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1. Introduction

This report accompanies the **Pre and Post Election Panel Study on Issue Yield and Voters' Priorities in the 2017 Austrian Elections** (AUSSDA: [doi:10.11587/5XWPKK](https://doi.org/10.11587/5XWPKK)) conducted by Sylvia Kritzinger and Carolina Plescia during the Austrian National Parliamentary Election held on 15 October 2017 and provides a detailed documentation of the data collection.

The survey's questionnaire is based on international project of the Issue Competition Comparative Project (<https://cise.luiss.it/iccp/>) lead by Lorenzo De Sio (LUISS Guido Carli), which focuses on several national elections conducted in 2017 in Europe.

1.1 How to cite these data

Data users are kindly asked to acknowledge the data and the accompanying release document (Documentation). Please refer to the Austrian Social Science Data Archive - AUSSDA for a recommendation on how to cite these data.

1.2 Changes in Edition

(No changes.)

2. Conditions of Use

2.1 Restrictions

The data are available for non-profit use without restrictions.

2.2. Confidentiality

AUTNES, the Principal Investigators and the funding institution bear no responsibility for the use of the data, or for interpretations or inferences based on their use, neither do they accept liability for indirect, consequential or incidental damages or losses arising from use of the data.

2.3 Deposit Requirement

In order to facilitate exchanges within the scientific community and to provide funding agencies with essential information about use of archival resources, users of the AUTNES data are requested to notify the AUTNES team of all forms of publications making use of AUTNES data.

3. Study Description

3.1 Title and Edition

Pre and Post Election Panel Study on Issue Yield and Voters' Priorities in the 2017 Austrian Elections – Documentation

3.2 Principal Investigators

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3.3 Fieldwork Completed by

The fieldwork for this study was conducted by Demetra opinion.net. Url:
<https://demetra.com/argomenti/interviste-online.html>

3.4 File Names

“10079_da_en_v1_0.dta”
“10079_da_en_v1_0.sav”

3.5 Topics/Keywords

Issue saliency, issue ownership, issue positions, issue yield, economy, left-right placement, party identity, vote choice, candidate evaluations, Austria, immigration

4. Study Design

4.1 Overall Study Design

The panel study includes two waves. The first wave is an online survey conducted before the 2017 Austrian national election between September 2017 and October 2017 (08.09.-11.10.2017). The second wave is a post-election survey conducted online between October 2017 and November 2017 (30.10.-14.11.2017).

4.2 Sampling

PRE-election survey:

The population universe comprises all eligible voters for the Austrian Parliamentary Election on 15 October 2017 (Austrian citizens, aged 16 years and older at Election Day) part of the survey company web panel. In total, n = 1000 interviews in wave 1 were successfully completed. Excluding non-eligible cases, this results in a response rate of 37.2.

Table 1: Sample size and response rate (wave 1)

| | total | in % |
|--|--------------|--------------|
| Initial net sample | 2806 | 100.0 |
| Respondent never available plus Refusal | 622 | 22.1 |
| Successful interviews (response rate) | 1044 | 37.2 |

POST-election survey:

All respondents from the PRE-election survey were recontacted for another survey after the election. Conducting the panel interviews was easier than expected with a re-interview rate of 78% of the respondents of the PRE-election survey re-interviewed within 2 weeks.

Respondents received one of the incentives listed below depending on the Length Of Interview (LOI), Incidence Rate (IR) and Response Rate (RR):

- paypal
- phone voucher
- amazon voucher
- charity donation

5. Data Cleaning

5.1 Data Protection

Any information on the respondents' residence, such as postal codes, had to be removed for reasons of data protection.

5.2 Variable format and missing values

All missing values were coded as:

88 = don't know

99 = refused

Pre-testing by the field company

Pre-tests conducted by the field company focused on the length of the interview and burden for respondents, on difficulties that interviewers might have, and on technical aspects as the application of latency measures. Interviewer instructions were adapted after this procedure.

6. Weighting of data

The dataset includes several weighting variables, which can be used for post-stratification adjustment to known population distributions. For the respondents of each wave (1, 2) as well as for respondents participating in both waves (1+2) two weighting variables are provided:

- demographic weight: **prewave_weight** or **postwave_weight**
The "demographic" weight adjusts to known socio-demographic population distributions such as region (Land), gender-age and education.
- demographic + design weight: **panel_weight**
The "demographic+design" weight adjusts to known socio-demographic population distribution (as above) and uses the design weight as a starting weight.

For computing the weighting variables the survey company used the R package "survey".

Table 2. Comparison of key characteristics in the sample and population

| <i>Variable</i> | Sample | Population |
|--|---------------|-------------------|
| GENDER | | |
| Male | 50.4% | 48.9% |
| Female | 49.6% | 51.1% |
| AGE rough | | |
| Aged 16-45 | 47.2% | 41.6% |
| Older than 45 | 52.8% | 58.4% |
| AGE detailed | | |
| 16-19 | 5.2% | 5.0% |
| 20-29 | 15.8% | 14.1% |
| 30-39 | 15.6% | 13.9% |
| 40-49 | 18.8% | 16.9% |
| 50-59 | 20.2% | 18.7% |
| 60-69 | 17.3% | 13.6% |
| 70+ | 7.1% | 17.7% |
| AGE X EDUCATION | | |
| Aged 16-45 w/Matura | 25.4% | 15.7% |
| Aged 16-45, no Matura | 21.7% | 25.9% |
| Older than 45 w/Matura | 25.3% | 12.5% |
| Older than 45, no Matura | 27.6% | 45.9% |
| GENDER X EDUCATION | | |
| Female w/Matura | 25.4% | 14.7% |
| Female, no Matura | 24.3% | 36.4% |
| Male w/Matura | 25.3% | 13.5% |
| Male, no Matura | 25.0% | 35.4% |
| FEDERAL STATE | | |
| Burgenland | 3.6% | 3.7% |
| Carinthia | 7.1% | 6.9% |
| Lower Austria | 17.9% | 20.2% |
| Upper Austria | 17.3% | 17.3% |
| Salzburg | 6.3% | 6.1% |
| Styria | 14.0% | 15.2% |
| Tyrol | 7.5% | 8.5% |
| Vorarlberg | 3.3% | 4.2% |
| Vienna | 23.0% | 18.0% |
| EDUCATION | | |
| No school, primary school, lower secondary level (incl. Pre-vocational school) | 15.5% | 21.4% |
| Vocational training/school | 23.0% | 37.0% |
| Higher vocational school (BMS) | 10.8% | 13.5% |
| Secondary school leaving certificate ("Matura") | 23.7% | 15.4% |
| Tertiary education | 27.5% | 12.8% |
| EMPLOYMENT | | |
| Working | 58.7% | 52.5% |
| Retired | 22.8% | 28.7% |
| Pupil, Student (excl. in vocational training) | 7.4% | 7.1% |
| Other | 11.2% | 11.7% |
| VOTE RECALL 2017 incl. non-voters as category | | |
| Non-Voter | 9.0% | 20.0% |
| SPÖ | 21.4% | 21.3% |
| ÖVP | 21.3% | 24.9% |
| FPÖ | 26.3% | 20.6% |
| The Greens | 2.9% | 3.0% |
| NEOS | 6.6% | 4.2% |
| List Pilz | 6.7% | 3.5% |
| Other/invalid | 5.9% | 2.5% |

