

<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1385</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Threaten unconventional mass violence</b>
<b>Description</b>	Threaten to use force potentially affecting large masses of people, including the use of weapons of mass destruction (nuclear or chemical-biological-radiological attacks), mass expulsions or killings, as well as ethnic cleansing.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	This event form is typically a verbal act. Use this code for threats to carry out actions best represented in cue category 20.
<b>Example</b>	A <b>terror group based in Trinidad</b> <b>claims</b> to be manufacturing <b>chemical and biological weapons</b> to use <b>against</b> the <b>United States</b> and <b>Britain</b> , according to a media report Sunday.
<b>Example Note</b>	Because of the compound target, two events are coded.

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<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>139</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Give ultimatum</b>
<b>Description</b>	Give a final warning, ultimate demand or order.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	This event form is typically a verbal act. Use it to code final demands, rejection of which carries the risk of some form of retaliation by the party issuing the ultimatum. Use of this code depends primarily on the terminology used by reporters—look for the word ‘ultimatum’, otherwise, it is simply a threat.
<b>Example</b>	<b>Peru</b> has <b>issued</b> an <b>ultimatum</b> to <b>Ecuador</b> to halt attacks across their disputed jungle border.

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## 2.14 PROTEST

<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>140</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Engage in political dissent, not specified below.</b>
<b>Description</b>	All civilian demonstrations and other collective actions carried out as protests against the target actor not otherwise specified.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	This residual category is not coded except when distinctions among codes 141-145 cannot be made. Note that any form of civilian individual or collective action that is undertaken as a symbol of support—rather than protest—for the target actor should be coded elsewhere (potentially under category 05).
<b>Example</b>	The <b>Homeland Union</b> (Conservatives) <b>began collecting signatures</b> in part of a drive to convince the <b>Lithuanian Parliament</b> to <b>amend</b> the <b>constitution</b> so that same-sex marriages are banned.

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<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>141</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Demonstrate or rally, not specified below</b>
<b>Description</b>	Dissent collectively, publicly show negative feelings or opinions; rally, gather to protest a policy, action, or actor(s).
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Use sub-categories if demands of protesters are known and codeable. The target for this event form is the party that the protest is directed against; the location of a demonstration sometimes represents the identity of the target.
<b>Example</b>	Up to 100 ethnic Albanians demonstrated on Tuesday in the Yugoslav province of Kosovo, where 24 people were killed in nationalist riots last March, Belgrade radio said.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1411</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Demonstrate or rally for leadership change</b>
<b>Description</b>	Dissent collectively, gather, or rally demanding leadership change.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Target should be the actor who is expected to relinquish power. Demonstrations that demand new elections should also be coded here.
<b>Example</b>	Angry activists from the defeated Fatah Party have staged rallies in the Gaza Strip against the party's leader Mahmoud Abbas, saying he must resign.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1412</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Demonstrate or rally for policy change</b>
<b>Description</b>	Dissent collectively, gather, or rally demanding policy change.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Use this code when demonstrators demand specific policy changes or unspecified political reforms.
<b>Example</b>	Tens of thousands of university students throughout Indonesia staged mass demonstrations Saturday to demand political reforms by President Suharto's government.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1413</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Demonstrate for rights</b>
<b>Description</b>	Dissent collectively, gather, or rally demanding political, social, economic, or other rights.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Use this code for demonstrations that demand new rights or protest the violation of existing ones.
<b>Example</b>	Thousands of Nigerians from throughout the country were converging Thursday for a rally in Lagos to protest the rights violations under the recently imposed Sharia law by Islamic fundamentalists in the northern districts.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1414</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Demonstrate for change in institutions, regime</b>
<b>Description</b>	Dissent collectively, gather, or rally demanding major institutional, constitutional, or regime change.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Note the difference between institutional/constitutional changes and policy reforms. Demonstrations that call for independence or autonomy essentially demand major changes to the whole system and are hence coded here.
<b>Example</b>	Thousands of Iraqi Kurds demonstrated in the northern city of Kirkuk on Sunday calling for independence from Iraq, witnesses said.

