0.83 | 3 | 1.57 |
| Sympathetic Human | -2 | 1 | 0.81 | 3 | 1.67 |
| Reasonable Ideas to Boost Economy | -2 | 1 | 0.75 | 3 | 1.44 |

Table B10: Descriptive Statistics – Anti-Immigrant Sentiment – Excluded

| Variable | Min | Median | Mean | Max | SD |
|---------------------------------|-----|--------|--------|-----|------|
| Immigrants Required to Adapt | -2 | 0 | 0.655 | 3 | 1.19 |
| Refugee Ceiling | -2 | 0 | 0.524 | 3 | 1.46 |
| Fear of Refugees | 1 | 4 | 4.29 | 3 | 1.79 |
| Fear of International Terrorism | 1 | 6 | 05.427 | 3 | 1.59 |

Appendix C: Average Marginal Effects for Independent Variables from Tables 1 and 2

Figure C1: Average Marginal Effect of Age on Vote Choice

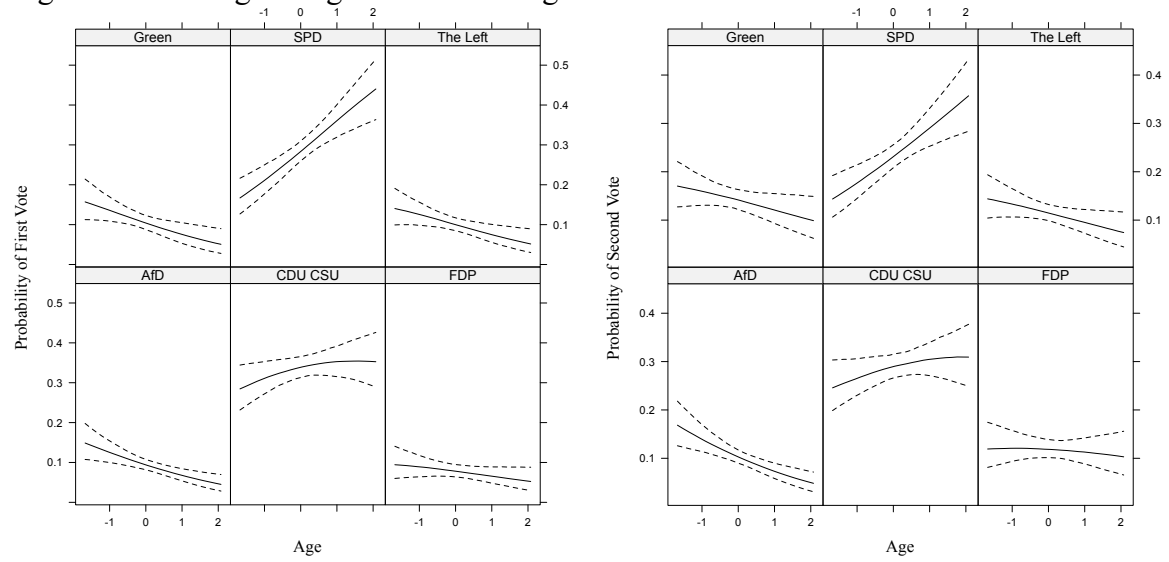


Figure C2: Average Marginal Effect of Gender on Vote Choice

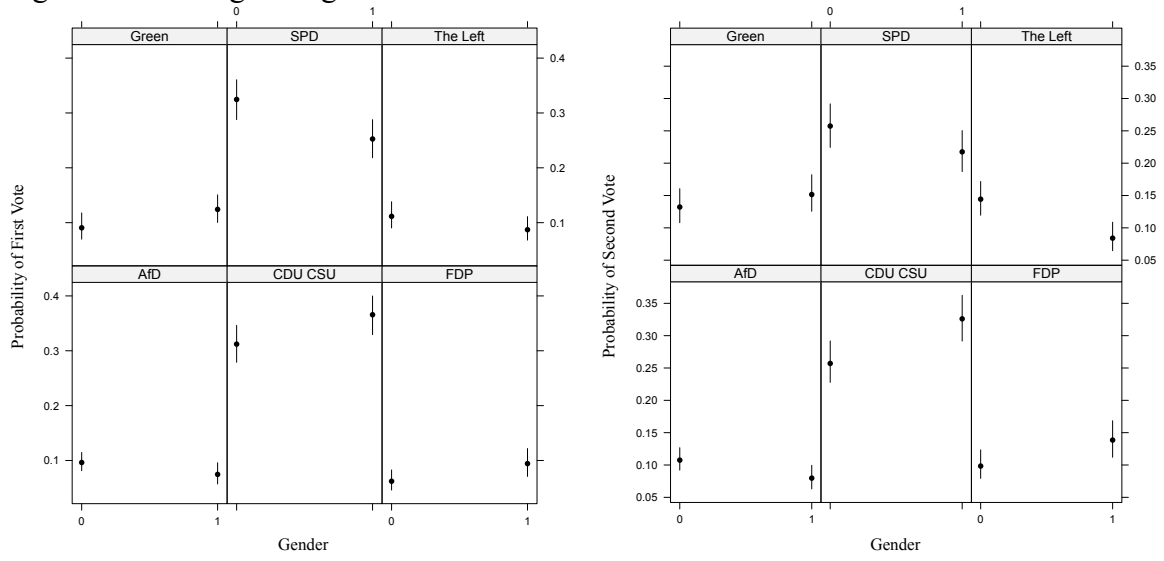
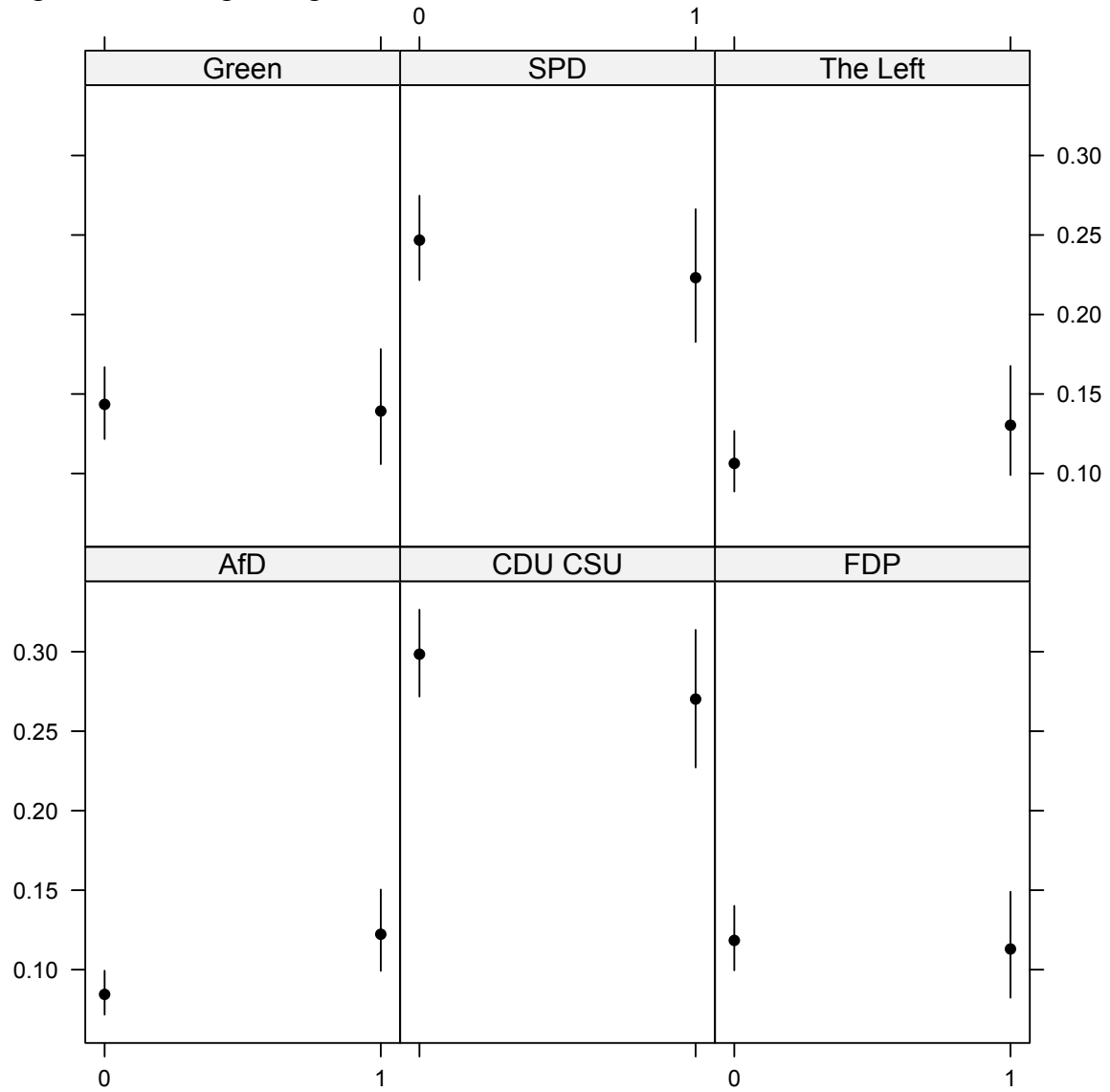


Figure C3: Average Marginal Effect of East German Residence on 2nd Vote Choice



Appendix D: Alternative Models (w/ Party ID Included)