(Source: Statistik Austria, Mikrozensus 2016; Election results: <https://wahl17.bmi.gv.at/>)

7. Variable List

| Variable Label (english) | W1 | W2 | Codes (english) |
|---|-----------------|------------------|---|
| RESPONDENT ID PRE-WAVE | pre_id | | numeric |
| STARTING DATE | pre_startdate | post_startdate | string |
| AUSTRIAN CITIZENSHIP | pre_citizenship | post_citizenship | 1 "yes" |
| GENDER | pre_sex | post_sex | 1 "male" 2 "female" |
| YEAR OF BIRTH | pre_yearborn | | numeric |
| MONTH OF BIRTH | pre_monthborn | | 1 "January" 2 "February" 3 "March" 4 "April" 5 "May" 6 "June" 7 "July" 8 "August" 9 "September" 10 "October" 11 "November" 12 "December" |
| FEDERAL STATE | pre_geosub | | 1 "Vorarlberg" 2 "Tyrol" 3 "Salzburg" 4 "Upper Austria" 5 "Carinthia" 6 "Styria" 7 "Burgenland" 8 "Lower Austria" 9 "Vienna" |
| RESIDENTIAL AREA | pre_townsize | | 1 "Village" 2 "Small town" 3 "Medium sized town" 4 "Suburb of a city" 5 "Center of a city" |
| POLITICAL INTEREST | pre_polint | | 1 "very interested" 2 "fairly interested" 3 "a little interested" 4 "not at all interested" |
| ECON. SITUATION AUSTRIA: RETROSPECTIVE (PAST 12 MONTHS) | pre_ecoretro | | 1 "got much better" 2 "got somewhat better" 3 "stayed the same" 4 "got somewhat worse" 5 "got much worse" |
| ECON. SITUATION AUSTRIA: PROSPECTIVE (NEXT | pre_ecopros | | 1 "get much better" 2 "get somewhat better" |

| Variable Label (english) | W1 | W2 | Codes (english) |
|--|--------------------------|----------|--|
| 12 MONTHS) | | | 3 "stay the same" 4 "get somewhat worse" 5 "get much worse" |
| ISSUE 2: PENSION AGE: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_2 | | 1 "Keep current pension age" 2 3 4 5 6 "Increase pension age" |
| ISSUE 2: PENSION AGE: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_2 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 2: PENSION AGE: OEVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_2 | | |
| ISSUE 2: PENSION AGE: FPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_2 | | |
| ISSUE 2: PENSION AGE: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_2 | | |
| ISSUE 2: PENSION AGE: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_2 | | |
| ISSUE 2: PENSION AGE: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_2 | | |
| ISSUE 2: PENSION AGE: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_2 | | |
| ISSUE 2: PENSION AGE: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_2 | | |
| ISSUE 2: PENSION AGE: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_2 | post_pp2 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 3: INCOME DIFFERENCES: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_3 | | 1 "Reduce income differences" 2 3 4 5 6 "Don't reduce income differences" |
| ISSUE 3: INCOME DIFFERENCES: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_3 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 3: INCOME DIFFERENCES: OEVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_3 | | |
| ISSUE 3: INCOME DIFFERENCES: FPOE - | pre_FPO_pos_issue_3 | | |

| Variable Label (english) | W1 | W2 | Codes (english) |
|--|--------------------------|----------|--|
| COMPETENCE | | | |
| ISSUE 3: INCOME DIFFERENCES: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_3 | | |
| ISSUE 3: INCOME DIFFERENCES: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_3 | | |
| ISSUE 3: INCOME DIFFERENCES: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_3 | | |
| ISSUE 3: INCOME DIFFERENCES: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_3 | | |
| ISSUE 3: INCOME DIFFERENCES: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_3 | | |
| ISSUE 3: INCOME DIFFERENCES: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_3 | post_pp3 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 4: TAXES AND SOCIAL SERVICES: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_4 | | 1 "Raise taxes and spend more on health and social services" 2 3 4 5 6 "Cut taxes and spend less on health and social services" |
| ISSUE 4: TAXES AND SOCIAL SERVICES: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_4 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 4: TAXES AND SOCIAL SERVICES: OEV - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_4 | | |
| ISSUE 4: TAXES AND SOCIAL SERVICES: FPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_4 | | |
| ISSUE 4: TAXES AND SOCIAL SERVICES: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_4 | | |
| ISSUE 4: TAXES AND SOCIAL SERVICES: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_4 | | |
| ISSUE 4: TAXES AND SOCIAL SERVICES: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_4 | | |
| ISSUE 4: TAXES AND SOCIAL SERVICES: NONE OF THOSE | pre_98_pos_issue_4 | | |

