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Project Description

This research project was initiated and carried out by a group of investigators in the Political Science Department at Duke University, Durham, North Carolina, USA. For the Latin American countries, the project proceeded in collaboration with the Institute of Political Science, Catholic University of Chile. Overall, this research involves data collection in more than 80 electoral democracies. The expert surveys for data collection were done in 2008 and 2009.

Mission Statement

This project studies leadership accountability in polities with multi-party elections around the world. Its core ideas and empirical approach can be summarized in a few propositions.

1. Electoral democracies, unlike other political regimes, institutionalize political accountability of rulers to citizens. But accountability is a precarious achievement.

Democracies involve the periodic (re)election of political leaders under conditions of universal suffrage with civil and political freedoms enjoyed by all citizens. Where polities approximate these conditions, the rules of the game provide powerful incentives for office-seeking incumbents and challengers alike to compete for voters' approval in the electoral contest.

Citizens hold voters accountable, if they cast their vote in favor of candidates and parties contingent upon their past political actions in elected office and their credible commitments to future actions after (re)election. Not all citizens vote in light of accountability considerations, but even if only minorities in the electorate do so, they can still make or break politicians' careers and parties' fortunes, if elections are at least moderately competitive. Anticipating accountability considerations among voters and competition for office, politicians will try to act with "responsiveness" to critical mass audiences: They deliver benefits and position their appeals so as to advance their chances for (re)election. Depending on the electoral system, they must attract the support of broader or narrower electoral constituencies and need to tailor their appeals accordingly.

Even when politicians cannot or will not seek reelection, the institutional accountability mechanism is likely to remain in place, provided ***organized political parties*** govern individual

politicians' careers to elected office. Parties are teams of politicians who pool resources in order to assist each other's efforts to win office by supplying benefits that attract voters and building reputations to produce such benefits reliably over time. Since only individual politicians retire, but not entire parties, the parties themselves, as corporate entities run by a leadership structure, may enforce the electoral responsiveness and accountability of their representatives as an ongoing process extending over an indefinite time period.

The accountability linkage breaks down when politicians cannot deliver what voters demand or when politicians cannot convince voters that they should demand what politicians are prepared to deliver to them. The ***collapse of citizen-politician linkages of political accountability*** is an ever present danger in democracies with potentially grave consequences for politicians, parties, and the entire democratic regime itself. A weak party structure and the resulting opportunism of individual politicians is one only source internal to the system of electoral competition that makes failure of accountability more likely. But there are many other mechanisms that may undercut democratic accountability, such as (1) lack of effective competition among teams of politicians, (2) great heterogeneity of voter demands and interests that makes it difficult for politicians to bundle benefits and services a sufficiently large electoral base will reward, and (3) the inability of citizens to monitor what, if anything, politicians deliver to improve their lot.

Even if some politicians and their parties manage to establish circuits of accountability with blocs of voters sufficiently strong to (re)elect them, there is no singular formula of what sorts of activities of accountability keep politicians in power. The nature of the actions politicians choose to build and maintain democratic accountability or "linkage" between politicians and electoral constituencies varies across time and place. This variance in ways politicians and voters enact accountability relations makes the subject interesting for research.]

2. Where political accountability succeeds, it involves an exchange relationship between citizens and politicians. Voters temporarily grant politicians the right to rule and enjoy the spoils of office in exchange for benefits and services that accrue to their constituencies.

How, however, politicians identify and tailor the critical voter constituencies that enter accountability relations with them and what benefits and services they deliver to consummate that relationship, varies profoundly across democracies and historical eras.

There is no one singular template according to which politicians act responsibly and establish accountability in all democracies. Even within the same democracy, accountability relations may vary by party, region and time period. Once established and sunk costs of mutual expectation building

between voters and politicians incurred, diverse accountability relations may endure over long periods of time. Three broad classes of relations of accountability stand out:

(1) Parties may offer broad ***“policies”*** to voters. Policies are binding and authoritative decisions that award benefits and impose costs on electoral constituencies (with both beneficiaries and cost bearers sometimes being identical). Each citizen belonging to a broad category experiences the consequences of authoritative policy, regardless of whether she individually had voted for the governing party (or parties) or approve of the policies it issues. Costs and benefits accrue only to categories of citizens. Think of macro-economic fiscal and monetary policies resulting in good or bad economic performance (low/high inflation, unemployment or economic growth) and greater or lesser inequality (through redistributive taxation and government spending) or the extension of encompassing, universal social insurance schemes as exemplary policies. Policies cover the provision of collective goods valued by all or club goods primarily favored by the winning parties’ constituencies, but unwanted by the opposition, as long as there is no “targeting” of a party’s known supporters.

(2) Parties may also offer ***highly customized selective benefits and services*** accruing to specific individuals and small groups of voters, ***contingent*** upon their willingness and effort to support their benefactors in the run-up to elections and eventually in the voting booth. Campaign work, financial donations and ultimately the vote count as contributions that make winning parties dispense special favors to their supporters. Such favors may include, but are not limited to, direct material gifts, public sector jobs, preferential access to social goods and services (such as housing) or financial transfers (such as unemployment and disability benefits), as well as special treatment in obtaining business permits or licenses to operate businesses, regulatory decisions, or public procurement contracts.

(3) Parties may also attempt to establish democratic accountability based on citizens’ more ***affective, emotional involvement with a party and its leaders***. Politicians may cultivate a unique charisma of personal leadership, offer followers the communitarian bonds to a valued collective (the party) over a long historical record (“party identification”), or guarantee that leaders and followers share culturally significant attributes and traits that matter for electoral constituencies (descriptive representation, based on age, gender, ethnicity, religion, language or region of residence).]

3. Political science needs to understand *why* politicians and voters build relations of accountability around different types of goods and services.... or none at all.

Information about prevailing accountability relations in democratic polities gives rise to a variety of interesting causal questions about their origins:

- How do politicians choose to promise and to deliver different mixes of accountability relations?
- Is there a mutually reinforcing relationship or a trade-off between democratic accountability based on broad policy, targeted benefits, personal qualities of the politicians and communitarian party appeals?
- What social, economic, and political endowments or processes shape the types of linkages between voters and politicians that enact democratic accountability in a particular political order? Is it more social and cultural background conditions outside the sphere of politics, or is it political institutions or the specific conditions of electoral competition within the political realm itself that govern politicians' and voters' choice of accountability mechanisms?
- Under what conditions do efforts to build accountability relations within electoral democracies fail? What are the mechanisms that generate a breakdown of accountability?

4. Accountability relations between voters and politicians matter. The terms of electoral exchanges may have consequences for citizens' economic well-being, social inequality, life satisfaction and support for a democratic order built on electoral competition.

The mix of benefits and burdens politicians produce for their constituencies in their quest to establish accountability relations may have multiple consequences for a polity that need to be investigated in detail.

- Accountability relations may affect ***economic performance*** of a polity, net of many other causal mechanisms. Where targeted benefits, delivered contingent upon citizens' support for the winning party, prominently figure in politicians' accountability relations, will such practices affect consumption, investment and ultimately economic growth in ways that set them apart from other polities where elected governments deliver primarily to broad categories of constituencies? Does the effect of different accountability relations itself vary contingent upon political and economic background commissions?
- Is ***inequality of wealth and income*** influenced by prevailing accountability practices? Both more universalistic, non-contingent policies as well as targeted exchanges benefiting

supporters of the ruling party involve redistributive acts. But which accountability relations are more likely to generate progressive or regressive outcomes, and, if so, why?

- Does the enactment of accountability relations affect people's *satisfaction with democracy*? Are they more or less willing to consider alternatives to democracy, if a specific mix of accountability relations prevails?]

5. Yet political scientists have not systematically studied and compared mechanisms of electoral accountability around the world. This project contributes to pushing the research frontier by collecting data about different kinds of democratic accountability. It includes countries and entire regions not covered in previous research.

Research Instrument to Investigate Citizen-Politician Linkages

The research instrument employed in this study is an expert survey that covers the extent to which democratic accountability proceeds through exchanges based on broad collective goods and large club goods and on goods targeted to individuals and small groups in detail, while only touching upon the issues raised by affective grounds of democratic accountability. Experts who complete the survey are individuals who know about their country's parties, campaigns, and elections because they learned about these subject matters in their university training. They teach, or actually observe and research these subjects in their professional life. Most of them are located in university political science departments, but they may also be affiliated with law faculties, sociology, history or public policy departments or work in independent research institutes or non-profit agencies and interest associations. Moreover, a small panel of 3-5 journalists who cover campaigns and elections will be included. They come from independent national newspapers or weekly journals with different political orientations.

The survey covers five subject areas:

- Basic organizational capacities parties may possess to build and maintain relations of democratic accountability;
- the nature of material benefits and services individual voters and small groups of voters may expect and receive in exchange for their partisan support;
- ways for parties to know whether the exchange is consummated and voters stick to the bargain;
- parties' positions on a broad set of public policy issues with some salience in a polity;

- concluding roundabout assessments of different accountability relations, as practiced in each democracy.

Countries Covered in the Investigation

Data collection included all democratic polities of at least two million inhabitants with a minimum recent experience of two rounds of national electoral competition under at least semi-democratic conditions. The latter were identified in terms of average civil and political rights scores of at least 4.0, as awarded by the annual Freedom House survey. Beyond this set of countries, a few prominent countries with multi-party electoral politics that does not quite meet this civil and political rights standard were included (Egypt, Indonesia, Malaysia, Pakistan, Russia). Altogether, the survey covers 21 countries in the Americas, 13 countries in the Asia-Pacific region, 18 countries in post-communist Eastern and Central Europe, 16 countries in Western Europe, and 20 countries in Africa and the Middle East for a total of 88 countries. Expert surveys for most countries were conducted in 2008; while the surveys for a smaller subset of countries, including Australia, Canada, France, Italy, New Zealand, Sweden, United Kingdom, Albania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Dominican Rep., Jamaica, Mauritius, South Africa, Turkey, Morocco, Lebanon, Bangladesh, India, Indonesia, Philippines, and Thailand were completed in early 2009. This project does not only generate data about new types of democratic linkage between citizens and politicians or accountability, but also dramatically expand knowledge about parties' organizational structures and policies in countries that have never been included in a cross-national data collection effort.

Funding Sources

Collection of the data on citizen-politician linkages and accountability relations was funded by three sources. The data gathered by this project has been made publicly available to the entire social science research community.

First, Duke University supported the design of the project, the data collection and the data analysis through Herbert Kitschelt's research funds. A substantial group of graduate students in comparative politics at Duke University contributed to the design of the project and were paid to assist in the data collection phase (support since summer of 2005). All operational tasks in the process of data collection outside Latin America were handled

through Duke University. Duke University assumed the responsibility for implementing this project. Information about the project can be found at [the website](#).

Second, since Fall 2006, under grant No 1060749, the Chilean FONDO NACIONAL DE DESARROLLO CIENTIFICO Y TECNOLOGICO (FONDECYT) supported the Latin American project directed by Professors David Altman and Juan Pablo Luna of the Political Science Institute at the Catholic University of Chile to implement an expert survey, a module of which is that fielded in other regions of the world by the Duke research group.

Third, the World Bank, through a grant extended to its Development Research Group, led by Phillip Keefer, joined this effort in fall of 2007 and supported the implementation of the expert survey with a data collection grant.

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Variable List

- The **raw data** includes individual experts' responses to all survey items. There are 6 to 80 data points for each party. For the multiple-choice questions (a8, b8, b9, b10, and c2), each response category is also recoded as a separate measure.
- Measures in the **party level** data set are averages of non-missing responses experts assigned to individual party attributes. There is one data point for each party. In addition to survey items, the party level data set also includes the standard deviations and the number of non-missing responses to each question for each party, three recoded measures (a5a, a6a, and b12a), and three aggregate measures of parties' general clientelistic and programmatic tendencies (b15, cosalpo_4, and cosalpo_3econ). Several survey items are not included in the party level data set.

