The present dataset serves as a supplement to the article titled: “Does the mode of administration impact on quality of data? Comparing a traditional survey versus an online survey via a Voting Advice Application.

Study description

The aforementioned study involved comparisons of responses to two near-identical questionnaires administered via a traditional survey and through a Voting Advice Application (VAA) both designed for the pre-electoral period of the Cypriot Presidential Elections of 2013.

The offline dataset consisted of questionnaires collected between January 23rd and January, 30th, 2013 from 818 individuals whose participation was elicited through door-to-door stratified random sampling with replacement of individuals who could not be contacted. The strata were designed to take into account the regional population density, gender, age and whether the area was urban or rural. Offline participants completed a pen-and-paper questionnaire version of the VAA in a self-completing capacity, although the person administering the questionnaire remained present throughout. In order to impress the anonymity of the procedure, participants were provided with an envelope, which they were invited to seal after enclosing their questionnaire.

The online dataset involved responses from 10,241 VAA users who completed the Choose4Cyprus VAA (approximately 2 percent of the electorate). Voting Advice Applications are online platforms that provide voting recommendations to users based on their closeness to political parties after they declare their agreement or disagreement on a number of policy statements. The competing candidates’ or parties’ positions had been assigned by a group of political scientists beforehand. The VAA was launched three weeks before the elections, on January, 30th, 2013 through various media channels and online social networks and lasted throughout the pre-electoral period leading to the first round of the 2013 Cypriot Presidential election in February, 17th, 2013. VAA users freely visited the VAA website and completed the relevant questionnaire in a self-completing capacity.

The two modes of administration (online and offline) involved participants and users completing a series of supplementary questions prior to the main questionnaire consisting of 35 and 30 policy-related items for the offline and online mode correspondingly. The dataset includes all 30 policy items that were common between the two modes, although only the first 19 (q1:q19) appeared in the same order and in the same position in the two questionnaires. The phrasing of the questions was identical for the two modes and is described per variable below.

As usual per VAA datasets, it is suggested that a data-cleaning process be applied to the online part of the dataset (where the mode variable is equal to 1). Following Mendez, Gemenis & Djouvas (2014) we suggest that the following users be eliminated from the dataset prior to analyses:

- Users who responded to any of the 30 policy questions (q1:q30) in 2 seconds or less (rt1:rt30 < 2).
- Users who responded to more than 3 of the policy questions in 3 seconds or less (rt1:rt30 < 3).
- Users who completed the questionnaire in under 121 or over 5399 seconds (90 minutes) in total (variable totalTime).
- Users who completed the VAA more than once from the same computer (attempt > 1)

Variables

id

Description	Arbitrary ascending numerical value unique per user.

mode

Description		Mode of completion
Values	Label	
0	Offline	
1	Online	

mode_nom

Description	Identical to mode variable in nominal form

date

Description	Date of data collection

time

Description	Time of data collection (recorded for the online/VAA respondents only)
Missing values	Variable not recorded (-1)

attempt

Description	Number of times VAA user completed the VAA from the same computer (recorded for the online/VAA respondents only)
Missing values	Variable not recorded (-1)

sex

Description	Respondent's self-reported sex	
Question wording	Sex:	
Original wording in Greek	Φύλο:	
Missing values	Participant's non-response (-999)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
0	Woman	Γυναίκα
1	Man	Άντρας

age

Description	Respondent's self-reported age transformed into years of life
Question wording	Year of birth:
Original wording in Greek	Έτος Γέννησης:
Missing values	Participant's non-response (-999)

education

Description	Respondent's self-reported educational level	
Question wording	Educational level:	
Original wording in Greek	Μορφωτικό επίπεδο	
Missing values	Participant's non-response (-999)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Primary education	Απόφοιτος Δημοτικού
2	Secondary education	Απόφοιτος Γυμνασίου ή Λυκείου
3	Tertiary education	Πανεπιστήμιο / Δημόσια Σχολή ή ανώτερο