| Variable Label (english) | W1 | W2 | Codes (english) |
|---|--------------------------|----------|---|
| PARTIES - COMPETENCE | | | |
| ISSUE 4: TAXES AND SOCIAL SERVICES: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_4 | | |
| ISSUE 4: TAXES AND SOCIAL SERVICES: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_4 | post_pp4 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 6: MINIMUM WAGE: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_6 | | 1 "Increase the minimum wage above 1500 euros" 2 3 4 5 6 "Do not increase the minimum wage above 1500 euros" |
| ISSUE 6: MINIMUM WAGE: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_6 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 6: MINIMUM WAGE: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_6 | | |
| ISSUE 6: MINIMUM WAGE: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_6 | | |
| ISSUE 6: MINIMUM WAGE: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_6 | | |
| ISSUE 6: MINIMUM WAGE: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_6 | | |
| ISSUE 6: MINIMUM WAGE: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_6 | | |
| ISSUE 6: MINIMUM WAGE: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_6 | | |
| ISSUE 6: MINIMUM WAGE: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_6 | | |
| ISSUE 6: MINIMUM WAGE: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_6 | post_pp6 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 13: WORK REGULATIONS: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_13 | | 1 "Deregulate the job market" 2 3 4 5 6 "Keep current regulations in the job market" |
| ISSUE 13: WORK | pre_SPO_pos_issue_13 | | 0 "not selected" |

| Variable Label (english) | W1 | W2 | Codes (english) |
|--|---------------------------|-----------|--|
| REGULATIONS: SPOE - COMPETENCE | | | 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 13: WORK REGULATIONS: OEVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_13 | | |
| ISSUE 13: WORK REGULATIONS: FPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_13 | | |
| ISSUE 13: WORK REGULATIONS: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_13 | | |
| ISSUE 13: WORK REGULATIONS: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_13 | | |
| ISSUE 13: WORK REGULATIONS: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_13 | | |
| ISSUE 13: WORK REGULATIONS: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_13 | | |
| ISSUE 13: WORK REGULATIONS: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_13 | | |
| ISSUE 13: WORK REGULATIONS: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_13 | post_pp13 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 20: SOCIAL PARTNERS: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_20 | | 1 "Austria should abolish the obligatory membership in trade associations (social partners)" 2 3 4 5 6 "Austria should not abolish the obligatory membership in trade associations (social partners)" |
| ISSUE 20: SOCIAL PARTNERS: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_20 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 20: SOCIAL PARTNERS: OEVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_20 | | |
| ISSUE 20: SOCIAL PARTNERS: FPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_20 | | |
| ISSUE 20: SOCIAL PARTNERS: THE GREENS - | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_20 | | |

| Variable Label (english) | W1 | W2 | Codes (english) |
|---|---------------------------|-----------|---|
| COMPETENCE | | | |
| ISSUE 20: SOCIAL PARTNERS: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_20 | | |
| ISSUE 20: SOCIAL PARTNERS: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_20 | | |
| ISSUE 20: SOCIAL PARTNERS: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_20 | | |
| ISSUE 20: SOCIAL PARTNERS: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_20 | | |
| ISSUE 20: SOCIAL PARTNERS: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_20 | post_pp20 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 21: UNEMPLOYMENT VS. NATIONAL DEBT: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_21 | | 1 "Decrease unemployment needs at the expense of high national debt" 2 3 4 5 6 "Do not decrease unemployment at the expense of high national debt" |
| ISSUE 21: UNEMPLOYMENT VS. NATIONAL DEBT: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_21 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 21: UNEMPLOYMENT VS. NATIONAL DEBT: OEVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_21 | | |
| ISSUE 21: UNEMPLOYMENT VS. NATIONAL DEBT: FPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_21 | | |
| ISSUE 21: UNEMPLOYMENT VS. NATIONAL DEBT: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_21 | | |
| ISSUE 21: UNEMPLOYMENT VS. NATIONAL DEBT: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_21 | | |
| ISSUE 21: UNEMPLOYMENT VS. NATIONAL DEBT: LIST PETER PILZ - | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_21 | | |

| Variable Label (english) | W1 | W2 | Codes (english) |
|---|---------------------------|-----------|--|
| COMPETENCE | | | |
| ISSUE 21: UNEMPLOYMENT VS. NATIONAL DEBT: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_21 | | |
| ISSUE 21: UNEMPLOYMENT VS. NATIONAL DEBT: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_21 | | |
| ISSUE 21: UNEMPLOYMENT VS. NATIONAL DEBT: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_21 | post_pp21 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 11: SURVEILLANCE MEASURES: SELF- POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_11 | | 1 "Surveillance measures should be extended" 2 3 4 5 6 "Surveillance measures should not be extended" |
| ISSUE 11: SURVEILLANCE MEASURES: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_11 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 11: SURVEILLANCE MEASURES: OEVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_11 | | |
| ISSUE 11: SURVEILLANCE MEASURES: FPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_11 | | |
| ISSUE 11: SURVEILLANCE MEASURES: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_11 | | |
| ISSUE 11: SURVEILLANCE MEASURES: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_11 | | |
| ISSUE 11: SURVEILLANCE MEASURES: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_11 | | |
| ISSUE 11: SURVEILLANCE MEASURES: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - | pre_98_pos_issue_11 | | |

| Variable Label (english) | W1 | W2 | Codes (english) |
|--|---------------------------|-----------|--|
| COMPETENCE | | | |
| ISSUE 11: SURVEILLANCE MEASURES: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_11 | | |
| ISSUE 11: SURVEILLANCE MEASURES: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_11 | post_pp11 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 12: PROPERTY TAX: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_12 | | 1 "Austria should have a property tax on inheritance" 2 3 4 5 6 "Austria should not have a property tax on inheritance" |
| ISSUE 12: PROPERTY TAX: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_12 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 12: PROPERTY TAX: O EVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_12 | | |
| ISSUE 12: PROPERTY TAX: FPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_12 | | |
| ISSUE 12: PROPERTY TAX: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_12 | | |
| ISSUE 12: PROPERTY TAX: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_12 | | |
| ISSUE 12: PROPERTY TAX: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_12 | | |
| ISSUE 12: PROPERTY TAX: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_12 | | |
| ISSUE 12: PROPERTY TAX: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_12 | | |
| ISSUE 12: PROPERTY TAX: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_12 | post_pp12 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 14: DIRECT DEMOCRACY: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_14 | | 1 "Introduce stronger direct democracy measures" 2 3 4 5 6 "Keep current level of direct democracy" |

