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Figure A-1: Placebo: River as Boundary

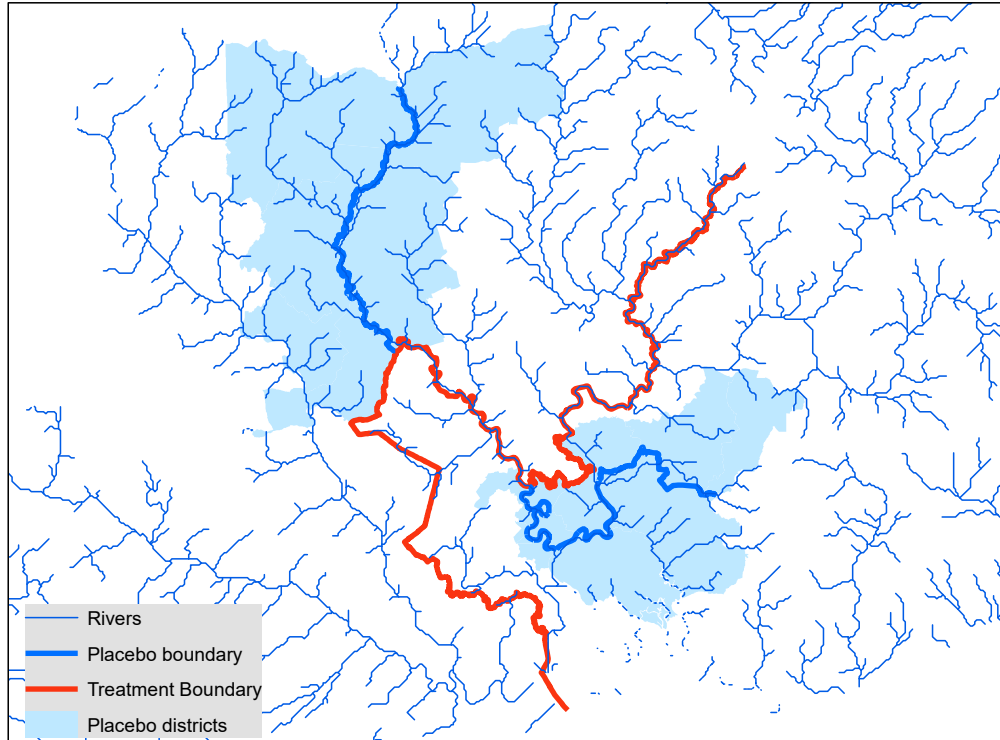
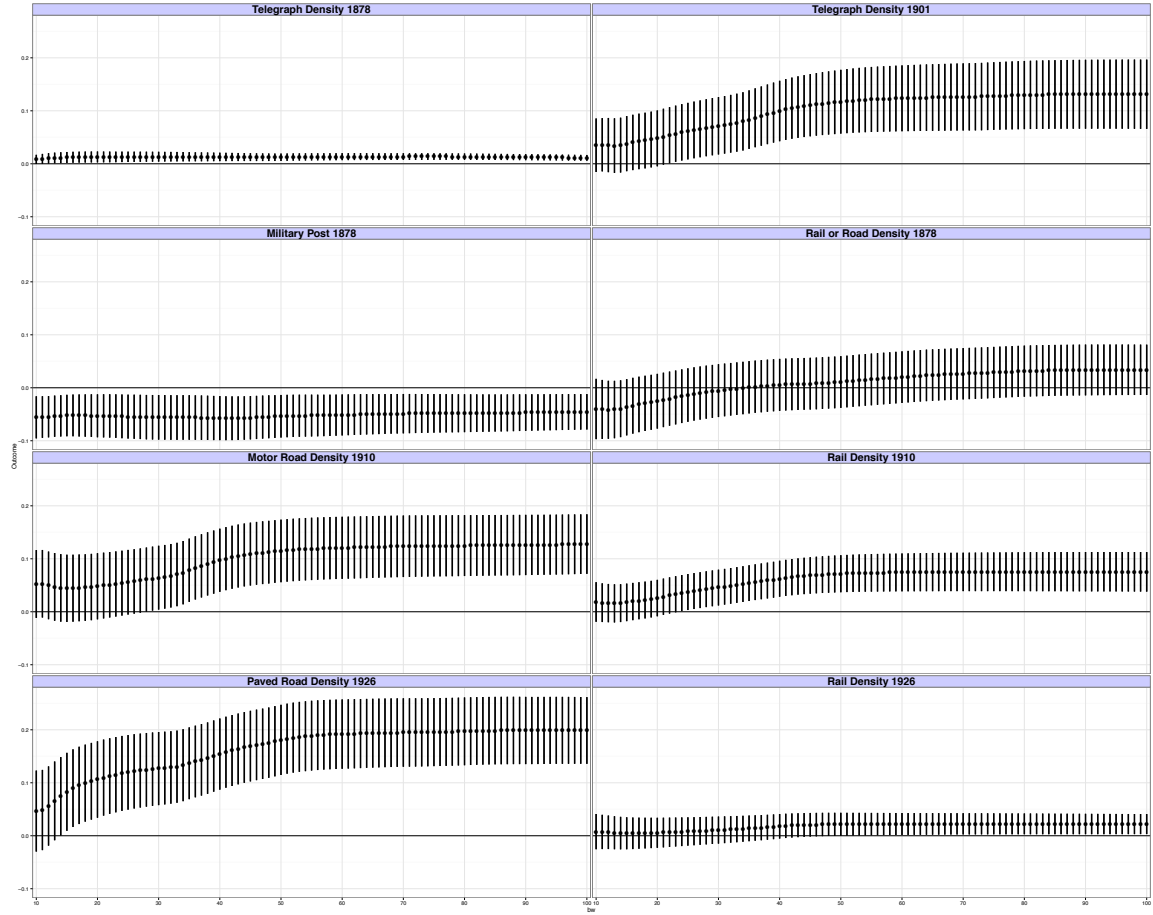
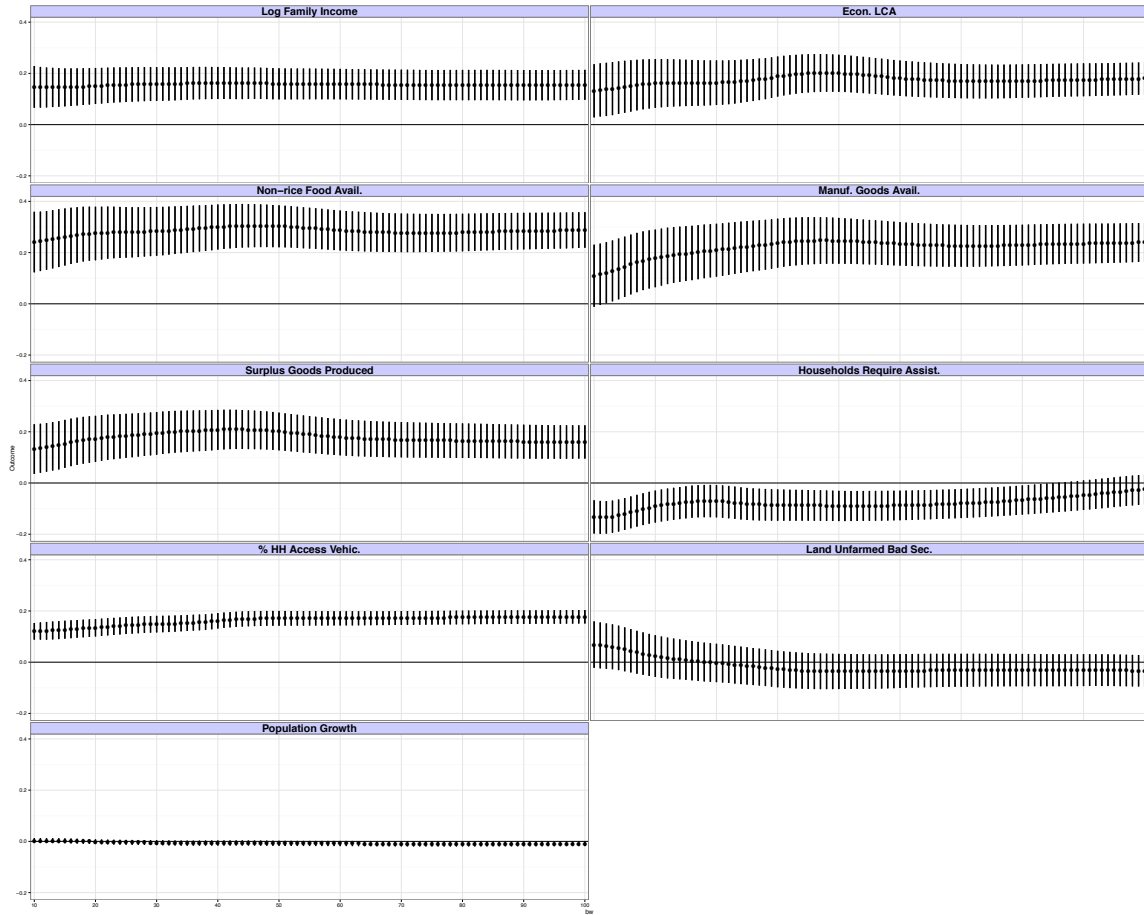


