Replication files

Note

The entire analysis reported in 'The European Union Policy-Making Dataset' can be replicated by running the R-script and the Stata do-files in the order presented below. The analyses were conducted using R 2.10.1 and Stata 11.1.

prlx-v01-management01.r

This R-script selects the relevant variables from the EUPOL dataset 'prlx-v01-data.csv'. The new dataset is saved as 'prlx-v01-management01.csv'.

prlx-v01-management02.do

This Stata do-file restricts the dataset 'prlx-v01-management01.csv' to proposals introduced between 1976 and 2009; it also generates variables for the type of legal instrument and the type of legislative procedure. The new dataset is saved as 'prlx-v01-management02.dta'.

prlx-v01-analysis01.do

This Stata do-file uses the dataset 'prlx-v01-management02.dta' to produce the figures and tables reported and referred to in the section 'EU policy-making: A quantitative assessment'.

prlx-v01-analysis02.do

This Stata do-file uses the dataset 'prlx-v01-management02.dta' to produce variables for the start and end date, as well as the type of outcome of Council decision-making. The new dataset is saved as 'prlx-v01-analysis02.dta'.

prlx-v01-analysis03.do

This Stata do-file uses the dataset 'prlx-v01-analysis02.dta' to produce the figures and tables reported and referred to in the section 'The outcome and duration of Council decision-making'.