

# Codebook

## 2002 Chapel Hill Expert Survey

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The *2002\_CHES\_dataset\_means.dta* dataset provides data on party positioning on European integration for 171 parties in 14 EU member states (not Luxembourg) and nine prospective EU member states (Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, and Slovenia). The survey was administered between September 2002 and April 2003 to 636 academics specializing in political parties or European integration in one of the countries considered. Two-hundred-thirty-eight surveys were completed, which amounts to a 37 percent response rate.

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This survey follows up on and complements earlier surveys conducted by Leonard Ray (1999) for the years 1984, 1988, 1992 and 1996, and by Gary Marks and Marco Steenbergen (2007) for 1999. The 1984-1999 dataset is available from <http://www.unc.edu/~gwmmarks>.

To facilitate merging the 2002 dataset with the combined Ray/Marks/Steenbergen dataset we made party id, party labels, and variable names for identical questions consistent across datasets. Where questions are not identical we use different variable names across datasets.

This codebook should be read with the *2002\_CHES\_dataset\_means.dta* STATA data file. Please consult the two survey questionnaires—one for the EU-15 and one for Central and Eastern European countries—for full question format.

\*In papers or publications that utilize this dataset users are asked to refer to the dataset as the *2002 Chapel Hill expert survey* and cite documentation as follows:

Liesbet Hooghe, Ryan Bakker, Anna Brigeovich, Catherine de Vries, Erica Edwards, Gary Marks, Jan Rovny, Marco Steenbergen (2010), "Reliability and validity of the 2002 and 2006 Chapel Hill expert surveys on party positioning", *European Journal of Political Research* 49: 687-703.

EASTWEST = 0: party from Central/Eastern Europe, 1: party from EU-15

EUMEMBER = 0: country of this party not an EU member in 2002, 1: country of this party an EU member in 2002

COUNTRY = unique identifier for each country

<b>Country Codes</b>	<b>Country Abbreviation</b>	<b>Countries</b>
1	BE	Belgium
2	DK	Denmark
3	GE	Germany
4	GR	Greece
5	ESP	Spain
6	FR	France
7	IRL	Ireland
8	IT	Italy
10	NL	Netherlands
11	UK	United Kingdom
12	POR	Portugal
13	AUS	Austria
14	FIN	Finland
16	SV	Sweden
20	BUL	Bulgaria
21	CZECH	Czech Republic
23	HUNG	Hungary
24	LAT	Latvia
25	LITH	Lithuania
26	POL	Poland
27	ROM	Romania
28	SLOVAK	Slovakia
29	SLOVEN	Slovenia

EXPERT = number of experts who evaluated this party

YEAR = year for which party experts were asked to evaluate: 2002

PARTY\_ID = unique identifier for each party

PARTY = party abbreviation

PARTYNAME1 = party name

PARTYNAME2 = English translation of party name

COUNTRY	PARTY ID	PARTY	PARTYNAME1	PARTYNAME2
BE	102	PS	Parti Socialiste	Socialist Party (Walloon)
	103	SP.A.	Sociaal Progressief Alternatief	Socialist Party (Flemish)
	104	ECOLO	Ecolo	Ecolo (ecologist)
	105	AGALEV	Agalev	Agalev (ecologist)
	106	MR	Mouvement Réformateur	Reformist Movement
	107	VLD	Vlaamse Liberalen en Democraten	Flemish Liberals and Democrats
	108	CDH	Centre Démocrate Humaniste	Christian Social Party
	109	CD&V	Christen-Democratisch & Vlaams	Christian People's Party
	110	NVA	Nieuw-Vlaamse Alliantie	New Flemish Alliance
	112	VB	Vlaams Blok	Flemish Block
	DK	201	SD	Socialdemokratiet i Danmark
202		RV	Radikale Venstre	Radical Left-Social Liberal Party
203		KF	Konservative Folkeparti	Conservative People's Party
206		SF	Socialistisk Folkeparti	Socialist People's Party
211		V	Venstre, Danmarks liberale parti	Left, Liberal Party of Denmark
215		DF	Dansk Folkeparti	Danish People's Party
GE	301	CDU	Christlich-Demokratische Union	Christian-Democratic Union
	302	SPD	Socialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands	Social Democratic Party of Germany
	303	FDP	Freie Demokratische Partei	Free Democratic Party
	304	Grünen	Bündnis 90/Die Grünen	Alliance 90/The Greens
	306	PDS	Partei des Demokratischen Sozialismus	Party of Democratic Socialism
	308	CSU	Christlich Soziale Union in Bayern	Christian Social Union in Bavaria
GR	401	PASOK	Panellinio Sosialistikó Kínima	Pan-Hellenic Socialist Movement
	402	ND	Néa Dimokratía	New Democracy
	403	SYN	Synaspismós tīs Aristerás kai tīs Proódou	Coalition of the Left and Progress
	404	KKE	Kommounistikó Kómma Elládas	Communist Party of Greece
ESP	501	PSOE	Partido Socialista Obrero Español/Progresistas	Spanish Socialist Workers' Party
	502	PP	Partido Popular	People's Party
	504	IU	Izquierda Unida	United Left
	505	CiU	Convergència i Unió	Convergence and Union
	506	PNV	Euzko Alberdi Jeltzalea/Partido Nacionalista Vasco	Basque Nationalist Party
	507	EA	Eusko Alkartasuna	Basque Solidarity
	513	BNG	Bloque Nacionalista Galego	Galician Nationalist Block
	516	PA	Partido Andalucista	Andalusian Party
FR	517	CC	Coalicion Canaria	Canarian Coalition
	601	PCF	Parti Communiste Français	French Communist Party
	602	PS	Parti Socialiste	Socialist Party
	603	PRG	Parti Radical de Gauche	Left Radical Party
	605	VERTS	Les Verts	The Greens
	609	RPR	Rassemblement pour la République	Rally for the Republic
	610	FN	Front National	National Front
	613	UDF	Union pour la Démocracie Française	Union for the French Democracy
	615	DL	Démocratie Libérale	Liberal Democracy

