

Adaptations to Questionnaires and Factsheets

Caught in the Act of Protest:
Contextualizing Contestation

(CCC-project)



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INTRODUCTION

The CCC-project is an international project. Standardization is key. This document keeps track of all the changes that have been made to questions in the many different questionnaires and factsheets throughout the project. When working with particular variables, we advise you to always check this document first.

The structure of the document is as follows: for every type of questionnaire/factsheet, we list the changes made to questions and thus variables.

BEFORE DEMONSTRATION

AFO: Factsheet Organization before demonstration

- No changes have been made.

AQO: Questionnaire Organization before demonstration

- After the team meeting in Gothenburg (19-21 April 2013), a dummy variable was added to the input screen, asking whether the country team was able to contact organizers. If a team was unable to reach an organizer, they were asked to create an interview sheet for the interviewer, click 'no' to the question 'Did your team have any contact with an organizer with regard to this demonstration?', and write a rationale in the final "add comments" box of the questionnaire.
- Q7: 'Who is politically responsible for the issue? At which political level is the political competence to deal with the issue situated?' has two answer category forms in the data store. Initially it was a closed question (answers: local, regional, national, European, international or other...), allowing teams to select only one political level. Later on another question form was added with every political level as a dummy variable (0/1) allowing teams to select more than one political level.
- Questions about attention and position by politicians on the issue of the demonstration according to organizers were dropped, and moved to CFI.
- After the team meeting in Geneva (28-30 April, 2011), and deliberations with the Italian country team that had just joined the CCC project, 'mirroring'-questions on organization-police interaction were added to AQO and AQP. For AQO this meant that two questions were added:
 - Q17 (Did your organization have prior contact with the police on how the demonstration was to be conducted? (ORG_polcontA) If yes, how would you describe the climate of these conversations? (ORG_polcontB).
 - Q18 (Did the police set certain conditions for the conduction of the demonstration? (ORG_conditc) If yes, please specify which conditions (ORG_conditcom). The previous Question 17 (ORG_polreactA + ORG_polreactAcom) became Q19. Question 18 (ORG_polreactB + ORG_polreactBcom) became Q20. Q19 (ORG_atmo_before) became Q21.

AQP: Questionnaire Police before demonstration

- After the team meeting in Gothenburg (19-21 April 2012) a dummy variable was added to the input screen, asking whether the country team was able to contact the police.
- After the meeting in Geneva (28-30 April 2011), and discussions with the Italian country team that had recently joined the CCC project, ‘mirroring’-questions on organization-police interaction were added to AQO and AQP. For AQP this meant that five questions were added:
 - Q4) Does the police consider demonstrations on this issue, in general, as problematic or unproblematic? (POL_demreactA) Please specify your answer (if mentioned, also note down other relevant factors (POL_demreactAcom)).
 - Q5) Does your police department have experience with demonstrations organized by this group/these groups? (POL_demreactB) If yes, do you consider demonstrations organized by this group/these groups in general as problematic or unproblematic? (POL_demreactBcom) Please specify your answer (if mentioned, also note down relevant factors) (POL_demreactBcom).
 - Q6) Did your police department have prior contact with the organizers on how the demonstration was to be conducted? (POL_org_contA) If yes, how would you describe the climate of these conversations? (POL_orgcontB).
 - Q7) Did the police department set certain conditions for the conduction of the demonstration? (POL_condit) If yes, please specify which conditions (POL_conditcom).
 - Q8) What do you think about the overall atmosphere at the demonstration? Will it be... (POL_atmo_before) Peaceful – grim (Likert scale).

DURING DEMONSTRATION

BQC: Core Questionnaire

- After the Geneva meeting, Q6 was slightly changed. Whereas initially ‘friends and/or relatives’ was one company variable, they are separated now. Important: note that *relatives* has the variable label ‘q06comp4’ and *friends* has ‘q06comp8’. Always use the latest version of any syntax. In appendix you can find a list of all demonstrations and whether they used the old inclusive, or the new divided form of the variable. For demonstrations with the old version, the two separate friends and relatives dummies now both get the score ‘1’ in the data store.
- After the Geneva meeting, ‘United Nations’ was added as an extra category to Q26 measuring institutional trust.
- The first socio demo question about gender has been adapted for the LGBT demo’s. To keep the export manageable, the adaptations of the gender questionnaire were included as an extra question in the optional module. Subsequently, there are three versions of the gender question. In each demonstration *one* of these options was used: (1) the dummy ‘male/female’ version; (2) a ‘male, female, other please specify’ version, and (3) an open question “which is your gender identity” followed by the

closed question “which is your juridical/birth gender?” (male, female, do not want to answer).

