Integrated Party Organization Dataset (IPOD)

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Description:

This dataset combines several existing datasets containing data on party organization, party performance, party positions and electoral systems into a single data source. These data a derive from different cross-national data collection projects. Some are online datasets, others were only printed in books. By integrating these datasets and providing unique party ids, we give comparative researchers a tool to investigate parties, their organizations and representation more thoroughly. The dataset contains data on 311 parties, from 22 countries, covering broadly the postwar period.

If you want to include the Manifesto Data, follow the instructions in "How to Include Manifesto Data.txt".

Citations:

Data collection takes a lot of them. Integrating existing datasets too! When using our dataset please cite both our dataset and the original datasets you have been using variables from. The citation to our dataset is:

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Feedback:

We are most grateful for letting us know of any inconsistency or mistake in the data. Please send us an email at nathalie.giger@unige.ch or G.Schumacher@uva.nl.

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