education_uniDegree

Description	education variable recoded as having a university degree or not	
Question wording	NA	
Original wording in Greek	NA	
Missing values	Participant's non-response (-999)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
0	No university degree	NA
1	University degree	NA

interestInPolitics

Description	Respondent's self-reported interest in politics	
Question wording	How interested are you in politics?	
Original wording in Greek	Πόσο θεωρείτε ότι σας ενδιαφέρει η πολιτική;	
Missing values	Participant's non-response (-999)	
	Variable not recorded (-1)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
3	A lot	Πολύ
2	Somewhat	Αρκετά
1	A little	Λίγο
0	None at all	Καθόλου

partyId

Description	Respondent's self-reported identification with political party	
Question wording	Which political party do you feel closest to?	
Original wording in Greek	Σε ποιό πολιτικό κόμμα νιώθετε ότι είστε πιο κοντά;	
Missing values	Participant's non-response (-999)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	AKEL	ΑΚΕΛ
2	DHSY	ΔΗΣΥ
3	DHKO	ΔΗΚΟ
4	EDEK	ΕΔΕΚ
5	EuroKo	ΕΥΡΩΚΟ
6	KOP	Κιν. Οικ. Περ.
7	ELAM	ΕΛΑΜ

previousVote2008

Description	Respondent's self-reported vote in the previous Presidential Election of 2008	
Question wording	Which presidential candidate did you vote for in the previous Presidential elections of 2008?	
Original wording in Greek	Ποιόν υποψήφιο πρόεδρο είχατε ψηφίσει στις προηγούμενες Προεδρικές εκλογές του 2008;	
Missing values	Participant's non-response (-999)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Christofias	Δημήτρης Χριστόφιας
2	Kasoulides	Γιάννης Κασουλίδης
3	Papadopoulos	Τάσσος Παπαδόπουλος
4	Matsakis	Μάριος Ματσάκης
5	Other	Άλλο
6	Spoilt ballot	Λευκό / Άκυρο
7	I did not vote	Δεν είχα ψηφίσει

previousVote2011

Description	Respondent's self-reported vote in the previous Parliamentary elections of 2011	
Question wording	Which party did you vote for in the Parliamentary elections of 2011?	
Original wording in Greek	Ποιό κόμμα είχατε ψηφίσει στις Βουλευτικές εκλογές του 2011;	
Missing values	Participant's non-response (-999)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	AKEL	ΑΚΕΛ
2	DHSY	ΔΗΣΥ
3	DHKO	ΔΗΚΟ
4	EDEK	ΕΔΕΚ
5	EuroKo	ΕΥΡΩΚΟ
6	KOP	Κιν. Οικ. Περ.
7	ELAM	ΕΛΑΜ

voteIntention

Description	Respondent's self-reported vote intention for the upcoming Presidential election	
Question wording	Ποιόν υποψήφιο Πρόεδρο προτίθεστε να ψηφίσετε στις Προεδρικές εκλογές της 13ης Φεβρουαρίου 2013;	
Original wording in Greek	Which candidate will you be voting for in the Presidential elections of February, 13, 2013?	
Missing values	Participant's non-response (-999)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Anastasiades	Νίκος Αναστασιάδης
2	Malas	Σταύρος Μαλάς
3	Lillikas	Γιώργος Λιλλήκας
4	Stylianou	Μακαρία-Άντρη Στυλιανού

voteReason

Description	Respondent's self-reported primary reason for vote intention	
Question wording	What is the primary reason for voting in the Presidential election of 2013	
Original wording in Greek	Ποιό είναι το κύριο κριτήριο επιλογής της ψήφου σας για τις Προεδρικές εκλογές 2013;	
Missing values	Participant's non-response (-999)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	The personality of the candidate	Η προσωπικότητα του υποψηφίου προέδρου
2	My identification with the party of the candidate	Η κομματική ταύτιση
3	The ability of the candidate to solve problems	Δυνατότητα επίλυσης προβλημάτων
4	The policy positions of the candidate	Οι προγραμματικές θέσεις του υποψηφίου προέδρου
5	The honesty of the candidate	Ειλικρίνεια / Τιμιότητα
6	My own personal association with the party of the candidate	Οι προσωπικές μου σχέσεις με στελέχη του συνδυασμού
7	For reasons of political strategy	Για λόγους στρατηγικής, με στόχο να μην εκλεγούν άλλοι υποψήφιοι

