Instructions to replicate "Does Direct Democracy Hurt Immigrant Minorities? Evidence from Naturalization Decisions in Switzerland"

Important Note:

In order to replicate all analyses, you need access to the "PETRA" data, which you can obtain from the

Swiss Federal Statistical Office Espace de l'Europe 10, 2010 Neuchâtel, Switzerland

after signing a data protection and licensing agreement.

The full name of the data (in German) is: Statistik der ausländischen Wohnbevölkerung (PETRA), 1991-2009

From the PETRA data (save as petra.dta), you need the following variables nat_rate_ord: Naturalization rate ordinary nat_rate fac: Naturalization rate facilitated

ordinary: Number of Naturalizations eligible: no of eligible immigrants

The first lines of repcode.do merges the petra.dta with the repdata_public.dta

Auxiliary ado files:

- eststo from package st0085_2
- mat2txt from package mat2txt
- outreg2 from http://fmwww.bc.edu/RePEc/bocode/

Code files:

- repcode.do: code file to replicate main analyses
- repplots.R: code files to replicate graphs

Data files:

- repdata_public.dta: replication data file with all variables except those that are protected
- petra.dta: replication data file with the protected variables (nat_rate_ord, nat_rate_fac, ordinary, eligible). This datafile is not included in the public Dataverse and has to be obtained from the Swiss Federal Statistical Office (see above for details).
- issp1.csv: data file for figure D4
- issp2.csv: data file for figure D4
- ESS1-6e01_0_F1.dta: data file for figures D1-D3
- codesess.csv: data file with country labels required for figures D1-D3

- representation_aff.dta: auxiliary data file to produce figure B.3 with code file repplots.R
- (svpconstzero.dta: data file is created by running the code file repcode.do)
- (svp_exe2_const_100.dta: data file is created by running the code file repcode.do)

Codebook:

- File codebook.docx also provides the codebook for all datasets and variables (protected and public), including:
 - repdata_public.dta (including the merged petra.dta variables)
 - ESS1-6e01_0_F1.dta
 - issp1.csv
 - issp2.csv
 - representation_aff.dta
 - codesess.csv