CODEBOOK FOR REPLICATION DATA

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Contractor: Survey Sampling International

Platform: Qualtrics

age: What is your age?

female: What is your sex?

1	Male
2	Female

race: What is your race?

1	White
2	Black/African-American

ideology: We hear a lot of talk these days about liberals and conservatives. Here is a scale on which the political views that people might hold are arranged from extremely liberal to extremely conservative. Where would you place yourself on this scale, or haven't you thought much about this?

1	Very Liberal
2	Liberal
3	Slightly Liberal
4	Moderate/Middle of the Road
5	Slightly Conservative
6	Conservative
7	Very Conservative
8	I haven't thought much about this

Q8: Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent, or something else?

1	Republican
2	Democrat
3	Independent
4	Something else

Q9: Do you consider yourself to be a strong Democrat, or not very strong Democrat?

1	Strong Democrat
2	Not Very Strong Democrat

Q10: Do you consider yourself to be a strong Republican or not very strong Republican?

1	Strong Republican
2	Not Very Strong Republican

Q11: Do you think of yourself as closer to the Democratic Party or Republican Party?

1	Democratic Party

2 Republican Party
3 Neither

Q12: What is the highest grade of school or year of college you have completed?
1 8th grade or less
2 Attended high school
3 High school graduate/GED
4 Some college but no degree
5 Associate's Degree
6 Bachelor's Degree
7 Advanced Degree

income: Last year, that is in 2012, what was your total family income from all sources before taxes?
1 Less than $10,000
2 $10,000-$19,999
3 $20,000-$29,999
4 $30,000-$39,999
5 $40,000-$49,999
6 $50,000-$74,999
7 $75,000-$99,999
8 $100,000-$149,999
9 $150,000 or more

Q37: For how many years is a United States Senator elected- that is, how many years are there in one full term of office for U.S. Senator?
1 2
2 4
3 6
4 8
5 Don't Know

Q38: Do you happen to know how many times an individual can be elected President of the United States under current laws?
1 1
2 2
3 3
4 4
5 Don't Know

Q39: How many U.S. Senators are there from each state?
1 1
2 2
3 3
4 4
5 Don't Know

Q40: For how many years is a member of the United States House of Representatives elected- that is, how many years are there in one full term of office for a U.S. House member?
1 2

2	4
3	6
4	8
5	Don't Know

Q42: Please tell us whether you agree or disagree with the following statement: Irish, Italians, Jewish, and many other minorities overcame prejudice and worked their way up. Blacks should do the same without any special favors

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1	Agree strongly
2	Agree somewhat
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree somewhat
5	Disagree strongly

Q43: Thinking about the question you just answered, exactly what things went through your mind? Please type your response below.

Q44: Please tell us whether you agree or disagree with the following statement: Generations of slavery and discrimination have created conditions that make it difficult for blacks to work their way out of the lower class

1	Disagree strongly
2	Disagree somewhat
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Agree somewhat
5	Agree strongly
	Total

Q45: Thinking about the question you just answered, exactly what things went through your mind? Please type your response below.

Q46: Please tell us whether you agree or disagree with the following statement: Over the past few years, blacks have gotten less than they deserve.

1	Agree strongly
2	Agree somewhat
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree somewhat
5	Disagree strongly

Q47: Thinking about the question you just answered, exactly what things went through your mind? Please type your response below.

Q48: Please tell us whether you agree or disagree with the following statement: It's really a matter of some people not trying hard enough; if blacks would only try harder they could be just as well off as whites.

1	Disagree strongly

2 Disagree somewhat
3 Neither agree nor disagree
4 Agree somewhat
5 Agree strongly

Q49: Thinking about the question you just answered, exactly what things went through your mind? Please type your response below.

The following variables from the dataset have been embargoed: state and hood; control, wob, wow, bow, bob, Q20, Q21, Q22, Q23, Q24, Q26_1, Q27_1, Q28, Q29; Q43 and 53

Open-Ended Responses

Two independent coders coded the open-ended responses.

The variable names indicate (1) the coder, (2) the racial resentment question that the respondent has in mind, and (3) the content being coded.

C1 indicates "Coder 1"
C2 indicates "Coder 2"
Q1 indicates Q42 (special favors)
Q2 indicates Q44 (generations of slavery)
Q3 indicates Q46 (less than deserve)
Q4 indicates Q48 (try harder)

Suffixes for content follow, below, along with numeric assignment.
Codeable content? (code)
0=no (use if: blank/R writes don't know/R agrees or disagrees with question/general rule-one word answers are not code-able with the exceptions of equality or racism)
1=yes (use if: R provides any idea that is understandable and suggests some potentially code-able reaction to the question-including remarks about the question wording/bias in the questions/vagueness in the questions)

Blacks explicitly Mentioned (bexpment)
0 = no blacks explicitly mentioned
1 = blacks explicitly mentioned

Whites explicitly mentioned (wexpment)
0= no whites explicitly mentioned
1= whites explicit (including Irish, Italians, Jews)

Traits of Blacks (tblk) – We're looking for explicit mentions about disposition or characteristics
0=no mention
1=positive (endorsed or mentioned with no sign of disagreement: hardworking, self-reliant; suffering/struggling/facing/overcoming adversity overcoming race, and or smart)
2=positive & negative (endorsed or mentioned with no sign of disagreement)

3= negative (endorsed or mentioned with no sign of disagreement/ lazy, dependent / not taking responsibility for oneself / making excuses/ not overcoming adversity/taking advantage of "race" card/ angry/ dwelling on the past/ and or poor, low SES, uneducated)
11=Society – positive (but R disagrees)
12=Society – negative (but R disagrees)
21=blacks are like other groups in disposition; "blacks and whites are"

Individualism / American Dream / "work your way up"/ self-determination (individ)
0 = no individualism mentioned
1 = affirmation of individualism as a principle-mentioned as an existing rule for all/universal (need a specific reference to working hard/helping oneself/earning one's way/doing it on one's own/other minorities worked their way up, blacks should too/ explicit mention of another group)
2 = mentioned as "not enough" ("trying is not enough" for blacks/blacks are trying harder/blacks have to try harder/reference to the American dream being broken)
3 = some people (any race) try to flout individualism ("get something for nothing"/ being lazy/not trying hard/blacks get more than they deserve/blacks are the favored race)

Discrimination (discrim)
0= no mention
1 = against discrimination; it should not exist; for equality
2 = against discrimination but not for special treatment; against special treatment/privilege based on race
10= discrimination mentioned broadly
11= exists / is a problem for blacks (is a problem/blacks face stereotypes/racial pigment makes a difference/legacy of slavery)
21 = exists and is a problem for whites (discrimination against whites/reverse racism/ special favors)
31= discrimination not as big of a problem as before and or slavery happened but is not the source of current problems/ blaming the past is not taking responsibility for individual actions/denial of continuing discrimination against blacks/ denial of a discriminatory societal feature that has an effect on blacks
41 = discrimination is a problem for everyone; "everyone is a little bit racist"
51 = "this is not a race thing" (misc, could be disposition, could be situation)

Welfare(welf)- explicit mentions of welfare (this code should not capture affirmative action)
0= no mention
1= discussion of welfare/welfare programs/government programs; checks; dependency; handouts; public aid; food stamps; TANF

Obama explicitly mentioned(obama)
0= no mention of Obama
1 = mentioned Obama

Reactions to the questions themselves (rxn)
0=no reaction
1=racist /biased/prejudice
2=emotionally upset/angry
3=dispute accuracy of statement/question statement

4= state that it is a stupid question
5= don't understand question