internetUse

Description	Respondent's self-reported frequency of internet use	
Question wording	How often do you use the Internet?	
Original wording in Greek	Πόσο συχνά χρησιμοποιείτε το διαδίκτυο	
Missing values	Participant's non-response (-999)	
	Variable not recorded (-1)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
4	Daily	Κάθε μέρα
3	Several times a week	Αρκετές φορές την εβδομάδα
2	Once a week or less	Μία φορά την εβδομάδα
1	Once a month or less	Μία φορά το μήνα ή λιγότερο
0	Never	Ποτέ

selfPlace_LR

Description	Respondent's self-placement along a Left-Right axis
Question wording	In politics we often talk about the "Left" and the "Right". Note below where you would place yourself on the following axis where on end represents the Left and the other the Right.
Original wording in Greek	Στην πολιτική μιλάμε συνήθως για «αριστερά» και «δεξιά». Σημειώστε πού τοποθετείτε τον εαυτό σας στον παρακάτω άξονα όπου το ένα άκρο απεικονίζει την αριστερά και το άλλο τη δεξιά.
Missing values	Participant's non-response (-999)

Values	Label	Original label in Greek
0	Left	Αριστερά
1	1	
2	2	
3	3	
4	4	
5	5	
6	6	
7	7	
8	8	
9	9	
10	Right	Δεξιά

selfPlace_ProgCons

Description	Respondent's self-placement along a Progressive-Conservative continuum
Question wording	In politics we sometimes talk about "progressive" values, meaning tolerance toward alternatives ways of living without national, cultural or other separations and for "conservative" values, meaning the belief in traditional values, like family, the Church and patriotism. Note where you place your preference on the axis below where one end represents conservative and the other progressive values
Original wording in Greek	Στην πολιτική μιλάμε για «προοδευτικές» αξίες, εννοώντας την ανεκτικότητα σε εναλλακτικούς τρόπους ζωής χωρίς εθνικούς, πολιτισμικούς και άλλους διαχωρσιμούς αλλά και για «συντηρητικές» αξίες, εννοώντας την πίστη σε παραδοσιακές αξίες, όπως η οικογένεια, η εκκλησία, ο πατριωτισμός. Σημειώστε πού τοποθετείτε την προτίμησή σας στον παρακάτω άξονα όπου το ένα άκρο απεικονίζει τις συντηρητικές και το άλλο τις προοδευτικές αξίες.
Missing values	Participant's non-response (-999)

Values	Label	Original label in Greek
0	Progressive	Προοδευτικές
1	1	
2	2	
3	3	
4	4	
5	5	
6	6	
7	7	
8	8	
9	9	
10	Conservative	Συντηρητικές

q1

Description	Participant's response to q1 of the policy items
Question wording	Fiscal deficits should be mainly covered by the additional taxation of wealth
Original wording in Greek	Τα δημοσιονομικά ελλείμματα πρέπει να καλυφθούν σε μεγάλο βαθμό με πρόσθετη φορολογία του πλούτου
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)

Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q2

Description	Participant's response to q2 of the policy items	
Question wording	It is necessary to extend the time limit for unemployment benefit even if it burdens the deficit	
Original wording in Greek	Θα πρέπει να παραταθεί το χρονικό όριο του επιδόματος ανεργίας ακόμα και αν αυτό επιβαρύνει το έλλειμμα	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q3

