

Codebook

2006 Chapel Hill Expert Survey (raw data)

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This dataset provides the raw expert data for the 2006 Chapel Hill Expert Survey on the positioning of 227 political parties on European integration in all EU member states (24) apart from Luxembourg, Cyprus, and Malta. The survey was administered in the summer of 2007 to 528 academics specializing in political parties and European integration in one of the countries considered. Two-hundred-thirty-five surveys were completed, a 45 percent response rate.

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The *2006_ChapelHillSurvey_rawdata.sav* dataset provides information at the level of the individual expert and allows researchers to aggregate expert scores, estimate standard deviations among expert judgments, and calculate uncertainty estimates. The survey questionnaire specifies the full question format.

Users interested in average party positions should use the *2006_ChapelHillSurvey_means.sav* dataset, which contains average expert judgments per political party and which has a separate codebook. The dataset contains an array of party- and country-specific variables such as vote percentage, party family, and government or opposition status.

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COUNTRY_ID = unique identifier for each country

Country ID	Country
1	Belgium
2	Denmark
3	Germany
4	Greece
5	Spain
6	France
7	Ireland
8	Italy
10	Netherlands
11	United Kingdom
12	Portugal
13	Austria
14	Finland
16	Sweden
20	Bulgaria
21	Czech Republic
22	Estonia
23	Hungary
24	Latvia
25	Lithuania
26	Poland
27	Romania
28	Slovakia
29	Slovenia

PARTY_ID = unique identifier for each party

PARTY = party abbreviation

Country	Party ID	Party Abbrev	Party Name	Party Name (English)
BE	102	PS	Parti Socialiste	Socialist Party
	103	SPA	Socialistische Partij Anders-Spirit	Socialist Party Different-Spirit
	104	ECOLO	Ecolo	Ecolo
	105	Groen	Groen!	Green!
	106	MR	Mouvement Réformateur	Reformist Movement
	107	VLD	Vlaamse Liberalen en Democraten	Flemish Liberals and Democrats
	108	CDH	Centre Démocrate Humaniste	Humanist Democratic Centre
	109	CD&V	Christen-Democratisch & Vlaams	Christian Democratic and Flemish
	110	NVA	Nieuw-Vlaamse Alliantie	New Flemish Alliance
	112	VB	Vlaams Belang	Flemish Interest
DK	201	SD	Socialdemokraterne	Social Democrats
	202	RV	Det Radikale Venstre	Radical Left-Social Liberal Party
	203	KF	Konservative Folksparti	Conservative People's Party
	206	SF	Socialistisk Folkeparti	Socialist People's Party
	211	V	Venstre, Danmarks Liberale Parti	Venstre, Liberal Party of Denmark
	213	EL	Enhedslisten	Unity List-Red-Green Alliance

GE	215	DF	Dansk Folkeparti	Danish People's Party	
	216	Junib	Junibevaegnelsen	June Movement	
	217	FolkB	Folkebevægelsen mod EU	People's Movement Against the EU	
	301	CDU	Christlich–Demokratische Union	Christian Democratic Union	
	302	SPD	Sozialdemokratische 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	Linkspartei/ PDS	Die Linkspartei/Partei des Demokratischen Sozialismus	Left Party/Party of Democratic Socialism	
GR	308	CSU	Christlich Soziale Union in Bayern	Christian Social Union in Bavaria	
	401	PASOK	Panellinio Sosialistikó Kínima	Panhellenic Socialist Movement	
	402	ND	Néa Dimokratía	New Democracy	
	403	SYRIZA	Synaspismós Rizospastikís Aristerás	Coalition of the Radical Left	
	404	KKE	Kommounistikó Kómma Elládas	Communist Party of Greece	
	409	DIKKI	Dimokratiko Koinoniko Kinima	Democratic Social Movement	
	410	LAOS	Laikós Orthódoxos Synagermós	Popular Orthodox Rally	
	ESP	501	PSOE	Partido Socialista Obrero Español	Spanish Socialist Workers' Party
502		PP	Partido Popular	People's Party	
504		IU	Izquierda Unida	United Left	
505		CiU	Convergència i Unió	Convergence and Unity	
506		PNV	Euzko Alderdi Jeltzalea/ Partido Nacionalista Vasco	Basque Nationalist Party	
507		EA	Eusko Alkartasuna	Basque Solidarity	
511		ERC	Esquerra Republicana de Catalunya	Republican Left of Catalonia	
513		BNG	Bloque Nacionalista Galego	Galician Nationalist Bloc	
517		CC	Coalicion Canaria	Coalicion Canaria	
520		CHA	Chunta Aragonesista	Aragonese Council	
FR		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	Green Party	
	609	UMP	Union pour un Mouvement Populaire	Union for Popular Movement	
	610	FN	Front National	National Front	
	612	MPF	Mouvement Pour la France	Movement for France	
	613	UDF	Union pour la Démocracie Française	Union for French Democracy	
	IRL	701	FF	Fianna Fail	Soldiers of Destiny
		702	FG	Fine Gael	Family of the Irish
703		Lab	Labour	Labour	
705		GP	Green Party	Green Party	
706		PD	Progressive Democrats	Progressive Democrats	
707		SF	Sinn Fein	We Ourselves	
IT	802	DS	Democratici di Sinistra	Democrats of the Left	
	803	RC	Partito della Rifondazione Comunista	Communist Refoundation Party	

