

Online Supplemental Materials

Appendix 1: Detailed country-level data

Country	Self-rule	Regional economic disparity	Regional minority (EPR dataset)	% of pop.	Names of minorities	Regionalist parties in Benoit and Laver survey	(Weighted) mean economic position	(Weighted) mean cultural position
Australia	12.9	0.148	No					
Austria	12	0.227	Yes	0.01	Slovenes			
Belgium	22	0.406	Yes	0.41	Walloons, Germans	Flemish Interest/Bloc, New Flemish Alliance	6.73	8.74
Bulgaria	1	0.263	Yes	0.094	Turkish	Movement for Rights and Freedoms	4.69	5.50
Canada	17.7	0.244	Yes	0.258	French speakers, aboriginal peoples	Bloq Québécois	3.12	2.21
Croatia	9	0.251	No			Istrian Democratic Union	6.23	2.54
Czech Republic	7	0.434	No					
Denmark	10.1	0.198	No					
Estonia	0	0	No			Constitution Party	3.55	6.32
Finland	7.1	0.269	Yes	0.06	Swedes	Swedish Peoples's Party	6.27	2.94
France	16	0.223	Yes	0.017	Basques, Corsicans			
Germany	20.4	0.240	No					
Greece	10	0.158	Yes	0.01	Muslims			
Hungary	10	0.399	No					
Ireland	6	0.349	No					
Italy	21	0.249	No			Lega Nord	7.4	8.45
Japan	10	0.119	Yes	0.008	Okinawans			

Latvia	0	0	Yes	0.039	Byelorussians	People's Harmony/Harmony Centre	3.36	5.00
Lithuania	4	0	Yes	0.067	Poles			
Netherlands	8	0.175	No					
Norway	10	0.223	No					
Poland	8	0.226	Yes	0.002	Byelorussians			
Portugal	3.5	0.221	No					
Romania	11	0.400	Yes	0.066	Hungarians	Hungarian Democratic Union of Romania	5.43	3.54
Slovakia	6	0.594	Yes	0.101	Hungarians	Party of the Hungarian Coalition	6.38	7.37
Slovenia	0	0.249	No					
Spain	19.1	0.203	Yes	0.283	Catalans, Basques, Galicians	Convergence and Unity, Basque National Party	5.69	6.13
Sweden	10	0.176	No					
Switzerland	15	0.221	Yes	0.245	French, Italians			
United Kingdom	9.3	0.364	Yes	0.124	Scots, Welsh	Plaid Cymru, Scottish National Party	2.54	3.66
United States	17.5	0.359	Yes	0.1318	African Americans, American Indians			

Note: Self-rule measure for 2002-3 from Marks et al. (2010). Regional economic disparity is the coefficient of variation of regional per capita GDP, calculated by the authors from information in Eurostat (2012) and OECD (2012). 'Regionally-based minority?' is 'Yes' if the country has a politically relevant minority group that is wholly or partly regionally based, as defined in the EPR dataset (Cederman et al. 2009), 'No' if not. Information from Cederman et al. 2009 and Wucherpfenning 2010. See text for coding details on regionalist parties and their economic and cultural positions.

Appendix 2: Parties included (31 countries)

Country	Party	Full name
Australia	ALP	Australian Labor Party
	ON	Pauline Hanson's One Nation
	LPA	Liberal Party of Australia
	NP	National Party of Australia
	GRN	Australian Greens
	AD	Australian Democrats
Austria	OeVP	Austrian People's Party
	Grüne	The Greens
	FPOe	Freedom Party of Austria
	SPOe	Austrian Social Democratic Party
Belgium	Gro!	Groen!
	FN	National Front
	PS	Socialist Party
	VLD	Flemish Liberals and Democrats
	Eco	Ecolo
	SPSp	SP.A-Spirit
	MR	Reformist Movement
	CDH	Humanist Democratic Centre
CD&V	Christian Democratic & Flemish	
Bulgaria	BKP	Bulgarian Communist Party
	BSDP	Bulgarian social-democratic party
	ODS	Union of Democratic Forces
	BZNS	Bulgarian Agricultural National Union
	NDST	National movement 'Simeon II'
	G	St. George Day Movement
	BNDP	Bulgarian national democratic party
	BSP	Bulgarian Socialist Party
	BBB	Bulgarian Business Bloc
	VMRO	VMRO - Bulgarian National Movement
Canada	CA	Canadian Alliance
	PC	Progressive Conservative Party of Canada
	GPC	Green Party of Canada
	NDP	New Democratic Party
	LPC	Liberal Party of Canada
Croatia	LS	Liberal Party
	HNS	Croatian People's Party
	HB	Croatian Block