Table D1: 2017 German Federal Election 1st Vote – Multinomial Logit Model

| | FDP | CDU/CSU | SPD | Green | The Left |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Constant | -0.40 (0.69) | -3.22 (2.20) | -1.14 (1.03) | -3.74 (3.46) | -4.76 (3.60) |
| Age | 0.28 (0.28) | 0.52* (0.25) | 0.39 (0.27) | -0.07 (0.32) | -0.15 (0.34) |
| Woman | 0.37 (0.22) | 0.20 (0.20) | -0.05 (0.21) | 0.16 (0.24) | -0.08 (0.26) |
| University Degree | -0.11 (0.28) | 0.06 (0.26) | -0.13 (0.27) | -0.05 (0.28) | -0.09 (0.31) |
| Income | 0.80** (0.30) | 0.71** (0.26) | 0.47 (0.28) | 0.43 (0.31) | 0.03 (0.33) |
| Unemployed | 0.26 (0.25) | 0.24 (0.23) | 0.18 (0.25) | 0.29 (0.27) | 0.35 (0.25) |
| Union Member | -0.24 (0.21) | -0.12 (0.17) | -0.20 (0.19) | -0.24 (0.22) | -0.08 (0.24) |
| Eastern Germany | 0.06 (0.22) | 0.30 (0.20) | 0.07 (0.21) | 0.36 (0.24) | -0.07 (0.27) |
| Political Knowledge | -0.14 (0.25) | -0.19 (0.21) | 0.07 (0.23) | -0.15 (0.28) | 0.61 (0.33) |
| Political Ideology | -0.35 (0.25) | -0.20 (0.21) | -0.93** (0.23) | -1.15** (0.29) | -1.77** (0.32) |
| Anti-Immigrant Sentiment | -1.09** (0.32) | -1.11** (0.28) | -1.39** (0.30) | -1.63** (0.35) | -1.41** (0.36) |
| Dissatisfaction w/Democracy | -0.52* (0.22) | -0.95** (0.19) | -0.40 (0.21) | -0.30 (0.25) | -0.22 (0.26) |
| Prospective Economic Situation | 0.01 (0.22) | 0.12 (0.20) | 0.003 (0.21) | 0.12 (0.24) | -0.001 (0.25) |
| Gov. Reduce Income Disparity | 0.06 (0.21) | 0.06 (0.19) | 0.31 (0.21) | -0.15 (0.24) | 0.33 (0.29) |
| Fear of Globalization | -0.16 (0.24) | -0.15 (0.21) | 0.03 (0.23) | 0.09 (0.26) | 0.12 (0.27) |
| Anti-European Integration | -0.35 (0.21) | -0.56** (0.18) | -0.57** (0.20) | -0.50 (0.26) | -0.57* (0.27) |
| Party ID - FDP | 2.58* (1.01) | 4.30 (2.34) | 3.02* (1.31) | 2.59 (3.79) | -3.01 (41.55) |
| Party ID – CDU/CSU | 1.28 (1.09) | 7.35** (2.28) | 1.64 (1.48) | 4.59 (3.59) | 4.20 (3.93) |
| Party ID - SPD | 2.01 (1.04) | 5.07* (2.32) | 6.33** (1.19) | 6.19 (3.53) | 4.19 (3.76) |
| Party ID - Green | 2.29 (3.80) | 7.78 (4.17) | 6.14 (3.68) | 9.58 (4.94) | 6.81 (5.06) |
| Party ID – The Left | 1.34 (2.05) | 6.26* (2.67) | 4.18* (1.77) | 5.46 (3.78) | 8.33* (3.84) |
| Party ID – Other | 1.51* (0.70) | 6.04** (2.20) | 2.68* (1.04) | 3.90 (3.48) | 5.21 (3.60) |
| N | | | | | 1,008 |
| PRE | | | | | 0.504 |
| ePRE | | | | | 0.405 |
| Akaike Inf. Crit. | | | | | 1,972.16 |

Note: *p<0.05; **p<.001; standard errors in parentheses

Table D2: 2017 German Federal Election 2nd Vote – Multinomial Logit Model

| | FDP | CDU/CSU | SPD | Green | The Left |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Constant | -5.48 (6.58) | -0.32 (0.67) | -3.10* (1.57) | -4.16 (5.35) | -7.27 (6.22) |
| Age | 0.42 (0.27) | 0.66** (0.24) | 0.39 (0.27) | 0.24 (0.30) | 0.25 (0.31) |
| Woman | 0.26 (0.21) | 0.15 (0.19) | -0.01 (0.21) | 0.09 (0.23) | -0.24 (0.24) |
| University Degree | 0.21 (0.28) | 0.13 (0.26) | 0.03 (0.29) | -0.004 (0.29) | 0.02 (0.31) |
| Income | 0.42 (0.28) | 0.28 (0.25) | -0.20 (0.28) | 0.05 (0.31) | -0.09 (0.32) |
| Unemployed | -0.06 (0.20) | -0.27 (0.20) | 0.03 (0.18) | -1.71 (16.28) | -0.16 (0.21) |
| Union Member | -0.32 (0.18) | -0.28 (0.16) | -0.28 (0.18) | -0.45* (0.21) | -0.47* (0.22) |
| Eastern Germany | -0.21 (0.20) | -0.22 (0.18) | -0.26 (0.20) | -0.11 (0.22) | -0.39 (0.24) |
| Political Knowledge | -0.76** (0.26) | -0.91** (0.24) | -0.71** (0.27) | -0.32 (0.33) | -0.27 (0.32) |
| Political Ideology | -0.50* (0.24) | -0.53* (0.21) | -1.09** (0.25) | -0.99** (0.28) | -1.72** (0.29) |
| Anti-Immigrant Sentiment | -1.08** (0.30) | -1.19** (0.27) | -1.37** (0.30) | -2.17** (0.35) | -1.63** (0.34) |
| Satisfaction w/Democracy | -0.78** (0.23) | -0.97** (0.20) | -0.51* (0.22) | -0.74** (0.27) | -0.19 (0.25) |
| Prospective Economic Situation | 0.03 (0.22) | 0.04 (0.19) | -0.18 (0.21) | 0.15 (0.24) | 0.05 (0.24) |
| Gov. Reduce Income Disparity | 0.28 (0.20) | 0.26 (0.18) | 0.57** (0.21) | 0.53* (0.24) | 0.91** (0.27) |
| Fear of Globalization | 0.17 (0.23) | 0.02 (0.20) | 0.09 (0.23) | 0.29 (0.26) | 0.36 (0.26) |
| Anti-European Integration | -0.28 (0.20) | -0.18 (0.17) | -0.37 (0.21) | -0.39 (0.26) | -0.03 (0.24) |
| Party ID - FDP | 9.41 (6.65) | 2.57* (1.23) | 4.27* (2.08) | 3.17 (4.92) | 6.96 (6.58) |
| Party ID – CDU/CSU | 7.03 (6.62) | 4.14** (0.85) | 1.75 (2.56) | 4.20 (4.65) | -1.68 (84.27) |
| Party ID - SPD | 7.06 (6.62) | 2.26* (0.97) | 8.07** (1.68) | 5.82 (4.61) | 8.89 (6.26) |
| Party ID - Green | 9.62 (8.36) | 5.37 (5.17) | 8.46 (5.35) | 10.44 (6.85) | 11.20 (8.05) |
| Party ID – The Left | 4.98 (6.81) | 0.66 (1.59) | 4.74* (1.93) | 4.33 (4.73) | 9.76 (6.30) |
| Party ID – Other | 7.15 (6.59) | 3.08** (0.70) | 4.66** (1.60) | 4.51 (4.57) | 7.98 (6.23) |
| N | | | | | 1,010 |
| PRE | | | | | 0.519 |
| ePRE | | | | | 0.407 |
| Akaike Inf. Crit. | | | | | 2,100.89 |