| Variable Label (english) | W1 | W2 | Codes (english) |
|--|---------------------------|-----------|--|
| | | | measures" |
| ISSUE 14: DIRECT DEMOCRACY: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_14 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 14: DIRECT DEMOCRACY: OEVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_14 | | |
| ISSUE 14: DIRECT DEMOCRACY: FPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_14 | | |
| ISSUE 14: DIRECT DEMOCRACY: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_14 | | |
| ISSUE 14: DIRECT DEMOCRACY: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_14 | | |
| ISSUE 14: DIRECT DEMOCRACY: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_14 | | |
| ISSUE 14: DIRECT DEMOCRACY: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_14 | | |
| ISSUE 14: DIRECT DEMOCRACY: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_14 | | |
| ISSUE 14: DIRECT DEMOCRACY: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_14 | post_pp14 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 10: SUSTAINABLE ENERGY: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_10 | | 1 "Promoting the production of sustainable energy and at the same time limiting energy from oil and gas" 2 3 4 5 6 "Maintaining the current mix of sustainable and fossil energy" |
| ISSUE 10: SUSTAINABLE ENERGY: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_10 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 10: SUSTAINABLE ENERGY: OEVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_10 | | |
| ISSUE 10: SUSTAINABLE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_10 | | |

| Variable Label (english) | W1 | W2 | Codes (english) |
|--|---------------------------|-----------|--|
| ENERGY: FPOE - COMPETENCE | | | |
| ISSUE 10: SUSTAINABLE ENERGY: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_10 | | |
| ISSUE 10: SUSTAINABLE ENERGY: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_10 | | |
| ISSUE 10: SUSTAINABLE ENERGY: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_10 | | |
| ISSUE 10: SUSTAINABLE ENERGY: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_10 | | |
| ISSUE 10: SUSTAINABLE ENERGY: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_10 | | |
| ISSUE 10: SUSTAINABLE ENERGY: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_10 | post_pp10 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 15: DIESEL: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_15 | | 1 "Diesel cars should be banned" 2 3 4 5 6 "No cars should be banned" |
| ISSUE 15: DIESEL: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_15 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 15: DIESEL: OEV - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_15 | | |
| ISSUE 15: DIESEL: FPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_15 | | |
| ISSUE 15: DIESEL: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_15 | | |
| ISSUE 15: DIESEL: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_15 | | |
| ISSUE 15: DIESEL: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_15 | | |
| ISSUE 15: DIESEL: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_15 | | |
| ISSUE 15: DIESEL: DON'T KNOW - | pre_99_pos_issue_15 | | |

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| ISSUE 15: DIESEL: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_15 | post_pp15 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 18: EU MEMBERSHIP: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_18 | | 1 "Stay in the EU" 2 3 4 5 6 "Leave the EU" |
| ISSUE 18: EU MEMBERSHIP: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_18 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 18: EU MEMBERSHIP: OEVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_18 | | |
| ISSUE 18: EU MEMBERSHIP: FPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_18 | | |
| ISSUE 18: EU MEMBERSHIP: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_18 | | |
| ISSUE 18: EU MEMBERSHIP: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_18 | | |
| ISSUE 18: EU MEMBERSHIP: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_18 | | |
| ISSUE 18: EU MEMBERSHIP: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_18 | | |
| ISSUE 18: EU MEMBERSHIP: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_18 | | |
| ISSUE 18: EU MEMBERSHIP: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_18 | post_pp18 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 1: ASYLUM RULES: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_1 | | 1 "Make asylum rules more restrictive" 2 3 4 5 6 "Keep current asylum rules" |
| ISSUE 1: ASYLUM RULES: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_1 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 1: ASYLUM RULES: OEVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_1 | | |

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| ISSUE 1: ASYLUM RULES: FPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_1 | | |
| ISSUE 1: ASYLUM RULES: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_1 | | |
| ISSUE 1: ASYLUM RULES: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_1 | | |
| ISSUE 1: ASYLUM RULES: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_1 | | |
| ISSUE 1: ASYLUM RULES: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_1 | | |
| ISSUE 1: ASYLUM RULES: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_1 | | |
| ISSUE 1: ASYLUM RULES: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_1 | post_pp1 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 7: ACCESS TO WELFARE BENEFITS FOR IMMIGRANTS: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_7 | | 1 "Restrict access to welfare benefits for immigrants" 2 3 4 5 6 "Maintain current levels of access to welfare benefits for immigrants" |
| ISSUE 7: ACCESS TO WELFARE BENEFITS FOR IMMIGRANTS: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_7 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 7: ACCESS TO WELFARE BENEFITS FOR IMMIGRANTS: OEVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_7 | | |
| ISSUE 7: ACCESS TO WELFARE BENEFITS FOR IMMIGRANTS: FPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_7 | | |
| ISSUE 7: ACCESS TO WELFARE BENEFITS FOR IMMIGRANTS: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_7 | | |
| ISSUE 7: ACCESS TO WELFARE BENEFITS FOR IMMIGRANTS: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_7 | | |
| ISSUE 7: ACCESS TO WELFARE BENEFITS | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_7 | | |

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| FOR IMMIGRANTS: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | | | |
| ISSUE 7: ACCESS TO WELFARE BENEFITS FOR IMMIGRANTS: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_7 | | |
| ISSUE 7: ACCESS TO WELFARE BENEFITS FOR IMMIGRANTS: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_7 | | |
| ISSUE 7: ACCESS TO WELFARE BENEFITS FOR IMMIGRANTS: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_7 | post_pp7 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 8: ACCULTURATION OF FOREIGNERS: SELF- POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_8 | | 1 "Require foreigners in Austria to fully adapt to Austrian culture" 2 3 4 5 6 "Allow foreigners in Austria to preserve their own culture" |
| ISSUE 8: ACCULTURATION OF FOREIGNERS: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_8 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 8: ACCULTURATION OF FOREIGNERS: OEVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_8 | | |
| ISSUE 8: ACCULTURATION OF FOREIGNERS: FPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_8 | | |
| ISSUE 8: ACCULTURATION OF FOREIGNERS: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_8 | | |
| ISSUE 8: ACCULTURATION OF FOREIGNERS: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_8 | | |
| ISSUE 8: ACCULTURATION OF FOREIGNERS: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_8 | | |
| ISSUE 8: | pre_98_pos_issue_8 | | |

