

This codebook describes the structure of the files and the common variable identifiers. Next it describes variables that are unique to a given level of election. Finally are notes that account for any known irregularities in the data provided in the archive followed by an explanation of errors/missing data in version 1 (V1) that will be rectified before the release of V2.

Users are encouraged to contact the corresponding author Dr. Birnir at [jkbirbir@umd.edu](mailto:jkbirbir@umd.edu) with any suggestions and/or concerns. Users are also encouraged to share additional data that they may have. Full credit will be given to the source of any data that we publicly share in this archive.

## **VARIABLES:**

### **Common identifiers:**

**Year:** The year the election was held.

**Province:** The name of the Province where the election was held. . (This variable is only provided where information is provided at the Provincial level or lower aggregation).

**District Number:** The number of the Provincial electoral district where the election was held. Some provinces have only a single district. Other provinces have multiple districts. (This variable is only provided where information is provided at the district level or lower aggregation).

**Regency/Municipality:** The name of the Regency or the municipality where the election was held. . (This variable is only provided where information is provided at the Regency/municipality level or lower aggregation).

**Election:** Denotes the office for which the election was held.

### **Other variables:**

**Registered voters:** The number of registered voters in the corresponding administrative unit.

**Valid votes:** The number of valid votes cast in the corresponding administrative unit.

**Invalid votes:** The number of invalid votes cast in the corresponding administrative unit.

### **Variables where the information differs by office:**

#### **Presidential**

**Candidate names:** The names of each of the presidential and vice presidential candidate pairs.

**Candidate pair number:** The election number assigned to each candidate pair.

**Party name:** The name of the party the candidate pair represents.

**Number of votes:** The number of valid votes each pair received in each district.

**Elected:** Was this candidate pair elected to the office.

#### **DPR/DPD**

**Candidate name:** Name of the candidate standing for election in the province.

**Candidate number:** The election number assigned to the candidates.

**Party name:** The party the candidate is affiliated with. (Note that in 2014 and before all candidates were independents).

**Number of votes:** Number of votes that the candidate received at the district level.

**Party seats:** The number of party seats allocated to the party in the administrative unit.

**Elected:** Was the candidate elected to the office.

### **Notes:**

Kalimantan Utara was created in 2012 but elections results were not counted separately from there until 2019.

**Missing data:**

2019: Registered Voters and invalid votes presidential elections