**Codesheet for the LEGACIES state identification process**

**PART I: Statehood**

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| **Entity\_Name** |  |
| **Other\_Name** |  |
| **COWNUM** |  |
| **COWID** |  |

**LOCATION**

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| **Cap**  Please provide the latitude and longitude coordinates here for the capital cities (or most important city, or centre) of the entity. Separate the coordinates with a comma, and different cities with a semi-colon. Please use Degrees Minutes Seconds format, with each element separated by a space (i.e Sydney would be: 33 52 04 S, 151 12 36 E) |  |
| **Cap\_Name**  Please provide the names of the centre/capital city, with years in brackets and separated by a comma (i.e Sydney (1847-1900), Melbourne (1901-1923) |  |
| **Evidence** | |

**STATEHOOD**

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| **Population\_10K:**  Did you find evidence that this entity had a population of less than 10,000 people? | YES/NO |
| **Autonomy**  Does this entity have an administrative hierarchy to make/implement decisions throughout the territory over some aspects of sovereign decision making? | YES/NO |
| **Sovereignty**  Does this entity meet the criteria for external sovereignty (i.e it has independent foreign policy making powers that are recognized or uncontested)? | YES/NO |
| **Statehood**  Does this entity meet all the criteria for statehood? | YES/NO |
| **Ruled\_By**  If this state was not sovereign because it did not have external sovereignty (i.e failed criteria 3), who was it ruled by (text name only)? |  |
| **Evidence** | |

**PART II**

**STATE CHARACTERISTICS**

Remember, only move onto this section if the entity qualifies as a state in PART I of the codesheet. You can delete this section if the entity does not qualify as a state. The symbol “\*” indicates variables that you should code if you come across the information but should not spend long periods of time searching for information for these variables.

**STATE BIRTH AND DEATH**

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| **Start**  The year the state entered the system – i.e. met all of the criteria for statehood listed above except for states that existed at the beginning of the time period for the dataset, 1750 is used as the start. Provide actual calendar date if known. | dd-mm-yyyy |
| **Start\_Am**  Was there ambiguity in the coding of the start? | YES/NO |
| **Estart\***  What year did the state start if before 1750? (provide actual year and calendar date if known). | dd-mm-yyyy |
| **Estart\_Am**  Was there ambiguity on the early start date? | YES/NO |
| **Start\_Type**  How was the state created? | 1. Territorial Consolidation  2. Secession  3. Dissolution  4. Unification  5. Decolonization  6. Other |
| **Parent\_State**    If this state started as secession, dissolution, unification or decolonization, from which state did it emerge (text only). |  |
| **End**  Year the state exited the system | dd-mm-yyyy |
| **End\_Am**  Was there ambiguity on the end date? | YES/NO |
| **End\_Type**  How did the state end? | 1. Colonization  2. Conquest / annexation.  3. Unification  4. Dissolution  5. Partition  6. Other |
| **End\_Agent**  Which state ended the existence of this state-episode (text only). |  |
| **Evidence** | |

**POPULATION AND LAND AREA**

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| **Population\***  List the population for the start years or as close as possible to it. |  |
| **Population\_High\***  High estimate of population where there are multiple figures available |  |
| **Population\_Low\***  Low estimate of population where there are multiple figures available |  |
| **Evidence** | |

**TRIBUTARY/HIERARCHICAL RELATIONS**

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| **Trib\***  Did you find evidence that this state payed “tribute” to another state or was symbolically or formally subordinate to another state (whilst retaining external independence)? Did another state control aspects of its sovereign decision making? | YES/NO |
| **Trib\_Name\***  Name(s) of the state(s) to which this state payed tribute/was subordinate to. |  |
| **Evidence** | |

**COLONIALISM AND THE MODERN WORLD**

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| **Colonized**  Was this state ever colonized? Please refer to the codebook for a definition of colonization. This largely pertains to European colonization. | YES/NO |
| **Col\_Type**  What best describes what happened to this state through the period of colonization, retaining the temporal order where possible? | 1. Ruled indirectly 2. Ruled directly |
| **Destination\_States**  In which modern state(s) was this state located? You can use as many “destination states” as you need, but the first state should be where most of the state, the center, or the capital of the state was. Only code additional destination states if a substantial part of the state was located in another modern country. |  |
| **Evidence** |  |

**BIBLIOGRAHY**