



THE CORRELATES OF STATE POLICY PROJECT

Variable Codebook for Version 2.4

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About the Correlates of State Policy Project

The [Correlates of State Policy Project](#), an initiative of the Institute for Public Policy and Social Research (IPPSR) at Michigan State University, aims to compile, disseminate, and encourage the use of quantitative data relevant to U.S. state policy research, tracking differences across and changes over time in the 50 states (+ DC). In keeping with the mission of IPPSR, this project documents, updates, and distributes various datasets relevant to research on pressing public policy issues. IPPSR is committed to research transparency, replication, and data reliability. These cross-state and cross-time datasets are free and publicly available for academics, policy analysts, students, policymakers, and the research community. We welcome [notification](#) of any errors, comments, and contributions of additional datasets. This dataset, CSPP, is our largest and contains over 2,000 variables from hundreds of sources.

Resources

- The data is available to download here: <http://ippsr.msu.edu/public-policy/correlates-state-policy>
- We created an accompanying [R package](#) and [web application](#) to simplify the use of this data. Both tools allow users to easily access, search (by keyword or category), subset, and visualize the data. They can both also export plain text and $\text{BIB}\text{T}\text{E}\text{X}$ citations for the specific variables that you use.
- An accompanying tabular codebook (.csv file) contains the information in this document along with both plain text and $\text{BIB}\text{T}\text{E}\text{X}$ citations for each of the variables in the dataset. The [R package](#) and [web application](#) simplify interacting with it (both can easily subset the codebook to include relevant variables only), but it is available for download for your use here: <http://ippsr.msu.edu/public-policy/correlates-state-policy>

About the Dataset and Variables

The Correlates of State Policy Project (CSPP) dataset includes over 2000 variables, with observations across the 50 U.S. states (+ DC) and across time (coverage varies across 1900–2020; specific date ranges for each variable are provided below). These variables represent policy outputs or political, social, or economic factors that may influence policy differences. The codebook includes the variable name, a short description of the variable, the variable time frame, a longer description of the variable, and the variable source(s) and notes.

Notes and Suggested Citation

This aggregated dataset is only possible because many scholars and students have spent countless hours creating, collecting, cleaning, and making data publicly available. Variable names, descriptions, dates, and notes are generally copied directly from the source. For complete information about the variable, such as how it was collected or calculated, see the original source. Attribution for a variable should be given to the named source(s). However, we would also appreciate recognition. A suggested citation follows:

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Examples of Variables Included in Each Category

1. **Demographics and Population:** State population totals · population density · population of selected age groups (under 5 years old, 5–17 years old, 18–24 years old, etc.) · female population · male population · religion · race and ethnicity · foreign-born population · immigration policy
2. **Economic and Fiscal Policy:** Personal income · state minimum wage · per capita income · state consumer price index · gross state product · total state debt · total state revenue · total state expenditures · budget surplus estimates · total debt outstanding as percent of GDP · total revenue outstanding as percent of GDP · state tax capacity · state assets · state liabilities · fiscal condition index · tax credits · income and sales tax rates · women’s earnings as a percentage of men’s earnings · unemployment rate · median household income · lottery ticket sales · poverty rate · AFDC/TANF recipients · food stamps/SNAP recipients · welfare spending

3. **Government:** State term limits · legislative session length · procedures for administrative regulations · previous governors and their experience · party of governor · female elected officials · number of local governments · state chamber ideological measures (medians, distance between party medians in each chamber, party heterogeneity, etc.) · legislative seats held by each party · state legislative professionalism · state high court professionalism · corruption convictions · year of statehood · various “freedom” indices: economic freedom, personal freedom, gun control freedom, alcohol freedom, civil liberties freedom, labor market freedom, etc. · membership in interstate compacts
4. **Elections:** Voter ID and registration requirements · voting-eligible population turnout rate · election years · proportion of democratic state representatives and senators · proportion of two-party vote for Democratic gubernatorial candidate · measures of state electoral competitiveness · campaign finance regulations · interest groups by sector
5. **Policy Scores and Public Opinion:** Mean liberalism scores (economic and social) · state policy liberalism scores · policy innovativeness scores · ideology and party identification scores · policy mood · political knowledge · social capital
6. **Criminal Justice and the Legal System:** Domestic violence laws · treatment of inmates · prohibition of harassment/stalking · procedures for and resolution of private disputes and civil cases · DNA testing · identity theft · death penalty reform · motor vehicle theft rate · property crime rate · violent crime rate · gun background checks · marriage license requirements · child custody and child support laws · no-fault divorce
7. **Education:** College placement exams · home-schooling policies · teacher certification · regulation of private schools · state education spending · percent of state population with a high school diploma · average school attendance rate · percent dropout rate · instruction expenses per student · pupil to teacher ratio · average tuition rates · fourth grade math and reading scores
8. **Healthcare and Health Insurance:** Rights for the terminally ill · health insurance benefit mandates · health insurance mandated coverage for dependents · newborn screening · coverage for seniors’ prescription drugs · total state population with government insurance · health spending per capita · infant mortality rate · Medicaid enrollment
9. **Welfare Policy:** State adoption of Medicaid program · CHIP eligibility levels · AFDC benefits for average family · TANF eligibility and benefits
10. **Rights and Anti-Discrimination Protections:** Law prohibiting hiring discrimination on the basis of gender · Equal Rights Amendment ratified · abortion and contraception policies (access, insurance coverage, parental consent, TRAP laws, fetal personhood, etc.) · laws banning hate crimes · same-sex marriage · laws prohibiting discrimination in employment, housing, public accommodations · fair housing · affirmative action ban
11. **Environment:** Environmental building standards · tax credits for renewable energy · bottle bill · e-waste recycling program · cap on greenhouse gas emissions · endangered species regulations · commercial sector energy consumption · residential sector energy price · total CO2 emissions
12. **Drug and Alcohol Policy:** Punishment for DUIs · restrictions on alcohol sales · smoking bans · medical marijuana permitted · cigarette taxes · registration of beer kegs · zero-tolerance laws for underage drinking · Internet gambling · casinos allowed · state lottery
13. **Gun Control:** Concealed carry laws · assault weapons ban · background checks · waiting period for gun purchases · child-access prevention laws · mandatory reporting of firearm thefts
14. **Labor:** State minimum wage rate · fair employment laws · workers’ compensation · unemployment compensation · right-to-work law · short-term disability insurance program
15. **Transportation:** Seatbelt laws · motorcycle and bicycle helmet laws · blood-alcohol-content laws for drivers · uninsured/underinsured coverage required · ban on handheld cellphones for all drivers · driver’s license renewal cycle
16. **Regulatory Policy:** Licensing requirements for various occupations · estate planning and administration, wills, trusts · abandonment of property · regulation of mortgages and leases · eminent domain · sale of fireworks permitted · lemon laws · consumer protections · regulation of sales and transactions/transfers

Note About Coding of Policy Outputs Regarding the “policy output” variables, which typically indicate whether a given policy has been adopted (yes/no, 0/1): Many of these variables were originally presented in long format, with the data indicating the specific year that a policy was adopted by each state. The variables have been reshaped to wide format throughout the Correlates dataset, so a value of 0 indicates the years that a policy was not or has not been adopted, and a 1 indicates the years that a policy was or has been adopted in each state.

Panel Variables The CSPP dataset includes the following panel variables:

- State Name
- State Abbreviation
- State Code (FIPS)
- State Code (ICPSR)
- State Number (Alphabetical)
- Year

Demographic Variables

Variable	Years	Description	Source(s) and Notes
poptotal	1900-2008,2012-2017	Total population per state	U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/) Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) For 2012-2017: U.S. Census Bureau, American Fact Finder: https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/american-factfinder/
popdensity	1975-1999	Number of people per square mile of land area; population in 1000s divided by land area in square miles (excludes water)	http://www.ipsr.ku.edu/SPPQ/datasets.shtml (data from The Statistical Abstract of the United States, U.S. Census Bureau). No data were available for the District of Columbia. Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
popfemale	1994-2010	The number of residents who are female. Data for 2001 are unavailable.	CQ Press. 'State Stats: Population under 5 years old.' http://library.cqpress.com/cqresearcher/index.php Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
pctpopfemale	2012-2017	Percentage of the state's population that is female	U.S. Census Bureau, American Fact Finder: https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/american-factfinder/
popmale	1994-2010	The number of residents who are male. Data for 2001 are unavailable.	CQ Press. 'State Stats: Population under 5 years old.' http://library.cqpress.com/cqresearcher/index.php Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
pctpopmale	2012-2017	Percentage of the state's population that is male	U.S. Census Bureau, American Fact Finder: https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/american-factfinder/
popunder5	1994-2010	The number of residents under the age of five in a state. Data for 2001 are unavailable.	CQ Press. 'State Stats: Population under 5 years old.' http://library.cqpress.com/cqresearcher/index.php Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
pctpopunder14	2013-2017	Percentage of the state's population aged 14 years or younger	U.S. Census Bureau, American Fact Finder: https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/american-factfinder/
pop5to17	1994-2010	The number of residents between the ages of 5 and 17 in a state. Data for 2001 are unavailable.	CQ Press. 'State Stats: Population under 5 years old.' http://library.cqpress.com/cqresearcher/index.php Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
pop18to24	1994-2010	The number of residents between the ages of 18 and 24 in a state. Data for 2001 are unavailable.	CQ Press. 'State Stats: Population under 5 years old.' http://library.cqpress.com/cqresearcher/index.php Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
pctpop15to24	2013-2017	Percentage of the state's population between the ages of 15 and 24	U.S. Census Bureau, American Fact Finder: https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/american-factfinder/
pop25to44	1994-2010	The number of residents between the ages of 25 and 44 in a state. Data for 2001 are unavailable.	CQ Press. 'State Stats: Population under 5 years old.' http://library.cqpress.com/cqresearcher/index.php Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
pctpop25to44	2013-2017	Percentage of the state's population between the ages of 25 and 44	U.S. Census Bureau, American Fact Finder: https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/american-factfinder/
pop45to64	1994-2010	The number of residents between the ages of 45 and 64 in a state. Data for 2001 are unavailable.	CQ Press. 'State Stats: Population under 5 years old.' http://library.cqpress.com/cqresearcher/index.php Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)

pctpop45to64	2013-2017	Percentage of the state's population between the ages of 45 and 64	U.S. Census Bureau, American Fact Finder: https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/american-factfinder/
popover65	1994-2010	The number of residents over the age of 65 in a state. Data for 2001 are unavailable.	CQ Press. 'State Stats: Population under 5 years old.' http://library.cqpress.com/cqresearcher/index.php Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
pctpopover65	2013-2017	Percentage of the state's population over the age of 65	U.S. Census Bureau, American Fact Finder: https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/american-factfinder/
pctpopover18	2013-2017	Percentage of the state's population over the age of 18	U.S. Census Bureau, American Fact Finder: https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/american-factfinder/
popover85	1995-2010	The number of residents over the age of 85 in a state. Data for 2001 are unavailable.	CQ Press. 'State Stats: Population under 5 years old.' http://library.cqpress.com/cqresearcher/index.php Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
pctlatinx	2013-2017	Percentage of the state's residents who are Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	U.S. Census Bureau, American Fact Finder: https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/american-factfinder/
pctwhite	2013-2017	Percentage of the state's residents who are white (not Hispanic or Latino)	U.S. Census Bureau, American Fact Finder: https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/american-factfinder/
pctblack	2013-2017	Percentage of the state's residents who are black or African American (alone)	U.S. Census Bureau, American Fact Finder: https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/american-factfinder/
pctasian	2013-2017	Percentage of the state's residents who are Asian (alone)	U.S. Census Bureau, American Fact Finder: https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/american-factfinder/
pctpacific	2013-2017	Percentage of the state's residents who are native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander (alone)	U.S. Census Bureau, American Fact Finder: https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/american-factfinder/
pctamericanindian	2013-2017	Percentage of the state's residents who are American Indian or Alaska Native (alone)	U.S. Census Bureau, American Fact Finder: https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/american-factfinder/
birthrate	1991-2008	Children per woman (total fertility) with projections; births per 1,000 women aged 15-44	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. National Center for Health Statistics (VitalStats). https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data_access/vitalstatsonline.htm Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
evangelical_pop	1975-2013	Percentage of evangelical residents in a state	Sellers, Mitchell D. 'Gubernatorial Use of Executive Orders: Unilateral Action and Policy Adoption.' <i>Journal of Public Policy</i> 37.3 (2017): 315-339.
nonwhite	1974-2011	Proportion of the state population that is nonwhite	Kelly, Nathan J., and Christopher Witko. 'Government Ideology and Unemployment in the U.S. States.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 14.4 (2014): 389-413.
foreign_born	2005-2012	Percentage of state population who are foreign born	Pew Research Center, Hispanic Trends Projection (based on American Community Survey data): http://www.pewhispanic.org/2014/04/29/statistical-portrait-of-the-foreign-born-population-in-the-united-states-2012/#foreign-born-by-state-2012 Reich, Gary. 'Immigrant legislation, across and within the United States.' <i>Research & Politics</i> 4.4 (2017): 1-11.

newimmig	1988-2011	Persons obtaining legal permanent resident status by state of residence: fiscal years 1988 to 2011. The fiscal year runs from October 1 through September 30. A permanent resident is defined as a green card holder who has been granted lawful authorization to live and work in the United States on a permanent basis.	U.S. Department of Homeland Security. 'Persons Obtaining Legal Permanent Resident Status by State of Residence: Fiscal Years 1988 to 2011.' https://www.dhs.gov/publication/yearbook-immigration-statistics-2011-legal-permanent-residents . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Notes: To obtain permanent resident status, most individuals are sponsored by a family member or employer in the United States. Other individuals may become permanent residents through refugee or asylee status or other humanitarian programs. In some cases, people may be eligible to file for themselves.
undocumented_immigrants	1990, 2000,2005, 2007,2010	Estimated number of unauthorized immigrants in a state Notes: data are estimates by Pew Hispanic Center, not actual counts. Several observations are recorded as '< 5,000' and '< 10,000' rather than discrete estimates.	Passel, Jeffrey S., and D'Vera Cohn. 2011. 'Unauthorized Immigrant Population: National and State Trends, 2010.' Pew Research Center.
refugeetotal	2000-2012	Number of refugees arriving per state per fiscal year. The fiscal year runs from October 1 through September 30.	U.S. Department of Health & Human Services-Office of Refugee Resettlement. 'Refugee Arrival Data.' http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/orr/resource/refugee-arrival-data . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Note: To be eligible for refugee status, an applicant must meet the definition of a refugee set forth in 101(a)(42) of the Immigration and Nationality Act: a person who is unable or unwilling to return to his or her country of nationality because of persecution or a well-founded fear of persecution on account of race, religion, nationality, membership in a particular social group, or political opinion.
pop_annual	1929-2012	Total population in the state, measured annually.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source (2012): http://www.bizjournals.com/bizjournals/on-numbers/scott-thomas/2012/06/californias-population-passes-38.html?appSession=10897383915145&RecordID=&PageID=2&PrevPageID=&cpipage=3&CPISortType=&CPIorderBy
dimmhed	2000-2017	Undocumented immigrants' access to public higher education (-1 = banned from all public universities, -0.5 = banned from some public universities, 0 = no in-state tuition, 0.5 = in-state tuition at some universities, 0.75 = in-state tuition for community colleges and transfers to 4-years, 1 = in-state tuition statewide)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
immig_laws_restrict	2005-2012	Number of 'restrictive' laws relating to immigrants passed in the year	Reich, Gary. 'Immigrant legislation, across and within the United States.' <i>Research & Politics</i> 4.4 (2017): 1-11.
immig_laws_accommodating	2005-2012	Number of 'accommodating' laws relating to immigrants passed in the year	Reich, Gary. 'Immigrant legislation, across and within the United States.' <i>Research & Politics</i> 4.4 (2017): 1-11.
immig_laws_neutral	2005-2012	Number of 'neutral' laws relating to immigrants passed in the year	Reich, Gary. 'Immigrant legislation, across and within the United States.' <i>Research & Politics</i> 4.4 (2017): 1-11.
immig_laws_total	2005-2012	Total laws relating to immigrants passed in the year	Reich, Gary. 'Immigrant legislation, across and within the United States.' <i>Research & Politics</i> 4.4 (2017): 1-11.
immigration_english_language	1970-2014	Is English the state's official language? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB

immigration_ins tate_tuition_il legalimmigrants	2001-2014	Does the state allow in-state tuition for illegal immigrants? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
engonly	1900-2007	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
percentBlack	decadal years from 1900-2010	the percentage of the population identified as black by the Census's "race" variable	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
percentForeignB orn	decadal years from 1900-2010	the percentage of the population identified as foreign-born by the Census	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
percentUrban	decadal years from 1900-2010	the percentage of the population identified as living in urban areas by the Census. To maximize consistency of the definition of "urban" across Census years, Census respondents were generally coded as living in urban areas if the Census "metro" variable indicated that they were living in a "metro area." The "metro" variable is unavailable in 1970 and 1990 Census data; in these cases, I used the closely related "metarea" variable. As with most coding of urban residence in the United States, this coding is generous: for example, counties that contain more than 10,000 people are considered "urban" by this coding, and the entire state of New Jersey is coded as "urban" from 2000 to the present. See http://usa.ipums.org/usa-action/variables/alphabetical?id=M for more information about the definitions of the "metro" and "metarea" variables	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
percentWorkInMa nufacturing	decadal years from 1900-2010	the percentage of the population identified as living in urban areas by the Census when the respondent was 14, in the state in which he lived when he was 14	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
A15_24_pop	1980-2009	Population between the ages of 15 and 24 per state (coding: number of people, in thousands)	Silver & Macinko (2013), from NCI Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. <i>The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010</i> . ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, <i>Statewide Availability Data System II: 1933 - 2003, 2004</i> , National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Prevention Research Center: Berkeley, CA. National Cancer Institute, <i>State-Level Population Files, Surveillance Epidemiology and End Results</i> , Editor 2010.

black_pop	1980-2009	Population indicating census category as black or African-American per state (coding: number of people, in thousands)	Silver & Macinko (2013), from NCI Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Statewide Availability Data System II: 1933 - 2003, 2004, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Prevention Research Center: Berkeley, CA. National Cancer Institute, State-Level Population Files, Surveillance Epidemiology and End Results, Editor 2010.
sphh2varying2per	1995-2015	Percentage same-sex partner households	Taylor et al. (2019), from the Census Taylor, Jami K., Donald P. Haider-Markel, and Benjamin Rogers. 2019. "Toward a new measure of state-level LGBT interest group strength." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 19(3): 334-350.
percentlgbtcomp2per	1995-2015	Percentage LGBT population	Taylor et al. (2019), from Gates (2017) and Gates & Newport (2013) Taylor, Jami K., Donald P. Haider-Markel, and Benjamin Rogers. 2019. "Toward a new measure of state-level LGBT interest group strength." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 19(3): 334-350. Gates, Gary. 2017. "Vermont Leads States in LGBT Identification." <i>Gallup News</i> , February. http://news.gallup.com/poll/203513/vermont-leads-states-lgbt-identification.aspx . Gates, Gary, and Frank Newport. 2013. "Gallup Special Report: New Estimates of the LGBT Population in the United States." <i>The Williams Institute</i> . http://williamsinstitute.law.ucla.edu/research/census-lgbt-demographics-studies/gallup-lgbt-pop-feb-2013/
evangldsper	1995-2015	Evangelical percentage plus LDS percentage	Taylor et al. (2019), from the Pew Research Center (2014) Taylor, Jami K., Donald P. Haider-Markel, and Benjamin Rogers. 2019. "Toward a new measure of state-level LGBT interest group strength." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 19(3): 334-350. Pew Research Center. 2014. "Religious Landscape Study." http://www.pewforum.org/religious-landscape-study/
minor_migrant_alone	2015-2020	Absolute number of unaccompanied minor migrants released	Tran (2021), from Department of Health & Human Services Tran, Andrew B. 2021. "Absolute Number of Unaccompanied Minor Immigrants Released by State". Accessed at: https://github.com/wpinvestigative/unaccompanied_minors/blob/main/output_d Department of Health & Human Services. Office of Refugee Resettlement. Accessed from https://www.acf.hhs.gov/orr/grant-funding/unaccompanied-children-released-sponsors-state
pop_under_72months	2012-2018	The total population of children under 72 months of age	Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). 2021. CDC National Childhood Blood Lead Surveillance Data. Accessed at: https://www.cdc.gov/nceh/lead/data/national.htm

firms_susb	1988-2018	<p>Total number of firms. A firm is a business organization consisting of one or more domestic establishments in the same geographic area and industry that were specified under common ownership or control. The firm and the establishment are the same for single-establishment firms. For each multi-establishment firm, establishments in the same industry within a geographic area will be counted as one firm; the firm employment and annual payroll are summed from the associated establishments.</p> <p>NOTE: The Correlates team collected the data for this variable directly from the Census's website and prepared it for inclusion to the dataset. The data should be the same as the 'firms' variable also in the CSPP dataset, but differences exist. We sourced 'firms' from Stateminder (now defunct) and retain it in CSPP for completeness.</p>	<p>U.S. Census Bureau (2021). Statistics of U.S. Businesses (SUSB). Retrieved from https://www.census.gov/data/tables/time-series/econ/susb/susb-historical.html</p>
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Economic-Fiscal Variables

Variable	Years	Description	Source(s) and Notes
all_other_taxes	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
corporation_net_income_taxes	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
current_charges	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_correction	1942-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_direct	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_direct_assistance_subsidies	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_direct_capital_outlay	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_direct_current_operations	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_direct_insurance	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_direct_interest	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_education	1942-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_general_intergovernmental	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_governmental_administration	1942-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_health	1942-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_highways	1942-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_hospitals	1942-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_interest_on_general_debt	1942-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_intergovernmental	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_natural_resources	1942-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_other_and_unallocable	1942-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov

exp_parks_and_recreation	1942-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_police_protection	1942-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_public_welfare	1942-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
exp_salaries_wages	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
general_sales_receipts_taxes	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
hincommed	1984-2011	The median of all household incomes in a state. 2011 CPI-U-RS adjusted dollars.	U.S. Census Bureau. 2012. 'Median Household Income by State - Single- Year Estimates.' Accessed at: http://www.census.gov/topics/income-poverty/income.html . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
individual_income_taxes	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
insurance_trust_expenditure	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
insurance_trust_revenue	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
intergovernmental_revenue	2012-2016	Intergovernmental state revenue. All state government finance data are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
license_taxes	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
liquor_stores_expenditure	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
liquor_stores_revenue	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
lotticksales	1992-2002	Lottery ticket sales for instant tickets, three-digit, four-digit, lotto and other tickets (excluding commissions) (in thousands)	U.S. Census Bureau. 2009. 'Lottery Sales-Type of Game and Use of Proceeds.' Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Note: Data from Census is actually originally from TLF Publications, Inc., Boyds, MD, 2009 World Lottery Almanac (copyright).
lotadmincosts	1992-1999	Lottery administration costs (in thousands)	U.S. Census Bureau. 2012. 'Lottery Prize Amounts Awarded.' Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
lotprize	1992-2002	Lottery prize amounts awarded (in thousands)	U.S. Census Bureau. 2012. 'Lottery Prize Amounts Awarded.' Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
miscellaneous_general_revenue	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
selective_sales_receipts_taxes	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov

taxrevcorporate	1946-2011	Taxes on net income of corporations and unincorporated businesses (when taxed separately from individual income). Includes distinctively imposed net income taxes on special kinds of corporations (e.g., financial institutions). Measured in thousands of dollars. Sum of tax revenue from corporate net income.	U.S. Census Bureau. 2011. 'State Government Tax Collections.' Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
total_holdings	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
utility__expenditure	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
utility__revenue	2012-2016	All state government finance data from the Census Bureau are in 1,000s of current dollars.	United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
firms	1988-2010	Number of Firms. A firm is a business organization consisting of one or more domestic establishments in the same state and industry that were specified under common ownership or control. The firm and the establishment are the same for single-establishment firms. For each multi-establishment firm, establishments in the same industry within a state will be counted as one firm-the firm employment and annual payroll are summed from the associated establishments.	US Census Bureau. Statistics of US Businesses. 2012. 'SUSB totals for U.S. & States.' Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
patents	1998-2011	This variable displays the number of U.S. patents distributed by U.S. state and by calendar year of grant, and it counts documents of utility patents (i.e., patents for invention) granted by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.	U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. 2012. 'Number of Patents Granted as Distributed by Year of Patent Grant, Breakout by U.S. State and Foreign Country of Origin.' Accessed at: http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/ac/ido/oeip/taf/cst_util.htm . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Note: The origin of a patent is determined by the residence of the first-named inventor. A patent is a document, issued by an authorized governmental agency, granting the right to exclude anyone else from the production or use of a specific new device, or process for a stated number of years. The grant is issued to the inventor after an examination that focuses on both the novelty and potential utility of the item. Pre-1998 data is omitted due to aggregation of years between 1963-1998 in the report.
valueofagsect	1950-2011	Net value-added is the sector's contribution to the national economy and is the sum of the income from production earned by all factors-of- production, regardless of ownership (thousands of dollars)	Economic Research Service/USDA. 2011. 'Value Added to the U.S. Economy by the agricultural sector via the production of goods and services 1949-2011.' Accessed at: http://www.ers.usda.gov/data-products/farm-income-and-wealth-statistics.aspx . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
farmpayment	1949-2011	Aggregate sum of direct payments from programs in respective years by the government to farmers (thousands of dollars)	Economic Research Service/USDA. 2012. 'Government payments, by program and State, 1990-2011.' http://www.ers.usda.gov/data-products/farm-income-and-wealth-statistics.aspx . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
atkin_index	1917-2013	State income inequality measured by Atkinson Index	Frank, Mark W. 'U.S. State-Level Income Inequality Data.' http://www.shsu.edu/eco_mwf/inequality.html
gini_coef	1917-2013	State income inequality measured by Gini coefficient	Frank, Mark W. 'U.S. State-Level Income Inequality Data.' http://www.shsu.edu/eco_mwf/inequality.html

incshare_top001	1917-2013	Share of total income earned by the top 0.01% of earners	Frank, Mark W. 'U.S. State-Level Income Inequality Data.' http://www.shsu.edu/eco_mwf/inequality.html For methodology, see: Frank, Mark, Estelle Sommeiller, Mark Price, and Emmanuel Saez. 2015. 'Frank-Sommeiller-Price Series for Top Income Shares by US States since 1917.'
incshare_top01	1917-2013	Share of total income earned by the top 0.1% of earners	Frank, Mark W. 'U.S. State-Level Income Inequality Data.' http://www.shsu.edu/eco_mwf/inequality.html For methodology, see: Frank, Mark, Estelle Sommeiller, Mark Price, and Emmanuel Saez. 2015. 'Frank-Sommeiller-Price Series for Top Income Shares by US States since 1917.'
incshare_top05	1917-2013	Share of total income earned by the top 0.5% of earners	Frank, Mark W. 'U.S. State-Level Income Inequality Data.' http://www.shsu.edu/eco_mwf/inequality.html For methodology, see: Frank, Mark, Estelle Sommeiller, Mark Price, and Emmanuel Saez. 2015. 'Frank-Sommeiller-Price Series for Top Income Shares by US States since 1917.'
incshare_top1	1917-2013	Share of total income earned by the top 1% of earners	Frank, Mark W. 'U.S. State-Level Income Inequality Data.' http://www.shsu.edu/eco_mwf/inequality.html For methodology, see: Frank, Mark, Estelle Sommeiller, Mark Price, and Emmanuel Saez. 2015. 'Frank-Sommeiller-Price Series for Top Income Shares by US States since 1917.'
incshare_top5	1917-2013	Share of total income earned by the top 5% of earners	Frank, Mark W. 'U.S. State-Level Income Inequality Data.' http://www.shsu.edu/eco_mwf/inequality.html . For methodology, see: Frank, Mark, Estelle Sommeiller, Mark Price, and Emmanuel Saez. 2015. 'Frank-Sommeiller-Price Series for Top Income Shares by US States since 1917.'
incshare_top10	1917-2013	Share of total income earned by the top 10% of earners	Frank, Mark W. 'U.S. State-Level Income Inequality Data.' http://www.shsu.edu/eco_mwf/inequality.html For methodology, see: Frank, Mark, Estelle Sommeiller, Mark Price, and Emmanuel Saez. 2015. 'Frank-Sommeiller-Price Series for Top Income Shares by US States since 1917.'
theil_index	1917-2013	State income inequality measured by Theil Index	Frank, Mark W. 'U.S. State-Level Income Inequality Data.' http://www.shsu.edu/eco_mwf/inequality.html
is_a_state	1929-2012	1 = is a state. 0 = DC and national data.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
region	1929-2012	If state is located in South (1), West (2), Midwest (3), Northeast (4).	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: The codes do not reflect the numeric codes used by the Census
bfh_cpi_multiplier	1960-2010	Change between years was established with the following formula. $\frac{[State_cpi_bfh_est (time t) - State_cpi_bfh_est (time t-1)]}{State_cpi_bfh_est (time t-1)} + 1$	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes on construction of variable: i
budget_surplus	1942-2016	Computed by: $General_revenue - general_expenditure$. Note: this is not a good measure of a state's budget surplus in one year.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: <code>gen budget_surplus= general_revenue-general_expenditure</code> Coded years 2012-2016 using the above code
budget_surplus_gsp	1942-2016	Budget surplus as percent of gross state product	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: <code>gen budget_surplus_gsp=(budget_surplus/(gsp_q*1000))*100</code> Coded years 2012-2016 using the above code
budget_surplus_inc	1941-2009	Budget surplus as percent of personal income.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: <code>gen budget_surplus_inc=(budget_surplus/personal_income1000s_b)*100</code>

disposable_personal_income1000s_annual	1948-2011	Total disposable personal income in the state, measured annually.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source: http://www.bea.gov/ . Then click on 'state and local area personal income' under 'regional.' Then under 'data' click on 'state annual personal income and employment.' Then, under 'Annual State Personal Income and Employment' click 'Personal income, per capita personal income, disposable personal income, and population (SA1-3, SA51-53):' Then click on Table ID 'SA51-53 Disposable Personal Income Summary.' This yields both personal income (\$1,000s), population (persons), and per capita personal income (dollars) (the latter was a perfect function of the two former (after rounding) so wasn't retained).
fy_end_day	1942-2010	Day of the month that the state fiscal year ends in.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
fy_end_month	1942-2010	Number of month that the state fiscal year ends in.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
fy_end_quar	1942-2010	Last quarter of the state fiscal year.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
general_expenditure	1942-2016	General state expenditures. All state government finance data are in 1,000s of current dollars.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source: Figures exactly as they appear in the Census database file State_Govt_Finances for 1942 - 2006. For 2007 - 2010: http://www.census.gov/govs/state/ Note for data put into quarters 1, 2, 3 and 4: although these data were put into quarters, they were not divided by 4. There are always four cases that have the same exact numbers. These sets of four are within the same state fiscal year. Note for data put into quarter 2.5: data for the fiscal year that matches the year of the case is put into 2.5. For example, Indiana's FY1986 (which goes from July 1st 1985, to June 30th, 1986) is put into 1986q2.5. United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
general_expenditure_gsp	1942-2010	General expenditures as percent of gross state product	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: <code>gen general_expenditure_gsp=(general_expenditure/(gsp_q*1000))*100</code>
general_expenditure_inc	1941-2009	General expenditures as percent of personal income.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: <code>gen general_expenditure_inc=(general_expenditure/personal_income1000s_b)*100</code>
general_revenue	1942-2016	General state revenue. All state government finance data are in 1,000s of current dollars.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source: Figures exactly as they appear in the Census database file State_Govt_Finances for 1942 - 2006. For 2007 - 2010: http://www.census.gov/govs/state/ Note for data put into quarters 1, 2, 3 and 4: although these data were put into quarters, they were not divided by 4. There are always four cases that have the same exact numbers. These sets of four are within the same state fiscal year. Note for data put into quarter 2.5: data for the fiscal year that matches the year of the case is put into 2.5. For example, Indiana's FY1986 (which goes from July 1st 1985, to June 30th, 1986) is put into 1986q2.5. United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
general_revenue_gsp	1942-2016	General revenue as percent of gross state product	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: <code>gen general_revenue_gsp=(general_revenue/(gsp_q*1000))*100</code> Coded years 2012-2016 using the above code
general_revenue_inc	1941-2009	General revenue as percent of personal income.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: <code>gen general_revenue_inc=(general_revenue/personal_income1000s_b)*100</code>

gov_fin_fy	1942-2010	Fiscal year that the quarter in question belongs to (when is_a_quarter=1) or simply the fiscal year in question when quar=2.5. Only observed when the six state government finances variables below are observed when is_a_quarter=1, but is always observed within the available time period when quar=2.5. Most states are available annually starting in 1950, and biennially for 1942, 1944, 1946, and 1948. See the variable state_gov_finance_exists for quarters and years of coverage for each state.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: ii
gsp_naics_ann	1997-2010	Gross state product, NAICS system of classification (millions of current dollars). quar=2.5 only	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source: http://www.bea.gov/regional/gsp/
gsp_naics_ann_exists	1997-2010	Dummy: 1 = gsp_NAICS_ann exists, 0 = else.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gsp_naics_ann_exists2	1997-2010	Dummy: 1 = gsp_NAICS_ann exists (for the both quar=2.5 and for all quarters between the middle of the year that gsp_NAICS_ann exists for).	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Note: In other words, since gsp_NAICS_ann exists for 1997 to 2010, this is coded '1' for 1997q3 to 2010q2), blank = else.
gsp_naics_ann_multiplier	1997-2010	For Q=2.5: amount that last year's figure needs to be multiplied by to equal this year's figure. For Q=1, 2, 3 or 4: figure in Q=2.5, but altered as follows. Q3 from the year before Q2.5 gets a $\wedge(1/8)$. Q4 from the year before Q2.5 gets a $\wedge(1/4)$. Q1 from the year of Q2.5 gets a $\wedge(1/4)$. Q2 from the year of Q2.5 gets a $\wedge(1/4)$	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gsp_naics_q	1997-2010	Millions of current dollars. For Q=2.5, this equals gsp_naics_ann or gsp_sic_ann as appropriate. For Qs=1, 2, 3 and 4, it equals the figure from the last quarter (or Q=2.5, for Q=3), times the multipliers gsp_naics_ann_multiplier or gsp_sics_ann_multiplier above as appropriate. Note: although these data were put into quarters, they were not divided by 4.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gsp_q	1963-2010	Millions of current dollars. Uses gsp_naics_q for 1997q2.5 to 2010. Uses gsp_sic_q for up to 1996q2.5. For 1996q3 to 1997q2, it connects the values between 1996q2.5 and 1997q2.5 with the multiplier. For the following three states only, 2010q2.5 was put into 2010q3: AL, MI, and TX.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gsp_sic_ann	1963-1997	Gross state product, SIC system of classification (millions of current dollars). Note: Figures for SIC and NAICS coexist for 1997	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source: http://www.bea.gov/regional/gsp/
gsp_sic_ann_exists	1963-1997	Dummy: 1 = gsp_SIC_ann exists (quar=2.5 only), 0 = else.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1

gsp_sic_ann_exists2	1963-1997	Dummy: 1 = gsp_SIC_ann exists (for the both quar=2.5 and for all quarters between the middle of the year that gsp_SIC_ann exists for).	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Note: In other words, since gsp_SIC_ann exists for 1997 to 2010, this is coded '1' for 1997q3 to 2010q2), blank = else.
gsp_sic_ann_multiplier	1963-1997	For Q=2.5: amount that last year's figure needs to be multiplied by to equal this year's figure. For Q=1, 2, 3 or 4: figure in Q=2.5, but altered as follows. Q3 from the year before Q2.5 gets a $\hat{(1/8)}$. Q4 from the year before Q2.5 gets a $\hat{(1/4)}$. Q1 from the year of Q2.5 gets a $\hat{(1/4)}$. Q2 from the year of Q2.5 gets a $\hat{(1/4)}$	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gsp_sic_q	1963-1997	Millions of current dollars. For Q=2.5, this equals gsp_naics_ann or gsp_sic_ann as appropriate. For Qs=1, 2, 3 and 4, it equals the figure from the last quarter (or Q=2.5, for Q=3), times the multipliers gsp_naics_ann_multiplier or gsp_sics_ann_multiplier above as appropriate. Note: although these data were put into quarters, they were not divided by 4.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
housing_prices_quar	1975-2012	When 'is_a_quarter'=1, this represents quarterly housing price index (1980q1=1 for all states). All-transaction index estimated using sales prices and appraisal data. Data isn't seasonally adjusted. When quar=2.5, this represents the average from the same indicator for the four quarters of the calendar year.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source for quarterly data: Federal Housing Finance Agency. http://www.fhfa.gov/Default.aspx?Page=87 . 'States through 2012q1 (not seasonally adjusted) [CSV]'. Note: In the original source, 1980q1=100, and so was divided by 100 here. In the original source, all states are given a score of '100' in 1980q1, so apparently the index isn't comparable across states.
inc_multiplier	1929-1948	Amount last period has to be multiplied by to get the next period. The purpose of this variable is to impute quarterly income before such data were available.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes on construction of variable:iii
legislative_construction_exp	2006-2010	State legislature's construction expenditures. Note: these are annual amounts put into quarters.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source (fy2006 to fy2010): http://www.census.gov/govs/state/
legislative_current_op_exp	2006-2010	State legislature's current operating expenditures. Note: these are annual amounts put into quarters.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source (fy2006 to fy2010): http://www.census.gov/govs/state/ Note: when legislative_current_op_exp was non-zero, I pasted in '0' into the other variables if there was no data there.
legislative_equipment_exp	2006-2010	State legislature's equipment expenditures. Note: these are annual amounts put into quarters.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source (fy2006 to fy2010): http://www.census.gov/govs/state/ Note: legislative_equipment_exp is often the same figure as legislative_other_capital_exp. When they differ, legislative_other_capital_exp is always larger.
legislative_other_capital_exp	2006-2010	State legislature's other capital expenditures. Note: these are annual amounts put into quarters.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source (fy2006 to fy2010): http://www.census.gov/govs/state/
legislative_total_exp	1950-2010	Total amount of money spent on the legislature (current dollars). Note: these are annual amounts put into quarters.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source (fy1951-fy2005): legislative_total_exp1; Source (fy2006-fy2010): legislative_total_exp2

legislative_total_exp_exists	1950-2010	1 = legislative_total_exp has a non-missing value, and it is one of the cases that state_gov_finance_exists=1 for. 0 = legislative_total_exp has a missing value, and it is one of the cases that state_gov_finance_exists=1 for. Blank = else.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
legislative_total_exp1	1950-2005	Total amount of money spent on the legislature (current \$1s). Note: the four component parts of legislative expenditure are 1) current operations, legislative services (code E26), 2) construction, legislative (code F26), 3) other capital outlay, legislative (code G26), and 4) equipment only, legislative (code K26).	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source (fy1951-fy2006: State Government Finances file. Note: these are annual amounts put into quarters. Timing of variable: data put into the four quarters of the fiscal year the data are from. The data aren't divided by four, even though they're put into quarters.
legislative_total_exp1_exists	1950-2005	1 = legislative_total_exp has a non-missing value, and it is one of the cases that state_gov_finance_exists=1 for. 0 = legislative_total_exp has a missing value, and it is one of the cases that state_gov_finance_exists=1 for. Blank = else.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
legislative_total_exp2	2006-2010	Total amount of money spent on the legislature (current \$1s). Note: these are annual amounts put into quarters.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source (fy2006 to fy2010): http://www.census.gov/govs/state/
legislative_total_exp2_exists	2006-2010	1 = legislative_total_exp2 has a non-missing value, and it is one of the cases that state_gov_finance_exists=1 for. 0 = legislative_total_exp has a missing value, and it is one of the cases that state_gov_finance_exists=1 for. Blank = else.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
nat_cpi_bls_quarter	1929-2012	National consumer price index for the year, same value for all states within a quarter. This took the monthly data posted on the Bureau of Labor Statistics Web site, and averaged them within quarters, and applied them to all the states (not just to stateno=0, like in regional_cpi_bls_quar above) when 'is_a_quarter'=1. The months were averaged across a calendar year when quar=2.5.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source: the variable 'cpi_bls_quar_interpolated' (although none of the national data were interpolated) from the file BLS_Regional_CPI_2012_06_04.xls. Before that ftp://ftp.bls.gov/pub/special.requests/cpi/cpiait.txt
non_june_30_fy_end_date	1942-2010	1 = state fiscal year doesn't end on June 30th, 0 = state fiscal year ends on June 30th. blank = non-observed.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
odd_even_year	1929-2016	1 = state is an odd-year election state, 2 = state is an even-year election state, 3 = Louisiana. Years available: 1929q1 to 2016q4	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
pc_inc_ann	1929-2016	Per capita income, annual data (\$1s). Calculated by: (personal_income1000s_annual*1000)/pop_annual	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1

pc_inc_quar	1929-2012	Personal income per capita (dollars). Note: not in thousands, but in dollars. Computed by: (Personal_income1000s*1000) / pop_quar	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
pc_inc_quar_exists	1929-2012	1 = pc_inc has a non-missing case. Blank = else.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
personal_income1000s	1948-2012	Combines the variables personal_income1000s_quar (when is_a_quarter=1) and personal_income1000s_annual (when quar=2.5).	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
personal_income1000s_b	1929-2012	Personal income in \$1,000s. For Q=2.5, it's equal to personal_income1000s_Annual. For Qs=1, 2, 3 and 4, and years 1948q1 to 2011q4, it's equal to personal_income1000s_quar. For Qs=1, 2, 3 and 4, and years 1929q3 to 1947q4, it's equal to the 'last value' (q2.5 in the same year for q3, or the last quarter for other quarters) times the growth rate given in inc_multiplier.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
personal_income1000s_b_exists	1929-2012	Dummy: 1 = there is a value for 'Personal_income1000s_b.' Blank = else.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
real_inc1000s_quar_exists	1960-2010	Dummy: 1 = there is a value for 'real_inc1000s_quar.' Blank = else.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
real_pc_inc_quar	1960-2010	Real per capita personal income (in 2007 dollars), deflated with Berry, Fording and Hanson cost of living index. ***Not in thousands, but in dollars.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
real_pc_inc_quar_exists	1960-2010	1 = real_pc_inc_quar has a non-missing case. Blank = else.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
real_pc_inc_quar_exists2	1960-2010	2 = real_pc_inc_quar has a non-missing case and is the earliest time a case appears for that state (or the nation). If q=2.5, this is the first time a case appears for cases with q=2.5 for that state. If 'is_a_quarter'=1, this is the first time a case appears for cases with is_a_quarter=1 for that state. 1 = real_pc_inc_q has a non-missing case. Blank = else.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
real2_inc_quar	1960-2010	Real personal income, in 1,000s of current dollars, deflated with the national CPI (1982-1984\$, 1,000s).	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: gen real2_inc_quar=personal_income1000s_b / nat_cpi_bls_quar
real2_pc_inc_quar	1960-2010	Real per capita personal income, deflated with the national CPI (1982- 1984\$, 1,000s).	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: gen real2_pc_inc_quar=real2_inc_quar/pop_quar
real_leg_tot_exp	1960-2010	Total expenditures on the legislature deflated by the Berry, Fording and Hansen state and year specific cost of living indicator.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1. STATA CODE: gen real_leg_tot_exp=legislative_total_exp / state_cpi_bfh_est_quar
real2_leg_tot_exp	1960-2010	Total expenditures on the legislature deflated by the national level cost of living indicator	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: gen real2_leg_tot_exp=legislative_total_exp / nat_cpi_bls_quar

state_cpi_bfh_est	1960-2010	Berry, Fording and Hanson (2000) state and year specific consumer price index, measured in July, with estimated values for 2008 through 2010 by Klarner 2013.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source (1960-2007): Source: Berry, William D., Richard C. Fording and Russell L. Hanson. 2000. 'An Annual Cost of Living Index for the American States, 1960-95,' The Journal of Politics, 60(2): 550-67. Link: https://rcfording.wordpress.com/datasets/ The Berry, Fording, and Hanson (2000) dataset contains a yearly state cost of living index for the 48 continental states, for years 1960 - 2007, derived from state median housing values, per capita income, and population.
state_cpi_bfh_est_quar	1960-2010	Puts interpolated values into quarters. Multiplies the last period's state_cpi with bfh_cpi_multiplier.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
state_gov_finance_exists	1942-2010	Dummy: 1 = all six of the state government finance variables listed above are observed. Blank = not observed. Note: if one of the state government finances variables is observed, the other five are also.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
taxes	1942-2016	State tax revenue. All state government finance data are in 1,000s of current dollars.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source: Figures exactly as they appear in the Census database file State_Govt_Finances for 1942 - 2006. For 2007 - 2010: http://www.census.gov/govs/state/ Note for data put into quarters 1, 2, 3 and 4: although these data were put into quarters, they were not divided by 4. There are always four cases that have the same exact numbers. These sets of four are within the same state fiscal year. Note for data put into quarter 2.5: data for the fiscal year that matches the year of the case is put into 2.5. For example, Indiana's FY1986 (which goes from July 1st 1985, to June 30th, 1986) is put into 1986q2.5. United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
taxes_gsp	1942-2016	Tax revenue as percent of gross state product	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: <code>gen taxes_gsp = (taxes/(gsp_q*1000))*100</code>
taxes_inc	1941-2009	Tax revenue as percent of personal income	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: <code>gen taxes_inc = (taxes/personal_income1000s_b)*100</code>
total_debt_outstanding	1942-2016	Total state debt outstanding. All state government finance data are in 1,000s of current dollars.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source: Figures exactly as they appear in the Census database file State_Govt_Finances for 1942 - 2006. For 2007 - 2010: http://www.census.gov/govs/state/ For 2012-2016: United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov Note for data put into quarters 1, 2, 3 and 4: although these data were put into quarters, they were not divided by 4. There are always four cases that have the same exact numbers. These sets of four are within the same state fiscal year. Note for data put into quarter 2.5: data for the fiscal year that matches the year of the case is put into 2.5. For example, Indiana's FY1986 (which goes from July 1st 1985, to June 30th, 1986) is put into 1986q2.5. United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
total_debt_outstanding_gsp	1942-2016	Total debt outstanding as a percent of gross state product.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: <code>gen total_debt_outstanding_gsp = (total_debt_outstanding/(gsp_q*1000))*100</code>
total_debt_outstanding_inc	1941-2009	Total debt outstanding as a percent of personal income.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: <code>gen total_debt_outstanding_inc = (total_debt_outstanding/personal_income1000s_b)*100</code>

total_expenditure	1942-2016	Total state expenditures. All state government finance data are in 1,000s of current dollars.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source: Figures exactly as they appear in the Census database file State_Govt_Finances for 1942 - 2006. For 2007 - 2010: http://www.census.gov/govs/state/ Note for data put into quarters 1, 2, 3 and 4: although these data were put into quarters, they were not divided by 4. There are always four cases that have the same exact numbers. These sets of four are within the same state fiscal year. Note for data put into quarter 2.5: data for the fiscal year that matches the year of the case is put into 2.5. For example, Indiana's FY1986 (which goes from July 1st 1985, to June 30th, 1986) is put into 1986q2.5. United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
total_expenditure_gsp	1942-2016	Total expenditures as percent of gross state product	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: <code>gen total_expenditure_gsp=(total_expenditure/(gsp_q*1000))*100</code>
total_expenditure_inc	1941-2009	Total expenditures as percent of personal income	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: <code>gen total_expenditure_inc=(total_expenditure/personal_income1000s_b)*100</code>
total_revenue	1942-2016	Total state revenue. All state government finance data are in 1,000s of current dollars.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source: Figures exactly as they appear in the Census database file State_Govt_Finances for 1942 - 2006. For 2007 - 2010: http://www.census.gov/govs/state/ Note for data put into quarters 1, 2, 3 and 4: although these data were put into quarters, they were not divided by 4. There are always four cases that have the same exact numbers. These sets of four are within the same state fiscal year. Note for data put into quarter 2.5: data for the fiscal year that matches the year of the case is put into 2.5. For example, Indiana's FY1986 (which goes from July 1st 1985, to June 30th, 1986) is put into 1986q2.5. United States Census Bureau: https://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/programs.xhtml?program=asgov
total_revenue_gsp	1942-2016	Total revenue as percent of gross state product	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: <code>gen total_revenue_gsp=(total_revenue/(gsp_q*1000))*100</code>
total_revenue_inc	1941-2009	Total revenue as percent of personal income.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Economic Data', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KMWN7N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 STATA CODE: <code>gen total_revenue_inc=(total_revenue/personal_income1000s_b)*100</code>
budget_solvent	2014	A state's standardized budget solvency index	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
cash_index	2014	A state's cash + cash equivalents + investments (in thousands \$)	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
cash_index_r	2014	A state's cash + cash equivalents + investments + receivables (in thousands \$)	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
cash_index	2014	A state's standardized cash solvency index	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .

cash_ratio	2014	A state's cash ratio: (cash + cash equivalents + investments)/current liabilities Higher ratio indicates greater cash solvency	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
change_in_net_assets	2014	A state's change in net assets	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
current_liabilities	2014	A state's current liabilities (in thousands \$)	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
current_ratio	2014	A state's current ratio: (current assets / current liabilities) Higher ratio indicates greater solvency.	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
exp_income_ratio	2014	A state's expenses to income ratio: Total expenses/state personal income Higher value indicates lower service-level solvency.	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
fisc_cond_w_trust_fund	2014	A state's standardized fiscal condition index, weighted by 35% cash index, 35% budget index, 10% long run index, 10% service level index, and 10% trust fund index.	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
long_term_liab	2014	A state's long-term liability ratio: long-term (noncurrent) liabilities / total assets Lower value indicates greater long-run solvency.	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
lr_solvencyindex	2014	A state's standardized long run solvency index	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
lt_percapita	2014	A state's long-term liability per capita: Long-term (noncurrent) liabilities / population Lower value indicates greater long-run solvency.	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
net_asst_rat	2014	A state's net asset ratio: restricted and unrestricted net assets / total assets Higher ratio indicates stronger long-run solvency	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
noncurrent_liabilities	2014	A state's non-current liabilities (in thousands \$)	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
noncurrent_liabilities2	2014	A state's non-current liabilities	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
op_ratio	2014	A state's operating ratio: total revenues / total expenses One or greater indicates budget solvency.	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .

opeb_income_ratio	2014	A state's other post-employment benefits to income ratio: OPEB / state personal income Higher value indicates lower trust fund solvency.	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
pension_income_ratio	2014	A state's unfunded pension to income ratio: unfunded pension liability / state personal income Higher value indicates lower trust fund solvency.	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
primary_debt_income_ratio	2014	A state's debt to income ratio: total primary government debt / state personal income Higher value indicates lower trust fund solvency.	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
primary_gov_debt	2014	A state's primary government debt	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
quick_ratio	2014	A state's quick ratio: (cash + cash equivalents + investments + receivables) / current liabilities Higher ratio indicates greater cash solvency.	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
restricted_net_assets	2014	A state's restricted assets (in thousands \$)	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
rev_income_ratio	2014	A state's revenue to income ratio: total revenues / state personal income Higher value indicates lower service- level solvency.	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
ser_lvl_solv	2014	A state's standardized service level solvency index	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
surplus_percap	2014-2016	A state's surplus or deficit per capita: change in net assets / population Positive ratio indicates budget solvency.	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf . Coded years 2015-2016 using the following code: (General_revenue - general_expenditure)/pop_annual
tax_income_ratio	2014	A state's tax to income ratio: total taxes / state personal income Higher value indicates lower service- level solvency.	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
total_assets	2014	A state's total assets (in thousands \$)	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
total_current_assets	2014	A state's total current assets (in thousands \$)	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
total_expenses	2014	A state's total expenses	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .

total_liabiliti es	2014	A state's total liabilities (in thousands \$)	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
total_net_asset s	2014	A state's total net assets (in thousands \$)	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
total_revenue_mercatus	2014	A state's total revenue	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
total_taxes	2014	A state's total taxes	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
trust_fund_solv	2014	A state's standardized trust fund solvency index	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
uaal_opeb	2014	A state's unfunded actuarial accrued liability for other post-employment benefits	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
uaal_pension	2014	A state's unfunded actuarial accrued liability for pensions	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
unrestricted_net_assets	2014	A state's unrestricted assets (in thousands \$)	Norcross, Eileen and Olivia Gonzalez. 2016. 'Ranking the States by Fiscal Condition.' 2016 edition. Arlington, VA: Mercatus Research, Mercatus Center at George Mason University. http://mercatus.org/sites/default/files/Norcross-Fiscal-Rankings-2-v2_1.pdf .
change_amustax	1995-2014	Year over year percentage change in amusement tax revenue (note controlled for impact of tax policy)	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: Census: State Govt Tax Collections
change_bustax_o ther	1995-2014	Year over year percentage change in revenue from other business taxes and fees (note controlled for impact of tax policy)	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: Census: State Govt Tax Collections
change_corplicr ev	1995-2014	Year over year percentage change in corporate license revenue (note controlled for impact of tax policy)	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: Census: State Govt Tax Collections
change_corptax	1995-2014	Year over year percentage change in corporate income tax revenue (note controlled for impact of tax policy)	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: Census: State Govt Tax Collections
change_docstock tax	1995-2014	Year over year percentage change document and stock transfer revenue (note controlled for impact of tax policy)	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: Census: State Govt Tax Collections
change_fueltax	1995-2014	Year over year percentage change in fuel tax revenue (note controlled for impact of tax policy)	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: Census: State Govt Tax Collections

change_incometa x	1995-2014	Year over year percentage change in personal income tax revenue (note controlled for impact of tax policy)	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: Census: State Govt Tax Collections
change_proptax	1995-2014	Year over year percentage change in property tax revenue (note controlled for impact of tax policy)	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: Census: State Govt Tax Collections
change_salestax	1995-2014	Year over year percentage change in sales tax revenue (note controlled for impact of tax policy)	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: Census: State Govt Tax Collections
change_sevtax	1995-2014	Year over year percentage change in severance tax revenue (note controlled for impact of tax policy)	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: Census: State Govt Tax Collections
change_stincome tax	1995-2014	Year over year percentage change in personal state income tax revenue (note controlled for impact of tax policy)	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: Census: State Govt Tax Collections
change_tobtax	1995-2014	Year over year percentage change in tobacco tax revenue (note controlled for impact of tax policy)	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: Census: State Govt Tax Collections
change_utiltax	1995-2014	Year over year percentage change in utility tax revenue (note controlled for impact of tax policy)	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: Census: State Govt Tax Collections
change_vehtax	1995-2014	Year over year percentage change in motor vehicle tax revenue (note controlled for impact of tax policy)	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: Census: State Govt Tax Collections
dayreserve_genf und	2000-2015	State reserves as a share of daily general expenditures	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: The Fiscal Survey of States: National Association of State Budget Offices
employ_pop	2008-2015	Ratio of employed people among civilian, noninstitutionalized 25 to 54 year olds (annualized average of four quarters)	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: Current Population Survey: BLS/Census Bureau
endingbal_rainy day	2000-2015	Sum of general fund ending balances plus rainy day fund ending balances (in millions)	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: The Fiscal Survey of States: National Association of State Budget Offices
fedshare_rev	2000-2014	Federal revenue as a share of total state revenue	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: Census: State Govt Tax Collections
med_spending_ow n	2000-2014	State funded Medicaid spending as a share of own-source revenue (general revenue-federal funds)	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Census: Annual Survey of State Govt Finances
res_genfund	2000-2015	Reserves as a percent of general fund expenditures reserves / general fund expenditures	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: The Fiscal Survey of States: National Association of State Budget Offices
spending_fedfun ds_perincome	1993-2012	Spending from federal funds as a share of state personal income	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: US Census Annual Survey of State Government Finances & US BEA Regional Economic Accounts
spending_stfund s_perincome	1993-2012	Spending from state funds as a share of state personal income	Pew Charitable Trusts, 2016. Fiscal 50: State Trends and Analysis. Source: US Census Annual Survey of State Government Finances & US BEA Regional Economic Accounts
taxcapacityinde x	1960-1991	Estimate of state values on the ACIR's (Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations) tax capacity index.	Berry, William D. and Richard C. Fording. 'Measuring State Tax Capacity and Effort.' Social Science Quarterly 78 (2007): 158-66. http://www.icpsr.umich.edu/icpsrweb/ICPSR/studies/1124?q=Richard+Fording&permit%5B0%5D=AVAILABLE
taxeffortindex	1960-1991	Estimate of state values on the ACIR's (Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations) tax effort index.	Berry, William D. and Richard C. Fording. 'Measuring State Tax Capacity and Effort.' Social Science Quarterly 78 (2007): 158-66. http://www.icpsr.umich.edu/icpsrweb/ICPSR/studies/1124?q=Richard+Fording&permit%5B0%5D=AVAILABLE

bus_rank_cnbc	2007-2012	Rank in CNBC's analysis of the best states to conduct business in.	CNBC. 'America's Top States for Business.' Provided by: Pallay, Geoff. 2012. Ballotpedia and The Lucy Burns Institute.
bus_rank_forbes	2006-2012	Rank in Forbes' analysis of the best states to conduct business in.	Forbes. 'Best States for Business.' Provided by: Pallay, Geoff. 2012. Ballotpedia and The Lucy Burns Institute.
sp_credit	2001-2012	Ranking of states from best to worst bond rating, according to Standard and Poor's	Provided by: Pallay, Geoff. 2012. Ballotpedia and The Lucy Burns Institute.
cash_assist_per cap	1976-2006	Total state cash assistance spending per capita	Hayes, Thomas J., and D. Xavier Medina Vidal. 'Fiscal Policy and Economic Inequality in the U.S. States: Taxing and Spending from 1976 to 2006.' Political Research Quarterly 68.2 (2015): 392-407.
unemploy_comp_p ercap	1976-2006	Total state unemployment compensation spending per capita	Hayes, Thomas J., and D. Xavier Medina Vidal. 'Fiscal Policy and Economic Inequality in the U.S. States: Taxing and Spending from 1976 to 2006.' Political Research Quarterly 68.2 (2015): 392-407.
welfare_spendin g_percap	1976-2006	Total state welfare spending per capita	Hayes, Thomas J., and D. Xavier Medina Vidal. 'Fiscal Policy and Economic Inequality in the U.S. States: Taxing and Spending from 1976 to 2006.' Political Research Quarterly 68.2 (2015): 392-407.
gsppcap	1987-2010	Per capita GDP by state is the state counterpart of the nation's gross domestic product (GDP) divided by the residents of the state. Current dollars per state resident. Per capita GDP by state is derived as the sum of the GDP originating in all the industries in a state divided by the population of the state.	US Department of Commerce Bureau of Economic Analysis. 2012. 'NAICS Per Capita GDP by state/SIC Per Capita GDP by state.' Accessed at: http://www.bea.gov/regional/downloadzip.cfm . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Note: There is a discontinuity in the GDP-by-state time series at 1997, where the data change from SIC industry definitions to NAICS industry definitions. This discontinuity results from many sources, including differences in source data and different estimation methodologies. In addition, the NAICS-based GDP-by-state estimates are consistent with U.S. gross domestic product (GDP) while the SIC-based GDP-by-state estimates are consistent with U.S. gross domestic income (GDI). This data discontinuity may affect both the levels and the growth rates of the GDP-by-state estimates. NAICS industry defined data was used for 1997.
gsptotal	1963-2016	GDP by state is the state counterpart of the nation's gross domestic product (GDP). GDP by state is derived as the sum of the GDP originating in all the industries in a state (in millions of current dollars)	US Department of Commerce Bureau of Economic Analysis. 2012. 'NAICS Per Capita GDP by state/SIC Per Capita GDP by state.' Accessed at: http://www.bea.gov/regional/downloadzip.cfm . Note: There is a discontinuity in the GDP-by-state time series at 1997, where the data change from SIC industry definitions to NAICS industry definitions. This discontinuity results from many sources, including differences in source data and different estimation methodologies. In addition, the NAICS-based GDP-by-state estimates are consistent with U.S. gross domestic product (GDP) while the SIC-based GDP-by-state estimates are consistent with U.S. gross domestic income (GDI). This data discontinuity may affect both the levels and the growth rates of the GDP-by-state estimates. NAICS industry defined data was used for 1997.
incomepcap	1929-2010	Per capita personal income is the income that is received by persons from all sources. Total personal income divided by total midyear population.	U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis. 'SA1-3 Personal income summary.' Accessed at: http://www.bea.gov/iTable/iTable.cfm?ReqID=70&step=1#reqid=70&step=1&isuri=1 . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Note: This measure of income is calculated as the personal income of the residents of a given area divided by the resident population of the area. In computing per capita personal income, BEA uses the Census Bureau's annual midyear population estimates.

pctwomenearn	2002-2011	Percent of women's median weekly earnings as a percent of men's (all races). Data calculated from median usual weekly earnings of full-time wage and salary workers.	U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics. 2016. 'Women's Earnings as a Percent of Men's Earnings.' Accessed at: http://www.bls.gov/cps/earnings.htm#demographics . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Note: In general, the sampling error for the state estimates is considerably larger than it is for the national estimates; thus, comparisons of state estimates should be made with caution. Data measure usual hourly and weekly earnings of wage and salary workers. All self-employed persons are excluded, regardless of whether their businesses are incorporated. Data represent earnings before taxes and other deductions and include any overtime pay, commissions, or tips usually received. The earnings data are collected from one-fourth of the CPS total sample of approximately 60,000 households.
unemployment	1975-2004,2005-2017	Unemployment rate, measured as percentage of state's labor force that is out of work.	Bureau of Labor Statistics. 2012. 'Labor Force Statistics from the Current Population Survey.' Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) For 2005-2017: University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
bankrupt	1999-2009	This variable displays the total number of bankruptcy case filings in each state for calendar years 1999-2009. The value in each year is calculated by taking the sum of bankruptcy cases that were filed in each state.	The United States Department of Justice. 2012. 'Total Case Filings, Calendar Years 1999-2009.' Accessed at: https://www.justice.gov/ust/bankruptcy-data-statistics Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Note: Source of filing data is the Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts. The substantial decrease in 2006 across all states is mainly due to the introduction of the Bankruptcy Abuse Prevention and Consumer Protection Act of 2005.
foodstampben	2002-2011	Average monthly food stamp benefits per person in a fiscal year. Food stamps are defined as a federal entitlement program providing credit to purchase food items for people earning less than 130% of the federal poverty line. The federal fiscal year runs from October 1 through September 30. (Avg. dollars per participant.) The number of persons participating is reported monthly. Annual averages are the sums divided by twelve.	Kaiser Family Organization. 2016. 'Average Monthly Food Stamp Benefits per Participant.' Accessed at: http://kff.org/other/state-indicator/avg-monthly-food-stamp-benefits/ . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Note: In 2008, the 'Food Stamp' program was re-named SNAP: Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program. The name change reflects the program's focus on nutrition and putting healthy food within reach for low income households. 2011 data are preliminary. Generally SNAP households must have monthly gross income less than 130 percent of the Federal poverty guidelines (\$2,422 for a family of four in fiscal year 2012), monthly net income less than 100 percent of the poverty guidelines, and assets of less than \$2,000. SNAP clients can buy all foods carrying a nutrition facts label and intended to be eaten at home. Some items, such as alcoholic beverages, cigarettes, vitamins or medicines and pet foods are not allowed.
statemin	1980-2017	State minimum wage in dollars.	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
employed	1980-2017	Total number of people employed within the state.	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
unemployed	1980-2017	Total number of people unemployed within the state.	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
afdc_case	1980-2017	Average monthly number of total family caseloads for AFDC/TANF within a year.	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
afdc_rep	1980-2017	Average monthly number of total recipients of AFDC/TANF within a year.	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
afdccases_child only	1985-2017	Average monthly number of total no- parent (child-only) caseloads for AFDC/TANF within a year.	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data

marginallyfoodi nsecure	2001-2017	Proportion of individuals deemed marginally food insecure (i.e., answer 'yes' to at least one question from the Core Food Security Model, Current Population Survey)	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
foodinsecure	2001-2017	Proportion of individuals deemed food insecure (i.e., answer 'yes' to at least three questions from the Core Food Security Model, Current Population Survey)	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
verylowfoodsecu re	2001-2017	Proportion of individuals deemed very low food insecure (i.e., answer 'yes' to at least eight questions from the Core Food Security Model, Current Population Survey)	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
foodstamp_case	1980-2017	Average monthly number of total caseloads for food stamps/SNAP within a year.	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
foodstamp_rep	1980-2017	Average monthly number of persons receiving food stamps/SNAP within a year.	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
nslp_free	1989-2017	Participation in the National School Lunch Program (free)	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
nslp_reduced	1989-2017	Participation in the National School Lunch Program (reduced)	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
nslp_total	1989-2017	Total participation in the National School Lunch Program	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
sbp_free	1989-2017	Participation in the School Breakfast Program (free)	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
sbp_reduced	1989-2017	Participation in the School Breakfast Program (reduced)	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
sbp_total	1989-2017	Total participation in the School Breakfast Program	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
povrate	1980-2017	Estimated percent of individuals living in poverty. Note: The official poverty definition uses money income before taxes and does not include capital gains or noncash benefits (such as public housing, Medicaid, and food stamps).	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
ssirecipients_a ged	1990-2017	Number of persons receiving federally administered Social Security Income (SSI) payments under aged enrollment category	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
ssirecipients_b lind	1990-2017	Number of persons receiving federally administered Social Security Income (SSI) payments under blind enrollment category	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
ssirecipients_d isabled	1990-2017	Number of persons receiving federally administered Social Security Income (SSI) payments under disabled enrollment category	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
ssirecipients_t otal	1990-2017	Number of persons receiving federally administered Social Security Income (SSI) payments	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data

ssistate	1980-2011	Maximum amount of SSI benefits from state	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data Note: This variable is no longer being updated by the source.
ssitotal	1980-2011	Maximum total SSI benefits (state plus federal)	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data Note: This variable is no longer being updated by the source.
stateeitcrate	1980-2017	State Earned Income Tax Credit, as a percentage of federal credit	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
wicparticipation	1989-2017	Total participation in the Women, Infants, and Children Program	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
workerscompensation	1980-2017	Total state workers' compensation spending in thousands of dollars	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
aapfdp	1957-2016	Alaska Permanent Fund Dividend actual payouts (previous calendar year)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aaairpi	1957-2015	Air transportation spending, % of income (aaairspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aaairspt	1957-2015	State and local government air transportation direct expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aalct	1957-2015	State and local alcohol tax revenues, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aalct2	1956-2011	State and local alcohol tax revenues, in millions of dollars (values for subsequent fiscal year)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aslcash	1995-2017	State and local government cash and security holdings, other than trust funds, in millions of dollars (NASBO used to apply changes to estimate most recent years, in italics)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
apersinc	1957-2017	Personal income in millions of dollars, fiscal year	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
apersinca	2000-2017	Personal income, fiscal year, concept two: apersinc + acapgain + aben - asupp	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
apersinccy	1957-2016	Personal income in millions of dollars, calendar year	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aasstpi	1995-2017	Cash and security assets, % of income (aslcash / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aastpia	2000-2017	Cash and security assets, % of income, concept two (aslcash / apersinca)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aben	2004-2017	Taxable pensions and annuity, millions of dollars, calendar year (carried forward as needed)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
acapgain	2004-2017	Net capital gain, less loss, millions of dollars, calendar year (carried forward as needed)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
achgt	1957-2015	State and local revenues from current charges, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
acinct	1957-2015	State and local corporate income tax revenues, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

acjarea	1977-2015	Effective number of competing jurisdictions per 100 sq mi	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
acorrpi	1957-2015	Corrections spending, % of income (acorrsp / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
acorrsp	1957-2015	State and local government total corrections direct expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
acredit	2001-2016	State government credit rating, Standard & Poor's (0 = AAA, 1 = AA+, 2 = AA, 3 = AA-, 4 = A+, 5 = A, 6 = A-, 7 = BBB+, 8 = BBB)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
adebtpi	1957-2015	Debt, % of income (asldebt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
adebtpia	2000-2015	Debt, % of income, concept two (asldebt / apersinca)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
adjspbib	1957-2010	Unexpected total spending, concept B (residuals: atotpib on agrantspi)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
adjspbic	1957-2010	Unexpected total spending, concept C (residuals: atotpic on agrantspi)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aedpi	1957-2015	Educational spending, % of income (aedspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aedpia	2000-2015	Unexpected education spending (modified by agrantspi, aschlpr, equation derived from diff-in-diff estimates)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aedspt	1957-2015	State and local government total education, including education assistance, direct expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aencj	1977-2015	Effective number of competing jurisdictions (weighted sum of general local jurisdictions, where own-source revenue share constitutes the weights)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aerpi	1957-2015	Employee retirement spending, % of income (aerspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aerspt	1957-2015	State and local government total employee retirement expenditure (benefit payments and withdrawals), in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aesapi	1957-2015	Employment security spending, % of income (aesaspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aesaspt	1957-2015	State and local government employment security/social insurance administration direct expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
afcgapi	1957-2015	Financial control and general administration spending, % of income (afcgaspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
afcgaspt	1957-2015	State and local government financial control and general administration direct expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

afdec	1957-2015	Fiscal decentralization: local government own-source general revenues (charges, liquor store and utilities revenues, taxes, and miscellaneous revenue) divided by total state and local general revenues (charges, liquor store and utilities revenues, taxes, miscellaneous revenues, and federal intergovernmental expenditure)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
afgrant	1957-2015	State and local revenues from federal government transfers, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
agast	1957-2015	State and local motor fuel tax revenues, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
agovemp	1972-2016	Employees in government and government enterprises, in thousands	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
agovempa	1972-2010	Unexpected government employment (residuals: agovemp on agrantspi)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
agovemp	1972-2016	State and local government employment divided by private employment	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
agpbpi	1957-2015	Public building spending, % of income (agpbspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
agpbspt	1957-2015	State and local government general public buildings total expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
agrantspi	1957-2015	Federal grants, % of income (afgrant / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ahcdpi	1957-2015	Housing and community development spending, % of income (ahcdspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ahcdpia	1957-2015	Unexpected housing spending (modified by agrantspi, equation derived from diff-in-diff estimates)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ahcdspt	1957-2015	State and local government housing and community development direct expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ahealpi	1957-2015	Health and hospitals spending, % of income (ahealspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ahealpia	2000-2015	Unexpected health and hospitals spending (modified by agrantspi, aeldpr, apovrate, equation derived from diff-in-diff estimates)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ahealspt	1957-2015	State and local government total health and hospitals direct expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ahwypi	1957-2015	Highway spending, % of income (ahwyspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ahwypia	1957-2015	Unexpected highway spending (modified by agrantspi, equation derived from diff-in-diff estimates)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ahwyspt	1957-2015	State and local government total highways direct expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

aiinct	1957-2015	State and local individual income tax revenues, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aincalc	1957-2015	State and local alcohol tax revenues, as a percentage of personal income	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aincchg	1957-2015	State and local revenues from current charges, as a percentage of personal income	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ainccinc	1957-2015	State and local corporate income tax revenues, as a percentage of personal income	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aincgas	1957-2015	State and local motor fuel tax revenues, as a percentage of personal income	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aincgas	1957-2015	Unexpected gas taxes (modified by apopdens, ln(apopdens), equation derived from diff-in-diff estimates)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ainciinc	1957-2015	State and local individual income tax revenues, as a percentage of personal income	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aincltc	1957-2015	State and local motor vehicle license tax revenues, as a percentage of personal income	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aincloc3	1957-2015	Tax concept 3, % of income, local government	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aincloc4	2000-2015	Tax concept 3, % of income concept 2, local government	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aincoth	1957-2015	State and local revenues from other taxes, as a percentage of personal income	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aincprop	1957-2015	State and local property tax revenues, as a percentage of personal income	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aincsale	1957-2015	State and local general sales tax revenues, as a percentage of personal income	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aincsel	1957-2015	State and local other selective sales tax revenues, as a percentage of personal income	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aincsev	1957-2015	State revenues from severance taxes, as a percentage of personal income	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aincstat3	1957-2015	Tax concept 3, % of income, state government	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aincstat4	2000-2017	Tax concept 3, % of income concept 2, state government	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ainctob	1957-2015	State and local tobacco tax revenues, as a percentage of personal income	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ainctot	1957-2015	State and local revenues from all taxes but not current charges, as a percentage of personal income	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ainctot2	1957-2015	Tax concept 2, % of income	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ainctot3	1957-2015	Tax concept 3, % of income	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

ainctot4	2000-2015	Tax concept 3, % of income concept 2	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aincutil	1957-2015	State and local utility tax revenues, as a percentage of personal income	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aintpi	1957-2015	Interest on debt spending, % of income (aintspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aintspt	1957-2015	State and local government interest on general debt, excluding utilities, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
algbcb	1957-2015	Local government budget constraints: local government own-source general revenues divided by total local government general revenues	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
alibpi	1957-2015	Library spending, % of income (alibspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
alibspt	1957-2015	State and local government libraries direct expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
alict	1957-2015	State and local motor vehicle license tax revenues, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
alocotot3	1957-2015	Local revenues from all taxes but not current charges or gas, severance, alcohol, or tobacco taxes, in millions of dollars (local severance taxes assumed to be 0 in 2005 and before)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
anecpi	1957-2015	Miscellaneous spending, % of income (anecspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
anecspt	1957-2015	State and local government general not-elsewhere-classified (including miscellaneous commercial activities) direct expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
anrpi	1957-2015	Natural resources spending, % of income (anrspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
anrpia	1957-2015	Unexpected natural resources spending (modified by $\ln(\text{apopdens})$, equation derived from diff-in-diff estimate)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
anrspt	1957-2015	State and local government total natural resources direct expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aoilprice	1977-2017	Annual average imported crude petroleum real price, dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aoitpi	1957-2015	Other in-trust spending, % of income (aoitspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aoitspt	1957-2015	State and local government other insurance trust total expenditure, including workers compensation, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aotht	1957-2015	State and local revenues from other taxes, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

aparkpi	1957-2015	Parks and recreation spending, % of income (aparkspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aparkspt	1957-2015	State and local government parks and recreation direct expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
apkgpi	1957-2015	Parking spending, % of income (apkspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
apkspt	1957-2015	State and local government parking direct expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
apolpi	1957-2015	Police, fire, regulatory spending, % of income	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
apolpia	1957-2015	Unexpected police and fire spending (modified by agrantspi, equation derived from diff-in-diff estimate)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
apolspt	1957-2015	State and local government police and fire protection and regulatory inspection direct expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aprivate	1957-2015	Private land ownership in square miles (aland - apublic)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
apublic	1957-2015	Federal and state land ownership in square miles, early 1990s	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aprivemp	1972-2016	Employees in private industry and farms, in thousands (atotemp - agovemp)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
apropt	1957-2015	State and local property tax revenues, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
apwpi	1957-2015	Public welfare spending, % of income (apwspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
apwpia	2000-2015	Unexpected public welfare spending (modified by agrantspi, aeldpr, equation derived from diff-in-diff estimates)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
apwspt	1957-2015	State and local government public welfare and veterans' services direct expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
arevshg1	1977-2015	Own-source revenue share of tier-one general local governments (share of all local general government own-source revenue) (carry-forward imputation between censuses)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
arevshg2	1977-2015	Own-source revenue share of tier-two general local governments (share of all local general government own-source revenue) (carry-forward imputation between censuses)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
arevshg3	1977-2015	Own-source revenue share of tier-three general local governments (share of all local general government own-source revenue) (carry-forward imputation between censuses)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

asalet	1957-2015	State and local general sales tax revenues, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
asanpi	1957-2015	Sanitation and sewerage spending, % of income (asanspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
asanspt	1957-2015	State and local government sanitation (sewerage and solid waste management) direct expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
asetl	1957-2015	State and local other selective sales tax revenues, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
asevt	1957-2015	State and local revenues from severance taxes, in millions of dollars (for 1957-1967, imputed assuming constant ratio to 'other taxes')	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
asldebt	1957-2015	State and local government outstanding debt, long-term and short-term, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aslpci	1967-2015	State and local government consumption and investment, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aslgpi	1967-2015	Government consumption and investment divided by calendar-year personal income (aslgci / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
astatemp	1972-2016	Employees in state and local government, in thousands	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
astatot3	1957-2015	State revenues from all taxes but not current charges or gas, severance, alcohol, or tobacco taxes, in millions of dollars (NASBO used to apply changes in sales, personal income, and corporate income taxes to most recent years, in italics)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
asupp	1957-2017	Supplements to wages and salaries, millions of dollars, fiscal year	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
atobt	1957-2015	State and local tobacco tax revenues, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
atotemp	1972-2016	Total employees, in thousands	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
atotpi	1957-2015	Total spending, % of income (atotspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
atotpib	1957-2015	Total spending concept B, % of income (atotsptb / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
atotpcc	1957-2015	Total spending, concept C, % of income (atotsptc / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
atotspt	1957-2015	Total state and local government spending, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

atotsptb	1957-2015	Total state and local government spending, minus unemployment compensation, interest on general debt, other insurance trust, Alaska Permanent Fund Dividend payouts, and liquor store and utility expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
atotsptc	1957-2015	Total state and local government spending, minus current charges and unemployment compensation, interest on general debt, other insurance trust, Alaska Permanent Fund Dividend payouts, and liquor store and utility expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
atott	1957-2015	State and local revenues from all taxes but not current charges or gas taxes, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
atott2	1957-2015	State and local revenues from all taxes but not current charges or gas taxes or severance taxes, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
atott3	1957-2015	State and local revenues from all taxes but not current charges or gas, severance, alcohol, or tobacco taxes, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aunempi	1957-2015	Unemployment spending, % of income (aunemspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
aunemspt	1957-2015	State and local government unemployment compensation total expenditure (benefit payments), in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
autilpi	1957-2015	Utilities spending, % of income (autilspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
autilspt	1957-2015	State and local government liquor store and utility expenditure, including interest on debt, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
autilt	1957-2015	State and local utility tax revenues, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
awtpi	1957-2015	Water transportation spending, % of income (awtspt / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
awtpia	1957-2015	Unexpected water transportation spending (modified by acoast, equation derived from year-fixed-effects estimates)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
awtspt	1957-2015	State and local government water transportation and sea and inland port facilities direct expenditure, in millions of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
calctc	1956-2011	State and local alcohol tax revenues, in millions of constant (2008) dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ccpi	2000-2014	Consumer price index, all items, annual	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cliquor	1952-2012	State liquor store revenue, in thousands of dollars, subsequent fiscal year	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

liquorc	1952-2012	State liquor store revenue, in thousands of constant 2008 dollars, subsequent fiscal year	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dgamrev	1957-2015	Total state and local government revenues from taxes on receipts and licenses of amusements and pari- mutuels, in thousands of dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dgrpi	1957-2015	Gaming revenues as a ratio of the economy (times 1000): dgamrev / apersinc	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dgwin	1957-2015	Commercial casino and racino win, revenue, or gross proceeds (millions of dollars)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dgwinpi	2000-2016	Casino and racino win as a percentage of the economy (dgwin / apersinc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dlwinpi	2000-2016	Log casino and racino win as a percentage of log income: $\ln(1 + dgwinpi) / \ln(apersinc)$	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
faccom	2000-2013	Accommodation GDP divided by all GDP in *previous* year (for imputation of land-use regulation)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fgastax	2000-2013	(fgastax1 * 201.6) / ccpi Note: 201.6 = value of ccpi in 2006	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fgastax1	2000-2013	Gasoline tax rate per gallon in dollars, including sales, excise, storage, and franchise taxes	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fipd	2007-2013	State implicit price deflator, index year 2008	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fpp	2007-2013	State price parities	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ogdp	2001-2016	Real GDP, all industry total, millions of chained 2009 dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ogdpfin	2001-2016	Real GDP, finance and insurance, millions of chained 2009 dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ogdphc	2001-2016	Real GDP, healthcare and social assistance, millions of chained 2009 dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ogdpman	2001-2016	Real GDP, manufacturing, millions of chained 2009 dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ogdppc	2001-2015	Real GDP per capita, excluding legal services	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
olegal	2001-2015	Legal services share of GDP (olegalgdp / ogdp)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
olegalgdp	2001-2015	Real GDP, legal services, millions of chained 2009 dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
jobtaxcredit	2016	Does the state offer tax incentives or credits for job creation? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Francis, Norton. 2016. 'State Tax Incentives for Economic Development.' The Urban Institute. https://www.urban.org/research/publication/state-tax-incentives-economic-development
investtaxcredit	2016	Does the state offer tax incentives or credits for investment? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Francis, Norton. 2016. 'State Tax Incentives for Economic Development.' The Urban Institute. https://www.urban.org/research/publication/state-tax-incentives-economic-development

ezonetaxcredit	2016	Does the state offer tax incentives or credits for enterprise zones? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Francis, Norton. 2016. 'State Tax Incentives for Economic Development.' The Urban Institute. https://www.urban.org/research/publication/state-tax-incentives-economic-development
agtaxcredit	2016	Does the state offer tax incentives or credits for agriculture? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Francis, Norton. 2016. 'State Tax Incentives for Economic Development.' The Urban Institute. https://www.urban.org/research/publication/state-tax-incentives-economic-development
techtaxcredit	2016	Does the state offer tax incentives or credits for technology? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Francis, Norton. 2016. 'State Tax Incentives for Economic Development.' The Urban Institute. https://www.urban.org/research/publication/state-tax-incentives-economic-development
manutaxcredit	2016	Does the state offer tax incentives or credits for manufacturing? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Francis, Norton. 2016. 'State Tax Incentives for Economic Development.' The Urban Institute. https://www.urban.org/research/publication/state-tax-incentives-economic-development
filmtaxcredit	1992-2009,2016	Does the state offer tax incentives or credits for the film industry? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Francis, Norton. 2016. 'State Tax Incentives for Economic Development.' The Urban Institute. https://www.urban.org/research/publication/state-tax-incentives-economic-development Mallinson, Daniel J. 'Building a better speed trap: Measuring policy adoption speed in the American states.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 16.1 (2016): 98-120. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
eireport	2016	Does the state release a tax expenditure report, or a more comprehensive tax incentives report with performance metrics (or neither)? (0 = neither, 1 = expenditure report, 2 = incentives report)	Francis, Norton. 2016. 'State Tax Incentives for Economic Development.' The Urban Institute. https://www.urban.org/research/publication/state-tax-incentives-economic-development
corporate_incom etax	1936-1940	Is there a corporate income tax? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
earned_income_t axcredit	1988-2014	Does the state have an earned income tax credit? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
estate_tax	2009-2014	Is there a state estate tax? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
income_taxes	1936-2014	Does the state have an income tax? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
sales_taxes_bin ary_pre1946	1936-1945	Does the state have a sales tax? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB

x_sales_taxes	1946-2014	What is the sales tax rate?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB For 2019: 'State Sales Tax Rates' (provided by the Sales Tax Institute) https://www.salestaxinstitute.com/resources/rates
x_tax_burden	1977-2010	What is the state's tax burden (per capita taxes/per capita income)?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
x_tax_rate_rich	1977-2012	What is the state individual income tax rate for an individual who makes more than 1.5 million real dollars?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
x_top_corporate_incometaxrate	1941-2014	What is the top corporate tax rate?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB For 2019: 'Facts and Figures 2019: How Does Your State Compare?' (provided by The Tax Foundation) https://files.taxfoundation.org/20190715165329/Facts-Figures-2019-How-Does-Your-State-Compare.pdf
federal_lien_registration_act	1968-1998	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
gastax	1919-1929	Did state adopt a state gas tax? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
inctax	1916-1937	Did state adopt a state income tax? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
lien	1995-1999	Did state adopt lien statutes? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
tels	1976-1994	Did state adopt tax and expenditure limits (TEs)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
inflation	1978-2017	Annual inflation rate in the state and year	Hazell, Jonathon, Juan Herreño, Emi Nakamura, and Jón Steinsson. The slope of the Phillips Curve: evidence from US states. No. w28005. National Bureau of Economic Research, 2020.
inflation_nt	1978-2017	Annual inflation rate in the non-tradeable sector in state and year	Hazell, Jonathon, Juan Herreño, Emi Nakamura, and Jón Steinsson. The slope of the Phillips Curve: evidence from US states. No. w28005. National Bureau of Economic Research, 2020.
inflation_t	1978-2017	Annual inflation rate in the tradeable sector in state and year	Hazell, Jonathon, Juan Herreño, Emi Nakamura, and Jón Steinsson. The slope of the Phillips Curve: evidence from US states. No. w28005. National Bureau of Economic Research, 2020.

alcoholtaxnominal	1980-2010	Alcohol Tax Collected (Nominal), per year per state	Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Statewide Availability Data System II: 1933 - 2003, 2004, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Prevention Research Center: Berkeley, CA.
tobaccotaxnominal	1980-2010	Tobacco Tax Collected (Nominal), per year per state	Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Statewide Availability Data System II: 1933 - 2003, 2004, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Prevention Research Center: Berkeley, CA. U.S. Census Bureau, Data Base on Historical Tax Collections: "STC_Historical_DB" Fiscal Years 1951-2010, U.S. Department of Commerce - Economics and Statistics Administration, Editor 2011
percapitaincome1995dol	1995-2015	Per capita income in 1995 dollars	Taylor et al. (2019), from Bureau of Economic Analysis Taylor, Jami K., Donald P. Haider-Markel, and Benjamin Rogers. 2019. "Toward a new measure of state-level LGBT interest group strength." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 19(3): 334-350. Bureau of Economic Analysis. 2018. "SA1 Personal Income Summary: Personal Income, Population, per Capita Personal Income." https://www.bea.gov/iTable/index_regional.cfm

