

Panel Analysis, Interaction Models (Two-Way FE and First Difference)

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```
knitr::opts_chunk$set(  
  echo = TRUE, warning = FALSE, message = FALSE,  
  tidy = TRUE, tidy.opts = list(width.cutoff = 60)  
)
```

0.1 LOAD DATA AND REGIME CHANGE FUNCTION

```
# set working directory  
setwd("~/Documents/GitHub/stat_casualties_study")  
  
#load libraries/packages  
source("packages.R")  
  
# load data  
source("Comp2_panel_wrangling.R")  
  
# load custom function for regime change variables [MUST LOAD BEFORE DATA]  
source("wrangling/creating_regime_variables/identify_regime_change_main.R")  
  
# Regime Change Identification Function [using EIU classifications]  
panel_data_reg_eps <- identify_regime_change(panel_data)
```

0.2 CHECKING REGIME CHANGE VARIABLES

```
# Check results for specific countries [EXAMPLES]  
panel_data_reg_eps %>%  
  filter(country_code %in% c("HUN", "TUR", "POL")) %>%  
  select(country_name, year, di_score, di_reg_cat, di_reg_cat_lag1,  
         regime_changed, regime_change_direction, eiu_aut_ep, eiu_aut_ep_ext) %>%  
  print(n = 50)
```

```
## # A tibble: 24 x 9  
##   country_name year di_score di_reg_cat di_reg_cat_lag1 regime_changed  
##   <chr>         <dbl>   <dbl> <fct>      <fct>              <dbl>  
## 1 Hungary      2016     6.72 2         <NA>                0
```

```
## 2 Hungary      2017      6.64 2      2      0
## 3 Hungary      2018      6.63 2      2      0
## 4 Hungary      2019      6.63 2      2      0
## 5 Hungary      2020      6.56 2      2      0
## 6 Hungary      2021      6.5  2      2      0
## 7 Hungary      2022      6.64 2      2      0
## 8 Hungary      2023      6.72 2      2      0
## 9 Poland       2016      6.83 2      <NA>    0
## 10 Poland      2017      6.67 2      2      0
## 11 Poland      2018      6.67 2      2      0
## 12 Poland      2019      6.62 2      2      0
## 13 Poland      2020      6.85 2      2      0
## 14 Poland      2021      6.8  2      2      0
## 15 Poland      2022      7.04 2      2      0
## 16 Poland      2023      7.18 2      2      0
## 17 Turkey       2016      5.04 1      <NA>    0
## 18 Turkey       2017      4.88 1      1      0
## 19 Turkey       2018      4.37 1      1      0
## 20 Turkey       2019      4.09 1      1      0
## 21 Turkey       2020      4.48 1      1      0
## 22 Turkey       2021      4.35 1      1      0
## 23 Turkey       2022      4.35 1      1      0
## 24 Turkey       2023      4.33 1      1      0
## # i 3 more variables: regime_change_direction <dbl>, eiu_aut_ep <dbl>,
## #   eiu_aut_ep_ext <dbl>
```

```
# Summary of transitions
panel_data_reg_eps %>%
  filter(regime_changed == 1) %>%
  group_by(country_name, year) %>%
  summarize(
    from = first(di_reg_cat_lag1),
    to = first(di_reg_cat),
    direction = first(regime_change_direction),
    .groups = "drop"
  ) %>%
  arrange(year, country_name)
```

```
## # A tibble: 54 x 5
##   country_name    year from to    direction
##   <chr>          <dbl> <fct> <fct>    <dbl>
## 1 Armenia      2017 0     1      0
## 2 Cambodia     2017 1     0      0
## 3 Ecuador      2017 1     2      0
## 4 Gambia       2017 0     1      0
## 5 Moldova      2017 2     1      0
## 6 Myanmar (Burma) 2017 1     0      0
## 7 South Korea   2017 2     3      0
## 8 Venezuela     2017 1     0      0
## 9 Costa Rica    2018 2     3      0
## 10 Côte d'Ivoire 2018 0     1      0
## # i 44 more rows
```

0.3 TWO-WAY FIXED EFFECTS MODELS WITH INTERACTIONS AND LAGS (k=2)

[SUBSET: DEMOCRACIES]

