

Table 1
The Effects of Various Components of Democracy on Public Service Provision, Sample 1

Independent Variable	DPT Immunization (%)	Measles Immunization (%)	Adult Literacy	Youth Literacy	Primary School Enrollment	Secondary School Enrollment	Life Expectancy	Infant Mortality	Public Spending on Education (% GDP)	Public Spending on Health (% GDP)
Constant	36.377** (12.278)	43.618** (12.736)	44.176*** (9.945)	58.744*** (9.365)	90.867*** (8.000)	33.977** (9.122)	50.653*** (3.294)	107.618*** (14.770)	3.055** (1.049)	.887 (2.274)
Civil Liberties	-.294 (2.961)	-1.125 (2.224)	4.429** (1.989)	3.729** (1.733)	.361 (2.178)	.272 (2.333)	1.825** (.650)	-5.758* (2.947)	.156 (.264)	.492 (.561)
ID	.906** (.399)	.981** (.409)	.195 (.182)	.012 (.160)	.250 (.236)	1.143*** (.260)	.122 (.083)	-.352 (.357)	.032 (.040)	.074** (.033)
W	22.144 (23.248)	20.489 (22.036)	9.405 (10.904)	9.394 (9.698)	8.102 (11.012)	-17.808 (12.505)	6.721 (4.003)	-28.251 (19.657)	-2.546** (.904)	-1.919 (1.687)
Polity	.082 (.745)	-.343 (.940)	-.494 (.488)	-.328 (.428)	-.246 (.471)	-.053 (.607)	-.345** (.150)	.706 (.867)	.105 (.062)	.001 (.086)
Real GDP per capita	.001 (.002)	.001 (.002)	.004** (.001)	.003** (.001)	.001 (.002)	.002 (.002)	.002*** (.0001)	-.006** (.002)	.0001 (.0001)	-.0001 (.0002)
R ²	.34	.27	.60	.54	.14	.43	.65	.56	.21	.25
N	114	113	114	114	108	100	114	114	105	102

Note Sample 1 consists of all observations for 19 Latin American countries for the years 1980, 1985, 1990, 1992, 1995, and 1997.

* $p \leq .10$. ** $p \leq .05$. *** $p \leq .001$

Table 2
The Effects of Various Components of Democracy on Public Service Provision, Sample 2

Independent Variable	DPT Immunization (%)	Measles Immunization (%)	Adult Literacy	Youth Literacy	Primary School Enrollment	Secondary School Enrollment	Life Expectancy	Infant Mortality	Public Spending on Education (% GDP)	Public Spending on Health (% GDP)
Constant	31.990** (12.986)	38.859** (13.721)	40.878*** (7.079)	58.204*** (7.921)	95.148*** (14.561)	27.225** (12.736)	46.947*** (2.290)	116.733*** (10.184)	3.729** (1.330)	-2.735 (5.673)
Civil Liberties	5.879* (3.113)	6.285** (2.510)	5.202** (2.274)	4.028** (1.909)	-.928 (2.115)	-.832 (2.822)	2.964*** (.772)	-10.848** (2.918)	-.148 (.234)	.377 (.495)
ID	.342 (.345)	.201 (.303)	.101 (.216)	-.009 (.199)	.406 (.331)	1.216*** (.304)	-.047 (.085)	.375 (.261)	.029 (.046)	.042 (.073)
W	44.564** (14.003)	28.822* (16.526)	15.551 (14.746)	11.640 (14.931)	10.596 (28.743)	6.386 (27.575)	12.610** (4.938)	-46.669** (17.511)	-2.333 (2.184)	4.257 (6.793)
Polity	-2.497** (.919)	-1.765* (.855)	-.435 (.850)	-.237 (.825)	-.347 (1.247)	-.909 (1.421)	-.537** (.225)	1.435 (1.072)	.180* (.091)	-.057 (.118)
Real GDP per capita	.0004 (.002)	.002 (.002)	.004** (.001)	.002** (.001)	.0001 (.001)	.002 (.001)	.002*** (.0002)	-.006*** (.001)	.0001 (.0002)	.0001 (.0002)
R ²	.39	.37	.70	.61	.13	.53	.80	.78	.18	.26
N	152	152	152	152	143	134	58	77	120	125

Note Sample 2 consists of all observations for 19 Latin American countries for the years 1991-1998

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Table 3

The Effects of Various Components of Democracy and Economic Growth on Public Service Provision, Sample 1

