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Replication files for "Partners in Crime: An Empirical Evaluation of the CIA Rendition, Detention, and Interrogation Program” in *Perspectives on Politics*

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This file describes briefly the other files contained in our Dataverse page and how to replicate our statistical analysis. In our replication file, in addition to this file, you will find:

(1) Replication\_Code.R

(2) Supplementary\_Materials.pdf

(3) pic\_data\_not\_imputed.RData

(4) pic\_data\_imputed.RData

(5) pic\_data.RData

(6) Data\_Preprocessing\_Code.R

(7) p4v2015.csv

(8) globalterrorismdb\_0814dist.csv

(9) HumanRightsProtectionScores\_v2.04.csv

(10) qog\_std\_ts\_jan16.csv

(11) country.csv

(12) us\_foreign\_aid\_country.csv

We describe each of these files in turn.

(1) Replication\_Code.R

This file replicates the statistical analyses presented in both the article and supplementary materials. We conduct our statistical analysis in the R statistical computing environment. In order to run this file you will have to change the working drive on line 47 of the script.

(2) Supplementary\_Materials.pdf

This file contains a detailed description of the data used in our analysis as well as all of the statistical analysis presented in and referred to in the text of our article.

(3) pic\_data\_not\_imputed.RData

This is our initial dataset, saved immediately before imputation. It includes all the variables used in our analysis, with missing values. This dataset is only used to produce descriptive statistics in the supplementary materials.

(4) pic\_data\_imputed.RData

This is our initial imputed dataset, saved immediately after imputation. It includes all the variables used in our analysis, without missing values. This dataset is only used to assess our imputation model in the supplementary materials.

(5) pic\_data.RData

This is our final dataset. It is used in all statistical analyses presented in the paper and supplementary materials. It only differs from pic\_data\_imputed.RData in that it includes lagged dependent variables and two interaction terms and drops observations from 1991.

The remaining files are used re-construct our imputed dataset from original sources. These files include:

(6) Data\_Preprocessing\_Code.R

This file replicates our data preprocessing procedure and produces three files: (a) pic\_data\_not\_imputed.RData (b) pic\_data\_imputed.RData (c) pic\_data.RData

(7) p4v2015.csv

This file is the Polity IV dataset saved as a csv file. (Monty G. Marshall, Ted Robert Gurr, Keith Jaggers (2016) Polity IV Project. Polity IV dataset version 2015. p4v2015. Center for Systemic Peace. Retrieved from: www.systemicpeace.org)

(8) globalterrorismdb\_0814dist.csv

This file contains is Global Terrorism Database. (National Consortium for the Study of Terrorism and Responses to Terrorism (START). (2016). Global Terrorism Database [Data file]. Retrieved from https://www.start.umd.edu/gtd)

(9) HumanRightsProtectionScores\_v2.04.csv

This file contains the Latent Variable model developed by Christopher Fariss. (Christopher Fariss. (2014) “Latent Human Rights Protection Scores Version 2” Harvard Dataverse, V4, Retrieved from: http://dx.doi.org.ezp-prod1.hul.harvard.edu/10.7910/DVN/24872)

(10) qog\_std\_ts\_jan16.csv

This file contains the Quality of Government’s dataset (Teorell, Jan, Stefan Dahlberg, Soren Holmberg, Bo Rothstein, Anna Khomenko, and Richard Svensson. 2016. The Quality of Government Standard Dataset, version Jan16. University of Gothenburg: The Quality of Government Institute, http://www.qog.pol.gu.se doi:10.18157/QoGStdJan16)

(11) country.csv

This file contains data on US trade and was downloaded from the US Census Bureau (US Census Bureau (2016) “U.S. Trade in Goods by Country” Retrieved from: https://www.census.gov/foreign-trade/balance/index.html)

(12) us\_foreign\_aid\_country.csv

This file contains data on US military aid and was downloaded from USAID’s Aid Explorer (U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) (2016) “Foreign Aid Explorer: The official record of U.S. foreign aid” Retrieved from: https://explorer.usaid.gov/prepared/us\_foreign\_aid\_country.csv)