Environment Variables

Variable	Years	Description	Source(s) and Notes
bldstds_yearadopted	1991-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Matisoff, Daniel C., and Jason Edwards. 'Kindred spirits or intergovernmental competition? The innovation and diffusion of energy policies in the American states (1990-2008).' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 23.5 (2014): 795-817. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
corporateeff_yearadopted	1990-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Matisoff, Daniel C., and Jason Edwards. 'Kindred spirits or intergovernmental competition? The innovation and diffusion of energy policies in the American states (1990-2008).' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 23.5 (2014): 795-817. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
corporaterenew_yearadopted	1990-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Matisoff, Daniel C., and Jason Edwards. 'Kindred spirits or intergovernmental competition? The innovation and diffusion of energy policies in the American states (1990-2008).' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 23.5 (2014): 795-817. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
netmeter_yearadopted	1990-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Matisoff, Daniel C., and Jason Edwards. 'Kindred spirits or intergovernmental competition? The innovation and diffusion of energy policies in the American states (1990-2008).' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 23.5 (2014): 795-817. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
personaltax_yearadopted	1990-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Matisoff, Daniel C., and Jason Edwards. 'Kindred spirits or intergovernmental competition? The innovation and diffusion of energy policies in the American states (1990-2008).' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 23.5 (2014): 795-817. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
personaltaxeff_yearadopted	1990-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Matisoff, Daniel C., and Jason Edwards. 'Kindred spirits or intergovernmental competition? The innovation and diffusion of energy policies in the American states (1990-2008).' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 23.5 (2014): 795-817. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
pubbenefits_yearadopted	1996-2005	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Matisoff, Daniel C., and Jason Edwards. 'Kindred spirits or intergovernmental competition? The innovation and diffusion of energy policies in the American states (1990-2008).' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 23.5 (2014): 795-817. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
rps_yearadopted	1997-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Matisoff, Daniel C., and Jason Edwards. 'Kindred spirits or intergovernmental competition? The innovation and diffusion of energy policies in the American states (1990-2008).' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 23.5 (2014): 795-817. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

bottle	1971-2002	Did state adopt a bottle deposit law? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
elecderereg	1996-1999	Did state adopt electricity deregulation? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
environ	1978-1991	Did state adopt strategic planning for environmental protection? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
natreso	1975-1991	Did state adopt strategic planning for natural resources? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
renewport	1991-2004	Did state adopt state renewable portfolio standards? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
soil	1937-1974	Did state adopt soil conservation districts? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
environmental_covenants_act	2004-2010	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
transboundary_pollution_reciprocity	1983-1992	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
ewaste	2003-2011	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Mallinson, Daniel J. 'Building a better speed trap: Measuring policy adoption speed in the American states.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 16.1 (2016): 98-120. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
environment_air_pollution_control	1947-1967	Does the state have an air pollution control act (pre-Clean Air Act)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
environment_bottlebill	1970-2014	Does the state require a deposit on bottles paid by the consumer and refunded when the consumer recycles? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
environment_car_emissions_standards	2003-2012	Does the state adopt California's car emissions standards (which are more stringent than the federal level)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
environment_electronic_waste	2000-2014	Does the state have a recycling program for electronic waste? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
environment_greenhouse_gas_cap	2006-2014	Does the state have a binding cap on greenhouse gas emissions in the utility sector? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB

environment_publicbenefit_funds	1996-2014	Does the state have a public benefit fund for renewable energy and energy efficiency? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
environment_state_nepas	1969-2014	Does the state have its own version of the federal National Environmental Policy Act? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
regulation_utility_jurisdiction	1936-1960	Does the state have a state commission with rate-setting authority over electricity utilities? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_environment_endangered_species	1969-2014	Does the state have an endangered species act? (0 = state allows federal endangered species act to hold instead of state provisions/there are no state provisions; 1 = state has a less stringent protection program in place; 2 = state's program meets or exceeds federal guidelines under section 6 of the US ESA)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_environment_solar_taxcredit	1975-2014	Does the state have a tax credit for residential solar installations? (0 = no legislation; 1 = state approved local option; 2 = state mandated credit or exemption system)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
fcap	2000-2014	Active cap on greenhouse gas emissions from electric power producers? (0 = no, 1 = yes) (note: setting a goal or initiating a process doesn't count-only actual regulations in force)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
flandu	2000-2016	Court land-use decisions index: number of state appellate decisions containing the phrase 'land use,' cumulative from 1/1/1920, divided by state population (then multiplied by 1,000,000) (flandum / apop) * 1000000	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fsmlp	2002-2009	State mandated local plans (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fswp	2006-2010	State wetland restoration program (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fwtdrps	2000-2010	Wetland regulatory protection statutes, stricter than federal statutes (0 = none, 0.5 = local/coastal, 1 = statewide)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fblight	2000-2016	Blight (1 = implemented stricter definition either explicitly or implicitly, 0.5 = retained vague definition but required higher standard of proof, 0 = otherwise)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fesasap	2006-2014	Endangered species regulations (0 = no act or statute, 1 = act or statute, but only in regard to animals, 2 = act or statute in regard to both animals and plants)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

fgfsp	2002-2010	Guidelines for a state development plan (0 = none, 1 = yes but no land-use element, 2 = yes and include land-use element)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
frenew	2000-2016	Mandatory renewable portfolio standard for electric utilities If yes, minimum percentage of retail sales for which required If no, zero (halved if applies only to investor-owned utilities, or averaged among standards for all types of utilities; scored '1' and then adjusted in year of enactment)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
frpsexc	2000-2016	Renewable portfolio standard exceptions (1.5 = large or existing hydropower excluded, 0.5 = natural gas, coal gasification, or nuclear included, 1 = otherwise, phase-ins linearly interpolated)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fsspr	2002-2009	Strength of state planning role (1 = weak, 2 = significant, 3 = substantial)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
jdirse	1990-2016	Deregulation of retail sales of electricity (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
jdrsng	1990-2016	Deregulation of retail sales of natural gas (0 = no unbundling, 1 = partial unbundling, 2 = unbundling)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bus_energy_cons um	1960-2017	Total energy consumption for the commercial end-use sector is the sum of all energy sources consumed by the sector (in billion BTU)	Provided by the U.S. Energy Information Administration: https://www.eia.gov/state/seds/seds-data-complete.php?sid=US Notes: Total net energy consumption is calculated by adding coal, natural gas, all petroleum products, fuel ethanol, geothermal energy and heat pumps, hydroelectricity, wood, waste, electricity and supplemental gaseous fuels consumed by the commercial sector.xiii
bus_energy_cons um_pc	1960-2017	Total energy consumption for the commercial end-use sector per capita is the sum of all energy sources consumed by the sector divided by the total population (in billion BTU)	Provided by the U.S. Energy Information Administration: https://www.eia.gov/state/seds/seds-data-complete.php?sid=US Notes: Total net energy consumption is calculated by adding coal, natural gas, all petroleum products, fuel ethanol, geothermal energy and heat pumps, hydroelectricity, wood, waste, electricity and supplemental gaseous fuels consumed by the commercial sector.xiv
cons_fossil	1960- 2009,2010- 2017	State's total yearly fossil-fuel consumption For 1960-2009: units are billion BTU For 2010-2017: units are trillion BTU In the fossil fuel subtotal, the double-counting of supplemental gaseous fuels is removed, and fuel ethanol is excluded from petroleum consumption. Fuel ethanol and energy losses and co- products from fuel ethanol production are covered in the renewable energy subtotal.	Provided by the U.S. Energy Information Administration: https://www.eia.gov/state/seds/seds-data-complete.php?sid=US
cons_renewable	1960- 2009,2010- 2017	State's total yearly renewable-energy consumption For 1960-2009: units are billion BTU For 2010-2017: units are trillion BTU Fuel ethanol and energy losses and co- products from fuel ethanol production are covered in the renewable energy subtotal.	Provided by the U.S. Energy Information Administration: https://www.eia.gov/state/seds/seds-data-complete.php?sid=US

res_energy_price	1970-2017	The variable is the state-level total energy average price estimator that considers the ratio of the money directly spent by consumers to purchase energy and the use of energy as a source of heat or power. See calculation method and notes for additional information. (In dollars per million BTU)	Provided by the U.S. Energy Information Administration: https://www.eia.gov/state/seds/seds-data-complete.php?sid=US Some data originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online) Notes: Total energy average price is derived by dividing the total energy total expenditures in the residential sector by the total energy consumed by the residential sector, across each state, and multiplying the result by a thousand. Data is adjusted for process fuel, intermediate products, and fuels with no direct cost. Residential sector is defined as an energy-consuming sector that consists of living quarters for private households. Energy is defined as the capacity for doing work as measured by the capability of doing work (potential energy) or the conversion of this capability to motion (kinetic energy).
co2emissions	1960-2001,2005-2016	For 1960-2001: Original data was only the amount of carbon (C) and calculation has been done to convert carbon into carbon dioxide (CO2): To convert to carbon dioxide, multiply by 44/12 (= 3.67). For 2005-2016: values are a state's total yearly carbon dioxide emissions, unadjusted, in million metric tons	Blasing, T.J., C.T. Broniak, and G. Marland. 2004. Estimates of Annual Fossil-Fuel CO2 Emitted for Each State in the U.S.A. and the District of Columbia for Each Year from 1960 through 2001. Carbon Dioxide Information Analysis Center, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, U.S. Department of Energy, Oak Ridge, TN, U.S.A. doi 10.3334/CDIAC/00003. http://cdiac.ornl.gov/ftp/trends/emis_mon/stateemis/percapbystate.csv Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online) U.S. Energy Information Administration. 'Energy-Related Carbon Dioxide Emissions by State, 2005-2016.' https://www.eia.gov/environment/emissions/state/analysis/
energy_efficiency_rank	2017	Ranking of the state based on energy efficiency scorecard	American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy. 2017. 'The 2017 State Energy Efficiency Scorecard.' http://aceee.org/research-report/u1710
energy_efficiency_score	2017	Score from the state energy efficiency scorecard	American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy. 2017. 'The 2017 State Energy Efficiency Scorecard.' http://aceee.org/research-report/u1710
frps	2000-2016	Renewable portfolio standard index (frenew * frpsec)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
findex	2000-2016	Eminent domain reform index ((mreform + mprivate + mblight) * (1 + (0.5 * mconst)))	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
flandum	2000-2016	State appellate decisions containing phrase 'land use,' cumulative from 1/1/1920	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fwrluri	2005	Wharton residential land use regulatory index	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fwrlurim	2000-2013	Model-derived extension of fwrluri (based on regression results of fwrluri on various predictors)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

Government Variables

Variable	Years	Description	Source(s) and Notes
regulations_homerule	1936-1961	Enables cities to adopt a home rule charter that acts as the city's basic governing document over local issues (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
legpre	1933-1972	Did state adopt a legislative pre-planning agency? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
missplan	1940-1976	Did state adopt the Missouri Plan (judges chosen by nonpartisan committee)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
norealid	2007-2009	Did state adopt state policy to refuse to comply with 2005 Federal Real ID Act? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
recipsup	1934-1959	Did state adopt a reciprocal support law? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
stplnb	1933-1959	Did state adopt a state planning board? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
termlim	1990-2000	Did state adopt legislative term limits? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
appointment_of_commissioners	1921-1955	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
facsimile_signatures_of_public_o	1958-1999	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
faithful_presidential_electors_a	2011-2015	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
management_of_public_employee_re	2005	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
military_and_overseas_voters_act	2011-2015	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
model_state_administrative_proce	1968-1986	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

prudent_management_of_institution	2007-2012	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
real_property_electronic_recording	2005-2016	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
registered_agents_act_model	2007-2012	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
drecord	2006-2014	Two-party consent laws for recording public officials? (0 = no, 0.5 = statute contains exception when conversation happens in a public place/where there is little expectation of privacy/in person, 1 = yes, illegal to record public officials without their consent)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
yrstatehd	1913-2010	The year that the state gained statehood	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
acounty	1977-2015	Number of county governments (carry-forward imputation between censuses)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
amuni	1977-2015	Total number of municipal level governments in state (carry-forward imputation between censuses)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
atown	1977-2015	Total number of township level governments in state (carry-forward imputation between censuses)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
agen1	1977-2015	Number of general county or county-like governments, such as independent cities (carry-forward imputation between censuses)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
agen2	1977-2015	Number of general second-tier local governments, non-overlapping (carry-forward imputation between censuses)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
agen3	1977-2015	Number of general third-tier local governments (carry-forward imputation between censuses)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gov_employ	1992-2012	Ranking of states in order of fewest government employees as a share of population, to most.	Pallay, Geoff. 2012. <i>Ballotpedia</i> and The Lucy Burns Institute.
constitution_adopted	1900-2015	Was a new state constitution adopted this year?	The Council of State Governments. 2017. 'General Information on State Constitutions.' <i>The Book of the States</i> .
current_constitution_length	2016	The estimated length of the current state constitution	The Council of State Governments. 2017. 'General Information on State Constitutions.' <i>The Book of the States</i> .
amendments_submitted	2016	Number of amendments to the constitution submitted to voters. Note: Amendments are not submitted to voters in Delaware.	The Council of State Governments. 2017. 'General Information on State Constitutions.' <i>The Book of the States</i> .
amendments_adopted	2016	Number of amendments to the constitution adopted	The Council of State Governments. 2017. 'General Information on State Constitutions.' <i>The Book of the States</i> .

prez_election_year	1925-2016	Dummy: 1 = presidential election year. 0 = else.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
weird5	1925-2016	Dummy variable: one of the five states that had their bienniums start in even numbered years for some part of the period. This includes KY after it switched to even-year elections for the state legislature.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
weird5_b	1925-2016	Dummy variable: one of the five states that had their bienniums start in even numbered years for some part of the period. This doesn't include KY after it switched to even-year elections for the state legislature.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
biennium	1925-2016	First year of the biennium a year belongs to. Bienniums are thought to start in the year after an election in (often) even-numbered years. For example, 1971-1972 is the biennium in OR after the 1970 election. Then '1971' would appear in both 1971 and 1972 for OR. This includes KY after it switched to even-year elections for the state legislature.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
biennium_b	1925-2016	First year of the biennium a year belongs to. Bienniums are thought to start in the year after an election in (often) even numbered years. For example, 1971-1972 is the biennium in OR after the 1970 election. Then '1971' would appear in both 1971 and 1972 for OR. This considers KY a 'normal state' after it switched to even-year elections for the state legislature.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
biennium_first_year	1925-2016	Dummy variable: first year of a biennium. Note: these bienniums are set up in a way that defines the year after the election as the first year of the biennium. This is based off of biennium, not biennium_b.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
biennium_second_year	1925-2016	Dummy variable: second year of a biennium. Note: these bienniums are set up in a way that defines the year after the election as the first year of the biennium. This is based off of biennium, not biennium_b.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
govname1	1925-2016	Governor's name from first source	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
govname1_sour	1925-2016	Source of information in govname1, and other notes about when governors assumed office.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
govname1_date	1925-2016	Date of source for govname1.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
govname2_sour	1925-2016	Source of information in govname2, and other notes about when governors assumed office.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1

govname2_date	1925-2016	Date of source for govname2.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
govname2_notes	1925-2016	Notes about govname from source2.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gub_election	1936-2015	Dummy: 1 = gubernatorial election in that year. Blank = none. This puts the election year into the calendar year it was held in.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gub_election_re gime	1936-2015	Calendar year in which the next gubernatorial election will be held. In an election year, this variable will be equal to 'year.'	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gov_midyear_cha nge_date	1936-2010	Date of mid-year change in governors, if the governor left office at a 'non- standard' time, except for LA. 'Non- standard' means because of death, resignation, or impeachment.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gov_midyear_cha nge_month	1936-2010	Number of month in the year from gov_midyear_change_date.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gov_midyear_cha nge_day	1936-2010	Day of the month from gov_midyear_change_date.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gov_midyear_cha nge_ordinal_day	1936-2010	Day of the year from gov_midyear_change_date.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gov_midyear_cha nge_a	1936-2010	1 = gov_midyear_change_date has a date in it, blank = doesn't.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
budget_pass2011 _04_20	1958-2010	Dummy: 1 = budget passed in this year.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
when_leg_met201 1_04_13	Various	Dates legislature met. Only input if mid-year change in governor. Incomplete.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gov_midyear_cha nge_b	1961-2010	1 = governor changes mid-year. Mid- year for this variable means that the governor came in before the November election, or when a November election could have been in the case of a non- election year. Note non-standard election dates for Louisiana, and how these influence decisions specified in gov_midyear_change_b_note. 0 = else.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gov_midyear_cha nge_b_note	1961-2010	Note about gov_midyear_change_b	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1

new_gov_b	1961-2011	A new governor has come into office starting in the year marked with a one. This is marked '1' in the year after a November election (i.e., if a new governor was elected in 1984, 1985 is coded '1'). If there was a mid-year switch, the year of the switch is coded with a '1,' except if the switch comes after election time (early November), in which case this variable is coded '1' in the next calendar year. If a new governor comes into office that year, they are still coded as new even if they were a past governor.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
past_gov	1961-2010	Governor has served in the past, with someone serving in between. 1= served once in the past with someone else in between. Only coded for the first year of a gubernatorial administration (i.e., new_gov_b = 1). 2 = served twice in the past with two periods in between. Only coded for the first year of a gubernatorial administration (i.e., new_gov_b = 1). 3 = judgment call, see note in past_gov_note. Blank = either missing, or didn't serve in the past.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
past_gov_note	1961-2010	Note about past_gov.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gov_midyear_change_c	1961-2010	1 = governor changes mid-year, from the perspective of the budget. If the new governor comes in before the budget is passed, then this gets a '1,' '0' if after the budget is passed. If the governor comes in very early in the year, before the session starts, or if only a few days were held, this gets a score of '0.' 0 = else. 2 = missing data. Note: this variable is identical to gov_midyear_change_b, but altered from 1 to 0 when appropriate because of when the budget passes. Explanations for these changes can be found in the variable gov_midyear_change_c_note.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gov_midyear_change_c_note	1961-2010	Note about gov_midyear_change_c	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
new_gov_c	1961-2010	Note: this variable is identical to new_gov_b, but altered from 1 to 0 when appropriate because of mid-year changes in the governor in light of when the budget passes. If a budget didn't pass in the first year that a governor came in, the case in the next year is coded '1' instead. 2 = missing data	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1

new_gov_d	1961-2010	Dummy: 1 = new governor this year. Cases where an incoming governor served in the past aren't included in scores of '1.' 0 = else. Note: this variable is identical to new_gov_c, but altered from 1 to 0 when appropriate because the new governor has served in the past. 2 = missing data	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
fracleg_old_variable	Various	Fraction of days when the legislature was in session that the governor serving in the earlier part of the year was in office. Incomplete variable	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
fracleg_old_variable_note	Various	Note about why fracleg got the value that it did. Incomplete variable	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
years_served	1959-2010	Number of years that the governor has served. The variable indicates their experience at the beginning of the year. If a governor came back to office, their counter began where it left off before. If someone came in mid-year (not in Jan or Dec) the governor that was in office when the budget passed was used for the figure. If someone came in at some fraction of the year (i.e., July 1st) they were given the credit of a fraction of their experience (i.e., .5) in the next year they served.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
budgets_overseen	1959-2010	Number of budgets that the governor has overseen. If a governor leaves and comes back, the budgets they oversaw in the past are also counted. In the first year they oversee a budget, they get a code of '0.'	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
years_served_budgets_overseen_note	1959-2010	Notes about the number of years served and budgets_overseen.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
term_length	1956-2004	Number of years in governor's term (means that in that year the governor is having that type of term, in length).	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
years_left_in_term	1956-2004	Number of years left in the governor's term.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
limit_exists	1960-2009	A gubernatorial term limit exists by law at this time, no matter how many terms the present governor has served. 1 = yes, 0 = no	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
limit_type	1959-2009	Type of term limit. 0 = there is no term limit. 1 = there is a one-term limit. 2 = there is a two-term limit. 3 = there is a three-term limit. This is from the data file 'GovTermLimits.'	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Sources for 1997 to 2002; Book of the States, used further research (noted in source file file) in the case of ID and MA because they had changes to their laws.

term_limit_length_uncertainty	1959-2009	0 = term limit is known because it was looked up from documents, etc. 1 = assumption was made that term limit in an earlier year was the same as the earliest year term limit law was known. Note: I did check to see if there were inconsistencies between the coding of 'term_length' and which governors were in office (for example, if there was a two-term governor in a state I coded as having a one-term term limit).	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
years_left_before_limit	1960 -2010	Number of years left before the governor's term limit. This takes into account how states individually deal with partial terms, governors that come back after taking time off, and transition rules. The numerous sources for this information are in the codebook 'GovTermLimits-Notes' under variable trli0005.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Note: Could not always find out if a state had transition rules that applied to the sitting governor. In these cases, author merely assumed that a governor who was sitting in a state with a one term term limit when a constitutional amendment passed creating a two term term limit would be eligible for a second term. If a governor was sitting in a state with no term limits, when a constitutional amendment passed that created a two term term limit author assumed that the counter would start when the constitutional amendment passed. Some of the state specific notes for this variable may not appear below, but in the document 'GovTermLimits-PrimaryDocuments.' If the term limit in NC in 1997 was an absolute limit, then James B. Hunt could have never served a second time. Therefore, the limit is on consecutive terms, and his clock starts from the beginning.
years_left_before_limit_note	1960-2010	Notes about term limits. Grandfather clauses and other information.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
years_left_before_limit_uncertain	1960 -2010	1 = some uncertainty about the number of years left before a term limit because I'm unsure of how partial terms count toward the limit.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
lame_duck_last_term	1960-2010	Governor is in the last term before his term limit, i.e., he or she is a lame duck. 1 = governor is a lame duck. 0 = governor is not a lame duck.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
lame_duck_last_year	1960-2010	Dummy: 1 = governor is in their last year before a term limit. 0 = else.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
lame_duck_last_2nd_to_last_year	1960-2010	Dummy: 1 = governor is in their second to last year before a term limit. 0 = else.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
lame_duck_notes	1960-2010	Notes about why the lame_duck variables were coded the way they were.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
femgov	1956-2006	Dummy: 1 = female, 0 = male. This was coded based on the first name of the governor. If there was doubt, an internet search was done to ascertain their gender. One source: http://www.guide2womenleaders.com/Governors1920.htm	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
femgov_notes	1968-2007	Note about the coding of 'femgov.'	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1

stateleg	1971-2006	Dummy: Member served in the state legislature. 1 = yes, 0 = no. A search was done through supplement #1 to the Book of States 12 years before their arrival to the governor's office. They may have been in the state legislature before that time, but they would receive a score of '0' if so. For consistency, when governors were found in state legislatures before the twelve-year cutoff, and not after, they did not receive a code of '1.'	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
stateleg_source	1971-2006	Source for stateleg	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
congmemb	1971-2006	Dummy: Members served in the U.S. House of Representatives or the U.S. Senate. 1 = yes, 0 = no. No time cutoff for this variable.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Source was often http://bioguide.congress.gov/biosearch/biosearch.asp .
congmemb_sour	1971-2006	Source for 'congmemb.'	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
stateleg_congmemb_notes	1971-2006	Notes about stateleg or congmemb	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
legexper	1971-2006	Dummy: 1 = members served in either the state legislature or U.S. Congress. 0 = else. Computed from stateleg and congmemb. Gives fractions sometimes when there was a mid-year switch in governor.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
party_midyear_change	1961-2010	Year had governors of two different parties in it. A year doesn't include normal transitions (that obviously are rarely on January 1st), or abnormal transition that occur early in the year. If it happened late enough in the year (after a November election would have been), that's not considered a mid-year change. Dummy variable: 1 = yes, blank = no. This variable appears to be incomplete.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
party_midyear_change_direction	1961-2010	-1 = change was from Democrat to Republican. 1 = change was from Republican to Democrat. Blank = no change.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
govparty_a	1937-2011	Party of the governor; 0 = Republican, 1 = Democrat, .5 = non-major party governor. When the party of the governor changes mid-year (eight cases), the fraction of the year with a Democratic governor is put in as a value.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: This is govparty from StateElections_PartisanBalance1937to2011_2011_03_22.xls. However, years are put in 'government style.' For example, if a Democrat replaces a Republican in the 1988 election, 'R' goes into 1988, and 'D' goes into 1989. Source 1937 to 1958; Congressional Quarterly. 1998. Gubernatorial Elections, 1787-1997. Washington, DC: Congressional Quarterly, Inc. Source 1959 to 2009: Klarner, state partisan balance, for_use file. Source 2010: Directory I, 2009. Source 2011: http://www.ballotpedia.org/wiki/index.php/2010_gubernatorial_electoral_results
party_midbiennium_change	1925-2011	Biennium had governors of two different parties in it. Dummy variable: 1 = yes, blank = no.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1

party_midbiennium_change_direction	1925-2011	-1 = change was from Democrat to Republican. 1 = change was from Republican to Democrat. Blank = no change. This is put into the year of the biennium that saw the change if this is a mid-year change also. This is put into both years of the biennium if the change took place from the first year of the biennium to the second.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
govparty_b	1937-2011	This is the same as govparty_a, except that when there is a mid-year switch in the party of the governor, the party of the governor during the November election is used.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
govparty_b_2	1937-2011	Same as govparty_b, except recoded. Democrat = 1, Republican = -1, non-major party governor = 0.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
state_midterm_penalty	1937-2011	0 = gubernatorial election in that year, or no gubernatorial election, and a non-major party governor in office during the election. 1 = no gubernatorial election, and a Democratic governor in office. -1 = no gubernatorial election, and a Republican governor in office. Same as govparty_b_2, except recoded '0' when gub_election=1.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
govparty_c	1937-2011	Party of the governor; 0 = Republican, 1 = Democrat, .5 = non-major party governor. When the party of the governor changes mid-year, the party of the governor when the budget passed was used. When there was no budget passed, the party of the governor during the November election (or when the election would have been held) was used.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gov_non_maj_pty	1937-2011	1 = governor isn't a Democrat or a Republican. 0 = governor is a Democrat or is a Republican.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gub_party_change	1937-2011	Dummy: 1 = party of the governor has changed since the beginning of last year. 0 = hasn't.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gov_pty_change_since_last_budget	1937-2011	1 = governor changed from R to D since last time a budget was passed. -1 = governor changed from D to R since last time a budget was passed. 0 = no change. -.5 and .5 = some change to or from a non-major party governor. Blank = no budget was passed in that year. Computed by: sorted by Budget_Pass2011_04_13, then stateno, then year. Then differenced gov_party_c.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1

years_since_oth er_party	1937-2010	Years since other party variable. A count variable saying 1) how many years the Democrats have been in power (expressed by a positive number) or 2) how many years the Republicans have been in power (multiplied by -1). For years between 1936 and the first time after that year there was a switch in the party of the governor, the count is from the year 1936. When there has been an independent, zeros are entered. Based off of gov_party_c	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
open_bcs_term_l imit	1937-2010	Dummy: 1 = seat is open because of a term limit, and a Democrat was in office immediately beforehand. -1 = seat is open because of a term limit, and a Republican was in office immediately beforehand. 0 = else.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Governors Dataset', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/PQ0Y1N , Harvard Dataverse, V1
gov_motive_achi evement	1993	Frequency of motive imagery relating to achievement ('the desire for excellence') used in inaugural address, expressed in terms of frequency per 1000 words.	Ferguson, Margaret R., and Jay Barth. 'Governors in the Legislative Arena: The Importance of Personality in Shaping Success.' <i>Political Psychology</i> 23.4 (2002): 787-808.
gov_motive_powe r	1993	Frequency of motive imagery relating to power ('desire for prestige and influence on others') used in inaugural address, expressed in terms of frequency per 1000 words.	Ferguson, Margaret R., and Jay Barth. 'Governors in the Legislative Arena: The Importance of Personality in Shaping Success.' <i>Political Psychology</i> 23.4 (2002): 787-808.
gov_motive_affi liation_intimac y	1993	Frequency of motive imagery relating to affiliation-intimacy ('desire for close relations with other humans') used in inaugural address, expressed in terms of frequency per 1000 words.	Ferguson, Margaret R., and Jay Barth. 'Governors in the Legislative Arena: The Importance of Personality in Shaping Success.' <i>Political Psychology</i> 23.4 (2002): 787-808.
sen_elections_t his_year	1937-2011	Dummy: 1 = 19% or more of seats up, 0 = Fewer than 19% up	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
sen_dem_in_sess	1937-2015	Total number of Democrats in the state senate this session	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1. <i>Book of the States</i> (https://knowledgecenter.csg.org/kc/category/content-type/content-type/book-states) See chapter 3, Table 3.3 for information about legislators; 2011 to 2015
sen_rep_in_sess	1937-2011	Total number of Republicans in the state senate this session	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
sen_ind_in_sess	1937-2011	Total number of non-Democrats or Republicans in the state senate this session	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
sen_vac_in_sess	1937-2011	Number of vacant seats in the state senate this session	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
sen_tot_in_sess	1937-2015	Total number of state senators this session	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1 <i>Book of the States</i> (https://knowledgecenter.csg.org/kc/category/content-type/content-type/book-states) See chapter 3, Table 3.3 for information about legislators; 2011 to 2015
sen_cont_alt	1937-2011	1 = Democrats, 0 = Republicans, .5 = split	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1

hs_elections_th is_year	1937-2011	Dummy: 1 = 19% or more of seats up, 0 = fewer than 19% up	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
hs_dem_in_sess	1937-2015	Total number of Democrats in the state house this session	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Book of the States (https://knowledgecenter.csg.org/kc/category/content-type/content-type/book-states) See chapter 3, Table 3.3 for information about legislators; 2011 to 2015
hs_rep_in_sess	1937-2011	Total number of Republicans in the state house this session	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
hs_ind_in_sess	1937-2011	Total number of non-Democrats or Republicans in the state house this session	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
hs_vac_in_sess	1937-2011	Number of vacant seats in the state house this session	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
hs_tot_in_sess	1937-2015	Total number of state house members this session	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Book of the States (https://knowledgecenter.csg.org/kc/category/content-type/content-type/book-states) See chapter 3, Table 3.3 for information about legislators; 2011 to 2015
hs_cont_alt	1937-2011	1 = Democrats, 0 = Republicans, .5 = tie	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
veto_override_p rop	1937-2011	Proportion of legislators needed to override governor veto	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
veto_override_p rop_elected	1937-2011	Who does override proportion pertain to? Dummy: 1 = elected senators, 0 = present senators	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
leg_cont	1937-2011	1 = Democrats control both chambers; 0 = Democrats control neither chamber; .5 = Democrats control one chamber, .25 = Democrats split control of one chamber, .75 = Democrats control one chamber and split control of the other	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
split_leg	1937-2011	Dummy: 1 = chambers are not controlled by same party, 0 = else	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
divided_gov	1937-2011	Dummy: 1 = two chambers of legislature and governorship are not all controlled by same party, 0 = same party controls all three institutions	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
sen_dem_prop_al l	1937-2011	Proportion of state senate seats held by Democrats	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
sen_rep_prop_al l	1937-2011	Proportion of state senate seats held by Republicans	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
hs_dem_prop_all	1937-2011	Proportion of state house seats held by Democrats	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
hs_rep_prop_all	1937-2011	Proportion of state house seats held by Republicans	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
per_leg_of_govs _pty	1937-2011	Percent of legislature across the two chambers that are of the same party as the governor	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1

dem_veto_proof	1937-2011	Dummy: 1 = yes, 0 = no	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
rep_veto_proof	1937-2011	Dummy: 1 = yes, 0 = no	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
dem_unified	1937-2011	Dummy: 1 = Democrats control both legislative chambers and governorship, 0 = else	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
rep_unified	1937-2011	Dummy: 1 = Republicans control both legislative chambers and governorship, 0 = else	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'State Partisan Balance Data, 1937-2011', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/LZHMG3 , Harvard Dataverse, V1
hou_chamber	1993-2016	State house ideological median. Scale is -1 (liberal) to +1 (conservative).	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
sen_chamber	1993-2016	State senate ideological median. Scale is -1 (liberal) to +1 (conservative).	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
hou_dem	1993-2016	State house Democratic party ideological median. Scale is -1 (liberal) to +1 (conservative).	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
hou_rep	1993-2016	State house Republican party ideological median. Scale is -1 (liberal) to +1 (conservative).	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
hou_majority	1993-2016	State house majority party ideological median. Scale is -1 (liberal) to +1 (conservative).	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
sen_dem	1993-2016	State senate Democratic party ideological median. Scale is -1 (liberal) to +1 (conservative).	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
sen_rep	1993-2016	State senate Republican party ideological median. Scale is -1 (liberal) to +1 (conservative).	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
sen_majority	1993-2016	State senate majority party ideological median. Scale is -1 (liberal) to +1 (conservative).	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
h_diffs	1993-2016	Distance between party medians in state house (the authors' preferred measure of polarization).	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
s_diffs	1993-2016	Distance between party medians in state senate (the authors' preferred measure of polarization).	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
h_distance	1993-2016	Average ideological distance between any two members in state house. This is an alternative, party-free, measure of polarization.	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
s_distance	1993-2016	Average ideological distance between any two members in state senate. This is an alternative, party-free, measure of polarization.	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
h_dem_sd	1993-2016	Democratic party heterogeneity in state house	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
s_dem_sd	1993-2016	Democratic party heterogeneity in state senate	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
h_rep_sd	1993-2016	Republican party heterogeneity in state house	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/

s_rep_sd	1993-2016	Republican party heterogeneity in state senate	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
h_chamber_sd	1993-2016	State house ideological heterogeneity	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
s_chamber_sd	1993-2016	State senate ideological heterogeneity	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
hou_dem_error	1993-2016	Democratic party state house ideological median error estimate	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
hou_chamber_error	1993-2016	State house chamber ideological median error estimate	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
hou_rep_error	1993-2016	Republican party state house ideological median error estimate	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
hou_majority_error	1993-2016	State house majority party ideological median error estimate	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
sen_dem_error	1993-2016	Democratic party state senate ideological median error estimate	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
sen_chamber_error	1993-2016	State senate chamber ideological median error estimate	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
sen_rep_error	1993-2016	Republican party state senate ideological median error estimate	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
sen_majority_error	1993-2016	State senate majority party ideological median error estimate	Shor, Boris and Nolan McCarty. 'The Ideological Mapping of American Legislatures.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 105.3 (2011): 530- 551. http://americanlegislatures.com/data/
inst6013_adacope	1960-2013	This was the authors' original measure of state government ideology. The construction of this indicator was described in their 1998 AJPS article (Berry, Ringquist, Fording and Hanson 1998).	Berry, William D., Evan J. Ringquist, Richard C. Fording, and Russell L. Hanson. 'Measuring Citizen and Government Ideology in the American States, 1960-93.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 42.1 (1998): 327- 348.
inst6014_nom	1960-2014	This was the authors' second measure of state government ideology. Instead of relying on ADA and COPE scores to construct a measure, the authors rely on 'Common-Space' congressional ideology scores to construct their measure of state party ideology (available at: http://voteview.com/basic.htm).	Berry, William D., Evan J. Ringquist, Richard C. Fording, and Russell L. Hanson. 'Measuring Citizen and Government Ideology in the American States, 1960-93.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 42.1 (1998): 327- 348. Berry, William D., Richard C. Fording, Evan J. Ringquist, Russell L. Hanson, and Carl Klarner. 'Measuring Citizen and Government Ideology in the American States: A Re-appraisal.' <i>State Politics and Policy Quarterly</i> 10.2 (2010): 117-135.
legprofscore	1979, 1996,2003	State legislative professionalization score (member pay, days in session, and staff per legislator compared to Congress)	Squire, Peverill. 'Legislative Professionalization and Membership Diversity in State Legislatures.' <i>Legislative Studies Quarterly</i> 17.1 (1992): 69-79. Squire, Peverill. 'Measuring Legislative Professionalism: The Squire Index Revisited.' <i>State Politics and Policy Quarterly</i> 7.2 (2007): 211-227. Notes: The measure for 1996 (with a slight revision for Nevada) is from Squire (2000). The member pay and days in session data for the 1979 and 2003 measures are calculated from the appropriate volumes of the <i>Book of the States</i> . The staff data for state legislators is from the National Conference of State Legislatures, 'Size of State Legislative Staff: 1979, 1988, 1996, and 2003,' May 6, 2004. Congressional data are taken from Dwyer (2004), <i>Congressional Quarterly</i> (1993), and Ornstein, Mann, and Malbin (2000).

sess_length	1973-2014	Length of regular session of Congress. Note: Year coded as the first year of the biennium session.	Bowen, Daniel C. and Zachary Greene. 'Should We Measure Professionalism with an Index? A Note on Theory and Practice in State Legislative Professionalism Research.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 14.3 (2014): 277-296.
leg_realsalary	1973-2014	Real legislator salary in 2010 dollars. Note: Year coded as the first year of the biennium session.	Bowen, Daniel C. and Zachary Greene. 'Should We Measure Professionalism with an Index? A Note on Theory and Practice in State Legislative Professionalism Research.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 14.3 (2014): 277-296.
leg_expend	1973-2014	Real expenditures per legislator in thousands of 2010 dollars. Note: Year coded as the first year of the biennium session.	Bowen, Daniel C. and Zachary Greene. 'Should We Measure Professionalism with an Index? A Note on Theory and Practice in State Legislative Professionalism Research.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 14.3 (2014): 277-296.
bowen_legprof_f irstdim	1973-2014	Predicted value of the first dimension multidimensional scaling legislative professionalism score. Note: Year coded as the first year of the biennium session.	Bowen, Daniel C. and Zachary Greene. 'Should We Measure Professionalism with an Index? A Note on Theory and Practice in State Legislative Professionalism Research.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 14.3 (2014): 277-296.
bowen_legprof_s econdim	1973-2014	Predicted value of the second dimension multidimensional scaling legislative professionalism score. Note: Year coded as the first year of the biennium session.	Bowen, Daniel C. and Zachary Greene. 'Should We Measure Professionalism with an Index? A Note on Theory and Practice in State Legislative Professionalism Research.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 14.3 (2014): 277-296.
speaker_power	1981-2009	Index of state Speaker of the House power. Year is coded for the beginning of the legislative term. Note: All sessions begin in odd-years except for Mississippi, Louisiana, New Jersey, Virginia, and Kentucky (until 1982), who have even-year start dates.	Mooney, Christopher Z. 'Measuring State House Speakers' Formal Powers, 1981-2010.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 13.2 (2013): 262-273.
pctlatinoleg	2005-2014	Percentage of state legislators (in both chambers) who are Latino	National Council of State Legislatures: http://www.ncsl.org/research/about-state-legislatures/latino-legislators.aspx Provided by: Reich, Gary. 'Immigrant legislation, across and within the United States.' <i>Research & Politics</i> 4.4 (2017): 1-11.
pctfemaleleg	1975-2019	Percentage of state legislators who are women	Center for American Women and Politics. Women in State Legislatures: 2019. https://cawp.rutgers.edu/facts/levels_of_office/state_legislature Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online)
fem_gov	1964-2014	Is governor a female? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Center for American Women and Politics. Women in State Legislatures: 2016. http://www.cawp.rutgers.edu/
fem_ltgov	1964-2014	Is lieutenant governor a female? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Center for American Women and Politics. Women in State Legislatures: 2016. http://www.cawp.rutgers.edu/
fem_secstate	1964-2014	Is secretary of state a female? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Center for American Women and Politics. Women in State Legislatures: 2016. http://www.cawp.rutgers.edu/
fem_ag	1964-2014	Is attorney general a female? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Center for American Women and Politics. Women in State Legislatures: 2016. http://www.cawp.rutgers.edu/
stctprof_rank	2004	State court professionalism rank from salary, docket score, and staff	Squire, Peverill. 'Measuring the Professionalization of U.S. State Courts of Last Resort.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 223-238.
stctprof_score	2004	State court professionalism score from salary, docket score, and staff	Squire, Peverill. 'Measuring the Professionalization of U.S. State Courts of Last Resort.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 223-238.
stctprofprem_ran nk	2004	State court professionalism rank from premium salary, docket score, and staff	Squire, Peverill. 'Measuring the Professionalization of U.S. State Courts of Last Resort.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 223-238.
stctprofprem_sc ore	2004	State court professionalism score from premium salary, docket score, and staff	Squire, Peverill. 'Measuring the Professionalization of U.S. State Courts of Last Resort.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 223-238.
stctprofdisc_ran nk	2004	State court professionalism rank from salary, discretionary score, and staff	Squire, Peverill. 'Measuring the Professionalization of U.S. State Courts of Last Resort.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 223-238.

stctprofdisc_score	2004	State court professionalism score from salary, discretionary score, and staff	Squire, Peverill. 'Measuring the Professionalization of U.S. State Courts of Last Resort.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 223-238.
stctprofpremdis_c_rank	2004	State court professionalism rank from premium salary, discretionary score, and staff	Squire, Peverill. 'Measuring the Professionalization of U.S. State Courts of Last Resort.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 223-238.
stctprofpremdis_c_score	2004	State court professionalism score from premium salary, discretionary score, and staff	Squire, Peverill. 'Measuring the Professionalization of U.S. State Courts of Last Resort.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 223-238.
corrupt_convict	1976-2011	Convictions relating to corruption ('criminal abuses of public trust by government officials')	Melki, Mickael, and Andrew Pickering. 2016. 'Polarization and Corruption in America.' <i>University of York Discussion Papers</i>
alcfree	2001-2011	The category contains the following variables to capture Alcohol Freedom: Alcohol distribution, beer taxes, blue laws, happy hour laws, keg regulations, spirit taxes, mandatory server training, and wine taxes. Alcohol distribution system makes up 1.2 percent of the whole index on its own.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
autofree	2001-2011	Seat belt laws and mandatory uninsured/underinsured motorist coverage are the two most important variables in the travel category, based on estimated costs in terms of tickets and uncompensated premiums to drivers who do not prefer to perform such activities. After that come motorcycle helmet laws, bicycle helmet laws, bans on driving while using a cell phone, open container laws, and sobriety checkpoints, in that order.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
econfree	2001-2011	Economic freedom is calculated as the sum of the fiscal and regulatory policy indices.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
econrank	2001-2011	State rankings of economic freedom scores	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
edufree	2001-2011	Within education policy, mandatory licensure of private school teachers appears to be the most destructive regulation, and it alone constitutes slightly more than half of the overall educational freedom weight. Other variables are years of mandatory schooling, extent of private school curriculum control, tax credits and deductions for private or home schools (for parents or as contributions to scholarship funds), mandatory government approval of new private schools, home school curriculum control, standardized testing or other evaluation requirements for home schools, extent of home school recordkeeping requirements, teacher qualifications for home schools, an index of home school notification requirements, mandatory kindergarten attendance, the existence of a statute explicitly permitting homeschooling, and mandatory registration of private schools.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .

elecfree	2001-2011	The campaign finance policy category covers public financing of campaigns and contribution limits (individuals to candidates, individuals to parties, an index of individuals to PACs and PACs to candidates, and an index of individuals to PACs and PACs to parties). While these policies receive 'constitutional weights' boosting them by a factor of 10 because of their First Amendment implications, they receive low weights even so because there is not much evidence that contribution limits reduce private actors' involvement in politics, unless the limits are extremely low (and Vermont's extremely low limits were struck down by the US Supreme Court in 2006).	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
fiscfree	2001-2011	The fiscal policy dimension consists of the following categories: Tax burden (28.6%), government employment (2.8%), government spending (1.9%), government debt (1.2%), and fiscal decentralization (0.9%).	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
fiscrank	2001-2011	State rankings of fiscal freedom scores	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
forfree	2001-2011	The calculation for the ease of civil asset forfeiture is based on results reported in the Institute for Justice study Policing for Profit. This index basically reflects the extent to which a state's tight asset forfeiture rules encourage revenue-sharing with the Department of Justice. Tight rules are indeed better, since the government should not take private property simply because it was allegedly used in a crime or allegedly constitutes proceeds of a crime, unless the owner of the property is found culpable in a court of law and the seizure is used to compensate victims. But as the Institute for Justice study found, tight rules simply encourage forfeiture by the federal government.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
freedom	2001-2011	The overall freedom ranking is determined by combining scores for fiscal, regulatory, and personal freedom.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
gamfree	2001-2011	This category is dominated by an estimate of the loss to consumers because of gambling restrictions. The category also includes measures for whether social gaming is legal, whether 'aggravated gambling' is a felony or misdemeanor, and whether there is an express ban on online gaming. The category contains the following variables: Gambling felony, gaming revenues, internet gaming prohibition, social gaming exception	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .

gunfree	2001-2011	Gun control measures the direct costs of gun laws to gun owners and dealers as evidenced in sales, price, and ownership figures, as well as original analysis about how concealed-carry restrictions and costs are associated with the number of people who seek permits in each state.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
healthfree	2001-2011	Health insurance includes state-level health insurance mandates, small group rate review, guaranteed issue regulations, individual market community rating, mandated direct access to providers, individual market rate review, and a host of lower-impact regulations on managed care organizations (HMOs). State-level health insurance mandates, the second most significant variable in this category at 1.7 percent of the freedom index, impose direct costs of nearly \$9 billion a year.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
labfree	2001-2011	Right-to-work laws make up more than half of the labor regulation category and nearly 2 percent of the entire freedom index. They are valued at over \$10 billion a year. Other policy variables in this category, in descending order of importance, are short-term disability insurance requirements (costs being lower labor productivity and administrative expenses for businesses), policies dealing with workers' compensation (funding mechanisms and mandated coverages), state minimum wage laws (figures adjusted for median private wages), requirements for employer verification of legal resident status, mandated paid family leave, and regulations prohibiting discrimination in employment (or employer-provided insurance) between smokers and non-smokers.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
landfree	2001-2011	The property rights category includes eminent domain reform and land-use regulations. Almost all its weight comes from two variables: local rent control laws and an index of residential land-use regulations. The remainder takes into account whether compensation or an economic assessment is required before a regulatory taking, an index of eminent domain reform, and whether free speech is mandated on private property. The category contains the following variables: Local rent control, regulatory taking restrictions, mandated free speech on private property, Wharton residential land use, and eminent domain index.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .

malafree	2001-2011	The civil liberties category is a grab bag of mostly unrelated policies, including raw milk laws, fireworks laws, prostitution laws, physician- assisted suicide laws, religious freedom restoration acts, rules on taking DNA samples from criminal suspects, trans- fat bans, and laws that can be used to prosecute people who audiorecord public officials in the performance of their duties. The category contains the following variables: DNA taken from arrestees, fireworks laws, physician- assisted suicide legal, prostitution legal, raw milk sales legal, two-party consent for recording, Religious Freedom Restoration Act, and trans-fat bans.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
marrfree	2001-2011	Almost all the weight of the marriage freedom category is tied to the availability of same-sex partnerships, both civil unions and marriage. The remainder is tied to waiting periods and blood test requirements. States that prohibit same-sex couples from entering private contracts that provide the benefits of marriage (whether termed 'marriages' or 'civil unions') take away an important contract right from these couples. The category contains the following variables: Blood test requirement, same-sex partnerships, and total waiting period.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
miscregfree	2001-2011	Miscellaneous regulations include certificate of need (CON) requirements for hospitals, state auto insurance rate filing requirements, state homeowners' insurance rate filing requirements, membership in the Interstate Insurance Product Regulation Compact, and state rate classification prohibitions for some classes of insurance. CON regulations land their first-place slot based on the over \$3 billion in extra costs they impose on hospitals, customers, and potential market entrants. The category contains the following variables: Certificate of need for hospitals, rate filing requirements: homeowners' insurance, interstate insurance product regulations compact, rate filing requirements: personal auto insurance, and rate classification prohibitions.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .

mjfree	2001-2011	These scores combine multiple marijuana policy variables- decriminalization and legalization of the first offense of 'low-level' marijuana possession, misdemeanor status for 'high-level' possession or 'low-level' cultivation or sale, mandatory minimum sentences for 'low-level' cultivation or sale, the logarithm of the maximum possible prison term for a single marijuana offense. Using principal component analysis yields a sensible index of marijuana policies.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
occfree	2001-2011	Almost two-thirds of the occupational freedom category's weight is made up of two variables: a measure of occupational licensing extent and the sum total of education and experience requirements for all included occupations. Rounding out the category are regulations that limit the practice of nurses and nurse practitioners, physician assistants, and dental hygienists. The category contains the following variables: Dental hygienist independent practice, education and experience requirements, employment-weighted licensure, exam requirements, fees for licensed occupations, nurse licensure compact membership, nurse practitioner independent practice, and physician assistant prescribing authority.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
persfree	2001-2011	Personal freedom dimension consists of the following categories: victimless crime freedom (9.8%), gun control freedom (6.6%), tobacco freedom (4.1%), alcohol freedom (2.8%), marriage freedom (2.1%), marijuana and salvia freedom (2.1%), gambling freedom (2.0%), education policy (1.9%), civil liberties (0.6%), travel freedom (0.5%), asset forfeiture freedom (0.1%), and campaign finance freedom (0.02%).	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
persrank	2001-2011	State rankings of personal freedom scores	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
ranking	2001-2011	State rankings of overall freedom scores	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
regfree	2001-2011	The regulatory policy dimension consists of the following categories: freedom from tort abuse (11.5%), property right protection (7.6%), health insurance freedom (5.4%), labor market freedom (3.8%), occupational licensing freedom (1.7%), miscellaneous regulatory freedom (1.3%), and cable and telecom freedom (0.8%).	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .

regrank	2001-2011	State rankings of regulatory freedom scores	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
tobfree	2001-2011	Tobacco freedom includes taxes on tobacco, smoking bans, internet sales bans, and vending machine regulations. The freedom index also takes into account taxes paid by smokers, which are excluded from the taxation category used in the fiscal policy dimension, as well as the deadweight costs of the taxes.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
tortfree	2001-2011	The liability system is a ranking of state tort systems based on a survey of business owners and managers. This is what the US Chamber of Commerce calls a state's 'lawsuit climate.' It captures risks and costs that businesses must pass on to consumers as higher prices.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
utilfree	2001-2011	Telecommunications deregulation accounts for roughly two-thirds of the weight for this category, and the remainder is accounted for by statewide cable franchising, which eases the entry of telecom firms into the video cable market.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
vcfree	2001-2011	The most heavily weighted category in the personal freedom dimension-after direct victim costs have been calculated and constitutional factors taken into account-is the law enforcement statistics category, which consists of data on incarceration rates adjusted for violent and property crime rates, non- drug victimless crimes arrests, and the drug enforcement rate. This category is worth over one-quarter of the personal freedom index.	Mercatus Center. 2016. 'Freedom in the 50 States.' Arlington, VA: George Mason University. http://freedominthe50states.org/about .
efna_index	1981-2013	This economic freedom index measures overall level of economic freedom based on government spending, taxes, and labor market freedom	Stansel, Dean, Jose Torra, and Fred McMahon. 2015. 'Economic Freedom of North America.' Vancouver, BC: Fraiser Institute.
integrity	2015	Letter grade for state government integrity, an overall index of thirteen measures of accountability and transparency.	The Center for Public Integrity, 2015. 'State Integrity 2015.' https://publicintegrity.org/politics/state-politics/state-integrity-investigation/how-does-your-state-rank-for-integrity/
wallstreet_best_run	2010-2012	Wallstreet 24/7 ranking of the best run states (based on: S&P credit rankings, unemployment, GDP per capita, high school completion for population over 25, violent crime rate, poverty rate, median household income, debt per capita, percent of population without health insurance, change in home values)	24/7 Wallstreet. 'The Best and Worst Run States in America: A Survey of All 50.' Provided by: Pally, Geoff. 2012. Ballotpedia and The Lucy Burns Institute.
civil_defense_and_disaster_compa	1951-1978	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

compact_for_a_balanced_budget	2014-2015	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
bus_taxation_rollback	1965-1983	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
compact_on_taxation_of_motor_fuels	1963	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
driver_license_compact	1961-1996	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_high_speed_rail_network	1980-1991	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_rail_passenger_network	1979-1993	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
multistate_highway_transportation	1975-1997	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
emergency_management_assistance	1995-2014	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interpleader_compact	1954-1978	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_compact_for_adult_off	1951-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

interstate_comp act_for_juvenil es	1955-1986	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_comp act_for_mutual_ mi	1951-1976	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_comp act_on_adoption _a	1984-1991	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_comp act_on_agricult ur	1979	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_comp act_on_educatio na	2008-2014	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_comp act_on_industri al	1990-2011	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_comp act_on_licensur e	2000-2007	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_comp act_on_mentally _d	1967-1980	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_comp act_on_the_plac em	1976	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
compact_on_plac ement_of_childr en	1960-1990	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

compact_for_pen sion_portabilit y	1989-1991	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
compact_on_adop tion_and_medica l	1984-2002	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
agreement_on_qu alifications_of_e	1962-1988	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
compact_for_edu cation	1965-2001	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_libr ary_compact	1957-1976	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_comp act_to_conserve _o	1935-1982	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_fore st_fire_suppres si	1991-1993	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_mini ng_compact	1966-1991	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
wildlife_violat or_compact	1989-2014	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
multistate_lott ery_agreement	1988-2009	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' Political Research Quarterly 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

interstate_corrections_compact	1959-1994	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
health_care_compact	2011-2014	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_medical_licensure_compact	2015-2016	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
nurse_licensure_compact	1998-2004	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
emergency_medical_services_per_so	2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
multistate_reciprocity_agreement	1962	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
multistate_tax_compact	1967-2014	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_earthquake_emergency	1988-1990	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_insurance_product_reg	2003-2014	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_insurance_receivership	1995-1996	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

interstate_mutual_aid_compact	1985-1986	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Karch, Andrew, Sean C. Nicholson-Crotty, Neal D. Woods, and Ann O'M. Bowman. 'Policy diffusion and the pro-innovation bias.' <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> 69.1 (2016): 83-95. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
womenlead_sthourse	2003, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2020 (terms)	Percent of leaders who are women (house)	Hansen, Eric R., and Christopher J. Clark. 2020. "Diversity in Party Leadership in State Legislatures." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 20 (1): 81-107. doi: 10.1177/1532440019885378
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pctblackleg_sthouse	2003, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2020 (terms)	Percent of members who are black (house)	Hansen, Eric R., and Christopher J. Clark. 2020. "Diversity in Party Leadership in State Legislatures." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 20 (1): 81-107. doi: 10.1177/1532440019885378
latinolead_sthouse	2003, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2020 (terms)	Percent of leaders who are Latino (house)	Hansen, Eric R., and Christopher J. Clark. 2020. "Diversity in Party Leadership in State Legislatures." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 20 (1): 81-107. doi: 10.1177/1532440019885378
pctlatinoleg_sthouse	2003, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2020 (terms)	Percent of members who are Latino (house)	Hansen, Eric R., and Christopher J. Clark. 2020. "Diversity in Party Leadership in State Legislatures." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 20 (1): 81-107. doi: 10.1177/1532440019885378
workerlead_sthouse	2003, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2020 (terms)	Percent of leaders who are workers (house)	Hansen, Eric R., and Christopher J. Clark. 2020. "Diversity in Party Leadership in State Legislatures." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 20 (1): 81-107. doi: 10.1177/1532440019885378
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pctdblack_sthouse	2003, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2020 (terms)	Percent of Democratic leaders who are black (house)	Hansen, Eric R., and Christopher J. Clark. 2020. "Diversity in Party Leadership in State Legislatures." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 20 (1): 81-107. doi: 10.1177/1532440019885378
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pctrwomen_sthouse	2003, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2020 (terms)	Percent of Republican leaders who are women (house)	Hansen, Eric R., and Christopher J. Clark. 2020. "Diversity in Party Leadership in State Legislatures." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 20 (1): 81-107. doi: 10.1177/1532440019885378

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pctrlatino_sthouse	2003, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2020 (terms)	Percent of Republican leaders who are Latino (house)	Hansen, Eric R., and Christopher J. Clark. 2020. "Diversity in Party Leadership in State Legislatures." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 20 (1): 81–107. doi: 10.1177/1532440019885378
pctrworker_sthouse	2003, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2020 (terms)	Percent of Republican leaders who are workers (house)	Hansen, Eric R., and Christopher J. Clark. 2020. "Diversity in Party Leadership in State Legislatures." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 20 (1): 81–107. doi: 10.1177/1532440019885378
rleaders_sthouse	2003, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2020 (terms)	Count of Republican leadership positions	Hansen, Eric R., and Christopher J. Clark. 2020. "Diversity in Party Leadership in State Legislatures." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 20 (1): 81–107. doi: 10.1177/1532440019885378
whitewomenlead_sthouse	2003, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2020 (terms)	Percent of leaders who are white women (house)	Hansen, Eric R., and Christopher J. Clark. 2020. "Diversity in Party Leadership in State Legislatures." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 20 (1): 81–107. doi: 10.1177/1532440019885378
blackmenlead_sthouse	2003, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2020 (terms)	Percent of leaders who are black men (house)	Hansen, Eric R., and Christopher J. Clark. 2020. "Diversity in Party Leadership in State Legislatures." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 20 (1): 81–107. doi: 10.1177/1532440019885378
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delta_womenlead_sthouse	2003, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2020 (terms)	Percentage point change in leaders who are women from previous term to observed term (house)	Hansen, Eric R., and Christopher J. Clark. 2020. "Diversity in Party Leadership in State Legislatures." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 20 (1): 81–107. doi: 10.1177/1532440019885378
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delta_latinolead_sthouse	2003, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2020 (terms)	Percentage point change in leaders who are Latino from previous term to observed term (house)	Hansen, Eric R., and Christopher J. Clark. 2020. "Diversity in Party Leadership in State Legislatures." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 20 (1): 81–107. doi: 10.1177/1532440019885378
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delta_pctwomenleg_stsenate	2003, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2020 (terms)	Percentage point change in members who are women from previous term to observed term (senate)	Hansen, Eric R., and Christopher J. Clark. 2020. "Diversity in Party Leadership in State Legislatures." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 20 (1): 81–107. doi: 10.1177/1532440019885378
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dirdem	1903-2016	Dichotomous. Equals 1 if state allows direct or indirect citizen initiatives	Ballotpedia. 2016. "Forms of Direct Democracy in the American States." Accessed on August 8, 2016 at https://ballotpedia.org/Forms_of_direct_democracy_in_the_American_states . Waters, M. Dane. 2003. <i>Initiative and Referendum Almanac</i> . Durham, NC: Carolina Academic Press. Lupia, Arthur, Yanna Krupnikov, Adam Seth Levine, Spencer Piston, and Alexander Von Hagen-Jamar. 2010. "Why State Constitutions Differ in Their Treatment of Same-Sex Marriage." <i>The Journal of Politics</i> 72 (4): 1222–35. National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL). 2016. <i>Ballot Measures Database</i> . Accessed at: http://www.ncsl.org/research/elections-and-campaigns/ballot-measures-database.aspx .

popref	1903-2016	Dichotomous. Equals 1 if state permits citizens to repeal policies adopted by elected officials	Ballotpedia. 2016. "Forms of Direct Democracy in the American States." Accessed on August 8, 2016 at https://ballotpedia.org/Forms_of_direct_democracy_in_the_American_states . Waters, M. Dane. 2003. Initiative and Referendum Almanac. Durham, NC: Carolina Academic Press. Lupia, Arthur, Yanna Krupnikov, Adam Seth Levine, Spencer Piston, and Alexander Von Hagen-Jamar. 2010. "Why State Constitutions Differ in Their Treatment of Same-Sex Marriage." <i>The Journal of Politics</i> 72 (4): 1222-35. National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL). 2016. Ballot Measures Database. Accessed at: http://www.ncsl.org/research/elections-and-campaigns/ballot-measures-database.aspx .
constlegref	1903-2016	Dichotomous. Equals 1 if state permits legislature to refer constitutional language to voters	Ballotpedia. 2016. "Forms of Direct Democracy in the American States." Accessed on August 8, 2016 at https://ballotpedia.org/Forms_of_direct_democracy_in_the_American_states . Waters, M. Dane. 2003. Initiative and Referendum Almanac. Durham, NC: Carolina Academic Press. Lupia, Arthur, Yanna Krupnikov, Adam Seth Levine, Spencer Piston, and Alexander Von Hagen-Jamar. 2010. "Why State Constitutions Differ in Their Treatment of Same-Sex Marriage." <i>The Journal of Politics</i> 72 (4): 1222-35. National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL). 2016. Ballot Measures Database. Accessed at: http://www.ncsl.org/research/elections-and-campaigns/ballot-measures-database.aspx .
statlegref	1903-2016	Dichotomous. Equals 1 if state permits legislature to refer statutory language to voters	Ballotpedia. 2016. "Forms of Direct Democracy in the American States." Accessed on August 8, 2016 at https://ballotpedia.org/Forms_of_direct_democracy_in_the_American_states . Waters, M. Dane. 2003. Initiative and Referendum Almanac. Durham, NC: Carolina Academic Press. Lupia, Arthur, Yanna Krupnikov, Adam Seth Levine, Spencer Piston, and Alexander Von Hagen-Jamar. 2010. "Why State Constitutions Differ in Their Treatment of Same-Sex Marriage." <i>The Journal of Politics</i> 72 (4): 1222-35. National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL). 2016. Ballot Measures Database. Accessed at: http://www.ncsl.org/research/elections-and-campaigns/ballot-measures-database.aspx .
amendcomplex	1990-2015	Aggregate measure which captures Constitutional Amendment complexity by state, with higher scores indicating greater obstacles to amending the state constitution, where citizens allowed to place constitutional amendment on ballot=1, legislature required to place constitutional amendment on ballot by simple vote=2, legislature required to place constitutional amendment on ballot by multiple legislative session votes=3, supermajority of voter approval of ballot in order to be passed and added to state constitution=4. (NOTE: Tennessee is the only state that requires voter supermajorities and multiple legislative sessions to place constitutional amendment on the ballot and be passed).	Lupia, Arthur, Yanna Krupnikov, Adam Seth Levine, Spencer Piston, and Alexander Von Hagen- Jamar. 2010. "Why State Constitutions Differ in Their Treatment of Same-Sex Marriage." <i>The Journal of Politics</i> 72 (4): 1222-35.
directdem	1995-2015	State ballot initiative for statutes	Taylor et al. (2019), from Ballotpedia (2018) Taylor, Jami K., Donald P. Haider-Markel, and Benjamin Rogers. 2019. "Toward a new measure of state-level LGBT interest group strength." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 19(3): 334-350. Ballotpedia. 2018. "States." https://ballotpedia.org/States#Initiative_26_referendum_in_the_U.S

Elections Variables

Variable	Years	Description	Source(s) and Notes
anyid2	1972-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Biggers, Daniel R., and Michael J. Hanmer. 'Understanding the adoption of voter identification laws in the American states.' <i>American Politics Research</i> 45.4 (2017): 560-588. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
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absvot	1960-2003	Did state adopt unrestricted absentee voting? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
earlvot	1970-2002	Did state adopt in-person early voting? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
elecdayreg	1974-1994	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
mailreg	1972-1995	Did state adopt voter registration by mail? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
motorvoter	1976-1995	Did state adopt voter registration with driver's license renewal? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
pubcamfun	1973-1987	Did state adopt public campaign funding? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
nofelons	1980-2018	The total number of felons who are ineligible to vote.	McDonald, Michael P. United States Election Project. Turnout 1980-2012. http://www.electproject.org/ Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online) Notes: The number of ineligible felons depends on state law. Some states permanently disfranchise felons and a few let even prisoners vote. Statistics drawn from various Department of Justice reports which detail the prison, probation, and parole population of the United States are matched with these state laws to estimate the number of ineligible felons. The Department of Justice Bureau, Office of Justice Statistics releases numbers from Jan. 1 through Dec. 31 for a given year. Author uses the most approximate Jan. 1 values, where available, since these include revised Dec. 31 data from the previous year. Author assumes all Prisoners and Parolees are felons, and half of Probationers are felons (this estimate is drawn from DOJ reports; starting in 2011, DOJ reports the number of persons on probation who are felons). A blank or zero indicates the category of felons is allowed to vote in that state. For the United States totals, author includes persons in the federal corrections system.
noofvotes	1980-2018	Traditional reported number of people who voted in a given general election. Note: No data available for votes cast in Louisiana for highest office in 1982.	McDonald, Michael P. United States Election Project. Turnout 1980-2012. http://www.electproject.org/ Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online) Notes:iv
vep	1980-2018	Total population that is eligible to vote.	McDonald, Michael P. United States Election Project. Turnout 1980-2012. http://www.electproject.org/ Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online)

vepvotingrate	1980-2018	Voting-eligible population turnout rate for highest office elections; or proportion of the votes cast for the highest office on the ballot (of the total voting-eligible population).	McDonald, Michael P. United States Election Project. Turnout 1980-2012. http://www.electproject.org/ . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online) Notes: VEP Highest Office Turnout Rate = (Voted for Highest Office) / (Voting-Eligible Population Total) (recommended statistic). The Vote for Highest Office is the traditional reported number of people who voted in a given election. In presidential election years, the vote for highest office is simply the presidential vote. In a non-presidential election year, the vote for highest office is the largest vote total for a statewide office such as governor or US Senator. When no statewide office is on the ballot, the sum of the congressional races is used instead. In 2006, the methodology was changed slightly to use the sum of the congressional races if they exceeded a statewide office, as occurred with Indiana's uncompetitive US Senate race.
elect_year	1938-2010	Calendar year that the election was in, or years after the election year but before the calendar year of the next election.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
sen_prop_up	1938-2010	Proportion of state senate seats up in this year.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
hs_prop_up	1938-2010	Proportion of state house seats up in this year.	Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney1_sen_dem_prop	1938-2016	Proportion of state senators who are Democrats. Note: this is the annual measure the moving averages were computed from.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney2_hs_dem_prop	1938-2016	Proportion of state house members who are Democrats. Note: this is the annual measure the moving averages were computed from.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney3_gub_prop	1938-2010	Proportion of the two-party vote that the Democratic gubernatorial candidate got in the last election. Note: this is the annual measure the moving averages were computed from.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney4_control	1938-2016	0 = unified Republican control, 1 = unified Democratic control, .5 = neither. Note: this is the annual measure the moving averages were computed from.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney4_control_alt	1938-2016	Dummy variable: 1 = unified Democratic control, 0 = else. Note: this is the annual measure the moving averages were computed from. Also, this is the way dimension #4 of the Ranney index has been measured in the past. This method could be very problematic. The underlying assumption of this method is that unified Democratic control is important, but that the difference between unified Republican control and split control isn't.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney1_sen_dem_prop_4yr	1941-2010	Proportion of state senators who are Democrats (4-year moving average).	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1

ranney2_hs_dem__prop_4yr	1941-2010	Proportion of state house members who are Democrats (4-year moving average).	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney3_gub__prop_4yr	1941-2010	Proportion of the two-party vote that the Democratic gubernatorial candidate got in the last election (4-year moving average).	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney4__control_4yr	1941-2010	0 = unified Republican control, 1 = unified Democratic control, .5 = neither. Four-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney4__control_alt_4yr	1941-2010	Dummy: 1 = unified Democratic control, 0 = else. Four-year moving average. Note: this is the way dimension #4 of the Ranney index has been measured in the past. This method could be very problematic. The underlying assumption of this method is that unified Democratic control is important, but that the difference between unified Republican control and split control isn't.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney1_sen__dem__prop_6yr	1943-2010	Proportion of state senators who are Democrats (6-year moving average).	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney2_hs__dem__prop_6yr	1943-2010	Proportion of state house members who are Democrats (6-year moving average).	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney3_gub__prop_6yr	1943-2010	Proportion of the two-party vote that the Democratic gubernatorial candidate got in the last election (6-year moving average).	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney4__control_6yr	1943-2010	0 = unified Republican control, 1 = unified Democratic control, .5 = neither. Six-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
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ranney1_sen_dem _prop_8yr	1945-2010	Proportion of state senators who are Democrats (8-year moving average).	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney2_hs_dem_ prop_8yr	1945-2010	Proportion of state house members who are Democrats (8-year moving average).	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney3_gub_pro p_8yr	1945-2010	Proportion of the two-party vote that the Democratic gubernatorial candidate got in the last election (8-year moving average).	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney4_control _8yr	1945-2010	0 = unified Republican control, 1 = unified Democratic control, .5 = neither. Eight-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney4_control _alt_8yr	1945-2010	Dummy: 1 = unified Democratic control, 0 = else. Eight-year moving average. Note: this is the way dimension #4 of the Ranney index has been measured in the past. This method could be very problematic. The underlying assumption of this method is that unified Democratic control is important, but that the difference between unified Republican control and split control isn't.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney1_sen_dem _prop_10yr	1947-2010	Proportion of state senators who are Democrats (10-year moving average).	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney2_hs_dem_ prop_10yr	1947-2010	Proportion of state house members who are Democrats (10-year moving average).	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney3_gub_pro p_10yr	1947-2010	Proportion of the two-party vote that the Democratic gubernatorial candidate got in the last election (10-year moving average).	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney4_control _10yr	1947-2010	0 = unified Republican control, 1 = unified Democratic control, .5 = neither. Ten-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1

ranney4_control _alt_10yr	1947-2010	Dummy: 1 = unified Democratic control, 0 = else. Ten-year moving average. Note: this is the way dimension #4 of the Ranney index has been measured in the past. This method could be very problematic. The underlying assumption of this method is that unified Democratic control is important, but that the difference between unified Republican control and split control isn't.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In <i>Politics in the American States</i> , 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney_4yrs	1941-2010	Four-year moving average of variables for proportion of Democratic control in state senate, house, governor's office, and overall government (not the alternative measure).	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In <i>Politics in the American States</i> , 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney_6yrs	1943-2010	Six-year moving average of variables for proportion of Democratic control in state senate, house, governor's office, and overall government (not the alternative measure).	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In <i>Politics in the American States</i> , 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
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ranney_10yrs	1947-2010	Ten-year moving average of variables for proportion of Democratic control in state senate, house, governor's office, and overall government (not the alternative measure).	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In <i>Politics in the American States</i> , 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
ranney_4yrs_alt	1941-2010	Four-year moving average of variables for proportion of Democratic control in state senate, house, governor's office, and overall government (using the alternative measure).	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In <i>Politics in the American States</i> , 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
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ranney_10yrs_al t	1947-2010	Ten-year moving average of variables for proportion of Democratic control in state senate, house, governor's office, and overall government (not the alternative measure).	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In <i>Politics in the American States</i> , 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
folded_ranney_4 yrs	1941-2010	Ranney measures of competitiveness. Four-year moving average. Varies between .5 and 1, with higher values representing higher levels of competitiveness.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In <i>Politics in the American States</i> , 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1

folded_ranney_6 yrs	1943-2010	Ranney measures of competitiveness. Six-year moving average. Varies between .5 and 1, with higher values representing higher levels of competitiveness.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
folded_ranney_8 yrs	1945-2010	Ranney measures of competitiveness. Eight-year moving average. Varies between .5 and 1, with higher values representing higher levels of competitiveness.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
folded_ranney_10 yrs	1947-2010	Ranney measures of competitiveness. Ten-year moving average. Varies between .5 and 1, with higher values representing higher levels of competitiveness.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Stata Code: gen folded_ranney_10yrs=1-(abs(ranney_10yrs-.5))
folded_ranney_alt_4 yrs	1941-2010	Ranney measures of competitiveness. Four-year moving average using the alternative state government measure. Varies between .5 and 1, with higher values representing higher levels of competitiveness.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Stata Code: gen folded_ranney_alt_4yrs=1-(abs(ranney_4yrs_alt-.5))
folded_ranney_alt_6 yrs	1943-2010	Ranney measures of competitiveness. Six-year moving average using the alternative state government measure. Varies between .5 and 1, with higher values representing higher levels of competitiveness.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Stata Code: gen folded_ranney_alt_6yrs=1-(abs(ranney_6yrs_alt-.5))
folded_ranney_alt_8 yrs	1945-2010	Ranney measures of competitiveness. Eight-year moving average using the alternative state government measure. Varies between .5 and 1, with higher values representing higher levels of competitiveness.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Stata Code: gen folded_ranney_alt_8yrs=1-(abs(ranney_8yrs_alt-.5))
folded_ranney_alt_10 yrs	1947-2010	Ranney measures of competitiveness. Ten-year moving average using the alternative state government measure. Varies between .5 and 1, with higher values representing higher levels of competitiveness.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Stata Code: gen folded_ranney_alt_10yrs=1-(abs(ranney_10yrs_alt-.5))
hvd1_winper_4yr	1973-2010	Average percent that winning candidates got in this year's election (of the total vote), and in the elections whose values were put in the three calendar years prior to that. Average weighted by the number of seats up in each election in the chamber-year. Four-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: for an even-year, in an even-year election state with all of a chamber's seats up, this would give one-fourth weight to the current election, one-half weight to the last election, and one-fourth weight to the second to last election. For an odd year in such a state, half weight would be given to the election held last year, and half weight would be given to the election before that. WARNING: users can drop the even years in even year states if they don't like the one-fourth/one-half/one-fourth weighting referred to above. For states with four-year election cycles, like Alabama, users might consider only keeping the values from three years after the calendar year of the election. Candidates in FFA-MMDs have their % multiplied by the number of seats in the FFA-MMD. After computing this quantity for both chambers, those two quantities are averaged.

hvd2_winmargin_4yr	1973-2010	Average percent margin (of the total vote) by which winning candidates win (in this election or the elections that were put into the last three calendar years). Average weighted by the number of seats up in each election in the chamber-year. Four-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: For FFA-MMDs, this is compared to the loser with the largest % of the vote. In FFA-MMDs, this margin is multiplied by the number of seats in the FFA-MMD. After computing this quantity for both chambers, those two quantities are averaged.
hvd3_uncont_4yr	1973-2010	Percent of seats that are uncontested (in this election or the elections that were put into the last three calendar years). Four-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: This takes under-contested seats in FFA-MMDs into account. For example, a three seat FFA-MMD with two Democrats and three Republicans would contribute '3' to the denominator, and '1' to the numerator of this variable. After computing this quantity for both chambers, those two quantities are averaged.
hvd4_safeseat_4yr	1973-2010	Percent of seats that are 'safe' (in this election or the elections that were put into the last three calendar years). 'Safe' is considered a winning margin of 10% or more. Four-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: For FFA-MMDs, a winner is considered 'safe' when their margin times the number of seats is greater than 10%. For FFA-MMDs, margin is computed as above. After computing this quantity for both chambers, those two quantities are averaged.
unusable_seats_4yr_per	1973-2010	Percent of seats in this year and the three years prior to that are 'unuseable' for the Holbrook and Van Dunk measure. Four-year moving average. 'Not useable' includes such things as missing vote returns (but not in uncontested elections in states that don't put such elections on the ballot), missing party codes, or elections that only report the winner and information about the existence of other candidates is unknown.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: Descriptive statistics for variable: 89.0% of state-years have 0% unusable seats, 98.7% have 5% or less unusable seats, 99.2% of state-years have 10% or less unusable seats, eight state-years have between 10 and 20% unusable seats, and eight more state-years have more than 20% unusable seats. The worst state-year has 49.8% of its seats with missing information.
hvd1_winper_6yr	1975-2010	Average percent that winning candidates got in this year's election (of the total vote), and in the elections whose values were put in the three calendar years prior to that. Average weighted by the number of seats up in each election in the chamber-year. Six-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: for an even-year, in an even-year election state with all of a chamber's seats up, this would give one-fourth weight to the current election, one-half weight to the last election, and one-fourth weight to the second to last election. For an odd year in such a state, half weight would be given to the election held last year, and half weight would be given to the election before that. WARNING: users can drop the even years in even year states if they don't like the one-fourth/one-half/one-fourth weighting referred to above. For states with four-year election cycles, like Alabama, users might consider only keeping the values from three years after the calendar year of the election. Candidates in FFA-MMDs have their % multiplied by the number of seats in the FFA-MMD. After computing this quantity for both chambers, those two quantities are averaged.

hvd2_winmargin_6yr	1975-2010	Average percent margin (of the total vote) by which winning candidates win (in this election or the elections that were put into the last three calendar years). Average weighted by the number of seats up in each election in the chamber-year. Six-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: For FFA-MMDs, this is compared to the loser with the largest % of the vote. In FFA-MMDs, this margin is multiplied by the number of seats in the FFA-MMD. After computing this quantity for both chambers, those two quantities are averaged.
hvd3_uncont_6yr	1975-2010	Percent of seats that are uncontested (in this election or the elections that were put into the last three calendar years). Six-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: This takes under-contested seats in FFA-MMDs into account. For example, a three seat FFA-MMD with two Democrats and three Republicans would contribute '3' to the denominator, and '1' to the numerator of this variable. After computing this quantity for both chambers, those two quantities are averaged.
hvd4_safeseat_6yr	1975-2010	Percent of seats that are 'safe' (in this election or the elections that were put into the last three calendar years). 'Safe' is considered a winning margin of 10% or more. Six-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: For FFA-MMDs, a winner is considered 'safe' when their margin times the number of seats is greater than 10%. For FFA-MMDs, margin is computed as above. After computing this quantity for both chambers, those two quantities are averaged.
unusable_seats_6yr_per	1975-2010	Percent of seats in this year and the three years prior to that are 'unuseable' for the Holbrook and Van Dunk measure. Six-year moving average. 'Not useable' includes such things as missing vote returns (but not in uncontested elections in states that don't put such elections on the ballot), missing party codes, or elections that only report the winner and information about the existence of other candidates is unknown.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: Descriptive statistics for variable: 89.0% of state-years have 0% unusable seats, 98.7% have 5% or less unusable seats, 99.2% of state-years have 10% or less unusable seats, eight state-years have between 10 and 20% unusable seats, and eight more state-years have more than 20% unusable seats. The worst state-year has 49.8% of its seats with missing information.
hvd1_winper_8yr	1977-2010	Average percent that winning candidates got in this year's election (of the total vote), and in the elections whose values were put in the three calendar years prior to that. Average weighted by the number of seats up in each election in the chamber-year. Eight-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: for an even-year, in an even-year election state with all of a chamber's seats up, this would give one-fourth weight to the current election, one-half weight to the last election, and one-fourth weight to the second to last election. For an odd year in such a state, half weight would be given to the election held last year, and half weight would be given to the election before that. WARNING: users can drop the even years in even year states if they don't like the one-fourth/one-half/one-fourth weighting referred to above. For states with four-year election cycles, like Alabama, users might consider only keeping the values from three years after the calendar year of the election. Candidates in FFA-MMDs have their % multiplied by the number of seats in the FFA-MMD. After computing this quantity for both chambers, those two quantities are averaged.

hvd2_winmargin_8yr	1977-2010	Average percent margin (of the total vote) by which winning candidates win (in this election or the elections that were put into the last three calendar years). Average weighted by the number of seats up in each election in the chamber-year. Eight-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: For FFA-MMDs, this is compared to the loser with the largest % of the vote. In FFA-MMDs, this margin is multiplied by the number of seats in the FFA-MMD. After computing this quantity for both chambers, those two quantities are averaged.
hvd3_uncont_8yr	1977-2010	Percent of seats that are uncontested (in this election or the elections that were put into the last three calendar years). Eight-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: This takes under-contested seats in FFA-MMDs into account. For example, a three seat FFA-MMD with two Democrats and three Republicans would contribute '3' to the denominator, and '1' to the numerator of this variable. After computing this quantity for both chambers, those two quantities are averaged.
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hvd1_winper_10yr	1979-2010	Average percent that winning candidates got in this year's election (of the total vote), and in the elections whose values were put in the three calendar years prior to that. Average weighted by the number of seats up in each election in the chamber-year. Ten-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In Politics in the American States, 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: for an even-year, in an even-year election state with all of a chamber's seats up, this would give one-fourth weight to the current election, one-half weight to the last election, and one-fourth weight to the second to last election. For an odd year in such a state, half weight would be given to the election held last year, and half weight would be given to the election before that. WARNING: users can drop the even years in even year states if they don't like the one-fourth/one-half/one-fourth weighting referred to above. For states with four-year election cycles, like Alabama, users might consider only keeping the values from three years after the calendar year of the election. Candidates in FFA-MMDs have their % multiplied by the number of seats in the FFA-MMD. After computing this quantity for both chambers, those two quantities are averaged.

hvd2_winmargin_10yr	1979-2010	Average percent margin (of the total vote) by which winning candidates win (in this election or the elections that were put into the last three calendar years). Average weighted by the number of seats up in each election in the chamber-year. Ten-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In <i>Politics in the American States</i> , 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: For FFA-MMDs, this is compared to the loser with the largest % of the vote. In FFA-MMDs, this margin is multiplied by the number of seats in the FFA-MMD. After computing this quantity for both chambers, those two quantities are averaged.
hvd3_uncont_10yr	1979-2010	Percent of seats that are uncontested (in this election or the elections that were put into the last three calendar years). Ten-year moving average.	Ranney, Austin. 1976. 'Parties in State Politics.' In <i>Politics in the American States</i> , 3rd ed., edited by Herbert Jacob and Kenneth Vines. Boston, MA: Little, Brown & Co. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: This takes under-contested seats in FFA-MMDs into account. For example, a three seat FFA-MMD with two Democrats and three Republicans would contribute '3' to the denominator, and '1' to the numerator of this variable. After computing this quantity for both chambers, those two quantities are averaged.
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hvd_4yr	1973-2010	Measure of electoral competitiveness by Holbrook and Van Dunk that is 100 minus average pct. of votes winning candidate received, average winning margin, average pct. uncontested seats, and average pct. safe seats over 4-year moving average.	Holbrook, Thomas M., and Emily Van Dunk. 'Electoral Competition in the American States.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 87.4 (1993): 955- 62. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: For the Holbrook and Van Dunk data, the data were first worked on with the state-chamber-year as the unit of analysis. Running averages of the four dimensions were created that were weighted by the number of seats up in each chamber (running averages of four, six, eight and ten years). The four dimensions were then averaged (and subtracted from '100') to make the Holbrook and Van Dunk indicator for a chamber-year. The values from the two chambers were then averaged.
hvd_6yr	1975-2010	Measure of electoral competitiveness by Holbrook and Van Dunk that is 100 minus average pct. of votes winning candidate received, average winning margin, average pct. uncontested seats, and average pct. safe seats over 6-year moving average.	Holbrook, Thomas M., and Emily Van Dunk. 'Electoral Competition in the American States.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 87.4 (1993): 955- 62. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: For the Holbrook and Van Dunk data, the data were first worked on with the state-chamber-year as the unit of analysis. Running averages of the four dimensions were created that were weighted by the number of seats up in each chamber (running averages of four, six, eight and ten years). The four dimensions were then averaged (and subtracted from '100') to make the Holbrook and Van Dunk indicator for a chamber-year. The values from the two chambers were then averaged.

hvd_8yr	1977-2010	Measure of electoral competitiveness by Holbrook and Van Dunk that is 100 minus average pct. of votes winning candidate received, average winning margin, average pct. uncontested seats, and average pct. safe seats over 8-year moving average.	Holbrook, Thomas M., and Emily Van Dunk. 'Electoral Competition in the American States.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 87.4 (1993): 955- 62. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: For the Holbrook and Van Dunk data, the data were first worked on with the state-chamber-year as the unit of analysis. Running averages of the four dimensions were created that were weighted by the number of seats up in each chamber (running averages of four, six, eight and ten years). The four dimensions were then averaged (and subtracted from '100') to make the Holbrook and Van Dunk indicator for a chamber-year. The values from the two chambers were then averaged.
hvd_10yr	1979-2010	Measure of electoral competitiveness by Holbrook and Van Dunk that is 100 minus average pct. of votes winning candidate received, average winning margin, average pct. uncontested seats, and average pct. safe seats over 10-year moving average.	Holbrook, Thomas M., and Emily Van Dunk. 'Electoral Competition in the American States.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 87.4 (1993): 955- 62. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1 Notes: For the Holbrook and Van Dunk data, the data were first worked on with the state-chamber-year as the unit of analysis. Running averages of the four dimensions were created that were weighted by the number of seats up in each chamber (running averages of four, six, eight and ten years). The four dimensions were then averaged (and subtracted from '100') to make the Holbrook and Van Dunk indicator for a chamber-year. The values from the two chambers were then averaged.
sf_hvd_4yr	1973-2010	Shufeldt and Flavin's four-year Holbrook and Van Dunk measure. Observed for 391 cases.	Shufeldt, Gregory, and Patrick Flavin. 'Two Distinct Concepts: Party Competition in Government and Electoral Competition in the American States.' <i>State Politics and Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3. (2012):330-342. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
sf_ranney_4yr	1973-2010	Shufeld and Flavin's four-year folded Ranney Index. Observed for 400 cases.	Shufeldt, Gregory, and Patrick Flavin. 'Two Distinct Concepts: Party Competition in Government and Electoral Competition in the American States.' <i>State Politics and Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3. (2012):330-342. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
sf_hvd_8yr	1979-2010	Shufeldt and Flavin's eight-year Holbrook and Van Dunk measure. Observed for 247 cases.	Shufeldt, Gregory, and Patrick Flavin. 'Two Distinct Concepts: Party Competition in Government and Electoral Competition in the American States.' <i>State Politics and Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3. (2012):330-342. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
sf_ranney_8yr	1979-2010	Shufeld and Flavin's eight-year folded Ranney Index. Observed for 200 cases.	Shufeldt, Gregory, and Patrick Flavin. 'Two Distinct Concepts: Party Competition in Government and Electoral Competition in the American States.' <i>State Politics and Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3. (2012):330-342. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
sf_hvd_10yr	1979-2010	Shufeldt and Flavin's ten-year Holbrook and Van Dunk measure. Observed for 148 cases.	Shufeldt, Gregory, and Patrick Flavin. 'Two Distinct Concepts: Party Competition in Government and Electoral Competition in the American States.' <i>State Politics and Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3. (2012):330-342. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1
sf_ranney_10yr	1979-2010	Shufeld and Flavin's ten-year folded Ranney Index. Observed for 150 cases.	Shufeldt, Gregory, and Patrick Flavin. 'Two Distinct Concepts: Party Competition in Government and Electoral Competition in the American States.' <i>State Politics and Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3. (2012):330-342. Klarner, Carl, 2013, 'Other Scholars' Competitiveness Measures', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/QSDYLH , Harvard Dataverse, V1

overall_fin_reg	1992-2012	An overall index measuring level of stringency in campaign finance regulations	Kulesza, Christopher; Witko, Christopher; Waltenburg, Eric, 2015, 'State Campaign Finance Regulatory Stringency Index, 1992-2012', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/NLDUOY , Harvard Dataverse, V1.
disclosure_fin_reg	1992-2012	An index measuring level of stringency in campaign finance disclosure regulation. Coded as the total number of the following provisions enacted: 1) Aggregate expenditure reporting; 2) Aggregate contributions reporting; 3) Itemization of some categories of expenditures; 4) Itemization of some categories of contributions; 5) Itemization of expenditures over \$50; 6) Itemization of contributions over \$50; 7) Requirement of final report within one month of an election; and 8) Requirement of reports on at least a quarterly basis.	Kulesza, Christopher; Witko, Christopher; Waltenburg, Eric, 2015, 'State Campaign Finance Regulatory Stringency Index, 1992-2012', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/NLDUOY , Harvard Dataverse, V1.
public_fin_reg	1992-2012	An index measuring level of public campaign financing and stringency of expenditure limit regulations. Coded as the total number of the following provisions enacted: 1) Total expenditure limit; 2) Check-off on tax return form for contribution to public financing; 3) Independent revenue source for public financing; 4) Public financing of statewide campaigns; 5) Public financing of state legislative campaigns; 6) Public financing of political parties; and 7) Equal distribution of public funds between candidates and parties.	Kulesza, Christopher; Witko, Christopher; Waltenburg, Eric, 2015, 'State Campaign Finance Regulatory Stringency Index, 1992-2012', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/NLDUOY , Harvard Dataverse, V1.
contrib_fin_reg	1992-2012	An index measuring stringency of campaign contribution regulations. Coded as the total number of the following provisions enacted: 1) Contribution limits on individuals; 2) Prohibition of direct corporate contributions; 3) Prohibition of direct labor union contributions; 4) Limits on corporate contributions (direct or PACs); 5) Limits on labor union contributions (direct or PACs); 6) Limits on candidate self-financing; and 7) Limits on candidate family contributions.	Kulesza, Christopher; Witko, Christopher; Waltenburg, Eric, 2015, 'State Campaign Finance Regulatory Stringency Index, 1992-2012', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/NLDUOY , Harvard Dataverse, V1.
indlimit	1992-2010	Does a limit on individual campaign contributions exist? 0 = no, 1 = yes	Kulesza, Christopher; Witko, Christopher; Waltenburg, Eric, 2015, 'State Campaign Finance Regulatory Stringency Index, 1992-2012', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/NLDUOY , Harvard Dataverse, V1.
famlim	1992-2010	Does a limit on family campaign contributions exist? 0 = no, 1 = yes	Kulesza, Christopher; Witko, Christopher; Waltenburg, Eric, 2015, 'State Campaign Finance Regulatory Stringency Index, 1992-2012', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/NLDUOY , Harvard Dataverse, V1.
candlim	1992-2010	Does a limit on self-campaign contributions exist? 0 = no, 1 = yes	Kulesza, Christopher; Witko, Christopher; Waltenburg, Eric, 2015, 'State Campaign Finance Regulatory Stringency Index, 1992-2012', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/NLDUOY , Harvard Dataverse, V1.
corporlimits	1992-2010	Does a limit on corporate campaign contributions exist? 0 = no, 1 = yes	Kulesza, Christopher; Witko, Christopher; Waltenburg, Eric, 2015, 'State Campaign Finance Regulatory Stringency Index, 1992-2012', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/NLDUOY , Harvard Dataverse, V1.