They are b6, b7, c5 (attributes for all parties in a country), c4 (open ended question), a8, b8, b9, b10, and c2 (multiple choice questions). For the multiple-choice questions, only the percentages per response category for each party, rather than experts' original responses, are included in the party level data set.

- **Country level** data set includes the average scores of non-missing responses to b6, b7, and c5 for all parties in a country. There is one data point for each country. The data set also includes the aggregate measures of all parties' general clientelistic and programmatic tendencies, constructed by averaging party mean scores on b15, cosalpo_4, and cosalpo_3econ for all parties in a country, weighted by party sizes.

Variable	Raw data	Party level	Country level	Question / Label
General / Descriptive Variables				
country	✓	✓	✓	Country Name
ccode	✓	✓	✓	Country Code
ccodewb	✓	✓	✓	Country Code
ccodecow	✓	✓	✓	Country Code
party	✓	✓		Party Name
partynum	✓	✓		Party Number
pengname	✓	✓		Party Name in English
pengacro	✓	✓		Party Acronym in English
pnatname	✓	✓		Party Name in the National Language
pnatacro	✓	✓		Party Acronym in the National Language
partysize		✓		Party Vote Share (mean)
journalist	✓			Journalist
Part A: Organization of Political Parties				

a1	✓	✓		Offices and Paid Staff
a2	✓	✓		Permanent Social and Community Presence
a3	✓	✓		Local Intermediaries
a4	✓	✓		Rank-and-File Nominations
a5	✓			Party Balance of Power
a5a		✓		a5 recoded
a6	✓			Electoral Strategy Process
a6a		✓		a6 recoded
a7	✓	✓		Stable Factional Groups in Caucuses
a8	✓			Strength of Linkages: All Orgnzations
a8_1	✓	✓		Strength of Linkages: Unions
a8_2	✓	✓		Strength of Linkages: Business
a8_3	✓	✓		Strength of Linkages: Religious Orgs.
a8_4	✓	✓		Strength of Linkages: Ethnic
a8_5	✓	✓		Strength of Linkages: Urban/Rural
a8_6	✓	✓		Strength of Linkages: Women's
a9	✓	✓		Campaign Finance Revenue Source
a10	✓	✓		Compliance with Campaign Finance Laws (Private)
a11	✓	✓		Compliance with Campaign Finance (Public)
a12	✓	✓		Self-Assessment: Part A
a1_sd – a12_sd		✓		Standard Deviation
a1_ct – a12_ct		✓		Number of Non-Missing Responses
Part B: Exchange Mechanisms				
b1	✓	✓		Consumer Good Provision
b2	✓	✓		Preferential Public Benefits
b3	✓	✓		Employment Opportunities

b4	✓	✓		Government Contracts
b5	✓	✓		Regulatory Proceedings
b6	✓		✓	General Level of Efforts
b7	✓		✓	Comparison to 10 Years Ago
b8	✓			Special Efforts: All Voters
b8_1	✓	✓		Special Efforts: Rural Voters
b8_2	✓	✓		Special Efforts: Urban Voters
b8_3	✓	✓		Special Efforts: Ethnic Group
b8_99	✓			Special Efforts: Don't Know
b9	✓			Special Efforts: All Voters
b9_1	✓	✓		Special Efforts: Poor Voters
b9_2	✓	✓		Special Efforts: Middle Income Voters
b9_3	✓	✓		Special Efforts: Wealthy Voters
b9_99	✓			Special Efforts: Don't Know
b10	✓			Rely On: All Organizations
b10_1	✓	✓		Rely On: Unions
b10_2	✓	✓		Rely On: Business / Professional
b10_3	✓	✓		Rely On: Religious
b10_4	✓	✓		Rely On: Ethnic/Linguistic
b10_5	✓	✓		Rely On: Urban/Rural
b10_6	✓	✓		Rely On: Women's
b11	✓	✓		Targeted Benefits Effectiveness
b12	✓	✓		Loyalists / Strategic Voters
b12a		✓		b12 recoded
b13	✓	✓		Self-Assessment, Part B
b15	✓	✓		Sum (b1-b5)
b15nwe			✓	Sum (b1-b5) (weighted by party size)
b1_sd –		✓		Standard Deviation

b15_sd				
b1_ct – b15_ct		✓		Number of Non-Missing Responses
Part C: Monitoring and Enforcement				
c1	✓	✓		Success: How People Voted
c2	✓			Rely On: All Organizations
c2_1	✓	✓		Rely On: Unions
c2_2	✓	✓		Rely On: Business/Professional Assoc.
c2_3	✓	✓		Rely On: Religious Organizations
c2_4	✓	✓		Rely On: Ethnic/Linguistic Organizations
c2_5	✓	✓		Rely On: Urban/Rural Associations
c2_6	✓	✓		Rely On: Women's Associations
c3	✓			Monitoring Practices
c4	✓	✓		Consequences
c5	✓		✓	Capacity Now vs. 10 Years Ago
c6	✓	✓		Self-Assessment, Part C
c1_sd – c6_sd		✓		Standard Deviation
c1_ct – c6_ct		✓		Number of Non-Missing Responses
Part D: Party Policy Positions				
d1	✓	✓		Social Spending
d2	✓	✓		State Role in Economy
d3	✓	✓		Public Spending
d4	✓	✓		National Identity
d5	✓	✓		Traditional Authority, Institutions, Customs
d7-d20	✓	✓		Country-Specific Policy Issues
d21-d47	✓			Country-Specific Policy Issues

dw	✓	✓		Overall Left-Right Placement
dx	✓	✓		Self-Assessment: Part D
dy	✓	✓		Personal Sympathy to a Party
cosalpo_4		✓		General Programmatic Structuration
cosalpo_4nwe			✓	General Programmatic Structuration (weighted by partysize)
cosalpo_3econ		✓		Economic Issue Programmatic Structuration
cosalpo_3econnwe			✓	Economic Issue Programmatic Structuration (weighted by partysize)
d1_sd – dy_sd		✓		Standard Deviation
d1_ct – dy_ct		✓		Number of Non-Missing Responses
Part E: Modes of Party Competition				
e1	✓	✓		Charisma
e2	✓	✓		Policy Positions
e3	✓	✓		Targeted Material Benefits
e4	✓	✓		Party ID
e5	✓	✓		General Competence
e1_sd – e5_sd		✓		Standard Deviation
e1_ct – e5_ct		✓		Number of Non-Missing Responses

Variable Descriptions

General / Descriptive Variables

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
country	Country name	
ccode	Country code	ISO-3166-1 numeric country codes . The country codes in the Quality of Governance data.
ccodewb	Country code	The country codes in the World Bank data.
ccodeco w	Country code	The country codes in the Correlates of War and Polity IV data.
party	Party name (as listed in the survey)	[77] All parties (for b6, b7, and c5)
partynum	Party number (as listed in the survey)	[77] All parties (for b6, b7, and c5)
pengnam e	Party name in English	
pengacro	Party acronym in English	
pnatnam e	Party name in the national language	
pnatacro	Party acronym in the national language	
expertid	Expert identification number	
partysize	Party size	Average of a party's vote shares in the most recent two national legislative elections before 2009.
journalist	Whether the survey respondent is a journalist.	[0] Scholar [1] Journalist

Part A: Local and Municipal-Level Party Organizations

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
a1	Do the following parties or their individual candidates maintain offices and paid staff at the local or municipal-level? If yes, are these offices and staff permanent or only during national elections?	[1] Yes, the party maintains permanent local offices in MOST districts [2] Yes, the party maintains permanent local offices in SOME districts [3] Yes, the party maintains local offices, but only during national elections [4] No, the party does not maintain local offices [99] Don't know
a2	Do the following parties' local organizations maintain a permanent social and community presence by holding social events for local party members or sustaining ancillary social groups such as party youth movements, party cooperatives, or athletic clubs?	[1] Yes [2] No [99] Don't Know
a3	Do the following parties have local intermediaries (e.g. neighborhood leaders, local notables, religious leaders) who operate in local constituencies on the parties' behalf, and perform a variety of important tasks such as maintaining contact with large groups of voters, organizing electoral support and voter turnout, and distributing party resources to voters and supporters?	[1] Yes, they have local representatives in MOST constituencies [2] Yes, they have local representatives in SOME constituencies [3] No, they have almost no local representatives [99] Don't know
a4	In Parliamentary or Congressional elections, do the following parties enable simple rank-and-file party members to select the nominees of the party for electoral legislative office, for example through primary elections, caucuses, or mail ballots?	[1] Yes, party members select nominees in MOST districts [2] Yes, party members select nominees in SOME districts [3] No, party members do not select the nominees [99] Don't know
a5 ¹	More generally, the power to select candidates in national legislative elections is always divided between local/municipal party actors, regional/state-level party organizations, and national party leaders. Often one particular level	[1] National party leaders control the process of candidate selections [2] Regional/state-level party organizations control the process of candidate selections [3] Local/municipal actors control the process of candidate selections [4] Selection is the outcome of bargaining between different levels

¹ Construction of mean scores requires the researcher's decision on what would be an ordinal scaling of the response options.

	<p>of party organization dominates the selection process, while in other places candidate selection is the outcome of bargaining between the different levels of party organization.</p> <p><i>Which of the following four options best describes the following parties' balance of power in selecting candidates for national legislative elections?</i></p>	[99] Don't know
a5a	<p>More generally, the power to select candidates in national legislative elections is always divided between local/municipal party actors, regional/state-level party organizations, and national party leaders. Often one particular level of party organization dominates the selection process, while in other places candidate selection is the outcome of bargaining between the different levels of party organization.</p> <p><i>Which of the following four options best describes the following parties' balance of power in selecting candidates for national legislative elections?</i></p>	<p>a5 recoded. Party level average based on the following scale:</p> <p>[1] National party leaders control the process of candidate selections</p> <p>[2] Regional/state-level party organizations control the process of candidate selections</p> <p>[3] Selection is the outcome of bargaining between different levels</p> <p>[4] Local/municipal actors control the process of candidate selections</p>
a6 ²	<p>Similarly, which of the following options best characterizes the process by which the following parties decide on electoral strategy, for example campaign platforms and slogans, coalition strategies, and campaign resource allocations?</p>	<p>[1] Electoral Strategy is chosen by national party leaders with little participation from local or state level organizations.</p> <p>[2] Electoral strategy is chosen by regional or state-level organizations.</p> <p>[3] Electoral strategy is chosen by local or municipal level actors.</p> <p>[4] The choice of electoral strategy is the outcome of bargaining between the different levels of party organization.</p> <p>[99] Don't know</p>
a6a	<p>Similarly, which of the following options best characterizes the process by which the following parties decide on electoral strategy, for example campaign platforms and slogans, coalition strategies, and campaign resource allocations?</p>	<p>a6 recoded. Party level average based on the following scale:</p> <p>[1] Electoral Strategy is chosen by national party leaders with little participation from local or state level organizations.</p> <p>[2] Electoral strategy is chosen by regional or state-level organizations.</p> <p>[3] The choice of electoral strategy is the outcome of bargaining between the different levels of party organization.</p> <p>[4] Electoral strategy is chosen by local or municipal level actors.</p>

² Construction of mean scores requires the researcher's decision on what would be an ordinal scaling of the response options.

a7	<p>Within a political party's National Convention and Parliamentary Caucus we often find relatively stable factions, intra-party subgroups of like-minded individuals that act as a unified body on matters of party politics. These factions may have independent access to financial and political resources, and their membership generally shows some stability over time.</p> <p>In your opinion, do the following parties have stable factional groups in their National Conventions or Parliamentary Caucuses?</p>	<p>[1] Yes [2] No [99] Don't know</p>
a8 ³	<p>Political parties often have more or less routine and explicit linkages to civil society organizations such as unions, business or professional organizations, and cultural organizations based on religion, language, or ethnicity. The linkages might include leadership and membership overlap, mutual financial support, reserved positions for representatives of these organizations at National Conventions, etc. Do the following parties have strong linkages to one or more of the following civil society organizations?</p>	<p>[1] Unions [2] Business associations and professional associations [3] Religious Organizations [4] Ethnic/ linguistic organizations [5] Urban neighborhood or rural associations/movements [6] Women's organizations [99] Don't know [no response] No linkages to all the groups</p>
a8_1	a8 recoded: Do the following parties have strong linkages to Union ?	<p>[0] No [1] Yes</p>
a8_2	a8 recoded: Do the following parties have strong linkages to Business associations and professional associations ?	<p>[0] No [1] Yes</p>
a8_3	a8 recoded: Do the following parties have strong linkages to Religious Organizations ?	<p>[0] No [1] Yes</p>