Note: *p<0.05; **p<.001; standard errors in parentheses

Chapter 5: Online Appendix

Additional Variables Utilized in Models as a Robustness Check: There were several variables tested or included in the original multivariate analysis, which were excluded in the final analysis for one of two reasons. First, some variables were excluded due to a high correlation with other, more theoretically grounded independent variables of interest. Second, a few variables were excluded after it was determined that there was not a significant or substantive relationship with the dependent variables. Therefore, they were removed due to degrees of freedom limitations (or to avoid degrees of freedom limitations). We provide coding and descriptive statistics here.

Appendix A: Additional Variable Coding

Unemployed - 0 = not unemployed, 1 = currently unemployed at time of survey.

Union Member - 0 = not a member of a union, 1 = currently a union member.

Fear of globalization - Respondent is asked how scared they are of globalization, and the scale is 0 = not scared at all to 7 = very scared.

Gov. Reduce Income Inequality - Respondent is asked their level of agreement with the statement “the government should take measures to reduce income differentials.” -2 = strongly disagree, -1 = tend to disagree, 0 = neutral, 1 = rather agree, 2 = fully agree.

Economic Prospective - Respondent is asked “what will be your own economic situation this year?” -2 = much worse, -1 = a little worse, 0 = stay the same, 1 = a little better, 2 = much better.

Party ID - coded as the party the respondent identifies with.

Political Interest – attention to politics 0 = hardly; 1 = only now and then, 2 = some of the time, 3 = most of the time.

Appendix B: Descriptive Statistics

Table B1: Descriptive Statistics – Socio-Demographics

| Variable | Min | Median | Mean | Max | SD |
|-------------------|--------|--------|-------|-----|-------|
| Age | 16 | 55 | 53.28 | 90 | 18.17 |
| Income | 1 | 9 | 8.31 | 13 | 2.45 |
| | 0 | 1 | | | |
| Gender | 51.86% | 48.14% | | | |
| University Degree | 64.16% | 35.84% | | | |
| Unemployed | 98.85% | 1.15% | | | |
| Union Member | 84.55% | 15.45% | | | |
| East Germany | 75% | 25% | | | |

Table B2: Descriptive Statistics – Political Attitudes

| Variable | Min | Median | Mean | Max | SD |
|-------------------------------------|-------|--------|-------|------|------|
| Political Ideology | 1 | 6 | 5.32 | 11 | 2.02 |
| Anti-Immigrant Sentiment | -2.13 | -0.09 | 0 | 2.23 | 1 |
| Fear of Globalization | 1 | 4 | 3.61 | 7 | 1.65 |
| Political Interest | 0 | 2 | 2.38 | 4 | 0.93 |
| Dissatisfaction w/ Democracy | -2 | -1 | -0.49 | 2 | 0.92 |
| Economic Prospective | -2 | 0 | -0.06 | 2 | 0.77 |
| Anti-European Integration | -2 | -1 | -0.80 | 2 | 1.05 |
| Dissatisfaction w/ COVID Response | -5 | -1 | -0.21 | 5 | 2.91 |
| Politicians Germany's Biggest Issue | -2 | -1 | -0.50 | 2 | 1.07 |

Table B3: Descriptive Statistics – Anti-Immigrant Sentiment

| Variable | Min | Median | Mean | Max | SD |
|---|-----|--------|-------|-----|------|
| Require immigrants to adapt to German culture | -2 | 0 | 0.23 | 2 | 1.13 |
| Minorities should adapt to German practice | -2 | 1 | 0.66 | 2 | 0.96 |
| Immigrants bad for German economy | -2 | 0 | -0.47 | 2 | 0.87 |
| Immigrants bad for German culture | -2 | -1 | -0.45 | 2 | 1.24 |
| Immigrants lead to more crime | -2 | 0 | -0.03 | 2 | 1.19 |

Table B4: Descriptive Statistics – Party ID

| Variable | AfD | FDP | CDU/CSU | SPD | Greens | The Left | Other |
|----------|-------|-------|---------|--------|--------|----------|--------|
| Party ID | 4.15% | 6.22% | 24.91% | 19.42% | 14.72% | 5.55% | 25.03% |

