

PO687 End of term project - WORLD codebook

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List of variables in the *world* dataset:

country - Country/territory name
dem_economist - Full or part democracy (Economist, 2014)
dem_score14 - Democracy score (Economist, 2014)
confidence - Confidence in institutions scale
durable - Number of years since the last regime transition (Polity)
enpp3_democ08 - Effective number of parliamentary parties (World Values Survey)
effectiveness - Government effectiveness scale (Kaufmann, 2002)
gdp_10_thou - GDP per capita in 10K (US\$) 2002
gender_equal3 - Gender empowerment measure, 3 categories (World Value Survey)
gender_unequal - Gender Inequality Index value, 2008 (UN)
literacy - Literacy rate
pop_age - Median age in years, 2010
pop_total - Total population in millions, 2010 UN
spendeduc - Public expenditure on education as a percentage of GDP (UN)
spendhealth - Public expenditure on health as a percentage of GDP (UN)
womyear2 - Women's suffrage
women13 - Percent women in lower house of legislature, democracies only, 2013
votevap00s - Turnout: most recent election in 2000a (Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance)

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