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| ACCULTURATION OF FOREIGNERS: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | | | |
| ISSUE 8: ACCULTURATION OF FOREIGNERS: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_8 | | |
| ISSUE 8: ACCULTURATION OF FOREIGNERS: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_8 | post_pp8 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 16: EU REFUGEE QUOTAS: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_16 | | 1 "The EU has to enforce refugee quotas in all member states" 2 3 4 5 6 "Each member state of the EU should decide by its own on refugee quotas" |
| ISSUE 16: EU REFUGEE QUOTAS: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_16 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 16: EU REFUGEE QUOTAS: OEVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_16 | | |
| ISSUE 16: EU REFUGEE QUOTAS: FPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_16 | | |
| ISSUE 16: EU REFUGEE QUOTAS: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_16 | | |
| ISSUE 16: EU REFUGEE QUOTAS: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_16 | | |
| ISSUE 16: EU REFUGEE QUOTAS: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_16 | | |
| ISSUE 16: EU REFUGEE QUOTAS: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_16 | | |
| ISSUE 16: EU REFUGEE QUOTAS: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_16 | | |
| ISSUE 16: EU REFUGEE QUOTAS: | pre_priority_pos_issue_16 | post_pp16 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" |

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| PRIORITY | | | 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 17: EU FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_17 | | 1 "End freedom of movement of people from the EU into Austria" 2 3 4 5 6 "Allow freedom of movement of people from the EU into Austria" |
| ISSUE 17: EU FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_17 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 17: EU FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT: OEVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_17 | | |
| ISSUE 17: EU FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT: FPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_17 | | |
| ISSUE 17: EU FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_17 | | |
| ISSUE 17: EU FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_17 | | |
| ISSUE 17: EU FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_17 | | |
| ISSUE 17: EU FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_17 | | |
| ISSUE 17: EU FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_17 | | |
| ISSUE 17: EU FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_17 | post_pp17 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 5: GENDER QUOTAS: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_5 | | 1 "Politics should implement gender quota in order" |

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| | | | guarantee that all important jobs are equally given to women and men" 2 3 4 5 6 "Politics should not enforce gender quotas" |
| ISSUE 5: GENDER QUOTAS: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_5 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 5: GENDER QUOTAS: OEVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_5 | | |
| ISSUE 5: GENDER QUOTAS: FPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_5 | | |
| ISSUE 5: GENDER QUOTAS: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_5 | | |
| ISSUE 5: GENDER QUOTAS: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_5 | | |
| ISSUE 5: GENDER QUOTAS: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_5 | | |
| ISSUE 5: GENDER QUOTAS: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_5 | | |
| ISSUE 5: GENDER QUOTAS: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_5 | | |
| ISSUE 5: GENDER QUOTAS: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_5 | post_pp5 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 9: GAY MARRIAGE: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_9 | | 1 "Allow gay marriages" 2 3 4 5 6 "Do not allow gay marriages" |
| ISSUE 9: GAY MARRIAGE: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_9 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 9: GAY MARRIAGE: OEVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_9 | | |
| ISSUE 9: GAY | pre_FPO_pos_issue_9 | | |

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| MARRIAGE: FPOE - COMPETENCE | | | |
| ISSUE 9: GAY MARRIAGE: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_9 | | |
| ISSUE 9: GAY MARRIAGE: NEOS - COMPETENCE | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_9 | | |
| ISSUE 9: GAY MARRIAGE: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_9 | | |
| ISSUE 9: GAY MARRIAGE: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_9 | | |
| ISSUE 9: GAY MARRIAGE: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_9 | | |
| ISSUE 9: GAY MARRIAGE: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_9 | post_pp9 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| ISSUE 19: COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOLS: SELF-POSITION | pre_self_pos_issue_19 | | 1 "Austria should introduce a comprehensive school for all children until the age of 14" 2 3 4 5 6 "Austria should not introduce a comprehensive school for all children until the age of 14" |
| ISSUE 19: COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOLS: SPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_SPO_pos_issue_19 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| ISSUE 19: COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOLS: OEVP - COMPETENCE | pre_newOVP_pos_issue_19 | | |
| ISSUE 19: COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOLS: FPOE - COMPETENCE | pre_FPO_pos_issue_19 | | |
| ISSUE 19: COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOLS: THE GREENS - COMPETENCE | pre_GRUNE_pos_issue_19 | | |
| ISSUE 19: | pre_NEOS_pos_issue_19 | | |

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| COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOLS: NEOS - COMPETENCE | | | |
| ISSUE 19: COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOLS: LIST PETER PILZ - COMPETENCE | pre_PILZ_pos_issue_19 | | |
| ISSUE 19: COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOLS: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES - COMPETENCE | pre_98_pos_issue_19 | | |
| ISSUE 19: COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOLS: DON'T KNOW - COMPETENCE | pre_99_pos_issue_19 | | |
| ISSUE 19: COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOLS: PRIORITY | pre_priority_pos_issue_19 | post_pp19 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 1: AFFORDABLE HOMES: SPOE | pre_SPO_val_issue_1 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 1: AFFORDABLE HOMES: OEPV | pre_newOVP_val_issue_1 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 1: AFFORDABLE HOMES: FPOE | pre_FPO_val_issue_1 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 1: AFFORDABLE HOMES: THE GREENS | pre_GRUNE_val_issue_1 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 1: AFFORDABLE HOMES: NEOS | pre_NEOS_val_issue_1 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 1: AFFORDABLE HOMES: LIST PETER PILZ | pre_PILZ_val_issue_1 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 1: AFFORDABLE HOMES: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES | pre_98_val_issue_1 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 1: AFFORDABLE HOMES: DON'T KNOW | pre_99_val_issue_1 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 1: AFFORDABLE HOMES: PRIORITY | pre_priority_val_issue_1 | post_priority_val_issue_1 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 2: FIGHTING POVERTY OF ELDERLY PEOPLE: SPOE | pre_SPO_val_issue_2 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 2: FIGHTING POVERTY OF ELDERLY PEOPLE: | pre_newOVP_val_issue_2 | | |