Appendix C: Average Marginal Effects for Independent Variables from Tables 1 and 2

Figure C1: Average Marginal Effect of Anti-European Union Integration on Vote Choice

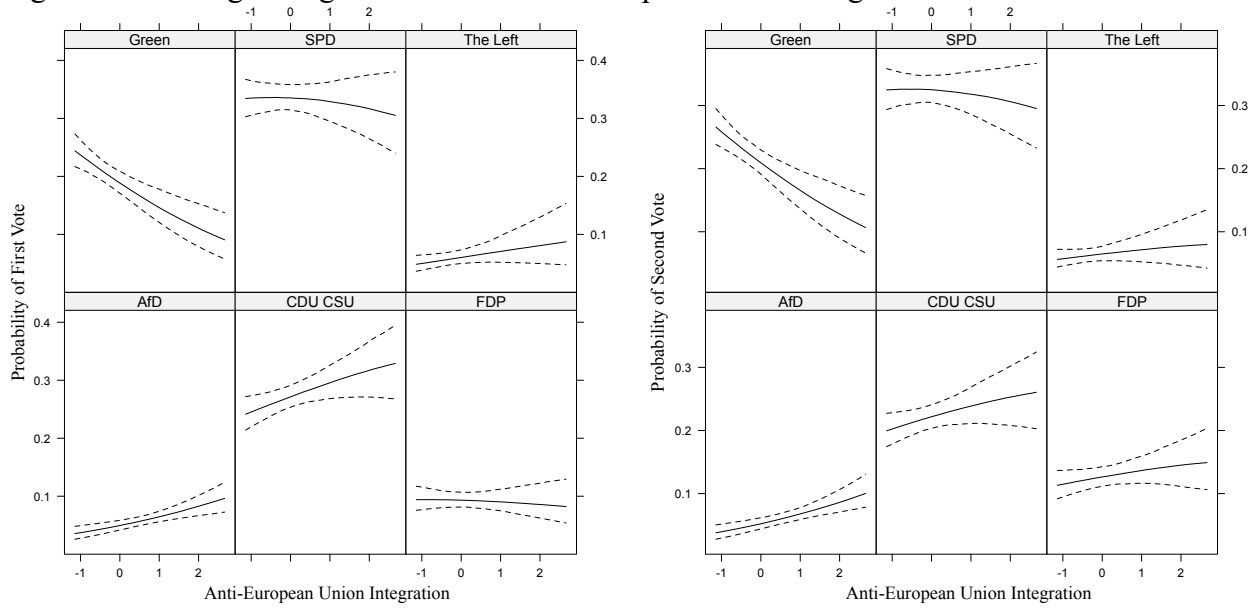


Figure C2: Average Marginal Effect of Attitudes Towards Politicians on First Vote Choice