<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>142</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Conduct hunger strike, not specified below</b>
<b>Description</b>	Protest by refusing to eat until certain demands are met, not further specified.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Use sub-categories if demands of protesters are known and codeable. The target for this event form is the party against which the hunger strikers protest.
<b>Example</b>	Up to 1,000 ethnic Turks began a hunger strike on Monday to protest against Sweden's decision to send them back to Bulgaria, where they say they face imprisonment, homelessness and persecution.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1421</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Conduct hunger strike for leadership change</b>
<b>Description</b>	Refuse to eat until demands for leadership change are met.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Target should be the actor who is expected to relinquish power. Hunger strikes that demand new elections should also be coded here.
<b>Example</b>	Islamic fundamentalists continued their hunger strike to demand the resignation of Algerian President Ahmed Ben Bella.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1422</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Conduct hunger strike for policy change</b>
<b>Description</b>	Refuse to eat until demands for policy reform are met.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Use this code when protesters demand specific policy changes or unspecified political reforms.
<b>Example</b>	A member of the Syrian parliament, Mohammed Mamoun, started a hunger strike yesterday to protest President Assad's failure to usher in meaningful political reforms.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1423</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Conduct hunger strike for rights</b>
<b>Description</b>	Refuse to eat until demands for political, social, economic, or other rights are met.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Use this code for hunger strikes that demand new rights or protest the violation of existing ones.
<b>Example</b>	Algerian landowners began a hunger strike outside Parliament to demand the return of property seized by Algerian government forces in the 1970s, APS news agency said.
<b>Example</b>	Salaheddine Sidhoum, Algeria's leading human rights activist, staged a 24-hour hunger strike in prison on Sunday in protest against the widespread human rights violations by Algerian security forces, his lawyer said on Tuesday.

<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1424</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Conduct hunger strike for change in institutions, regime</b>
<b>Description</b>	Refuse to eat until demands for major institutional, constitutional, or regime change.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Note the difference between institutional/constitutional changes and policy reforms. Hunger strikes that call for independence or autonomy essentially demand major changes to the whole system and are hence coded here.
<b>Example</b>	A group of <b>Chenchen refugees</b> are <b>continuing</b> a <b>hunger strike</b> in protest of the <b>Russian government's</b> refusal to <b>accept</b> the <b>independence</b> of Chechnya.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>143</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Conduct strike or boycott, not specified below</b>
<b>Description</b>	Protest by refusing to work or cooperate until certain demands are met, not specified further.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Use sub-categories if demands of protesters are known and codeable. The target for this event form is the party against which the hunger strikers protest. This event form does not refer to military strikes, which are coded under category 19 instead.
<b>Example</b>	<b>Palestinians of the Israeli-occupied West Bank</b> <b>shunned work</b> on Monday <b>to protest</b> at settlement of <b>Soviet Jewish immigrants</b> on Arab land.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1431</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Conduct strike or boycott for leadership change</b>
<b>Description</b>	Refuse to work or cooperate until demands for leadership change are met.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Target should be the actor who is expected to relinquish power. Strikes or boycotts that demand new elections should also be coded here.
<b>Example</b>	The <b>fundamentalist Umma (Nation) party</b> has <b>said</b> it <b>will boycott</b> <b>Algeria's</b> first multi-party elections <b>unless</b> the president agrees to <b>step down</b> .
<b>Example Note</b>	Ideally the Algerian president would have been coded as the target.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1432</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Conduct strike or boycott for policy change</b>
<b>Description</b>	Refuse to work or cooperate until demands for policy reform are met.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Use this code when protesters demand specific policy changes or unspecified political reforms.
<b>Example</b>	Some 500,000 workers affiliated with the <b>Serbian Workers' Union</b> (SSS) <b>stopped work</b> on the first day of an open-ended <b>strike</b> on Monday over a controversial <b>employment bill</b> signed in by <b>Serbian Labour Minister Dragan Milovanovic</b> .

<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1433</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Conduct strike or boycott for rights</b>
<b>Description</b>	Refuse to work or cooperate until demands for political, social, economic, or other rights are met.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Use this code for strikes or boycotts that demand new rights or protest the violation of existing ones.
<b>Example</b>	Seven <b>opposition parties in Nepal</b> have <b>organized</b> a general <b>strike</b> that shut down <b>Khatmandu</b> in <b>protest</b> of last week's <b>arrest</b> of a number of activists.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1434</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Conduct strike or boycott for change in institutions, regime</b>
<b>Description</b>	Refuse to work or cooperate until demands for major institutional, constitutional, or regime change.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Note the difference between institutional/constitutional changes and policy reforms. Strikes that call for independence or autonomy essentially demand major changes to the whole system and are hence coded here.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>144</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Obstruct passage, block, not specified below</b>
<b>Description</b>	Protest by blocking entry and/or exit into building or area, not otherwise specified.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Use sub-categories if demands of protesters are known and codeable. Use this event form to code protest activities that seek to disrupt routine and normal proceedings by blocking roads, buildings, etc. When the blockade in question includes military forces, use 191 instead.
<b>Example</b>	Angry <b>French paper workers</b> <b>blocked</b> the <b>Europe Bridge</b> spanning the Rhine from France to West Germany for more than three hours by dumping sawdust on the <b>roadway</b> , French border police said.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1441</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Obstruct passage to demand leadership change</b>
<b>Description</b>	Obstruct passage, block entry/exit to demand leadership change.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Target should be the actor who is expected to relinquish power. Obstructions that demand new elections should also be coded here.
<b>Example</b>	About 200 <b>supporters of former President Ahmed Ben Bella</b> <b>blocked roads</b> in the capital city of <b>Algiers</b> <b>demanding</b> that he be <b>reinstated as leader</b> of the Algerian government.
<b>Example</b>	<b>Rebels in the Ivory Coast</b> on Tuesday <b>blocked transport</b> into Abidjan as they continued their effort <b>to overthrow</b> the <b>government</b> of <b>President Laurent Gbagbo</b> .