unionlimits	1992-2010	Does a limit on union campaign contributions exist? 0 = no, 1 = yes	Kulesza, Christopher; Witko, Christopher; Waltenburg, Eric, 2015, 'State Campaign Finance Regulatory Stringency Index, 1992-2012', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/NLDUOY , Harvard Dataverse, V1.
oelecsc	2001-2017	State has nonpartisan elections for supreme court? (0 = no, 0.1 = retention only, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
oelectrial	2001-2017	State has nonpartisan elections for trial courts? 0 = none, 0.1 = retention only (at minimum), 0.5 = some (some appointed), 1 = all)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
opartrial	2001-2017	State has partisan elections for trial courts? (0 = none, 0.5 = some, 1 = all)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
opartsc	2001-2017	State has partisan elections for supreme court, including partisan nominating process if no party label on ballot? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tcorconcrow	2002-2016	Limits on corporate contributions to house candidates, per election cycle (0 = prohibited, 'none' = unlimited)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tcorconpraw	2002-2016	Limits on corporate contributions to political parties, per election cycle (0 = prohibited, 'none' = unlimited)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tcorpacraw	2002-2016	Limits on corporate contributions to PACs, per election cycle (0 = prohibited, 'none' = unlimited)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tfullpub	2002-2016	Full public financing for state election campaigns available? (0 = none, 0.1 = trial basis or a few state offices, 1 = all or most state elections)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tindconcrow	2002-2016	Limits on individual contributions to house candidates, per election cycle (0 = prohibited, 'none' = unlimited)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tindconpraw	2002-2016	Limits on individual contributions to political parties, per election cycle (0 = prohibited, 'none' = unlimited)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tindpacraw	2002-2016	Limits on individual contributions to PACs, per election cycle (0 = prohibited, 'none' = unlimited)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tpacconcrow	2002-2016	Maximum available limits on PAC (including super PAC) contributions to house candidates, per election cycle (ignoring expenditure limits) (0 = prohibited, 'none' = unlimited)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tpacconpraw	2002-2016	Maximum available limits on PAC contributions to political parties, per election cycle (0 = prohibited, 'none' = unlimited)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tpartpub	2002-2016	Some public financing for state election campaigns available? (0 = none, 0.1 = trial basis or a few state offices, 1 = all or most state elections)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tpfpps	2002-2016	Some public financing for political parties available? (no tax credits) (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

ttaxadd	2002-2016	Is the source of public funds a voluntary tax add-on only? (does not count check-off states) (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tleges	2002-2014	Bans on contributions during legislative session (0 = none, 0.5 = all donors for certain fundraisers only, 1 = lobbyists only, 1.5 = lobbyists and all donors for certain fundraisers, 2 = all donors)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tcprc	2002-2016	Index of corporate PAC regulation, candidate contributions $tcorpac * tpacconc$	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tcprp	2002-2016	Index of corporate PAC regulation, party contributions $tcorpac * tpacconp / 20$	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tgprc	2002-2016	Index of grassroots PAC regulation, candidate contributions $tindpac * tpacconc$	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tgprp	2002-2016	Index of grassroots PAC regulation, party contributions $tindpac * tpacconp / 20$	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tindconc	2002-2016	Index of individual contributions to candidates $tindconcrow / tpphd * 2005 \text{ price level} / \text{current price level}$ (2 = no limit)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tindconp	2002-2016	Index of individual contributions to parties $tindconpraw / apop * 1000 * 2005 \text{ price level} / \text{current price level}$ (40 = no limit)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tindpac	2002-2016	Index of individual contributions to PACs $tindpacraw / apop * 1000 * 2005 \text{ price level} / \text{current price level}$ (40 = no limit)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tpacconc	2002-2016	Maximum available limits on PAC (including Super PACS) contributions to house candidates, per election cycle (ignoring expenditure limits) (0 = prohibited, 'none' = unlimited) $tpacconcrow / tpphd * 2005 \text{ price level} / \text{current price level}$ (2 = no limit)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tpacconp	2002-2016	Maximum available limits on PAC contributions to political parties, per election cycle (0 = prohibited, 'none' = unlimited) $tpacconpraw / apop * 1000 * 2005 \text{ price level} / \text{current price level}$ (40 = no limit)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tcorconc	2002-2016	Limits on corporate contributions to house candidates, per election cycle (0 = prohibited, 'none' = unlimited) $tcorconcrow / tpphd * 2005 \text{ price level} / \text{current price level}$ (2 = no limit)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tcorconp	2002-2016	Limits on corporate contributions to political parties, per election cycle (0 = prohibited, 'none' = unlimited) $tcorconpraw / apop * 1000 * 2005 \text{ price level} / \text{current price level}$ (40 = no limit)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tcorpac	2002-2016	Limits on corporate contributions to PACs, per election cycle (0 = prohibited, 'none' = unlimited) $tcorpacraw / apop * 1000 * 2005 \text{ price level} / \text{current price level}$ (40 = no limit)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

thd	2000-2016	Number of state house districts	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tpphd	2000-2016	Estimated population divided by number of state house districts $apop / thd$	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
tpubfin	2002-2016	Public financing index ($tfullpub + (0.5 * tpartpub) + (0.5 * tpfpps)$) / $(1 + ttaxadd)$	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gov_contrib	1990-2016	Total contributions for candidates in the state gubernatorial election	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
house_contrib	1990-2016	Total contributions for candidates in the state House or Assembly elections	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
senate_contrib	1990-2016	Total contributions for candidates in the state Senate elections	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
court_contrib	1988-2016	Total contributions for candidates in the state Supreme Court elections	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
ballot_contrib	2002-2016	Total contributions for all ballot measure committees in the state	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
dem_contrib	1996-2016	Total contributions for the state Democratic party	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
rep_contrib	1996-2016	Total contributions for the state Republican party	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
nonindiv_contrib	1989-2016	Total contributions to state candidates from non-individuals (e.g., labor unions, parties and candidates, business, PACs, etc.)	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_to_incumbents	1986-2016	Total contributions to all incumbent candidates running for state offices	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_to_dems	1988-2016	Total contributions to all Democratic candidates running for state offices	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_to_reps	1988-2016	Total contributions to all Republican candidates running for state offices	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_to_thirdparty	1990-2016	Total contributions to all third-party candidates running for state offices	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_agri	1989-2016	Total contributions to state office candidates from contributors in the agricultural sector	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_candidates	1989-2016	Total contributions to state office candidates from other candidates	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_comm_elect	1989-2016	Total contributions to state office candidates from contributors in the communications and electronics sector	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_construction	1989-2016	Total contributions to state office candidates from contributors in the construction sector	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_defense	1990-2016	Total contributions to state office candidates from contributors in the defense sector	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_energy_natures	1989-2016	Total contributions to state office candidates from contributors in the energy and natural resources sector	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org

contrib_gov_ed_ other	1989-2016	Total contributions to state office candidates from contributors in government agencies, education, and other sectors	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_health	1989-2016	Total contributions to state office candidates from contributors in the health sector	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_ideo_sin giss	1989-2016	Total contributions to state office candidates from contributors in the ideological and single-issue sectors	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_labor	1989-2016	Total contributions to state office candidates from contributors in the labor sector	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_lawyer_ lobby	1989-2016	Total contributions to state office candidates from contributors in the lawyer and lobbyist sector	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_transp	1989-2016	Total contributions to state office candidates from contributors in the transportation sector	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_unitemi zed	1989-2016	Total contributions to state office candidates from un-itemized contributors	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_fin_ins _realestate	1989-2016	Total contributions to state office candidates from contributors in the finance, insurance, real estate sector	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_public_ subsidy	1989-2016	Total contributions to state office candidates from public subsidies	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_busines s	1989-2016	Total contributions to state office candidates from contributors in the general business sector	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
contrib_party	1989-2016	Total contributions to state office candidates from political parties	National Institute on Money in Politics. 2016. Helena, Montana. www.followthemoney.org
igdensity	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Measure for the number of interest groups registered within a state.	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' The American Political Science Review 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_ed	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of education interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: school districts, principals associations, unions, libraries, museums	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' The American Political Science Review 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_ag	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of agriculture and fisheries interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: farm organizations, food processors, corp farms, seafood/fishing industry	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' The American Political Science Review 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_bk	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of banking, finance, and real estate interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: banks, credit unions, investment companies, securities, stocks	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' The American Political Science Review 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_in	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of insurance interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: insurance companies (car, life, and home), brokers, associations, underwriters	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' The American Political Science Review 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 15.2 (2015): 263-286.

ig_mf	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of manufacturing interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: producers, manufacturing associations, paper mills, chemical companies, technology	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' The American Political Science Review 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_cons	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of construction and housing interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: construction associations, construction firms, landlord associations, tenant unions	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' The American Political Science Review 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_legal	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of legal practices and courts interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: bar associations, court employees, court services, law firms	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' The American Political Science Review 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_sb	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of small business and retail interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: retail stores and chains, chamber of commerce, retail associations, distributors	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' The American Political Science Review 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_health	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of health care interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: health professionals associations, hospitals and health systems, health insurers and HMOs, mental health, veterinary, pharmacists	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' The American Political Science Review 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_cir	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of civil rights and minority- issues interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: minority groups, gay and lesbian issues, American Indian tribes.	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' The American Political Science Review 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_hotel	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of hotel, restaurant, and liquor interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: hotel associations, restaurant, tourism, liquor distribution	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' The American Political Science Review 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_env	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of environmental and conservation interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: environmental groups, air and water pollution, solid and water districts	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' The American Political Science Review 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_rel	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of religious interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: churches, Catholic conference, denominations, religious-based organizations	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' The American Political Science Review 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_welf	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of social welfare interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: social workers, non- health charities, welfare services, legal aid societies, consumer groups, animal rights, children's services	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' The American Political Science Review 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_resou	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of commercial resource development interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups dedicated to: oil, timber, mining, gold, drilling	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' The American Political Science Review 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 15.2 (2015): 263-286.

ig_gg	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of good governance interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: good government citizen groups, political parties, government reform.	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_women	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of women's issues interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups focusing on issues such as: abortion, equal rights, domestic abuse	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_util	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of utility and energy interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: electric companies, sewer districts, utility regulation.	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_tax	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of tax and government regulation interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: taxpayer groups, homeowners, right to work, tax reform, workers' compensation	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_comm	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of media and communication interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: stations, newspapers, associations of media outlets, broadcasters, internet, publishing	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_tran	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of transportation and transit interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: trucking companies, transit authorities, airlines, railroads	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_igr	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of governmental and intergovernmental relations interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: local government, public employees, government officials, municipal associations, port authorities	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_polf	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of police, fire, EMS, and corrections interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: fire departments, volunteer fire, EMS, correction workers, private security, bail agents	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_sport	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of sports and amusement park interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: attractions, auto clubs, gun groups, sports teams, stadiums, hunting	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_sofb	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of business service interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: payroll, public relations, consulting, advertising, architects, temp agencies	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
ig_mil	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of military and veterans interest groups registered in the state. Includes groups such as: national guard, veterans' groups, legions, VFW, reservists	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.2 (2015): 263-286.

ig_unk	1980, 1990,1997, 1998,1999, 2007	Number of state interest groups registered in 'unknown' category	Gray, Virginia, and David Lowery. 'Interest Group Politics and Economic Growth in the U.S. States.' <i>The American Political Science Review</i> 82.1 (1988): 109-131. Lowery, David, Virginia Gray, and John Cluverius. 'Temporal Change in the Density of State Interest Communities 1980 to 2007.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.2 (2015): 263-286.
christright_inf	2000, 2004	Index measuring the influence of Christian Right interest groups	Conger, Kimberly H. 'A Matter of Context: Christian Right Influence in U.S. State Republican Politics.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 10.3 (2010): 248-269.
union_density	1974-2011	Proportion of (non-agricultural) workforce represented by a union	Kelly, Nathan J., and Christopher Witko. 'Government Ideology and Unemployment in the U.S. States.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 14.4 (2014): 389-413.
bus_ig	2006-2017	The number of businesses engaged in lobbying in each state for each year (see the appendix below for information on how these variables were coded)	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
nonprofit_ig	2006-2017	The number of social service nonprofits engaged in lobbying in each state for each year	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
citizen_ig	2006-2017	The number of citizen groups and public interest groups engaged in lobbying in	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
association_ig	2006-2017	The number of trade or professional associations engaged in lobbying in each state for each year	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
gov_ig	2006-2017	The number of government agencies (and similar entities) engaged in lobbying in each state for each year	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
agriculture_ig	2006-2017	The number of organizations coded as lobbying for agricultural businesses / interests (see the appendix below for more information as to what kinds of businesses / organizations comprise this sector)	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
business_ig	2006-2017	The number of organizations coded as lobbying for general businesses / interests involved with general business, including the service and manufacturing sectors	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
education_ig	2006-2017	The number of organizations coded as lobbying for educational interests (see the appendix)	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
electronics_ig	2006-2017	The number of organizations coded as lobbying for electronic or technological businesses / interests (see the appendix)	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
energy_ig	2006-2017	The number of organizations coded as lobbying for energy and natural resources businesses / interests (see the appendix)	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
entertainment_i g	2006-2017	The number of organizations coded as lobbying for professional entertainment businesses / interests (see the appendix)	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
finance_ig	2006-2017	The number of organizations coded as lobbying for banking, insurance, and investment businesses / interests (see the appendix)	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.

government_ig	2006-2017	The number of organizations coded as lobbying for government agencies and related interests (see the appendix)	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
health_ig	2006-2017	The number of organizations coded as lobbying for medical, health insurance, and related businesses / interests (see the appendix)	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
ideological_ig	2006-2017	The number of organizations coded as lobbying for ideological or public interest causes not clearly associated with another sector (such as the ACLU) (see the appendix)	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
lawyers_ig	2006-2017	The number of organizations coded as lobbying for the legal industry and related interests (see the appendix)	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
leisure_ig	2006-2017	The number of organizations coded as lobbying for the tourism, food, drink, and related businesses / interests (see the appendix)	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
realestate_ig	2006-2017	The number of organizations coded as lobbying for real estate businesses / interests (see the appendix)	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
socialservice_ig	2006-2017	The number of organizations coded as lobbying for social service nonprofits and related interests (see the appendix)	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
transportation_ig	2006-2017	The number of organizations coded as lobbying for transportation businesses / interests (see the appendix)	Holyoke, Thomas T. "Dynamic state interest group systems: A new look with new data." <i>Interest Groups & Advocacy</i> 8, no. 4 (2019): 499-518.
communications_ig	2006-2017	The number of organizations coded as lobbying for communication businesses/interests	Hazell, Jonathon, Juan Herreño, Emi Nakamura, and Jón Steinsson. The slope of the Phillips Curve: evidence from US states. No. w28005. National Bureau of Economic Research, 2020.
construction_ig	2006-2017	The number of organizations coded as lobbying for construction businesses/interests	Hazell, Jonathon, Juan Herreño, Emi Nakamura, and Jón Steinsson. The slope of the Phillips Curve: evidence from US states. No. w28005. National Bureau of Economic Research, 2020.
total_ig	2006-2017	The sum of all organizations in all sectors, effectively being a count of the total number of organizations and businesses lobbying in each state for each year	Hazell, Jonathon, Juan Herreño, Emi Nakamura, and Jón Steinsson. The slope of the Phillips Curve: evidence from US states. No. w28005. National Bureau of Economic Research, 2020.
ig_ig	2006-2017	The number of organizations that are citizen groups, public interest groups, or trade or professional associations engaged in lobbying in each state for each year	Hazell, Jonathon, Juan Herreño, Emi Nakamura, and Jón Steinsson. The slope of the Phillips Curve: evidence from US states. No. w28005. National Bureau of Economic Research, 2020.
InitialCOVI	1996-2020	The cost of voting index value	Li, Quan, Michael J. Pomante, and Scot Schraufnagel. 2018. "Cost of voting in the American states." <i>Election Law Journal: Rules, Politics, and Policy</i> 17(3): 234-247. https://sites.google.com/view/michaeljpomante/cost-of-voting-index?fbclid=IwAR2DHCyTKBbYC_zbAe6m0uIQrj6_Y4r8ARHTEN_OW3MGBnaNI-4
InitialRank	1996-2020	the interval measure of the original index values. This ranking allows for comparison of a state across election years. Lower numbers indicate a lower cost and higher numbers indicate a higher cost	Li, Quan, Michael J. Pomante, and Scot Schraufnagel. 2018. "Cost of voting in the American states." <i>Election Law Journal: Rules, Politics, and Policy</i> 17(3): 234-247. https://sites.google.com/view/michaeljpomante/cost-of-voting-index?fbclid=IwAR2DHCyTKBbYC_zbAe6m0uIQrj6_Y4r8ARHTEN_OW3MGBnaNI-4

FinalCOVI	1996-2020	Modification of the calculation of earlier measures (1996-2016) to include some new policy considerations included in the 2020 Index. These revised COVI values are based on considerations not included in the original Election Law Journal publication (2018). The Final COVI values are improved.	Li, Quan, Michael J. Pomante, and Scot Schraufnagel. 2018. "Cost of voting in the American states." <i>Election Law Journal: Rules, Politics, and Policy</i> 17(3): 234-247. https://sites.google.com/view/michaeljpomante/cost-of-voting-index?fbclid=IwAR2DHCyTKBbYC_zbAe6m0uIQrj6_Y4r8ARHTEN_OW3MGBnaNI-4
FinalRank	1996-2020	Ranking of states, in each election cycle, based on the revised COVI values.	Li, Quan, Michael J. Pomante, and Scot Schraufnagel. 2018. "Cost of voting in the American states." <i>Election Law Journal: Rules, Politics, and Policy</i> 17(3): 234-247. https://sites.google.com/view/michaeljpomante/cost-of-voting-index?fbclid=IwAR2DHCyTKBbYC_zbAe6m0uIQrj6_Y4r8ARHTEN_OW3MGBnaNI-4
COVIDCOVI	2020	The adoption of temporary election policies for the 2020 election cycle that took place during the COVID-19 pandemic	Li, Quan, Michael J. Pomante, and Scot Schraufnagel. 2018. "Cost of voting in the American states." <i>Election Law Journal: Rules, Politics, and Policy</i> 17(3): 234-247. https://sites.google.com/view/michaeljpomante/cost-of-voting-index?fbclid=IwAR2DHCyTKBbYC_zbAe6m0uIQrj6_Y4r8ARHTEN_OW3MGBnaNI-4
COVIDRank	2020	Ranking of states for the 2020 election based on the COVIDCOVI values.	Li, Quan, Michael J. Pomante, and Scot Schraufnagel. 2018. "Cost of voting in the American states." <i>Election Law Journal: Rules, Politics, and Policy</i> 17(3): 234-247. https://sites.google.com/view/michaeljpomante/cost-of-voting-index?fbclid=IwAR2DHCyTKBbYC_zbAe6m0uIQrj6_Y4r8ARHTEN_OW3MGBnaNI-4

Policy-Ideology Variables

Variable	Years	Description	Source(s) and Notes
avgec_low	2000	Mean economic liberalism score for low income citizens	Rigby, Elizabeth, and Gerald C. Wright. 'Political Parties and Representation of the Poor in the American States.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 57.3 (2013): 552-565.
avgec_mid	2000	Mean economic liberalism score for middle income citizens	Rigby, Elizabeth, and Gerald C. Wright. 'Political Parties and Representation of the Poor in the American States.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 57.3 (2013): 552-565.
avgec_high	2000	Mean economic liberalism score for high income citizens	Rigby, Elizabeth, and Gerald C. Wright. 'Political Parties and Representation of the Poor in the American States.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 57.3 (2013): 552-565.
avgsoc_low	2000	Mean social liberalism score for low income citizens	Rigby, Elizabeth, and Gerald C. Wright. 'Political Parties and Representation of the Poor in the American States.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 57.3 (2013): 552-565.
avgsoc_mid	2000	Mean social liberalism score for middle income citizens	Rigby, Elizabeth, and Gerald C. Wright. 'Political Parties and Representation of the Poor in the American States.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 57.3 (2013): 552-565.
vavgec_low	2000	Mean economic liberalism score for low income voting citizens	Rigby, Elizabeth, and Gerald C. Wright. 'Political Parties and Representation of the Poor in the American States.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 57.3 (2013): 552-565.
vavgec_mid	2000	Mean economic liberalism score for middle income voting citizens	Rigby, Elizabeth, and Gerald C. Wright. 'Political Parties and Representation of the Poor in the American States.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 57.3 (2013): 552-565.
vavgec_high	2000	Mean economic liberalism score for high income voting citizens	Rigby, Elizabeth, and Gerald C. Wright. 'Political Parties and Representation of the Poor in the American States.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 57.3 (2013): 552-565.
vavgsoc_low	2000	Mean social liberalism score for low income voting citizens	Rigby, Elizabeth, and Gerald C. Wright. 'Political Parties and Representation of the Poor in the American States.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 57.3 (2013): 552-565.
vavgsoc_mid	2000	Mean social liberalism score for middle income voting citizens	Rigby, Elizabeth, and Gerald C. Wright. 'Political Parties and Representation of the Poor in the American States.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 57.3 (2013): 552-565.
vavgsoc_high	2000	Mean social liberalism score for high income voting citizens	Rigby, Elizabeth, and Gerald C. Wright. 'Political Parties and Representation of the Poor in the American States.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 57.3 (2013): 552-565.
st_ec	2000	Mean mass economic liberalism score	Rigby, Elizabeth, and Gerald C. Wright. 'Political Parties and Representation of the Poor in the American States.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 57.3 (2013): 552-565.
st_soc	2000	Mean mass social liberalism score	Rigby, Elizabeth, and Gerald C. Wright. 'Political Parties and Representation of the Poor in the American States.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 57.3 (2013): 552-565.
vst_ec	2000	Mean economic liberalism score for voting citizens	Rigby, Elizabeth, and Gerald C. Wright. 'Political Parties and Representation of the Poor in the American States.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 57.3 (2013): 552-565.
vst_soc	2000	Mean social liberalism score for voting citizens	Rigby, Elizabeth, and Gerald C. Wright. 'Political Parties and Representation of the Poor in the American States.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 57.3 (2013): 552-565.
pollib_lower	1936-2014	A yearly measure of the policy liberalism of states, based on a dynamic latent-variable model of 148 policies collected over time (lower bounds)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
pollib_upper	1936-2014	A yearly measure of the policy liberalism of states, based on a dynamic latent-variable model of 148 policies collected over time (upper bounds)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB

pollib_median	1936-2014	A yearly measure of the policy liberalism of states, based on a dynamic latent-variable model of 148 policies collected over time (median)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
pollib_sd	1936-2014	A yearly measure of the policy liberalism of states, based on a dynamic latent-variable model of 148 policies collected over time (standard deviation)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
innovatescore_b oehmkeskinner	1913-2010	Policy Innovativeness Score (i.e., the adoption of new policies sooner than other states) for each state for each year, based on 180 policies passed at the state level from 1913-2010. A higher score indicates a state is more innovative. Coverage for Alaska and Hawaii begin after 1959.	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
policyprioritys core	1982-2005	A yearly score for each state which summarizes the degree to which that state's governmental spending is devoted to policies that provide collective goods (e.g., education and highways) rather than particularized benefits (e.g., health care and welfare) Notes: Values are set to a mean of zero; units are proportions; the difference between any two values shows the difference in spending allocated to collective goods	Jacoby, William G., and Sandra K. Schneider. 'A New Measure of Policy Spending Priorities in the American States.' <i>Political Analysis</i> 17.1 (2008): 1-24.
know_gov	2007	Percent of population who can correctly name their governor.	Jaeger, William P., Jeffrey Lyons, and Jennifer Wolak. 'Political Knowledge and Policy Representation in the States.' <i>American Politics Research</i> 45.6 (2017): 907-938. Source: Pew Research Center. 2007. 'Public Knowledge of Current Affairs Little Changed by News and Information Revolutions.'
know_govparty	2006-2007	Percent of population who can correctly name the party of their governor.	Jaeger, William P., Jeffrey Lyons, and Jennifer Wolak. 'Political Knowledge and Policy Representation in the States.' <i>American Politics Research</i> 45.6 (2017): 907-938. Source: Cooperative Congressional Election Study. https://cces.gov.harvard.edu
partisan_knowle dge_scale	2007	Number of items correct on the Cooperative Congressional Election Study's partisan knowledge scale	Jaeger, William P., Jeffrey Lyons, and Jennifer Wolak. 'Political Knowledge and Policy Representation in the States.' <i>American Politics Research</i> 45.6 (2017): 907-938. Source: Cooperative Congressional Election Study. https://cces.gov.harvard.edu
soc_capital	1986-2009	Hawes et al.'s measure of social capital	Hawes, Daniel P., Rene Rocha, and Kenneth Meier. 'Social Capital in the 50 States: Measuring State-Level Social Capital, 1986-2004.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 13.1 (2013): 121-138.
soc_capital_ma	1984-2011	Hawes et al.'s weighted moving average measure of social capital	Hawes, Daniel P., Rene Rocha, and Kenneth Meier. 'Social Capital in the 50 States: Measuring State-Level Social Capital, 1986-2004.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 13.1 (2013): 121-138.
state_culture	1966	Elazar's state political culture classification (1 = moralistic; 2 = individualistic; 3 = traditionalistic)	Elazar, Daniel J. 1966. <i>American Federalism: A View from the States</i> . New York: Thomas Y. Crowell Company.
fpvi	2000-2014	Cook Partisan Voter Index, state-level measure (+D, used for imputing land- use regulation, linearly interpolated between elections)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

citi6013	1960-2013	Measure of citizen ideology, from liberal to conservative. Higher values indicate more liberal.	Berry, William D., Evan J. Ringquist, Richard C. Fording, and Russell L. Hanson. 'Measuring Citizen and Government Ideology in the American States, 1960-93.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 42.1 (1998): 327- 348.
pid	1976-2011	Yearly measure giving the proportion of Democratic identifiers minus the proportion of Republican identifiers in each state. A positive score indicates a more Democratic state citizenry	Erikson, Robert S., Gerald C. Wright, and John P. McIver. 1993. <i>Statehouse Democracy: Public Opinion, and Policy in the American States</i> . New York: Cambridge University Press. Data link: http://php.indiana.edu/~wright1/
wpid	1976-2011	Weighted yearly measure giving the proportion of Democratic identifiers minus the proportion of Republican identifiers in each state. A positive score indicates a more Democratic state citizenry	Erikson, Robert S., Gerald C. Wright, and John P. McIver. 1993. <i>Statehouse Democracy: Public Opinion, and Policy in the American States</i> . New York: Cambridge University Press. Data link: http://php.indiana.edu/~wright1/
npid	1976-2011	Number of respondents within a state- year used to create the proportion of partisan identifiers.	Erikson, Robert S., Gerald C. Wright, and John P. McIver. 1993. <i>Statehouse Democracy: Public Opinion, and Policy in the American States</i> . New York: Cambridge University Press. Data link: http://php.indiana.edu/~wright1/
ideo	1976-2011	Yearly measure giving the proportion of liberal identifiers minus the proportion of conservative identifiers in each state. A positive score indicates a more liberal state citizenry	Erikson, Robert S., Gerald C. Wright, and John P. McIver. 1993. <i>Statehouse Democracy: Public Opinion, and Policy in the American States</i> . New York: Cambridge University Press. Data link: http://php.indiana.edu/~wright1/
wideo	1976-2011	Weighted yearly measure giving the proportion of liberal identifiers minus the proportion of conservative identifiers in each state. A positive score indicates a more liberal state citizenry	Erikson, Robert S., Gerald C. Wright, and John P. McIver. 1993. <i>Statehouse Democracy: Public Opinion, and Policy in the American States</i> . New York: Cambridge University Press. Data link: http://php.indiana.edu/~wright1/
mood	1956-2010	An over-time, state-level measure of Stimson's (1999) policy mood	Enns, Peter K., and Julianna Koch. 'Public Opinion in the U.S. States: 1956 to 2010.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 13.3 (2013): 349-372.
democrat	1956-2010	An over-time measure of the percent of Democratic identifiers in each state	Enns, Peter K., and Julianna Koch. 'Public Opinion in the U.S. States: 1956 to 2010.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 13.3 (2013): 349-372.
republican	1956-2010	An over-time measure of the percent of Republican identifiers in each state	Enns, Peter K., and Julianna Koch. 'Public Opinion in the U.S. States: 1956 to 2010.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 13.3 (2013): 349-372.
liberal	1976-2010	An over-time measure of the percent who identify as political liberals in each state	Enns, Peter K., and Julianna Koch. 'Public Opinion in the U.S. States: 1956 to 2010.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 13.3 (2013): 349-372.
conservative	1976-2010	An over-time measure of the percent who identify as political conservatives in each state	Enns, Peter K., and Julianna Koch. 'Public Opinion in the U.S. States: 1956 to 2010.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 13.3 (2013): 349-372.
extraversion	2008	Mean score of state personality trait: extraversion (1-5 scale)	Rentfrow, P.J., S.D. Gosling, and J. Potter. 'A Theory of the Emergence, Persistence, and Expression of Geographic Variation in Psychological Characteristics.' <i>Perspectives on Psychological Science</i> 3.5 (2008): 339-369.
agreeableness	2008	Mean score of state personality trait: agreeableness (1-5 scale)	Rentfrow, P.J., S.D. Gosling, and J. Potter. 'A Theory of the Emergence, Persistence, and Expression of Geographic Variation in Psychological Characteristics.' <i>Perspectives on Psychological Science</i> 3.5 (2008): 339-369.
conscientiousne ss	2008	Mean score of state personality trait: conscientiousness (1-5 scale)	Rentfrow, P.J., S.D. Gosling, and J. Potter. 'A Theory of the Emergence, Persistence, and Expression of Geographic Variation in Psychological Characteristics.' <i>Perspectives on Psychological Science</i> 3.5 (2008): 339-369.
neuroticism	2008	Mean score of state personality trait: neuroticism (1-5 scale)	Rentfrow, P.J., S.D. Gosling, and J. Potter. 'A Theory of the Emergence, Persistence, and Expression of Geographic Variation in Psychological Characteristics.' <i>Perspectives on Psychological Science</i> 3.5 (2008): 339-369.
openness	2008	Mean score of state personality trait: openness (1-5 scale)	Rentfrow, P.J., S.D. Gosling, and J. Potter. 'A Theory of the Emergence, Persistence, and Expression of Geographic Variation in Psychological Characteristics.' <i>Perspectives on Psychological Science</i> 3.5 (2008): 339-369.

extraversion_sd	2008	Standard deviation of scores of state extraversion	Rentfrow, P.J., S.D. Gosling, and J. Potter. 'A Theory of the Emergence, Persistence, and Expression of Geographic Variation in Psychological Characteristics.' <i>Perspectives on Psychological Science</i> 3.5 (2008): 339-369.
agreeableness_sd	2008	Standard deviation of scores of state agreeableness	Rentfrow, P.J., S.D. Gosling, and J. Potter. 'A Theory of the Emergence, Persistence, and Expression of Geographic Variation in Psychological Characteristics.' <i>Perspectives on Psychological Science</i> 3.5 (2008): 339-369.
conscientiousness_sd	2008	Standard deviation of scores of state conscientiousness	Rentfrow, P.J., S.D. Gosling, and J. Potter. 'A Theory of the Emergence, Persistence, and Expression of Geographic Variation in Psychological Characteristics.' <i>Perspectives on Psychological Science</i> 3.5 (2008): 339-369.
neuroticism_sd	2008	Standard deviation of scores of state neuroticism	Rentfrow, P.J., S.D. Gosling, and J. Potter. 'A Theory of the Emergence, Persistence, and Expression of Geographic Variation in Psychological Characteristics.' <i>Perspectives on Psychological Science</i> 3.5 (2008): 339-369.
openness_sd	2008	Standard deviation of scores of state openness	Rentfrow, P.J., S.D. Gosling, and J. Potter. 'A Theory of the Emergence, Persistence, and Expression of Geographic Variation in Psychological Characteristics.' <i>Perspectives on Psychological Science</i> 3.5 (2008): 339-369.
pro_environment	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'too little' on the environment (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
anti_environment	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'too much' on the environment (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
neutral_environment	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'about the right amount' on the environment (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
pro_aid	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'too little' on foreign aid (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
anti_aid	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'too much' on foreign aid (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
neutral_aid	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'about the right amount' on foreign aid (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.

pro_defense	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'too little' on defense (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
anti_defense	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'too much' on defense (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
neutral_defense	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'about the right amount' on defense (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
pro_education	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'too little' on education (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
anti_education	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'too much' on education (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
neutral_education	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'about the right amount' on education (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
pro_welfare	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'too little' on welfare for the poor (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
anti_welfare	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'too much' on welfare for the poor (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.

neutral_welfare	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'about the right amount' on welfare for the poor (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
pro_health	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'too little' on health (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
anti_health	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'too much' on health (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
neutral_health	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'about the right amount' on health (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
pro_race	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'too little' on assistance to blacks (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
anti_race	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'too much' on assistance to blacks (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
neutral_race	1973-2012	Estimated proportion of citizenry who believe we are spending 'about the right amount' on assistance to blacks (note: proportion for state-year is estimated by national sample from the General Social Survey and multilevel regression and post-stratification)	Kim, Sung Eun, and Johannes Urpelainen. 'Environmental Public Opinion in U.S. States, 1973-2012.' <i>Environmental Politics</i> 27.1 (2017): 89-114.
avgsoc_high	2000	Mean social liberalism score for middle income citizens	Rigby, Elizabeth, and Gerald C. Wright. 'Political Parties and Representation of the Poor in the American States.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> 57.3 (2013): 552-565.
masseconlib_est	1936-2014	Estimate of mass economic liberalism of state residents. Constructed using a series of public opinion survey questions regarding taxes, social welfare, and labor regulation. Measure is weighted by the proportion of Democratic, Republican, and Independent identifiers	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2018. "Policy preferences and policy change: Dynamic responsiveness in the American states, 1936–2014." <i>American Political Science Review</i> . 112(2): 249-266.

masssociallib_e st	1936-2014	Estimate of mass social liberalism of state residents. Constructed using a series of public opinion survey questions regarding alcohol, abortion, gay rights, women's rights, school prayer, and cultural (but not racial) issues. Measure is weighted by the proportion of Democratic, Republican, and Independent identifiers	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2018. "Policy preferences and policy change: Dynamic responsiveness in the American states, 1936–2014." <i>American Political Science Review</i> . 112(2): 249-266.
polycysociallib_est	1936-2014	Estimate of social policy liberalism of state residents. Constructed using a series of public opinion survey questions regarding alcohol, abortion, gay rights, women's rights, school prayer, and cultural (but not racial) issues. Measure is weighted by the proportion of Democratic, Republican, and Independent identifiers	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2018. "Policy preferences and policy change: Dynamic responsiveness in the American states, 1936–2014." <i>American Political Science Review</i> . 112(2): 249-266.
policyeconlib_e st	1936-2014	Estimate of economic policy liberalism of state residents. Constructed using a series of public opinion survey questions regarding alcohol, abortion, gay rights, women's rights, school prayer, and cultural (but not racial) issues. Measure is weighted by the proportion of Democratic, Republican, and Independent identifiers	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2018. "Policy preferences and policy change: Dynamic responsiveness in the American states, 1936–2014." <i>American Political Science Review</i> . 112(2): 249-266.
policyeconlib_s e	1936-2014	SE of policyeconlib_est (estimate of economic policy liberalism of state residents)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2018. "Policy preferences and policy change: Dynamic responsiveness in the American states, 1936–2014." <i>American Political Science Review</i> . 112(2): 249-266.
masssociallib_s e	1936-2014	SE of masssociallib_est (estimate of mass social liberalism of state residents)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2018. "Policy preferences and policy change: Dynamic responsiveness in the American states, 1936–2014." <i>American Political Science Review</i> . 112(2): 249-266.
masseconlib_se	1936-2014	SE of masseconlib_est (estimate of mass economic liberalism of state residents)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2018. "Policy preferences and policy change: Dynamic responsiveness in the American states, 1936–2014." <i>American Political Science Review</i> . 112(2): 249-266.
polycysociallib_se	1936-2014	SE of polycysociallib_est (estimate of social policy liberalism of state residents)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2018. "Policy preferences and policy change: Dynamic responsiveness in the American states, 1936–2014." <i>American Political Science Review</i> . 112(2): 249-266.
dempid_est	1936-2014	Estimated proportion of Democratic identifiers in the public	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2018. "Policy preferences and policy change: Dynamic responsiveness in the American states, 1936–2014." <i>American Political Science Review</i> . 112(2): 249-266.
dempid_se	1936-2014	SE of dempid_se (estimated proportion of Democratic identifiers in the public)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2018. "Policy preferences and policy change: Dynamic responsiveness in the American states, 1936–2014." <i>American Political Science Review</i> . 112(2): 249-266.
reppid_est	1936-2014	Estimated proportion of Republican identifiers in the public	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2018. "Policy preferences and policy change: Dynamic responsiveness in the American states, 1936–2014." <i>American Political Science Review</i> . 112(2): 249-266.
reppid_se	1936-2014	SE of reppid_est (estimated proportion of Republican identifiers in the public)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2018. "Policy preferences and policy change: Dynamic responsiveness in the American states, 1936–2014." <i>American Political Science Review</i> . 112(2): 249-266.