³ In 16 Latin American countries respondents could check only one of the six civil society organizations. In all other countries, respondents could check as many organizations as apply. The Latin American countries are Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Costa Rica, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela.

a8_4	a8 recoded: Do the following parties have strong linkages to Ethnic/ linguistic organizations ?	[0] No [1] Yes
a8_5	a8 recoded: Do the following parties have strong linkages to Urban neighborhood or rural associations/movements ?	[0] No [1] Yes
a8_6	a8 recoded: Do the following parties have strong linkages to Women's organizations ?	[0] No [1] Yes
a9	All political parties depend on financial resources to maintain their professional organizations, run electoral campaigns, and reward supporters, party members, and party activists. Some parties depend heavily on public subsidies to perform these tasks, while others depend on private donations from individuals, firms, or civil society organizations. Which of the following options best characterizes parties' revenue source both in cash and in kind?	[1] – Most of revenue comes from public subsidies [2] – Some revenue comes from public subsidies [3] – Public subsidies are almost irrelevant for party's revenue [99] – Don't know
a10 ⁴	Most countries have campaign finance laws which regulate party fundraising and expenditure, and in particular specify both: a.) the legal sources of party finance, and b.) the legal amount of financial resources which particular private or public organizations may contribute. Political parties vary in the extent to which their fundraising behavior is in compliance with these campaign finance laws. Which of the following options best characterizes parties' compliance with campaign finance laws regulating donations from private sector actors?	[1] MOST private revenue is gathered in compliance with regulations [2] About HALF of the party's private revenue is gathered in compliance with regulations [3] Almost NONE of the party's private revenue is gathered in compliance with regulations [4] The country does not have laws regulating campaign finance and expenditure [99] Don't know
a11 ⁵	Similarly, which of the following options best characterizes parties' compliance with campaign finance laws regulating donations from the public sector?	[1] MOST public revenue is gathered in compliance with regulations [2] About HALF of the party's public revenue is gathered in compliance with regulations [3] Almost NONE of the party's public revenue is gathered in compliance with

^{4 5} Construction of mean scores requires the researcher's decision on what would be an ordinal scaling of the response options.

		regulations [4] The country does not have laws regulating campaign finance and expenditure [99] Don't know
a12	We would now like you to self-assess your judgments concerning party organization and finance. Please indicate below how confident you are in the judgments you have made in your responses in section A of the survey about the following parties.	[1] Very uncertain [2] Somewhat uncertain [3] Somewhat confident [4] Very confident [99] Don't know
a1_sd – a12_sd		Standard deviation of a1-a12
a1_ct – a12_ct		Number of non-missing responses of a1-a12

Part B: Exchange Mechanisms

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
b1	Consider whether candidates and parties give or promise to give citizens consumer goods (e.g., food or liquor, clothes, cookware, appliances, medicines, building materials etc.) as inducement to obtain their votes. How much effort do candidates and parties expend to attract voters by providing consumer goods?	[1] A negligible effort or none at all [2] A minor effort [3] A moderate effort [4] A major effort [99] Don't know
b2	Consider whether candidates and parties give or promise to give citizens preferential access to material advantages in public social policy schemes (e.g., preferential access to subsidized prescription drugs, public scholarships, public housing, better police protection etc.) as	[1] A negligible effort or none at all [2] A minor effort [3] A moderate effort [4] A major effort [99] Don't know

inducement to obtain their votes.
How much effort do candidates and parties
expend to attract voters by providing preferential
public benefits?

b3	Consider whether candidates or parties give or promise to give citizens preferential access to employment in the public sector or in the publicly regulated private sector (e.g., post office, janitorial services, maintenance work, jobs at various skill levels in state owned enterprises or in large private enterprises with government contracts and subsidies, etc.) as inducement to obtain their vote. How much effort do candidates or parties expend to attract voters by providing preferential access to employment opportunities?	[1] A negligible effort or none at all [2] A minor effort [3] A moderate effort [4] A major effort [99] Don't know
b4	Consider whether candidates or parties give or promise to give citizens and businesses preferential access to government contracts or procurement opportunities (e.g., public works/construction projects, military procurement projects without competitive bidding to companies whose employees support the awarding party) as inducement to gain their and their employees' votes. How much effort do candidates or parties expend to attract voters by offering them preferential access to government contracts or procurement opportunities?	[1] A negligible effort or none at all [2] A minor effort [3] A moderate effort [4] A major effort [99] Don't know
b5	Consider whether candidates or parties influence or promise to influence the application of regulatory rules issued by government agencies (e.g., more lenient tax assessments and audits, more favorable interpretation of import and export regulation, less strict interpretation of fire and escape facilities in buildings, etc.) in order	[1] A negligible effort or none at all [2] A minor effort [3] A moderate effort [4] A major effort [99] Don't know

to favor individual citizens or specific businesses as inducement to gain their and their employees' vote.

How much effort do candidates or parties expend to attract voters and the businesses for which they work by influencing regulatory proceedings in their favor?

b6	In general, how much effort do politicians and parties in this country make to induce voters with preferential benefits to cast their votes for them?	[1] A negligible effort or none at all [2] A minor effort [3] A moderate effort [4] A major effort [99] Don't know
b7	Do politicians nowadays make the same, greater or lesser efforts to provide preferential benefits to individuals and small groups of voters than they did about ten (10) years ago?	[1] A much lesser effort now [2] A somewhat lesser effort now [3] About the same effort now [4] A somewhat greater effort now [5] A much greater effort now [99] Don't know
b8 ⁶	Do political parties make special efforts to attract members of one or several of the following groups with such inducements? Please check ALL that apply for each party.	[1] – Rural voters [2] – Urban voters [3] – Specific ethnic group [99] – Don't know
b8_1	b8 recoded: Do political parties make special efforts to attract Rural voters with such inducements?	[0] No [1] Yes
b8_2	b8 recoded: Do political parties make special efforts to attract Urban voters with such inducements?	[0] No [1] Yes
b8_3	b8 recoded: Do political parties make special efforts to attract Specific ethnic group with such inducements?	[0] No [1] Yes

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b8_99	b8 recoded: Do political parties make special efforts to attract members of one or several of the following groups with such inducements? Don't know	[0] No [1] Yes
b9 ⁷	Do political parties make special efforts to attract members of one or several of the following groups with such inducements? Please check ALL that apply for each party.	[1] Poor voters [2] Middle income voters [3] Rich voters [99] Don't know
b9_1	b9 recoded: Do political parties make special efforts to attract Poor voters with such inducements?	[0] No [1] Yes
b9_2	b9 recoded: Do political parties make special efforts to attract Middle income voters with such inducements?	[0] No [1] Yes
b9_3	b9 recoded: Do political parties make special efforts to attract Rich voters with such inducements?	[0] No [1] Yes
b9_99	b9 recoded: Do political parties make special efforts to attract members of one or several of the following groups with such inducements? Don't know	[0] No [1] Yes
b10 ⁸	Considering the special advantages and benefits that accrue to voters of a party, whom do the parties most commonly rely on in their efforts to select the recipients and deliver the benefits to the target constituencies? Please check ALL that apply for each party.	[1] Unions [2] Business associations and professional associations [3] Religious Organizations [4] Ethnic/ linguistic organizations [5] Urban neighborhood or rural associations/movements [6] Women's organizations [99] Don't know [no response] Not rely on these groups

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b10_1	b10 recoded: Do the parties most commonly rely on Unions in their efforts to select the recipients and deliver the benefits to the target constituencies?	[0] No [1] Yes
b10_2	b10 recoded: Do the parties most commonly rely on Business associations and professional associations in their efforts to select the recipients and deliver the benefits to the target constituencies?	[0] No [1] Yes
b10_3	b10 recoded: Do the parties most commonly rely on Religious Organizations in their efforts to select the recipients and deliver the benefits to the target constituencies?	[0] No [1] Yes
b10_4	b10 recoded: Do the parties most commonly rely on Ethnic/ linguistic organizations in their efforts to select the recipients and deliver the benefits to the target constituencies?	[0] No [1] Yes
b10_5	b10 recoded: Do the parties most commonly rely on Urban neighborhood or rural associations/movements in their efforts to select the recipients and deliver the benefits to the target constituencies?	[0] No [1] Yes
b10_6	b10 recoded: Do the parties most commonly rely on Women's organizations in their efforts to select the recipients and deliver the benefits to the target constituencies?	[0] No [1] Yes
b11	Please assess how effective political parties are in their efforts to mobilize voters by targeted benefits.	[1] Not at all [2] To a small extent [3] To a moderate extent [4] To a great extent [99] Don't know
b12 ⁹	If parties provide preferential benefits in order to receive votes, which of the following groups of voters do they primarily target?	[1] Primarily to it partisan loyalists [2] Primarily to strategic voters

⁹ Construction of mean scores requires the researcher's decision on what would be an ordinal scaling of the response options.

	<p>a. partisan loyalists, for whom there is no competition among parties: those who consider voting only for one party and abstain from voting, if that party is not a good prospect.</p> <p>b. strategic voters, for whom there is competition among parties: those who consider switching their preferences from one party to another party depending on the past record and the prospective benefits they expect from supporting different competitors.</p>	<p>[3] Both loyal and strategic voters</p> <p>[99] Don't know</p>
b12a	<p>If parties provide preferential benefits in order to receive votes, which of the following groups of voters do they primarily target?</p> <p>a. partisan loyalists, for whom there is no competition among parties: those who consider voting only for one party and abstain from voting, if that party is not a good prospect.</p> <p>b. strategic voters, for whom there is competition among parties: those who consider switching their preferences from one party to another party depending on the past record and the prospective benefits they expect from supporting different competitors.</p>	<p>b12 recoded:</p> <p>[1] Primarily to it partisan loyalists</p> <p>[2] Both loyal and strategic voters</p> <p>[3] Primarily to strategic voters</p>
b13	<p>We would now like you to self-assess your judgments concerning party organization and finance. Please indicate below how confident you are in the judgments you have made in your responses in section B of the survey about the following parties.</p>	<p>[1] Very uncertain</p> <p>[2] Somewhat uncertain</p> <p>[3] Somewhat confident</p> <p>[4] Very confident</p> <p>[99] Don't know</p>
b15	Sum of b1, b2, b3, b4, and b5 variables	
b15nwe	Sum of b1, b2, b3, b4, and b5 variables, weighted by partysize.	
b1_sd – b15_sd	Standard deviation of b1-b15	
b1_ct –	Number of non-missing responses of b1-b15	

Part C: Monitoring and Enforcement

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
c1 ¹⁰	If parties try to check how specific individuals or small groups of citizens voted, how successful are they in getting that information?	[1] Very Successful [2] Somewhat Successful [3] Not at All Successful [4] Does Not Try to Find Out How Individuals Voted [99] Don't know
c2 ¹¹	If parties want to find out an individual's vote or a group's vote, they may try to use the knowledge of local organizations and their leaders. Do the parties rely on any of the following actors to provide information about an individual's or a group's voting behavior? Please, mark ALL relevant categories.	[1] Unions [2] Business and professional associations [3] Religious organizations [4] Ethnic/linguistic organizations [5] Urban neighborhood or rural associations / movements [6] Women's organizations [99] Don't know [no response] Not rely on these groups
c2_1	c1 recoded: If parties want to find out an individual's vote or a group's vote, they may try to use the knowledge of local organizations and their leaders. Do the parties rely on Unions to provide information about an individual's or a group's voting behavior?	[0] No [1] Yes
c2_2	c1 recoded: If parties want to find out an individual's vote or a group's vote, they may try to use the knowledge of local organizations and their leaders. Do the parties rely on Business and	[0] No [1] Yes

¹⁰ Construction of mean scores requires the researcher's decision on what would be an ordinal scaling of the response options.

