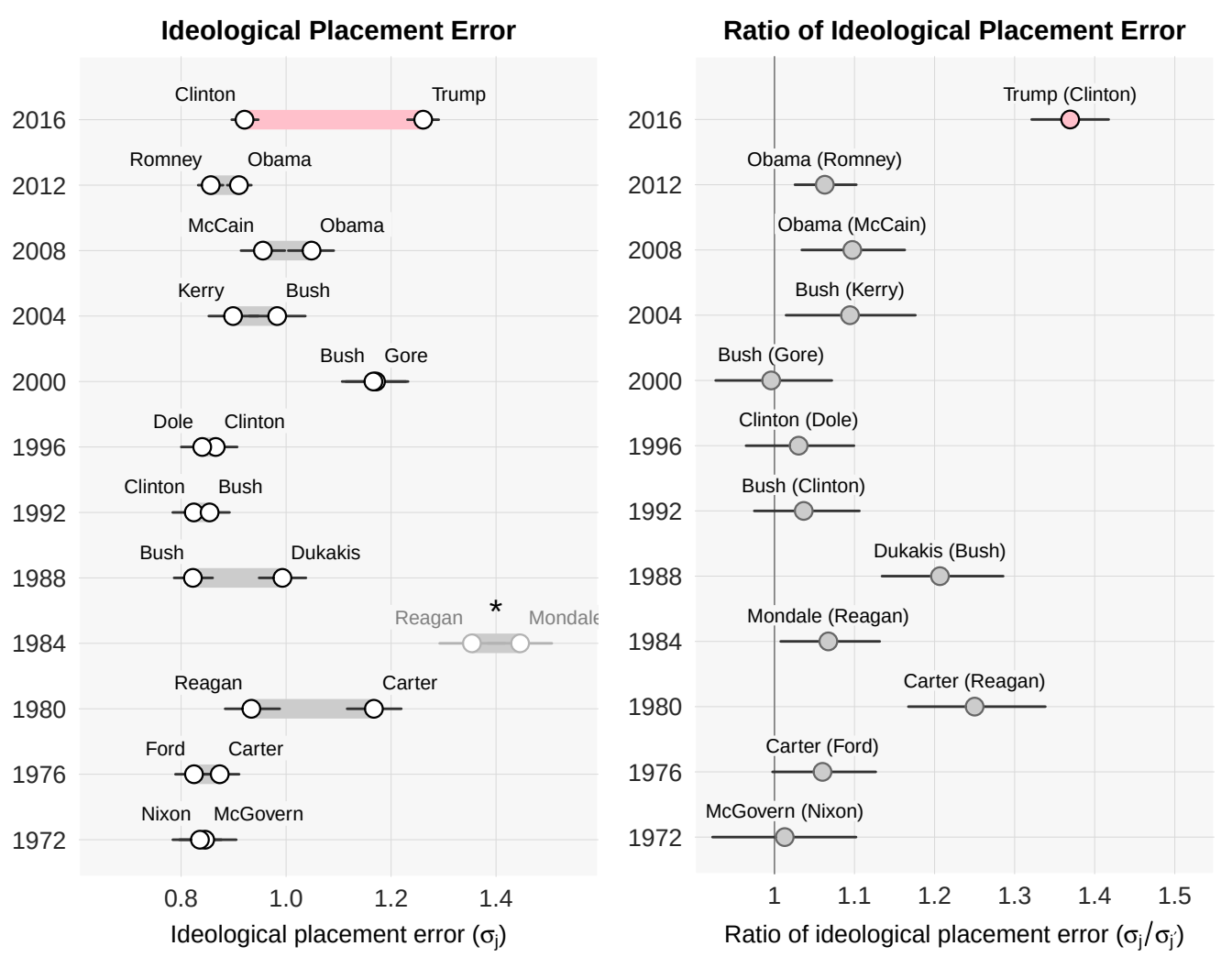
Ideological Placement Error
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Ideological placement error (σ_j)
Ratio of Ideological Placement Error
Trump (Clinton)
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Obama (McCain)
Bush (Kerry)
Bush (Gore)
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Dukakis (Bush)
Mondale (Reagan)
Carter (Reagan)
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Ratio of ideological placement error ($\sigma_j/\sigma_{j'}$)