Description	Participant's response to q3 of the policy items	
Question wording	The quasi-governmental agencies should be privatized regardless of whether it is profitable	
Original wording in Greek	Οι ημικρατικοί οργανισμοί πρέπει να ιδιωτικοποιηθούν ανεξάρτητα από το αν είναι κερδοφόροι	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q4

Description	Participant's response to q4 of the policy items	
Question wording	The institution of ATA should be repealed	
Original wording in Greek	Ο θεσμός της ΑΤΑ πρέπει να καταργηθεί	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q5

Description	Participant's response to q5 of the policy items	
Question wording	Labor rights of public employees should be equated with the rights of private sector employees	
Original wording in Greek	Τα εργασιακά δικαιώματα των δημοσίων υπαλλήλων θα πρέπει να εξισωθούν με τα δικαιώματα των ιδιωτικών υπαλλήλων	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q6

Description	Participant's response to q6 of the policy items	
Question wording	Allowances for political refugees should be cut	
Original wording in Greek	Τα επιδόματα των πολιτικών προσφύγων πρέπει να περικοπούν	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q7

Description	Participant's response to q7 of the policy items	
Question wording	The increase in unemployment is mainly due to the uncontrolled influx of foreign (EU and non-EU) workers	
Original wording in Greek	Η αύξηση της ανεργίας οφείλεται κυρίως στην ανεξέλεγκτη εισροή ξένων (κοινοτικών και μη) εργατών	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q8

Description	Participant's response to q8 of the policy items	
Question wording	Holders of bonds/securities should be compensated for the full value of these	
Original wording in Greek	Οι κάτοχοι αξιογράφων θα πρέπει να αποζημιωθούν για την πλήρη αξία τους	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q9

Description	Participant's response to q9 of the policy items	
Question wording	Access to regulated T / K should be limited in free medical care except for residents of the free areas	
Original wording in Greek	Θα πρέπει να περιοριστεί νομοθετικά η πρόσβαση των Τ/Κ στη δωρεάν ιατροφαρμακευτική περίθαλψη εκτός και αν είναι κάτοικοι των ελεύθερων περιοχών	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q10

Description	Participant's response to q10 of the policy items	
Question wording	A bi-zonal bi-communal federation for Cyprus will be sustainable	
Original wording in Greek	Μια λύση διζωνικής δικοινοτικής ομοσπονδίας για το Κυπριακό θα είναι βιώσιμη	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q11

Description	Participant's response to q11 of the policy items	
Question wording	The new President of the Republic should be bound by previous agreements in negotiations for Cyprus	
Original wording in Greek	Ο νέος Πρόεδρος της Κυπριακής Δημοκρατίας θα πρέπει να δεσμεύεται από τις προηγούμενες συμφωνίες στις Διαπραγματεύσεις για το Κυπριακό	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q12

Description	Participant's response to q12 of the policy items	
Question wording	Cyprus should raise the issue of abolition of the British bases prior to a comprehensive settlement of the Cyprus problem	
Original wording in Greek	Η Κύπρος θα πρέπει να θέσει ζήτημα κατάργησης των βρετανικών βάσεων πριν από τη συνολική διευθέτηση του Κυπριακού προβλήματος	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q13

Description	Participant's response to q13 of the policy items	
Question wording	The closing of the checkpoints should be used as leverage to solve the Cyprus problem	
Original wording in Greek	Το κλείσιμο των οδοφραγμάτων θα πρέπει να χρησιμοποιηθεί ως μέσο πίεσης για την επίλυση του Κυπριακού	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q14

Description	Participant's response to q14 of the policy items	
Question wording	Military service should be reduced to 18 months	
Original wording in Greek	Η στρατιωτική θητεία θα πρέπει να μειωθεί στους 18 μήνες	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q15

Description	Participant's response to q15 of the policy items	
Question wording	Crime will be tackled effectively if the number of non-EU migrants is limited.	
Original wording in Greek	Η εγκληματικότητα θα αντιμετωπιστεί αποτελεσματικά αν περιοριστεί ο αριθμός μη κοινοτικών μεταναστών	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q16