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professional associations to provide information about an individual's or a group's voting behavior?

c2_3	c1 recoded: If parties want to find out an individual's vote or a group's vote, they may try to use the knowledge of local organizations and their leaders. Do the parties rely on Religious organizations to provide information about an individual's or a group's voting behavior?	[0] No [1] Yes
c2_4	c1 recoded: If parties want to find out an individual's vote or a group's vote, they may try to use the knowledge of local organizations and their leaders. Do the parties rely on Ethnic/linguistic organizations to provide information about an individual's or a group's voting behavior?	[0] No [1] Yes
c2_5	c1 recoded: If parties want to find out an individual's vote or a group's vote, they may try to use the knowledge of local organizations and their leaders. Do the parties rely on Urban neighborhood or rural associations / movements to provide information about an individual's or a group's voting behavior?	[0] No [1] Yes
c2_6	c1 recoded: If parties want to find out an individual's vote or a group's vote, they may try to use the knowledge of local organizations and their leaders. Do the parties rely on Women's organizations to provide information about an individual's or a group's voting behavior?	[0] No [1] Yes
c4	If an individual or group of voters promises to vote for the parties but does not deliver on their promise, can parties assess any consequences to the individual/group?	[1] Yes [2] No [99] Don't know

c5	Do politicians nowadays have the same, greater or lesser capacity to find out how individuals and small groups of voters voted than they did about ten (10) years ago?	[1] A much lesser capacity now [2] A somewhat lesser capacity now [3] About the same capacity now [4] A somewhat greater [5] A much greater capacity now [99] Don't know
c6	We would now like you to self-assess your judgments concerning electoral monitoring and enforcement. Please indicate below how confident you are in the judgments you have made in your responses in section C about the following parties.	[1] Very Uncertain [2] Somewhat uncertain [3] Somewhat confident [4] Very confident [99] Don't know
c1_sd – c6_sd		Standard deviation of c1-c6
c1_ct – c6_ct		Number of non-missing responses of c1-c6

Part D: Party Policy Positions

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d1 ¹²	Social spending on the disadvantaged	<p>[1] Party advocates extensive social spending redistributing income to benefit the less well-off in society.</p> <p>[10] Party opposes extensive social spending redistributing income to benefit the less well-off in society.</p> <p>[88] No clear position</p> <p>[99] Don't know</p>
d2 ¹³	State role in governing the economy	<p>[1] Party supports a major role for the state in regulating private economic activity to achieve social goals, in directing development, and/or maintaining control over key services.</p> <p>[10] Party advocates a minimal role for the state in governing or directing economic activity or development.</p> <p>[88] No clear position</p> <p>[99] Don't know</p>
d3 ¹⁴	Public spending	<p>[1] Party supports extensive public provision of benefits such as earnings-related pension benefits, comprehensive national health care, and basic primary and secondary schools for everyone.</p> <p>[10] Party opposes an extensive state role in providing such benefits and believes that such things as health insurance, pensions, and schooling should be privately provided or that participation in public social insurance programs should be voluntary.</p> <p>[88] No clear position</p>

¹² ¹³ ¹⁴ In 16 Latin American countries the response option 88 was missing. The Latin American countries are Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Costa Rica, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela.

		[99] Don't know
d4 ¹⁵	National identity	<p>[1] Party advocates toleration and social and political equality for minority ethnic, linguistic, religious, and racial groups and opposes state policies that require the assimilation of such groups to the majority national culture.</p> <p>[10] Party believes that the defense and promotion of the majority national identity and culture at the expense of minority representation are important goals.</p> <p>[88] No clear position</p> <p>[99] Don't know</p>
d5 ¹⁶	Traditional authority, institutions, and customs	<p>[1] Party advocates full individual freedom from state interference into any issues related to religion, marriage, sexuality, occupation, family life, and social conduct in general.</p> <p>[10] Party advocates state-enforced compliance of individuals with traditional authorities and values on issues related to religion, marriage, sexuality, occupation, family life and social conduct in general.</p> <p>[88] No clear position</p> <p>[99] Don't know</p>
dw ¹⁷	Overall Left-Right Placement	<p>[1] Party is best located at the "left" of the national political spectrum based upon its overall policy positions and ideological framework.</p> <p>[10] Party is best located at the "right" of the national political spectrum based upon its overall policy positions and ideological framework.</p> <p>[88] No clear position</p>

^{15 16 17} In 16 Latin American countries the response option 88 was missing. The Latin American countries are Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Costa Rica, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela.

[99] Don't know

dx	We would now like you to self-assess your judgments concerning parties' policy positions. Please indicate below how confident you are in the judgments you have made in your responses in section D about the following parties:	[1] Very uncertain [2] Somewhat uncertain [3] Somewhat confident [4] Very confident
dy ¹⁸	Taking all aspects of party policy into account, please score each party in terms of how close it is to your personal views.	[1] Party holds views that are the same as mine. [10] Party holds views that are absolutely different than mine. [88] No clear position [99] Don't know
cosalpo_4 ¹⁹	Based on d1-d5 and country specific issues (d7+), the indicator measures the <i>cohesion</i> of parties' appeals on an issue position, the <i>salience</i> of the issue position, and the degree of <i>spatial distinctiveness</i> or <i>polarization</i> of parties on issue positions. <i>Cohesion</i> (Co): the standard deviation of expert scores for each issue each party. <i>Salience</i> (Sal): the percentage of valid answers from experts for each issue each party. <i>Polarization</i> (Po): the mean distance of a focal party's position on the issue from the positions of each of the other parties in the system, with each dyad's distance weighted by the relative size of the two parties whose distance is being compared. The three components are multiplied to create the CoSalPo scores for each issue each party. cosalpo_4 is constructed by adding three of the five common issue scales (d1-d5) that have the highest CoSalPo scores, but no more than two of them may be economic. Then add the highest scoring country-specific issue, or one of the remaining d1-d5 issue scores, provided the latter trumps the CoSalPo score of the available customized national questions. See Kitschelt & Freeze (2011) for more details.	
cosalpo_4nwe	cosalpo_4 weighted by partysize.	

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¹⁹ A change in the component of *polarization* to logarithmic transformation in order to reduce the impact of extremely polarized cases is highly correlated with the existing measure at $r > .98$.

cosalpo_3econ	cosalpo_3econ is constructed by adding three highest scoring economics issues (from d1-d3 and/or custom country questions clearly loading on economic distribution).
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cosalpo_3econweight	cosalpo_3econ weighted by partysize.
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d1_sd – dy_sd	Standard deviation of d1-dy
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d1_ct – dy_ct	Number of non-missing responses of d1-dy
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Part D: Country-Specific Questions

Angola

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_ago	D7 Ethnicity/Financial Transfers	<p>[1] Party advocates special material assistance and financial transfers to rural and/or regional areas of the country.</p> <p>[10] Party presents itself as the political advocate of all ethnic groups in Angola and does not favor specific material or symbolic benefits for any one of them.</p>
d8_ago	D8 Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.</p>

Argentina

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d9_arg	D9 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d10_arg	D10 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d11_arg	D11 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d12_arg	D12 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d13_arg	D13 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d14_arg	D14 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d15_arg	D15 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.
d16_arg	D16 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d17_arg	D17 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.

d18_arg	D18 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d19_arg	D19 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.
d20_arg	D20 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d24	D24 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d25	D25 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d27	D27 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [10] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d32	D32 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d33	D33 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric. [10] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d34	D34 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.
d35	D35 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia.

		[10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d36	D36 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d37	D37 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d39	D39 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d40	D40 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d41	D41 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d42	D42 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d43	D43 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.

Austria

Variable	Question/Label	Value Label
d7_aus	D7 Center/Periphery	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p>
d8_aus	D8 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living</p>
d9_aus	D9 Immigration	<p>[1] Party presents itself as the political advocate of immigrant rights in Austria</p> <p>[10] Party supports restrictions on immigrant rights in Austria</p>
d10_aus	D10 European Integration	<p>[1] Party supports the further political integration of the European Union and Austria's leadership in that process</p> <p>[10] Party sees European political integration as having gone too far and advocates Austria's leadership in reversing that process</p>
d22	D22 European Integration	<p>[1] Party supports further political integration of the European Union and [Country's] leadership in that process.</p> <p>[10] Party sees European political integration as having gone too far and advocates [Country's] leadership in reversing that process.</p>
d28	D28 Center-Periphery Relations	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p>

d45	D45 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living</p>
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Belgium

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_bel	D7 Fighting Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.</p>
d8_bel	D8 Center/Periphery	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from federal State to federate regions.</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from federal State to federate regions.</p>
d9_bel	D9 European Integration	<p>[1] Party supports further political integration of the European Union and Belgium's leadership in that process.</p> <p>[10] Party sees European political integration as having gone too far and advocates Belgium's leadership in reversing that process.</p>
d10_bel	D10 Support of Ethnocultural Groups	<p>[1] Party presents itself as the political advocate of a specific ethnic (religious, linguistic, regional, racial, tribal) group and tries to deliver material and symbolic benefits to members of that group.</p> <p>[10] Party presents itself as the political advocate of all ethnic groups in Belgium and does not favor specific material or symbolic benefits for any one of them.</p>
d22	D22 European Integration	<p>[1] Party supports further political integration of the European Union and [Country's] leadership in that process.</p> <p>[10] Party sees European political integration as having gone too far and advocates [Country's] leadership in reversing that process.</p>
d44	D44 Fighting Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected</p>

politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.

[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.

Benin

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_ben	D7 Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems</p>
d8_ben	D8 Decentralization	<p>[1] Party supports to increase transfer of administrative responsibilities and taxing powers to regions and municipalities under the decentralization program.</p> <p>[10] Party believes that the increasing transfer of administrative responsibilities and taxing powers to regions and municipalities is too dangerously weakening the central government.</p>
d29	D29 Decentralization	<p>[1] Party supports to increase transfer of administrative responsibilities and taxing powers to regions and municipalities under the decentralization program.</p> <p>[10] Party believes that the increasing transfer of administrative responsibilities and taxing powers to regions and municipalities is too dangerously weakening the central government.</p>
d44	D44 Fighting Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.</p>

Bolivia

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_bol	D7 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d8_bol	D8 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d9_bol	D9 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d10_bol	D10 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d11_bol	D11 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d12_bol	D12 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d13_bol	D13 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d14_bol	D14 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d15_bol	D15 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.

d16_bol	D16 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d17_bol	D17 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d18_bol	D18 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d19_bol	D19 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.
d20_bol	D20 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d24	D24 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d25	D25 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d27	D27 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [10] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d32	D32 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d33	D33 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric.

		[10] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d34	D34 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values.
		[10] Party supports conservative values.
d35	D35 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia.
		[10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d36	D36 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion.
		[10] Party opposes abortion.
d37	D37 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
		[10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d39	D39 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution.
		[10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d40	D40 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution.
		[10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d41	D41 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security.
		[10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d42	D42 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies.
		[10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d43	D43 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium.
		[10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.

Botswana

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_bwa	D7 Support for the Rural Countryside or Urban Areas	[1] Party advocates special material assistance and financial transfers to rural areas of the country. [10] Party advocates special material assistance and financial transfers to urban areas of the country.
d8_bwa	D8 Relationships Between the Center and the Periphery	[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery. [10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery.
d28	D28 Center-Periphery Relations	[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery [10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery

Brazil

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_bra	D7 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d8_bra	D8 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d9_bra	D9 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d10_bra	D10 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d11_bra	D11 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d12_bra	D12 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d13_bra	D13 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d14_bra	D14 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d15_bra	D15 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.

d16_bra	D16 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d17_bra	D17 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d18_bra	D18 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d19_bra	D19 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.
d20_bra	D20 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d24	D24 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d25	D25 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d27	D27 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [10] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d32	D32 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d33	D33 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric.