BQF: F2F Questionnaire

- At the first few demonstrations that were covered, a longer F2F was held. During the team meeting in Barcelona (14-16 April, 2010), the country teams agreed that the F2F was too long. Subsequently, the following questions were deleted:
 - ‘How important do you find the following goal? Second, how effective do you think this demonstration will be in reaching these goals?’ (F16GOALIM1 + F16GOALEFF1)
 - ‘How determined were you to participate in the demonstration?’ (F12deter)
 - ‘To what extent do you identify with any of the organizations staging the demonstration?’ (F15IDORG)
 - ‘To what extent you agree or disagree with the following statements? I participate in this demonstration to ...? 1) Defend my interests. 2) Pressure politicians to make things change. 3) Because I felt morally obliged to do so.’ (F14WHYPAR1-3-6).
- In the following demonstrations, an additional question was asked:
 - “What is your country of birth?”
 - Stockholm, Against Racist Politics
 - Stockholm, Anti-nuclear demonstration
 - Malmö, May Day Left party 2011
 - Malmö, May Day SDP 2011
- In some demonstrations, not all F2F questions were included:
 - **Staging organization membership** was not asked in
 - Stockholm, Against Racist Politics
 - Stockholm, Anti-nuclear demonstration
 - Malmö, May Day Left party 2011
 - Malmö, May Day SDP 2011
 - Gothenburg, Rainbow Parade (LGBTQ festival) (2012)
 - **Year born** was not asked in
 - All Italian demonstrations except for ‘No Monti Day (Rome)’ and Florence 10+10.
 - **Education** was not asked in
 - All Italian demonstrations except for ‘No Monti Day (Rome)’ and Florence 10+10.
 - Madrid, Against labour law.
 - **Democratic Satisfaction AND Past Participation** was not asked in
 - Brussels, Climate Change
 - Brussels, March for Work
 - Bern, World march of Women
 - Barcelona, Against the Europe of Crisis, Capital and War
 - London, National Climate March
 - Utrecht, Beat the Heat
 - Santiago, Demonstration Against language Degree

- Madrid, Demonstration Against Abortion
- Rotterdam, Retirement Demonstration

BQI: Questionnaire Interviewers

- After the team meeting in Barcelona (14-16 April 2010), most of the questions were renumbered. Previously, the first four questions (1) name interviewer, 2) at how many demonstrations have you carried out interviews before?, 3) lsexex, 4) lrborn were not numbered. Now, they were. As a consequence, the other questions were renumbered too. Q1 (latmosph1-8) became Q5 (latmosph: *note other code, see below!*), Q2 (lpolice1-2) --> Q6, Q3 (lbehdem1-2) --> Q7, Q4 (lsecstew) --> Q8, Q5 (lintprotest) --> Q9, Q6 (no code) --> Q10 (l_geintprotest), Q7 (no code)--> Q11 (l_pointer + l_pointertime + l_pointermean), Q8 (no code) --> Q12 (l_F2F), Q9 (no code) --> Q13 (l_convtime), Q10 (no code) --> Q14 (l_F2Frefusal), Q11 (no code) --> Q15 (l_F2Fcorerefusal), Q12 (no code) --> Q16 (l_totalquest), Q13 (no code) --> Q17 (l_Corerefusal).
- Question 1 (latmosph1-8) – including the eight answer categories 1) agitated, 2) aggressive, 3) cheerful, 4) grim, 5) nervous, 6) peaceful, 7) relaxed and 8) lively – turned into Question 5 (latmosph) being a continuum ranging from peaceful to grim.