	DC	Democratic Center
	HSS	Croatian Peasant Party
	HSLŠ	Croatian Social Liberal Party
	LIBRA	Party of Liberal Democrats (Libra)
	HSP	Croatian Rights Party
	HDZ	Croatian Democratic Community
	SDP	Social Democratic Party of Croatia
Czech Republic	US	Freedom Union-Democratic Union
	ODS	Civic Democratic Party
	CSSD	Czech Social Democratic Party
	SNK	Association of Independents
	KDU	Christian and Democratic Union-Czechoslovak People
	MDS	Moravian Democratic Party
	SZ	Green Party
	RMS	Republicans of Miroslav Sladek
	NKL	National Conservative League (Illegal)
	SZJ	Party for Security in Life
	KSCM	Communist Party of Bohemia and Moravia
Denmark	V	Venstre, Danmarks liberale parti
	KF	Konservative Folkeparti
	SF	Socialistisk Folkeparti
	Enh	Enhedslisten
	DF	Dansk Folkeparti
	RV	Radikale Venstre
	KrF	Kristeligt Folkeparti
	CD	Centrumdemokraterne
	FrP	Fremskridtspartiet
	SD	Socialdemokratiet i Danmark
Estonia	Isam	Erakond Isamaaliit
	Kesk	Eesti Keskerakond
	ResP	Ühendus Vabariigi Eest - Res Publica
	RL	Eestimaa Rahvaliid
	EKRP	Eesti Kristlik Rahvapartei
	ESDTP	Eesti Sotsiaaldemokraatlik Tööpartei
	Mõõd	Rahvaerakond Mõõdukad
	Ref	Eesti Reformierakond
Finland	KESK	Suomen Keskusta
	KD	Suomen Kristillisdemokraatit
	SDP	Suomen Sosialidemokraattinen Puolue
	VIHR	Vihreä Liitto
	PS	Perussuomalaiset

	Kok.	Kansallinen Kokoomus
	VAS	Vasemmistoliitto
France	RPF	Rassemblement pour la France
	RPR	Rassemblement pour la Republique
	MPF	Mouvement pour la France
	FN	Front National
	PS	Parti Socialiste
	UDF	Union pour la Democratie Francaise
	V	Les Verts
	PCF	Parti Communiste Francais
Germany	FDP	Free Democratic Party
	Schill	Partei Rechtsstaatlicher Offensive
	Rep	Republicans
	GRÜ	Green Party
	SPD	Social Democratic Party of Germany
	DKP	German Communist Party
	NPD	National Democratic Party
	DVU	German People's Union
	PDS	Party of Democratic Socialism
	CDU/CSU	Christian Democratic Union/Christian Social Union
Greece	ND	Nea Dimokratia
	KKE	Kommunistiko Koma Ellados
	SYN	Synaspismos
	PASOK	Panellinio Sosialistiko Kinima
Hungary	FIDESZ	Fidesz – Hungarian Civic Party
	CENTRUM	Center Party
	MDF	Hungarian Democratic Forum
	MUNKÁS	Workers' Party
	FKGP	Independent Smallholders' Party
	SZDSZ	Alliance of Free Democrats
	MIÉP	Hungarian Justice and Life Party
	MSZP	Hungarian Socialist Party
Ireland	SF	Sinn Féin
	LB	Labour
	FF	Fianna Fáil
	Greens	Greens
	FG	Fine Gael
	PD	Progressive Democrats
Italy	Green	Federazione dei Verdi