		[10] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d34	D34 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values.
		[10] Party supports conservative values.
d35	D35 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia.
		[10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d36	D36 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion.
		[10] Party opposes abortion.
d37	D37 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
		[10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d39	D39 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution.
		[10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d40	D40 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution.
		[10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d41	D41 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security.
		[10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d42	D42 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies.
		[10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d43	D43 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium.
		[10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.

Bulgaria

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_bgr	D7 European Integration	[1] Party supports further political integration of the European Union. [10] Party sees European political integration as having gone too far.

Canada

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_can	D7 Center/Periphery	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to provinces and territories.</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to provinces and territories.</p>
d8_can	D8 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living.</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living.</p>
d9_can	D9 Globalization	<p>[1] Party supports Canadian involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities even if it reduces the country's national sovereignty.</p> <p>[10] Party supports Canadian involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities only if the country's national sovereignty is not reduced.</p>
d26	D26 Globalization	<p>[1] Party supports [Country's] involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities even if it reduces the country's national sovereignty.</p> <p>[10] Party supports [Country's] involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities only if the country's national sovereignty is not reduced.</p>
d45	D45 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living</p>

Chile

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d7_chl	D7 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d8_chl	D8 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d9_chl	D9 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d10_chl	D10 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d11_chl	D11 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d12_chl	D12 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d13_chl	D13 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d14_chl	D14 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d15_chl	D15 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.

d16_chl	D16 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d17_chl	D17 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d18_chl	D18 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d19_chl	D19 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.
d20_chl	D20 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d24	D24 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d25	D25 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d27	D27 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [10] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
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d40	D40 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution.
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d43	D43 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium.
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Colombia

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_col	D7 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d8_col	D8 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d9_col	D9 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d10_col	D10 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d11_col	D11 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d12_col	D12 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d13_col	D13 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d14_col	D14 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d15_col	D15 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.

d16_col	D16 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d17_col	D17 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d18_col	D18 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d19_col	D19 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.
d20_col	D20 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d24	D24 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d25	D25 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
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Costa Rica

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d7_cri	D7 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d8_cri	D8 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d9_cri	D9 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d10_cri	D10 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d11_cri	D11 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d12_cri	D12 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d13_cri	D13 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d14_cri	D14 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d15_cri	D15 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.

d16_cri	D16 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d17_cri	D17 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d18_cri	D18 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d19_cri	D19 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.
d20_cri	D20 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d24	D24 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
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d43	D43 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.

Croatia

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_hrv	D7 Protection of the national economy from foreign competition	<p>[1] Party supports measures protecting the national economy through measures such as the limitation of foreign ownership over the economic assets, limitation on the movement of capital and goods and government subventions to agriculture or industry</p> <p>[10] Party opposes measures limiting foreign ownership over the economic assets, freedom of trade and capital movements, and government subsidies to agriculture and industry.</p>
d8_hrv	D8 Privatization of economic assets	<p>[1] Party demands that in privatization of government owned assets priority should be given to domestic companies and domestic investors.</p> <p>[10] Party demands that privatization of government owned assets be conducted so that all actors have access to assets subjected to privatization under equal conditions, regardless whether they are foreign or domestic owned or if they are large com</p>
d9_hrv	D9 Integration of Croatia into EU and NATO	<p>[1] Party supports Croatia's membership in EU and NATO.</p> <p>[10] Party opposes Croatia's membership in EU and NATO.</p>

Czech Republic

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_cze	D7 European Union	[1] Party supports further deepening of the European Union integration process.
		[10] Party opposes further deepening of the European Union integration process.
d8_cze	D8 U.S. Radar	[1] Party supports building of U.S. radar in the Czech Republic.
		[10] Party opposes building of U.S. radar in the Czech Republic.
d9_cze	D9 Health Care Reform	[1] Party supports reduction of state expenditure on health care.
		[10] Party opposes reduction of state expenditure on health care.

Denmark

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_dnk	D7 European Integration	<p>[1] Party supports further political integration of the European Union and Denmark's leadership in that process.</p> <p>[10] Party sees European political integration as having gone too far and advocates Denmark's leadership in reversing that process.</p>
d8_dnk	D8 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living.</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living.</p>
d22	D22 European Integration	<p>[1] Party supports further political integration of the European Union and [Country's] leadership in that process.</p> <p>[10] Party sees European political integration as having gone too far and advocates [Country's] leadership in reversing that process.</p>
d45	D45 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living</p>

Ecuador

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_ecu	D7 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d8_ecu	D8 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d9_ecu	D9 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d10_ecu	D10 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d11_ecu	D11 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d12_ecu	D12 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d13_ecu	D13 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d14_ecu	D14 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d15_ecu	D15 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.

d16_ecu	D16 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d17_ecu	D17 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d18_ecu	D18 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d19_ecu	D19 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.
d20_ecu	D20 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
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d27	D27 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [10] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d32	D32 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d33	D33 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric.

		[10] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d34	D34 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values.
		[10] Party supports conservative values.
d35	D35 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia.
		[10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d36	D36 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion.
		[10] Party opposes abortion.
d37	D37 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
		[10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d39	D39 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution.
		[10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d40	D40 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution.
		[10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d41	D41 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security.
		[10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d42	D42 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies.
		[10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d43	D43 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium.
		[10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.

Egypt

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_egy	D7 Islamic Law	<p>[1] Party believes that Egypt's legal infrastructure should conform strictly to rules and codes of conduct presented in the Koran.</p> <p>[10] Party believes that the Koran should play little role in the design and implementation of Egypt's laws, i.e. that Egypt's legal infrastructure should remain largely secular in orientation.</p>
d8_egy	D8 Democratic Reform	<p>[1] Party believes that democratic reforms should be implemented as soon as possible, regardless of the economic or political consequences.</p> <p>[10] Party believes that democratic reforms should be implemented slowly, and only to the extent that they do not hinder the achievement of other important political objectives such as economic growth and social stability.</p>

El Salvador

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_slv	D7 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d8_slv	D8 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d9_slv	D9 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d10_slv	D10 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d11_slv	D11 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d12_slv	D12 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d13_slv	D13 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d14_slv	D14 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d15_slv	D15 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.

d16_slv	D16 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d17_slv	D17 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d18_slv	D18 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d19_slv	D19 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.
d20_slv	D20 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d24	D24 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d25	D25 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d27	D27 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [10] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d32	D32 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d33	D33 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric.

		[10] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d34	D34 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.
d35	D35 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d36	D36 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d37	D37 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d39	D39 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d40	D40 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d41	D41 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d42	D42 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d43	D43 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.

Estonia

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_est	D7 European Union	[1] Favors a more powerful and centralized EU. [10] Opposes a more powerful and centralized EU.
d8_est	D8 Rural Development	[1] Party advocates rural development such as subsidies to develop rural communities, specific policies for more equal regional development. [10] Party opposes subsidizing rural development advocating more self reliance of rural communities and opposing forceful intervention from the central power.
d21	D21 European Union	[1] Party favors a more powerful and centralized EU. [10] Party opposes a more powerful and centralized EU.

Finland

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_fin	D7 Center-Periphery Relations	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery. .</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery.</p>
d8_fin	D8 Environmental protection and growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living.</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living.</p>
d9_fin	D9 European Integration	<p>[1] Party favors a more powerful and centralized EU.</p> <p>[10] Party opposes a more powerful and centralized EU.</p>
d21	D21 European Union	<p>[1] Party favors a more powerful and centralized EU.</p> <p>[10] Party opposes a more powerful and centralized EU.</p>
d28	D28 Center-Periphery Relations	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p>
d45	D45 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living</p>

France

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_fra	D7 European Integration	<p>[1] Party supports further political integration of the European Union and France's leadership in that process.</p> <p>[10] Party sees European political integration as having gone too far and advocates Frances's leadership in reversing that process.</p>
d8_fra	D8 Environmental protection and growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living.</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living.</p>
d22	D22 European Integration	<p>[1] Party supports further political integration of the European Union and [Country's] leadership in that process.</p> <p>[10] Party sees European political integration as having gone too far and advocates [Country's] leadership in reversing that process.</p>
d45	D45 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living</p>

Germany

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_deu	D7-Immigration	<p>[1] Party advocates pro-immigrant policies (such as reducing restrictions for immigration, favoring immigrant legalization, or incorporation in the social welfare system)</p> <p>[10] Party advocates anti-immigrant policies (such as strengthening immigration requirements, sending away illegal immigrants or not granting them access to state benefits)</p>
d8_deu	D8 Education	<p>[1] Party supports full control of the education system by the state, and does not wish the involvement of the private sector in it</p> <p>[10] Party supports private initiatives in the education sector, and a detachment of the state from it</p>
d9_deu	D9 Generations	<p>[1] Party supports social policies that benefit young generations</p> <p>[10] Party supports social policies that benefit old generations</p>
d10_deu	D10 EU Integration	<p>[1] Party supports a deepening of political and economic cooperation with the European Union.</p> <p>[10] Party sees Germany's political and economic cooperation with the European Union as having gone too far and advocates reversing that process.</p>
d30	D30 Cooperation with EU	<p>[1] Party supports a deepening of political and economic cooperation with the European Union.</p> <p>[10] Party sees [Country's] political and economic cooperation with the European Union as having gone too far and advocates reversing that process.</p>
d38	D38 Education	<p>[1] Party supports full control of the education system by the state, and does not wish the involvement of the private sector in it</p> <p>[10] Party supports private initiatives in the education sector, and a detachment of the</p>

state from it

d46	D46 Immigration	<p>[1] Party advocates pro-immigrant policies (such as reducing restrictions for immigration, favoring immigrant legalization, or incorporation in the social welfare system)</p> <p>[10] Party advocates anti-immigrant policies (such as strengthening immigration requirements, sending away illegal immigrants or not granting them access to state benefits)</p>
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Greece

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_grc	D7 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living</p>
d8_grc	D8 Immigration	<p>[1] Party advocates pro-immigrant policies (such as reducing restrictions for immigration, favoring immigrant legalization, or incorporation in the social welfare system)</p> <p>[10] Party advocates anti-immigrant policies (such as strengthening immigration requirements, sending away illegal immigrants or not granting them access to state benefits)</p>
d9_grc	D9 Education and the State	<p>[1] Party supports full control of the education system by the state, and does not wish the involvement of the private sector in it</p> <p>[10] Party supports private initiatives in the education sector, and a detachment of the state from it</p>
d38	D38 Education	<p>[1] Party supports full control of the education system by the state, and does not wish the involvement of the private sector in it</p> <p>[10] Party supports private initiatives in the education sector, and a detachment of the state from it</p>
d45	D45 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living</p>
d46	D46 Immigration	<p>[1] Party advocates pro-immigrant policies (such as reducing restrictions for immigration, favoring immigrant legalization, or incorporation in the social welfare</p>

system)

[10] Party advocates anti-immigrant policies (such as strengthening immigration requirements, sending away illegal immigrants or not granting them access to state benefits)

Guatemala

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_gtm	D7 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d8_gtm	D8 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d9_gtm	D9 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d10_gtm	D10 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d11_gtm	D11 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d12_gtm	D12 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d13_gtm	D13 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d14_gtm	D14 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d15_gtm	D15 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.

d16_gtm	D16 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d17_gtm	D17 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d18_gtm	D18 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d19_gtm	D19 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.
d20_gtm	D20 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d24	D24 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d25	D25 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d27	D27 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [10] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d32	D32 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d33	D33 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric.

		[10] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d34	D34 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values.
		[10] Party supports conservative values.
d35	D35 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia.
		[10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d36	D36 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion.
		[10] Party opposes abortion.
d37	D37 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
		[10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d39	D39 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution.
		[10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d40	D40 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution.
		[10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d41	D41 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security.
		[10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d42	D42 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies.
		[10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d43	D43 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium.
		[10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.

