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Note: This file documents how to replicate the results presented in "Tariffs as Electoral Weapons: The Political Geography of the US-China Trade War"

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**Stata** and **R** are required to replicate the results. Analyses were conducted in Stata/MP 16.0 and R version 3.6.2 for Mac OS.

To execute lines starting with eststo and esttab in Stata do-files, you will need to install the estout package with the command "ssc install estout" in Stata. The column names and variable labels in the latex files created from Stata do-files are slightly different from the manuscript's version because we adjusted those after automatically creating the tables. We keep the full variable labels in the Stata data files, but shorten them in the manuscript.

In order to run R-script, the following packages are required to run this R-code.

- foreign
- maptools.
- ggmap
- RColorBrewer
- cowplot
- ggpubr
- dplyr

The replication package contains the following files:

- **ReadMe.pdf:** This file
- **tradewar_io_campaign.dta**: Candidate-level file for replicating **Table 8, A16, A17**
- **tradewar_io_county.dta**: County-level file for replicating **Tables 2, 4-7, A1, A3, A5-A14, A18**
- **tradewar_io_county_cd.dta:** County-by-district-level file for replicating **Table A19**
- **tradewar_io_czone.dta:** Commuting zone-level file for replicating **Table A15**
- **tradewar_io_product.dta:** Product-level file for replicating **Tables 3, A4, Figures A3, A4**
- **tradewar_io_survey.dta:** Survey data file for replicating **Tables 10 , 11, A2**
- **tradewar_io_swing.dta:** Indicator for swing district for replicating **Figure 2**
- **tradewar_io_websearch.dta**: Web-search data file for replicating **Table 9**
- **cb_2017_us_cd115_500k.shp - cb_2017_us_county_500k.shp:** Shapefiles for map figures
- **01_main.do** produces all tables in the main manuscript;
- **02_map_figures.R** produces all map figures in the main manuscript and the appendix
- **03_appendix.do** produces all tables and figures in the appendix