Description	Participant's response to q16 of the policy items	
Question wording	The role of the church should be focused on spiritual matters rather than matters of general policy of the State	
Original wording in Greek	Ο ρόλος της εκκλησίας πρέπει να είναι εστιασμένος σε πνευματικά θέματα παρά θέματα γενικότερης πολιτικής του κράτους	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q17

Description	Participant's response to q17 of the policy items	
Question wording	Possession of soft drugs (ie marijuana) for personal use should be decriminalized	
Original wording in Greek	Η κατοχή μαλακών ναρκωτικών (πχ. ινδική κάνναβη) για προσωπική χρήση πρέπει να αποποινικοποιηθεί	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q18

Description	Participant's response to q18 of the policy items	
Question wording	Same-sex couples should be institutionalized in the form of a civil partnership	
Original wording in Greek	Θα πρέπει να θεσμοθετηθεί το σύμφωνο συμβίωσης ομόφυλων ζευγαριών	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q19

Description	Participant's response to q19 of the policy items	
Question wording	Establishing and operating casinos should be allowed	
Original wording in Greek	Θα πρέπει να επιτραπεί η ίδρυση και λειτουργία των καζίνο	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q20

Description	Participant's response to q20 of the policy items	
Question wording	Multiculturalism is a positive phenomenon	
Original wording in Greek	Η πολυπολιτισμικότητα είναι ένα θετικό φαινόμενο	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q21

Description	Participant's response to q21 of the policy items	
Question wording	Banks, rather than governments, bear the primary responsibility for the crisis in Cyprus.	
Original wording in Greek	Για την οικονομική κρίση στην Κύπρο κύρια ευθύνη έχουν οι τράπεζες, παρά οι κυβερνήσεις	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q22

Description	Participant's response to q22 of the policy items	
Question wording	Promotions of civil servants should be stalled in order to create savings for the state budget	
Original wording in Greek		
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q23

Description	Participant's response to q23 of the policy items	
Question wording	To address the crisis it is necessary to cut pensions	
Original wording in Greek	Για να αντιμετωπιστεί η κρίση είναι αναγκαίες οι περικοπές στις συντάξεις	
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Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q24

Description	Participant's response to q24 of the policy items	
Question wording	Merging private and public hospitals will lead to providing better care	
Original wording in Greek	Θα πρέπει να εφαρμοστεί άμεσα το ΓΕΣΥ συγχωνεύοντας τα ιδιωτικά και δημόσια νοσηλευτήρια καθώς αυτό θα οδηγήσει στην παροχή καλύτερης περίθαλψης	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q25

Description	Participant's response to q25 of the policy items	
Question wording	To tackle the crisis layoffs in the public sector are necessary.	
Original wording in Greek	Για την αποτελεσματική αντιμετώπιση της κρίσης θα πρέπει να γίνουν απολύσεις εργαζομένων στο δημόσιο τομέα	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q26

Description	Participant's response to q26 of the policy items	
Question wording	The exploitation rights plot 12 is a safe solution for debt repayment	
Original wording in Greek	Η εκμετάλλευση των δικαιωμάτων στο οικόπεδο 12 αποτελεί μία ασφαλή λύση για την αποπληρωμή του χρέους	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q27

Description	Participant's response to q27 of the policy items	
Question wording	The economy works best if the state does not interfere and companies are given as much freedom as they need	
Original wording in Greek	Η οικονομία λειτουργεί καλύτερα όσο δεν παρεμβαίνει το κράτος και όσο περισσότερη ελευθερία έχουν οι επιχειρήσεις	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q28

Description	Participant's response to q28 of the policy items	
Question wording	The division of existing ministries should be changed with the creation of State Secretaries (eg environment, development, etc) even if it means more government officials	
Original wording in Greek	Ο καταμερισμός των υφιστάμενων υπουργείων θα πρέπει να αλλάξει με τη δημιουργία υφυπουργείων (π.χ. περιβάλλοντος, ανάπτυξης, κτλ) ακόμα κι αν αυτό σημαίνει την αύξηση των κρατικών αξιωματούχων	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q29

