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Appendix B: Country and Regional Scores

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Tables 1A and B set out the coding schemes for self-rule and shared rule, which together constitute regional authority. Table 2 aggregates scores for all regional units to the country level for 42 countries. Eight dimensions of regional authority are coded on an annual basis for years in which a country was independent and (semi-)democratic from 1950 to 2006. The algorithm for combining regional scores is described in Hooghe *et al.* ('Operationalizing Regional Authority ...', this issue, pp. 123–142).

Table 3 provides disaggregated scores—scores for all regional levels below the national level having an average population greater than 150 000, scores for asymmetrical arrangements and scores for special autonomous regions. The population of countries/years is the same as for Table 2.

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Table 1A. Self-rule

Self-rule	The authority exercised by a regional government over those who live in the region
Institutional depth	<p>The extent to which a regional government is autonomous rather than deconcentrated.</p> <p>0–3 0: no functioning general-purpose administration at regional level 1: deconcentrated, general-purpose, administration 2: non-deconcentrated, general-purpose, administration subject to central government veto 3: non-deconcentrated, general-purpose, administration not subject to central government veto</p>
Policy scope	<p>The range of policies for which a regional government is responsible.</p> <p>0–4 0: no authoritative competencies over economic policy, cultural-educational policy, welfare state policy 1: authoritative competencies in one area: economic policy, cultural-educational policy, welfare state policy 2: authoritative competencies in at least two areas: economic policy, cultural-educational policy, welfare state policy 3: authoritative competencies in at least two areas above, and in at least two of the following: residual powers, police, authority over own institutional set-up, local government 4: the regional government meets the criteria for 3, and has authority over immigration or citizenship</p>
Fiscal autonomy	<p>The extent to which a regional government can independently tax its population.</p> <p>0–4 0: the central government sets base and rate of all regional taxes 1: the regional government sets the rate of minor taxes 2: the regional government sets base and rate of minor taxes 3: the regional government sets the rate of at least one major tax: personal income, corporate, value added or sales tax 4: the regional government sets base and rate of at least one major tax: personal income, corporate, value added or sales tax.</p>
Representation	<p>The extent to which a region is endowed with an independent legislature and executive.</p> <p>0–4 Assembly: 0: no regional assembly 1: an indirectly elected regional assembly 2: a directly elected assembly Executive: 0: the regional executive is appointed by central government 1: dual executives appointed by central government and the regional assembly 2: the regional executive is appointed by a regional assembly or directly elected</p>

Table 1B. Shared Rule^a

Shared Rule	The authority exercised by a regional government or its representatives in the country as a whole.
Law making	<p>The extent to which regional representatives co-determine national legislation. 0-2</p> <p>0.5: regions are the unit of representation in the legislature 0.5: regional governments designate representatives in the legislature 0.5: regions have majority representation in the legislature 0.5: the legislature with regional representation has extensive legislative authority</p> <p>The extent to which a regional government co-determines national policy in intergovernmental meetings. 0-2</p> <p>0: no routine meetings between central and regional governments to negotiate policy 1: routine meetings between central and regional governments <i>without</i> legally binding authority 2: routine meetings between central and regional governments <i>with</i> authority to reach legally binding decisions</p>
Fiscal control	<p>The extent to which regional representatives co-determine the distribution of national tax revenues. 0-2</p> <p>0: regional governments or their representatives in the legislature are not consulted over the distribution of tax revenues 1: regional governments or their representatives in the legislature negotiate over the distribution of tax revenues, but do not have a veto 2: regional governments or their representatives in the legislature have a veto over the distribution of tax revenues</p>
Constitutional reform	<p>The extent to which regional representatives co-determine constitutional change. 0-3</p> <p>0: the central government and/or national electorate can unilaterally change the constitution 1: a legislature based on the principle of regional representation must approve constitutional change; or constitutional change requires a referendum based on the principle of equal regional representation 2: regional governments are a directly represented majority in a legislature which can do one or more of the following: postpone constitutional reform, introduce amendments, raise the decision hurdle in the other chamber, require a second vote in the other chamber, require a popular referendum 3: a majority of regional governments can veto constitutional change.</p>

^aShared rule criteria are adjusted for special autonomous regions, as detailed in Appendix A.