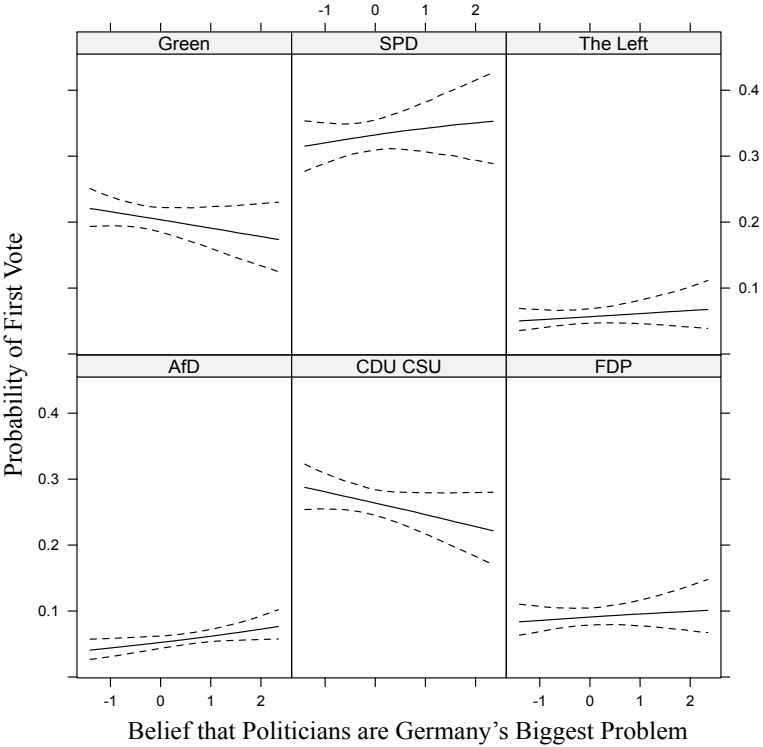


Figure C3: Average Marginal Effect of Gender on Vote Choice

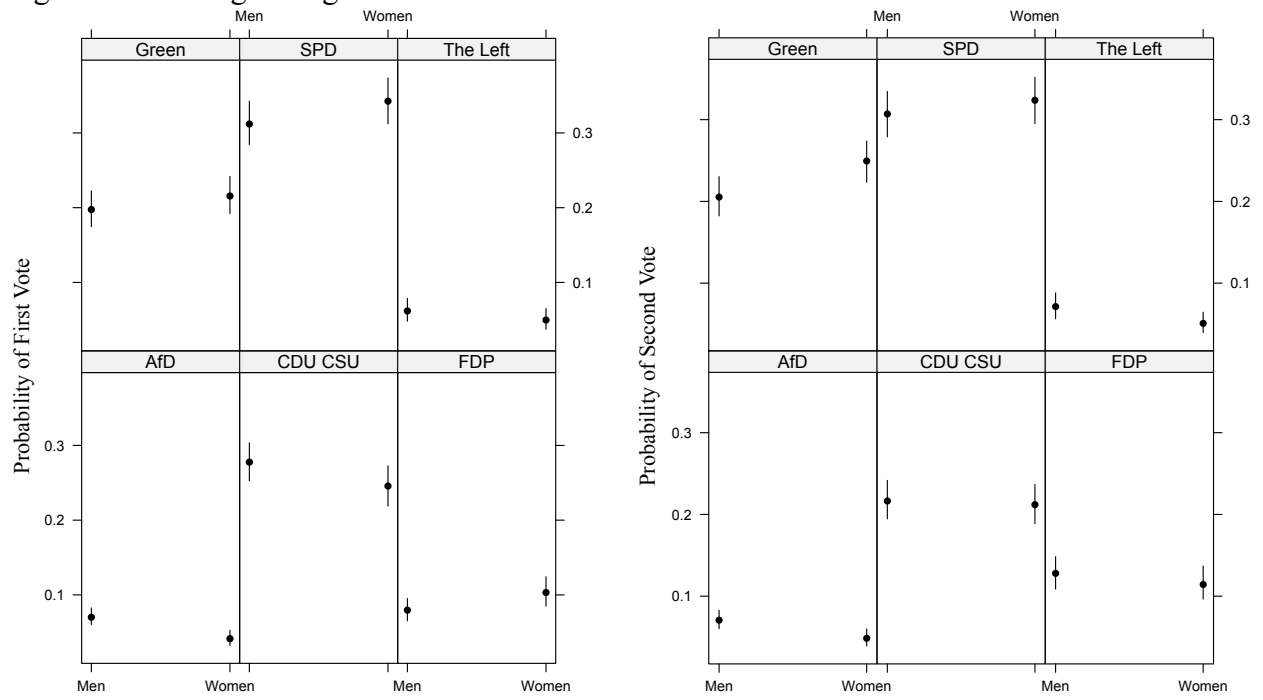