Criminal Justice Variables

Variable	Years	Description	Source(s) and Notes
amber	1999-2004	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American states.' <i>American Political Science Review</i> 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
antishack	1999-2005	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' <i>American Political Science Review</i> 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
antistalk	1990-1995	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' <i>American Political Science Review</i> 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
bootcamp	1982-1999	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' <i>American Political Science Review</i> 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
cpban	1974-2003	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' <i>American Political Science Review</i> 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
crimeviccomp	1965-1992	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' <i>American Political Science Review</i> 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
deathpen	1972-1995	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' <i>American Political Science Review</i> 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
dnafelon	2000-2004	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' <i>American Political Science Review</i> 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

dnaforexon	1997-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' American Political Science Review 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
furlough	1967-1997	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' American Political Science Review 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
hazing	1969-2004	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' American Political Science Review 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
meganslaw	1990-1999	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' American Political Science Review 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
cctheft	1961-1999	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' American Political Science Review 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
childabuse	1963-1967	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' American Political Science Review 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
compcrime	1978-2000	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' American Political Science Review 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
humantraffic	2003-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' American Political Science Review 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

insanity	1975-1998	This variable was originally in long format, and it indicated the year of adoption by each state. It was reshaped to wide format and now indicates with 0 the years that the policy has not been adopted and with 1 the years that the policy has been adopted in each state.	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' American Political Science Review 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
comsrv12	1982-2005	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
damagereduce	1984-1995	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
discovery_of_electronically_stor	2009-2011	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
arbitration_act_1956	1968-1987	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
arbitration_act_2000	2001-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
attendance_of_out_of_state_witness	1931-1977	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
audio_visual_deposition	1980-1984	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
certification_of_questions_of_law	1970-1993	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

child_abduction_prevention	2007-2015	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
child_custody_jurisdiction_and_e	1970-2002	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
child_witness_testimony_by_alter_er	2003-2011	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
class_actions	1977-1980	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
collaborative_law_act	2010-2017	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
collateral_consequences_of_conviction	2014	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
conflicts_of_laws_limitations	1983-2006	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
correction_or_classification_of_d	1995-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
declaratory_judgments_act	1922-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
electronic_legal_material_act	2012-2016	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
electronic_recognition_of_custody	2011-2014	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

electronic_transactions_act	1999-2009	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
enforcement_of_foreign_judgments	1953-1997	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
extradition_and_rendition_act_m	1985	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
insanity_defense_and_post_trial	1985	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_depositions_and_discovery	2008-2016	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_enforcement_of_domestic	2001-2016	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
law_on_notarial_acts_revised	2011-2017	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
mandatory_disposition_of_detainees	1959-1980	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
mediation_act	2003-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
model_mandatory_disposition_of_d	1968-1975	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
money_services_act	2001-2016	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

notarial_acts_1982	1983-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
periodic_payments_of_judgments_act	1986	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
post_conviction_procedure_act_m	1970	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
power_of_attorney	2007-2017	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
prevention_of_and_remedies_for_h	2014-2015	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
recognition_and_enforcement_of_c	2016-2017	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
recognition_of_substitute_decisions	2015-2016	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
rules_of_evidence_1974	1975-1980	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
status_of_convicted_persons_act_t	1968-1970	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
statutory_form_power_of_attorney	1991-2006	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
unsworn_declarations_act	2017	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

unsworn_foreign _declarations_a ct	2002-2017	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
victims_of_crim e_act_model	1995	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
aboldeapen	1900-1969	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
animcruel	1900-2003	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
broadcom	1990-1997	Did state adopt state law requiring broad community notification of sex offenders? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
cappun	1972-1982	Did state adopt capital punishment? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
childabu	1963-1967	Did state adopt child abuse reporting legislation? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
civinjaut	1998-2001	Did state adopt civil injunction authority? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
correct	1970-1991	Did state adopt strategic planning for corrections? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
crtadm	1937-1965	Did state adopt court administrators? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
cyberstalk	1998-2001	Did state adopt cyberstalking definition and penalty? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
harass	1998-2001	Did state adopt harassment crime? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
hatecrime	1978- 1994,1978- 2003	Did state adopt state hate crime laws? (0 = no, 1 = yes) 0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329. Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' <i>American Political Science Review</i> 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

idtheft	1996-2001,1996-2006	Did state adopt ID theft protection? (0 = no, 1 = yes) 0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329. Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' <i>American Political Science Review</i> 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
indorgris	1994-1997	Did state adopt state law requiring notification to individuals/organizations at risk (sex offender policy)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
juvct	1900-1959	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
juvisup	1951-1966	Did state adopt juveniles supervision compact? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
parolesup	1931-1985	Did state adopt parolees/probationers supervision? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
postdna	1997-2005	Did state adopt post-conviction DNA motions? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
sexreginfo	1991-1997	Did state adopt access to sex offender registries? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
shield	1935-2009	Did state adopt protections against compelling reporters to disclose sources in court? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
stalkdef	1998-2001	Did state adopt stalking definition and penalty? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
statrapage	1950-1998	Did state adopt age span provisions for statutory rape? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
strikes	1993-1995	Did state adopt felony sentencing guidelines for three strikes? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
viccomp	1965-1988	Did state adopt victims' compensation? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
vicrtsamd	1982-1999	Did state adopt a victims' rights constitutional amendment? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
death_penalty	1936-2014	Has the state abolished the death penalty? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_animal_cruelty_felony	1936-2014	Has the state made aggravated animal cruelty a first- or second-offense felony? (0 = no; 1 = there is a felony charge after repeated incidents; 2 = there is a felony charge on the first incident of animal abuse/cruelty/torture)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB

regulation_hate_crimes	1981-2014	Are hate crimes explicitly illegal in the state? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
regulation_boehmke_shield	1936-2013	Does the state have a Shield Law protecting reporters from revealing their sources? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
regulation_pain_suffering_limits	1975-2012	Are there limits on damages for pain and suffering in lawsuits? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
guncontrol_standard_your_ground	1993-2014	Does the state have a 'stand your ground' law? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
antibully	1999-2015	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Mallinson, Daniel J. 'Building a better speed trap: Measuring policy adoption speed in the American states.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 16.1 (2016): 98-120. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
standground	1994-2011	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Mallinson, Daniel J. 'Building a better speed trap: Measuring policy adoption speed in the American states.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 16.1 (2016): 98-120. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
child_pornography	1974-2001	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Makse, Todd, and Craig Volden. 'The role of policy attributes in the diffusion of innovations.' The Journal of Politics 73.1 (2011): 108-124. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
hate_crimes	1978-2002	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Makse, Todd, and Craig Volden. 'The role of policy attributes in the diffusion of innovations.' The Journal of Politics 73.1 (2011): 108-124. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
retail_theft	1973-2000	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Makse, Todd, and Craig Volden. 'The role of policy attributes in the diffusion of innovations.' The Journal of Politics 73.1 (2011): 108-124. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
stalking	1990-1998	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Makse, Todd, and Craig Volden. 'The role of policy attributes in the diffusion of innovations.' The Journal of Politics 73.1 (2011): 108-124. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

victim_notification	1979-2001	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Makse, Todd, and Craig Volden. 'The role of policy attributes in the diffusion of innovations.' <i>The Journal of Politics</i> 73.1 (2011): 108-124. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
ddna	2000-2016	Police may take DNA samples from arrestees? (2 = all felony arrestees, 1.5 = all felony arrestees plus probable cause hearing before analysis/sample taking, 1 = certain felony arrestees, 0.5 = certain felony arrestees analysis/sampling after probable cause hearing/indictment, 0 = no; +0.25 if can take from some misdemeanants)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dprost	1957-2016	Prostitution legalization local option? (0 = no, 0.5 = independent practice only, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ohell	2003-2017	State contains a judicial hellhole? (0 = no, 0.5 = watch list, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ojsl	2001-2016	Joint and several liability abolished? (0 = no, 0.5 = for personal injury/wrongful death only or exceptions for hazardous waste, drunk driving, medical/pharmaceutical, willful/wanton conduct of one defendant, or acting as employee, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
oliabrck	2001-2017	Ranking of state liability systems: 'SCORE' (see source: U.S. Chamber Institute for Legal Reform, 2006 State Liability Systems Ranking Study; higher scores indicate less tortious systems)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
oliabimp	2001-2016	Mean imputed values for state tort system score (oliabrck) (imputation conducted using Amelia II package in R 3.4)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
oliabma	2001-2016	Smoothed, three-year moving average of imputed state tort system score	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ocases	2012-2015	Statewide civil incoming caseloads per 100,000 population	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
olawyers	2001-2015	Lawyer concentration (residuals of OLS autocorrelation-adjusted regression of oraacpc on ogdp, ogdppc, ogdpfn, ogdphc, ogdpman, and year fixed effects)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
oraacpc	2001-2016	Resident active attorney count per 100 residents (oraacraw / apop * 100)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
oraacraw	2001-2016	Resident active attorney count (as of 12/31 of the prior year)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
otorts	2008	Tort suits per 100,000 residents	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

opunburd	2001-2016	Evidence standard of reckless/outrageous/malicious conduct for punitive damages? (0 = preponderance, 1 = clear and convincing, 2 = beyond reasonable doubt, 3 = no punitive damages)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
opuncap	2001-2016	Blanket punitive or noneconomic damages cap? (0 = no, 1 = yes, 2 = all punitive damages prohibited)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rdeath	2000-2016	Does the state have the death penalty? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
carthefttrate	1960-2014	Estimated motor vehicle theft rate by state: the theft or attempted theft of a motor vehicle. A motor vehicle is self-propelled and runs on land surface and not on rails. Motorboats, construction equipment, airplanes, and farming equipment are specifically excluded from this category.	U.S. Department of Justice, Uniform Crime Reporting Statistics - UCR Data Online. 'Estimated motor vehicle theft rate by state.' https://www.ucrdatatool.gov/Search/Crime/State/TrendsInOneVar.cfm . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online). Notes: v
carthefttotal	1960-2014	Estimated motor vehicle theft total by state: the theft or attempted theft of a motor vehicle. A motor vehicle is self-propelled and runs on land surface and not on rails. Motorboats, construction equipment, airplanes, and farming equipment are specifically excluded from this category.	U.S. Department of Justice, Uniform Crime Reporting Statistics - UCR Data Online. 'Estimated motor vehicle theft total by state.' https://www.ucrdatatool.gov/Search/Crime/State/TrendsInOneVar.cfm . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Notes: vi
murdertrate	1960-2014	Estimated murder rate by state. Murder and non-negligent manslaughter: the willful (non-negligent) killing of one human being by another. Deaths caused by negligence, attempts to kill, assaults to kill, suicides, and accidental deaths are excluded.	U.S. Department of Justice, Uniform Crime Reporting Statistics. 'Estimated Murder and Non-negligent Manslaughter Rate.' https://www.ucrdatatool.gov/Search/Crime/State/TrendsInOneVar.cfm . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Notes: The Program classifies justifiable homicides separately and limits the definition to: (1) the killing of a felon by a law enforcement officer in the line of duty; or (2) the killing of a felon, during the commission of a felony, by a private citizen. b.) Manslaughter by negligence: the killing of another person through gross negligence. Deaths of persons due to their own negligence, accidental deaths not resulting from gross negligence, and traffic fatalities are not included in the category Manslaughter by negligence. vii
murdertotal	1960-2014	Estimated murder total by state. Murder and non-negligent manslaughter: the willful (non-negligent) killing of one human being by another. Deaths caused by negligence, attempts to kill, assaults to kill, suicides, and accidental deaths are excluded.	U.S. Department of Justice, Uniform Crime Reporting Statistics. 'Estimated Murder and Non-negligent Manslaughter Totals.' https://www.ucrdatatool.gov/Search/Crime/State/TrendsInOneVar.cfm . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Notes: The Program classifies justifiable homicides separately and limits the definition to: (1) the killing of a felon by a law enforcement officer in the line of duty; or (2) the killing of a felon, during the commission of a felony, by a private citizen. b.) Manslaughter by negligence: the killing of another person through gross negligence. Deaths of persons due to their own negligence, accidental deaths not resulting from gross negligence, and traffic fatalities are not included in the category Manslaughter by negligence. viii

propcrimerate	1960-2014	Estimated property crime rate by state. Larceny-theft (except motor vehicle theft): the unlawful taking, carrying, leading, or riding away of property from the possession or constructive possession of another. Examples are thefts of bicycles, motor vehicle parts and accessories, shoplifting, pocket-picking, or the stealing of any property or article that is not taken by force and violence or by fraud. Attempted larcenies are included. Embezzlement, confidence games, forgery, check fraud, etc., are excluded.	U.S. Department of Justice, Uniform Crime Reporting Statistics - UCR Data Online. 'Estimated property crime rate by state.' https://www.ucrdatatool.gov/Search/Crime/State/TrendsInOneVar.cfm Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Notes:ix
propcrimetotal	1960-2014	Estimated property crime total by state. Larceny-theft (except motor vehicle theft): the unlawful taking, carrying, leading, or riding away of property from the possession or constructive possession of another. Examples are thefts of bicycles, motor vehicle parts and accessories, shoplifting, pocket-picking, or the stealing of any property or article that is not taken by force and violence or by fraud. Attempted larcenies are included. Embezzlement, confidence games, forgery, check fraud, etc., are excluded.	U.S. Department of Justice, Uniform Crime Reporting Statistics - UCR Data Online. 'Estimated property crime total by state.' https://www.ucrdatatool.gov/Search/Crime/State/TrendsInOneVar.cfm Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Notes:x
raperate	1960-2014	Estimated rape rate by state. Data for this time period are based on the UCR's old/legacy definition of rape ('forcible rape': the carnal knowledge of a female forcibly and against her will). Rapes by force and attempts or assaults to rape, regardless of the age of the victim, are included. Statutory offenses (no force used-victim under age of consent) are excluded.	U.S. Department of Justice, Uniform Crime Reporting Statistics - UCR Data Online. 'Estimated Forcible Rape Rate.' https://www.ucrdatatool.gov/Search/Crime/State/TrendsInOneVar.cfm Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Notes:xi
rapetotal	1960-2014	Estimated rape total by state. Data for this time period are based on the UCR's old/legacy definition of rape ('forcible rape': the carnal knowledge of a female forcibly and against her will). Rapes by force and attempts or assaults to rape, regardless of the age of the victim, are included. Statutory offenses (no force used-victim under age of consent) are excluded.	U.S. Department of Justice, Uniform Crime Reporting Statistics - UCR Data Online. 'Estimated Forcible Rape Total.' https://www.ucrdatatool.gov/Search/Crime/State/TrendsInOneVar.cfm Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Notes:xii
robtrate	1960-2014	Estimated robbery rate by state. Definition: the taking or attempting to take anything of value from the care, custody, or control of a person or persons by force or threat of force or violence and/or by putting the victim in fear. Number of robbery offenses per 100,000 people.	Federal Bureau of Investigation, Uniform Crime Reports. 'Estimated robberies per 100,000 people.' https://www.ucrdatatool.gov/Search/Crime/State/TrendsInOneVar.cfm Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)

vcrimrate	1960-2014	Estimated violent crime rate by state. Violent crimes include murder and nonnegligent manslaughter, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault.	U.S. Department of Justice, Uniform Crime Reporting Statistics - UCR Data Online. 'Estimated Violent Crime Rate.' https://www.ucrdatatool.gov/Search/Crime/State/TrendsInOneVar.cfm Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Notes: National or state offense totals are based on data from all reporting agencies and estimates for unreported areas. See source organization for state-specific notes.
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ocourts	2003-2015	Index of plaintiff-friendly civil liability systems (first principal component of oliabma, olawyers, ohell, olegal, opartsc, opatrial, opuncap, opunburd, ojssl), calculated with Stata 13.1	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ocourts2	2001-2015	Alternative index of plaintiff-friendly civil liability systems (first principal component of oliabma, olawyers, olegal, opartsc, opatrial, opuncap, opunburd, ojssl), calculated with Stata 13.1	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rarrests	2000-2016	Over-18 victimless crimes arrests as percentage of all arrests (sum of rweapa, rprosta, rgamba, rliquora, rloita)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rarrestsi	2000-2016	Linearly interpolated and carried back values of 'rarrests' (over-18 victimless crimes arrests as a share of all over-18 arrests)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rdrenrat	2000-2014	Drug enforcement rate = rdrugs / ruse (3-year moving average for 2004- 2012), multiplied by 100	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rdrenrati	2000-2016	Linearly interpolated and imputed based on 'rdrugs' values of 'rdrenrat' (drug enforcement rate)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rdrugs	2000-2016	Arrests, 18 and over, for drug abuse violations, divided by population	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rdrugsa	2000-2016	Arrests, 18 and over, for drug abuse violations, divided by all arrests, 18 and over	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rescsrc	2004-2016	Relative prevalence of 'escort' search term on Google, 2004-2015	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rgamb	2000-2016	Arrests, 18 and over, for gambling, divided by population	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rgamba	2000-2016	Arrests, 18 and over, for gambling, divided by arrests, 18 and over	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rincarc	2000-2015	Imprisonment rates of sentenced prisoners under jurisdiction of state and federal correctional authorities, year- end (over 1-year sentence, per 100,000 residents)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

rincarc	2000-2015	Residuals of OLS regression of $\ln(\text{rincarc})$ on $\ln(\text{rviol})$, $\ln(\text{rprop})$ with unit and year fixed effects, calculated with Stata 15-fixed effects not included in predicted values	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rliquor	2000-2016	Arrests, 18 and over, for liquor law violations, divided by population	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rliquora	2000-2016	Arrests, 18 and over, for liquor law violations, divided by arrests, 18 and over	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rloit	2000-2016	Arrests, all ages, for curfew and loitering law violations, divided by population	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rloita	2000-2016	Arrests, all ages, for curfew and loitering law violations, divided by arrests, 18 and over	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rphone	2014-2017	Prison collect phone call rate for 15 min. (in-state)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rprenrat	2004-2016	Prostitution enforcement rate ($\text{rprost} * 100 / \text{resrcr}$)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rprop	2000-2016	Property crime rate per 100,000 residents	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rprost	2000-2016	Arrests, 18 and over, for prostitution and commercialized vice violations, divided by population	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rprosta	2000-2016	Arrests, 18 and over, for prostitution and commercialized vice violations, divided by all arrests, 18 and over	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ruse	2000-2014	Past month use of any illicit drug (percentages)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rvcarrst	2000-2016	Over-18 victimless crimes arrests as percentage of population (sum of rweap , rprost , rgamb , rliquor , rloit)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rvcarrsti	2000-2016	Linearly interpolated and carried-back values of 'rvcarrst' (over-18 victimless crimes arrests as a share of population)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rviol	2000-2016	Violent crime rate per 100,000 residents	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rweap	2000-2016	Arrests, 18 and over, for carrying or possession of weapons, divided by population	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rweapa	2000-2016	Arrests, 18 and over, for carrying or possession of weapons divided by all arrests, 18 and over	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ddna2	2000-2016	DNA database index, some arrestees without probable cause hearing (= ddna if $\text{ddna} > 0.75$, otherwise = 0)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gunbckcheck	1999-2017	Number of firearm background checks conducted by the National Instant Criminal Background Check System per year by state. Data for 2012 are only January-September.	U.S. Federal Bureau of Investigation. 2012. 'NICS Firearm Background Checks.' https://www.fbi.gov/file-repository/nics_firearm_checks_-_year_by_state_type.pdf/view Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)

scovmar	2000-2016	Covenant marriage option (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
sblctest	2000-2016	Blood test required (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
scuzmar	2000-2016	Cousin marriage legal (0 = first cousin marriage prohibited, 0.5 = legal under certain circumstances, 1 = first cousin marriage legal)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
slwp	2000-2016	Waiting period between applying for and receiving license, in days	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
slwp2	2000-2016	Waiting period between receipt of license and ability to marry	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
swait	2000-2016	Total waiting period (slwp + slwp2)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
adoption_act_1953_1969	1971-1977	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
adoption_act_1994	1996	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
adult_guardianship_and_protectiv	2008-2016	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
deployed_parents_custody_and_vis	2013-2016	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
disposition_of_community_prope	1973-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
guardianship_and_protective_pro	1987-2009	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_family_support_act_1	1993-1998	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
interstate_family_support_act_2	2002-2007	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

interstate_fam ily_support_act_ am	2009-2016	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
marital_propert y_act	1984	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
marriage_and_di vorce_act_model	1973-1978	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
parentage_act	2001-2015	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
parentage_act_1 973	1975-1989	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
premarital_agre ement_act	1985-2007	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
premarital_and_ marital_agreeme nt	2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
reciprocal_enfo rcement_of_supp or	1968-1990	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
veterans_guardi anship_act_1942	1942-1953	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
grandvist	1964-1987	Did state adopt grandparents' visitation rights? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
genderrights_no fault_divorce	1966-2014	Does the state have a no-fault divorce policy? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
regulation_boeh mke_grandvist	1964-1987	Does the state have a law guaranteeing grandparents' visitation rights? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB

divorcerate	1975-2004	Provisional counts of divorces by state of occurrence per 1,000 total population. Data for 1996 are unavailable.	National Center for Health Statistics. 'Divorce Rates by State.' http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/products/nvsr.htm . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
zerotolerancela wbac	1980-2010	Blood alcohol concentration limits for underage drivers (21 years and younger) of motor vehicles when there was a zero tolerance law in effect	Silver & Macinko (2013), from Wagenaar et al. (2001) and Hingson et al. (1994) Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 Wagenaar, A., P. O'Malley, and C. LaFond. 2001. "Lowered legal blood alcohol limits for young drivers: effects on drinking, driving, and driving-after-drinking behaviors in 30 states." American Journal of Public Health. 91(5): 801-804.
drunken	1991-2009	Number of drunkenness arrests	Silver & Macinko (2013), from Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Statewide Availability Data System II: 1933 - 2003, 2004, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Prevention Research Center: Berkeley, CA. Federal Bureau of Investigation, Uniform Crime Reports. Available at: http://www.fbi.gov/ucr/ucr.htm , various years: Washington, DC.
liqlaws	1991-2009	Number of liquor law arrests	Silver & Macinko (2013), from Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Statewide Availability Data System II: 1933 - 2003, 2004, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Prevention Research Center: Berkeley, CA. Federal Bureau of Investigation, Uniform Crime Reports. Available at: http://www.fbi.gov/ucr/ucr.htm , various years: Washington, DC.

Education Variables

Variable	Years	Description	Source(s) and Notes
ccb	1989-2006	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations?' Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
cent	1985-2005	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations?' Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
dev_s1	1988-2009	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations?' Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
dev_s10	1988-2009	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations?' Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
dev_s2	1996-2009	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations?' Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
dev_s3	2006-2009	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations?' Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
dev_s4	1978-2009	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations?' Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
dev_s5	1997-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations?' Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
dev_s6	2004-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations?' Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

dev_s7	1989-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations'? Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
dev_s8	1996-2006	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations'? Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
dev_s9	1996-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations'? Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
dual_enroll	1976-2005	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations'? Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
inst_tu_und	2001-2009	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations'? Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
inst_tu_vet	2006-2009	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations'? Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
collegesavings	1988-2002	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations'? Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
eminent scholar	1983-2007	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations'? Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
governance_reform	1985-2001	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations'? Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
meritaid	1993-2005	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Lacy, T. Austin, and David A. Tandberg. 'Rethinking policy diffusion: The interstate spread of 'finance innovations'? Research in Higher Education 55.7 (2014): 627-649. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

arts	1936-1980	Did state adopt a council on the arts? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
chartersch	1991-1996	Did state adopt charter schools? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
education	1970-1991	Did state adopt strategic planning for education? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
edutv	1951-1966	Did state adopt educational television? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
hsexit	1976-1999	Did state adopt high school exit exams? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
schoolchoi	1987-1992	Did state adopt school choice? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
teacelm	1930-1957	Did state adopt teacher certification (elementary)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
athlete_agents_act	2001-2010	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
athlete_agents_act_2015	2016-2017	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
minor_student_capacity_to_borrow	1970-1973	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
echart	2000-2016	Charter schools law? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ecsalb	2000-2016	Compulsory school age, lower bound (minimum standard if set by local school district; age at which parental waivers not permitted)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ecsaub	2000-2016	Compulsory school age, upper bound (minimum standard if set by local school district; age at which parental waivers not permitted)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ecsyr	2000-2016	Compulsory school years (ecsaub - ecsalb)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
eevol	2000-2016	Law permitting public school teachers to teach 'weaknesses of evolution' (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
effg	2006-2016	Friedman Foundation grade of state regulations of private schools	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ehscurr	2000-2016	Required subjects/curriculum for homeschooled? (0 = none, 1 = subjects required, 2 = curriculum subject to approval/review)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

ehslaw	2000-2016	Homeschooling explicitly permitted by statute? (0 = no, must use alternative options, 1= yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ehsnote	2000-2016	Extent of homeschooling notice required 0 = none; 1 = only basic identifying or attendance info must be submitted; 1.5 = curriculum and similar info must be submitted only once; 2 = curriculum, qualifications, or other info must be submitted)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ehsnotf	2000-2016	Frequency of homeschooling notice required (0 = never, 1 = once, 2 = annually, 3 = more than annually)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ehsnoti	2000-2016	Homeschooling notification index (ehsnotf * ehsnote)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ehsrkr	2000-2016	Extent of homeschool recordkeeping requirements (0 = none, 1 = attendance, 2 = teaching materials/record of instruction/progress reports)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ehsst	2000-2016	Standardized testing or other official evaluation required? (0 = none, 1 = periodic, 2 = annual or annual in high school and periodic in other grades)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ehstq	2000-2016	Teacher qualifications required? (0 = some homeschooling options do not require teaching qualifications, 1 = some qualifications required under all homeschooling options)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ekind	2000-2016	Kindergarten attendance required? (0 = no, 1 = half-day, 2 = full day)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
emap	2000-2016	Mandatory state approval, where state has discretion, licensing, or accreditation of private schools? (0 = no, 0.5 = yes, with broad exemptions, 1= yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
emlpst	2000-2016	Mandatory state licensure of private school teachers? (0 = no, 0.5 = yes, with broad exemptions, 1= yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
emrps	2000-2016	Mandatory registration or licensing of private schools? (0 = no, 0.5 = yes, with broad exemptions, 1= yes) (note: if approval is required, registration is also coded as being required)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
epsc	2000-2016	Public school choice (0 = no mandatory open enrollment laws; .1 = inter or intra only under special circumstances; .5 = inter or intra for low-performing schools or other substantial qualifications; 1 = intradistrict mandatory; 1.5 = intradistrict mandatory or interdistrict for substantial populations; 2 = interdistrict mandatory)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

epscurr	2000-2016	Extent of private school curriculum control 0 = none, 1 = general (subjects), 2 = detailed (content specified or approved by state) (note: If examinations are required prior to graduation, this is considered a form of detailed curriculum control)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
etcd	2000-2016	Tax credit/deduction law for scholarship contributions or educational expenses of parents? (0 = none, 1 = for special needs only or otherwise very limited eligibility, OR credit 50% or less of donation, or low cap on credit; 2= broad eligibility for receipt OR contribution)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
evouch	2000-2016	Publicly funded voucher law? 0 = no; 0.5 = yes, but limited to students with disabilities; 1 = yes, but limited to low-income families in poor school districts or to towns/counties that choose to tuition out or ESA limited to students with disabilities; 2 = yes, statewide, & includes families up to 185% of federal poverty guidelines or limited eligibility ESA; 3 = ESA with wide eligibility	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
education_corporal_punishment_ba	1970-2014	Does the state ban corporal punishment in schools? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
education_librarysystem	1980-1948	State library system (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
education_schoolfordeaf	1936-1950	School for deaf (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
education_teacher_cert_elementar	1936-1969	In what year does the state require elementary school teachers to hold a degree?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
education_teacher_cert_hs	1936-1963	In what year does the state require high school teachers to hold a degree?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_education_bibleading	1936-2013	Does the state allow the Ten Commandments to be posted in educational institutions? (0 = no; 1 = the state has a policy permitting the Ten Commandments to be displayed on state/public property; 2 = the law mandates it is posted in a public institution/school)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB

w_education_moment_of_silence	1957-2014	Does the state have a mandatory moment of silence period at the beginning of each school day? (0 = no; 1 = a period for reflection or prayer at the beginning of each day is permissible; 2 = state has a mandatory period for reflection or prayer at the beginning of each day)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
z_education_expeditures_per_pup	1936-2009	What is the per capita spending on public education per pupil based on daily average attendance?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
z_education_higher_edu_spending	1988-2013	What is the per student subsidy for higher education?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
meritstateadmin	1993-2002	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Doyle, William R. 'Adoption of merit-based student grant programs: An event history analysis.' Educational evaluation and policy analysis 28.3 (2006): 259-285. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
universalprek	1995-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Curran, F. Chris. 'Expanding downward: Innovation, diffusion, and state policy adoptions of universal preschool.' Education Policy Analysis Archives/Archivos Analiticos de Politicas Educativas 23 (2015). Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
educspend	1975-2001	Total spending on elementary and secondary education in thousands of current dollars	Digest of Education Statistics. 'Current expenditures for public elementary and secondary education, by state or jurisdiction: Selected years, 1969-70 through 2007-08.' http://nces.ed.gov/programs/digest/d10/tables/dt10_185.asp Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online)
edtotalexpend	1989-2009	Total dollars spent on educational expenditures, including state support expenditures for private school students and interest on long-term debt	National Center for Education Statistics. 'Total Expenditures (State-Fin.)' https://nces.ed.gov/ccd/elsi/ Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online)
enrollstudents	1987-2010	The total number of students in a state who are enrolled in public school	National Center for Education Statistics. 'Total Students (State)'. https://nces.ed.gov/ccd/elsi/ Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online)
edinstruct_pct_expend	1987-2009	The percentage of current educational expenditures that is spent on instruction. Instruction expenditures are for services and materials directly related to classroom instruction and the interaction between teachers and students. Year recorded is the start of the school year, so 1987 is for the school year 1987-1988.	National Center for Education Statistics. 'Instruction as Percentage of Current Expenditures (State-Fin.)' https://nces.ed.gov/ccd/elsi/ Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online)

edinstruct_expend_pstud	1986-2008	Dollars spent on instruction per student enrolled (as of fall semester). Instruction expenditures are for services and materials directly related to classroom instruction and the interaction between teachers and students. Year recorded is the start of the school year, so 1986 is for the school year 1986-1987.	National Center for Education Statistics. 'Instruction Expenditures Per Student (State-Fin.):' https://nces.ed.gov/ccd/elsi/ Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online)
edattendrate	1986-2009	Average daily attendance as defined by state law or as defined by NCES divided by the total number of students in a state who are enrolled in public school. Year recorded is the start of the school year, so 1986 is for the school year 1986-1987.	National Center for Education Statistics. 'Average Daily Attendance (State- Fin.); Total Students (State):' https://nces.ed.gov/ccd/elsi/ Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online)
edayattendrate	1986-2009	Average daily attendance as defined by state law or as defined by NCES Raw Score. Year recorded is the start of the school year, so 1986 is for the school year 1986-1987.	National Center for Education Statistics. 'Average Daily Attendance (State- Fin.); Total Students (State):' https://nces.ed.gov/ccd/elsi/ Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online)
eddropoutrate	2001-2009	The count of grade dropouts divided by the enrollment base for the grade, 9th- 12th grade.	National Center for Education Statistics. 'Total Dropout Rate - 9 - 12th grade (State):' https://nces.ed.gov/ccd/elsi/ Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online)
grad_rate	2001-2007	Averaged freshman graduation rate of public high school students	National Center for Education Statistics. 'Averaged freshman graduation rates of public high school students and change in rates, by state: School years 2001-02 through 2007-08.'
hsdiploma	1975-2006	Raw percent; measures percent of population that has a high school diploma or higher (National Center for Education Statistics, State Comparisons of Education Statistics). This is a cross sectional variable reflecting the 1990 decennial census.	Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online)
pupilteachratio	1987-2010	Pupils enrolled per teacher	National Center for Education Statistics. 'Pupil/Teacher Ratio (State):' https://nces.ed.gov/ccd/elsi/ Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online)
mathscore4th	1992-2011	Composite scale score on mathematics portion of National Assessment of Educational Progress exam. Not all years between 1992-2011 have scores.	National Center for Education Statistics. 'Mathematics - 4th Grade - Composite Scale.' https://nces.ed.gov/ccd/elsi/ Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online)
readscore4th	1992-2011	Composite scale score on reading portion of National Assessment of Educational Progress exam. Not all years between 1992-2011 have scores.	National Center for Education Statistics. 'Reading - 4th Grade - Composite Scale.' https://nces.ed.gov/ccd/elsi/ Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. www.stateminder.org (no longer accessible online)
twoyear_tuition	2004-2016	Average in-district tuition and fees for a 2-year institution	College Board. 'Trends in Higher Education.' Annual Survey of Colleges https://nces.ed.gov/
fouryear_tuition	2004-2016	Average in-state tuition and fees for a 4-year institution	College Board. 'Trends in Higher Education.' Annual Survey of Colleges https://nces.ed.gov/
enroll_age	1979-2010	the age by which a child must enroll in school	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
drop_age	1979-2010	the earliest age at which a child is allowed to drop out of school	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
req_sch	1979-2010	the number of years of schooling that a child must obtain before dropping out	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.

CA	1979-2010	$= \max\{\text{req_sch}, \text{drop_age} - \text{enroll_age}\}$	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
work_age	1979-2010	the earliest age at which a child can get a permit to work during normal school hours	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
work_sch	1979-2010	the number of years of schooling required before a child may get a permit to work during normal school hours	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
CL	1979-2010	$= \max\{\text{work_sch}, \text{work_age} - \text{enroll_age}\}$	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
CA_source	1979-2010	The "source" variables indicate the section of the state code in which the relevant variables (e.g., enroll_age or work_sch) are specified	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
CL_source	1979-2010	The "source" variables indicate the section of the state code in which the relevant variables (e.g., enroll_age or work_sch) are specified	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
CA_notes	1979-2010	The "notes" variables contain further information that is relevant to the coding of laws for particular state-years	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
CL_notes	1979-2010	The "notes" variables contain further information that is relevant to the coding of laws for particular state-years	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
enrollment	1899, 1909; odd-numbered years from 1915 through 1937; 1938; odd-numbered years from 1939-57; 1962, 1963, 1965-2010	the number of students enrolled in public primary and secondary schools in each state-year. These data are from various editions of the Biennial Survey of Education, the Biennial Digest of Education, and the Digest of Education Statistics. The specific source for any given state-year is reported in enrollmentSource.	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
higherEdEnrollment	1899-1900, 1909-10, 1919-20, 1928-30, 1932, 1934, 1936, 1938-40, 1942, 1947-53, 1955-72, 1974-97, 1999-2000, 2004-06	the number of state residents enrolled in higher-education institutions. The data are from various editions of the U.S. Statistical Abstract and from reports of the National Center for Education Statistics. The specific source for any given state-year is reported in higherEdEnrollmentSource.	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.

instructionalStaffSalaries	odd-numbered years from 1917 through 1959; 1962, 1963, 1965, 1967-74, 1977-81, 1983-89, 1991-2000	reports the mean salaries of instructional staff in primary- and secondary-school teachers. Most instructional staff are teachers, but the category includes "supervisors [and] principals," too. See Snyder and Hoffman 1995, Digest of Education Statistics 1995, National Center for Education Statistics, U.S. Department of Education, page 87. The data are from various editions of the Biennial Survey of Education in the United States and the Digest of Educational Statistics	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
numberOfTeachers	odd-numbered years from 1917 through 1959; 1962, 1963, 1965-2010	the number of teachers in public primary and secondary schools in each state-year. These data are from various editions of the Biennial Survey of Education, the Biennial Digest of Education, and the Digest of Educational Statistics. The specific source for any given state-year is reported in numberOfTeachersSource	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
teacherSalaries	1957, 1962, 1965, 1969, 1979, 1981, 1983-2005, 2009-11	reports the mean salaries of primary- and secondary-school teachers. The data are from various editions of the Biennial Survey of Education in the United States and the Digest of Educational Statistics.	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
higherEdEnrollmentSource	decadal years from 1900-2010	Source of the higherEdEnrollment variable	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
teacherSalariesSource	decadal years from 1900-2010	Source of the teacherSalaries variable	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
numberOfTeachersSource	decadal years from 1900-2010	Source of the numberOfTeachers variable	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
enrollmentSource	decadal years from 1900-2010	Source of the enrollment variable	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
instructionalStaffSalariesSource	decadal years from 1900-2010	Source of the instructionalStaffSalaries variable	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
resent_score	1988, 1990, 1992, 1994, 2000, 2004, 2008, 2012, and 2016.	Racial resentment score (0 to 1 scale) generated using ANES survey data	Smith et al. (2019) using ANES data Smith, Candis Watts, Rebecca J. Kreitzer, and Feiya Suo. 2020. "The dynamics of racial resentment across the 50 US states." <i>Perspectives on Politics</i> 18(2): 527-538. American National Election Studies, University of Michigan, and Stanford University. 2017. ANES 2016 Time Series Study. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor]. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR36824.v2

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Variable	Years	Description	Source(s) and Notes
apology	1986-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Mallinson, Daniel J. 'Building a better speed trap: Measuring policy adoption speed in the American states.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 16.1 (2016): 98-120. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
autism	1999-2012	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Mallinson, Daniel J. 'Building a better speed trap: Measuring policy adoption speed in the American states.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 16.1 (2016): 98-120. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
breastdensity	2009-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Mallinson, Daniel J. 'Building a better speed trap: Measuring policy adoption speed in the American states.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 16.1 (2016): 98-120. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
newbornheartscreen	2011-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Mallinson, Daniel J. 'Building a better speed trap: Measuring policy adoption speed in the American states.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 16.1 (2016): 98-120. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
aging	1974-1991	Did state adopt strategic planning for aging? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
banfaninc	1996-2001	Did state adopt a ban on financial incentives for doctors to perform less costly procedures/prescribe less costly drugs? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
bangag	1975-1996	Did state adopt a prohibition on agreements that limit a doctor's ability to inform patients of all treatment options? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
colcanscr	1991-2007	Did state adopt colorectal cancer screening? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
comage	1945-2003	Did state adopt a committee on the aged? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
famcap	1992-1998	Did state adopt family cap exemptions? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
health	1985-1991	Did state adopt strategic planning for health services? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
higissue	1990-1994	Did state adopt guaranteed issue of health insurance? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
higrenew	1990-1995	Did state adopt guaranteed renewal of health insurance? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
hiport	1990-1995	Did state adopt health insurance portability? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.

hiprecon	1990-1994	Did state adopt health insurance preexisting conditions limits? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
hmomod1	1973-1988	Did state adopt health maintenance organization model act (first)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
hmomod2	1989-1995	Did state adopt health maintenance organization model act (second)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
infanthear	1990-2008	Did state adopt newborn hearing screening? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
kinship	1998-2006	Did state adopt a kinship care program? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
manclin	1994-2008	Did state adopt mandated coverage of clinical trials? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
mntlhlth	1955-1987	Did state adopt a mental health standards committee? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
mothpen	1911-1931	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
msas	1993-1997	Did state adopt medical savings accounts? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
pdrugmon	1940-1999	Did state adopt prescription drug monitoring? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
rightdie	1976-1988	Did state adopt right to die legislation? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
sdce	1994-2008	Did state adopt dependent coverage expansion insurance for young adults? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
snrpresc	1975-2001	Did state adopt senior prescription drugs? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
anatomical_gift _1968	1970-1971	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
anatomical_gift _act_1987	1988-2003	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
anatomical_gift _act_2006	2007-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
rights_of_the_t erminally_ill_a ct	1985-1992	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

determination_of_death_act	1981-2014	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
durable_power_of_attorney	1980-2009	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
duties_to_persons_with_medical_i	1973-1978	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
health_care_decisions_act	1995-2005	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
health_care_information_act	1987-1991	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
status_of_child_ren_of_assisted_c	1989-1989	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
dpas	2000-2016	Physician-assisted suicide legalized? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dtrans	2000-2016	Statewide trans-fat ban in restaurants? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hbfp	2000-2010	Bans on financial incentives to providers to withhold covered care? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hhrhip	2000-2016	High-risk health insurance pool? (0 = no; 0.1 = yes, but not open to new enrollees and numbers less than 1000; 0.5 = only for portability; 1 = yes or state high risk reinsurance plan)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hirr	2000-2016	Individual rate review (0 = file and use or no review, 0.5 = prior approval for only some products/companies, 1 = prior approval or strict MLR requirement)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hlhpmid	2000-2010	Licensing of health plan medical directors (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbalc	2000-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: alcoholism/substance abuse? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbalz	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: Alzheimer's? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

hmbas	2000-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: Ambulatory surgery? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmspec	2000-2010	Mandates direct access to providers? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hsgrr	2000-2016	Small-group rate review (0 = file and use or no review, 0.5 = prior approval for only some products/companies, 1 = prior approval)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hsrp	2000-2010	Standing referrals to specialists mandated? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hcsf	2000-2014	COBRA continuation coverage expanded to firms with less than twenty employees? (0 = no, 0.5 = employers have option of continuation or conversion, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hgccrl	2000-2010	Mandatory group conversion coverage rating limits for small firm employees (0 = no, 0.1 = only in very limited cases, 0.5 = only for some policies, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hgccsf	2000-2010	Mandatory group conversion coverage for small firm employees? 0 = no; 0.1 = conversion mandated only in case of divorce or dependents aging off plan; 0.5 = a broad class of insurers is exempted (e.g., HMOs or non-HMOs); 0.9 = choice between continuation and conversion coverage is allowed but one is mandated; 1 = yes	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hgii	2000-2016	Individual market guaranteed issue? 0 = no; 1 = some products/individuals/companies (insurer of last resort); 2 = all products	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hgiself	2000-2016	Guaranteed issue of health plans for self-employed or groups of one? (0 = no, 1 = yes) (after PPACA, which *prohibits* group-of-one plans: 1)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hindgii	2000-2016	Nongroup guaranteed issue: hgiself + hgii	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hierb	2000-2016	Individual health insurance: elimination riders banned? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
himand	2000-2016	Individual health insurance mandate? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hirate	2000-2016	Individual market rate restrictions (0 = none; 0.5 = other rating bands; 1 = age or health rating bands; 1.5 = rate bands plus premium caps for high risk pool policies; 2 = adjusted community rating; 2.5 = community rating with exceptions for some plans; 3 = pure community rating)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmer	2000-2016	Mandated external review for certain types of grievances? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

hmfree	2000-2016	Mandate-free' or 'mandate-light' health insurance policies permitted? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hsgrate	2000-2016	Small group health insurance market rate restrictions (0 = no rating restrictions, 1 = rate bands, 2 =adjusted community rating, 3 = pure community rating)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
nlabel	2000-2016	Mandatory labeling law? (0 = none, 0.1 = GMOs, 0.05 = GMOs, but only takes effect with other states, 1 = all potential carcinogens)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
boehmke_snrpres c	1975-2001	Does the state provide pharmaceutical coverage or assistance for seniors who do not qualify for Medicaid? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
regulation_forc ed_sterilization s	1945-1974	Does the state have a forced sterilization program? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
regulation_phys ician_suicide	1998-2014	Does the state allow physician-assisted suicide? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
imitcontsub	1962-1999	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' <i>American Political Science Review</i> 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
nurse_reg	2013	Scope of practice regulations by state (American Association of Nurse Practitioners classification) 1 = restricted practice; 2 = reduced practice; 3 = full practice	Perloff, Jennifer, Sean Clarke, Catherine M. DesRoches, Monica O'Reilly- Jacob, and Peter Buerhaus. 2017. 'Association of State-Level Restrictions in Nurse Practitioner Scope of Practice With the Quality of Primary Care Provided to Medicare Beneficiaries.' <i>Medical Care Research and Review</i> https://doi.org/10.1177/1077558717732402 .
universal_healt h_care	1988-1994	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Gray, Virginia, David Lowery, James Monogan, and Erik K. Godwin. 'Incrementing toward nowhere: Universal health care coverage in the states.' <i>Publius: The Journal of Federalism</i> 40.1 (2009): 82-113. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
popgovhealthins	1999-2011	Number of people, in thousands, that have government health insurance. Government health insurance includes plans funded by governments at the federal, state, or local level. People as of March of the following year. The major categories of government health insurance are Medicare, Medicaid, the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP), military health care, state-specific plans, and Indian Health Service (IHS).	United States Census Bureau. 'Table HIB-4. Health Insurance Coverage Status and Type of Coverage by State All People: 1999 to 2011.' Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Notes: The monthly CPS collects primarily labor force data about the civilian noninstitutionalized population living in the United States. Interviewers ask questions concerning labor force participation about each member 15 years old and over in sample households. People as of March of the following year. This survey's estimation procedure adjusts weighted sample results to agree with independently derived population estimates of the civilian noninstitutionalized population of the United States and each state (including the District of Columbia).

popnohealthins	1999-2011	Numbers of people, in thousands, with no health insurance. They report not having either private insurance provided through an employer, union, or purchased from a private insurance company, or government insurance funded at the state, federal, or local level. People as of March of the following year.	United States Census Bureau. 'Table HIB-4. Health Insurance Coverage Status and Type of Coverage by State All People: 1999 to 2011.' Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Notes: The monthly CPS collects primarily labor force data about the civilian noninstitutionalized population living in the United States. Interviewers ask questions concerning labor force participation about each member 15 years old and over in sample households. This survey's estimation procedure adjusts weighted sample results to agree with independently derived population estimates of the civilian noninstitutionalized population of the United States and each state (including the District of Columbia).
popprivhealthins	1999-2011	Numbers of people, in thousands, with private health insurance. Private health insurance is coverage by a health plan provided through an employer or union or purchased by an individual from a private health insurance company. People as of March of the following year.	United States Census Bureau. 'Table HIB-4. Health Insurance Coverage Status and Type of Coverage by State All People: 1999 to 2011.' Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Notes: The monthly CPS collects primarily labor force data about the civilian noninstitutionalized population living in the United States. Interviewers ask questions concerning labor force participation about each member 15 years old and over in sample households. This survey's estimation procedure adjusts weighted sample results to agree with independently derived population estimates of the civilian noninstitutionalized population of the United States and each state (including the District of Columbia).
employer_tot_pct	2008-2017	State's total percentage of adults with employer-sponsored health insurance coverage	Kaiser Family Foundation, State Health Facts: https://www.kff.org/private-insurance/state-indicator/rate-by-gender-2/?currentTimeframe=0&sortModel=%7B%22colId%22:%22Location%22,%22sort%22:%22asc%22%7D
employer_female_pct	2008-2017	State's total percentage of women with employer-sponsored health insurance coverage	Kaiser Family Foundation, State Health Facts: https://www.kff.org/private-insurance/state-indicator/rate-by-gender-2/?currentTimeframe=0&sortModel=%7B%22colId%22:%22Location%22,%22sort%22:%22asc%22%7D
uninsured_tot_pct	2008-2017	State's total percentage of adults with no health insurance coverage	Kaiser Family Foundation, State Health Facts: https://www.kff.org/uninsured/state-indicator/rate-by-gender/?currentTimeframe=0&sortModel=%7B%22colId%22:%22Location%22,%22sort%22:%22asc%22%7D
uninsured_female_pct	2008-2017	State's total percentage of women with no health insurance coverage	Kaiser Family Foundation, State Health Facts: https://www.kff.org/uninsured/state-indicator/rate-by-gender/?currentTimeframe=0&sortModel=%7B%22colId%22:%22Location%22,%22sort%22:%22asc%22%7D
medicaid_tot_pct	2008-2017	State's total percentage of adults with health insurance coverage from Medicaid	Kaiser Family Foundation, State Health Facts: https://www.kff.org/medicaid/state-indicator/rate-by-gender-3/?currentTimeframe=0&sortModel=%7B%22colId%22:%22Location%22,%22sort%22:%22asc%22%7D
medicaid_female_pct	2008-2017	State's total percentage of women with health insurance coverage from Medicaid	Kaiser Family Foundation, State Health Facts: https://www.kff.org/medicaid/state-indicator/rate-by-gender-3/?currentTimeframe=0&sortModel=%7B%22colId%22:%22Location%22,%22sort%22:%22asc%22%7D
med_enroll_adult	2011	Number of Medicaid enrollees in the adult enrollment group	Kaiser Family Foundation. 'Distribution of Medicaid Enrollees by Enrollment Group.'
med_enroll_aged	2011	Number of Medicaid enrollees in the aged enrollment group	Kaiser Family Foundation. 'Distribution of Medicaid Enrollees by Enrollment Group.'
med_enroll_child	2011	Number of Medicaid enrollees in the children enrollment group	Kaiser Family Foundation. 'Distribution of Medicaid Enrollees by Enrollment Group.'
med_enroll_disability	2011	Number of Medicaid enrollees in the disability enrollment group	Kaiser Family Foundation. 'Distribution of Medicaid Enrollees by Enrollment Group.'
med_enroll_total	2011	Total number of Medicaid enrollees	Kaiser Family Foundation. 'Distribution of Medicaid Enrollees by Enrollment Group.'