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Table 2. Regional Authority Index (RAI) for 42 countries: scores aggregated by country^a

Country	Year	Institutional depth	Policy scope	Fiscal autonomy	Representation	Self-rule	Law making	Executive control	Fiscal control	Constitutional reform	Shared rule	RAI Total
Albania	1992–1999	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	2000–2006	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0
Australia	1950–1977	2.9	3.9	1.9	3.9	12.7	1.5	1.9	1.0	1.0	5.3	18.0
	1978–1988	3.0	3.9	2.0	3.9	12.8	1.5	2.0	1.0	1.0	5.4	18.2
	1989–1998	3.0	4.0	2.0	4.0	12.9	1.5	2.0	1.0	1.0	5.5	18.4
	1999–2006	3.0	4.0	2.0	4.0	12.9	1.5	2.0	2.0	1.0	6.5	19.4
Austria	1955–1983	3.0	3.0	2.0	4.0	12.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	2.0	5.0	17.0
	1984–2006	3.0	3.0	2.0	4.0	12.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	6.0	18.0
Belgium	1950–1969	2.0	2.0	2.0	3.0	9.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	3.0	5.0	14.0
	1970–1979	4.0	3.0	2.0	4.0	13.0	1.0	0.0	3.0	6.0	9.9	22.9
	1980–1988	4.0	3.8	2.0	6.0	15.8	1.0	0.0	3.0	6.0	10.0	25.8
	1989–1994	5.0	5.0	4.0	6.2	20.2	1.0	2.0	3.0	6.0	12.0	32.1
	1995–2006	5.0	5.0	5.0	7.0	22.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.0	7.0	29.0
Bosnia and Herzegovina	1995–2006	5.0	6.0	6.0	6.6	23.5	2.0	0.0	2.0	3.0	7.0	30.5
Bulgaria	1991–2006	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
Canada	1950–2001	3.8	4.8	4.0	5.1	17.6	0.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	5.0	22.6
	2002–2006	3.8	4.8	4.0	5.1	17.7	0.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	5.0	22.7
Croatia	1991–1992	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	1993–2000	2.0	2.0	1.0	4.0	9.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	10.0
	2001–2006	2.0	2.0	1.0	4.0	9.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.0
Cyprus	1960–2006	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Czech Republic	1993–1999	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	2000–2006	2.0	1.0	0.0	4.0	7.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.0

Denmark	1950-1969	2.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	4.1
	1970-1972	2.0	2.0	0.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	7.1
	1973-1978	2.0	2.0	3.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	10.1
	1979-2006	2.0	2.0	3.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	10.2
Estonia	1992-2006	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Finland	1950-1992	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1
	1993-2006	3.0	1.0	0.0	3.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.1
France	1950-1963	2.0	1.0	1.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0
	1964-1971	3.0	1.0	1.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.0
	1972-1981	3.0	1.0	2.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.0
	1982-1985	3.0	2.0	2.0	5.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	12.0
	1986-2006	4.0	4.0	2.0	6.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	16.0
	1950-1963	5.7	3.9	4.9	7.8	2.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	22.3
1964-1965	5.7	3.9	4.9	7.8	2.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	22.3	
1966-1989	5.7	3.9	2.9	7.8	2.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	20.3	
1990-2000	5.7	3.9	2.9	7.7	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	3.0	20.2	
2001-2003	5.6	3.9	2.9	8.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	3.0	20.4	
2004-2006	5.5	3.9	2.9	8.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	3.0	20.3	
Germany	1950-1985	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
	1986-1993	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0
	1994-1996	3.0	2.0	0.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.0
	1997-2006	3.0	2.0	0.0	5.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0
Greece	1950-1985	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
	1986-1993	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0
	1994-1996	3.0	2.0	0.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.0
	1997-2006	3.0	2.0	0.0	5.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0
Hungary	1990-1993	2.0	2.0	1.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0
	1994-1998	2.0	2.0	1.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.0
	1999-2006	3.0	2.0	1.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0
Iceland	1950-2006	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Ireland	1950-1986	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	1987-1993	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
	1994-2006	2.0	1.0	0.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0