Figure A-2: Alternative Bandwidths: Economic Outcomes During the Colonial Period



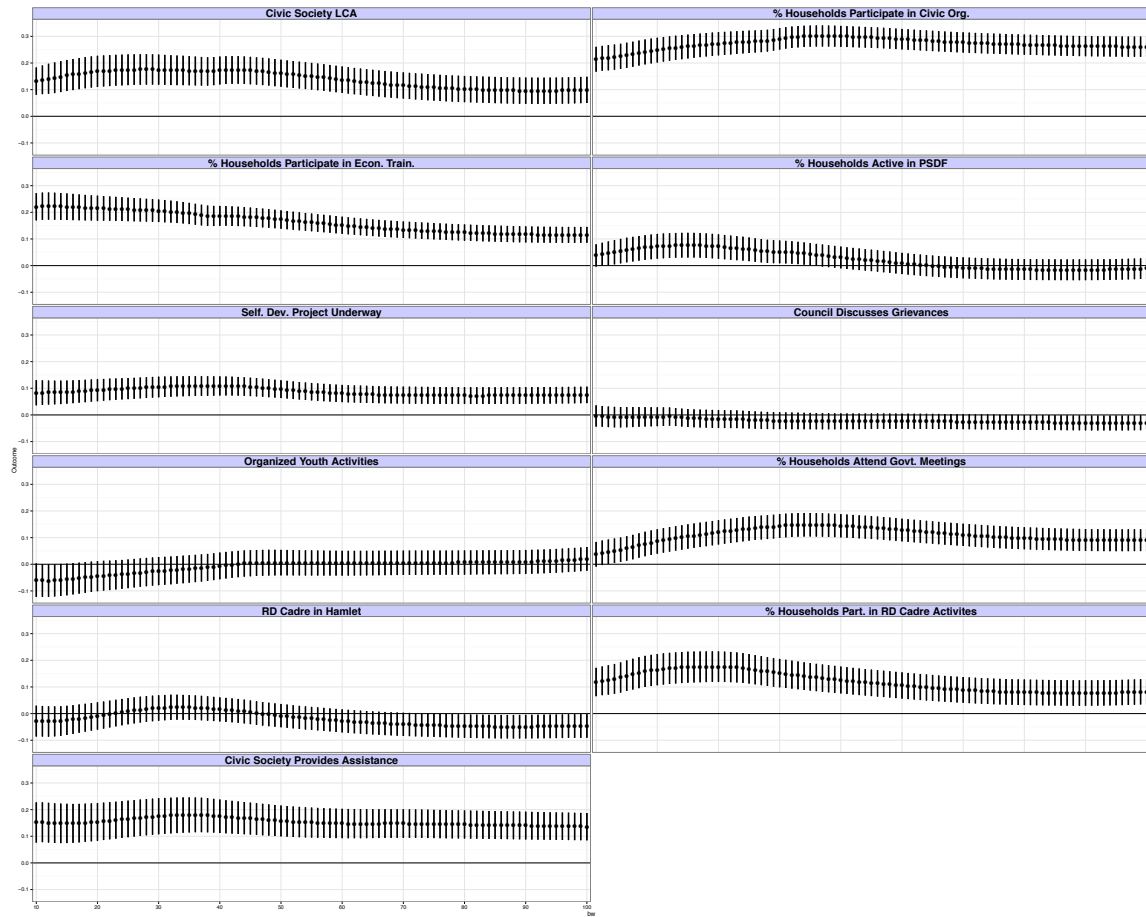
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Figure A-3: Alternative Bandwidths: Economic Outcomes (1969-1973)



