

## Supplementary Appendix

TABLE A.1: Observed Regional Autonomy and the Commitment Problem, Minority Size. Federalism continuous measure

	(1) Observed Regional Autonomy	(2) Observed Regional Autonomy	(3) Observed Regional Autonomy
Minority Size	2.79 (1.88)	-0.58 (0.63)	-0.13 (1.50)
Constitutional Rigidity			
X Minority Size	-0.89 (0.63)	0.07 (0.11)	-0.05 (0.42)
Federalism X			
Minority Size	-0.88* (0.39)	-0.32*** (0.09)	-0.37 (0.27)
Constitutional Rigidity			
X Federalism X			
Minority Size	0.25* (0.13)	0.09*** (0.02)	0.11 (0.08)
Regional Controls	No	Yes	Yes
Extended Regional Controls	No	No	Yes
Country FEs	No	No	No
Mean Dep. Var	0.67	0.66	0.66
$R^2$	0.71	0.75	0.76
N	188	166	164
Number of countries	9	8	8

Standard errors clustered at the country level in parentheses.

Regional Controls: Regional income, Relative regional population.

Extended Regional Controls: Gini.

\*  $p < 0.10$ , \*\*  $p < 0.05$ , \*\*\*  $p < 0.01$ .

TABLE A.2: Observed Regional Autonomy and the Commitment Problem, Political Conflict Federalism continuous measure

	(1) Observed Regional Autonomy	(2) Observed Regional Autonomy	(3) Observed Regional Autonomy
Sovereignty demands	0.22* (0.13)	0.58* (0.27)	0.55* (0.25)
Constitutional Rigidity			
X Sovereignty demands	0.04 (0.04)	-0.16 (0.15)	-0.15 (0.13)
Federalism X			
Sovereignty demands	-0.29** (0.10)	-0.29*** (0.07)	-0.28*** (0.07)
Constitutional Rigidity			
X Federalism X			
Sovereignty demands	0.06* (0.03)	0.08** (0.03)	0.08** (0.03)
Regional Controls	No	Yes	Yes
Extended Regional Controls	No	No	Yes
Country FEs	Yes	Yes	Yes
Mean Dep. Var	0.71	0.70	0.70
R <sup>2</sup>	0.72	0.73	0.74
N	247	222	220
Number of countries	13	12	12

Standard errors clustered at the country level in parentheses.

Regional Controls: Regional income, Relative regional population.

Extended Regional Controls: Gini.

\*  $p < 0.10$ , \*\*  $p < 0.05$ , \*\*\*  $p < 0.01$ .