BFD: Factsheet demonstration

- After the meeting in Barcelona (14-16 April 2010), the questions were numbered. After Barcelona and the Geneva meeting (28-30 April 2011) some questions were altered and/or added.
- After Barcelona, Question 5 (not numbered as such) turned into Q16. The question was changed FROM 'Equipment and techniques used by police present at the demonstration (check all that apply)? INTO 'What police equipment was visibly deployed at the demonstration? (check all that apply) (DEMO_poleq1-18). With regard to the answer categories – 1) safety helmets; 2) usage of shields; 3) bullet proof vests; 4) other protective gear; 5) barricades; 6) police tape to restrict access; 7) police in civilian dress; 8) armor plated vehicles; 9) police helicopters; 10) mobile netting; 11) Bicycles; 12) Motorcycles; 13) Other specify... – the following were changed after the Barcelona meeting: 3) became: Stab-/Bullet-proof vests. 11 was deleted.
- Then, after the team meeting in Geneva (28-30 April 2011), and resulting from suggestions by the Italian team in May 2011 that just joined the CCC project, most answer categories of DEMO_poleq1-18 were altered. New categories: 1) 'Normal' uniforms', 2) Protective clothing, 3) Specialized dialogue police, 4) Safety helmets (visible, not worn), 5) Shields (visible, not worn), 6) Baton, 7) Weapon, 8) Flash grenades, 9) Fire hoses (water cannon), 10) Armor plated vehicles), 11) Helicopters, 12) Horses, 13) Police dogs, 14) Other, specify... The code for this question remained the same (DEMO_poleq1-18).
- After Barcelona, Question 6 (not numbered as such) turned into Q17. The question was slightly altered FROM 'Did the police actively use any of the following weapons/repressive measures? (no code) INTO 'Did you observe the police using any

of the following weapons/repressive measures?' (DEMO_polweapon_iso + DEMO_polweapon_wide + DEMO_polweapon_oth). The answer categories remained the same.

- After the team meeting in Geneva (28-30 April 2011), and resulting from suggestions by the Italian team in May 2011 that just joined the CCC project, the question was changed into 'What police intervention did you observe at the demonstration?'. Answer categories were added, deleted or changed in order. The new categories became: 1) Police filming or photographing demonstrators; 2) Specialized dialogue police intervening; 3) Helmets donned; 4) Shields taken up; 5) Forming a closed police line; 6) Pushing and shoving; 7) Use of baton; 8) Use of pepper spray; 9) Use of tear gas (by individual officers); 10) Use of tear gas bomb; 11) Use of fire hoses (water cannon); 12) Use of flash grenades; 13) Police using weapon(s) firing rubber, plastic or wooden bullets; 14) Using of tape to restrict access; 15) Use of mobile nets; 16) Putting up barricades; 17) Use of police dogs; 18) Deployment of mounted police; 19) Plain clothes snatch squads; 20) Other, specify... The codes are now DEMO_polweapon1-20; DEMO_polweapon_oth.
- After Barcelona, another question on the weather was added to this questionnaire: Q11 (DEMO_weather_before). Both for Q11 and the already existing Q10 (DEMO_weather) questions were added to indicate the temperature in Celcius (DEMO_cecl_before + DEMO_cecl)
- After Barcelona, the following questions were added (numbers from checklist 2010):
 - Q12) How did you experience the overall atmosphere at the demonstration. Was it... (DEM_atmosph)
 - Q13) How did you evaluate the behavior of the demonstrators at the demonstration? Were they...? (DEMO_beprot)
 - Q14) How did you evaluate the interaction between the demonstrators and the police? Was the interaction...? 1) Relaxed. 2) Cooperative. 3) Provocative against each other. 4) Aggressive against each other (DEMO_intpol)
 - Q15) How do you evaluate the behavior of the police at the demonstration? Were they...? Cooperative? Aggressive? (DEMO_bepol)
 - Q18) Open description of the demonstration not captured by the questions above (DEMO_open).

CQO: Questionnaire Organization after demonstration

- After the team meeting in Barcelona (14-16 April 2010), two questions were added:
 - Q1) Can you say to what extent... (ORG_outcom) 1) The demonstration will strengthen us as movement/organization; 2) The demonstration will increase the visibility of the issue; 3) The demonstration will change public opinion on the issue; 4) The demonstration will change the government/target's position on the issue.
 - Q2) How did you experience the overall atmosphere at the demonstration. Was it... (ORG_atmosph_after): Peaceful – Grim (Likert scale).
- After the Geneva Meeting (28-30 April 2011), and deliberations with the Italian team, two more questions were added:
 - Q3) How do you evaluate the behavior of the police at the demonstration? Were they... (ORG_bepol1-2) Cooperative? Aggressive?

- Q4) If your organization had prior contact with the police on how the demonstration was to be conducted, did the police keep their side of the agreement reached? (ORG_polcontcondit). If not, please specify your answer... (ORG_polcontconditcom). > Consequently, previous Q5 turned into Q7, Q6 > Q8 and Q7 > Q9.