	RC	Rifondazione Comunista
	Finland	Forza Italia
	SDI	Socialisti Democratici Italiani
	Marg	La Margherita
	MSFT	Movimento Sociale Fiamma Tricolore
	Pann	Lista Pannella Bonino
	PDCI	Partito dei Comunisti Italiani
	It.Val.	Lista di Pietro Italia dei Valori
	DS	Democratici di Sinistra
	AN	Alleanza Nazionale
	UDC	Unione di Centro
Japan	JCP	Japan Communist Party
	NCP	New Conservative Party
	Kom.	Komeito
	DP	Democratic Party
	LDP	Liberal Democratic Party
	SDP	Social Democratic Party
Latvia	PCTVL	For Human Rights in a United Latvia
	TP	People's Party
	LPP	Latvia's First Party
	JL	New Era
	TB/LNNK	Alliance Fatherland and Freedom-LNNK
	ZZS	Green and Farmers Union
Lithuania	LiCS	Union of Liberals and Center
	NS/SL	New Union- Social Liberals
	LSDP	Lithuanian Social Democratic Party
	VNDPS	Union of Peasant and New Democracy Parties
	TS	Homeland Union (Conservatives, Christian Democrats, Freedom Fighters)
	LDP	Liberal Democratic Party
	LKD	Lithuanian Christian Democrats
	LKDS	Union of Lithuanian Christian Democrats
Netherlands	D66	Democraten 66
	LPF	Lijst Pim Fortuyn
	VVD	Volkspartij voor Vrijheid en Democratie
	CU	ChristenUnie
	CDA	Christen Democratisch Appel
	SGP	Staatkundig Gereformeerde Partij
	SP	Socialistische Partij
	GL	Groen Links
	PvdA	Partij van de Arbeid

Norway	H	Høyre
	SV	Sosialistisk Venstreparti
	Sp	Senterpartiet
	FrP	Fremskrittspartiet
	V	Venstre
	KrF	Kristelig Folkeparti
	DNA	Det Norske Arbeiderparti
	RV	Rød Valgallianse
Poland	UPR	Union for Real Politics
	UP	Labour Union
	UW	Freedom Union
	PSL	Polish Peasant Party
	PO	Citizens' Platform
	SLD	Alliance of Democratic Left
	LPR	League of Polish Families
	S	Self Defence of the Polish Republic
	PiS	Law and Justice
	AWS	Solidarity Election Action
Portugal	CDS/PP	People's Party
	BE	Left Block
	PEV	Ecology Party- Greens
	PS	Socialist Party
	PCP	Portuguese Communist Party
	PSD	Social Democratic Party
Romania	PRM	Great Romania Party
	PUR	Humanist Party of Romania
	PD	Democrat Party
	PNL	National Liberal Party
	PSD	Social Democratic Party
	PNTCD	Christian Democratuc National Peasants's Party
Slovakia	Smer	Party Direction - Third Way
	ANO	New Civic Alliance
	SNS	Slovak National Party
	LU	People's Union
	KDH	Christian Democratic Movement
	SKDU	Slovak Democratic and Christian Union
	SDA	Social-Democratic Alternative
	OKS	Civic Conservative Party
	HZDS	Movement for a Democratic Slovakia
	KSS	Slovak Communist Party

	SDL' RPS	Party of Democratic Left
Slovenia	NSi ZLSD SNS SMS LDS SLS DeSUS SDS	Nova Slovenija – krščanska ljudska stranka Združena Lista Socialnih Demokratov Slovenska Nacionalna Stranka Stranka Mladih Slovenije Liberalna Demokracija Slovenije Slovenska Ljudska Stranka Demokratska Stranka Upokojencev Slovenije Socialdemokratska Stranka Slovenije
Spain	PP IU PSOE	Partido Popular Izquierda Unida Partido Socialista Obrero Español
Sweden	M V KD MP C FP SAP	Moderata Samlingspartiet Vänsterpartiet Kristdemokraterna Miljöpartiet de Gröna Centerpartiet Folkpartiet Liberalerna Socialdemokratiska Arbetarepartiet
Switzerland	SD FDP LPS SVP PdA SPS EVP CVP GPS EDU	Schweizer Demokraten Freisinnig-Demokratische Partei der Schweiz Liberale Partei der Schweiz Schweizerische Volkspartei Partei der Arbeit der Schweiz Sozialdemokratische Partei der Schweiz Evangelische Volkspartei der Schweiz Christlich-Demokratische Volkspartei der Schweiz Grüne Partei der Schweiz Eidgenössische Demokratische Union
United Kingdom	Con LD Lab	Conservative Party Liberal Democrats Labour Party
United States	Dem Rep	Democratic Party Republican Party