Independent Variable	DPT Immunization (%)	Measles Immunization (%)	Adult Literacy	Youth Literacy	Primary School Enrollment	Secondary School Enrollment	Life Expectancy	Infant Mortality	Public Spending on Education (% GDP)	Public Spending on Health (% GDP)
Constant	37.167** (13.158)	45.016** (13.338)	49.759*** (10.120)	63.201*** (9.631)	93.361*** (6.677)	38.483*** (8.142)	52.754*** (3.278)	99.236*** (15.585)	3.175** (.991)	.817 (2.316)
Civil Liberties	.081 (3.064)	-.717 (2.297)	5.983** (2.386)	5.070** (2.135)	.459 (2.032)	.847 (2.254)	2.369** (.721)	-8.099** (3.279)	.216 (.249)	.467 (.541)
ID	.977** (.380)	1.082** (.391)	.595** (.187)	.341** (.158)	.385* (.218)	1.422*** (.182)	.269** (.089)	-.954** (.382)	.044 (.037)	.068** (.031)
W	22.167 (25.063)	20.012 (23.580)	5.992 (10.237)	6.995 (9.445)	4.749 (10.852)	-22.162 (12.822)	5.303 (4.077)	-23.153 (20.501)	-2.513** (.891)	-1.879 (1.722)
Polity	-.024 (.654)	-.462 (.827)	-.848* (.445)	-.647 (.417)	-.203 (.467)	-.132 (.540)	-.463** (.166)	1.240 (.888)	.087 (.059)	.006 (.084)
GDP per capita Growth	2.811 (46.527)	11.128 (56.167)	58.091*** (16.944)	42.889** (12.778)	47.259** (16.959)	70.880** (32.296)	23.286** (8.043)	-86.934** (34.819)	.339 (2.187)	-.810 (1.745)
R ²	.34	.27	.46	.40	.16	.43	.55	.45	.20	.24
N	114	113	114	114	108	100	114	114	105	102

Note Sample 1 consists of all observations for 19 Latin American countries for the years 1980, 1985, 1990, 1992, 1995, and 1997. The variable "GDP per capita growth" is the percentage increase in real GDP per capita from that of the previous year.

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Table 4

The Effects of Various Components of Democracy and Economic Growth on Public Service Provision, Sample 2

Independent Variable	DPT Immunization (%)	Measles Immunization (%)	Adult Literacy	Youth Literacy	Primary School Enrollment	Secondary School Enrollment	Life Expectancy	Infant Mortality	Public Spending on Education (% GDP)	Public Spending on Health (% GDP)
Constant	34.396** (11.076)	43.569** (13.479)	49.807*** (10.208)	65.471*** (9.657)	95.647*** (13.805)	33.638** (13.834)	52.543*** (2.939)	92.041*** (12.872)	4.034** (1.225)	-2.317 (5.288)
Civil Liberties	5.481* (2.961)	6.46** (2.444)	6.113** (2.532)	4.796** (2.148)	-.908 (2.101)	-.736 (2.969)	3.205** (.962)	-12.947** (3.712)	-.091 (.221)	.405 (.529)
ID	.375 (.241)	.391 (.240)	.535** (.200)	.348** (.165)	.428 (.277)	1.459*** (.231)	.157* (.081)	-.378 (.267)	.045 (.040)	.053 (.059)
W	43.007** (12.251)	24.400 (16.133)	6.350 (12.405)	4.112 (12.316)	10.170 (28.072)	1.291 (26.888)	6.281 (4.406)	-12.641 (16.872)	-2.632 (1.865)	3.774 (6.470)
Polity	-2.494** (.917)	-1.803* (.919)	-.534 (.840)	-.319 (.792)	-.353 (1.236)	-.997 (1.312)	-.562* (.298)	1.265 (1.328)	.172 (.102)	-.065 (.127)
GDP per capita Growth	53.245** (20.384)	32.514 (24.083)	18.799 (23.514)	13.258 (20.199)	3.328 (24.016)	58.430** (13.835)	14.775* (8.078)	-42.020 (36.447)	-2.163 (1.835)	-1.850 (3.618)
R ²	.41	.36	.56	.46	.13	.51	.64	.60	.16	.26
N	152	152	152	152	143	134	58	77	120	125

Note Sample 2 consists of all observations for 19 Latin American countries for the years 1991-1998.