```
# set as pdata.frame
panel_data_reg_eps <- pdata.frame(panel_data_reg_eps,
                                   index = c("country_code", "year"))
pdim(panel_data_reg_eps) # check panel dimensions
```

```
## Balanced Panel: n = 162, T = 8, N = 1296
```

```
## STAGE I
fe_s1_interact <- plm(
  formula = spi_comp ~ di_score * factor(eiu_aut_ep_ext)
  + lag(di_score, 1) * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + lag(di_score, 2) * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + log_gdppc
  + factor(year),
  data = panel_data_reg_eps,
  subset = di_score > 6,
  model = "within"
)
summary(fe_s1_interact,
        vcov = vcovHC(fe_s1_interact, cluster = "group", type = "HC1"))
```

```
## Oneway (individual) effect Within Model
```

```
##
```

```
## Note: Coefficient variance-covariance matrix supplied: vcovHC(fe_s1_interact, cluster = "group", type = "HC1")
```

```
##
```

```
## Call:
```

```
## plm(formula = spi_comp ~ di_score * factor(eiu_aut_ep_ext) +
##      lag(di_score, 1) * factor(eiu_aut_ep) + lag(di_score, 2) *
##      factor(eiu_aut_ep) + log_gdppc + factor(year), data = panel_data_reg_eps,
##      subset = di_score > 6, model = "within")
##
```

```
## Unbalanced Panel: n = 78, T = 1-6, N = 431
```

```
##
```

```
## Residuals:
```

```
##      Min.    1st Qu.    Median    3rd Qu.    Max.
## -6.732194 -0.906398  0.019005  0.896941  4.885054
##
```

```
## Coefficients: (1 dropped because of singularities)
```

	Estimate	Std. Error	t-value	Pr(> t)
## di_score	-1.641212	0.954759	-1.7190	0.08653 .
## factor(eiu_aut_ep_ext)1	-4.721546	3.917841	-1.2051	0.22899
## lag(di_score, 1)	0.497365	0.540014	0.9210	0.35769
## lag(di_score, 2)	0.053911	0.798510	0.0675	0.94621
## log_gdppc	1.440022	1.157952	1.2436	0.21451
## factor(year)2019	0.140509	0.188392	0.7458	0.45628
## factor(year)2020	1.993426	0.303217	6.5743	1.842e-10 ***
## factor(year)2021	6.212037	0.390053	15.9261	< 2.2e-16 ***
## factor(year)2022	5.734803	0.375552	15.2703	< 2.2e-16 ***

```
## factor(year)2023                7.049627    0.393507 17.9149 < 2.2e-16 ***
## di_score:factor(eiu_aut_ep_ext)1 -1.691064    9.269315 -0.1824    0.85535
## lag(di_score, 1):factor(eiu_aut_ep)1 -1.101782 10.133928 -0.1087    0.91349
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(di_score, 2) 3.247099    2.581331 1.2579    0.20929
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Total Sum of Squares:    4799.9
## Residual Sum of Squares: 1084.5
## R-Squared:    0.77405
## Adj. R-Squared: 0.71424
## F-statistic: 46.0809 on 13 and 77 DF, p-value: < 2.22e-16
```

STAGE II: Direct Effect (DI → SDG, no mediator)

```
fe_s2_dir_interact <- plm(
  formula = sdg_overall ~ di_score * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + lag(di_score, 1) * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + lag(di_score, 2) * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + log_gdppc
  + factor(year),
  data = panel_data_reg_eps,
  subset = di_score > 6,
  model = "within"
)
summary(fe_s2_dir_interact,
  vcov = vcovHC(fe_s2_dir_interact, cluster = "group", type = "HC1"))
```

Oneway (individual) effect Within Model

##

Note: Coefficient variance-covariance matrix supplied: vcovHC(fe_s2_dir_interact, cluster = "group",

##

Call:

```
## plm(formula = sdg_overall ~ di_score * factor(eiu_aut_ep) + lag(di_score,
##      1) * factor(eiu_aut_ep) + lag(di_score, 2) * factor(eiu_aut_ep) +
##      log_gdppc + factor(year), data = panel_data_reg_eps, subset = di_score >
##      6, model = "within")
##
```

Unbalanced Panel: n = 78, T = 1-6, N = 431

##

Residuals:

```
##      Min.    1st Qu.    Median    3rd Qu.    Max.
## -2.022618 -0.195716  0.021229  0.183064  1.382024
##
```

Coefficients:

```
##
##              Estimate Std. Error t-value Pr(>|t|)
## di_score              0.411770   0.203388  2.0246  0.043694 *
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1   -0.605183   1.229104 -0.4924  0.622770
## lag(di_score, 1)      -0.037712   0.143946 -0.2620  0.793488
## lag(di_score, 2)      -0.315004   0.249064 -1.2648  0.206826
## log_gdppc             -0.026589   0.449686 -0.0591  0.952884
## factor(year)2019       0.334573   0.046685  7.1667 4.808e-12 ***
## factor(year)2020       0.783218   0.084057  9.3177 < 2.2e-16 ***
## factor(year)2021       0.872001   0.072291 12.0624 < 2.2e-16 ***
## factor(year)2022       1.067249   0.091065 11.7196 < 2.2e-16 ***
```

```
## factor(year)2023                1.071908    0.110029    9.7420 < 2.2e-16 ***
## di_score:factor(eiu_aut_ep)1     -2.111809    1.553670   -1.3592    0.174972
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(di_score, 1) 3.645306    1.719959    2.1194    0.034780 *
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(di_score, 2) -1.563472    0.530005   -2.9499    0.003399 **
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Total Sum of Squares:    124.19
## Residual Sum of Squares: 57.869
## R-Squared:    0.53402
## Adj. R-Squared: 0.41067
## F-statistic: 33.7306 on 13 and 77 DF, p-value: < 2.22e-16
```

STAGE II: Mediation Effect (DI → SDG, SPI mediator)

```
fe_s2_med_interact <- plm(
  formula = sdg_overall ~ spi_comp * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + lag(spi_comp, 1) * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + lag(spi_comp, 2) * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + di_score * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + lag(di_score, 1) * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + lag(di_score, 2) * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + log_gdppc
  + factor(year),
  data = panel_data_reg_eps,
  subset = di_score > 6,
  model = "within"
)
summary(fe_s2_med_interact,
  vcov = vcovHC(fe_s2_med_interact, cluster = "group", type = "HC1"))
```

```
## Oneway (individual) effect Within Model
```

```
##
```

```
## Note: Coefficient variance-covariance matrix supplied: vcovHC(fe_s2_med_interact, cluster = "group",
```

```
##
```

```
## Call:
```

```
## plm(formula = sdg_overall ~ spi_comp * factor(eiu_aut_ep) + lag(spi_comp,
##    1) * factor(eiu_aut_ep) + lag(spi_comp, 2) * factor(eiu_aut_ep) +
##    di_score * factor(eiu_aut_ep) + lag(di_score, 1) * factor(eiu_aut_ep) +
##    lag(di_score, 2) * factor(eiu_aut_ep) + log_gdppc + factor(year),
##    data = panel_data_reg_eps, subset = di_score > 6, model = "within")
##
```

```
## Unbalanced Panel: n = 78, T = 1-6, N = 430
```

```
##
```

```
## Residuals:
```

```
##      Min.    1st Qu.      Median    3rd Qu.      Max.
## -2.048759 -0.197263  0.019285   0.181234   1.340836
```

```
##
```

```
## Coefficients:
```

```
##              Estimate Std. Error t-value Pr(>|t|)
## spi_comp      -0.0014097  0.0171948  -0.0820 0.9347083
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1 -0.0063170  1.3995503  -0.0045 0.9964014
## lag(spi_comp, 1)    0.0104946  0.0127065   0.8259 0.4094366
## lag(spi_comp, 2)   -0.0014555  0.0093943  -0.1549 0.8769670
## di_score         0.4236700  0.2125904   1.9929 0.0470889
```