IRL	701	FF	Fianna Fail	Soldiers of Destiny
	702	FG	Fine Gael	Family of the Irish
	703	Lab	Pairti Lucht Oibre	Labour Party
	705	GP	Comhaontas Glas	Green Party
	706	PD	Dan Pairti Daonlathach	Progressive Democrats
	707	SF	Sinn Fein	We Ourselves
	IT	802	DS	Democratici di Sinistra
803		RC	Rifondazione Comunista	Communist Refoundation
805		AN	Alleanza Nazionale	National Alliance
811		LN	Lega Nord	League North/Northern League
814		CCD	Centro Cristiano Democratico	Christian Democratic Center
815		FI	Forza Italia	Forwards Italy
818		CDU	Cristiani Democratici Uniti	United Christian Democrats
819		Dem	Democratici	Democrats
823		PPI	Partito Popolare Italiano	Italian People's Party
825		RI	Rinnovamento Italiano (Lista Dini)	Italian Renewal (List Dini)
828		IdV	Lista di Pietro-Italia dei Valori	List Di Pietro-Italy of Values
829		UDEUR	Unione Democratici per l'Europa	Democrats Union for Europe
NL		1001	CDA	Christen Democratisch Appel
	1002	PvdA	Partij van de Arbeid	Labor Party
	1003	VVD	Volkspartij voor Vrijheid en Democratie	People's Party for Freedom and Democracy
	1004	D66	Democraten 66	Democrats 66
	1005	GL	Groen Links	Green Left
	1006	SGP	Staatkundig Gereformeerde Partij	Political Reformed Party
	1014	SP	Socialistische Partij	Socialist Party
	1015	LPF	Lijst Pim Fortuyn	List Pim Fortuyn
	1016	CU	ChristenUnie	Christian Union
	UK	1101	Cons	Conservative Party
1102		Lab	Labour Party	Labour Party
1104		LibDem	Liberal Democrats	Liberal Democrats
1105		SNP	Scottish National Party	Scottish National Party
1106		Plaid	Plaid Cymru	Party of Wales
POR		1201	CDU	Coligação Democrática Unitária
	1202	CDS/PP	Centro Democrático e Social/ Partido Popular	Democratic and Social Center/People's Party
	1205	PS	Partido Socialista	Socialist Party
	1206	PPD/PSD	Partido Popular Democrático/Partido Social Democrata	Democratic People's Party/ Social Democratic Party
	AUS	1301	SPO	Sozialdemokratische Partei Österreichs
1302		OVP	Österreichische Volkspartei	Austrian People's Party
1303		FPO	Freiheitliche Partei Österreichs	Freedom Party of Austria
1304		Grüne	Die Grünen	The Greens
1306		LIF	Liberales Forum	Liberal Forum
FIN	1401	SDP	Suomen Sosialidemokraattinen Puolue	Social Democratic Party of Finland
	1402	KOK	Kansallinen Kokoomus	National Rally
	1403	KESK	Suomen Keskusta	Finnish Center
	1404	VAS	Vasemmistoliitto	Left Alliance
	1406	RKP/SFP	Ruotsalainen kansanpuolue/ Svenska	Swedish People's Party







Entries for the questions on the pages that follow are, unless otherwise indicated, the mean of expert responses for a particular party.

POSITION = overall orientation of the party leadership towards European integration in 2002 (Q1 of the party survey)

- 1 = Strongly opposed to European integration
- 2 = Opposed to European integration
- 3 = Somewhat opposed to European integration
- 4 = Neutral, no stance on the issue of European integration
- 5 = Somewhat in favor of European integration
- 6 = In favor of European integration.
- 7 = Strongly in favor of European Integration

STD\_POSITION = standard deviation among experts placing this party on position (Q1).

PRO\_ANTI = EU position (Q1) recoded into trichotomous variable

- 1 = anti European integration (3.5 or less on Q1)
- 2 = neutral on European integration (between 3.51 and 4.5 on Q1)
- 3 = pro European integration (4.51 or higher on Q1)

SALIENCE2 = the relative importance of this issue in the party's public stance in 2002 (Q2)

- 1 = European integration is of no importance at all
- 2 = European integration is of little importance
- 3 = European integration is of some importance
- 4 = European integration is of great importance

EP = position of the party leadership in 2002 on strengthening the powers of the European Parliament (Q3)

- 1 = strongly opposes expanding EP powers
- 2 = opposes expanding EP powers
- 3 = somewhat opposed to expanding EP powers
- 4 = neutral towards expanding EP powers
- 5 = somewhat in favor of expanding EP powers
- 6 = favors expanding EP powers
- 7 = strongly favors expanding EP powers
- 8 = party has not taken a position (coded as missing)

INTMARK = position of the party leadership in 2002 on the internal market (Q4)

- 1 = strongly opposes expanding EU powers on the internal market
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- 7 = strongly favors expanding EU powers on the internal market
- 8 = party has not taken a position (coded as missing)

EMPLOY = position of the party leadership in 2002 on EU employment policy (Q5)

- 1 = strongly opposes EU employment policy
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- 7 = strongly favors a common employment policy
- 8 = party has not taken a position (coded as missing)







