

Table A.1: African leaders in the sample

Country	Leader name	Entered office	Left office	ADM1 region	ADM2 region	Ethnicity
Angola	Jose Eduardo dos Santos	10.09.1979	ongoing	Luanda	Maianga	Kimbundu
Benin	Mathieu Kerekou	04.04.1996	06.04.2006	Atakora	Toffo	Somba
Benin	Thomas Yayi Boni	06.04.2006	ongoing	Borgou	Tchaourou	Yoruba
Botswana	Festus Mogae	31.03.1998	01.04.2008	Central	Serowe	Kalanga
Burkina Faso	Blaise Compaore	15.10.1987	ongoing	Oubritenga	Ziniare	Mossi
Burundi	Pierre Buyoya	25.07.1996	30.04.2003	Bururi	Rutovu	Tutsi
Burundi	Pierre Nkurunziza	26.08.2006	ongoing	Bujumbura Mairie	Roherero	Hutu
Burundi	Domitien Ndayizeye	30.04.2003	26.08.2006	Kayanza	Kayanza	Hutu
Côte d'Ivoire	Alassane Ouattara	11.04.2011	ongoing	N'zi-Comoé	Dimbokro	Dioula
Côte d'Ivoire	Laurent Gbagbo	26.10.2000	11.04.2011	Fromager	Gagnoa	Krou (Bete)
Cameroon	Paul Biya	06.11.1982	ongoing	Sud	Dja-et-Lobo	Beti
Cape Verde	Jose Maria Neves	01.02.2001	ongoing	Santa Catarina		Portugese
Cape Verde	Carlos Veiga	04.04.1991	29.07.2000	São Vicente		Portugese
Central African Republic	Ange-Felix Patasse	22.10.1993	15.03.2003	Ouham-Pendé	Paoua	Sara-Kaba
Chad	Idriss Deby	02.12.1990	ongoing	Bet	Ennedi Ouest	Zaghawa
Comoros	Ikililou Dhoinine	26.02.2011	ongoing	Nzwani		Swahili
Comoros	Azali Assoumani	27.05.2002	26.05.2006	Njazidja		Swahili
Comoros	Ahmed Abdallah Mohamed Sambi	27.05.2006	26.05.2011	Mwali		Hadrami
Comoros	Azali Assoumani	30.04.1999	21.01.2002	Njazidja		Swahili
Democratic Republic of Congo	Laurent-Desire Kabila	16.05.1997	16.01.2001	Katanga	Tanganika	Luba
Democratic Republic of Congo	Joseph Kabila	17.01.2001	ongoing	Katanga	Haut-Lomami	Luba
Egypt	Mohammed Hussein Tantawi	11.02.2011	ongoing	Al Qahirah		Nubian
Egypt	Hosni Mubarak	14.10.1981	11.02.2011	Al Minufiyah		Arab
Equatorial Guinea	Teodoro Obiang Nguema Mbasogo	03.08.1979	ongoing	Wele-Nzás		Fang
Eritrea	Isaias Afewerki	24.05.1993	ongoing	Anseba	Asmara City	Biher-Tigrinya
Ethiopia	Meles Zenawi	27.05.1991	ongoing	Tigray	Central Tigray	Tigray-Tigrinya
Gabon	Omar Bongo Ondimba	28.11.1967	08.06.2009	Haut-Ogooué	Lé coni-Djoué	Teke
Gambia	Yahya Jammeh	22.07.1994	ongoing	Western	Brikama	Jola
Ghana	John Evans Atta-Mills	07.01.2009	ongoing	Western	Wassa West	Fanti
Ghana	John Agyekum Kufuor	08.01.2001	07.01.2009	Ashanti	Kumasi	Asante
Ghana	Jerry Rawlings	31.12.1981	07.01.2001	Greater Accra	Accra	Ewe
Guinea	Lansana Conté	03.04.1984	22.12.2008	Kindia	Coyah	Susu
Guinea	Sekouba Konate	05.12.2009	21.12.2010	Conarky	Conarky	Mandinka
Guinea	Alpha Conde	21.12.2010	ongoing	Boké	Boké	Mandinka
Guinea	Moussa Dadis Camara	23.12.2008	05.12.2009	Nzérékoré	Nzérékoré	Kpelle
Guinea-Bissau	Joao Bernardo Vieira	01.20.2005	02.03.2009	Bissau	Bissau	Papel
Guinea-Bissau	Raimundo Pereira	02.03.2009	08.09.2009	Oio	Mansaba	
Guinea-Bissau	Malam Bacai Sanha	08.09.2009	ongoing	Oio	Mansaba	Mandinka
Guinea-Bissau	Kumba Iala	18.02.2000	14.09.2003	Cacheu	Bula	Balante
Guinea-Bissau	Henrique Pereira Rosa	28.09.2003	01.10.2005	Bafatá	Bafatá	Balante
Kenya	Daniel arap Moi	22.08.1978	30.12.2002	Rift Valley	Baringo	Kalenjin
Kenya	Mwai Kibaki	31.12.2002	ongoing	Central	Nyeri	Kikuyu
Lesotho	Pakalithal Mosisili	29.05.1998	ongoing	Mohale's Hoek		Basotho
Liberia	Charles Taylor	02.08.1997	11.08.2003	Bomi	Klay	Gola
Liberia	Gyude Bryant	14.10.2003	16.01.2006	Montserrado	Greater Monrovia	Grebo
Liberia	Ellen Johnson Sirleaf	16.01.2006	ongoing	Montserrado	Greater Monrovia	Gola
Libya	Muammar al-Gaddafi	01.09.1969	23.08.2011	Surt		Qadhadhfa

