

Supplementary Material

1 Supplementary Table

Supplementary Table 1: keyword to select tweets related to democracy (English version)

Keywords in English	...continues	...continues
democracy	illiberal.*	repressive
democrat	imperialism	republic
democratic.*	imperium	republican.*
democratisation	judiciary	rightist
democratization	kleptocracy	rule of law
democrats	leftist	ruler.*
abstention	legislative	secularis.*
activis.*	local government	senate
aristocracy	majoritarianis.*	senator.*
autarchy	majority rule	separation of powers
authoritar.*	misgovernance	slave
autocra.*	misrule	slavery
bureaucracy	mobocracy	sortition
centrist.*	monarch.*	sovereign.*
citizenry	monocracy	statesman
civil society	multiparty	statesperson
civil liberties	nationhood	stateswoman
civil rights	nonpartisanship	statism
commonwealth	oppression	statocracy
consensus	oligarchy	suffrage
consociational	parliament.*	superstate
constituency	MPs	suzerain.*
constitution.*	MP	totalitari.*
constitutionalization	elected politician.*	totalitarian.*
deliberation.*	elected representative.*	tyranny
despotis.*	representative.*	unilateralis.*
dictator.*	congressm.*	vote
dominion	parpolity	voter.*
egalitarianis.*	partisanship	voting
egovernment	political parties	welfare state
e-government	party state	welfarism
election.*	petition.*	
electoral	pluralism	
empowerment	plutocra.*	
equality	political opposition	
establishment	political orientation	
executive	political representation	
popular initiative	politicians	
federalis.*	polity	
federaliz.*	polyarchy	
feudalism	populis.*	
freedom	presidential	
freedom of speech	proportional representation	
freedom of the press	radicalis.*	
gerontocracy	realpolitik	
governance	referenda	

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