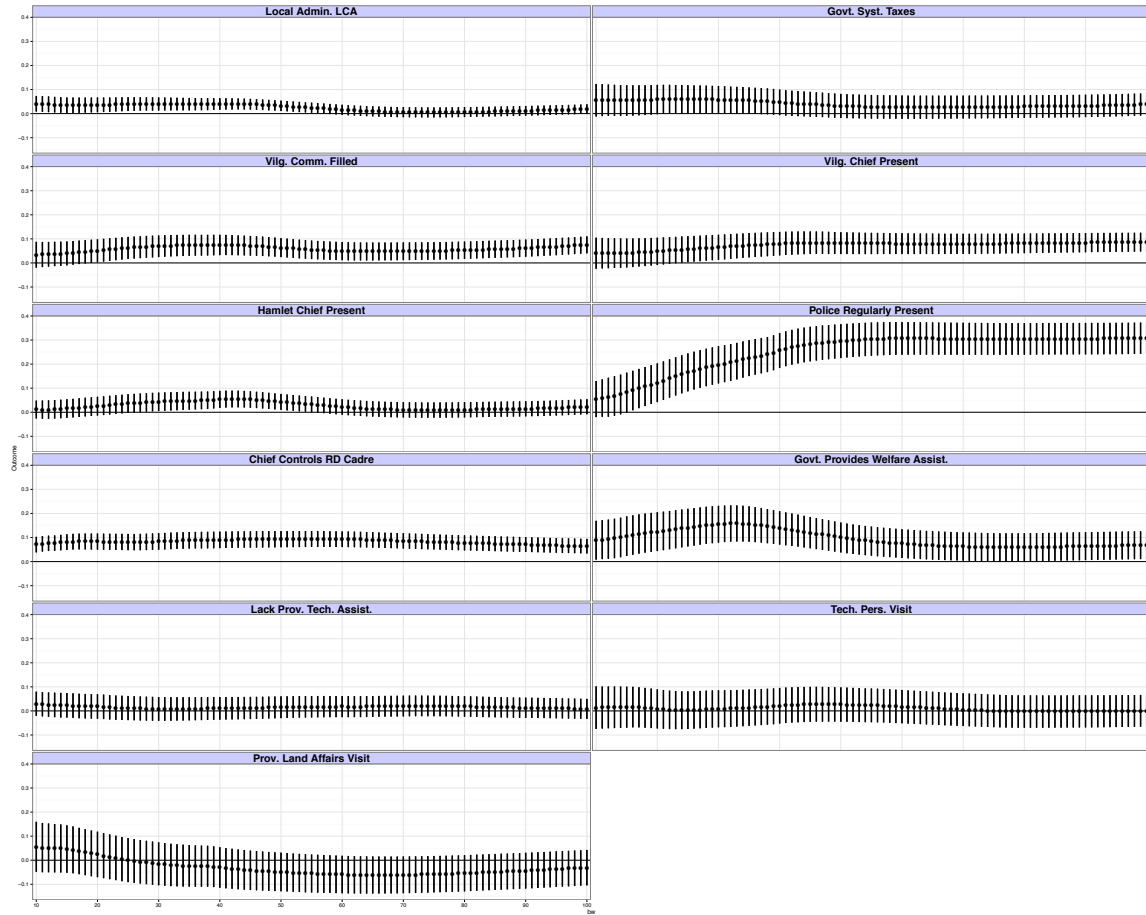
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Figure A-4: Alternative Bandwidths: Civil Society



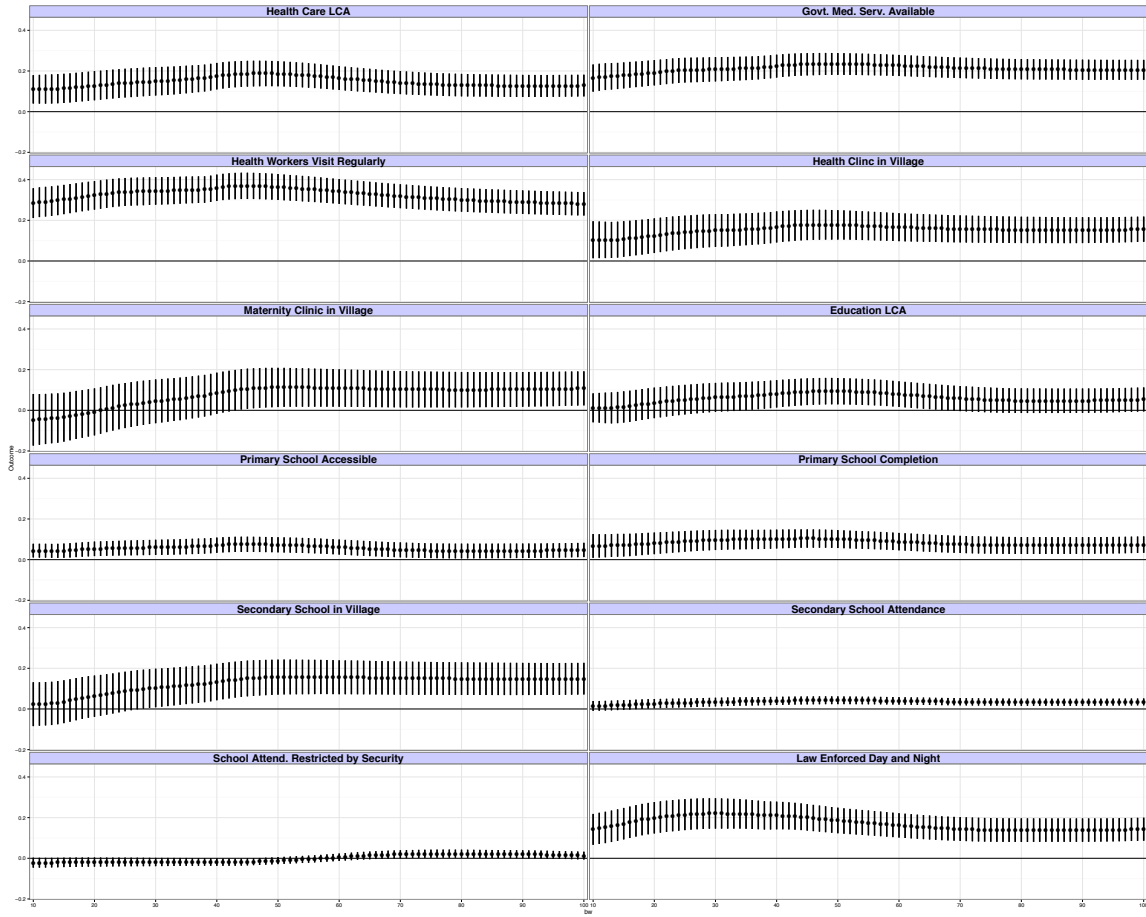
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Figure A-5: Alternative Bandwidths: Local Administration



