"Euroscepticism and Bargaining Success in the EU" Codebook

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This file contains information on how to replicate the results in "Euroscepticism and Bargaining Success in the EU" (Journal of European Public Policy). Data and do-files contained in the replication package. For questions or materials related to construction of the variables in the dataset, please contact the authors.

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do: bargaining_replication.do
data: BargainingData.dta
output: results_main.tex, results_robust_RR.tex, results_robust1_RR.tex, results_robust2.tex, sumstat.tex, conflict_RR2.eps, governmentsupport_RR2.eps, marginsplot_scepticism_RR2.eps, publicsupport_RR2.eps, success_RR2.eps

Variables Used (see article for additional information)

success_new	Bargaining success, defined as absolute distance between country's initial position (*position*) and legislative outcome (*outcome*).
success_rel	Bargaining success, weighted by the salience of the issue to the country. Defined as: *100 - (abs(position - outcome)*salience)/100*.
success_rel1	Bargaining success, weighted by the relative salience of the issue to the country. Defined as: *(abs(position-outcome)*salience_rel)/100*.
conflict_pos	Pro-EU government & Eurosceptic public dummy. Pro-EU gov defined as seat-weighted CMP EU position (*gov_eu_cmp_static*) >= 0; Eurosceptic public defined as difference between proportion of public who views EU positively and proportion who views EU negatively (*eu_avg*) < 0.
conflict_neg	Eurosceptic government & pro-EU public dummy. Eurosceptic gov defined as seat-weighted CMP EU position (*gov_eu_cmp_static*) < 0; Eurosceptic public defined as difference between proportion of public who views EU positively and proportion who views EU negatively (*eu_avg*) >= 0.
conflict_neg1	Eurosceptic government & Eurosceptic public dummy. Eurosceptic gov defined as seat-weighted CMP EU position (*gov_eu_cmp_static*) < 0; Eurosceptic public defined as difference between proportion of public

	who views EU positively and proportion who views EU negatively (*eu_avg*) < 0.
conflict_pos_alt	Pro-EU government & Eurosceptic public dummy. Pro-EU gov defined as seat-weighted CMP EU position (*gov_eu_cmp_static*) >= 2.21; Eurosceptic public defined as difference between proportion of public who views EU positively and proportion who views EU negatively (*eu_avg*) < 0.
conflict_pos_alt1	Pro-EU government & Eurosceptic public dummy. Pro-EU gov defined as seat-weighted CMP EU position (*gov_eu_cmp_static*) >= 0; Eurosceptic public defined as difference between proportion of public who views EU positively and proportion who views EU negatively (*eu_avg*) < -.018.
conflict_pos3	Pro-EU government & pro-EU public dummy. Pro-EU gov defined as seat-weighted CMP EU position (*gov_eu_cmp_static*) >= 0; pro-EU public defined as difference between proportion of public who views EU positively and proportion who views EU negatively (*eu_avg*) >= 0.
conflict_log_3Q	Pro-EU government & Eurosceptic public dummy. Pro-EU gov defined as logit scaled seat-weighted CMP EU position (*gov_eu_cmp_static_log*) >= -1.417 (cut point is third quartile in distribution of *gov_eu_cmp_static_log*; log scaling inverts measure, so pro-EU is now governments who are less than the cutpoint). Pro-EU public defined as difference between proportion of public who views EU positively and proportion who views EU negatively (*eu_avg*) < 0.
conflict_imp	Pro-EU government & Eurosceptic public dummy. Pro-EU gov defined as seat-weighted CMP EU position with missing values imputed (*gov_eu_cmp_static*) >= 0; pro-EU public defined as difference between proportion of public who views EU positively and proportion who views EU negatively (*eu_avg*) < 0. Note: this variable is generated in the .do file, not present on BargainingData.dta.
eu_avg	Difference between proportion of public who views EU positively (*eu_pos*) and proportion who views EU negatively (*eu_neg*). Source: Eurobarometer.
gov_eu_cmp_static	Government's congressional seat-weighted position on EU integration.
gov_eu	Pro-EU integration government dummy, defined as *gov_EU_cmp_static* >= 0.

positiondistance_coun	Absolute distance between country's initial position (*position*) and Council's position (*pcouncil*). Source: DEU.
positiondistance_ep	Absolute distance between country's initial position (*position*) and European Parliament's position (*pep*). Source: DEU.
positiondistance_com	Absolute distance between country's initial position (*position*) and Commission's position (*pcom*). Source: DEU.
positiondistance_refpt	Absolute distance between country's initial position (*position*) and reference point (*refpt*). Source: DEU.
salience_rel	Difference between salience country places on the issue (*salience*) and average salience for the issue (*salience_avg*). Source: DEU.
success_min	Minimum success a country can have given their initial position (*position*).
qmv	Dummy variable for legislation adopted by qualified majority. Source: DEU.
newmember	Dummy variable for new members after 2004.
involved_dum	Dummy variable for a dummy variable for whether a member was more likely to position itself on issues within a policy proposal than the average Council member, defined as whether they took positions on more than two issues in a given proposal. Source: DEU.
population_log	Log population (*population*). Source: Eurostat.
gdp_log	Log gdp (*gdp*). Source: Eurostat.
gdppc	GDP per capita. Source: Eurostat.
finyear	Year that negotiations on a proposal concluded. Source: DEU.
gov_eu_cmp_static_log	Government's congressional seat-weighted position on *eu,* log scaled. Source: authors' construction, using CMP data.
gov_markeco_cmp_static	Government's congressional seat-weighted position on *markeco*. Source: CMP, via Wratil DEU-CMP.
gov_planeco_cmp_static	Government's congressional seat-weighted position on *planeco.* Source: CMP, via Wratil DEU-CMP.

gov_planned_economy_cmp_static Government's congressional seat-weighted position on planned vs. free market economy. Source: CMP, via Wratil DEU-CMP.

gov_free_market_cmp_static Government's congressional seat-weighted position on free market economy. Source: CMP, via Wratil DEU-CMP.

gov_state_involvement_cmp_static Government's congressional seat-weighted position on state involvement. Source: CMP, via Wratil DEU-CMP.

gov_welfare_cmp_static Government's congressional seat-weighted position on welfare. Source: CMP, via Wratil DEU-CMP.

gov_lr_cmp_static Government's congressional seat-weighted position on left-right scale. Source: CMP, via Wratil DEU-CMP.