Figure C4: Average Marginal Effect of University Qualification on Vote Choice

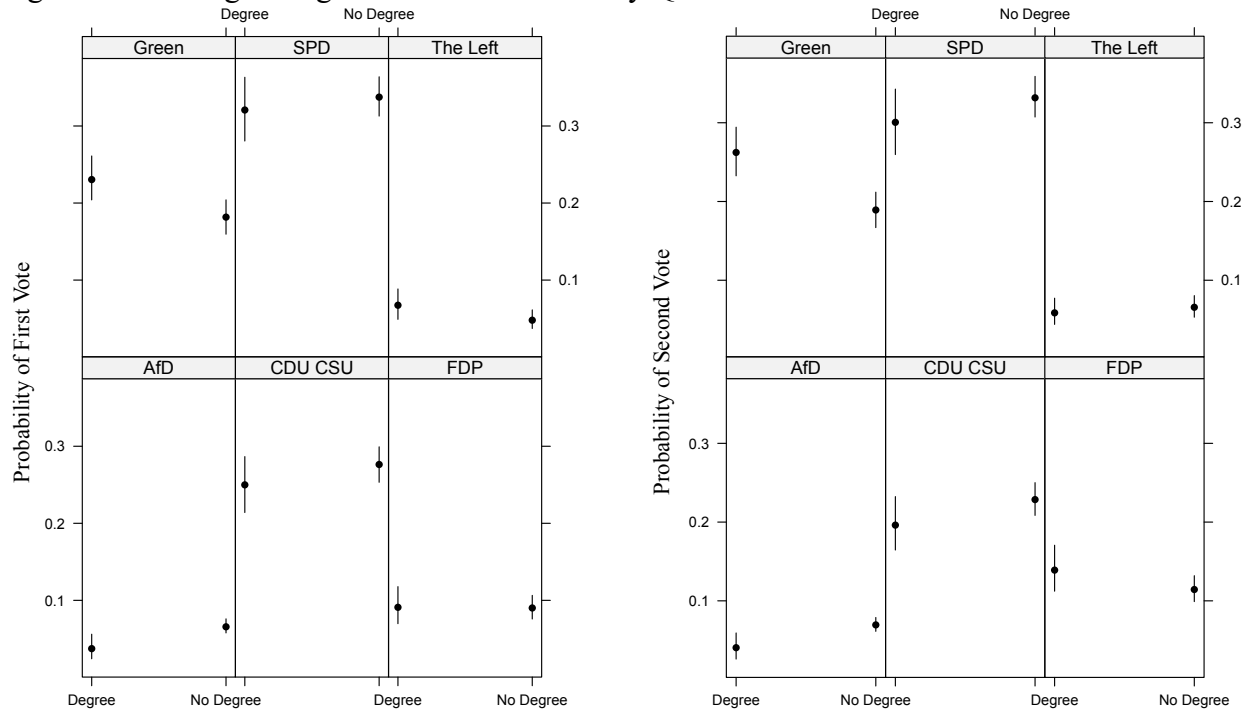
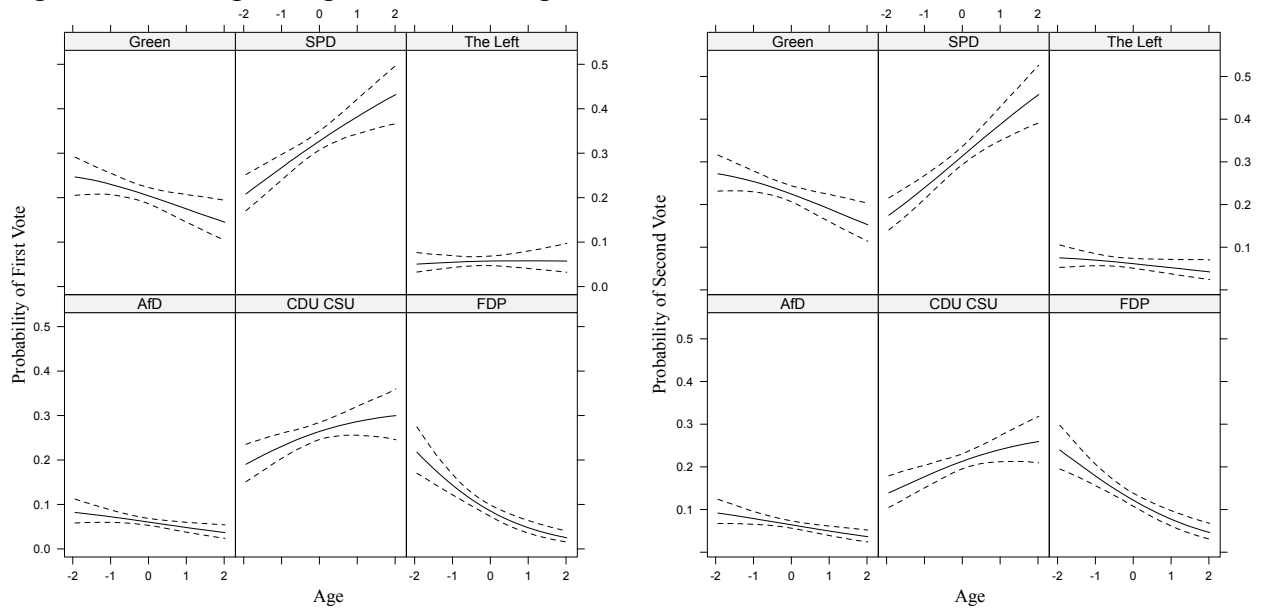