(Table continued)

Table 2. Continued

Country	Year	Institutional depth	Policy scope	Fiscal autonomy	Representation	Self-rule	Law making	Executive control	Fiscal control	Constitutional reform	Shared rule	RAI Total
Italy	1950–1962	2.3	1.4	1.0	3.5	8.2	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	8.4
	1963–1971	2.3	1.5	1.0	3.6	8.3	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	8.6
	1972–1973	4.0	2.3	1.0	7.0	14.3	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	14.6
	1974–1976	4.0	2.3	0.0	7.0	13.3	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	13.6
	1977–1988	4.0	3.2	0.0	7.0	14.2	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	14.5
	1989–1992	4.0	3.2	0.0	7.0	14.2	0.0	1.0	0.2	0.2	1.3	15.5
	1993–1996	4.0	3.2	2.0	7.0	16.2	0.0	1.0	0.2	0.2	1.3	17.5
	1997–2000	4.0	3.2	4.0	7.0	18.2	0.0	1.0	0.2	0.2	1.3	19.5
2001–2006	5.0	5.0	4.0	7.0	21.0	0.0	1.0	0.3	0.3	1.7	22.7	
Japan	1950–1999	2.0	1.0	1.0	4.0	8.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0
	2000–2006	2.0	2.0	2.0	4.0	10.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0
Latvia	1990–2006	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Lithuania	1992–1994	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	1995–2006	2.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0
Luxembourg	1950–2006	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Macedonia	1991–2006	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Malta	1964–2006	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Netherlands	1950–1993	2.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	7.0	1.5	0.0	2.0	3.0	6.5	13.5
	1994–2006	2.0	2.0	1.0	3.0	8.0	1.5	0.0	2.0	3.0	6.5	14.5
New Zealand	1950–1962	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	1963–1974	0.7	0.3	0.7	1.3	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0
	1974–1988	1.9	1.0	1.9	3.3	8.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.1
	1989–2006	1.9	1.0	1.9	3.8	8.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.6
Norway	1950–1974	2.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0
	1975–2006	2.0	2.0	3.0	3.0	10.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0

Table 2. Continued

Country	Year	Institutional depth	Policy scope	Fiscal autonomy	Representation	Self-rule	Law making	Executive control	Fiscal control	Constitutional reform	Shared rule	RAI Total	
Sweden	1950–1970	2.0	1.0	3.0	1.0	7.0	1.5	0.0	2.0	3.0	6.5	13.5	
	1971–2006	2.0	2.0	3.0	3.0	10.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0	
Switzerland	1950–2006	3.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	15.0	1.5	1.0	1.0	1.0	4.5	19.5	
Turkey	1950–1960	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	
	1961–2006	2.0	1.0	0.0	2.0	5.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	
UK	1950–1971	2.2	2.1	1.0	4.1	9.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	9.4	
	1972	2.2	2.0	1.0	4.0	9.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	9.3	
	1973–1992	2.1	2.0	1.0	3.9	9.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	9.0	
	1993–1995	3.0	2.0	1.0	3.9	9.8	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	9.9	
	1996–1999	1.8	0.8	0.4	1.6	4.6	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	4.7	
	1998	1.8	0.9	0.4	2.5	5.6	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	5.8	
	1999	2.9	2.1	0.7	3.1	8.7	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.5	9.2	
	2000–2002	2.9	2.2	0.8	3.4	9.3	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.5	9.9	
	2003–2006	2.9	2.1	0.8	3.3	9.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.5	9.6	
	USA	1950–1958	3.8	3.8	4.3	5.5	17.4	1.4	1.0	0.0	3.0	5.4	22.8
		1959	3.8	3.8	4.4	5.6	17.5	1.5	1.0	0.0	3.0	5.5	23.0
1960–1979		3.8	3.8	4.4	5.5	17.4	1.5	1.0	0.0	3.0	5.5	22.9	
1980–2006	3.8	3.8	4.4	5.6	17.5	1.5	1.0	0.0	3.0	5.5	23.0		

^aReform/years are listed as separate rows when the shared rule score and/or the self-rule score changes by 0.1 or more. Scores are rounded to one decimal place, causing occasional summing inequalities.