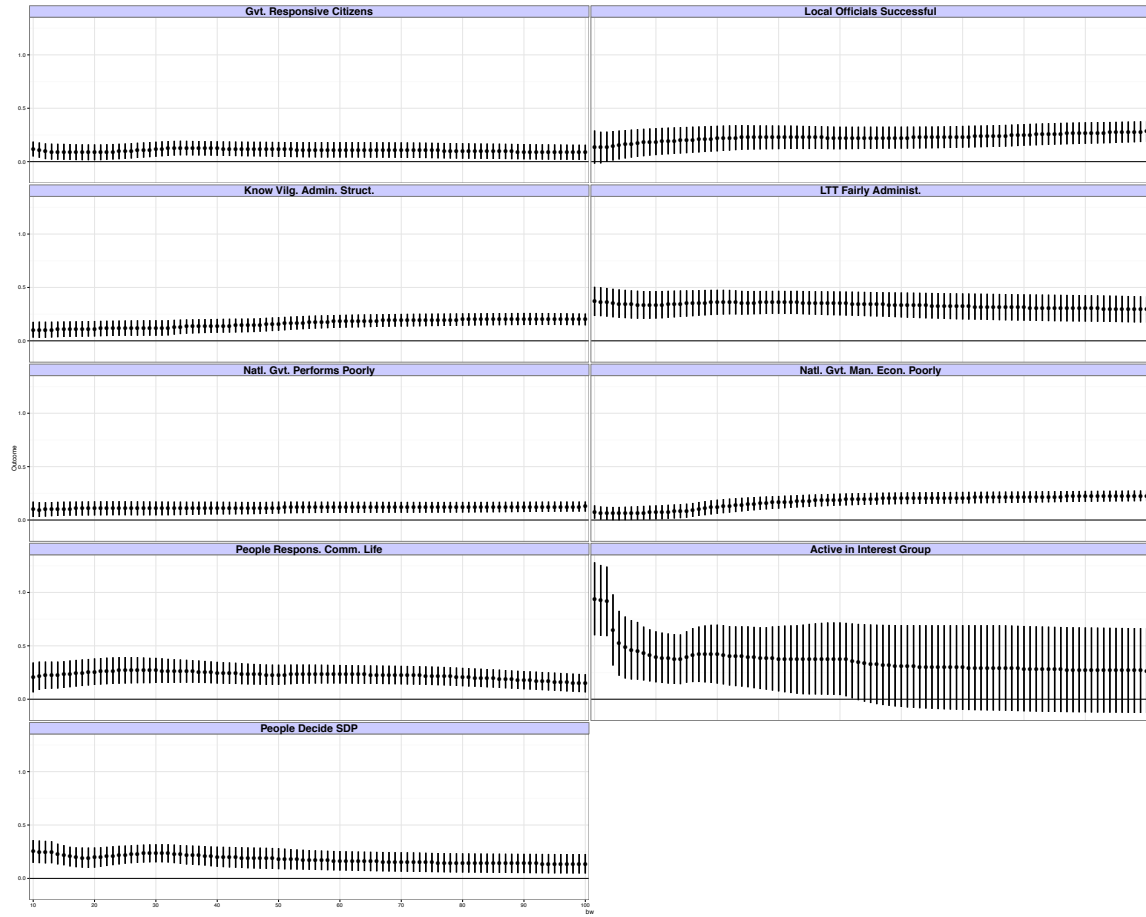
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Figure A-6: Alternative Bandwidths: Public Goods