med_spend_adult	2011	Total Medicaid spending on enrollees in the adult enrollment group	Kaiser Family Foundation. 'Medicaid Spending by Enrollment Group.'
med_spend_aged	2011	Total Medicaid spending on enrollees in the aged enrollment group	Kaiser Family Foundation. 'Medicaid Spending by Enrollment Group.'
med_spend_child	2011	Total Medicaid spending on enrollees in the children enrollment group	Kaiser Family Foundation. 'Medicaid Spending by Enrollment Group.'
med_spend_disab	2011	Total Medicaid spending on enrollees in the disability enrollment group	Kaiser Family Foundation. 'Medicaid Spending by Enrollment Group.'
med_spend_total	2011	Total Medicaid spending	Kaiser Family Foundation. 'Medicaid Spending by Enrollment Group.'
healthspendpc	1991-2009	Health care expenditures per capita (in dollars), measuring spending for all privately and publicly funded personal health care services and products (hospital care, physician services, nursing home care, prescription drugs, etc.) by state of residence	Kaiser Family Foundation. 'Health Care Expenditures per Capita by State of Residence.' http://kff.org/other/state-indicator/health-spending-per-capita/ . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) Notes: Original Data Sources: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (2011), Health Expenditures by State of Residence. Retrieved (December 2011) at http://www.cms.gov/NationalHealthExpendData/downloads/resident-state-estimates.zip . Hospital spending is included and reflects the total net revenue (gross charges less contractual adjustments, bad debts, and charity care). Costs such as insurance program administration, research, and construction expenses are not included in this total.
infantmortality	1999-2005,2014-2017	Number of infant deaths per thousand live births	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Vital Stats. Fetal Death Files. Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online) For 2014-2017: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics: https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/pressroom/sosmap/infant_mortality_rates/infant_mortality.htm
lowincchildren_number	1999-2017	Number of uninsured children below 200% of the poverty line	University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. 2019. 'UKCPR National Welfare Data, 1980-2017.' Lexington, KY. http://ukcpr.org/resources/national-welfare-data
sqli	1992-2012	State Quality of Life Index ranking	Pallay, Geoff. 2012. Ballotpedia and The Lucy Burns Institute.
wellbeing	2008-2012	Gallup-Healthway Ranking of Well-being Index. (Based on: life evaluation, physical health, emotional health, healthy behavior, work environment, and basic access)	Gallup and Healthways. 'Well-Being Index.' Provided by: Pallay, Geoff. 2012. Ballotpedia and The Lucy Burns Institute.
health_rank	1992-2012	United Health Foundation's Ranking of Overall Health. (Based on: smoking, binge drinking, obesity, sedentary lifestyle, high school graduation, violent crime, occupational fatalities, children in poverty, infectious disease, air pollution, lack of health insurance, public health funding, immunization coverage, low birthweight, primary care physicians, and preventable hospitalizations)	United Health Foundation. 'America's Health Rankings.' Provided by: Pallay, Geoff. 2012. Ballotpedia and The Lucy Burns Institute.
hmdadop	2006-2016	Health insurance mandated dependent coverage: adopted children (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmdcond	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated dependent coverage: continuation/dependents (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

hmdcone	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated dependent coverage: continuation/employees (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmdconv	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated dependent coverage: conversion to non-group (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmddp	2006-2016	Health insurance mandated dependent coverage: domestic partners (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmdds	2006-2016	Health insurance mandated dependent coverage: dependent students (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmdep	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated dependent coverage: elderly parent (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmdfc	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated dependent coverage: foster children (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmdhd	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated dependent coverage: handicapped dependents (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmdlnc	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated dependent coverage: legal non-residents (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmdncc	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated dependent coverage: non-custodial children (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmdgc	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated dependent coverage: grandchildren (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmdnew	2006-2016	Health insurance mandated dependent coverage: newborns (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmdindex	2006-2010	Health insurance mandated dependent coverage index (each mandate weighted by percentage added cost to average health insurance policy, according to Coalition for Affordable Health Insurance)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpacu	2000-2016	Health insurance mandated providers: acupuncturists (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpbc	2006-2016	Health insurance mandated providers: birthing centers (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpcouns	2006-2016	Health insurance mandated providers: professional counselors (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpfna	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers: first nurse assistant (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmplhp	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers: licensed health professional (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmplm	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers: lay midwives (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpmt	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers: marriage therapists (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

hmpna	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers: nurse anesthetists (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpnm	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers: nurse midwives (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpnp	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers: nurse practitioners (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpos	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers: oral surgeons (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpot	2000-2016	Health insurance mandated providers: occupational therapists (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmppa	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers: physician assistants (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmppc	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers: pastoral counselors (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmppm	2006-2016	Health insurance mandated providers: pain management specialist (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmppsyt	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers: psychiatric nurse (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmppt	2006-2016	Health insurance mandated providers: physical therapists (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmppub	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers: public or other facilities (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpsht	2006-2016	Health insurance mandated providers: speech or hearing therapists (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmppsw	2006-2016	Health insurance mandated providers: social workers (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpchp	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers: chiroprapist (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpchx	2000-2016	Health insurance mandated providers: chiropractors (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpdenti	2006-2016	Health insurance mandated providers: dentists (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpdentu	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers: denturists (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpdiet	2006-2016	Health insurance mandated providers: dieticians (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmppmass	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers: massage therapists (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpnat	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers: naturopaths (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpnur	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers: nurses (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

hmpopti	2000-2016	Health insurance mandated providers: opticians (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpopto	2006-2016	Health insurance mandated providers: optometrists (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpost	2006-2016	Health insurance mandated providers: osteopaths (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpphar	2006-2016	Health insurance mandated providers: pharmacists (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmppod	2006-2016	Health insurance mandated providers: podiatrists (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmppsych	2006-2016	Health insurance mandated providers: psychologists (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmpindex	2006-2008	Health insurance mandated providers index (each mandate weighted by percentage added cost to average health insurance policy, according to Coalition for Affordable Health Insurance)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbocs	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: ovarian cancer screening (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbois	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: other infertility services (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmboldu	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: off- label drug use (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbop	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: orthotics/prosthetics (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmborm	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: oriental medicine (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbors	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: ostomy-related supplies (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbpas	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: pediatric asthma education/self- management (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbpcs	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: prostate cancer screening (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbpd	2000-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: prescription drugs (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbpi	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: prescription inhalant (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbpku	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: PKU/formula (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbps	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: protein screening (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbpse	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: port-wine stain elimination (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

hmbrcs	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: residential crisis services (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbshv	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: shingles vaccine (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbspf	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: special footwear (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbss0	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: second surgical opinion (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbtcs	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: minimum testicular cancer stays (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbhh	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: home health care (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbhp	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: hair prostheses (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbhqv	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: HPV vaccine (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbhrt	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: heart transplant (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbhs	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: habilitative services (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbhyst	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: minimum hysterectomy stay (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbivf	2000-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: in vitro fertilization (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbkd	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: kidney disease (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbltc	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: long-term care (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmblyed	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: lymph edema (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmblyme	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: Lyme disease (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbmast	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: mastectomy (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbmats	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: maternity stay (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbmhq	2000-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: mental health parity (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbmot	2000-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: morbid obesity treatment (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbndt	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: neurodevelopment therapy (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

hmbnhs	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: newborn hearing screening (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbnsct	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: newborn sickle-cell testing (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbbm	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: bone marrow transplants (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbbmss	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: bone mass measurement (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbbp	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: blood products (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbbr	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: breast reconstruction (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbbri	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: brain injury (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbcc	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: cervical cancer/HPV screening (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbcm	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: cancer pain medications (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbcong	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: congenital bleeding disorders (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbcp	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: cleft palate (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbcrc	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: colorectal cancer screening (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbct	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: clinical trials (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbda	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: dental anesthesia (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbdat	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: drug abuse treatment (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbdd	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: developmental disabilities (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbds	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: diabetic supplies (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbdsm	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: diabetes self-management (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbem	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: emergency services (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbha	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: hearing aid (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbhc	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: hospice care (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

hmbac	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: ambulatory cancer treatment (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbamb	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: ambulance services (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbap	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: anti-psychotic drugs (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbast	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: asthma education (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbbci	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: bilateral cochlear implant (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbbl	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: blood lead poisoning (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbtmj	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: TMJ disorders (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbwcc	2000-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: well-child care (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbwt	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: Wilm's tumor (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbaut	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: autism (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbche	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: chemotherapy (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbchl	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: chlamydia (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbcirc	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: circumcision (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbcont	2000-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: contraceptives (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbmamm	2006-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: mammogram (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbmat	2000-2016	Health insurance benefit mandates: maternity (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbmstay	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: mastectomy stay (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbtele	2006-2008	Health insurance benefit mandates: telemedicine (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmbindex	2006-2010	Health insurance mandated benefits index (each mandate weighted by percentage added cost to average health insurance policy, according to Coalition for Affordable Health Insurance)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmindex	2006-2010	Health insurance mandates index: hmindex + hmpindex + hmbindex	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

hmindex2	2006-2016	Health insurance mandates index including only 'major' mandates that are available over time (hmpopti, hmpot, hmpchx, hmpacu, hmbwcc, hmbrs, hmbpd, hmbmot, hmbmhp, hmbmat, hmbivf, hmbcont, hmbas, hmbalc)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
hmindex3	2006-2016	Health insurance mandates index including only 'major' mandates that are available over time and not subject to the federal essential benefits requirements (hmpopti, hmpchx, hmpacu, hmbivf)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
doctorsPerCapit a	decadal years from 1900-2010	the number of doctors per capita	Bullock, John G. "Education and attitudes toward redistribution in the United States." <i>British Journal of Political Science</i> (2020): 1-21.
pershealthex	1980-2009	Total personal healthcare expenditure from all payers	Silver & Macinko (2013), from Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. <i>The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010</i> . ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. <i>Health Expenditures by State of Provider, 1980-2009</i> . 2007 [cited 2008; Available from: http://www.cms.hhs.gov/NationalHealthExpendData/05a_NationalHealthAccountccountsProvider.asp#TopOfPage .
hospitalbed	1980-1997, 2000-2008	Total number of hospital beds by state	Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. <i>The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010</i> . ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, <i>Statewide Availability Data System II: 1933 - 2003, 2004</i> , National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Prevention Research Center: Berkeley, CA. American Hospital Association, <i>AHA Hospital Statistics Various Years</i> , Chicago.
totaluninsured	1987-2010	Number of people (under age 65) not covered by health insurance by state	Silver & Macinko (2013), from the Census Bureau (2006, 2011) Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. <i>The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010</i> . ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, <i>Statewide Availability Data System II: 1933 - 2003, 2004</i> , National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Prevention Research Center: Berkeley, CA. U.S. Census Bureau. <i>Historical Health Insurance Tables 1987-2005</i> . 2006. Available from: http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/hlthins/historic/hlthin05/hihist6.html . U.S. Census Bureau. <i>Historical Health Insurance Tables 1999-2010</i> . 2011. Available from: http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/hlthins/data/historical/HIB_tables.html .

percentuninsured	1987-2010	Percentage of people (under age 65) not covered by health insurance by state	Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Statewide Availability Data System II: 1933 - 2003, 2004, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Prevention Research Center: Berkeley, CA. U.S. Census Bureau. Historical Health Insurance Tables 1987-2005. 2006. Available from: http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/hlthins/historic/hlthin05/hihist6.html . U.S. Census Bureau. Historical Health Insurance Tables 1999-2010. 2011. Available from: http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/hlthins/data/historical/HIB_tables.html .
totalhealthexpenditure	1980-2009	Total Health expenditures by State of provider	Silver & Macinko (2013), from Kaiser Family Foundation Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Statewide Availability Data System II: 1933 - 2003, 2004, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Prevention Research Center: Berkeley, CA. Kaiser Family Foundation, Health Expenditure by State of Provider, in Statehealthfacts.org 1980- 2009.
nochildren_tested_72months	2012-2018	The total number of children under 72 months of age that have been tested	Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). 2021. CDC National Childhood Blood Lead Surveillance Data. Accessed at: https://www.cdc.gov/nceh/lead/data/national.htm
pctchildren_tested_72months	2012-2018	The total percentage of children under 72 months of age that have been tested	Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). 2021. CDC National Childhood Blood Lead Surveillance Data. Accessed at: https://www.cdc.gov/nceh/lead/data/national.htm
nochildren_bll_5	2012-2018	The number of children that have blood lead levels (BLL) of 5 micrograms and above.	Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). 2021. CDC National Childhood Blood Lead Surveillance Data. Accessed at: https://www.cdc.gov/nceh/lead/data/national.htm
pctchildren_bll_5	2012-2018	The percent of children that have blood lead levels (BLL) of 5 micrograms and above.	Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). 2021. CDC National Childhood Blood Lead Surveillance Data. Accessed at: https://www.cdc.gov/nceh/lead/data/national.htm
nochildren_bll_10	2012-2018	The number of children that have blood lead levels (BLL) of 10 micrograms and above. SD - indicates data are suppressed when the cell count is less than six (<6)	Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). 2021. CDC National Childhood Blood Lead Surveillance Data. Accessed at: https://www.cdc.gov/nceh/lead/data/national.htm
pctchildren_bll_10	2012-2018	The percent of children that have blood lead levels (BLL) of 10 micrograms and above. SD - indicates data are suppressed when the cell count is less than six (<6)	Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). 2021. CDC National Childhood Blood Lead Surveillance Data. Accessed at: https://www.cdc.gov/nceh/lead/data/national.htm
nochildren_bll_5to9	2012-2018	The number of children that have blood lead levels (BLL) of between 5 and 9 micrograms. SD - indicates data are suppressed when the cell count is less than six (<6)	Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). 2021. CDC National Childhood Blood Lead Surveillance Data. Accessed at: https://www.cdc.gov/nceh/lead/data/national.htm
nochildren_bll10to14	2012-2018	The number of children that have blood lead levels (BLL) of between 10 and 14 micrograms. SD - indicates data are suppressed when the cell count is less than six (<6)	Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). 2021. CDC National Childhood Blood Lead Surveillance Data. Accessed at: https://www.cdc.gov/nceh/lead/data/national.htm

nochildren_bll_15to19	2012-2018	The number of children that have blood lead levels (BLL) of between 15 and 19 micrograms. SD - indicates data are suppressed when the cell count is less than six (<6)	Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). 2021. CDC National Childhood Blood Lead Surveillance Data. Accessed at: https://www.cdc.gov/nceh/lead/data/national.htm
nochildren_bll_20to24	2012-2018	The number of children that have blood lead levels (BLL) of between 20 and 24 micrograms. SD - indicates data are suppressed when the cell count is less than six (<6)	Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). 2021. CDC National Childhood Blood Lead Surveillance Data. Accessed at: https://www.cdc.gov/nceh/lead/data/national.htm
nochildren_bill_25to44	2012-2018	The number of children that have blood lead levels (BLL) of between 25 and 44 micrograms. SD - indicates data are suppressed when the cell count is less than six (<6)	Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). 2021. CDC National Childhood Blood Lead Surveillance Data. Accessed at: https://www.cdc.gov/nceh/lead/data/national.htm
nochildren_bill_45	2012-2018	The number of children that have blood lead levels (BLL) of 45 micrograms and above. SD - indicates data are suppressed when the cell count is less than six (<6)	Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). 2021. CDC National Childhood Blood Lead Surveillance Data. Accessed at: https://www.cdc.gov/nceh/lead/data/national.htm

Welfare Variables

Variable	Years	Description	Source(s) and Notes
mothersaid	1911-1931	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Mallinson, Daniel J. 'Building a better speed trap: Measuring policy adoption speed in the American states.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 16.1 (2016): 98-120. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
adc	1936-1955	Did state adopt Aid to Dependent Children (Social Security)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
aidperm	1950-1969	Did state adopt aid to the permanently/totally disabled? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
blind	1936-1982	Did state adopt aid to the blind (Social Security)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
oldagea	1936-1938	Did state adopt old age assistance (Social Security)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
timelim	1993-1996	Did state adopt time limits on welfare benefits? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
afdc_up	1961-1990	Does the state participate in the AFDC- UP (AFDC-Unemployed Parent) program? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
medicaid_statea doption	1966-1983	Does the state have a Medicaid program? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
x_chip_children	1998-2012	What is the CHIP eligibility level for children?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
x_chip_infants	1998-2012	What is the CHIP eligibility level for infants?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
x_chip_pregnant women	1998-2012	What is the CHIP eligibility level for pregnant women?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
x_chip_pregntwo men_prebba	1990-1997	What is the Medicaid eligibility level for pregnant women?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
z_ssi_afdc_fami lies_payments	1936-1992	What is the average level of benefits per family under the Aid for Families with Dependent Children program?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB

z_ssi_blind_payments	1936-1965	What is the average monthly payment per recipient for the permanently blind or disabled?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
z_ssi_blind_payments_post1965	1966-1972	What is the average monthly payment per recipient for the permanently blind or disabled? (post-1965)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
z_ssi_disabled_payments	1951-1965	What is the average monthly payment per recipient for the permanently blind or disabled?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
z_ssi_disabled_payments_post1965	1966-1972	What is the average monthly payment per recipient for the permanently blind or disabled? (post-1965)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
z_ssi_ga_payments_per_case	1937-1963	What is the average monthly payment per case for general assistance (an early form of welfare)?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
z_ssi_ga_payments_per_recipient	1964-1980	What is the average monthly payment per recipient for general assistance (an early form of welfare)?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
z_ssi_old_age_payments	1936-1965	What is the average monthly payment per recipient per recipient for old age assistance?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
z_ssi_old_age_payments_post1965	1965-1972	What is the average monthly payment per recipient per recipient for old age assistance? (post-1965)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
z_tanf_initial_eligibility	1996-2013	What is the initial eligibility level for benefits for a family of three under the Temporary Aid for Needy Families Program?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
z_tanf_maxpayment	1990-2013	What is the maximum level of benefits under the Temporary Aid for Needy Families program for a family of three with no income?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
z_tanf_payments_perfamily	2006-2010	What is the average monthly level of benefits per family under the Temporary Aid for Needy Families program?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB

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dera	1957-2016	State constitution prohibits government discrimination on basis of sex? (0 = no, 0.5 = yes, in some decisions, 1 = yes, broadly)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
breastfeed	1993-2009	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Mallinson, Daniel J. 'Building a better speed trap: Measuring policy adoption speed in the American states.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 16.1 (2016): 98-120. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
equalpay	1919-1966	Did state adopt equal pay for females? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
offwmh	1993-2009	Did state adopt a special agent/office for women's health? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
pubbrefeed	1993-2008	Did state adopt a law allowing breastfeeding in public? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
genderrights_gender_equal_pay	1936-1972	Does the state have a law providing for equal pay for women working in the same job? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
genderrights_era_ratification	1972-2014	Has the state ratified the Equal Rights Amendment? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
genderrights_jury_service	1936-1967	Can women serve on juries? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
genderrights_state_eras	1971-2014	Has the state passed a state-level equivalent to the Equal Rights Amendment? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
genderrights_gender_discrimination	1961-1964	Does the state ban hiring discrimination on the basis of gender? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
genderrights_gender_discrimination_laws_post1964	1965-2014	Does the state ban hiring discrimination on the basis of gender? (post-1964) (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
gender_gap	2005, 2010, 2019	Size of the gender wage gap in the state, expressed as a percentage	Zippia's Annual Gender Pay Gap Report for 2019.' https://www.zippia.com/research/gender-pay-gap/#by-state

admittpriv	2011-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
const_protect	1981-2002	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
contr_eq	1998-2010	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
emcont_avail	1997-2009	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
foca	1973-2006	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
funds_avail	1982-1995	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
fundslife	1977-1990	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
fundslifehea	1985-2002	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
gagrule	1991-2010	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
gap	2005-2009	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
ide	1995-2000	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

infconsent	1973-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
ins_stateexch	2011-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
insprivate	1978-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
inspublic	1978-2011	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
inswaiver	1978-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
medicalrest	2001-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
license_plates	2003-2010	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
licenseplate	2000-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
clinic_access	1973-2005	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
fetaldispos	1980-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
fetalheart	2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

fetalhomic	1970-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
fetalpain	2011-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Kreitzer, Rebecca J. 'Politics and morality in state abortion policy.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 15.1 (2015): 41-66. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
continsurance	1996-2010	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Mallinson, Daniel J. 'Building a better speed trap: Measuring policy adoption speed in the American states.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 16.1 (2016): 98-120. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
infertility	1987-2002	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Mallinson, Daniel J. 'Building a better speed trap: Measuring policy adoption speed in the American states.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 16.1 (2016): 98-120. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
trap	1978-2005	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Mallinson, Daniel J. 'Building a better speed trap: Measuring policy adoption speed in the American states.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 16.1 (2016): 98-120. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
abor_optout_inst	2017	Institutional providers may opt-out of providing abortion procedures Note: 0 = no; 1 = yes; 8 = private only; 9 = religious only	Guttmacher Institute. 2017. 'An Overview of Abortion Laws.' Retrieved from: http://www.guttmacher.org/statecenter/spibs/spib_OAL.pdf .
abor_pubfund	2017	Public funding of all or most medically necessary abortions Note: 0 = no; 1 = yes	Guttmacher Institute. 2017. 'An Overview of Abortion Laws.' Retrieved from: http://www.guttmacher.org/statecenter/spibs/spib_OAL.pdf .
abor_secphys	2017	Number of weeks after which a second physician must participate Note: 'second trimester' was recoded to 13 weeks; 'third trimester' was recoded to 28 weeks; 'point of viability' is coded as V; missing value indicates no such requirement	Guttmacher Institute. 2017. 'An Overview of Abortion Laws.' Retrieved from: http://www.guttmacher.org/statecenter/spibs/spib_OAL.pdf .
aborparc	1981-1999	Did state adopt one-parent consent for abortion by a minor? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State Policy Innovativeness Revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-29.
aborparn	1981-2000	Did state adopt one-parent notification for abortion by a minor? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State Policy Innovativeness Revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-29.
aborpreroe	1966-1972	Did state adopt abortion pre-Roe? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State Policy Innovativeness Revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-29.
contrains	1996-2007	Did state adopt a policy that insurers covering prescription drugs cannot exclude FDA-approved contraceptives? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State Policy Innovativeness Revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-29.

abortion_consent_1973_1991	1973-1991	Does the state mandate counseling before an abortion (pre-Casey)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
abortion_consent_1992_2014	1992-2014	Does the state mandate counseling before an abortion (post-Casey)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
abortion_medicaid	1981-2014	Does the state's Medicaid system pay for abortions? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
abortion_partial_birth	1997-2007	Does the state ban late-term or partial birth abortions? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
abortion_reform_preroe	1967-1973	Did the state allow abortion before Roe v. Wade? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_abortion_parental_notice_1983_2014	1983-2014	Does the state require parental notification or consent prior to a minor obtaining an abortion? (0 = neither, 1 = notification, 2 = consent)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_ec_access	1974-2014	Can pharmacies dispense emergency contraception without a prescription? (0 = the state has restricted access to EC by allowing pharmacists to refuse to dispense it; 1 = there is no law either restricting or expanding access; 2 = the state has expanded access by allowing pharmacists to dispense EC without a prescription)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
pcons	2000-2016	State requires parental consent for minor's decision to have an abortion? (0 = no, 1 = yes) (note: does not count if attending physician may waive)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
pgestlim	2000-2016	Gestational limit on abortions? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
phosp	2006-2016	Some abortions required to be performed in a hospital? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
plicphys	2000-2016	Abortion must be performed by licensed physician? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
pnotif	2000-2016	State requires parental notification and/or consent for minor's decision to have an abortion? (0 = no, 1 = yes) (note: does not count if attending physician may waive)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

pparbth	2000-2016	State has law prohibiting partial birth abortion in effect? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
pprivins	2000-2016	State restricts coverage of abortion in private insurance plans to cases in which woman's life would be endangered (and other limited cases)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ppubfund	2000-2016	State uses own funds to pay for abortions beyond required federal minimum? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
psecphys	2000-2016	Some abortions require involvement of second physician? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
pwait	2000-2016	State mandated waiting period before abortion? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
pabor	2006-2010	First principal component: constructed from plicphys, phosp, psecphys, pgestlim, pparbth, ppubfund, pprivins, pcouns, pwait, pminors	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
pminors	2000-2016	Parental notification and consent index: pnotif + pcons	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
abortionrate	1975-1996	Abortion rate per 1,000 women aged 15-44. For an explanation of why data are problematic after 2000/2001, see source (the Guttmacher Institute). Data for 1993, 1994, 1995 are unavailable.	Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
gayhate	1989-2005	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American states.' <i>American Political Science Review</i> 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
gaymarban	1994-2008	Did state adopt a constitutional amendment banning gay marriage? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
ssame	2000-2016	-1 = 'super-DOMA', 0 = no same-sex unions, 0.5 = limited domestic partnership, 1 = same-sex civil union, marriage, or extensive domestic partnership	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
sstmrrge	2000-2016	State marriage laws (0 = no domestic partnerships, civil unions, or same sex marriage; 1 = limited domestic partnerships only; 2 = civil unions or equivalent, conferring all or most of the benefits of marriage; 3 = same-sex marriage)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
superdoma	2000-2016	State prohibits all legal relationships approximating benefits of marriage? ('super-DOMA') (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

smconres	2000-2016	Marriage constitutional restrictions (0 = no restrictions on marriage definition; 1 = state has laws that ban same-sex marriage but the laws are not in the constitution, or the constitution merely permits but does not require laws banning same-sex marriage; 2 = constitutional restrictions banning same-sex marriage)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ssodomy	2000-2016	Sodomy law? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gayrights_ban_sodomy	1962-2003	Does the state forbid sodomy? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
gayrights_hatecrimes	1999-2014	Are hate crimes explicitly illegal in the state? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_gayrights_civilunions_marriage	2000-2012	Does the state allow civil unions or gay marriage? (0 = no; 1 = civil unions; 2 = gay marriage)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_gayrights_employment_discrimination	1982-2014	Does the state forbid employment discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation and/or sexual identity? (0 = no; 1 = indicates a ban on discrimination based on sexual orientation; 2 = indicates a ban based on sexual orientation and gender identity)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_gayrights_public_accommodations	1989-2014	Does the state ban discrimination against gays by public accommodations? (0 = no; 1 = indicates a ban on discrimination based on sexual orientation; 2 = indicates a ban based on sexual orientation and gender identity)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
giexorder	1960-2013	Does state have an executive order prohibiting discrimination on the basis of gender identity? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sellers, Mitchell D. 'Gubernatorial Use of Executive Orders: Unilateral Action and Policy Adoption.' <i>Journal of Public Policy</i> 37.3 (2017): 315-339.
gilaw	1960-2013	Does state have a law prohibiting discrimination on the basis of gender identity? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sellers, Mitchell D. 'Gubernatorial Use of Executive Orders: Unilateral Action and Policy Adoption.' <i>Journal of Public Policy</i> 37.3 (2017): 315-339.
soexorder	1960-2013	Does state have an executive order prohibiting discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sellers, Mitchell D. 'Gubernatorial Use of Executive Orders: Unilateral Action and Policy Adoption.' <i>Journal of Public Policy</i> 37.3 (2017): 315-339.
solaw	1960-2013	Does state have a law prohibiting discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sellers, Mitchell D. 'Gubernatorial Use of Executive Orders: Unilateral Action and Policy Adoption.' <i>Journal of Public Policy</i> 37.3 (2017): 315-339.

hate_crime_law	2019	0 = the state does not have hate-crime laws pertaining to members of the LGBT community, OR does not have any hate-crime laws at all 1 = the state has a hate-crime law that applies to sexual orientation only (LGB) 2 = the state has a hate-crime law that applies to sexual orientation AND gender identity (LGBT)	Movement Advancement Project (MAP), 'Hate Crime Laws.' http://www.lgbtmap.org/equality-maps/hate_crime_laws
exec_order	2019	0 = no executive orders have been issued 1 = executive order was issued, but it applied to discrimination based on sexual orientation only (LGB) 2 = executive order applied to discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity (LGBT) Note: This variable indicates only whether an exec. order was issued at one time; it does not account for any orders that were later rescinded.	LGBTQ Americans Aren't Fully Protected from Discrimination in 30 States.' https://www.freedomforallamericans.org/states/
ndl_employment	2019	0 = state does not have any employment non-discrimination laws 1 = the state has an employment non-discrimination law that applies to sexual orientation only (LGB) 2 = the state has an employment non-discrimination law that applies to sexual orientation AND gender identity (LGBT)	Movement Advancement Project (MAP), 'Non-Discrimination Laws.' http://www.lgbtmap.org/equality-maps/non_discrimination_laws
ndl_housing	2019	0 = state does not have any housing non-discrimination laws 1 = the state has a housing non-discrimination law that applies to sexual orientation only (LGB) 2 = the state has a housing non-discrimination law that applies to sexual orientation AND gender identity (LGBT)	Movement Advancement Project (MAP), 'Non-Discrimination Laws.' http://www.lgbtmap.org/equality-maps/non_discrimination_laws
ndl_public_accommodations	2019	0 = state does not have any public-accommodations non-discrimination laws 1 = the state has a public-accommodations non-discrimination law that applies to sexual orientation only (LGB) 2 = the state has a public-accommodations non-discrimination law that applies to sexual orientation AND gender identity (LGBT)	Movement Advancement Project (MAP), 'Non-Discrimination Laws.' http://www.lgbtmap.org/equality-maps/non_discrimination_laws
ndl_credit	2019	0 = state does not have any credit non-discrimination laws 1 = the state has a credit non-discrimination law that applies to sexual orientation only (LGB) 2 = the state has a credit non-discrimination law that applies to sexual orientation AND gender identity (LGBT)	Movement Advancement Project (MAP), 'Non-Discrimination Laws.' http://www.lgbtmap.org/equality-maps/non_discrimination_laws

ndl_state_employees	2019	0 = state does not have any non-discrimination laws protecting state employees 1 = the state has a non-discrimination law protecting state employees that applies to sexual orientation only (LGB) 2 = the state has a non-discrimination law protecting state employees that applies to sexual orientation AND gender identity (LGBT)	Movement Advancement Project (MAP), 'Non-Discrimination Laws.' http://www.lgbtmap.org/equality-maps/non_discrimination_laws
anti_discrimination	1968-1970	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
antimis	1900-1913	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
fhpriv	1959-1965	Did state adopt fair housing laws for private housing? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
fhpub	1937-1961	Did state adopt fair housing laws for public housing? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
fhurb	1945-1963	Did state adopt fair housing laws for urban renewal areas? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
segoss	1927-1943	Did state adopt provisions maintaining segregated educational systems for out-of-state study by African-Americans? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
vaaban	2000-2016	Affirmative action ban: Are all racial preferences in public services banned in the state? (0 = no, 0.5 = in education only, 1 = yes, by statute or executive order, 2 = yes, in constitution)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
race_boehmke_fhpub	1937-1965	Does the state ban discrimination in public housing? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
race_boehmke_fhurband	1945-1964	Does the state have urban renewal areas? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_race_fair_housing_private	1959-1968	Does the state ban discrimination in private housing? (0 = no; 1 = any fair housing law; 2 = includes owner-occupied housing, OR excludes owner-occupied housing, but includes all real estate broker activities)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
race_fair_employment_commissions	1945-1964	Does the state have a fair employment law? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB

race_fair_employ_comm_post1964	1965-2014	Does the state have a fair employment law (post-1964)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
race_interracial_marriage_banned	1936-1967	Does the state have a law banning interracial marriages? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
race_school_segregation	1936-1953	Does the state require segregation in public schools? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_race_disc_public_accommodation	1936-1963	Did the state pass a law (with administrative enforcement) banning discrimination in public accommodations (pre-CRA)? (0 = no; 1 = indicates that individuals had to bring lawsuits to enforce the ban on discrimination; 2 = indicates that there was a state agency that enforced the ban on discrimination)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_race_disc_public_accom2	1964-2010	Did the state pass a law (with administrative enforcement) banning discrimination in public accommodations (post-CRA)? (0 = no; 1 = indicates that individuals had to bring lawsuits to enforce the ban on discrimination; 2 = indicates that there was a state agency that enforced the ban on discrimination)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
genderballeg	1983-2016	Indicates (0/1) if the state has passed gender balance legislation within that particular year.	McQueen, S. (2021) "Pipeline or Pipedream: Gender Balance Legislation's Effect on Women's Presence in State Government," State Politics & Policy Quarterly. Cambridge University Press, 21(3), pp. 243-265. doi: 10.1017/spq.2020.8.
genderballegMap	1983-2016	Indicates (0/1) if the state has ever passed gender balance legislation, regardless of year	McQueen, S. (2021) "Pipeline or Pipedream: Gender Balance Legislation's Effect on Women's Presence in State Government," State Politics & Policy Quarterly. Cambridge University Press, 21(3), pp. 243-265. doi: 10.1017/spq.2020.8.
ssphh2010per	1995-2015	Same-sex partner households 2010 Census	Taylor et al. (2019), from the 2010 Census Taylor, Jami K., Donald P. Haider-Markel, and Benjamin Rogers. 2019. "Toward a new measure of state-level LGBT interest group strength." State Politics & Policy Quarterly 19(3): 334-350.
gayem nondisc	1995-2015	Gay inclusive employment nondiscrimination law	Taylor et al. (2019), from the National Gay and Lesbian Taskforce (2014) Taylor, Jami K., Donald P. Haider-Markel, and Benjamin Rogers. 2019. "Toward a new measure of state-level LGBT interest group strength." State Politics & Policy Quarterly 19(3): 334-350. National Gay and Lesbian Task Force. 2014. "State Nondiscrimination Laws in the U.S." https://web.archive.org/web/20180310192030/http://www.thetaskforce.org/static/downloads/reports/issue_maps/non_discrimination_5_14_new.pdf .
gayempdiff	1995-2015	Diffusion variable gay employment nondiscrimination law	Taylor et al. (2019), from Human Rights Campaign's 2015 State Equality Index Taylor, Jami K., Donald P. Haider-Markel, and Benjamin Rogers. 2019. "Toward a new measure of state-level LGBT interest group strength." State Politics & Policy Quarterly 19(3): 334-350.

hrc2015indexgood	1995-2015	HRC State Equality Index 2015 policy count	Taylor, Jami K., Donald P. Haider-Markel, and Benjamin Rogers. 2019. "Toward a new measure of state-level LGBT interest group strength." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 19(3): 334-350. Human Rights Campaign. 2016. "2015 State Equality Index." https://assets2.hrc.org/files/assets/resources/SEI-2015-FullReport.pdf
jobslax	1995-2015	Support for nondiscrimination	Taylor et al. (2019), from Lax & Phillips (2009) Taylor, Jami K., Donald P. Haider-Markel, and Benjamin Rogers. 2019. "Toward a new measure of state-level LGBT interest group strength." <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 19(3): 334-350. Lax, Jeffrey, and Justin Phillips. 2009. "Gay Rights in the States: Public Opinion and Policy Responsiveness." <i>American Political Science Review</i> 103 (3): 367-86.

Drug-Alcohol Variables

Variable	Years	Description	Source(s) and Notes
comsrvdy	1987-2005	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
hostliability	1998-2009	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
mprisdm	1982-2003	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
preconvictdays	1980-2004	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
prisondayswag	1980-2003	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
keg_reg	1980-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
minfine	1980-2001	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

sundayban	1998-1999	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
advertban	1989-2001	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
barbanstate	1980-2010	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
restaurantbanstate	1980-2010	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
worksitebanstate	2003-2010	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
alcoholism_and_intoxication_trea	1972-1975	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
controlled_substances_act	1971-1992	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
alcbvcon	1926-1980	Did state adopt alcoholic beverage control? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
alctreat	1943-2002	Did state adopt alcoholic treatment agencies? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
cigtax	1921-1964	Did state adopt a cigarette tax? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
dui08	1983-2001	Did state adopt .08 per se penalty for DUI? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.

kegreg	1978-1999	Did state adopt beer keg registration requirement? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
medmar	1978-2008	Did state adopt symbolic medical marijuana policy? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
methpre	1996-2005	Did state adopt restrictions on OTC medications with methamphetamine precursors? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
mlda21	1933-1988	Did state adopt minimum legal drinking age 21? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
smokeban	1995-2009	Did state adopt statewide smoking ban? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
zerotol	1983-1998	Did state adopt zero tolerance (<.02 BAC) for underage drinking? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
beer_tax	2009-2013	State tax on beer in dollars per gallon Note: 2012 data coded on 9/1/2011	Tax Foundation. 'How High Are Beer Taxes in Your State?' Center for State Tax Policy.
beer_tax_rank	2009-2013	Ranking of beer tax rate amongst the states Note: 2012 data coded on 9/1/2011	Tax Foundation. 'How High Are Beer Taxes in Your State?' Center for State Tax Policy.
spirit_tax	2007, 2009-2013	State tax on spirits in dollars per gallon Note: 2012 data coded on 9/1/2011; 2010 data coded on 9/1/2010	Tax Foundation. 'How High Are Beer Taxes in Your State?' Center for State Tax Policy.
spirit_tax_rank	2007, 2009-2013	Ranking of spirit tax rate amongst the states Note: 2012 data coded on 9/1/2011; 2010 data coded on 9/1/2010	Tax Foundation. 'How High Are Beer Taxes in Your State?' Center for State Tax Policy.
wine_tax	2009-2013	State tax on wine in dollars per gallon Note: 2012 data coded on 9/1/2011	Tax Foundation. 'How High Are Beer Taxes in Your State?' Center for State Tax Policy.
wine_tax_rank	2009-2013	Ranking of wine tax rate amongst the states Note: 2012 data coded on 9/1/2011	Tax Foundation. 'How High Are Beer Taxes in Your State?' Center for State Tax Policy.
cdship	2000-2016	State ban on direct wine shipments from wineries? (0 = none, 0.1 = ban only on in-state winery shipments, 0.5 = free shipping limited to small wineries/labels under contract with distributor prohibited, 0.9 = out-of-state/off-site/distributor prohibited, 1 = all)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
chappy	2000-2015	Happy hour ban? (0 = no, 1 = yes, ban on free or reduced-price drinks)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cbeertex	1937-2016	Beer excise tax rates (dollars per gallon, off-premises sales)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cbeerdry	1969-1998	Percentage of state population living in counties that are dry for beer	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

cbret	1937-2015	Exclusive state control of retail sales of some types of beer 0 = no, 0.5 = only some very high-alcohol beers (>12% ABV), 1 = yes, 5 = total prohibition; +1.5 = near- absolute on-premises prohibition, +0.5 = on-premises limitation (restaurants, bars, private clubs) Exclusive state control of wholesale sales of some types of beer	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cbwhol	1937-2015	0 = no, 0.5 = only some very high- alcohol beers (>12% ABV/W), 1 = yes; +1.5 = near-absolute on-premises prohibition, +0.5 = on-premises limitation (restaurants, bars, private clubs)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cbeerp	1937-2016	Net-of-tax beer price per gallon, off- premises, 2008, in 2008 dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cbeert	1937-2015	Beer taxes per gallon, off-premises, in 2008 dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cbeertav	1937-2016	Beer ad valorem tax rates (% off-premises; if sales tax is not charged, that amount is deducted)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cblue	1997-2015	Bans on off-premises Sunday sales of alcohol	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cblue2	1997-2015	Bans on off-premises Sunday sales of alcohol, with local option	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cbluelaw	1997-2015	Blue law index = cblue - (0.5 * cblue2)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
calcdist	1937-2015	Sum of 6 alcohol distribution variables = cbret + cbwhol + cwret + csret + cwwhol + cswhol	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cgroc	1937-2016	Off-premises alcohol sales in grocery stores 0 = neither wine nor spirits (beer only), 1 = wine only, 2 = wine and spirits, -1 = no beer, 0.5 = Maryland/New Jersey systems; *0.4 if limitation (>1) on # of licenses for chains *or* separate enclosure requirement; then take max score possible	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ckeg	1970-2015	Statewide beer keg registration requirement, or kegs banned (0 = no, 1 = yes, 5 = all kegs banned)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
clnmaxpen	2000-2016	Log of maximum marijuana penalty	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cmcmisd	2000-2016	Low-level' cultivation (more than 1 oz./30 g. useable/2 plants possession/cultivation but less than some higher statutory threshold, first offense) a misdemeanor (criminal non-felony)? 0 = no, 1 = yes, 2 = decriminalized, 5 = legal	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cmmsid	2000-2016	Marijuana misdemeanor index (cmpmisd + cmcmisd)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

cmedmj	1937-2016	Medical marijuana exception? (0 = no, 0.2 = only right to assert in court, 0.5 = lawful possession but not dispensation, 1 = full exception with registry)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cmjindex	2000-2014	Marijuana law index (1st unrotated principal component: clnmaxpen, cmmindex, cmmms, cmmisd, cmpdecr)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cmmamt	1937-2016	Maximum amount of marijuana permitted for medical purposes? (0 = no maximum/Maryland, where still technically illegal, 1 = law defines maximum)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cmmxpen	2000-2016	Maximum possible prison term for any single marijuana offense (not including sale to minors), in years	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cmmdisp	1937-2016	Medical marijuana dispensaries: effective hard cap or ban? (0 = ban/no legal protection, 0.5 = hard statewide cap, 1 = no ban/some legal protection for dispensaries)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cmmhc	1937-2016	Medical marijuana home cultivation permitted? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cmmindex	1937-2016	Medical marijuana index: cmedmj * cmmscope - 0.1 * cmmamt + 0.1 * cmmhc - 0.1 * cmmdisp	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cmmms	2000-2016	Mandatory minimums for 'low-level' (less than 1 oz./30 g.) marijuana cultivation or sale (not including special penalties for minor sales)? 0 = no; if yes, number of years	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cmmreg	1937-2016	Medical marijuana patient registry required? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cmmscope	1937-2016	Scope of medical marijuana exception (0 = no exception, 0.5 = limited, specific set of disorders, 0.75 = broad set of disorders including pain and/or nausea, 1 = full physician discretion)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cmpdecr	2000-2016	First offense of 'low-level' marijuana possession decriminalized? (0 = misdemeanor, 1 = yes, 5 = fully legal)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cmpleg	2000-2016	Low-level' marijuana possession legal? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cmpmisd	2000-2016	First offense of 'high-level' marijuana possession a misdemeanor (criminal non-felony)? (0 = no, 1 = yes, 2 = decriminalized)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cmsale	2000-2016	Some marijuana sales legal? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
csalvia	1937-2016	Salvia divinorum ban for adult consumption? (0 = no, 0.5 = partial, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cspirwet	1971-1984	Percentage of state population living in counties that are wet (distilled spirits)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

csret	1937-2015	Exclusive state control of retail sale of some types of spirits 0 = no, 1 = yes; +1.5 = near-absolute on-premises prohibition, +0.5 = on- premises limitation (restaurants, bars, private clubs)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cswhol	1937-2015	Exclusive state control of wholesale sale of some types of spirits 0 = no, 1 = yes; +1.5 = near-absolute on-premises prohibition, +0.5 = on- premises limitation (restaurants, bars, private clubs)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ctrain	1937-2015	Mandatory alcoholic beverage server training law (0 = none, 0.5 = manager/licensee only, 1 = server)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cwret	1937-2015	Exclusive state control of retail sales of some types of wine 0 = no, 1 = yes; +1.5 = near-absolute on-premises prohibition, +0.5 = on- premises limitation (restaurants, bars, private clubs)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cwwhol	1937-2015	Exclusive state control of wholesale sale of some types of wine 0 = no, 1 = yes; +1.5 = near-absolute on-premises prohibition, +0.5 = on- premises limitation (restaurants, bars, private clubs)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cpbeer	1982-2003	ACCRA (American Chamber of Commerce Research Association) beer prices, adjusted annual state average	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cpbeerc	1982-2003	State average beer prices, in constant 2008 dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cpspirits	1973-2003	ACCRA spirits prices, adjusted annual state average	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cpspiritsc	1973-2003	State average spirits prices, in constant 2008 dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cpwine	1982-2003	ACCRA wine prices, adjusted annual state average	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cpwinec	1982-2003	State average wine prices, in constant 2008 dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cwinep	1937-2016	Net-of-tax wine price per gallon, off- premises, 2008, in 2008 dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cwinet	1969-2015	Wine taxes per gallon, off-premises, in 2008 dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cwinetav	1937-2015	Wine ad valorem tax rates/markup (%), off-premises; markup over 15% only included; if sales tax is not charged, that amount is deducted)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cwinetex	1969-2015	Wine excise tax (dollars per gallon of wine, less than 14% alcohol by volume, off-premise sales; if sales tax is not applied, that amount is deducted)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