Table 3. Regional Authority Index (RAI) for 42 countries: scores by region

Country	Region	Type	Year	Institutional depth	Policy scope	Fiscal autonomy	Representation	Self-rule	Law making	Executive control	Fiscal control	Constitutional reform	Shared rule	RAI Total
Albania	Qarku	I	1992–1999 2000–2006	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0
Australia	States	I	1950–1998 1999–2006	3.0	4.0	2.0	4.0	13.0	1.5	2.0	1.0	1.0	5.5	18.5
	Northern Territory	C → A	1950–1959 1960–1964 1965–1977 1978–1998 1999–2006	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
	Australian Capital Territory	> I → A	1950–1972 1973–1988 1989–1998 1999–2006	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	2.0
Austria	Länder	I	1955–1983 1984–2006	3.0	3.0	2.0	4.0	12.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	2.0	5.0	17.0
Belgium	Provincies	I → II	1950–1994 1995–2006	2.0	2.0	2.0	3.0	9.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	3.0	5.0	14.0
	Vlaamse Gemeenschap	I	1970–1979 1980–1988 1989–1994 1995–2006	2.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	3.0	5.0	9.0
	Communauté française	I	1970–1979 1980–1988 1989–1994 1995–2006	2.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	3.0	5.0	12.0
	Deutsche Gemeinschaft	I	1970–1973	2.0	1.0	0.0	4.0	9.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.0	7.0	18.0
														20.0
														9.0
														5.0
														11.0
														15.0
														16.0
														3.0

Note: I, highest regional tier; II, second-highest regional tier; III, third-highest regional tier; A, special autonomous region; C, colony, dependency; → indicates a change in status over the time period; > indicates a region which is scored separately from its tier.

(Table continued)

Table 3. Continued

Country	Region	Type	Year	Institutional depth	Policy scope	Fiscal autonomy	Representation	Self-rule	Law making	Executive control	Fiscal control	Constitutional reform	Shared rule	RAI Total		
Belgium (cont.)			1974–1983	2.0	1.0	0.0	2.0	5.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0		
			1984–1988	2.0	1.0	0.0	4.0	7.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.0	
			1989–1994	3.0	2.0	0.0	4.0	9.0	0.0	2.0	2.0	1.0	0.0	3.0	12.0	
			1995–1999	3.0	2.0	0.0	4.0	9.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	6.0	15.0
			2000–2006	3.0	3.0	0.0	4.0	10.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	6.0	16.0
Région Wallonne		I	1980–1988	2.0	1.0	0.0	3.0	6.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	3.0	5.0	11.0	
			1989–1994	3.0	2.0	2.0	3.0	10.0	0.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	3.0	7.0	17.0	
			1995–2006	3.0	3.0	3.0	4.0	13.0	0.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.0	5.0	18.0	
Brussel Hoofdstedelijk Gewest/Region Bruxelles-Capitale		I	1980–1988	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	
			1989–1994	3.0	2.0	2.0	4.0	11.0	0.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	3.0	7.0	18.0	
			1995–2006	3.0	3.0	3.0	4.0	13.0	0.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.0	5.0	18.0	
Bosnia and Herzegovina		I	1995–2006	3.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	15.0	2.0	0.0	2.0	3.0	7.0	22.0		
			II	1995–2006	3.0	3.0	4.0	4.0	13.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.0
Bulgaria	Oblasti	I	1991–2006	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0		
Canada	Counties, Regions	II	1950–2006	2.0	2.0	0.0	3.0	7.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.0	
			1950–2006	3.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	15.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	5.0	20.0	
	Northwest Territories	C → A	1950–1965	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	
			1966–1974	1.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	
			1975–1978	2.0	2.0	0.0	2.0	6.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0	
Yukon	C → A	1950–1969	1.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0		
		1970–1977	1.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0		
Nunavut	A	1978–1991	2.0	3.0	4.0	4.0	13.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.0		
		1992–2001	2.0	3.0	4.0	4.0	13.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	2.0	15.0		
		2002–2006	3.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	15.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	18.0		