Figure C5: Average Marginal Effect of Age on Vote Choice



Appendix D: Alternative Models (w/ Party ID Included)

Table D1: 2021 German Federal Election 1st Vote – Multinomial Logit Model Output

| | FDP | CDU/CSU | SPD | Green | The Left | Other |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Constant | -1.28 (0.77) | -0.54 (0.73) | 0.41 (0.56) | -4.37 (5.73) | -4.43 (4.73) | -0.72 (0.63) |
| Age | -0.23 (0.22) | 0.33 (0.22) | 0.20 (0.21) | -0.004 (0.22) | 0.29 (0.26) | -0.14 (0.24) |
| Woman | 0.82** (0.18) | 0.60** (0.18) | 0.70** (0.17) | 0.56** (0.18) | 0.50* (0.21) | 0.41* (0.19) |
| University Qualification | 0.48* (0.23) | 0.54* (0.23) | 0.55* (0.23) | 0.59* (0.23) | 0.56* (0.26) | 0.55* (0.24) |
| Income | 0.01 (0.19) | 0.25 (0.18) | 0.08 (0.18) | 0.13 (0.19) | 0.33 (0.22) | 0.17 (0.20) |
| East Germany | 0.06 (0.20) | 0.28 (0.19) | 0.28 (0.18) | 0.44* (0.20) | 0.70** (0.22) | -0.26 (0.25) |
| Political Ideology | -0.47* (0.22) | -0.63** (0.21) | -0.76** (0.21) | -0.80** (0.22) | -1.85** (0.28) | -0.81** (0.24) |
| Anti-Immigrant Sentiment | -0.32 (0.23) | -0.55* (0.22) | -0.70** (0.21) | -1.40** (0.23) | -0.94** (0.26) | -0.62** (0.23) |
| Dissatisfaction w/ Democracy | -0.40* (0.19) | -0.65** (0.18) | -0.53** (0.18) | -0.57** (0.19) | -0.21 (0.23) | -0.12 (0.20) |
| Anti-EU Integration | -0.09 (0.17) | 0.02 (0.16) | -0.04 (0.16) | -0.28 (0.18) | 0.06 (0.21) | 0.07 (0.17) |
| Politicians Germany's Biggest Issue | -0.38 (0.20) | -0.43* (0.19) | -0.39* (0.19) | -0.54** (0.20) | -0.46* (0.23) | -0.34 (0.21) |
| Dissatisfaction w/ COVID Response | -0.58** (0.19) | -0.75** (0.18) | -0.65** (0.18) | -0.39* (0.20) | -0.67** (0.23) | -0.18 (0.21) |
| Party ID - FPD | 6.28** (0.96) | 5.30** (0.96) | 2.94** (0.89) | 6.61 (5.78) | 5.09 (4.93) | 2.26* (0.98) |
| Party ID - CDU/CSU | 4.49** (0.81) | 5.75** (0.76) | 2.95** (0.63) | 6.86 (5.74) | 4.21 (4.82) | 2.76** (0.68) |
| Party ID - SPD | 4.51** (1.14) | 4.17** (1.11) | 6.52** (0.97) | 8.74 (5.79) | 7.03 (4.81) | 3.64** (1.04) |
| Party ID - Green | 7.82 (7.00) | 7.22 (7.00) | 8.22 (6.98) | 13.42 (9.01) | 10.32 (8.42) | 6.80 (6.99) |
| Party ID - The Left | 0.99 (1.36) | 0.11 (1.48) | 1.94* (0.89) | 5.80 (5.77) | 6.22 (4.77) | 0.76 (0.99) |
| Party ID - Other | 2.84** (0.75) | 2.61** (0.73) | 2.50** (0.54) | 6.30 (5.73) | 5.49 (4.73) | 2.05** (0.57) |
| <i>N</i> | | | | | | 2,164 |
| PRE | | | | | | 0.522 |
| ePRE | | | | | | 0.390 |
| Akaike Inf. Crit. | | | | | | 4,130.2 |