Honduras

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_hnd	D7 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d8_hnd	D8 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d9_hnd	D9 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d10_hnd	D10 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d11_hnd	D11 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d12_hnd	D12 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d13_hnd	D13 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d14_hnd	D14 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d15_hnd	D15 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.

d16_hnd	D16 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d17_hnd	D17 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d18_hnd	D18 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d19_hnd	D19 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.
d20_hnd	D20 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d24	D24 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d25	D25 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d27	D27 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [10] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d32	D32 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d33	D33 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric.

		[10] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d34	D34 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values.
		[10] Party supports conservative values.
d35	D35 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia.
		[10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d36	D36 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion.
		[10] Party opposes abortion.
d37	D37 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
		[10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d39	D39 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution.
		[10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d40	D40 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution.
		[10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d41	D41 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security.
		[10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d42	D42 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies.
		[10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d43	D43 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium.
		[10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.

Ireland

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_irl	D7 Environmental Protection and Growth	[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living. [10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living.
d8_irl	D8 Northern Ireland	[1] Party opposes a permanent British presence in Northern Ireland. [10] Party defends a permanent British presence in Northern Ireland.
d45	D45 Environmental Protection and Growth	[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living [10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living

Israel

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_isl	D7 Palestinian State	[1] Party favors the establishment of an independent 100% sovereign Palestinian state in the West Bank and the Gaza Strip. [10] Party opposes any form of an independent sovereign Palestinian State.
d8_isl	D8 Israeli Security	[1] Party favors pursuit of peace initiatives with the intention to return to the 1967 'green line' border in return for durable peace. [10] Party favors annexation of the territory controlled by Israel.

Italy

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_ita	D7 Center/Periphery	<p>[1] Party supports fiscal federalism so as to give responsibility to each region for its own finances.</p> <p>[10] Party rejects fiscal federalism so as to secure that all citizens have the same standards of public services.</p>
d8_ita	D8 Fighting Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.</p>
d9_ita	D9 Privatization	<p>[1] Party supports the privatization of inefficient public companies with the goal of reducing the public debt even when this should result in massive layoffs.</p> <p>[10] Party opposes the privatization of inefficient public companies with the goal of reducing the public debt particularly when this should result in massive layoffs.</p>
d10_ita	D10 European Union	<p>[1] Party supports the further political integration of the European Union even if this should entail losses of national sovereignty in sensitive policy areas such as defense, immigration, justice and culture.</p> <p>[10] Party opposes the further political integration of the European Union especially if this should entail losses of national sovereignty in sensitive policy areas such as defense, immigration, justice and culture.</p>
d44	D44 Fighting Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting</p>

corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.

Jamaica

Latvia

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_lva	D7 Rural versus Urban Interests	<p>[1] Promotes interests of urban interests above others.</p> <p>[10] Promotes interests of rural interests above others.</p>
d8_lva	D8 Relations to the Russian Federation	<p>[1] Party promotes the view that the Russian Federation poses a serious political and economic threat to Latvia and therefore a tough policy line vis-a-vis Russia should be adopted.</p> <p>[10] Party promotes the view that the Russian Federation does not pose any political or economic threat to Latvia and the policy towards Russia should be moderate if not acquiescent.</p>
d9_lva	D9 European Integration	<p>[1] Party favors a more powerful and centralized EU.</p> <p>[10] Party opposes a more powerful and centralized EU.</p>
d10_lva	D10 Corruption and Efficiency of Public Service	<p>[1] Party supports the position that corruption of politicians and public servants is justifiable if the officials in question are successful and efficient in carrying out their duties.</p> <p>[10] Party expresses unconditional opposition to any corrupt practices even if they expedite public service and the overall efficiency of the state.</p>
d21	D21 European Union	<p>[1] Party favors a more powerful and centralized EU.</p> <p>[10] Party opposes a more powerful and centralized EU.</p>
d23	D23 Relationships with Russian Federation	<p>[1] Party promotes the view that the Russian Federation poses a serious political and economic threat to [Country] and therefore a tough policy line vis-a-vis Russia should be adopted.</p> <p>[10] Party promotes the view that the Russian Federation does not pose any political or economic threat to [Country] and the policy towards Russia should be moderate if not acquiescent."</p>

Lithuania

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_ltu	D7 Relationships with Russian Federation	<p>[1] Party promotes the view that the Russian Federation poses a serious political and economic threat to Lithuania and therefore a tough policy line vis-a-vis Russia should be adopted.</p> <p>[10] Party promotes the view that the Russian Federation does not pose any political or economic threat to Lithuania and the policy towards Russia should be moderate if not acquiescent.</p>
d8_ltu	D8 Double Citizenship	<p>[1] For introduction of a double citizenship to emigrants.</p> <p>[10] Against introduction of a double citizenship to emigrants.</p>
d9_ltu	D9 Financing higher education	<p>[1] For fully state-financed higher education.</p> <p>[10] Fully privately-financed higher education.</p>
d23	D23 Relationships with Russian Federation	<p>[1] Party promotes the view that the Russian Federation poses a serious political and economic threat to [Country] and therefore a tough policy line vis-a-vis Russia should be adopted.</p> <p>[10] Party promotes the view that the Russian Federation does not pose any political or economic threat to [Country] and the policy towards Russia should be moderate if not acquiescent."</p>

Macedonia

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_mkd	D7 Foreign ownership of utility companies	[1] Party supports TEC Negotino and other state owned enterprises be sold to foreign investors. [10] Party does not support TEC Negotino and other state owned enterprises be sold to foreign investors
d8_mkd	D8 Construction of a church in Skopje and a mosque in Tetovo	[1] Party agrees that the government builds a church on the main square in Skopje, and a mosque on the central square in Tetovo. [10] Party does not agree that the government builds a church on the main square in Skopje, and a mosque on the central square in Tetovo.

Malaysia

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_mys	D7 Center/Periphery	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery.</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery.</p>
d8_mys	D8 Democracy and Its Alternatives	<p>[1] Party sees multi-party, competitive electoral democracy as the only game in town. It rejects any alternative to liberal democracy.</p> <p>[10] Party advocates virtues of non-democratic modes of governance, at least under certain conditions. Alternatives to liberal democracy are conceivable and may be desirable.</p>
d28	D28 Center-Periphery Relations	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p>
d31	D31 Democracy and Its Alternatives	<p>[1] Party sees multi-party, competitive electoral democracy as the only game in town. It rejects any alternative to liberal democracy.</p> <p>[10] Party advocates virtues of non-democratic modes of governance, at least under certain conditions. Alternatives to liberal democracy are conceivable and may be desirable.</p>

Mali

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_mli	D7 Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing urgent policy problems.</p>
d8_mli	D8 Decentralization	<p>[1] Party supports to increase transfer of administrative responsibilities and taxing powers to regions and municipalities under the decentralization program.</p> <p>[10] Party believes that the increasing transfer of administrative responsibilities and taxing powers to regions and municipalities is too dangerously weakening the central government.</p>
d29	D29 Decentralization	<p>[1] Party supports to increase transfer of administrative responsibilities and taxing powers to regions and municipalities under the decentralization program.</p> <p>[10] Party believes that the increasing transfer of administrative responsibilities and taxing powers to regions and municipalities is too dangerously weakening the central government.</p>
d44	D44 Fighting Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.</p>

Mexico

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_mex	D7 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d8_mex	D8 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d9_mex	D9 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d11_mex	D11 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d12_mex	D12 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d13_mex	D13 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d14_mex	D14 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d15_mex	D15 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.
d16_mex	D16 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.

d17_mex	D17 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d18_mex	D18 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d19_mex	D19 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.
d20_mex	D20 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d24	D24 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d25	D25 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d27	D27 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [10] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d32	D32 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d33	D33 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric. [10] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d34	D34 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values.

		[10] Party supports conservative values.
d35	D35 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d36	D36 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d37	D37 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d40	D40 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d41	D41 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d42	D42 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d43	D43 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.

Moldova

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d7_mda	D7 The Status of Russian Language	<p>[1] Party advocates a special status for the Russian language as compared to other minority languages in Republic of Moldova.</p> <p>[10] Party advocates an equal status for the languages of all minority groups in Republic of Moldova.</p>
d8_mda	D8 National Identity of the Majority Group	<p>[1] Party promotes the Moldovan identity as the national identity of the majority group in Republic of Moldova</p> <p>[10] Party promotes the Romanian identity as the national identity of the majority group in Republic of Moldova.</p>
d9_mda	D9 Decentralization/ Centralization	<p>[1] Party supports the centralization of state power by increasing the degree of hierarchical subordination of local authorities to the central.</p> <p>[10] Party supports the decentralization of state power by increasing the degree of autonomy of local authorities.</p>
d10_mda	D10 State Territorial Structure	<p>[1] Party advocates federalism as a means of settling the Transnistrian conflict and advocates reintegration of the Transnistrian region.</p> <p>[10] Party is against federalism as a means of settling the Transnistrian conflict and is against reintegration of the Transnistrian region.</p>
d11_mda	D11 Community of Independent States	<p>[1] Party advocates the orientation of Moldovan society towards east and integration of Moldova into the Community of Independent States (CIS).</p> <p>[10] Party is against the orientation of Moldovan society towards east and integration of Moldova into the Community of Independent States (CIS).</p>
d12_mda	D12 Integration into the European Union	<p>[1] Party promotes the orientation of Moldovan society towards west and integration of Moldova into the European Union.</p> <p>[10] Party is against the orientation of Moldovan society towards west and integration</p>

of Moldova into the European Union.

Mongolia

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_mon	D7 Privatization of state property	[1] Party supports an expansive privatization of current state assets, manufactures and public services to promote market economy. [10] Party doesn't support privatization of current state assets and services.
d8_mon	D8- State role in mining sector	[1] Party advocates a greater state role in directing and managing the mining sector. [10] Party advocates a minimal state role in mining sector.

Mozambique

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_moz	D7 Center/Periphery	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery.</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery.</p>
d8_moz	D8 Support for the Rural Countryside or Urban Metropolitan Areas	<p>[1] Party advocates special material assistance and financial transfers to rural areas of the country.</p> <p>[10] Party advocates special material assistance and financial transfers to large metropolitan areas of the country.</p>
d9_moz	D9 Democracy and Its Alternatives	<p>[1] Party sees multi-party, competitive electoral democracy as the only game in town. It rejects any alternative to liberal democracy.</p> <p>[10] Party advocates virtues of non-democratic modes of governance, at least under certain conditions. Alternatives to liberal democracy are conceivable and may be desirable.</p>
d10_moz	D10 Fighting Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.</p>
d28	D28 Center-Periphery Relations	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p>

d31	D31 Democracy and Its Alternatives	<p>[1] Party sees multi-party, competitive electoral democracy as the only game in town. It rejects any alternative to liberal democracy.</p> <p>[10] Party advocates virtues of non-democratic modes of governance, at least under certain conditions. Alternatives to liberal democracy are conceivable and may be desirable.</p>
d44	D44 Fighting Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.</p>

Namibia

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d7_nam	D7 Ethnicity/Land Reform	<p>[1] Party advocates special material assistance and financial transfers to particular ethnic groups and/or rural constituencies as part of a land reform program..</p> <p>[10] Party presents itself as the political advocate of all ethnic groups in Namibia, and does not favor the provision of specific material or symbolic benefits for any one of them.</p>
d8_nam	D8 Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.</p>
d44	D44 Fighting Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.</p>

Netherlands

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d7_nld	D7 Immigration	[1] Party supports liberal and generous immigration from non-western countries. [10] Party advocates a full stop to immigration from non-western countries.
d8_nld	D8 The role of Islam in the society	[1] Party advocates toleration and social and political equality for the Islamic minority and opposes state policies that require the assimilation of this group to the majority national culture [10] Party believes that the defense and promotion of the majority national identity and culture at the expense of Islamic representation are important goals
d9_nld	D9 Military missions abroad	[1] Party opposes Dutch military involvement in international conflicts, even if it does not imply active combat [10] Party supports Dutch military involvement in international conflicts, even if it implies active combat

New Zealand

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d7_nzl	D7 Foreign Policy	<p>[1] Party supports the involvement of the New Zealand government in international political cooperation and global economic activities even if it reduces the country's national sovereignty.</p> <p>[10] Party supports involvement of the New Zealand government in international political cooperation and global economic activities only if the country's national sovereignty is not reduced.</p>
d8_nzl	D8 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living.</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living.</p>
d26	D26 Globalization	<p>[1] Party supports [Country's] involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities even if it reduces the country's national sovereignty.</p> <p>[10] Party supports [Country's] involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities only if the country's national sovereignty is not reduced.</p>
d45	D45 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living</p>

Nicaragua

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d7_nic	D7 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d8_nic	D8 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d9_nic	D9 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d10_nic	D10 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d11_nic	D11 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d12_nic	D12 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d13_nic	D13 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d14_nic	D14 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d15_nic	D15 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.

d16_nic	D16 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d17_nic	D17 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d18_nic	D18 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d19_nic	D19 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.
d20_nic	D20 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d24	D24 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d25	D25 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d27	D27 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [10] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d32	D32 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
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d34	D34 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values.
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d39	D39 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution.
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d40	D40 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution.
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d41	D41 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security.
		[10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d42	D42 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies.
		[10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d43	D43 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium.
		[10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.