	805	AN	Alleanza Nazionale	National Alliance
	807	SDI	Socialisti Democratici Italiani	Italian Democratic Socialists
	808	Verdi	Federazione dei Verdi	Federation of Greens
	811	LN	Lega Nord	Northern League
	813	RAD	Radicali Italiani	Italian Radicals
	814	UDC	Unione dei Democratici Cristiani e die Democratici di Centro	Union of Christian and Center Democrats
	815	FI	Forza Italia	Forward Italy
	819	DL	Democrazia è Libertà-La Margherita	Daisy–Democracy is Freedom
	827	SVP	Südtiroler Volkspartei	South Tyrolean People's Party
	828	IdV	Di Pietro–Italia dei Valori	Italy of Values
	829	UDEUR	Popolari–UDEUR	Popular–UDEUR
	830	PP	Partito dei Pensionati	Pensioners' Party
	832	MRE	Movimento Repubblicani Europei	European Republican Movement
	835	NPSI	Nuovo Partito Socialista Italiano	New Italian Socialist Party
NL	836	PdCI	Partito dei Comunisti Italiani	Party of Italian Communists
	1001	CDA	Christen–Democratisch Appel	Christian Democratic Appeal
	1002	PvdA	Partij van de Arbeid	Labour Party
	1003	VVD	Volkspartij voor Vrijheid en Demokratie	People's Party for Freedom and Democracy
	1004	D66	Democraten 66	Democrats 66
	1005	GL	Groen Links	Green Left
	1014	SP	Socialistische Partij	Socialist Party
	1016	CU	Christen Unie	Christian Union
	1017	PVV	Partij voor de Vrijheid	Party for Freedom
UK	1101	Cons	Conservative Party	Conservative Party
	1102	Lab	Labour Party	Labour Party
	1104	LibDems	Liberal Democratic Party	Liberal Democratic Party
	1105	SNP	Scottish National Party	Scottish National Party
	1106	Plaid	Plaid Cymru	Party of Wales
	1107	Greens	Green Party	Green Party
	1108	UKIP	United Kingdom Independence Party	United Kingdom Independence Party
POR	1201	CDU	Coligação Democrática Unitária	Unitarian Democratic Coalition
	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	1208	BE	Bloco de Esquerda	Left Bloc
	1301	SPÖ	Sozialdemokratische Partei Österreichs	Social Democratic Party of Austria
	1302	ÖVP	Österreichische Volkspartei	Austrian People's Party
	1303	FPÖ	Freiheitliche Partei Österreichs	Freedom Party of Austria
	1304	Grüne	Die Grünen	The Greens
	1306	LIF	Liberales Forum	Liberal Forum
	1307	BZÖ	Bündnis Zukunft Österreich	Alliance for the Future of Austria
	1308	MARTIN	Liste Dr. Hans–Peter Martin	Hans–Peter Martin's List

