README file for: Authoritarianism, Political Attitudes, and Vote Choice: A Longitudinal Analysis of the British Electorate

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This dataverse page contains all the necessary data for replication.

The .do file entitled 'Data reshaping, preparation and preliminary analysis .do' provides the code used to prepare the BES panel data for analysis (random effects, fixed effects and RI-CLPMs). It also provides the code for the descriptive analysis featured in the manuscript. The .do file entitled 'RE, FE and hybrid models' provides the Stata code used to estimate the random effects, fixed effects and hybrid models. The .R file entitled 'RICLPM and CLPM .R' contains the R code used to estimate the RI-CLPMs and CLPMs presented in the main analysis, along with the multiple group RI-CLPM and CLPM analysis used to assess moderation effects. Alongside these files are a number of .dta files used for the analysis. The file called 'RE and FE data' contains the dataset used for the random effects, fixed effects and hybrid model analysis.

The file entitled 'RICLPM data' contains the dataset used for the main RI-CLPM and CLPM analysis. Alongside this, the files entitled 'RICLPM data_attention', 'RICLPM data_attention_high' and 'RICLPM data_attention_low', contain the datasets used to fit the multiple group RI-CLPMs and CLPMs to test whether the relationship between authoritarianism and political preferences is moderated by political engagement. Finally, the files entitled 'RICLPM data_enthnicity', 'RICLPM data_enthnicity_white' and 'RICLPM data_enthnicity_nonwhite' contain the datasets used to fit the multiple group RI-CLPMs and CLPMs to test whether the relationship between authoritarianism and political preferences is moderated by ethnicity.