<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1442</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Obstruct passage to demand policy change</b>
<b>Description</b>	Obstruct passage, block entry/exit to demand policy reform.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Use this code when protesters demand specific policy changes or unspecified political reforms.
<b>Example</b>	Demonstrators in <b>Baghdad</b> <b>blocked</b> a <b>road</b> to show their <b>disapproval</b> for the <b>United States'</b> military <b>policies</b> , a newspaper reported Tuesday.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1443</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Obstruct passage to demand rights</b>
<b>Description</b>	Obstruct passage, block entry/exit to demand political, social, economic, or other rights.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Use this code for obstructions that demand new rights or protest the violation of existing ones.
<b>Example</b>	Young <b>Algerians</b> <b>blocked</b> <b>roads</b> leading to the city centre on Sunday to press their <b>demands</b> for greater <b>freedom</b> and opportunities from <b>President Boute-flika's</b> government.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1444</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Obstruct passage to demand change in institutions, regime</b>
<b>Description</b>	Obstruct passage, block entry/exit to demand major institutional, constitutional, or regime change.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Note the difference between institutional/constitutional changes and policy reforms. Obstructions that call for independence or autonomy essentially demand major changes to the whole system and are hence coded here.
<b>Example</b>	Hundreds of thousands of people <b>blocked</b> <b>streets</b> in <b>Hong Kong</b> in defiance of <b>Chinese authorities</b> to <b>demand democratic reforms</b> .
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>145</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Protest violently, riot, not specified below</b>
<b>Description</b>	Protest forcefully, in a potentially destructive manner, not further specified.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Use sub-categories if demands of protesters are known and codeable. Use this event form to code demonstrations and protests that turn violent. When the use of force to cause casualties is the primary purpose, use categories 18, 19, or 20 instead.
<b>Example</b>	<b>Palestinian prisoners</b> <b>rioted</b> Monday at this jail in northern <b>Israel</b> , setting fire to their mattresses and smashing furniture, police sources said.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1451</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Engage in violent protest for leadership change</b>
<b>Description</b>	Protest forcefully, in a potentially destructive manner, to demand leadership change.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Target should be the actor who is expected to relinquish power. Riots that demand new elections should also be coded here.
<b>Example</b>	<b>Egyptian</b> demonstrators <b>rioted</b> following a peaceful demonstration <b>calling</b> for the immediate <b>removal</b> of <b>President Hosni Mubarak</b> <b>from office</b> .

<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1452</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Engage in violent protest to demand policy change</b>
<b>Description</b>	Protest forcefully, in a potentially destructive manner, to demand policy reform.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Use this code when protesters demand specific policy changes or unspecified political reforms.
<b>Example</b>	Palestinian riots against Israeli military policies are still continuing with no end in sight.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1453</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Engage in violent protest to demand rights</b>
<b>Description</b>	Protest forcefully, in a potentially destructive manner, to demand political, social, economic, or other rights.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Use this code for riots that demand new rights or protest the violation of existing ones.
<b>Example</b>	Palestinian youths resorted to throwing stones during demonstrations against the alleged human rights violations by the Israeli military, officials said on Thursday.
<b>CAMEO</b>	<b>1454</b>
<b>Name</b>	<b>Engage in violent protest to demand change in institutions, regime</b>
<b>Description</b>	Protest forcefully, in a potentially destructive manner, to demand major institutional, constitutional, or regime change.
<b>Usage Notes</b>	Note the difference between institutional/constitutional changes and policy reforms. Riots that call for independence or autonomy essentially demand major changes to the whole system and are hence coded here.
<b>Example</b>	Prisoners rioted at a jail in East Timor's capital Dili on Monday joining thousands of demonstrators in demanding a referendum on independence from Indonesian rule, locals said.