FIN	1401	SDP	Suomen Sosialidemokraattinen	Social Democratic Party of Finland	
	1402	KOK	Kansallinen Kokoomus	National Coalition Party	
	1403	KESK	Suomen Keskusta	Finnish Center Party	
	1404	VAS	Vasemmistoliito	Left Alliance	
	1405	True Finns	Persussuomalaiset	True Finns	
	1406	RKP/SFP	Ruotsalainen kansanpuolue/ Svenska folkpartiet	Swedish People's Party	
	1408	VIHR	Vihreät De Gröna	Green League	
	1409	KD	Kristillisdemokraatit	Christian Democrats	
	SV	1601	V	Vänsterpartiet	Left Party
		1602	SAP	Arbetarpartiet– Socialdemokraterna	Worker's Party–Social Democrats
1603		C	Centerpartiet	Center Party	
1604		FP	Folkpartiet liberalerna	Liberal People's Party	
1605		M	Moderaterna	Moderate Party	
1606		KD	Kristdemokraterna	Christian–Democrats	
1607		MP	Miljöpartiet de Groena	Environmental Party the Greens	
BUL		1609	JL	Junilistan	June List
		2001	NDSV	Nacionalno Dviženie Simeon Vtori	National Movement Simeon II
		2002	ODS	Obedineni demokraticni sili	United Democratic Forces
	2003	KzB	Koalicija za Bălgarija	Coalition for Bulgaria	
	2004	DPS	Dviženie za Prava i Svobodi	Movement for Rights and Freedoms	
	2007	NOA	Nacionalno Obedinenie Ataka	National Union Attack	
	2008	DSB	Demokrati za Silna Bălgarija	Democrats for a Strong Bulgaria	
	CZECH	2009	BNS	Bălgarski Narodni Săjuz	Bulgarian People's Union
		2101	CSSD	Ceská strana sociálne demokratická	Czech Social Democratic Party
		2102	ODS	Obcanská Demokratická Strana	Civic Democratic Party
2103		KSCM	Komunistická strana Cech a Moravy	Communist Party of Bohemia and Moravia	
2104		KDU–CSL	Krestanská demokratická unie–Ceskoslovenská strana lidová	Christian Democratic Union– Czechoslovak People's Party	
2106		SNK–ED	Sdružení nezávislých kandidátů–Evropští demokraté	Union of Independents– European Democrats	
2107		SZ	Strana zelených	Green Party	
2108		Nezavisli	Nezávislí	Independents	
EST		2201	IRL	Isamaa ja Res Publica Liit	Pro Patria and Res Publica Union
		2202	EK	Eesti Keskerakond	Estonian Center Party
	2203	ER	Eesti Reformierakond	Estonian Reform Party	
	2204	SDE	Sotsiaaldemokraatlik Erakond	Social Democratic Party	
	2205	KP	Eestimaa Ühendatud Rahvapartei	Constitution Party	
	2206	ERL	Eestimaa Rahvaliid	Estonian People's Union	
	HUNG	2301	MSzP	Magyar Szocialista Párt	Hungarian Socialist Party
		2302	Fidesz–M	Fidesz–Magyar Polgári Szövetség	Fidesz–Hungarian Civic Union
		2303	MDF	Magyar Demokrata Fórum	Hungarian Democratic Forum
		2304	SzDSz	Szabad Demokraták Szövetsége	Alliance of Free Democrats