```

## lag(di_score, 1) -0.0288253 0.1430362 -0.2015 0.8404117
## lag(di_score, 2) -0.3311653 0.2546214 -1.3006 0.1942884
## log_gdppc -0.0595994 0.4708624 -0.1266 0.8993532
## factor(year)2019 0.3228501 0.0582719 5.5404 6.139e-08
## factor(year)2020 0.7625210 0.1029134 7.4093 1.054e-12
## factor(year)2021 0.8544556 0.1180915 7.2355 3.217e-12
## factor(year)2022 0.9999774 0.1531927 6.5276 2.493e-10
## factor(year)2023 1.0198959 0.1819158 5.6064 4.341e-08
## spi_comp:factor(eiu_aut_ep)1 -0.0847876 0.0300171 -2.8246 0.0050186
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(spi_comp, 1) -0.0326642 0.0416350 -0.7845 0.4332830
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(spi_comp, 2) 0.1086612 0.0304670 3.5665 0.0004148
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:di_score -4.6878651 1.4350100 -3.2668 0.0012011
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(di_score, 1) 5.9133845 1.6893503 3.5004 0.0005278
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(di_score, 2) -1.3130824 0.5180658 -2.5346 0.0117155
##
## spi_comp
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1
## lag(spi_comp, 1)
## lag(spi_comp, 2)
## di_score *
## lag(di_score, 1)
## lag(di_score, 2)
## log_gdppc
## factor(year)2019 ***
## factor(year)2020 ***
## factor(year)2021 ***
## factor(year)2022 ***
## factor(year)2023 ***
## spi_comp:factor(eiu_aut_ep)1 **
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(spi_comp, 1)
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(spi_comp, 2) ***
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:di_score **
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(di_score, 1) ***
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(di_score, 2) *
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Total Sum of Squares: 124.12
## Residual Sum of Squares: 56.656
## R-Squared: 0.54355
## Adj. R-Squared: 0.41196
## F-statistic: 78.9769 on 19 and 77 DF, p-value: < 2.22e-16

```

0.4 FIRST DIFFERENCE MODELS WITH INTERACTIONS AND LAGS (k=2)

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```

## STAGE I
fd_sl_interact <- plm(
  formula = spi_comp ~ di_score * factor(eiu_aut_ep_ext)
  + lag(di_score, 1) * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + lag(di_score, 2) * factor(eiu_aut_ep)

```

```

+ log_gdppc
+ factor(year),
data = panel_data_reg_eps,
subset = di_score > 6,
model = "fd"
)
summary(fd_s1_interact,
        vcov = vcovHC(fd_s1_interact, cluster = "group", type = "HC1"))

```

```

## Oneway (individual) effect First-Difference Model
##
## Note: Coefficient variance-covariance matrix supplied: vcovHC(fd_s1_interact, cluster = "group", type = "HC1")
##
## Call:
## plm(formula = spi_comp ~ di_score * factor(eiu_aut_ep_ext) +
##      lag(di_score, 1) * factor(eiu_aut_ep) + lag(di_score, 2) *
##      factor(eiu_aut_ep) + log_gdppc + factor(year), data = panel_data_reg_eps,
##      subset = di_score > 6, model = "fd")
##
## Unbalanced Panel: n = 78, T = 1-6, N = 431
## Observations used in estimation: 353
##
## Residuals:
##      Min.   1st Qu.   Median   3rd Qu.    Max.
## -6.63147 -0.93986 -0.13248  0.80075  8.34614
##
## Coefficients: (1 dropped because of singularities)
##
##              Estimate Std. Error t-value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)      1.298780   0.335554   3.8706 0.0001303 ***
## di_score         -1.849338   0.807574  -2.2900 0.0226356 *
## factor(eiu_aut_ep_ext)1 -6.169990   2.927493  -2.1076 0.0357993 *
## lag(di_score, 1)      0.029949   0.522087   0.0574 0.9542897
## lag(di_score, 2)     -0.829733   0.648272  -1.2799 0.2014503
## log_gdppc         -0.972716   1.380240  -0.7047 0.4814533
## factor(year)2019     -1.223967   0.282922  -4.3262 1.999e-05 ***
## factor(year)2020     -0.829727   0.651245  -1.2741 0.2035138
## factor(year)2021      2.414134   1.233552   1.9571 0.0511610 .
## factor(year)2022      0.699665   1.447003   0.4835 0.6290337
## factor(year)2023      0.937921   1.714322   0.5471 0.5846639
## di_score:factor(eiu_aut_ep_ext)1  0.697559   5.751712   0.1213 0.9035423
## lag(di_score, 1):factor(eiu_aut_ep)1 -3.651922   6.726301  -0.5429 0.5875337
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(di_score, 2)  3.755719   2.154294   1.7434 0.0821766 .
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Total Sum of Squares:    2311
## Residual Sum of Squares: 1222.3
## R-Squared:    0.4711
## Adj. R-Squared: 0.45082
## F-statistic: 51.8801 on 13 and 77 DF, p-value: < 2.22e-16

## STAGE II: Direct Effect (DI → SDG, no mediator)
fd_s2_dir_interact <- plm(