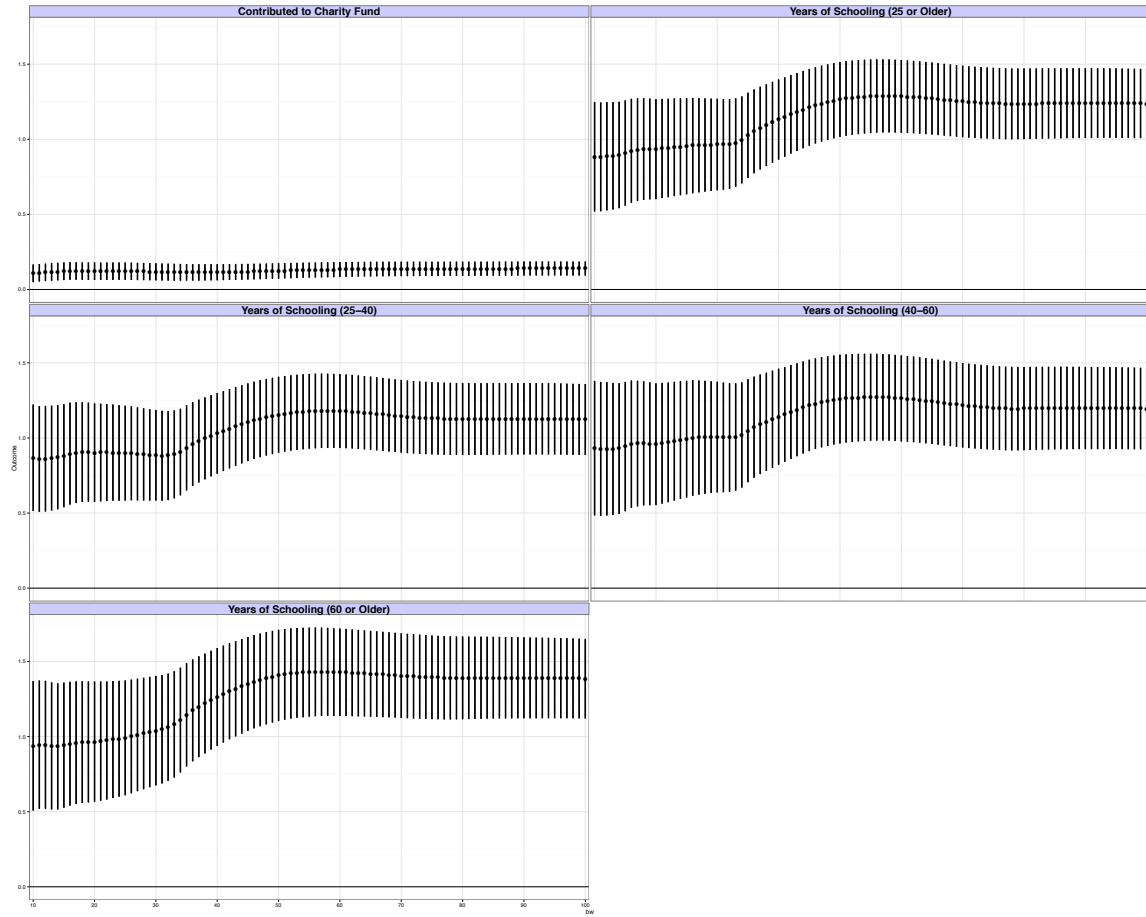
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Figure A-7: Alternative Bandwidths: Public Opinion



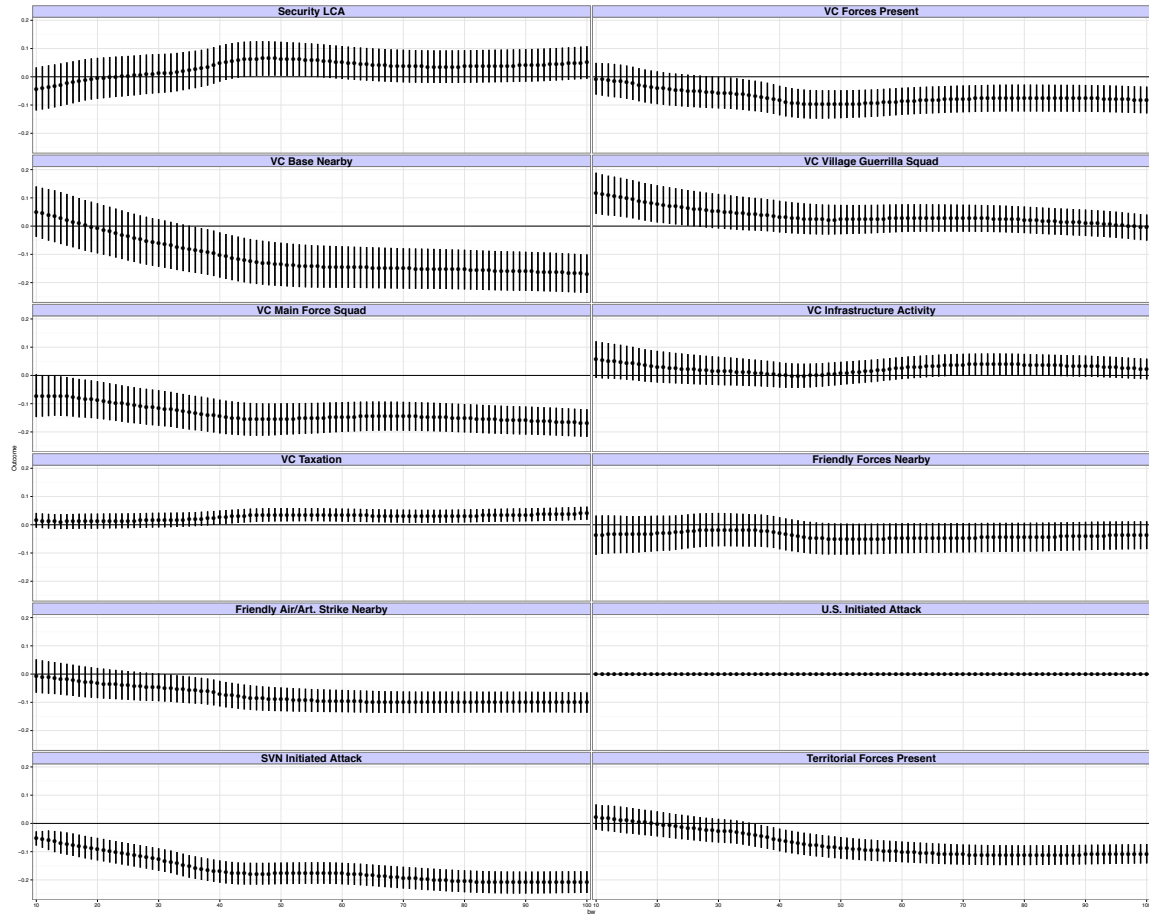
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Figure A-8: Alternative Bandwidths: Modern Outcomes