Niger

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d7_ner	D7 Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing urgent policy problems</p>
d8_ner	D8 Decentralization	<p>[1] Party supports to increase transfer of administrative responsibilities and taxing powers to regions and municipalities under the decentralization program.</p> <p>[10] Party believes that the increasing transfer of administrative responsibilities and taxing powers to regions and municipalities is too dangerously weakening the central government.</p>
d29	D29 Decentralization	<p>[1] Party supports to increase transfer of administrative responsibilities and taxing powers to regions and municipalities under the decentralization program.</p> <p>[10] Party believes that the increasing transfer of administrative responsibilities and taxing powers to regions and municipalities is too dangerously weakening the central government.</p>
d44	D44 Fighting Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.</p>

Nigeria

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d7_nga	D7 The Niger Delta Conflict	<p>[1] Party is willing to grant the Niger Delta region control over a majority of the revenue earned from regional energy resources, especially if that means that a diplomatic solution to the Niger Delta conflict can be achieved.</p> <p>[10] Party does not want to grant the Niger Delta region any additional control of the revenue earned from regional oil resources, even if it means the continuation of civil conflict in the region.</p>
d8_nga	D8 Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.</p>
d9_nga	D9 Energy Policy	<p>[1] Party advocates a strong role for state intervention and regulation in solving Nigeria's crisis of energy provision.</p> <p>[10] Party advocates a minimal for the state and public sector in solving Nigeria's crisis of energy provision.</p>
d44	D44 Fighting Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.</p>

Norway

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d7_nor	D7 Center/Periphery	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery.</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery.</p>
d8_nor	D8 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living.</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living.</p>
d9_nor	D9 Globalization	<p>[1] Party supports Norwegian involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities even if it reduces the country's national sovereignty.</p> <p>[10] Party supports Norwegian involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities only if the country's national sovereignty is not reduced.</p>
d26	D26 Globalization	<p>[1] Party supports [Country's] involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities even if it reduces the country's national sovereignty.</p> <p>[10] Party supports [Country's] involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities only if the country's national sovereignty is not reduced.</p>
d28	D28 Center-Periphery Relations	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p>
d45	D45 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level</p>

of economic growth and standard of living

Pakistan

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d7_pak	D7 Militancy in North-western Pakistan	<p>[1] Party advocates negotiations and dialogue rather than the use of force against militants in Pakistan as a way to solving the current crisis of militancy.</p> <p>[10] Party advocates a comprehensive military offensive against militancy, including the right of pre-emptive strikes against militant targets.</p>
d8_pak	D8 Judicial Crisis	<p>[1] Party supports the complete restoration of the judiciary dismissed on November 3rd, 2007, including the Chief Justice, to the pre-November 3rd status-quo.</p> <p>[10] Party does not support the restoration of the deposed judiciary, including the Chief Justice, and holds the current Supreme Court/High Courts to be constitutional.</p>
d9_pak	D9 Kashmir and India	<p>[1] Party considers Kashmir to be an integral part of Pakistan and advocates comprehensive support to secessionist groups in Kashmir, at the risk of other facets of Pakistan's relationship with India, including the opening of regional trade relations.</p> <p>[10] Party advocates little or no support, diplomatic or otherwise, to the secessionist struggle in Kashmir, and emphasizes the importance of other facets of Pakistan's relationship with India, such as the opening of regional trade relations.</p>
d10_pak	D10 Relationship with United States and the War on Terror	<p>[1] Party advocates pulling out of military cooperation with the US on the War on Terror, reducing economic dependence on US aid, and curtailing the political, social and cultural influence of the US in Pakistan.</p> <p>[10] Party advocates closer ties with the US, including complete cooperation on the War on Terror, and stronger strategic, diplomatic, economic and cultural ties.</p>
d11_pak	D11 Federalism debate	<p>[1] Party advocates a strong centralized state structure, with all political, administrative and fiscal authority concentrated in the Centre.</p> <p>[10] Party emphasizes provincial autonomy and greater devolution of power to provincial governments by the centre.</p>

Panama

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d7_pan	D7 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d8_pan	D8 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d9_pan	D9 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d10_pan	D10 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
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d19_pan	D19 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.
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Paraguay

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d8_pry	D8 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d9_pry	D9 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d10_pry	D10 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d11_pry	D11 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
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d25	D25 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d27	D27 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [10] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d32	D32 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d33	D33 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric.

		[10] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d34	D34 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values.
		[10] Party supports conservative values.
d35	D35 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia.
		[10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d36	D36 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion.
		[10] Party opposes abortion.
d37	D37 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
		[10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d39	D39 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution.
		[10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d40	D40 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution.
		[10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d41	D41 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security.
		[10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d42	D42 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies.
		[10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d43	D43 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium.
		[10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.

Peru

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_per	D7 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d8_per	D8 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d9_per	D9 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d10_per	D10 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d11_per	D11 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d12_per	D12 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d13_per	D13 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d14_per	D14 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d15_per	D15 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.

d16_per	D16 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d17_per	D17 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d18_per	D18 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d19_per	D19 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.
d20_per	D20 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d24	D24 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d25	D25 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d27	D27 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [10] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d32	D32 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d33	D33 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric.

		[10] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d34	D34 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.
d35	D35 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d36	D36 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d37	D37 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d39	D39 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d40	D40 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d41	D41 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d42	D42 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d43	D43 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.

Poland

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_pol	D7 European Integration	<p>[1] Party supports further political integration of the European Union and Poland's leadership in that process.</p> <p>[10] Party sees European political integration as having gone too far and advocates Poland's leadership in reversing that process.</p>
d9_pol	D9 Role of the Church and religion in public life	<p>[1] Party supports the position that church should be completely separated from the state and should not interfere with politics.</p> <p>[10] Party supports the position that Church should exert influence over politics and state policies.</p>
d10_pol	D10 Communist Past	<p>[1] Party supports the position that individuals who were occupying high positions under the communism regime ('nomenklatura'), and also communist's security service agents should be now forbidden to occupy responsible state functions.</p> <p>[10] Party supports the position that it is of no interest what people who occupy public positions were doing during communism times - it is important what these people are doing now.</p>
d22	D22 European Integration	<p>[1] Party supports further political integration of the European Union and [Country's] leadership in that process.</p> <p>[10] Party sees European political integration as having gone too far and advocates [Country's] leadership in reversing that process.</p>

Portugal

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_prt	D7 European Integration	[1] Party supports further political integration of the European Union and Portugal's leadership in that process. [10] Party sees European political integration as having gone too far and advocates Portugal's leadership in reversing that process.
d8_prt	D8 Regionalization	[1] The party supports the political and administrative regionalization of the country. [10] The party opposes the political and administrative regionalization of the country.
d22	D22 European Integration	[1] Party supports further political integration of the European Union and [Country's] leadership in that process. [10] Party sees European political integration as having gone too far and advocates [Country's] leadership in reversing that process.

Romania

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_rom	D7 Democracy and Its Alternatives	<p>[1] Party sees multi-party, competitive electoral democracy as the “only game in town”. It rejects any alternative to liberal democracy.</p> <p>[10] Party advocates virtues of non-democratic modes of governance, at least under certain conditions. Alternatives to liberal democracy are conceivable and may be desirable.</p>
d8_rom	D8 Fighting corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.</p>
d9_rom	D9 European Integration	<p>[1] Party supports further political integration of the European Union and Romania's leadership in that process.</p> <p>[10] Party sees European political integration as having gone too far and advocates Romania's leadership in reversing that process.</p>
d22	D22 European Integration	<p>[1] Party supports further political integration of the European Union and [Country's] leadership in that process.</p> <p>[10] Party sees European political integration as having gone too far and advocates [Country's] leadership in reversing that process.</p>
d31	D31 Democracy and Its Alternatives	<p>[1] Party sees multi-party, competitive electoral democracy as the only game in town. It rejects any alternative to liberal democracy.</p> <p>[10] Party advocates virtues of non-democratic modes of governance, at least under certain conditions. Alternatives to liberal democracy are conceivable and may be desirable.</p>

d44	D44 Fighting Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.</p>
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Russia

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_rus	D7 Relationship with Western countries	[1] Party supports good relationships with the US and the European states in the sphere of foreign policy. [10] Party opposes good relationships with the US and the European states in the sphere of foreign policy.
d8_rus	D8 Migration Politics	[1] Party favors a less restrictive policy towards attracting migrant workers, even when they work without legal permission. [10] Party opposes a less restrictive policy towards attracting migrant workers.

Senegal

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_sen	D7 Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent problems.</p>
d8_sen	D8 Decentralization	<p>[1] Party supports to increase transfer of administrative responsibilities and taxing powers to regions and municipalities under the decentralization program.</p> <p>[10] Party believes that the increasing transfer of administrative responsibilities and taxing powers to regions and municipalities is too dangerously weakening the central government.</p>
d29	D29 Decentralization	<p>[1] Party supports to increase transfer of administrative responsibilities and taxing powers to regions and municipalities under the decentralization program.</p> <p>[10] Party believes that the increasing transfer of administrative responsibilities and taxing powers to regions and municipalities is too dangerously weakening the central government.</p>
d44	D44 Fighting Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.</p>

Serbia

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_yug	D7 Kosovo	[1] Party opposes the independence of Kosovo and Metohije. [10] Party supports the independence of Kosovo and Metohije.

Slovakia

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_svk	D7 European Integration / Lisbon Treaty	[1] The party unilaterally supports the current version of European integration as formulated in the Lisbon Treaty. [10] The party is unilaterally against the current version of European integration as formulated in the Lisbon Treaty.
d8_svk	D8 Independence of Kosovo	[1] The party unilaterally supports the recognition of Kosovo as an independent state. [10] The party is unilaterally against the recognition of Kosovo as an independent state.
d9_svk	D9 Private Subjects in Health and Pension Systems	[1] The party unilaterally supports the existence of private (economic) subjects in health and pension systems. [10] The party is unilaterally against the existence of private (economic) subjects in health and pension systems.