LAT	2307	KDNP	Kereszténydemokrata Néppárt	Christian Democratic People's Party	
	2401	JL	Jaunais Laikas	New Era Party	
	2402	PCTVL	Par Cilvēka Tiesībām Vienotā Latvijā	For Human Rights in United Latvia	
	2403	TP	Tautas Partija	People's Party	
	2404	LPP	Latvijas Pirma Partija	Latvia's First Party	
	2405	ZZS	Zaļo un Zemnieku Savienība	Union of Greens and Farmers	
	2406	TB-LNNK	Tēvzemei un Brīvībai/LNNK	For Fatherland and Freedom/LNNK	
	2407	LC	Latvijas Ceļš	Latvian Way	
	2408	LSDSP	Latvijas Sociāldemokrātiskā Strādnieku Partija	Latvian Social Democratic Labour Party	
	LITH	2410	SC	Saskaņas Centrs	Harmony Centre
2501		LSDP	Lietuvos socialdemokratų partija	Social Democratic Party of Lithuania	
2504		NS	Naujoji sąjunga/socialliberalai	New Union (Social Liberals)	
2505		LiCS	Liberalų ir centro sąjunga	Liberal and Centre Union	
2506		TS	Tėvynės sąjunga	Homeland Union	
2507		LVLS	Lietuvos valstiečių liaudininkų sąjunga	Lithuanian Peasant Popular Union	
2511		LLRA	Lietuvos lenkų rinkimų akcija	Election Action of Lithuania's Poles	
2515		LD	Tvarka ir teisingumas	Order and Justice	
2516		DP	Darbo partija	Labour Party	
POL		2601	SLD	Sojusz Lewicy Demokratycznej	Alliance of Democratic Left
	2603	PO	Platforma Obywatelska	Civic Platform	
	2604	S	Samoobrona RP	Self Defense of the Polish Republic	
	2605	PiS	Prawo i Sprawiedliwość	Law and Justice Party	
	2606	PSL	Polskie Stronnictwo Ludowe	Polish People's Party	
	2607	LPR	Liga Polskich Rodzin	League of Polish Families	
	2609	PD	Partia Demokratyczna	Democratic Party	
	2611	SDPL	Socjaldemokracja Polska	Social Democracy of Poland	
	ROM	2701	PSD	Partidul Social Democrat	Social Democratic Party
		2702	PC	Partidul Umanist din Romania	Conservative Party
2703		PRM	Partidul Romania Mare	Party of Great Romania	
2704		PD	Partidul Democrat	Democratic Party	
2705		PNL	Partidul National Liberal	National Liberal Party	
2706		UDMR	Uniunea Democrată Maghiară din România	Hungarian Democratic Union of Romania	
2708		FDGR	Forumul Democrat al Germanilor din România	Democratic Forum of Germans of Romania	
SLOVAK		2801	LS-HZDS	Ludová strana-Hnutie za demokraticé Slovensko	People's Party-Movement for a Democratic Slovakia
		2802	SDKU-DS	Slovenská demokratická a kresťanská unia-Demokratická strana	Slovak Democratic and Christian Union - Democratic Party
		2803	Smer	Smer-sociálna demokracia	Direction-Social Democracy
	2804	SMK	Strana maďarskej koalície-Magyar Koalíció Pártja	Party of the Hungarian Coalition	
	2805	KDH	Kresťanskodemokratické hnutie	Christian Democratic Movement	
	2807	KSS	Komunistická strana Slovenska	Communist Party of Slovakia	
	2809	SNS	Slovenská národná strana	Slovak National Party	
2811	SF	Slobodné fórum	Free Forum		

SLOVEN	2901	LDS	Liberalna demoracija Slovenije	Liberal Democracy of Slovenia
	2902	SDS	Slovenska demokratska stranka	Slovenian Democratic Party
	2903	ZLSD	Združena lista socialnih demokratov	United List of Social Democrats
	2904	SLS	Slovenska ljudska stranka	Slovenian People's Party
	2905	NSI	Nova Slovenija–Krščanska ljudska stranka	New Slovenia–Christian People's Party
	2906	DeSUS	Demokracicna stranka upokojencev Slovenije	Democratic Party of Pensioners of Slovenia
	2907	SNS	Slovenska nacionalna stranka	Slovenian National Party
	2909	AS	Aktivna Slovenija	Active Slovenia

EXPERT_ID = unique identifier for each expert

Q1 = overall orientation of the party leadership towards European integration in 2006

- 1 = strongly opposed
- 2 = opposed
- 3 = somewhat opposed
- 4 = neutral
- 5 = somewhat in favor
- 6 = in favor
- 7 = strongly in favor

Q2 = the relative salience of European integration in the party's public stance in 2006

- 1 = no importance
- 2 = little importance
- 3 = some importance
- 4 = great importance

Q3 = internal dissent or conflict in the party on European integration in 2006

- 0 = party was completely united
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- 10 = party was extremely divided

Q4 = party leadership's stance on whether the country has benefited from EU membership

- 1 = benefited
- 2 = neither benefited nor lost
- 3 = not benefited

Q5 = position of the party leadership in 2006 on the powers of the European Parliament

- 1 = strongly opposes
- 2 = opposes
- 3 = somewhat opposed
- 4 = neutral
- 5 = somewhat in favor
- 6 = favors
- 7 = strongly favors

Q6 = position of the party leadership in 2006 on the internal market

1 = strongly opposes

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7 = strongly favors

Q7 = position of the party leadership in 2006 on EU cohesion policy

1 = strongly opposes

:

7 = strongly favors

Q8 = position of the party leadership in 2006 on an EU foreign and security policy

1 = strongly opposes

:

7 = strongly favors

Q9 = position of the party leadership in 2006 on EU enlargement to Turkey

1 = strongly opposes

:

7 = strongly favors

Q10 = position of the party in 2006 in terms of its overall ideological stance

0 = extreme left

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5 = center

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10 = extreme right

Q11 = position of the party in 2006 in terms of its ideological stance on economic issues. Parties can be classified in terms of their stance on economic issues. Parties on the economic left want government to play an active role in the economy. Parties on the economic right emphasize a reduced economic role for government: privatization, lower taxes, less regulation, less government spending, and a leaner welfare state.

0 = extreme left

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5 = center

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10 = extreme right

Q12 = position of the party in 2006 in terms of its ideological stance on democratic freedoms and rights. “Libertarian” or “postmaterialist” parties favor expanded personal freedoms, for example, access to abortion, active euthanasia, same-sex marriage, or greater democratic participation. “Traditional” or “authoritarian” parties often reject these ideas; they value order, tradition, and stability, and believe that the government should be a firm moral authority on social and cultural issues.

0 = extreme left

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5 = center

:

10 = extreme right

Q13 = position on improving public services vs. reducing taxes

0 = strongly favors improving public services

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10 = strongly favors reducing taxes

Q14 = importance/salience of improving public services vs. reducing taxes

0 = not important at all

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10 = extremely important

Q15 = position on deregulation

0 = strongly opposes deregulation of markets

:

10 = strongly supports deregulation of markets

Q16 = importance/salience of deregulation

0 = not important at all

:

10 = extremely important

Q17 = position on redistribution from the rich to the poor

0 = strongly favors redistribution

:

10 = strongly opposes redistribution

Q18 = importance/salience of redistribution

0 = not important at all

:

10 = extremely important

Q19 = position on civil liberties vs. law and order

0 = strongly promotes civil liberties

:

10 = strongly supports tough measures to fight crime

Q20 = importance/salience of civil liberties vs. law and order

0 = not important at all

:

10 = extremely important

Q21 = position on social lifestyle (e.g. homosexuality)

0 = strongly supports liberal policies

:

10 = strongly opposes liberal policies

Q22 = importance/salience of social lifestyle issues (e.g. homosexuality)

0 = not important at all

:

10 = extremely important

Q23 = position on role of religious principles in politics

0 = strongly opposes religious principles in politics

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10 = strongly supports religious principles in politics

Q24 = importance/salience of religious principles in politics

0 = not important at all

:

10 = extremely important

- Q25 = position on immigration policy
0 = strongly opposes tough policy
:
10 = strongly favors tough policy
- Q26 = importance/salience of immigration policy
0 = not important at all
:
10 = extremely important
- Q27 = position on integration of immigrants and asylum seekers
0 = strongly favors multiculturalism
:
10 = strongly favors assimilation
- Q28 = importance/salience of integration of immigrants and asylum seekers
0 = not important at all
:
10 = extremely important
- Q29 = position on urban vs. rural interests
0 = strongly supports urban interests
:
10 = strongly supports rural interests
- Q30 = importance/salience of urban vs. rural interests
0 = not important at all
:
10 = extremely important
- Q31 = position on cosmopolitanism vs. nationalism
0 = strongly advocates cosmopolitanism
:
10 = strongly advocates nationalism
- Q32 = importance/salience of cosmopolitanism vs. nationalism
0 = not important at all
:
10 = extremely important
- Q33 = position on political decentralization to regions/localities
0 = strongly favors political decentralization
:
10 = strongly opposes political decentralization
- Q34 = importance/salience of political decentralization to regions/localities
0 = not important at all
:
10 = extremely important
- Q35 = position towards US power in world affairs
0 = strongly opposes strong US leadership in world affairs
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10 = strongly favors strong US leadership in world affairs

Q36 = importance/salience of US power in world affairs

0 = not important at all

:

10 = extremely important

Q37 = position towards ethnic minorities

0 = strongly supports more rights for ethnic minorities

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10 = strongly opposes more rights for ethnic minorities

Q38 = importance/salience of ethnic minorities

0 = not important at all

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10 = extremely important