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CODEBOOK

Do Political Finance Reforms Really Reduce Corruption? A Replication Study

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Our study replicates Hummel et al. (2021). Here, we only document variables that we either created/transformed from their original data or added/transformed from new sources. For details about public funding measurements, please refer to Hummel et al.'s online appendix.

Variable	Description	Original source
v2x_polyarchyV8_l5	Democracy, five-year lagged score	Coppedge et al. (2018)
v2elpubfinV8_lead	Public funding of elections, expert-based score, five-year forward lagged value	Coppedge et al. (2018)
v2x_corrV8_lead	Political corruption, expert-based score, five-year forward lagged value	Coppedge et al. (2018)
v2x_execorrV8_lead	Executive corruption, expert-based score, five-year forward lagged value	Coppedge et al. (2018)
v2lgcrrptflip_lead	Legislative corruption, expert-based score, five-year forward lagged value	Coppedge et al. (2018)
v2x_pubcorrV8_lead	Public sector corruption, expert-based score, five-year forward lagged value	Coppedge et al. (2018)
v2jucorrdcflip_lead	Judicial corruption, expert-based score, five-year forward lagged value	Coppedge et al. (2018)
v2mecorrptflip_lead	Media corruption, expert-based score, five-year forward lagged value	Coppedge et al. (2018)
v2x_elecregV8_l5	Regular elections, five-year lagged value	Coppedge et al. (2018)
Fariss_Maddison_gdppc_1990_ln_l5	GDP per capita, five-year lagged value	Fariss et al. (2017)
Fariss_gdp_growth_l5	GDP growth, five-year lagged value	Fariss et al. (2017)
Fariss_e_miurbani_l5	Urbanization, five-year lagged value	Fariss et al. (2017)
elections_date	Date of parliamentary elections	Lipcean (2021)
dpfv_total	The nominal amount of direct public funding per vote (USD) provided for party statutory (daily) and electoral activities across post-communist regimes	Lipcean (2021)
dpfv_stat_usd	The nominal amount of direct public funding per vote (USD) provided for party statutory activities across post-communist regimes	Lipcean (2021)
dpfv_elect_usd	The nominal amount of direct public funding per vote (USD) provided for party electoral activities across post-communist regimes	Lipcean (2021)

campaigns_pubfin_rcd	Public funding for electoral activity recoded by correcting the data	Hummel et al. (2021)
partyorg_pubfin_rcd	Public funding for electoral activity recoded by correcting the data	Hummel et al. (2021)
pubfinindexstock1log_l5	Political Finance Subsidy Index (PFSI) stock, logged and five-year lagged score	Hummel et al. (2021)
pfsi_recoded	PFSI additive recoded by removing duplicated components of PFSI and recoded by correcting the data	Hummel et al. (2021)
pfsi_recoded_l5	PFSI additive recoded by removing duplicated components of PFSI and recoded by correcting the data, five-year lagged	Hummel et al. (2021)
pubfin_add_l5	Political Finance Subsidy Index (PFSI) additive and five-year lagged score	Hummel et al. (2021)
pubfin_add_log_l5	Political Finance Subsidy Index (PFSI) additive, logged and five-year lagged score	Hummel et al. (2021)
pubfin_add_short	PFSI additive and without duplicated components	Hummel et al. (2021)
pubfin_add_short_l5	PFSI additive, without duplicated components and five-year lagged score	Hummel et al. (2021)
author*	Authors names from other studies using alternative measurements of public funding of parties different from Hummel et al. (2021) *Since this data is not in open access we do not make it available by default but can be shared by request*	Biezen and Kopecký (2017) Nassmacher, (2009) Casas-Zamora (2005) Casal Bértoa et al. (2014)
dpf_capita*	Direct public funding per vote from other studies using alternative measurements of public funding of parties *Since this data is not in open access we do not make it available by default but can be shared by request*	Biezen and Kopecký (2017) Nassmacher, (2009) Casas-Zamora (2005) Casal Bértoa et al. (2014)
dpf_share*	The sahre of direct public funding in the structure of party income relative to private funding from other studies using alternative measurements of public funding of parties *Since this data is not in open access we do not make it available by default but can be shared by request*	Biezen and Kopecký (2017) Nassmacher, (2009) Casas-Zamora (2005) Casal Bértoa et al. (2014)

Note: * These variables are related

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