Note: *p<0.05; **p<0.01; standard errors in parentheses.

Table D2: 2021 German Federal Election 2nd Vote – Multinomial Logit Model Output

| | FDP | CDU/CSU | SPD | Green | The Left | Other |
|-------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|---------|
| Constant | -2.45* | -1.18 | 0.57 | -4.53 | -4.93 | -0.97 |
| | (1.23) | (0.84) | (0.52) | (7.17) | (5.43) | (0.63) |
| Age | -0.04 | 0.41 | 0.35 | 0.05 | 0.10 | -0.21 |
| | (0.21) | (0.21) | (0.21) | (0.22) | (0.25) | (0.23) |
| Woman | 0.39* | 0.49** | 0.45** | 0.42* | 0.20 | 0.26 |
| | (0.17) | (0.17) | (0.16) | (0.17) | (0.20) | (0.18) |
| University Qualification | 0.49* | 0.43 | 0.42 | 0.57* | 0.15 | 0.31 |
| | (0.22) | (0.23) | (0.22) | (0.23) | (0.26) | (0.24) |
| Income | 0.16 | 0.33 | 0.10 | 0.28 | 0.13 | 0.27 |
| | (0.18) | (0.18) | (0.17) | (0.18) | (0.22) | (0.20) |
| East Germany | 0.22 | 0.29 | 0.13 | 0.25 | 0.70** | -0.08 |
| | (0.19) | (0.19) | (0.18) | (0.20) | (0.22) | (0.22) |
| Political Ideology | 6.71** | 3.40** | 1.64* | 5.80 | 3.42 | 0.58 |
| | (1.27) | (0.97) | (0.72) | (7.19) | (5.80) | (1.06) |
| Anti-Immigrant Sentiment | 5.62** | 5.79** | 2.29** | 6.80 | 4.09 | 2.79** |
| | (1.24) | (0.85) | (0.56) | (7.18) | (5.50) | (0.66) |
| Dissatisfaction w/ Democracy | 4.32** | 3.01** | 5.32** | 7.83 | 6.32 | 2.63** |
| | (1.38) | (1.05) | (0.70) | (7.19) | (5.47) | (0.87) |
| Anti-EU Integration | 9.87 | 7.90 | 8.63 | 14.50 | 12.09 | 8.09 |
| | (11.02) | (10.99) | (10.96) | (13.09) | (12.22) | (10.97) |
| Politicians Germany's Biggest Issue | 2.02 | -0.30 | 0.87 | 5.33 | 6.51 | 1.05 |
| | (1.63) | (1.93) | (0.86) | (7.21) | (5.46) | (0.96) |
| Dissatisfaction w/ COVID Response | 4.80** | 3.08** | 2.60** | 6.84 | 5.80 | 2.73** |
| | (1.22) | (0.85) | (0.51) | (7.17) | (5.44) | (0.58) |
| Party ID - FPD | -0.52* | -0.36 | -0.72** | -0.84** | -1.73** | -0.72** |
| | (0.21) | (0.21) | (0.20) | (0.22) | (0.27) | (0.23) |
| Party ID - CDU/CSU | -0.42 | -0.85** | -0.80** | -1.56** | -1.34** | -0.92** |
| | (0.22) | (0.22) | (0.21) | (0.23) | (0.27) | (0.23) |
| Party ID - SPD | -0.46* | -0.53** | -0.48** | -0.57** | -0.27 | -0.19 |
| | (0.19) | (0.19) | (0.17) | (0.19) | (0.23) | (0.20) |
| Party ID - Green | -0.10 | -0.13 | -0.21 | -0.46** | -0.34 | 0.06 |
| | (0.16) | (0.16) | (0.15) | (0.17) | (0.21) | (0.17) |
| Party ID - The Left | -0.28 | -0.09 | -0.36* | -0.23 | -0.34 | -0.07 |
| | (0.19) | (0.19) | (0.18) | (0.19) | (0.23) | (0.20) |
| Party ID - Other | -0.46* | -0.80** | -0.59** | -0.51** | -0.44* | -0.11 |
| | (0.18) | (0.18) | (0.17) | (0.18) | (0.22) | (0.20) |
| N | | | | | | 2,170 |
| PRE | | | | | | 0.548 |
| ePRE | | | | | | 0.426 |
| Akaike Inf. Crit. | | | | | | 3,991.6 |

Note: *p<0.05; **p<0.01; standard errors in parentheses.