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Country	Region	Type	Year	Institutional depth	Policy scope	Fiscal autonomy	Representation	Self-rule	Law making	Executive control	Fiscal control	Constitutional reform	Shared rule	RAI Total
Germany (cont.)	> Nordrh.-Westfalen	II	2001–2006	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0
	Länder	I	1950–1963	3.0	3.0	4.0	4.0	14.0	2.0	1.0	0.0	3.0	6.0	20.0
			1964–1965	3.0	3.0	4.0	4.0	14.0	2.0	2.0	0.0	3.0	7.0	21.0
			1966–2006	3.0	3.0	2.0	4.0	12.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	3.0	9.0	21.0
Greece	Nomoi	I → II	1950–1993	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
			1994–2006	2.0	2.0	0.0	4.0	8.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0
	Peripheria	I	1986–1996	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
Hungary	Megyeék	I → II	1990–1993	2.0	2.0	1.0	3.0	8.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0
			1994–2006	2.0	2.0	1.0	4.0	9.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.0
	Tervezési- és statisztikai régiók	I	1999–2006	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
Iceland														0.0
Ireland	Regional authorities	I	1987–1993	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
			1994–2006	2.0	1.0	0.0	3.0	6.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0
	Province	I → II	1950–1973	2.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	7.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.0
			1974–1992	2.0	1.0	0.0	3.0	6.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0
Italy			1993–2000	2.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	7.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.0
			2001–1906	2.0	2.0	1.0	3.0	8.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0
	> Bolzano–Bozen/Trento ^a	I → A	1972–1988	2.0	3.0	0.0	4.0	9.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	2.0	11.0
			1989–1992	2.0	3.0	0.0	4.0	9.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	12.0
			1993–1996	2.0	3.0	1.0	4.0	10.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	13.0
			1997–2000	2.0	3.0	3.0	4.0	12.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	15.0
			2001–2006	3.0	3.0	3.0	4.0	13.0	0.0	1.0	2.0	2.0	5.0	18.0
	Regioni a statuto ordinario	I	1972–1976	2.0	1.0	0.0	4.0	7.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.0
		1977–1988	2.0	2.0	0.0	4.0	8.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0	
		1989–1992	2.0	2.0	0.0	4.0	8.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	9.0
		1993–1996	2.0	2.0	1.0	4.0	9.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	10.0
		1997–2000	2.0	2.0	3.0	4.0	11.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	12.0
		2001–2006	3.0	3.0	3.0	4.0	13.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	14.0

Regioni a statuto speciale ^b	A	1950–1988	2.0	3.0	0.0	4.0	9.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	2.0	11.0
		1989–1992	2.0	3.0	0.0	4.0	9.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	12.0
		1993–1996	2.0	3.0	1.0	4.0	10.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	13.0
		1997–2000	2.0	3.0	3.0	4.0	12.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	15.0
> Trentino-Alto Adige/Südtirol	A	2001–2006	3.0	3.0	3.0	4.0	13.0	0.0	2.0	2.0	5.0	18.0
		1950–1971	2.0	3.0	0.0	3.0	8.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	2.0	10.0
		1972–1988	2.0	2.0	0.0	3.0	7.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	2.0	9.0
		1989–1992	2.0	2.0	0.0	3.0	7.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	10.0
		1993–1996	2.0	2.0	1.0	3.0	8.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	11.0
		1997–2000	2.0	2.0	3.0	3.0	10.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	13.0
		2001–2006	3.0	2.0	3.0	3.0	11.0	0.0	2.0	2.0	5.0	16.0
Japan	I	1950–1999	2.0	1.0	1.0	4.0	8.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0
		2000–2006	2.0	2.0	2.0	4.0	10.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0
Latvia		1990–2006	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
Lithuania	I	1992–1994	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
		1995–2006	2.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0
Luxembourg		1950–2006	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
Macedonia		1991–2006	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
Malta		1964–2006	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
Netherlands	I	1950–1993	2.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	7.0	1.5	0.0	2.0	3.0	6.5
		1994–2006	2.0	2.0	1.0	3.0	8.0	1.5	0.0	2.0	3.0	6.5
New Zealand		1950–1962	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
Regions	I	1974–1988	2.0	1.0	2.0	3.0	8.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0
		1989–2006	2.0	1.0	2.0	4.0	9.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.0
> Auckland	I	1963–2006	2.0	1.0	2.0	4.0	9.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.0
> Wellington	I	1974–2006	2.0	1.0	2.0	4.0	9.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.0
Norway	I	1950–1974	2.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0
		1975–2006	2.0	2.0	3.0	3.0	10.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0
Poland	I	1990–1998	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0
		1999–2006	2.0	2.0	0.0	4.0	8.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0