```

```

formula = sdg_overall ~ di_score * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
+ lag(di_score, 1) * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
+ lag(di_score, 2) * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
+ log_gdppc
+ factor(year),
data = panel_data_reg_eps,
subset = di_score > 6,
model = "fd"
)
summary(fd_s2_dir_interact,
        vcov = vcovHC(fd_s2_dir_interact, cluster = "group", type = "HC1"))

```

```
## Oneway (individual) effect First-Difference Model
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```
##
```

```
## Note: Coefficient variance-covariance matrix supplied: vcovHC(fd_s2_dir_interact, cluster = "group",
```

```
##
```

```
## Call:
```

```
## plm(formula = sdg_overall ~ di_score * factor(eiu_aut_ep) + lag(di_score,
##      1) * factor(eiu_aut_ep) + lag(di_score, 2) * factor(eiu_aut_ep) +
##      log_gdppc + factor(year), data = panel_data_reg_eps, subset = di_score >
##      6, model = "fd")
##
```

```
##
```

```
## Unbalanced Panel: n = 78, T = 1-6, N = 431
```

```
## Observations used in estimation: 353
```

```
##
```

```
## Residuals:
```

```
##      Min.    1st Qu.      Median    3rd Qu.      Max.
## -1.448094 -0.191383  0.039656  0.213962  1.369060
##
```

```
##
```

```
## Coefficients:
```

```
##
##              Estimate Std. Error t-value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)    0.332291   0.088719   3.7455 0.0002115 ***
## di_score        0.171109   0.177849   0.9621 0.3366832
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1  0.562657   1.021141   0.5510 0.5819911
## lag(di_score, 1)  -0.181394   0.162683  -1.1150 0.2656344
## lag(di_score, 2)  -0.220228   0.185447  -1.1875 0.2358429
## log_gdppc       0.141497   0.290704   0.4867 0.6267572
## factor(year)2019   0.017850   0.096559   0.1849 0.8534517
## factor(year)2020   0.125761   0.186749   0.6734 0.5011374
## factor(year)2021  -0.178832   0.290607  -0.6154 0.5387207
## factor(year)2022  -0.284592   0.354341  -0.8032 0.4224451
## factor(year)2023  -0.600303   0.403625  -1.4873 0.1378700
## di_score:factor(eiu_aut_ep)1 -1.421181   0.871579  -1.6306 0.1039075
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(di_score, 1)  1.446336   1.185034   1.2205 0.2231231
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(di_score, 2) -0.150330   0.544476  -0.2761 0.7826388
## ---
```

```
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
```

```
## Total Sum of Squares:    72.522
## Residual Sum of Squares: 61.932
```

```
## R-Squared:    0.14603
## Adj. R-Squared: 0.11328
```

```
## F-statistic: 30.5716 on 13 and 77 DF, p-value: < 2.22e-16
```



```
## STAGE II: Mediation Effect (DI → SDG, SPI mediator)
```

```
fd_s2_med_interact <- plm(
  formula = sdg_overall ~ spi_comp * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + lag(spi_comp, 1) * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + lag(spi_comp, 2) * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + di_score * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + lag(di_score, 1) * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + lag(di_score, 2) * factor(eiu_aut_ep)
  + log_gdppc
  + factor(year),
  data = panel_data_reg_eps,
  subset = di_score > 6,
  model = "fd"
)
summary(fd_s2_med_interact,
  vcov = vcovHC(fd_s2_med_interact, cluster = "group", type = "HC1"))
```

```
## Oneway (individual) effect First-Difference Model
```

```
##
```

```
## Note: Coefficient variance-covariance matrix supplied: vcovHC(fd_s2_med_interact, cluster = "group",
```

```
##
```

```
## Call:
```

```
## plm(formula = sdg_overall ~ spi_comp * factor(eiu_aut_ep) + lag(spi_comp,
## 1) * factor(eiu_aut_ep) + lag(spi_comp, 2) * factor(eiu_aut_ep) +
## di_score * factor(eiu_aut_ep) + lag(di_score, 1) * factor(eiu_aut_ep) +
## lag(di_score, 2) * factor(eiu_aut_ep) + log_gdppc + factor(year),
## data = panel_data_reg_eps, subset = di_score > 6, model = "fd")
##
```