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| VALENCE ISSUE 2: FIGHTING POVERTY OF ELDERLY PEOPLE: FPOE | pre_FPO_val_issue_2 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 2: FIGHTING POVERTY OF ELDERLY PEOPLE: THE GREENS | pre_GRUNE_val_issue_2 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 2: FIGHTING POVERTY OF ELDERLY PEOPLE: NEOS | pre_NEOS_val_issue_2 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 2: FIGHTING POVERTY OF ELDERLY PEOPLE: LIST PETER PILZ | pre_PILZ_val_issue_2 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 2: FIGHTING POVERTY OF ELDERLY PEOPLE: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES | pre_98_val_issue_2 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 2: FIGHTING POVERTY OF ELDERLY PEOPLE: DON'T KNOW | pre_99_val_issue_2 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 2: FIGHTING POVERTY OF ELDERLY PEOPLE: PRIORITY | pre_priority_val_issue_2 | post_priority_val_issue_2 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 3: PROTECT AGAINST TERRORIST ATTACKS: SPOE | pre_SPO_val_issue_3 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 3: PROTECT AGAINST TERRORIST ATTACKS: OEVP | pre_newOVP_val_issue_3 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 3: PROTECT AGAINST TERRORIST ATTACKS: FPOE | pre_FPO_val_issue_3 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 3: PROTECT AGAINST TERRORIST ATTACKS: THE GREENS | pre_GRUNE_val_issue_3 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 3: PROTECT AGAINST TERRORIST ATTACKS: NEOS | pre_NEOS_val_issue_3 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 3: PROTECT AGAINST TERRORIST ATTACKS: LIST PETER PILZ | pre_PILZ_val_issue_3 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 3: PROTECT AGAINST | pre_98_val_issue_3 | | |

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| TERRORIST ATTACKS: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES | | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 3: PROTECT AGAINST TERRORIST ATTACKS: DON'T KNOW | pre_99_val_issue_3 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 3: PROTECT AGAINST TERRORIST ATTACKS: PRIORITY | pre_priority_val_issue_3 | post_priority_val_issue_3 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 4: FIGHT UNEMPLOYMENT: SPOE | pre_SPO_val_issue_4 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 4: FIGHT UNEMPLOYMENT: OEV | pre_newOVP_val_issue_4 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 4: FIGHT UNEMPLOYMENT: FPOE | pre_FPO_val_issue_4 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 4: FIGHT UNEMPLOYMENT: THE GREENS | pre_GRUNE_val_issue_4 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 4: FIGHT UNEMPLOYMENT: NEOS | pre_NEOS_val_issue_4 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 4: FIGHT UNEMPLOYMENT: LIST PETER PILZ | pre_PILZ_val_issue_4 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 4: FIGHT UNEMPLOYMENT: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES | pre_98_val_issue_4 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 4: FIGHT UNEMPLOYMENT: DON'T KNOW | pre_99_val_issue_4 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 4: FIGHT UNEMPLOYMENT: PRIORITY | pre_priority_val_issue_4 | post_priority_val_issue_4 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 5: SUPPORT ECONOMIC GROWTH: SPOE | pre_SPO_val_issue_5 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 5: SUPPORT ECONOMIC GROWTH: OEV | pre_newOVP_val_issue_5 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 5: SUPPORT ECONOMIC | pre_FPO_val_issue_5 | | |

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| GROWTH: FPOE | | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 5: SUPPORT ECONOMIC GROWTH: THE GREENS | pre_GRUNE_val_issue_5 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 5: SUPPORT ECONOMIC GROWTH: NEOS | pre_NEOS_val_issue_5 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 5: SUPPORT ECONOMIC GROWTH: LIST PETER PILZ | pre_PILZ_val_issue_5 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 5: SUPPORT ECONOMIC GROWTH: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES | pre_98_val_issue_5 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 5: SUPPORT ECONOMIC GROWTH: DON'T KNOW | pre_99_val_issue_5 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 5: SUPPORT ECONOMIC GROWTH: PRIORITY | pre_priority_val_issue_5 | post_priority_val_issue_5 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 6: PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT: SPOE | pre_SPO_val_issue_6 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 6: PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT: OEVP | pre_newOVP_val_issue_6 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 6: PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT: FPOE | pre_FPO_val_issue_6 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 6: PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT: THE GREENS | pre_GRUNE_val_issue_6 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 6: PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT: NEOS | pre_NEOS_val_issue_6 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 6: PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT: LIST PETER PILZ | pre_PILZ_val_issue_6 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 6: PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES | pre_98_val_issue_6 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 6: PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT: DON'T KNOW | pre_99_val_issue_6 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 6: PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT: PRIORITY | pre_priority_val_issue_6 | post_priority_val_issue_6 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |

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| VALENCE ISSUE 7: FIGHTING CRIME: SPOE | pre_SPO_val_issue_7 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 7: FIGHTING CRIME: OEVF | pre_newOVP_val_issue_7 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 7: FIGHTING CRIME: FPOE | pre_FPO_val_issue_7 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 7: FIGHTING CRIME: THE GREENS | pre_GRUNE_val_issue_7 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 7: FIGHTING CRIME: NEOS | pre_NEOS_val_issue_7 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 7: FIGHTING CRIME: LIST PETER PILZ | pre_PILZ_val_issue_7 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 7: FIGHTING CRIME: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES | pre_98_val_issue_7 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 7: FIGHTING CRIME: DON'T KNOW | pre_99_val_issue_7 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 7: FIGHTING CRIME: PRIORITY | pre_priority_val_issue_7 | post_priority_val_issue_7 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 8: PROVIDING SOCIAL JUSTICE: SPOE | pre_SPO_val_issue_8 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 8: PROVIDING SOCIAL JUSTICE: OEVF | pre_newOVP_val_issue_8 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 8: PROVIDING SOCIAL JUSTICE: FPOE | pre_FPO_val_issue_8 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 8: PROVIDING SOCIAL JUSTICE: THE GREENS | pre_GRUNE_val_issue_8 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 8: PROVIDING SOCIAL JUSTICE: NEOS | pre_NEOS_val_issue_8 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 8: PROVIDING SOCIAL JUSTICE: LIST PETER PILZ | pre_PILZ_val_issue_8 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 8: PROVIDING SOCIAL JUSTICE: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES | pre_98_val_issue_8 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 8: PROVIDING SOCIAL JUSTICE: DON'T KNOW | pre_99_val_issue_8 | | |