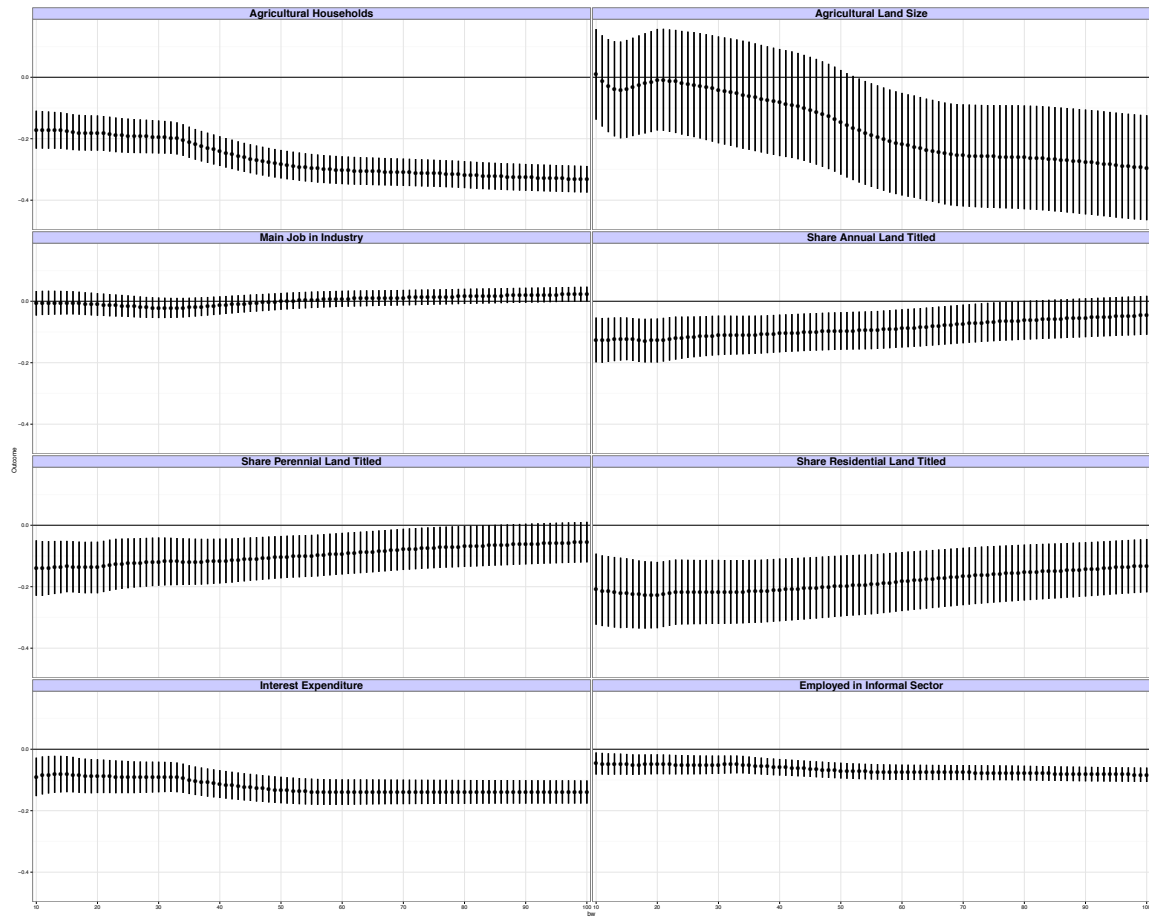
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Figure A-9: Alternative Bandwidths: Security