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Table 5

The Effects of Various Components of Democracy on Public Service Provision at Lower Levels of GDP per capita, Sample 1

Independent Variable	DPT Immunization (%)	Measles Immunization (%)	Adult Literacy	Youth Literacy	Primary School Enrollment	Secondary School Enrollment	Life Expectancy	Infant Mortality	Public Spending on Education (% GDP)	Public Spending on Health (% GDP)
Constant	28.595** (10.001)	34.027** (10.925)	36.799*** (8.361)	52.616*** (8.763)	86.679*** (7.378)	26.450** (2.681)	48.436*** (2.891)	116.539*** (13.861)	2.733** (1.009)	.101 (2.714)
Civil Liberties	-1.479 (2.960)	-1.615 (2.421)	2.931* (1.608)	2.503 (1.433)	.047 (2.554)	-1.120 (2.681)	1.420** (.473)	-3.960 (2.724)	.232 (.188)	..657 (.504)
ID	.816 (.506)	.761 (.474)	.176 (.206)	.018 (.195)	.349 (.235)	.803*** (.181)	.163* (.085)	-.405 (.438)	.083* (.042)	.072 (.045)
W	29.022 (21.382)	30.388 (20.224)	9.725 (11.673)	8.755 (10.555)	7.051 (12.044)	-11.678 (11.771)	7.148* (3.735)	-31.055 (18.867)	-3.460*** (.882)	-1.815 (1.784)
Polity	.105 (.785)	-.393 (1.025)	-.230 (.525)	-.112 (.465)	.034 (.493)	.412 (.542)	-.314** (.141)	.602 (.895)	.095* (.050)	-.011 (.082)
Real GDP per capita	.004 (.005)	.004 (.004)	.009** (.002)	.007** (.002)	.003 (.002)	.007** (.003)	.003** (.001)	-.012** (.005)	.000 (.000)	.000 (.000)
R ²	.33	.24	.66	.61	.22	.44	.65	.53	.34	.25
N	87	86	87	87	84	78	87	87	80	75

Note Sample 1 consists of all observations for 19 Latin American countries for the years 1980, 1985, 1990, 1992, 1995, and 1997; “lower levels of GDP per capita” refers to observations where real GDP per capita was below \$4365

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Table 6

The Effects of Various Components of Democracy on Public Service Provision at Lower Levels of GDP per capita, Sample 2

Independent Variable	DPT Immunization (%)	Measles Immunization (%)	Adult Literacy	Youth Literacy	Primary School Enrollment	Secondary School Enrollment	Life Expectancy	Infant Mortality	Public Spending on Education (% GDP)	Public Spending on Health (% GDP)
Constant	26.311** (11.646)	30.454** (11.946)	36.688*** (8.294)	54.491*** (9.012)	89.969*** (13.070)	23.957* (12.899)	46.054*** (2.567)	117.351*** (11.512)	3.380** (.864)	-7.772 (5.805)
Civil Liberties	5.508 (3.577)	6.796** (2.714)	6.041** (2.384)	4.991** (1.822)	-.307 (2.312)	-2.356 (2.493)	3.264** (.834)	-11.460** (3.469)	-.135 (.224)	.285 (.558)
ID	.226 (.461)	.046 (.381)	.038 (.280)	-.046 (.257)	.491 (.389)	.922* (.450)	-.003 (.116)	.450 (.439)	.126*** (.030)	.036 (.068)
W	45.137** (12.790)	32.912** (14.769)	4.404 (16.048)	.540 (15.575)	6.957 (31.677)	13.286 (31.714)	8.493 (4.809)	-29.829 (17.805)	-3.217* (1.508)	10.653 (7.894)
Polity	-2.254** (.924)	-1.885** (.872)	-.659 (.708)	-.437 (.761)	-.141 (1.436)	-.757 (1.532)	-.623** (.232)	1.733 (1.033)	.214** (.079)	.085 (.082)
Real GDP per capita	.003 (.004)	.004 (.004)	.009*** (.002)	.008** (.002)	.002 (.002)	.005 (.004)	.003** (.001)	-.012** (.004)	-.000 (.000)	-.000 (.001)
R ²	.43	.41	.75	.69	.19	.38	.82	.77	.50	.45
N	109	109	109	109	104	98	41	47	85	87

Note Sample 2 consists of all observations for 19 Latin American countries for the years 1991-1998; "lower levels of GDP per capita" refers to observations where real GDP per capita was below \$4365

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