Description	Participant's response to q29 of the policy items	
Question wording	The introduction of tuition fees in public universities will improve the quality of education	
Original wording in Greek	Η εισαγωγή διδάκτρων στα δημόσια πανεπιστήμια θα βελτιώσει την ποιότητα της παρεχόμενης εκπαίδευσης	
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Values	Label	Original label in Greek
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2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

q30

Description	Participant's response to q30 of the policy items	
Question wording	Cyprus should consider leaving the euro zone if the imposed strict austerity measures	
Original wording in Greek	Η Κύπρος θα πρέπει να εξετάσει την έξοδο από την ευρωζώνη αν της επιβάλλονται αυστηρά μέτρα λιτότητας	
Missing values	No Opinion (-998)	
Values	Label	Original label in Greek
1	Completely Disagree	Διαφωνώ πλήρως
2	Disagree	Διαφωνώ
3	Neither agree nor disagree	Ούτε συμφωνώ ούτε διαφωνώ
4	Agree	Συμφωνώ
5	Completely Agree	Συμφωνώ πλήρως

rt1

Description	Time taken to respond to q1 in seconds
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rt2

Description	Time taken to respond to q2 in seconds
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rt3

Description	Time taken to respond to q3 in seconds
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rt4

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rt30

Description	Time taken to respond to q30 in seconds
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totalTime

Description	Total time taken to respond to q1:q30 in seconds
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numOfCDs_first19only

Description	Number of times participant responded with Completely Disagree in the first 19 policy questions (q1:q19). CA was the last response option offered in the questionnaire.
Missing values	NA (-999)

numOfDs_first19only

Description	Number of times participant responded with Disagree in the first 19 policy questions (q1:q19)
Missing values	NA (-999)

numOfNs_first19only

Description	Number of times participant responded with Neither agree nor disagree in the first 19 policy questions (q1:q19)
Missing values	NA (-999)

numOfAs_first19only

Description	Number of times participant responded with Agree in the first 19 policy questions (q1:q19)
Missing values	NA (-999)

numOfCAs_first19only

Description	Number of times participant responded with Completely Agree in the first 19 policy questions (q1:q19). CA was the first option offered in the questionnaire.
Missing values	NA (-999)

numOfNAs_first19only

Description	Number of times participant responded with No Opinion in the first 19 policy questions (q1:q19)
Missing values	NA (-999)

Acquiescence_first19only

Description	Number of times participant responded with either Agree or Completely Agree in the first 19 policy questions (q1:q19), calculated as total number of CAs & As.
Missing values	NA (-999)

Extremeness_first19only

Description	Number of times participant responded with either Completely Disagree or Completely Agree in the first 19 policy questions (q1:q19), calculated as the sum of CA & CD responses (the extreme ends of the Likert scale).
Missing values	NA (-999)

maxSameConsecAnswers_first19only

Description	Length of the longest string of identical responses to consecutive questions in the first 19 policy questions (q1:q19).
Missing values	NA (-999)

nonDiffIndex_first19

Description	Non-differentiation index for the first 19 policy questions (q1:q19). The calculation follows Mulligan et al (2001, as reported in Chang and Krosnick, 2009).
Missing values	NA (-999)

scaleScore

Description	Avg. across all valid items in the latent dimension detected through MSA. The latent dimension calculation is based on is: q13 (reversed), 14 (reversed), q16, q17, q18, q19
Missing values	NA (-999)

guttErrors

Description	Number of Guttman Errors (G+) for respondent given the latent dimension detected through MSA
Missing values	NA (-999)

inRepresentativeDataForMokken

Description	Whether respondent should be included in the dataset for obtaining the latent dimension or not
Missing values	NA (-999)

invalid

Description	Whether respondent failed to meet the cleaning criteria
Missing values	NA (-999)