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## Unbalanced Panel: n = 78, T = 1-6, N = 430
## Observations used in estimation: 352
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##
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```
## Residuals:
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```
##      Min.    1st Qu.      Median    3rd Qu.      Max.
## -1.481405 -0.205035  0.036638  0.227172  1.334569
##
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##
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## Coefficients:
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##              Estimate Std. Error t-value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)      0.2669799  0.0875214   3.0505 0.0024689
## spi_comp          0.0138594  0.0134925   1.0272 0.3050778
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1  1.8771398  1.2585067   1.4916 0.1367637
## lag(spi_comp, 1)    0.0112373  0.0104314   1.0773 0.2821457
## lag(spi_comp, 2)    0.0080876  0.0088384   0.9150 0.3608318
## di_score           0.2114112  0.1807754   1.1695 0.2430537
## lag(di_score, 1)   -0.1557385  0.1593599  -0.9773 0.3291445
## lag(di_score, 2)   -0.2222387  0.1949093  -1.1402 0.2550182
## log_gdppc          0.0584149  0.2989832   0.1954 0.8452162
## factor(year)2019    0.0444980  0.0962653   0.4622 0.6442096
## factor(year)2020    0.1538130  0.1824743   0.8429 0.3998745
## factor(year)2021   -0.1534618  0.2931769  -0.5234 0.6010142
## factor(year)2022   -0.2543720  0.3553828  -0.7158 0.4746372
## factor(year)2023   -0.5532218  0.4018637  -1.3766 0.1695511
## spi_comp:factor(eiu_aut_ep)1 -0.0219763  0.0262409  -0.8375 0.4029232
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(spi_comp, 1) -0.0718248  0.0407830  -1.7611 0.0791339
```

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## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(spi_comp, 2) 0.0877718 0.0348486 2.5187 0.0122497
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:di_score -3.1421795 0.7368454 -4.2644 2.617e-05
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(di_score, 1) 2.9795800 0.8153397 3.6544 0.0002995
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(di_score, 2) -0.1312770 0.4272744 -0.3072 0.7588511
##
## (Intercept) **
## spi_comp
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1
## lag(spi_comp, 1)
## lag(spi_comp, 2)
## di_score
## lag(di_score, 1)
## lag(di_score, 2)
## log_gdppc
## factor(year)2019
## factor(year)2020
## factor(year)2021
## factor(year)2022
## factor(year)2023
## spi_comp:factor(eiu_aut_ep)1
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(spi_comp, 1) .
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(spi_comp, 2) *
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:di_score ***
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(di_score, 1) ***
## factor(eiu_aut_ep)1:lag(di_score, 2)
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Total Sum of Squares: 72.516
## Residual Sum of Squares: 60.417
## R-Squared: 0.16685
## Adj. R-Squared: 0.11917
## F-statistic: 28.2839 on 19 and 77 DF, p-value: < 2.22e-16

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0.5 SOME INSIGHTS

TWFE MODELS: - SPI ~ DI x aut_ep [not significant]

- SDG ~ DI x aut_ep [significant]

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- Mediation effect varies by aut_ep status for democracies

FD MODELS: - SPI ~ DI x aut_ep [marginally significant]

- SDG ~ DI x aut_ep [not significant]

- SDG ~ SPI x aut_ep [significant]

- Mediation effect varies by aut_ep status for democracies