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| VALENCE ISSUE 8: PROVIDING SOCIAL JUSTICE: PRIORITY | pre_priority_val_issue_8 | post_priority_val_issue_8 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 9: CONTROL IMMIGRATION: SPOE | pre_SPO_val_issue_9 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 9: CONTROL IMMIGRATION: OEVP | pre_newOVP_val_issue_9 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 9: CONTROL IMMIGRATION: FPOE | pre_FPO_val_issue_9 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 9: CONTROL IMMIGRATION: THE GREENS | pre_GRUNE_val_issue_9 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 9: CONTROL IMMIGRATION: NEOS | pre_NEOS_val_issue_9 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 9: CONTROL IMMIGRATION: LIST PETER PILZ | pre_PILZ_val_issue_9 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 9: CONTROL IMMIGRATION: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES | pre_98_val_issue_9 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 9: CONTROL IMMIGRATION: DON'T KNOW | pre_99_val_issue_9 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 9: CONTROL IMMIGRATION: PRIORITY | pre_priority_val_issue_9 | post_priority_val_issue_9 | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 10: FIGHTING CORRUPTION: SPOE | pre_SPO_val_issue_10 | | 0 "not selected" 1 "selected" |
| VALENCE ISSUE 10: FIGHTING CORRUPTION: OEVP | pre_newOVP_val_issue_10 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 10: FIGHTING CORRUPTION: FPOE | pre_FPO_val_issue_10 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 10: FIGHTING CORRUPTION: THE GREENS | pre_GRUNE_val_issue_10 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 10: FIGHTING CORRUPTION: NEOS | pre_NEOS_val_issue_10 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 10: FIGHTING CORRUPTION: LIST PETER PILZ | pre_PILZ_val_issue_10 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 10: FIGHTING CORRUPTION: LIST PETER PILZ | pre_PILZ_val_issue_10 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 10: FIGHTING CORRUPTION: LIST PETER PILZ | pre_PILZ_val_issue_10 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 10: FIGHTING CORRUPTION: LIST PETER PILZ | pre_98_val_issue_10 | | |

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| FIGHTING CORRUPTION: NONE OF THOSE PARTIES | | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 10: FIGHTING CORRUPTION: DON'T KNOW | pre_99_val_issue_10 | | |
| VALENCE ISSUE 10: FIGHTING CORRUPTION: PRIORITY | pre_priority_val_issue_10 | post_priority_val_issue_10 | 1 "high priority" 2 "medium priority" 3 "low priority" |
| CHRISTIAN KERN: COMPETENCE | pre_leaderSPO_comp | | 1 "yes" 2 "no" |
| CHRISTIAN KERN: STRONG LEADER | pre_leaderSPO_stron | | |
| CHRISTIAN KERN: HONEST | pre_leaderSPO_hones | | |
| CHRISTIAN KERN: CARES ABOUT CITIZENS | pre_leaderSPO_cares | | |
| SEBASTIAN KURZ: COMPETENCE | pre_leaderKURZ_comp | | |
| SEBASTIAN KURZ: STRONG LEADER | pre_leaderKURZ_stron | | |
| SEBASTIAN KURZ: HONEST | pre_leaderKURZ_hones | | |
| SEBASTIAN KURZ: CARES ABOUT CITIZENS | pre_leaderKURZ_cares | | |
| HEINZ-CHRISTIAN STRACHE: COMPETENCE | pre_leaderFPO_comp | | |
| HEINZ-CHRISTIAN STRACHE: STRONG LEADER | pre_leaderFPO_stron | | |
| HEINZ-CHRISTIAN STRACHE: HONEST | pre_leaderFPO_hones | | |
| HEINZ-CHRISTIAN STRACHE: CARES ABOUT CITIZENS | pre_leaderFPO_cares | | |
| ULRIKE LUNACEK: COMPETENCE | pre_leaderGRUNE_comp | | |
| ULRIKE LUNACEK: STRONG LEADER | pre_leaderGRUNE_stron | | |
| ULRIKE LUNACEK: HONEST | pre_leaderGRUNE_hones | | |
| ULRIKE LUNACEK: CARES ABOUT CITIZENS | pre_leaderGRUNE_cares | | |
| MATTHIAS STROLZ: COMPETENCE | pre_leaderNEOS_comp | | |
| MATTHIAS STROLZ: STRONG LEADER | pre_leaderNEOS_stron | | |
| MATTHIAS STROLZ: HONEST | pre_leaderNEOS_hones | | |

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| MATTHIAS STROLZ: CARES ABOUT CITIZENS | pre_leaderNEOS_cares | | |
| PETER PILZ: COMPETENCE | pre_leaderPILZ_comp | | |
| PETER PILZ: STRONG LEADER | pre_leaderPILZ_stron | | |
| PETER PILZ: HONEST | pre_leaderPILZ_hones | | |
| PETER PILZ: CARES ABOUT CITIZENS | pre_leaderPILZ_cares | | |
| LEFT-RIGHT SELF-PLACEMENT | pre_lrself_0 | | 0 "left" 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 "right" |
| SATISFACTION WITH CURRENT FEDERAL GOVERNMENT (SPOE-OEVP) | pre_govsat | | 1 "very satisfied" 2 "fairly satisfied" 3 "fairly dissatisfied" 4 "very dissatisfied" |
| PTV: SPOE | pre_ptv_SPO | post_ptv_SPO | 0 "highly unlikely" |
| PTV: LIST SEBASTIAN KURZ - THE NEW PEOPLE'S PARTY | pre_ptv_KURZ | post_ptv_KURZ | 1 |
| PTV: FPOE | pre_ptv_FPO | post_ptv_FPO | 2 |
| PTV: THE GREENS | pre_ptv_GRUNE | post_ptv_GRUNE | 3 |
| PTV: NEOS | pre_ptv_NEOS | post_ptv_NEOS | 4 |
| PTV: LIST PETER PILZ | pre_ptv_PILZ | post_ptv_PILZ | 5 |
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| | | | 7 |
| | | | 8 |
| | | | 9 |
| | | | 10 "very likely" |
| PROBABILITY TO VOTE | pre_ptvast_1 | post_ptvast_1 | 0 "will definitely vote" |
| | | | 1 |
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| | | | 10 "will definitely not vote" |
| VOTE CHOICE: NATIONAL ELECTION 2013 | pre_votepast | | 1 "SPOE" 2 "OEVP" 3 "FPOE" 4 "The Greens" 5 "NEOS" 6 "Team Stronach" 7 "BZOE" 8 "not eligible" |