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Madagascar	Marc Ravalomanana	06.07.2002	17.03.2009	Antananarivo	Analamanga	Merina
Madagascar	Didier Ratsiraka	09.02.1997	06.07.2002	Toamasina	Atsinanana	Malagasy
Madagascar	Andry Rajoelina	17.03.2009	ongoing	Antananarivo	Analamanga	Merina
Malawi	Bakili Muluzi	21.05.1994	24.05.2004	Machinga	SC Chiwalo	Yao
Malawi	Bingu wa Mutharika	24.05.2004	ongoing	Thyolo	TA Nchilamwela	Lhomwe
Mali	Alpha Oumar Konare	08.06.1992	08.06.2002	Kayes	Kayes	Bambara/Fula
Mali	Amadou Toumani Toure	08.06.2002	ongoing	Mopti	Mopti	Fula
Mauritania	Ely Ould Mohamed Vall	03.08.2005	19.04.2007	Nouakchott	Nouakchott	Bidan
Mauritania	Mohammed Ould Abdelaziz	05.08.2009	ongoing	Inchiri	Akjoujt	Bidan
Mauritania	Maaouya Ould Taya	12.12.1984	03.08.2005	Adrar	Atar	Bidan
Mauritania	Ba Mamadou Mbaré	15.04.2009	05.08.2009	Gorgol	Maghama	Fula
Mauritania	Sidi Ould Cheikh Abdellahi	19.04.2007	06.08.2008	Brakna	Aleg	Bidan
Mauritius	Navinchandra Ramgoolam	05.07.2005	ongoing	Port Louis		Hindu
Mauritius	Anerood Jugnauth	18.09.2000	30.09.2003	Plaines Wilhems		Hindu
Mauritius	Navinchandra Ramgoolam	22.12.1995	17.09.2000	Port Louis		Hindu
Mauritius	Paul Berenger	30.09.2003	05.07.2005	Moka		French
Morocco	Mohammed VI of Morocco	23.07.1999	ongoing	Rabat - Salé - Zemmour - Zaer	Rabat	Berber
Mozambique	Armando Emilio Guebuza	02.02.2005	ongoing	Nampula	Murrupula	Makua
Mozambique	Joaquim Alberto Chissano	06.11.1986	02.02.2005	Gaza	Chibuto	Tsonga
Namibia	Sam Daniel Nujoma	21.03.1990	21.03.2005	Omusati	Okahao	Ovambo
Namibia	Hifikepunye Pohamba	21.03.2005	ongoing	Ohangwena	Engela	Ovambo
Niger	Mahamadou Issoufou	07.04.2011	ongoing	Tahoua	Illéla	Hausa
Niger	Salou Djibo	08.02.2010	07.04.2011	Tillabéry	Kollo	Djerma
Niger	Mamadou Tandja	22.12.1999	08.02.2010	Diffa	Ma'iné-Soroa	Fula/Kanuri
Nigeria	Goodluck Jonathan	09.02.2010	ongoing	Bayelsa	Ogbia	Ijaw
Nigeria	Olusegun Obasanjo	29.05.1999	29.05.2007	Ogun	Abeokuta South	Yoruba
Nigeria	Umaru Musa Yar'Adua	29.05.2007	09.02.2010	Katsina	Katsina (K)	Fulani
Republic of the Congo	Denis Sassou Nguesso	15.10.1997	ongoing	Cuvette	Owando	Mbochi
Rwanda	Paul Kagame	19.07.1994	ongoing	Gitarama	Tambwe	Tutsi
Senegal	Abdoulaye Wade	02.04.2000	ongoing	Louga	Kébémér	Wolof
Sierra Leone	Ahmad Tejan Kabbah	10.03.1998	17.09.2007	Eastern	Kailahun	Mende
Sierra Leone	Ernest Bai Koroma	17.09.2007	ongoing	Northern	Bombali	Temne
South Africa	Jacob Zuma	09.05.2009	ongoing	KwaZulu-Natal	Nkandla	Zulu
South Africa	Thabo Mbeki	16.06.1999	24.09.2008	Eastern Cape	Idutywa	Xhosa
Sudan	Umar Hassan Ahmad al-Bashir	30.06.1989	ongoing	Northern	River Nile	Ja'alin
Swaziland	Mswati III of Swaziland	25.04.1986	ongoing	Manzini		Swazi
Tanzania	Jakaya Kikwete	21.12.2005	ongoing	Pwani	Bagamoyo	Kwere
Tanzania	Benjamin Mkapa	23.11.1995	21.12.2005	Mtwara	Masasi	Ngoni
Togo	Faure Gnassingbe	04.05.2005	ongoing	Maritime	Lacs	Kabre
Togo	Gnassingbe Eyadema	14.04.1967	05.02.2005	Kara	Kozah	Kabre/Kabiye
Tunisia	Zine El Abidine Ben Ali	07.11.1987	14.01.2011	Sousse	Sousse Médina	Tunisia Arabs
Tunisia	Fouad Mebazaa	15.01.2011	13.12.2011	Tunis	Bab Souika	Tunisia Arabs
Uganda	Yoweri Museveni	26.01.1986	ongoing	Ntungamo	Ruhaama	Banyankole
Zambia	Frederick Chiluba	02.11.1991	02.01.2002	Copperbelt	Kitwe	Bemba
Zambia	Levy Mwanawasa	03.01.2002	19.08.2008	Copperbelt	Mufulira	Lenje
Zambia	Michael Sata	23.09.2011	ongoing	Northern	Mpika	Bemba
Zimbabwe	Robert Mugabe	04.03.1980	ongoing	Harare	Harare	Shona