CQP: Questionnaire Police after demonstration

- After the team meeting in Barcelona (14-16 April 2010), Q7 was slightly altered FROM 'Were people detained and if so for how many days' (no code) INTO 'Were people detained?' (POL_det).
- After the Geneva meeting, two questions were added:
 - Q9) If your police department had prior contact with the organizers on how the demonstration was to be conducted and certain conditions were set, did the organizers keep their side of the agreement reached? (POL_orgcontcondit). If not, please specify your answer (POL_orgcontconditcom)
 - Q10) How did you experience the overall atmosphere at the demonstration? Was it... peaceful – grim (Likert scale) (POL_atmosph_after).

CFP: Factsheet pointer

- No changes have been made.

CFI: Factsheet Issue Specific Mobilization context

- After the Barcelona meeting, some alterations were made:
 - Q1) A distinction was made between the number of people (IMC_large1) and the number of organizations (IMC_large2). The option 'extra comments and arguments' was deleted.
 - Q2 (IMC_cont): The answer categories were altered FROM 1) not contentious; 2) rather contentious; 3) quite contentious; 4) very contentious; and 5) extra comments and arguments INTO 1) not at all, 2) rather; 3) quite, 4) very.
 - Q4 (IMC_freq): The answer category 'extra comments' was deleted.
 - Q5 (IMC_cycle1) was altered FROM 'Is the demonstration part of a longer protest cycle? Have there been other events in the weeks, months, years before the covered demonstration on the issue?' INTO 'Have there been other events in the months before the covered demonstration on the same issue?' The answer categories remained the same.
- 6 Questions were added (numbers of questions are of checklist 2010):
 - Q5) Have there been other events in the months before the covered demonstration on the same issue? (IMC_cycle1).
 - Q6) Before this demonstration, in the past 10 years, is the issue relatively new as a demonstration issue or not? (IMC_cycle2).
 - Q7) Now before the demonstration, do the major political institutions (government, parliament etc. devote a lot of attention to the issue of the demonstration or not? (POL_attn).

- Q8) For each political party (government and opposition), does it have an explicit position on the issue at stake? And, is it in favor, against, neutral or divided towards the demonstration's claims?
- Q11) Please describe the real world situation/problem that is causing the issue to be contentious (IMC_problem).
- Q13) Are there any other public actors or figures that played a prominent role related to the issue? Actors that you think are important for the public debate on the issue (e.g. celebrities, NGO's, media, business corporations, scientific community...)? (no code)
- Because of adding new questions, some questions were renumbered: Q6 became Q9. Q7 --> Q10 (category 'extra comments and arguments' deleted). Q 9 --> Q12 (category 'extra comments and arguments' deleted).

CFM: Factsheet Media

- No changes have been made.

Table 1: Was the new or the old version of question 6 (core questionnaire) used?

ID (tableid)	DEMO	PLACE	COUNTRY	DATE	OLD OR NEW?
1	Climate Change	Brussels	Belgium	5/dec/09	old
2	Retirement demonstration	Rotterdam	The Netherlands	21/nov/09	old
3	Climate March	Copenhagen	Sweden	12/dec/09	old
4	March for Work	Brussels	Belgium	29/jan/10	old
5	Demonstration Against Abortion	Madrid	Spain	07/mar/10	old
6	World March of Women	Bern	Switzerland	13/mar/10	old
7	Against the Europe of Capital, Crisis and War	Barcelona	Spain	28/jan/10	old
8	National Climate March	London	United Kingdom	5/dec/09	old
9	May Day Labour March	London	United Kingdom	01/may/10	old
10	Climate demo	Utrecht	The Netherlands	12/dec/09	old
11	Take Back Parliament	London	United Kingdom	15/may/10	old
12	Student demo 1	Amsterdam	The Netherlands	21/may/10	old
13	1st of May March	Antwerp	Belgium	01/may/10	old
14	May 1st Demonstration	Zurich	Switzerland	01/may/10	old
15	May 1 March, Left Party	Stockholm	Sweden	01/may/10	old
16	Self-determination is democracy	Barcelona	Spain	12/jun/10	old
17	Demonstration against language decree	Santiago de Compostela	Spain	21/jan/10	old
18	Demonstration against the new labour law	Santiago de Compostela	Spain	30/jun/10	old
19	We are a nation, we decide	Barcelona	Spain	10/jul/10	old
20	No to Austerity	Brussels	Belgium	29/sep/10	old
21	1st May, Labour Day	Barcelona	Spain	01/may/10	old
22	Against Labor Law	Madrid	Spain	29/sep/10	old
23	No to Hate Crime Vigil	London	United Kingdom	23/oct/10	old
24	Unite Against Fascism National Demo	London	United Kingdom	6/nov/10	old
25	Fund Our Future: Stop Education Cuts	London	United Kingdom	10/nov/10	old
26	National Climate March 2010	London	United Kingdom	4/dec/10	old
27	Second Student National Demo	London	United Kingdom	9/dec/10	old
28	No Government, Great Country	Brussels	Belgium	23/jan/11	old

