

**Codebook** –Matt Guardino, Jeffrey D. Pugh, and Kelsey Edmond. “Demanding Invisibility: Examining U.S. Attitudes toward Immigrant Political Engagement” (Forthcoming, *Political Research Quarterly*)

### **Recoded Variables**

- Family income [faminc\_new] – 1-5 (code 1 = low), 6-9 (code 2 = middle), 10-16 (code 3 = high)
- Admit same race [Q23\_1] – 1-2 = many or some (code 1); 3-4 = few or none (code 0)
- Admit different race [Q24\_2] – 1-2 = many or some (1); 3-4 = few or none (0)
- Admit different language [Q25\_3] – 1-2 = many or some (1); 3-4 = few or none (0)
- Admit different religion [Q26\_4] – 1-2 = many or some (1); 3-4 = few or none (0)
- Admit poor [Q27\_5] – 1-2 = many or some (1); 3-4 = few or none (0)
- Ideology Ordinal – 1-2 = liberal, 3 = moderate, 4-5 = conservative, 6 = not sure
- Ideo5recoded – 1 = very liberal, 2 = liberal, 3 = moderate, 4 = conservative, 5 = very conservative (excludes “not sure” responses)
- Dummy variable for “White” – 1 = white, 0 = all else
- Dummy variable for “Latinx” – 1 = Latinx, 0 = non-Latinx
- Age = 2021 – birth year
- Educ3 – 1= HS graduate or less; 2 = two-year degree/some college; 3 = four-year degree/post-grad
- Dummy variable for “Male” – 1 = male, 0 = all else
- Dummy variable for “Con” – 1 = conservative, 0 = all else
- Dummy variable for “Lib” – 1 = liberal, 0 = all else
- Dummy variable for “Mod” – 1 = moderate, 0 = all else
- Dummy variable for “HighAuth” – 1 = high authoritarianism, 0 = all else
- Dummy variable for “LowAuth” – 1 = low authoritarianism, 0 = all else
- Dummy variable for “HighSDO” – 1 = high SDO, 0 = all else
- Dummy variable for “LowSDO” – 1 = low SDO, 0 = all else
- RightToPetition [Q11\_1] – 1 = yes, 0 = all else
- RightToGovContact [Q12\_2] – 1 = yes, 0 = all else
- RightToMedia [Q13\_3] – 1 = yes, 0 = all else
- RightToProtest [Q14\_4] – 1 = yes, 0 = all else
- UndocumentedPetition [Q16multi\_1] – 1 = selected, 0 = all else
- UndocumentedProtest [Q16multi\_4] – 1 = selected, 0 = all else
- DecadePetition [Q17multi\_1] – 1 = selected, 0 = all else
- DecadeProtest [Q17multi\_4] – 1 = selected, 0 = all else
- EmployedPetition [Q18multi\_1] – 1 = selected, 0 = all else
- EmployedProtest [Q18multi\_4] – 1 = selected, 0 = all else
- VeteranPetition [Q21multi\_1] – 1 = selected, 0 = all else
- VeteranProtest [Q21multi\_4] – 1 = selected, 0 = all else
- TemporaryPetition [Q19multi\_1] – 1 = selected, 0 = all else
- TemporaryProtest [Q19multi\_4] – 1 = selected, 0 = all else
- PermanentPetition [Q20multi\_1] – 1 = selected, 0 = all else
- PermanentProtest [Q20multi\_4] – 1 = selected, 0 = all else
- NaturalizedPetition [Q22multi\_1] – 1 = selected, 0 = all else
- NaturalizedProtest [Q22multi\_4] – 1 = selected, 0 = all else

### **Scale construction**

**Authoritarianism** – Four-item battery of paired child-rearing preferences; three response choices (1 = first trait, 2 = second trait, 3 = both) [Q28-Q31]

- Coded “authoritarian” traits as 1, others = 0, “both” = 0.5
- Scores summed and means calculated
- Scale ranges from 0 to 1 (higher = stronger authoritarian values) [AuthoritarianComposite]
- Visually binned (0 - .33 = “Low,” .34 - .67 = “Moderate,” .68 - 1 = “High”) [Authoritarian3]

**Social dominance orientation** – Eight-question battery with 1-7 Likert scale [Q40-Q47]

- Reverse-coded Q42, Q43, Q46, Q47 to standardize scale direction
- Scores summed and means calculated
- Scale ranges from 1-7 (higher = greater support for social hierarchy) [SDOComposite]
- Visually binned (1 - 2.13 = “Low,” 2.14 - 3.5 = “Moderate,” 3.51 - 7 = “High”) [SDO3]

**Xenophobia** – Nine-question battery with 1-7 Likert scale [Q48-Q56]

- Scores summed and means calculated
- Scale ranges from 1-7 (higher = more xenophobic) [“XenophobiaComposite”]
- Visually binned (1 - 2.11 = “Low,” 2.12 - 4.22 = “Moderate,” 4.23 - 7 = “High”) [Xenophobia3]

**Social invisibility** – Four-question battery on acceptance of immigrant entry by cultural profile and country of origin (1 = “many,” 2 = “some,” 3 = “few,” 4 = “none”) [Q24\_2, Q25\_3, Q26\_4, Q27\_5]

- Scores summed
- Scale ranges from 4-16 (higher = more intolerant) [SIscale]

**Political invisibility** – Four-question battery of dichotomous support for/opposition to immigrant rights to sign petitions, contact government, contact media and protest nonviolently [Q11\_1, Q12\_2, Q13\_3, Q14\_4]

- Reverse-coded items to 0 = support, 1 = oppose [“RightToGovContactReverse,” “RightToMediaReverse,” “RightToPetitionReverse,” “RightToProtestReverse”]
- Scores summed
- Scale ranges from 0-4 (higher = more intolerant) [PI scale]

**Social distance** – Geographic location matrix for dichotomous acceptance/rejection of immigrants from five regions in varying social contexts (1 = would accept, 2 = would not accept) [q32v2\_a”- q36v2\_f1]

- Variable created for each region (range = 1-2) summarizing responses in that category (1 = total acceptance for region, 2 = total rejection for region)
- Means calculated for five regions (range = 1-2) summarizing general social attitudes toward immigrants (higher = less accepting) (1 = total acceptance, 2 = total rejection)
- Means calculated for Africa, Asia, Latin America and Middle East [Non-EuropeanSDComposite]
- “Non-EuropeanSDComposite” minus “EuropeanSDComposite” indicates relative preference for social contact with European immigrants
- Scale ranges from -1 to 1 (negative = greater acceptance of non-Europeans, 0 = neutral, positive = greater acceptance of Europeans) [DiffSD]