Party origins, party infrastructural strength, and governance outcomes

Codebook

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Note: This codebook provides variable names, descriptions, and data sources employed in the datasets analyzed in the article and online appendix. There are three datasets required for replicating the results. These are: *Party infra strength BJPS_replication.dta*, *Party infra strength_replication_partyless_included.dta*, and *Party infra strength_replication_BJPS_cross-sectional.dta*. For how to use these files to replicate the results, see the replication do file. The datasets for this article merges information from various existing data sources, but mainly two datasets: the Autocratic Ruling Parties Dataset (ARPD) developed by Michael Miller (2020), and the V-Party project (Luhrmann et al 2020). I welcome the readers to download the datasets, replicate the findings, and scrutinize the results.

Variable Name	Description and Data Sources
country	Name of the country (Miller 2020)
ccode	Correlates of War numeric country identifier (Miller 2020)
Year	Year of observation (Miller 2020)
porsth	Party infrastructural strength. This is an indicator constructed from v2palocoff, v2paactcom, and v2pasoctie using principal factor analysis.
movep	Dummy variable indicating a movement party. (Miller 2020)
v2palocoff	*Local Organizational Extensiveness of the ruling party* (Luhrmann et al 2020)
v2paactcom	*Permanent Local Presence of the ruling party* (Luhrmann et al 2020)
v2pasoctie	Ruling parties' ties to social organizations (Luhrmann et al 2020)
v2paind	Personalization of the ruling party (Luhrmann et al 2020)
v2padisa	Internal cohesion of the ruling party (Luhrmann et al 2020)
Dcalory	Average daily calorie consumption (retrieved from https://www.fao.org/faostat/en/#data/FBSH)
b_lifeex	Life expectancy (Teorell et al. 2018)
infant_miller2015	Infant mortality (per 1000 live births) (Miller 2015)
b_growth	GDP growth rate (Teorell et al. 2018)
schooling2_miller2015	The percentage of age-appropriate children enrolled in primary and secondary education (Miller 2015)
hdi	Human Development Index (Teorell et al. 2018)
resource	Resource dependence (Ross 2013)
lnGDPcap	GDP per capita (logged) (Teorell et al. 2018)
lnpop	Total population (logged) (Teorell et al. 2018)
civwar	0-10 rating of civil war intensity (retrieved from http://www.systemicpeace.org/inscrdata.html)
coup	Dummy variable indicating a successful coup (retrieved from http://www.systemicpeace.org/inscrdata.html)

length_power	The number of years a ruling party has been in power
Capacity	An indicator of state capacity (Hanson and Sigman 2021)
p_polity2	Polity IV scores (Miller 2015)
bizza_ps	An indicator of overall party strength (Bizzarro et al. 2018)
v2pariglef	The ruling party's left-right ideological stance. Lower scores indicate more leftist ideologies. (Luhrmann et al 2020)
v2papeople	People-centrism in the ruling party's rhetoric. It measures the extent to which the party glorifies and identifies with the ordinary people. (Luhrmann et al 2020)

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