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| | | | 9 "empty ballot" 10 "invalid ballot" 11 "did not vote" 20 "other party" |
| PARTY CHOICE: NEXT SUNDAY | pre_voteint | post_voteint | 1 "SPOE" 2 "List Sebastian Kurz - the New People's Party" 3 "FPOE" 4 "The Greens" 5 "NEOS" 6 "List Peter Pilz" 9 "empty ballot" 10 "invalid ballot" 11 "would not vote" 20 "other party" |
| PARTY CHOICE: HYPOTHETICAL | pre_voteintl | | 1 "SPOE" 2 "List Sebastian Kurz - the New People's Party" 3 "FPOE" 4 "The Greens" 5 "NEOS" 6 "List Peter Pilz" 9 "empty ballot" 10 "invalid ballot" 11 "would not vote" 20 "other party" |
| CLOSENESS TO A POLITICAL PARTY | pre_pidpartl | | 1 "yes" 2 "no" |
| PARTY R. FEELS CLOSER TO | pre_pidpartll | | 1 "SPOE" 2 "List Sebastian Kurz - the New People's Party" 3 "FPOE" 4 "The Greens" 5 "NEOS" 6 "List Peter Pilz" 20 "other party" |
| DEGREE OF CLOSENESS TO PARTY | pre_pidstre | | 1 "very close" 2 "somewhat close" 3 "not very close" |
| CURRENT PERSONAL SITUATION | pre_profcond | | 1 "employed" 2 "retired" 3 "a student at school" 4 "a student at university" 5 "other training" 6 "on leave" 7 "a homemaker" 8 "military/civilian service, voluntary social year" 9 "unfit for work" 10 "unemployed or" |

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| | | | seeking for work" 11 "other" |
| JOB SITUATION | pre_SD2 | | 1 "employee" 2 "blue-collar worker" 3 "public official" 4 "civil servant" 5 "self-employed without employees" 6 "self-employed with employees" 7 "freelance worker" 8 "farmer" 9 "does not apply" |
| PROFESSIONAL SECTOR | pre_profsect | | 1 "in agriculture" 2 "in public industry" 3 "in private industry" 4 "in public service" 5 "in private service industry" 6 "in another sector" 66 "have never worked" |
| SOCIAL CLASS | pre_clasself | | 1 "working class" 2 "lower middle class" 3 "middle class" 4 "upper middle class" 5 "upper class" 6 "other" |
| LIVING CONDITION OF FAMILY | pre_livstand_1 | | 1 "poor family" 2 3 4 5 6 7 "rich family" |
| INCOME SITUATION | pre_livstand2 | | 1 "get along very well" 2 "get along well" 3 "get along with difficulty" 4 "get along with great difficulty" |
| ATTENDANCE OF RELIGIOUS SERVICES | pre_church | | 1 "daily" 2 "more often than once a week" 3 "once a week" 4 "at least once a month" 5 "only on special holidays" 6 "less often" 7 "never" |
| HIGHEST LEVEL OF EDUCATION | pre_edu | | 1 "did not attend school" 2 "did not finish any school" 3 "elementary school" |

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| | | | or less" 4 "primary school/secondary education first stage" 5 "special school" 6 "polytechnic institute" 7 "vocational training/school" 8 "vocational middle school " 9 "AHS with diploma" 10 "BHS with diploma " 11 "university-related college " 12 "College" 13 "Bachelor" 14 "Magister/Master" 15 "Doctorate/PhD" 16 "other" |
| ISCED | pre_ISCED | post_ISCED | 1 "0-2" 2 "3-4" 3 "5-8" |
| AGE GROUP | pre_agegroup | | 1 "16-29" 2 "30-44" 3 "45-54" 4 "55-64" 5 "65+" |
| REGION | pre_region | | 1 "Eastern Austria" 2 "Southern Austria" 3 "Western Austria" |
| PRE-WAVE WEIGHT | prewave_weight | | numeric |
| ATTENTIVENESS TO ELECTION CAMPAIGN | | post_campint | 1 "very closely" 2 "quite closely" 3 "not so closely" 4 "not at all closely" |
| TURNOUT: NATIONAL ELECTION 2017 | | post_Q1 | 1 "did not vote" 2 "thought about it, but did not vote" 3 "usually vote, not this time" 4 "I voted" |
| VOTE CHOICE: NATIONAL ELECTION 2017 | | post_Q2 | 1 "SPOE" 2 "List Sebastian Kurz - the New People's Party" 3 "FPOE" 4 "The Greens" 5 "NEOS" 6 "List Peter Pilz" 7 "The Whites" 8 "FLOE (List Dr. Schnell)" 9 "KPOE PLUS" 10 "List Roland" |

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| | | | Dueringer - My Vote Counts" 11 "other party" 12 "voted invalid" |
| VOTE CHOICE: NATIONAL ELECTION 2017 - HYPOTHETICAL | | post_Q3 | 1 "SPOE" 2 "List Sebastian Kurz - the New People's Party" 3 "FPOE" 4 "The Greens" 5 "NEOS" 6 "List Peter Pilz" 7 "The Whites" 8 "FLOE (List Dr. Schnell)" 9 "KPOE PLUS" 10 "List Roland Dueringer - My Vote Counts" 11 "other party" 12 "would have voted invalid" |
| REASON FOR VOTE CHOICE | | post_reasonparty | 1 "party has the best program" 2 "lead candidate" 3 "future government composition" 4 "party has best suggestions" 5 "party's previous work" |
| POST-WAVE WEIGHT | | postwave_weight | numeric |
| PANEL WEIGHT | | panel_weight | numeric |

