

## Appendix B: Codebook for the Countries Data (COUNTRIES.sav)

Source (including variable descriptions): Except as noted, the [CIA World Factbook](#) (Washington D.C.: U.S. Central Intelligence Agency. The online version of this publication is updated weekly, and was accessed in late November and early December, 2012. This file includes data for all entities listed as independent states, except for the Holy See (Vatican City), plus Taiwan.

Missing Data: sysmis (all variables)

Note: Some variables are defined differently by different countries and data for a given variable may be from different years.

Variable	Description of Variable
NAME	Country name
REGION	Region of World <sup>1</sup>
POPULATION	Population
DENSITY	Population per square mile
MIGRATION	Net migration
LIFEEXP	Live expectancy at birth
FERTILITY	Total fertility rate
OBESITY	Adult obesity rate
EDUCATION	Public expenditure on education as a percent of GDP
MILITARY	Military expenditure as a percent of GDP
GDPCAPITA	Gross Domestic Product per capita
UNEMPLOYMENT	Unemployment rate
INEQUALITY	Inequality of income distribution
INFLATION	Inflation rate
DEBT	Debt
EXPORTS	Exports
IMPORTS	Imports
CARBON	Carbon dioxide emissions from consumption of energy
INTERNET	Internet users

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<sup>1</sup> Derived from [categories in Yahoo](#). Accessed June 18, 2013.

- 1 Africa (excluding Middle East)
- 2 Asia (excluding Middle East)
- 3 Caribbean
- 4 Central America
- 5 Europe
- 6 Middle East
- 7 North America
- 8 Oceania
- 9 South America

CHRISTIAN	Percent Christian <sup>2</sup>
MOSLEM	Percent Moslem <sup>2</sup>
BUDDIST	Percent Buddhist <sup>2</sup>
HINDU	Percent Hindu <sup>2</sup>
OTHER	Percent other religion <sup>2</sup>
NONE	Percent non-religious <sup>2</sup>
POLRIGHTS	Political Rights Index <sup>3</sup>
CIVILLIB	Civil Liberties Index <sup>4</sup>
IFREEDOM	Internet Freedom Index <sup>5</sup>
CORRUPTION	Corruption Perception Index <sup>6</sup>

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<sup>2</sup> The [Wikipedia essay from which these data are taken](#) (accessed November 27, 2012) draws on a wide variety of sources, resulting in inconsistencies of classification both within and between countries. Because of double-counting and other factors, percentages for different religious categories within a county do not always total to 100 and in a few cases are well above or below that number. Note also that, where the essay provides a range, sometimes a very wide one, the midpoint has been used here. France does not include overseas departments, and Tanzania does not include Zanzibar.

<sup>3</sup> Political Rights Index, 2012 (1 = highest; 7 = lowest) Source: "[Freedom House Country Rankings](#)." Accessed November 20, 2012.

<sup>4</sup> Civil Liberty Index, 2012 (1 = highest; 7 = lowest) Source: *Ibid*.

<sup>5</sup> Internet Freedom Index, 2012 (0 = highest; 100 = lowest) Source: *Ibid*.

<sup>6</sup> Corruption Perceptions Index, 2012. A measure of the degree to which corruption is perceived to exist among public officials and politicians. (0 = most corrupt score possible; 100 = least corrupt score possible). Source: "[Transparency International Corruption Perceptions Index, 2012](#)." Accessed December 5, 2012.