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The Stata do-file “Data Cleaning.do” builds our main dataset from the following Stata datasets containing the Afrobarometer surveys for Zimbabwe (downloaded from the Afrobarometer website, <http://www.afrobarometer.org/countries/zimbabwe-0>):

* “zim\_r1\_data.dta”
* “zim\_r2\_data.dta”
* “zim\_r3\_data.dta”
* “zim\_r4\_data.dta”
* “zim\_r4-5\_data.dta”
* “zim\_r5\_data.dta”

The file also merges in the following Stata datasets containing additional relevant information:

* Electoral geography variables: “Election\_Data\_Region.dta”, “Election\_Data\_District.dta”, and “Distances.dta.
* District-level violence: “Violence\_District.dta”.

Completion of the “Data Cleaning.do” file will entail the creation of the Stata dataset “Final Dataset.dta”; this is used for the bulk of our empirical analysis.

The Stata do-file “Main Results Replication.do” reproduces virtually all of the results contained in the main paper and the online appendix.

There are a few exceptions, which are computed separately:

* The R script file “AdditionalFigures.R” reproduces Figures 1-3 from the main paper and Figure A1 from the online appendix, using the dataset Afrobarometer Stata dataset “allrounds\_updated.dta”, Zimbabwean enrollment excel dataset “enrollment data.xlsx”, Afrobarometer Stata dataset “GGR\_FinalData.dta”, Polity IV Stata dataset “p4.dta”, and Afrobarometer dataset “AB3\_participation.data”.
* The Stata do-file “Appendix Table A2 Replication.do” reproduces Table A2 in the online appendix, using DHS data from the Stata datasets “dhs\_1994.dta”, “dhs\_1999.dta”, “dhs\_2004.dta”, and “dhs\_2010.dta”.
* The Stata do-file “Appendix Table A9 Replication.do” reproduces Table A9 in the online appendix, using the merged Afrobarometer Stata datasets “merged\_r1\_data.dta”, “merged\_r3\_data.dta”, and “merged\_r4\_data.dta”, and the Polity IV Stata dataset “polityiv.dta”.