

Taiwan's Election and Democratization Study, 2012-2016(1/4): Benchmark Survey, 2013 (TEDS2013)

User guide

I. Overview

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Data Collection Duration	2013.06.22–2013.08.23

II. Released File Description

1. User guide

userguide.doc	including project overview, released file description, documentations for data validation and clean, note for usage etc.
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2. Questionnaire

Independence

TEDS2013_indQuen.pdf	Questionnaires for data collection
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3. Datasets

Independence

TEDS2013_indC.sav	SPSS dataset of Independence Sample Cover
TEDS2013_indQ.sav	SPSS dataset of Independence Sample

4. SPSS Syntax File

TEDS2013_indQ.sps	SPSS Syntax file of Independence Sample
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III. Guideline for data validation and usage

1. The Center for Survey Research (CSR), Research Center for Humanities and Social Sciences Academia Sinica, has checked wild codes and out-of-range values, to validate and clean data. There is no doubt about data accuracy after the validation.

2. Weighting:

The survey data are weighted by raking with gender, age (5 groups), education (5 groups), and area (6 regions), so we can generalize our samples to eligible voters in 2013. The demographic characteristics are based on “2012 Taiwan-Fuchien Demographic Fact Book Republic of China”, published by the Ministry of Interior Republic of China.

IV. Guideline for citation

Citation, based upon the requirement of various journals, theses or dissertations, can be revised.

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