29	Against racist politics	Stockholm	Sweden	04/oct/10	old
30	Million Women Rise	London	United Kingdom	05/mar/11	old
31	Culture demo Amsterdam	Amsterdam	The Netherlands	20/nov/10	old
32	Culture demo Utrecht	Utrecht	The Netherlands	20/nov/10	old
33	Together strong for public work	The Hague	The Netherlands	17feb/11	old
34	Student demo 2	The Hague	The Netherlands	21/jan/11	old
36	'TUC's March for the Alternative	London	United Kingdom	26/mar/11	old
37	Not in Our Name	Brussels	Belgium	07/may/11	new
38	May 1 March, Social Democratic Party	Stockholm	Sweden	01/may/10	old
39	Euromayday	Milan	Italy	01/may/11	old
40	May Day	Florence	Italy	01/may/11	old
41	General Strike	Florence	Italy	06/may/11	old
42	Non-Profit Demonstration	Brussels	Belgium	29/mar/11	old
43	Anti-nuclear demonstration	Stockholm	Sweden	26/apr/11	new
45	May Day (Left Party)	Malmö	Sweden	01/may/11	new
46	May Day (SAP/LO)	Malmö	Sweden	01/may/11	new
47	Anti Nuclear demo	Amsterdam	The Netherlands	16/apr/11	new
48	Stop racism and exclusion	Amsterdam	The Netherlands	19/mar/11	new
49	Military demo	The Hague	The Netherlands	26/may/11	new
50	Celebration May Day	Vigo	Spain	01/may/11	old
51	Real Democracy Now!	Madrid	Spain	15/may/11	old
52	For employment, not capital reforms	Vigo	Spain	01/may/11	old
53	Marcia Perugia-Assisi	Assisi	Italy	25/sep/11	old
54	Stop budget cuts (care & welfare)	The Hague	The Netherlands	19/sep/11	new
55	We have alternatives	Brussels	Belgium	2/dec/11	new
56	Occupy London	London	United Kingdom	12/nov/11	new
57	Anti Nuclear Manifestation	Beznau	Switzerland	22/may/11	new
58	Gay Pride Geneva	Geneva	Switzerland	02/jul/11	new
59	Women demonstration Geneva	Geneva	Switzerland	14/jun/11	new
60	May 1ste demonstration 2011	Geneva	Switzerland	01/may/11	new

62	Fukushima never again	Brussels	Belgium	11/mar/12	new
63	Anti-nuclear	Mühleberg	Switzerland	11/mar/12	new
64	May Day (Left Party)	Gothenburg	Sweden	01/may/12	new
65	May Day (Social Democratic Party/LO)	Gothenburg	Sweden	01/may/12	new
66	Gay Pride	Bologna	Italy	09/jun/12	new
67	Rainbow Parade (LGBTQ festival)	Gothenburg	Sweden	03/jun/12	new
68	LGBT Pride March	Mexico City	Mexico	02/jun/12	old
69	OCT2	Mexico City	Mexico	02/oct/11	old
70	Labor Day	Mexico City	Mexico	01/may/12	old
71	'Anti-Peña'	Mexico City	Mexico	10/jun/12	old
72	Pride demonstration	Zurich	Switzerland	16/jun/12	new
73	London Pride Parade	London	United Kingdom	07/jul/12	new
74	Pink Saturday Parade Survey	Haarlem	The Netherlands	07/jul/12	new
75	Occupy Netherlands	A'dam, Utrecht, R'dam	The Netherlands	5/nov/11	new
76	Prague Pride	Prague	Czech Republic	18/aug/12	new
77	No Monti Day	Rome	Italy	27/okt/12	new
78	Asamblea AMLO	Mexico City	Mexico	09/sept/12	old
79	Florence 10+10	Florence	Italy	10/11/12	new
80	Stop the Government	Prague	Czech Republic	17/11/12	new