^aThe autonomous provinces of Bolzano and Trento constitute the autonomous region of Trentino-Alto Adige/Südtirol.
^bSardegna, Sicilia, Valle d'Aosta/Vallée d'Aoste and, since 1963, also Friuli-Venezia-Giulia. Trento-Alto Adige/Südtirol is scored separately.

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Country	Region	Type	Year	Institutional depth	Policy scope	Fiscal autonomy	Representation	Self-rule	Law making	Executive control	Fiscal control	Constitutional reform	Shared rule	RAI Total
Portugal	Distritos	I → II	1976–2006	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0
		I	1979–2006	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Comissões de desenvolvimento regional	Açores, Madeira	A	1976–1998	2.0	2.0	2.0	4.0	10.0	0.5	1.0	1.0	1.0	3.5	13.5
		A	1999–2006	3.0	2.0	3.0	4.0	12.0	0.5	1.0	1.0	1.0	3.5	15.5
Romania	Judete	I → II	1991–1993	2.0	1.0	0.0	3.0	6.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0
		I	1994–2002	2.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	7.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.0
Regiuni dezvoltare	I	I	2003–2006	2.0	1.0	0.0	3.0	6.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0
		I	1998–2006	1.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0
Russian Federation	Respublik	I → II	1993–1999	3.0	3.0	3.0	4.0	13.0	2.0	0.0	1.0	3.0	6.0	19.0
		I	2000–1904	2.0	2.0	3.0	4.0	11.0	2.0	0.0	1.0	3.0	6.0	17.0
		I	2005–1906	2.0	1.0	3.0	3.0	9.0	2.0	0.0	1.0	3.0	6.0	15.0
Subwekty federacii	I → II	I	1993–1995	2.0	2.0	3.0	2.0	9.0	2.0	0.0	1.0	3.0	6.0	15.0
		I	1996–1999	3.0	3.0	3.0	4.0	13.0	2.0	0.0	1.0	3.0	6.0	19.0
		I	2000–2004	2.0	2.0	3.0	4.0	11.0	2.0	0.0	1.0	3.0	6.0	17.0
		I	2005–2006	2.0	1.0	3.0	3.0	9.0	2.0	0.0	1.0	3.0	6.0	15.0
Okruga	I	2000–2006	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	
Serbia and Montenegro	Republics	I	1992–2002	3.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	15.0	2.0	0.0	2.0	3.0	7.0	22.0
		I	2003–2006	3.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	15.0	1.5	0.0	2.0	3.0	6.5	21.5
in Serbia: Otkrzi	II	I	1992–2006	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
		I	1992–2001	2.0	1.0	0.0	4.0	7.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.0
in Serbia: Vojvodina	A	I	2002–1906	2.0	2.0	0.0	4.0	8.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0
		I	1992–1998	2.0	1.0	0.0	4.0	7.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.0
Slovakia	Kraje	I	1993–1995	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
		I	1996–2001	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
Slovenia	Samospravne kraje	I	2002–1906	2.0	1.0	0.0	3.0	6.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0
		I	1990–2006	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0