South Africa

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_zaf	D7 Center/Periphery	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to provinces and municipalities in the periphery.</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to provinces and municipalities in the periphery.</p>
d8_zaf	D8 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living.</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living.</p>
d9_zaf	D9 Globalization	<p>[1] Party supports South African involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities even if it reduces the country's national sovereignty.</p> <p>[10] Party supports South African involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities only if the country's national sovereignty is not reduced.</p>
d26	D26 Globalization	<p>[1] Party supports [Country's] involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities even if it reduces the country's national sovereignty.</p> <p>[10] Party supports [Country's] involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities only if the country's national sovereignty is not reduced.</p>
d28	D28 Center-Periphery Relations	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p>
d45	D45 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level</p>

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South Korea

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_kor	D7 Inter-Korean and international relationship	<p>[1] This party is very active in developing relationship with North Korea and pursues equal-distance, independent relationship with neighboring countries.</p> <p>[10] This party is very passive in developing relationship with North Korea and supports the existing friendly relationship among Korea-US-Japan.</p>
d8_kor	D8 Reform of Industrial Structure	<p>[1] This party seeks to reconstruct the existing Chaebol-centered industrial structure into a new structure consisting of large corporations that specialize in a few areas on the one hand and small and medium sized firms on the other.</p> <p>[10] This party supports the existing Chaebol-centered industrial structure.</p>

Spain

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_esp	D7 Nation and nationalities	<p>[1] The party considers that Spain is formed by one nation and that the historic and cultural peculiarities of its different regions cannot change this fact neither they can threaten the unity of the country, protected in the Spanish Constitution o</p> <p>[10] The party considers that in Spain there are different identities and national realities and promotes institutional changes that mirror this pluralism.</p>
d8_esp	D8 Territorial power distribution and decentralization	<p>[1] The party supports to transfer more power and resources from the central government to the autonomous communities.</p> <p>[10] The party opposes to transfer more power and resources from the central government to the autonomous communities.</p>
d9_esp	D9 Antiterrorist policy	<p>[1] The party does not consider political measures (no judicial nor police measures) in the fight against ETA's terrorism.</p> <p>[10] The party does consider political measures (no judicial nor police measures) in the fight against ETA's terrorism.</p>

Sweden

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_swe	D7-Center/Periphery	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery.</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery.</p>
d8_swe	D8 -Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living.</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living.</p>
d9_swe	D9 Globalization	<p>[1] Party supports Swedish involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities even if it reduces the country's national sovereignty.</p> <p>[10] Party supports Swedish involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities only if the country's national sovereignty is not reduced.</p>
d26	D26 Globalization	<p>[1] Party supports [Country's] involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities even if it reduces the country's national sovereignty.</p> <p>[10] Party supports [Country's] involvement in international political cooperation and global economic activities only if the country's national sovereignty is not reduced.</p>
d28	D28 Center-Periphery Relations	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p>
d45	D45 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level</p>

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Switzerland

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_che	D7 EU membership	<p>[1] Party supports Switzerland's membership in the EU</p> <p>[10] Party rejects Switzerland's membership in the EU</p>
d8_che	D8 EU integration	<p>[1] Party supports a deepening of political and economic cooperation with the European Union</p> <p>[10] Party sees Switzerland's political and economic cooperation with the European Union as having gone too far and advocates reversing that process</p>
d9_che	D9 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth</p>
d30	D30 Cooperation with EU	<p>[1] Party supports a deepening of political and economic cooperation with the European Union.</p> <p>[10] Party sees [Country's] political and economic cooperation with the European Union as having gone too far and advocates reversing that process.</p>

Taiwan

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_twn	D7 Relations between Taiwan and China	<p>[1] Taking its overall policy positions and ideology into account, party is best considered as a supporter of the unification of Taiwan with Mainland China.</p> <p>[10] Taking its overall policy positions and ideology into account, party is best considered as a supporter of Taiwan independence.</p>
d8_twn	D8 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living.</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living.</p>
d45	D45 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living</p>

Thailand

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_tha	D7 Center-Periphery Relations	[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery. [10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery.
d8_tha	D8 Free Trade	[1] Party supported U.S-Thailand Free Trade Agreement. [10] Party opposed U.S-Thailand Free Trade Agreement.
d9_tha	D9 Conflict in the far South	[1] Party supports total repression in resolving the conflict in the far South. [10] Party supports the solution to the problem in the far South which grants some autonomy to some parts of the region.
d28	D28 Center-Periphery Relations	[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery [10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery

UK

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_gbr	D7 Center/Periphery	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery.</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery.</p>
d8_gbr	D8 Environmental protection and growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living.</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living.</p>
d9_gbr	D9 European Integration	<p>[1] Party supports processes of further European integration.</p> <p>[10] Party opposes processes of further European integration.</p>
d28	D28 Center-Periphery Relations	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p>
d45	D45 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living</p>

Ukraine

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_ukr	D7 Centre-periphery relations	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery.</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery.</p>
d8_ukr	D8 State Language	<p>[1] Party supports Russian language as an official second language.</p> <p>[10] Party opposes Russian language as an official second language.</p>
d9_ukr	D9 Foreign and economic policy	<p>[1] Party supports cooperation with the EU and the US and strong ties with the West.</p> <p>[10] Party opposes cooperation with the EU and the US and strong ties with the West.</p>
d10_ukr	D10 Fighting Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent problems.</p>
d28	D28 Center-Periphery Relations	<p>[1] Party supports increasing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing economic transfers from central government to counties and municipalities in the periphery</p>
d44	D44 Fighting Corruption	<p>[1] Party attributes priority to fighting corruption among civil servants and elected politicians. Unless the government tackles corruption, it is not worth much to pursue other policy objectives.</p> <p>[10] Party attributes greater priority to other social, economic, or institutional reforms than fighting corruption. It sees a danger that too much effort devoted to fighting</p>

corruption may drain away resources and attention from addressing other urgent policy problems.

Uruguay

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_ury	D7 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d8_ury	D8 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d9_ury	D9 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d10_ury	D10 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d11_ury	D11 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d12_ury	D12 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d13_ury	D13 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d14_ury	D14 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d15_ury	D15 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.

d16_ury	D16 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d17_ury	D17 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d18_ury	D18 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d19_ury	D19 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.
d20_ury	D20 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d24	D24 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d25	D25 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d27	D27 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [10] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d32	D32 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d33	D33 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric.

		[10] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d34	D34 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values.
		[10] Party supports conservative values.
d35	D35 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia.
		[10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d36	D36 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion.
		[10] Party opposes abortion.
d37	D37 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
		[10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d39	D39 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution.
		[10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d40	D40 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution.
		[10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d41	D41 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security.
		[10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d42	D42 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies.
		[10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d43	D43 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium.
		[10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.

USA

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_usa	D7-Center/Periphery	<p>[1] Party supports increasing the role of the federal government in policy-making and spending on the state and county level.</p> <p>[10] Party supports reducing the role of the federal government in policy-making and spending on the state and county level.</p>
d8_usa	D8 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living.</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level of economic growth and standard of living.</p>
d9_usa	D9 Trade	<p>[1] Party opposes further trade liberalization and supports trade protection for national industries.</p> <p>[10] Party supports increased and unconditional trade liberalization, while opposing the idea of any special government support for national industries.</p>
d10_usa	D10 Immigration	<p>[1] Party supports easing hurdles to immigration and envisions a general amnesty for illegal immigrants.</p> <p>[10] Party supports a reduction and tight regulation of immigration, as well as increased sanctions for illegal aliens.</p>
d11_usa	D11 Religion	<p>[1] Party supports a strict separation of church and state and opposes religious education and school prayer in public schools.</p> <p>[10] Party supports a stronger role of religion in politics and is in favor of school prayer and a better public education in religious values.</p>
d45	D45 Environmental Protection and Growth	<p>[1] Party supports protection of the environment even if it results in lower level of economic growth and a reduced standard of living</p> <p>[10] Party supports protection of the environment only if it does not reduce the level</p>

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Venezuela

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_ven	D7 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d8_ven	D8 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [11] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d9_ven	D9 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d10_ven	D10 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d11_ven	D11 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution. [10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d12_ven	D12 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security. [10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d13_ven	D13 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies. [10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d14_ven	D14 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d15_ven	D15 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values. [10] Party supports conservative values.

d16_ven	D16 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d17_ven	D17 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies. [10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d18_ven	D18 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia. [10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d19_ven	D19 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium. [10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.
d20_ven	D20 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion. [10] Party opposes abortion.
d24	D24 Local/regional trade agreements vs. NAFTA/Trade with U.S.	[1] Party supports local/regional trade agreements. [10] Party supports trade within NAFTA or with U.S.
d25	D25 Economic protectionism vs. Openness and economic integration	[1] Party supports economic protectionism. [10] Party supports openness and economic integration.
d27	D27 Politicians' use of anti-U.S. rhetoric	[1] Party uses anti-U.S. rhetoric. [10] Party doesn't use anti-U.S. rhetoric.
d32	D32 Value of Democracy	[1] Party values democracy according to substantive accomplishments. [10] Party values democracy independently of substantive accomplishments.
d33	D33 Nationalism	[1] Party uses nationalist rhetoric.

		[10] Party doesn't use nationalist rhetoric.
d34	D34 Liberal vs. Conservative values	[1] Party supports liberal values.
		[10] Party supports conservative values.
d35	D35 Euthanasia	[1] Party supports euthanasia.
		[10] Party opposes euthanasia.
d36	D36 Abortion	[1] Party is in favor of abortion.
		[10] Party opposes abortion.
d37	D37 Liberalization vs. State-owned enterprises	[1] Party supports liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
		[10] Party opposes liberalization of state-owned monopolies.
d39	D39 Economic growth vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports Economic growth at the expense of redistribution.
		[10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of economic growth.
d40	D40 Poverty reduction vs. Income redistribution	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of income redistribution.
		[10] Party supports income redistribution at the expense of poverty reduction.
d41	D41 Poverty reduction vs. Citizen security and safety	[1] Party supports poverty reduction at the expense of citizen security.
		[10] Party supports citizen security at the expense of poverty reduction.
d42	D42 Taxes vs. Social policies	[1] Party supports lower taxes at the expense of social policies.
		[10] Party supports social policies, even when this leads to higher taxes.
d43	D43 Social policies vs. Macro-economic equilibrium	[1] Party is in favor of social policies at the expense of achieving macro-economic equilibrium.
		[10] Party is in favor of macro-economic equilibrium at the expense of social policy provision.

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Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
d7_zmb	D7 Reform of the Constitution	<p>[1] Party advocates a wide-reaching reform of the constitution that deviates from the current status quo, if possible through a Constituent Assembly.</p> <p>[10] Party advocates to keep the status quo and opposes any wide-reaching constitutional amendment or reform.</p>
d8_zmb	D8 Corruption	<p>[1] Party has an extensive and detailed program to fight corruption and strongly emphasizes the importance of this policy issue.</p> <p>[10] Party favors other policies over the fight on corruption and has no clear proposal that specifically outlines an anti-corruption strategy.</p>
d9_zmb	D9 Poverty Reduction	<p>[1] Party has a clear poverty reduction strategy that deals with health, food security and rural infrastructure development issues.</p> <p>[10] Party has no or only a very rudimentary program that outlines a poverty reduction strategy with regard to health, food security and rural infrastructure development.</p>

Part E: Generalized Comparison of Modes of Party Competition

Variable	Question / Label	Value Label
e1	To what extent do parties seek to mobilize electoral support by featuring a party leader's charismatic personality?	[1] Very little/Not at all [2] To a rather limited extent [3] Quite vigorously [4] Very strongly [99] Don't know
e2	Please indicate the extent to which parties seek to mobilize electoral support by emphasizing the attractiveness of the party's positions on policy issues.	[1] Not at all [2] To a small extent [3] To a moderate extent [4] To a great extent [99] Don't know
e3	Please indicate the extent to which parties seek to mobilize electoral support by emphasizing the capacity of the party to deliver targeted material benefits to its electoral supporters.	[1] Not at all [2] To a small extent [3] To a moderate extent [4] To a great extent [99] Don't know
e4	Please indicate the extent to which parties draw on and appeal to voters' long-term partisan loyalty ("party identification"). Parties may invoke their historical origins or the achievements of historical leaders. They may feature party symbols and rituals to reinvigorate party identification.	[1] Not at all [2] To a small extent [3] To a moderate extent [4] To a great extent [99] Don't know
e5	Please indicate the extent to which parties seek to mobilize electoral support by emphasizing their general competence to govern and bring about or maintain economic, social and political stability.	[1] Not at all [2] To a small extent [3] To a moderate extent [4] To a great extent [99] Don't know
e1_sd – e5_sd		Standard deviation of e1-e5

e1_ct –
e5_ct

Number of non-missing responses of e1-e5