cspirp	1937-2016	Net-of-tax spirits price per gallon, off- premises, 2008, in 2008 dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cspirt	1937-2015	Spirits taxes per gallon, off-premises, in 2008 dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cspirtav	1937-2015	Spirits ad valorem tax rates/markup (% , off-premises; markup over 15% over delivery cost/45% over shipping point, FOB only considered; if sales tax is not charged, that amount is deducted)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cspirtex	1937-2015	Spirits excise tax (dollars per gallon of spirits, off-premise sales; if sales tax is not applied, that amount is deducted)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
rdrivls	2008-2016	Driver's license suspensions for drug offenses not related to driving (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ibanbar	2000-2016	Smoking ban-bars (0 = no or few regulations, 0.5 = some nonsmoking areas required/some bars exempted/more than scattered local bans, 0.75 = smoking only in ventilated areas, 1 = total or near-total ban)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ibangov	2000-2016	Smoking ban-government buildings (0 = none, 0.5 = some exceptions/more than scattered local bans, 0.75 = ventilated areas only, 1 = total/near- total ban)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ibanrest	2000-2016	Smoking ban-restaurants (0 = no or few regulations, 0.5 = some nonsmoking areas required or more than scattered local bans, 0.75 = smoking only in ventilated areas, 1 = total or near-total ban)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ibanwork	2000-2016	Smoking ban-private workplaces (0 = no regulation, 0.25 = minimal regulation, 0.5 = numerous exceptions/designated areas/more than scattered local bans, 0.75 = few exceptions (such as ventilated areas), 1 = total/near total ban)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ismplaw	2000-2016	Regulations for 'smoker protection' in employment? 0 = no; 0.5 = yes, but (implicitly or explicitly) insurance discrimination or incentives to stop smoking allowed; 1 = yes, and insurance discrimination banned	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
iminage	2000-2016	Minimum legal sale age of 21 for tobacco products (0 = no, 0.5 = significant local minimums that represent more than 20% of state pop., 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
inetpurc	2000-2016	Regulations on Internet purchases? (0 = no, or minimal; 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ivend	2000-2016	Regulations on vending machines (0 = age restrictions/supervision requirements only, 0.5 = 'hard' location restrictions, 1 = banned)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

icigtaxraw	2000-2016	Cigarette tax per pack of 20, including maximum local taxes, in dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
icigtax	2000-2016	Real cigarette tax per pack (icigtaxraw in 2015 dollars)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
iindex	2000-2014	First, unrotated principal component (using R 2.15): icigtax, ibanrest, ibanbar, ibanwork, ivend, inetpurc	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
cig_taxes_binar y	1936-1946	Does the state have a cigarette tax? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
z_cigarette_tax es	1947-2014	What is the state's tax on a pack of cigarettes?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB For 2019: 'How High Are Cigarette Taxes in Your State?' (provided by The Tax Foundation) https://taxfoundation.org/2019-state-cigarette-tax-rankings/
drugs_boehmke_k egreg	1978-2013	Does the state require the registration upon purchase of a beer keg? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
drugs_boehmke_m lda21	1936-1985	Does the state have a minimum legal drinking age of 21? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
drugs_boehmke_z erotol	1983-1995	Does the state have a zero-tolerance law for blood alcohol levels <0.02 for individuals under age 21? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
drugs_marijuana _decriminalizat ion	1973-2014	Is marijuana possession a criminal act? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
drugs_medical_m arijuana	1996-2014	Is it legal to use marijuana for medical purposes? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
drugs_smoking_b an_restaurants	1995-2014	Does the state ban smoking in restaurants? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
drugs_smoking_b an_workplaces	1995-2014	Does the state ban smoking in all workplaces? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB

dry_counties	2008	Number of counties that prohibit the sale of alcohol (beer excluded)	Frendreis, John, and Raymond Tatalovich. "A Hundred Miles of Dry": Religion and the Persistence of Prohibition in the U.S. States.' <i>State Politics and Policy Quarterly</i> 10.3 (2010): 302-319.
moist_counties	2008	Number of counties that are considered 'dry,' yet allow certain jurisdictions to sell alcohol (beer excluded)	Frendreis, John, and Raymond Tatalovich. "A Hundred Miles of Dry": Religion and the Persistence of Prohibition in the U.S. States.' <i>State Politics and Policy Quarterly</i> 10.3 (2010): 302-319.
dui	1983-2004	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boushey, Graeme. 'Targeted for diffusion? How the use and acceptance of stereotypes shape the diffusion of criminal justice policy innovations in the American States.' <i>American Political Science Review</i> 110.1 (2016): 198-214. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
dwi_reform	1983-2002	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Makse, Todd, and Craig Volden. 'The role of policy attributes in the diffusion of innovations.' <i>The Journal of Politics</i> 73.1 (2011): 108-124. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
goodsam911	2007-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Mallinson, Daniel J. 'Building a better speed trap: Measuring policy adoption speed in the American states.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 16.1 (2016): 98-120. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
dcasino	1962-2016	Some commercial (non-Indian) casino gambling legal? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dchargam	1962-2016	Charitable gaming permitted? (0 = no, 0.5 = annual events only, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dgamfel	2000-2016	Aggravated gambling is a felony (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dintgam	1957-2016	Express prohibition on Internet gambling? (-1 = express authorization of some form of Internet gambling, 0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dparimut	1962-2016	Pari-mutuel wagering taking place? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dslots	1962-2016	Slot/video games legal outside casinos and tracks? (0 = no, 0.25 = in strictly limited locations with half of revenue going to charity, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dsocgam	2000-2016	Social gambling allowed? (0 = no, 0.5 = stakes limit, 1=yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dsports	1962-2016	Private sports betting legal? (0 = no, 0.5 = limited games, 1=yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dtrack	1962-2016	Some racetrack gaming legal? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gambling_casinos	1977-2012	Does the state allow casinos? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB

gambling_lottery_adoption	1964-2014	Does the state have a lottery? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
indgaming	1990-1995	Did state adopt tribal gaming? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
lott	1964-1993	Did state adopt lottery? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
beertaxrate	1980-2010	State excise tax on packaged beer by volume	Silver & Macinko (2013), from the Beer Institute, <i>Brewers' Almanac</i> , 2012: Washington, DC. Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. <i>The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010</i> . ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2
baclimits	1980-2010	Blood alcohol concentration limits for adult drivers (21 years and older) of motor vehicles	Silver & Macinko (2013), from NIAA and Wagenaar et al. (2007) Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. <i>The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010</i> . ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 Wagenaar, Alexander C., Mildred M. Maldonado-Molina, Linan Ma, Amy L. Tobler, and Kelli A. Komro. 2007. "Effects of legal BAC limits on fatal crash involvement: analyses of 28 states from 1976 through 2002." <i>Journal of Safety Research</i> 38(5): 493-499. National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. <i>Blood Alcohol Concentration (BAC) Limits: Adult Operators Noncommercial Motor Vehicles</i> . Available from: http://alcoholpolicy.niaaa.nih.gov/Blood_Alcohol_Concentration_Limits_Adult_Noncommercial_Motor_Vehicles.html .
postconvictdays	1980-2010	Length of license suspension in days for first-time DUI offenders-postconviction Total number of days; 0 = no law	Silver & Macinko (2013), from Wagenaar & Maldonado-Molina (2007) and NHTSA Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. <i>The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010</i> . ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 Wagenaar, A.C. and M.M. Maldonado-Molina. 2007. <i>Effects of Drivers' License Suspension Policies on Alcohol-Related Crash Involvement: Long-Term Follow-Up in Forty-Six States</i> . <i>Alcoholism: Clinical and Experimental Research</i> . 31(8): 1399-1406. National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. <i>Alcohol-Highway Safety Digest Topics: Administrative Licensing Actions. Various Years</i> ; Available from: http://www.alcoholpolicy.niaaa.nih.gov/NHTSA_Alcohol-Highway_Safety_Digest_Topics.html .
minfinelaw	1980-2002, 2004-2010	Presence of a law that sets a mandatory minimum fine for first-time DUI offenders. 0 = license sanction is discretionary; 1 = license sanction is mandatory	Silver & Macinko (2013), from Wagenaar et al. (2007) Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. <i>The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010</i> . ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 Wagenaar, Alexander C., Mildred M. Maldonado-Molina, Linan Ma, Amy L. Tobler, and Kelli A. Komro. 2007. "Effects of legal BAC limits on fatal crash involvement: analyses of 28 states from 1976 through 2002." <i>Journal of Safety Research</i> 38(5): 493-499.

mldage	1980-2010	The minimum legal drinking age (MLDA) in each state, in years; 0 = no minimum legal drinking age defined.	Silver & Macinko (2013), from NHTSA (2013) and O'Malley & Wagenaar (1991) Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 O'Malley, Patrick M., and Alexander C. Wagenaar. 1991. "Effects of minimum drinking age laws on alcohol use, related behaviors and traffic crash involvement among American youth: 1976-1987." <i>Journal of studies on Alcohol</i> 52(5): 478-491. National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Blood Alcohol Concentration (BAC) Limits: Youth (Underage Operators of Noncommercial Motor Vehicles). Alcohol Policy Information System (APIS) Web site. Available from: http://alcoholpolicy.niaaa.nih.gov/Blood_Alcohol_Concentration_Limits_Youth_ators_of_Noncommercial_Motor_Vehicles.html .
zerotoleranceage	1980-2010	The maximum age for which the BAC limit applies. This is necessary because some BAC limits apply to minors	Silver & Macinko (2013), from Wagenaar et al. (2001) and Hingson et al. (1994) Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 Wagenaar, A., P. O'Malley, and C. LaFond. 2001. "Lowered legal blood alcohol limits for young drivers: effects on drinking, driving, and driving-after-drinking behaviors in 30 states." <i>American Journal of Public Health</i> . 91(5): 801-804.
alcoholconsumption	1980-2010	Annual alcohol consumption in gallons of ethanol	Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Statewide Availability Data System II: 1933 - 2003, 2004, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Prevention Research Center: Berkeley, CA. LaVallee, R. and H.-y. Yi, Apparent Per Capita Alcohol Consumption: National, State, and Regional Trends, 1977-2010, N. National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Editor 2012.

Gun Control Variables

Variable	Years	Description	Source(s) and Notes
bradycamp	1989-2000	Did state adopt a child access to guns protection law? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
concealed_carry	1975-2001	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Makse, Todd, and Craig Volden. 'The role of policy attributes in the diffusion of innovations.' <i>The Journal of Politics</i> 73.1 (2011): 108-124. Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
guncontrol_assaultweapon_ban	1989-2014	Are assault weapons banned in the state? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
guncontrol_licenses_dealers	1936-2014	Does the state have any license requirements for manufacturers or dealers? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
guncontrol_open_carry	1961-2014	Is there an open carry law for guns? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
guncontrol_saturday_night_special_ban	1974-2013	Does the state ban 'Saturday Night Special' handguns? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_guncontrol_background_check_dealers	1936-1993	Does the state require a background check on gun purchases from dealers? (0 = no; 1 = background check required for handguns; 2 = required for rifles/long guns)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_guncontrol_background_check_privatesales	1936-2014	Does the state require a background check on privately-sold guns? (0 = no; 1 = background check required for handguns; 2 = required for rifles/long guns)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_guncontrol_registration_requirement	1936-2014	Does the state have registration requirement for guns? (0 = no; 1 = law applies to handguns only; 2 = law applies to all firearms, including rifles and shotguns)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_guncontrol_waitingperiod	1936-2014	Does the state have a waiting period for gun purchases? (0 = no; 1 = law applies to handguns only; 2 = law applies to all firearms, including rifles and shotguns)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
fguns	2000-2016	Law bans employers from banning guns on certain company property, such as parking lots? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

bipcrow	1986-2016	Initial permit cost in dollars, excluding training costs (n/a = no permits issued, 0 = permits not required)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bipc	1986-2016	Initial permit cost in 2006 dollars (twice the maximum cost in any other state if no permits issued, 0 = permits not required)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bipt	1986-2016	Initial permit term (0 = no permits issued, 25 = permits not required)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bjourn	1986-2016	Carry in motor vehicles (peaceable journey) (0 = not permitted unless locked in container, 0.5 = permitted with CC permit/license but only if in plain view, 1 = only with concealed carry permit (unless in locked container or glove box), 2 = either 'plain view' or 'concealed' restrictions, 3 = no restrictions even if concealed)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bprecc	1986-2016	State preemption of local concealed carry ordinances? (0 = no, 0.5 = limited/special legislation for particular localities, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bpreoc	1986-2016	State preemption of local open carry ordinances? (0 = no, 0.5 = limited/special legislation for particular localities, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
baow	1986-2016	AOW (Any Other Class III Weapon) (0 = prohibited in state law; .5 = not prohibited but regulated at state-local level OR not prohibited in law but virtually prohibited in practice; 1 = not prohibited by state law)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
basslt	1986-2016	Assault weapons ban? (0 = no, 0.5 = locally, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
baurnh	2000-2014	Authorized user requirement for new handguns, aka smartguns? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bballist	1986-2016	Ballistic identification OR microstamping requirements? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bcci	1986-2016	Concealed carry index (see 'Carry indices' page for construction: http://www.statepolicyindex.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/b_guns_17_m_etadata_carry_indices.txt)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bccpin	1986-2016	Concealed carry permits issued to nonresidents? (0 = no, 0.5 = yes for property owners/employed in state/may issue, 1 = yes, 2 = permit not needed for CC)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bccpir	1986-2016	Concealed carry permits issued to residents? (0 = no, 1 = yes, 2 = permit not needed for CC)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

bchild	2006-2014	Child access prevention laws? (0 = none, 1 = criminal liability if access provided knowingly, intentionally, or recklessly/child must use gun, 2 = criminal liability if child actually gains access, 3 = criminal liability if child may gain access) Note: multiplied by 0.5 if local only, multiplied by 0.5 if gun must be loaded and/or a handgun for liability to attach	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bconst	1986-2016	State constitution contains individual right to keep and bear arms? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bdealer	1986-2016	Licensing or regulation of gun dealers? (0 = no, 0.5 = locally or only warning to purchasers, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bdesign	1986-2016	Design safety standards for handguns ('Saturday night special' ban)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bdtr	1986-2016	Law specifying no duty to retreat before using deadly force? (0 = none, 0.5 = only in home (aka castle doctrine), 0.75 = home and vehicle, 1 = yes, applying everywhere)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bgunban	1986-2016	Local gun ban in place? (0 = none, 0.5 = sale only, 1 = sale and possession)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
binsp	2000-2010	Police inspections of gun stores (0 = none, 0.5 = permitted, 1 = required)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
blicens	1986-2016	Licensing or permitting of gun owners or purchasers? (0 = no, 0.5 = handguns only, 1 = all guns; multiplied by 0.5 if locally only)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
blicst	1986-2016	Safety training for licensees/permittees? (0 = no, 0.5 = examination only, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
blic	1986-2016	Licensing and safety training combined measure = blicens * (blicst + 1)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
blocks	1986-2016	Built-in locking devices required? (0 = no, 1 = yes with sale, 2 = yes and must be stored in a locked container or with lock in place)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bmags	1986-2016	Large capacity ammunition magazines ban? (0 = no, 0.5 = locally, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bmng	1986-2016	Machine guns (0 = prohibited in state law; .5 = not prohibited but regulated at state-local level OR not prohibited in law but virtually prohibited in practice; 1 = not prohibited by state law)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bminage	1986-2016	Stricter minimum age to purchase or possess firearms than federal standard? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bmult	1986-2016	One handgun per month law? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

bnpg	2000-2014	Non-powder guns use or possession regulated? (0 = no or just deals with young minors, 0.5 = locally, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
boci	1986-2016	Open carry index (see 'Carry indices' page for construction: http://www.statepolicyindex.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/b_guns_17_metadata_carry_indices.txt)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bopen	1986-2016	Open carry of loaded handgun (0 = not generally permitted, 1 = permitted with permit, 2 = permitted without permit)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
botheft	1986-2016	Owners required to report lost or stolen guns? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bplaces	1986-2016	Is loaded handgun carry permitted in bars, banks, casinos, hospitals, places of worship, public demonstrations, parks, and athletic events? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bpriv	1986-2016	Background checks required at private sales or gun shows? (0 = no, 0.5 = locally or some firearms, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bpurge	2000-2014	State government required to purge background check records? (0 = no, .5 = must destroy records of long gun sales but not hand gun sales, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bregis	1986-2016	Registration of firearms? (0 = no, 0.5 = some firearms, 1 = all firearms; multiplied by 0.5 if locally only)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bretent	1986-2016	Retention of sales records? (0 = no requirement, 0.5 = kept by seller, 1 = kept by state; multiplied by 0.5 if locally only)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
brifle	1986-2016	50 caliber rifles banned or regulated? (0 = no, 0.5 = regulated, 1 = banned)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bsbr	1986-2016	SBR (Short Barreled Rifle) (0 = prohibited in state law; 0.5 = not prohibited but regulated at state-local level OR not prohibited in law but virtually prohibited in practice; 1 = not prohibited by state law)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bsbs	1986-2016	SBS (Short Barreled Shotgun) (0 = prohibited in state law; 0.5 = not prohibited but regulated at state-local level OR not prohibited in law but virtually prohibited in practice; 1 = not prohibited by state law)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bsi	1986-2016	Concealed carry permits are shall-issue? (0 = no, 0.5 = theoretically yes but broad exceptions exist or theoretically may issue but effectively more like shall issue, 1 = yes, 2 = permit not needed)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

bss	1986-2016	Sound suppressor (silencers) (0 = prohibited in state law; 0.5 = not prohibited but regulated at state-local level OR not prohibited in law but virtually prohibited in practice; 1 = not prohibited by state law)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bssp	1986-2016	Store security precautions required? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bstheft	1986-2016	Gun dealer regulation: mandatory theft reporting of all firearms (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
btrain	1986-2016	Training or testing requirement for carry permit (0 = no/may carry without permit, 1 = yes/no permits)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
bwait	1986-2016	Waiting period on firearms purchases? (0 = no, 0.5 = some firearms, 1=all firearms)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

Labor Variables

Variable	Years	Description	Source(s) and Notes
antiinj	1913-1939	Did state adopt anti-injunction laws? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
fairemp	1945-1964	Did state adopt fair employment laws? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
fairtrade	1931-1969	Did state adopt fair trade laws? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
miglab	1943-1960	Did state adopt a migratory labor committee? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
minwage	1915-1965	Did state adopt a minimum wage law? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
right2work	1911-2001	Did state adopt right-to-work legislation? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
sals	1945-1965	Did state adopt seasonal agricultural labor standards? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
gagexem	2000-2015	Workers' compensation optional for certain agricultural workers? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gcomp	2000-2015	Workers' compensation mandated coverage index Predicted values: robust OLS regression of gcompcov on gcompman, $\ln(\text{gsbexem} + 1)$, gagexem	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gcompcov	2000-2015	WC-covered employees as a % of UI-covered employees	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gcompfnd	2000-2015	Workers' compensation funding index: $1 + \text{gprivins} + \text{gsselfins} - \text{gsfund}$	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gcompjob	2000-2016	Average compensation per job, dollars	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gminraw	2000-2016	Minimum wage rate (for 12/31/2006): \$5.15 if none or same as federal, for 12/31/2008 and 12/31/2010 and 12/31/2012 and 12/31/2014 and 12/31/2016: \$7.25 if none or same as federal. Rate for any increase scheduled to take effect in 2015 but later scheduled rate increases not included.	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gminwag	2000-2016	For states with higher than federal minimum wage: $(\text{gminraw} - [\text{federal minimum}] / \text{gcompjob}) * 1800$; 0 = otherwise	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gunion	2004-2014	Employees represented by unions as percentage of those employed, annual average	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gcompman	2000-2016	Employer-provided workers' compensation mandated? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gdisab	2000-2016	Short-term disability insurance program? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

geadl	2000-2016	Employment anti-discrimination law covering any non-federal category? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gleave	2000-2016	Paid family leave insurance program? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gnonc	2000-2016	Non-compete agreements permitted? (0 = no or generally no with an exception for trade secrets; 1 = yes or statutory prohibitions relaxed by court)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gosh	2014-2016	Does state have its own occupational safety and health agency? (0 = no, 0.5 = for public employees only, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gprev	2000-2014	Prevailing wage law? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gprivins	2000-2015	Private workers' compensation insurers permitted? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
grtw	2000-2016	General right-to-work law? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gsbexem	2000-2015	Workers' compensation optional for certain small businesses? (0 = no exemption, 1 = fewer than three employees, 2 = fewer than four employees, 3 = fewer than five employees)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gselfins	2000-2015	Employer self-insurance for workers' compensation permitted? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gsfund	2000-2015	State funds offer workers' compensation insurance? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
gverif	2000-2016	Employer verification of legal resident status (0 = not required of some private employers other than state contractors, 1 = required of some private employers other than state contractors)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
labor_age_discrimination	1936-1999	Does the state ban age discrimination? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
labor_antiinjunction_laws	1936-1966	Does the state have an anti-injunction law? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
labor_collective_bargaining_state	1966-1996	Does the state have collective bargaining rights for state government employees? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
labor_collective_bargaining_teachers	1960-1996	Does the state have collective bargaining rights for local teachers? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB

labor_merit_system	1936-1953	Does the state have a merit system for state employees? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
labor_minimumwage_men	1944-1968	Does the state have a minimum wage for men? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
labor_minimumwage_women_anymajor	1936-1980	Does the state have a minimum wage for women? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
labor_minwage_above_federal	1968-2012	Is the state's minimum wage above the federal level? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
labor_prevaling_wage_laws	1936-2014	Does the state have prevailing wage laws? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
labor_right_to_work	1944-2014	Is the state a right-to-work state? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
labor_state_disability_insurance	1945-2014	Does the state have a temporary disability insurance program? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
labor_state_retirement_system	1936-1960	Does the state have a pension system? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
labor_workers_compensation	1936-1947	Has the state established workers' compensation? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_labor_relations_acts	1937-1966	Does the state have a Labor Relations Act? (0 = no; 1 = patterned after Taft- Hartley Act; 2 = patterned after Wagner Act)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
w_labor_state_antidiscrimination	1965-1990	Does the state ban discrimination against disabled people? (0 = no; 1 = antidiscrimination law; 2 = reasonable accommodation law; see Jolls and Prescott (2004))	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB

x_labor_childlabor_ageleaveschool	1935	What is the age minors can drop out of school (14-18)?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
x_labor_childlabor_workpermitage	1936-1939	Does the state require employment certificates for child labor (14 and 15)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
z_labor_unemployment_compensation	1937-2014	What is the maximum weekly amount of unemployment benefits?	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB

Transportation Variables

Variable	Years	Description	Source(s) and Notes
allpass_seatbelt	1985-2007	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
bikehelmet	1989-2007	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
frontpass_seatbelt	1985-1995	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
helmetlaw_17	1980-2006	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
helmetlaw_learn	1980-2006	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
helmetlaw_pass	1980-2007	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
opencont	1980-2006	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

primaryenforce_ all	1985-2010	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
primaryenforce_ minor	1986-2007	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Silver, Diana, and Macinko, James. State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2014-09-24. https://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v3 Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
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autosaf	1959-1971	Did state adopt the automobile safety compact? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
childseat	1981-1984	Did state adopt child seatbelt requirement? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
conacchwy	1937-1960	Did state adopt controlled access highways? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
gdl	1996-2009	Did state adopt graduated driver's licensing program? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
kidhelmet	1992-2007	Did state adopt mandatory bicycle helmets for minors? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
motorhelm	1967-1985	Did state adopt motorcycle helmet requirement? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
primseat	1984-2004	Did state adopt primary seat belt laws? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
prkagcit	1919-1970	Did state adopt parking agency (enabling act) for cities? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
transport	1974-1991	Did state adopt strategic planning for transportation? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.

certificate_of_title_for_vesse ls	2013-2014	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
dalprdr	1957-2016	Automated License Plate Reader data use and retention (0 = no limits on data use and retention; 0.5 = use and data retention limited by AG opinion/directive; 1 = data use and retention limited by statute; 2 = significant statutory limits on use of ALPRs and retention of data/ALPRs do not exist)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dautopip	2006-2014	Personal injury protection (no-fault auto insurance) required? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dautouuc	2000-2016	Uninsured/underinsured coverage required? (0 = no, 0.5 = only mandatory if a liability policy is purchased, 1 = uninsured only, 2 = both)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dbeltenf	2000-2016	Standard (primary) enforcement of belt use for adults? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dbeltlaw	1957-2016	Seat belt law for adults? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dbelt	2000-2016	Seat belt index: dbeltlaw + dbeltenf	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dbike	2000-2016	Bicycle helmet law exists? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dcell	2000-2016	Statewide ban on handheld cell phones for all drivers? (0 = no, 1 = secondary, 2 = primary)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dfprint	2000-2016	Finger or thumb print required for driver's license? (0 = no, 0.5 = local, 1 = state)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dhellmall	2000-2016	Motorcycle helmet law covering all drivers? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dhellmpar	2000-2016	Motorcycle helmet law covering some riders? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dimmdl	2000-2016	Driver's licenses available to residents without SSNs? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ddllicren	2006-2017	Driver's license renewal cycle (in years, quantitative interpretation)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ddlstr	2006-2017	Driver's license renewal cycle (in years, with string descriptors)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dliab	2000-2016	Auto liability insurance required? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
docont	1982-2016	Open container law for automobile drivers or passengers? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dsobchk	2000-2016	Sobriety/safety checkpoints authorized? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

dttextban	2000-2016	Statewide texting ban for all drivers? (0 = none, 1 = secondary, 2 = primary)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
regulation_bicycle_helmets	1985-2014	Does the state require that people use helmets while on bicycles? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
regulation_mandatory_car_insurance	1945-1986	Does the state require drivers to obtain car insurance? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
regulation_mandatory_seatbelts	1984-2014	Does the state require the usage of seat belts (either primary or secondary enforcement)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
regulation_motorcycle_helmets	1967-2014	Does the state require the usage of helmets by people on motorcycles? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
transportation_controlledaccess	1937-1946	Does the state have controlled access highways? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
licdrivers	1994-2010	Number of people with state-issued driver's licenses	U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration. Highway Statistics. http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/policyinformation/statistics.cfm . Originally provided by Stateminder: A data visualization project from Georgetown University. http://stateminder.org/ (no longer accessible online)
seatbeltlaw	1985-2010	Presence of a law that requires safety belt use in motor vehicles ii) Coding: 0=no law present that year; 1=law applies to front seat passengers only; 2= law applies to all passengers in all seats	Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 Williams, Allan F., and Adrian K. Lund. 1986. "Seat belt use laws and occupant crash protection in the United States." <i>American Journal of Public Health</i> . 76(12): 1438-1442. Cohen, Alma, and Liran Einav. 2003. "The effects of mandatory seat belt laws on driving behavior and traffic fatalities." <i>Review of Economics and Statistics</i> 85(4): 828-843.
primaryenforce	1985-2010	Primary enforcement of seatbelt law which allows a police officer to stop and ticket a driver if s/he observes a violation.	Silver & Macinko (2013), from Insurance Institute for Highway Safety - Highway Loss Data Institute. Safety Belt and Child Restrain Laws. Available from: http://www.iihs.org/laws/SafetyBeltUse.aspx . Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2

sbmaxfine	1985-2010	Maximum fine for seatbelt nonuse (1st offense). Coding: Dollar value for driver (not passenger); 0=no law in that year	Silver & Macinko (2013), from Insurance Institute for Highway Safety - Highway Loss Data Institute. Safety Belt and Child Restrain Laws. Available from: http://www.iihs.org/laws/SafetyBeltUse.aspx . Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2
slrural	1980-2010	Speed limit for passenger vehicles on rural interstates. Coding: Numerical speed limit (in MPH)	Silver & Macinko (2013), from Insurance Institute for Highway Safety - Highway Loss Data Institute. Laws and Regulations. February 2010. Available from: http://www.iihs.org/laws/default.aspx . Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2
licactdy	1985-2003	Days of license suspension or revocation after 1st Conviction	Silver & Macinko (2013), from NIAAA (2004) Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Statewide Availability Data System II: 1933 - 2003, 2004, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Prevention Research Center: Berkeley, CA.
helmetlaw	1980-2010	Presence of any law that requires motorcycle helmet use (for all or some riders)	Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Statewide Availability Data System II: 1933 - 2003, 2004, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Prevention Research Center: Berkeley, CA. Insurance Institute for Highway Safety - Highway Loss Data Institute. Motorcycle and Bicycle Helmet Use Laws. Available from: http://www.iihs.org/laws/HelmetUseCurrent.aspx .
mileage	1980-2010	Miles of highway in the state	Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2 National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Statewide Availability Data System II: 1933 - 2003, 2004, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Prevention Research Center: Berkeley, CA. U.S. Census Bureau, Statistical Abstract of the United States, 1980-2011, Available at: http://www.census.gov/compendia/statab/ : Washington, DC. Federal Highway Administration, Highway Statistics 2010, in Highway Statistics Series 2012, Office of Highway Policy Information, Washington, DC.

mvregistration	1980-2010	Number of motor vehicle registrations for automobiles, trucks and buses	<p>Silver & Macinko (2013), from Census Bureau and FHA (2012) Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2</p> <p>National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Statewide Availability Data System II: 1933 - 2003, 2004, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Prevention Research Center: Berkeley, CA.</p> <p>U.S. Census Bureau, Statistical Abstract of the United States, 1980-2011, Available at: http://www.census.gov/compendia/statab/: Washington, DC.</p> <p>Federal Highway Administration, Highway Statistics 2010, in Highway Statistics Series 2012, Office of Highway Policy Information.: Washington, DC.</p>
vmt	1980-2010	Total annual vehicle miles of travel per state	<p>Silver & Macinko (2013), from FHA Macinko, James, Diana Silver, Jin Y. Bae, Geronimo Jimenez, Maggie Paul, and Ashley Mueller. The State Health Policy Research Dataset (SHEPRD): 1980-2010. ICPSR34789-v2. Ann Arbor, MI: Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research [distributor], 2013-12-16. http://doi.org/10.3886/ICPSR34789.v2</p> <p>National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Statewide Availability Data System II: 1933 - 2003, 2004, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Prevention Research Center: Berkeley, CA.</p> <p>Federal Highway Administration, Publications and Products - Office of Highway Policy Information, U.S. Department of Transportation, Editor Various Years.</p>

Miscellaneous Regulation Variables

Variable	Years	Description	Source(s) and Notes
beaulic	1914-1980	Did state adopt beauticians' licensing? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
intbar	1921-1956	Did state adopt an integrated bar? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
realest	1917-1964	Did state adopt real estate brokers' licensing? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
keduc	2010	Summed education/experience requirements for all occupations licensed	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
kexam	2010	Summed exam requirements for all occupations licensed	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
kfees	2010	Summed fees for all occupations licensed	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
klicsurv	2014	Percentage of workers requiring a license from survey data'	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
kloccs	1993	Number of licensed occupations	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
kloccs2	1993-2014	Number of licensed occupations, smaller set for which consistent time- series is available	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
kewl	1993-2016	Employment-weighted licensure	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
knccr	2006-2016	Scope of nurse practitioner practice: consumer choice rating (out of 100)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
kstat	2014-2016	Statutes mentioning the following phrases: 'no person shall practice,' 'shall not practice,' 'no person may practice,' 'may not practice,' 'no person shall act as,' 'no person may act as,' 'shall not act as,' 'may not act as,' 'must obtain a license,' 'must obtain certification' (excluding red-flagged statutes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
kstat2	2014-2016	Statutes mentioning following phrases: 'license required,' 'certification required' (excluding red-flagged statutes and obvious cross-references)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
kstatsum	2014-2016	Index of statutory mentions of regulatory keywords (kstat + kstat2 / 2)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
kdhind	2000-2016	May dental hygienists initiate treatment without dentist authorization? (0 = no, 0.5 = collaborative agreement required or significant locational restrictions, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
knce	2010-2010	Nursing consultation exception: state explicitly permits nurses to practice in- state if licensed elsewhere? (0 = no, 0.5 = with time limits, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

knlc	2000-2016	Member of Nurse Licensure Compact, permitting multistate practice? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
knbind	2000-2016	Are nurse practitioners allowed to practice independently from MDs? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
knbindex	2000-2016	Nurse practitioner independence index (2 = full authority; otherwise = knbind * knps)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
knps	2000-2016	May nurse practitioners prescribe controlled substances? (0 = no; 0.25 = with physician oversight may dispense or advise but may not write; 0.45 = only schedules 4 & 5 with physician oversight; 0.5 = with physician oversight only; 0.9 = only schedules 4 & 5 independently, others with physician oversight; 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
kpacs	2000-2016	May physician assistants prescribe controlled substances? (0 = no, 0.5 = limited, 1 = yes, all schedules)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ksunrise	1984-2014	Independent commission reviews new occupational licensing legislative proposals? (0 = no, 0.5 = limited, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ksunset	1984-2014	State licensing agencies automatically abolished unless legislatively reauthorized following independent sunset review? (0 = no, 0.5 = only for specified programs, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ktack	2012-2015	Thumbtack grade for licensing requirements (1 = A+, 2 = A, 3 = A-, 4 = B+, etc., 14 = F)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
nmoverlic	2000-2016	Household goods moving companies must obtain certificate of public convenience and necessity? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
licenses_accountants	1936-1951	State license required for accountants? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
licenses_architects	1936-1951	State license required for architects? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
licenses_beauticians	1936-1951	State license required for beauticians? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
licenses_chiropractors	1936-1951	State license required for chiropractors? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB

licenses_dentists	1936-1951	State license required for dentists? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
licenses_engineers	1936-1951	State license required for engineers? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
licenses_nurses	1936-1951	State license required for nurses? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
licenses_pharmacists	1936-1951	State license required for pharmacists? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
licenses_real_estate	1936-1951	Real estate licensing (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
adcom	1925-1939	Did state adopt advertising commissions? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
ccreceipt	1999-2008	Did state adopt restrictions on displaying credit card numbers on sales receipts? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
citzon	1913-1957	Did state adopt legislation enabling zoning in cities? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
cogrowman	1961-1998	Did state adopt planning laws requiring local/regional planners to coordinate growth management plan developments? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
credfreez	2001-2006	Did state adopt law limiting credit agencies from issuing a credit report without consumer consent? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
econdev	1981-1992	Did state adopt strategic planning for economic development? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
enterzone	1981-1992	Did state adopt state enterprise zones? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
foia	1900-2003	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
humrel	1945-1993	Did state adopt a human relations commission? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
idas	1993-2001	Did state adopt individual development accounts? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
lemon	1982-1984	Did state adopt lemon laws? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' State Politics & Policy Quarterly 12.3 (2012): 303-329.

livingwill	1976-1986	Did state adopt living wills? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
pestcomp	1968-2009	Did state join the interstate pest control compact? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
pldvpag	1935-1978	Did state adopt a planning/development agency? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
pubhouen	1933-1950	Did state adopt legislation enabling public housing? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
retainag	1957-1965	Did state adopt a retainers agreement? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
revenue	1981-1991	Did state adopt strategic planning for revenue? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
urbrenen	1941-1952	Did state adopt legislation enabling urban renewal? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Boehmke, Frederick J., and Paul Skinner. 'State policy innovativeness revisited.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 12.3 (2012): 303-329.
article_1_of_the_uniform_business	2015	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
assignment_of_rents_act	2007-2013	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
business_organizations_code	2015	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
commercial_real_estate_receive_rs	2017	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
common_interest_owners_bill_of_r	2010	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
common_interest_ownership_act_1	1983-1993	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
common_interest_ownership_act_2	2009-2010	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

computer_information_transaction	2000	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
condominium_act	1980-2010	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
conservation_ easement_act	1982-2005	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
consumer_credit_code	1969-1985	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
consumer_leases_act	2002	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
consumer_sales_practices	1972-1973	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
custodial_trust_act	1988-2007	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
debt_management_services_2011	2012	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
debt_management_services_act_2005	2006-2011	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
deceptive_trade_practices_act_1	1968-1973	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
disclaimer_of_property_interests	2000-2015	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

division_of_income_for_tax_purpose	1950-1983	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
dormant_mineral_interests_act	1987	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
emergency_volunteer_health_practice	2007-2016	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
eminent_domain_code	1985	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
entity_transactions_act_model	2007-2015	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
estate_tax_apportionment_and_pouro	1972-2011	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
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residential_mortgage_satisfaction	2005-2014	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
revised_uniform_unclaimed_property	2017	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
securities_act	2003-2016	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

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statutory_trust_entity_act	2012	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
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testamentary_conditions_to_trusts	1968-2009	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
tod_security_registration_act	1990-2005	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
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trust_decanting	2016-2017	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
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ucc_article_9_amendments	1973-2003	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
ucc_article_9_amendments_2010	2011-2015	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
unclaimed_property_act	1995-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
unclaimed_property_act_1952_1981	1968-1991	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
unincorporated_nonprofit_association_act_1992_1996	1993-2008	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7

unincorporated_ nonprofit_assoc iation_act_2008 _2011	2009-2015	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
vendor_and_purc haser_risk_act	1937-1997	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
voidable_transa ctions_act_amen dm	2015-2017	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
wills_recogniti on_act	1978-2010	0 = policy not adopted 1 = policy adopted	Uniform Law Commission website: http://www.uniformlaws.org/ Frederick J. Boehmke; Mark Brockway; Bruce Desmarais; Jeffrey J. Harden; Scott LaCombe; Fridolin Linder; Hanna Wallach, 2018, 'State Policy Innovation and Diffusion (SPID) Database v1.0', https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/CVYSR7
dfwks1	2000-2016	Roman candles, firecrackers, and skyrockets permitted, size limitations OK (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dfwks2	2000-2016	Some federally permitted fireworks legal (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dfwks3	2000-2016	Wire or wood sticks and/or novelty sparklers legal (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dfwks4	2000-2016	Fireworks sales legal year-round (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dfirewks	2000-2016	Fireworks index: (dfwks1 + dfwks2 + dfwks3) * (0.75 + 0.25 * dfwks4)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
dmma	2000-2016	Mixed martial arts legal? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
drawmilk	2000-2016	Raw cow milk sales legal for human consumption? 0 = no, 0.5 = only through 'cowshare' or similar programs (incl. de facto legalization), 1 = yes (retail or on farm)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fhc	2002-2009	Horizontal consistency (0 = none required, 1 = state merely assists localities, 2 = state requires intergovernmental coordination among neighboring jurisdictions)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fic	2002-2009	Internal consistency (0 = none required, 1 = state imposes requirement that zoning be based upon and consistent with the legally adopted comprehensive plan)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fv	2002-2009	Vertical consistency (0 = none, 1 = state merely assists localities, 2 = state imposes requirement that the local comprehensive plan of a city or county not conflict with plans of higher levels of government within the state)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

frent	2000-2016	Local rent control laws exist? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fspeech	2000-2016	Mandated free speech on private property? (0 = none, 0.5 = some government connection required/signature gathering only, 1 = malls or universities, 2 = malls & neighborhood associations or malls & universities, 3 = malls, universities, & neighborhood associations)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
drfra	2000-2016	Religious freedom restoration act 0 = no RFRA, 0.25 = applies only to land use, 0.5 = broad exemptions, 0.75 = only 'substantial burden' may generate compelling interest review, 1 = any burden or infringement serves as basis for 'compelling interest' review	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fconst	2000-2016	Constitution enshrines all additional restrictions on eminent domain (0 = no, 0.5 = only some restrictions on ED have been codified constitutionally, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
fprivate	2000-2016	Private property (0 = no effective restrictions on this type of eminent domain use, 0.5 = prohibits only some private-to-private transfers, 1 = prohibits private property taking for any private use, regardless of alleged public benefit)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
freform	2000-2016	Enacted eminent domain reform through legislation or initiative, or court decision putting strict limits on 'public use' (0 = no, including judicial action, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
frtp	2000-2016	Compensation required for or economic assessment required before regulatory taking (stricter than federal standard)? (0 = neither, 1 = one of the two, 2 = both; multiplied by 0.5 if applies to state government only, not localities)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
jclsifc	1990-2016	Cable legislation for state issued franchise companies (0 = no, 1 = yes, state has 'enacted legislation to promote effective competition among cable service providers')	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
jtderg	1990-2016	Telecommunication deregulation (0 = no, 1 = deregulation legislation passed and signed)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
niiprc	2000-2016	Member of interstate insurance product regulation compact (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ncon	2000-2016	Certificate of need requirement for hospitals? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
ndirect	2000-2016	Are certain categories of auto manufacturers allowed to sell directly to consumers? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.

nprice	2000-2016	Anti price gouging law? (0 = no, 0.5 = drugs only, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
nmarkup	2000-2016	Minimum markup/sales below cost law for gasoline? (0 = no, 1 = yes) (if nunfair = 1, nmarkup = 1)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
nunfair	2000-2016	All 'unfair' pricing strategies banned (general sales-below-cost law)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
nhoirr	2006-2016	State rate filing requirements: homeowners insurance -1 = state-set ('fixed and established'), -0.5 = 'large' (meaning 5% or more) state-mandated residual market (overrides any higher code), 0 = prior approval, 1 = flex rating, 2 = file and use, 3 = use and file, 4 = no file	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
nlirr	2006	State form filing requirements: life insurance (0 = prior approval, 1 = file and use, 2 = no file)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
npairr	2006-2016	State rate filing requirements: personal auto insurance -1 = state-set ('fixed and established'), -0.5 = prior approval but with 'large' (meaning 5% or more) state-mandated residual market, 0 = prior approval, 1 = flex rating, 2 = file and use, 3 = use and file, 4 = no file	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
nrcp	2006-2016	State rate classification prohibitions for some classes of insurance (age, gender, credit rating, territory, etc.)? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
nwcirr	2006	State rate filing requirements: workers comp (0 = prior approval, 1 = flex rating, 2 = file and use, 3 = use and file, 4 = no file)	Sorens, Jason, Fait Muedini, and William P. Ruger. 'State and Local Public Policies in 2006: A New Database.' <i>State Politics & Policy Quarterly</i> 8.3 (2008): 309-26.
regulation_boeh mke_cogrowman	1961-2007	Does the state have a law authorizing or requiring growth-management planning? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
regulation_boeh mke_livingwill	1976-1992	Does the state have a law permitting individuals control over the use of heroic medical treatment in the event of a terminal illness? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
regulation_hous ing_directstate ai	1939-1951	Does the state provide direct aid for urban housing? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
regulation_hous ing_enabling_fe deral_aid	1936-1953	Does the state have a law enabling federal housing aid? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB

regulation_rent_control	1950-2014	Does state prohibit the passage of rent control laws in its cities or municipalities? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
regulation_rfra	1993-2014	Did the state pass the Religious Freedom Restoration Act? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
regulation_sedition_laws	1936-1955	Does the state have anti-sedition laws? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
regulations_lem_onlaw	1970-2014	Did the state pass a law protecting consumers who purchase automobiles that fail after repeated repairs? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
regulations_state_debt_limitation	1936-1966	Does the state constitution restrict state debt issuance? (0 = no, 1 = yes)	Caughey, Devin, and Christopher Warshaw. 2015. 'The Dynamics of State Policy Liberalism, 1936-2014.' American Journal of Political Science, September. doi: 10.1111/ajps.12219. https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/ZXZMJB