Spain	I → II	1978–2006	2.0	1.0	2.0	3.0	8.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	2.0	10.0
Provincias	I	1978–1981	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Comunidades autónomas	I	1978–1981	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
		1982	3.0	3.0	2.0	0.0	8.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	9.5
		1983–1996	3.0	3.0	2.0	4.0	12.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	13.5
		1997–2006	3.0	3.0	3.0	4.0	13.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	14.5
> País Vasco	I	1978	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
		1979	3.0	3.0	4.0	0.0	10.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	11.5
		1980–2006	3.0	3.0	4.0	4.0	14.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	15.5
> Catalunya	I	1978	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
		1979	3.0	3.0	2.0	0.0	8.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	9.5
		1980–1996	3.0	3.0	2.0	4.0	12.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	13.5
		1997–2006	3.0	3.0	3.0	4.0	13.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	14.5
> Galicia	I	1978–1980	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
		1981–1996	3.0	3.0	2.0	4.0	12.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	13.5
		1997–2006	3.0	3.0	3.0	4.0	13.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	14.5
> Andalucía	I	1978–1980	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
		1981	3.0	3.0	2.0	0.0	8.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	9.5
		1982–1996	3.0	3.0	2.0	4.0	12.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	13.5
		1997–2006	3.0	3.0	3.0	4.0	13.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	14.5
> Navarra	I	1978–1981	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
		1982	3.0	3.0	4.0	0.0	10.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	11.5
		1983–2006	3.0	3.0	4.0	4.0	14.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	15.5
> Asturias, Cantabria	I	1978–1980	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
		1981–1982	3.0	3.0	2.0	0.0	8.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	9.5
		1983–1996	3.0	3.0	2.0	4.0	12.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	13.5
		1997–2006	3.0	3.0	3.0	4.0	13.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.5	14.5
Ceuta, Melilla	A → I	1978–1994	2.0	2.0	2.0	4.0	10.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	2.0	2.5	12.5
		1995–1996	3.0	3.0	2.0	4.0	12.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	2.0	14.0
		1997–2006	3.0	3.0	3.0	4.0	13.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	2.0	15.0
Sweden	I	1950–1970	2.0	1.0	3.0	1.0	7.0	1.5	0.0	2.0	3.0	6.5	13.5
		1971–2006	2.0	2.0	3.0	3.0	10.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0
Switzerland	I	1950–2006	3.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	15.0	1.5	1.0	1.0	1.0	4.5	19.5

[†]La Rioja, Murcia, Valencia, Aragón, Castilla la Mancha, Islas Canarias signed their autonomy statute in 1982, and the Balearic Islands, Castilla y Leon, Extremadura and Madrid signed in 1983.

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Turkey	Iller	I	1950–1960	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0		
			1961–2006	2.0	1.0	0.0	2.0	5.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	
		I → II	1950–2006	2.0	2.0	1.0	4.0	9.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.0	
			Counties													
UK	Regions	I	1994–1997	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	
			1998	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	
		I	1999–2006	2.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	
			2000–2006	2.0	2.0	1.0	4.0	9.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.0	
		> Greater London Authority	I	1950–1971	2.0	3.0	0.0	3.0	8.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.5	9.5
				1972–1999	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
Northern Ireland	Regional councils	II	2000–2002	2.0	3.0	0.0	3.0	8.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	1.5	9.5	
			2003–2006	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	
		A	1950–1998	1.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	13.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	3.5	16.5	
			1999–2006	3.0	3.0	3.0	4.0	13.0	0.5	1.0	1.0	0.0	2.0	3.5	16.5	
Wales	Regional councils	A	1964–1998	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	1.5	
			1999–2006	3.0	2.0	0.0	3.0	8.0	0.5	1.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	3.5	11.5	
USA	Counties	II	1950–2006	2.0	2.0	1.0	4.0	9.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.0	
			1980–2006	2.0	1.0	1.0	4.0	8.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0	
	States	I	1950–2006	3.0	3.0	4.0	4.0	14.0	1.5	1.0	0.0	3.0	5.5	19.5		
			Alaska, Hawaii	A → I	1950–1958	2.0	3.0	0.0	2.0	7.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.0
	Washington DC	Regional councils	A → I	1959–2006	3.0	3.0	4.0	4.0	14.0	1.5	1.0	0.0	3.0	5.5	19.5	
				1950–1972	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
Washington DC	Regional councils	A	1973–1994	2.0	3.0	4.0	4.0	13.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.0		
			1995–2000	1.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	
Washington DC	Regional councils	A	2001–2006	2.0	3.0	4.0	4.0	13.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.0		