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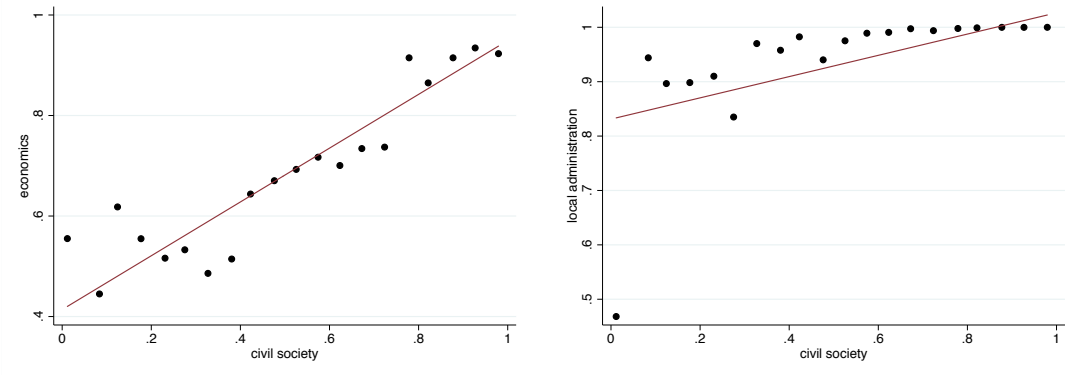
Figure A-10: Alternative Bandwidths: Other Mechanisms



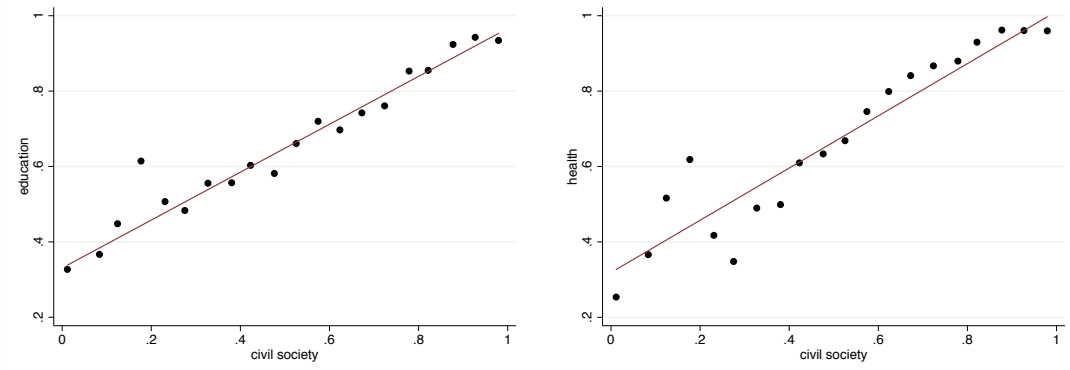
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Figure A-11: Correlation Plots

(a) *Economic Index and Civil Society Index* (b) *Local Admin Index and Civil Society Index*



(c) *Education Index and Civil Society Index* (d) *Health Care Index and Civil Society Index*



Notes: Each point is an outcome averaged within a bin. The regression line is fit on the raw data.

Table A-1: Contemporary Household Consumption Including Panel Households

Dependent variable is log household expenditure. Specification is:												
	Lat-Lon	Dist. Bnd. Polynomial	Lat-Lon & Dist.	No Urban HCMC	No HCM Prov.	No Prov. Cap.	No River	Only Bnd.	Consist. Prov. FE	Trim For Migr.	25 to 100 Km	All SVN
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Dai Viet	0.299 (0.050)	0.230 (0.055)	0.249 (0.055)	0.302 (0.050)	0.288 (0.071)	0.291 (0.053)	0.294 (0.060)	0.281 (0.070)	0.389 (0.060)	0.252 (0.047)	0.309 (0.080)	0.348 (0.023)
Obs	5,539	5,539	5,539	4,462	3,296	3,690	4,612	927	5,539	5,446	8,734	32,848
Clusters	455	455	455	367	263	315	379	76	455	455	689	2686

The unit of analysis is the household. Columns (1) and (3) through (11) include a linear polynomial in latitude and longitude, and columns (2) and (3) include a linear polynomial in distance to the boundary. All columns include a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, demographic controls for the number of infants, children, and adults in the household, and year fixed effects. Columns (1) through (11) include boundary segment fixed effects, and column (9) includes consistent province fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-2: Contemporary Household Consumption Including Transfers

Dependent variable is log household expenditure. Specification is:												
	Lat-Lon	Dist. Bnd. Polynomial	Lat-Lon & Dist.	No Urban HCMC	No HCM Prov.	No Prov. Cap.	No River	Only Bnd.	Consist. Prov. FE	Trim For Migr.	25 to 100 Km	All SVN
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Dai Viet	0.315 (0.044)	0.257 (0.048)	0.272 (0.048)	0.283 (0.049)	0.321 (0.045)	0.300 (0.070)	0.284 (0.052)	0.359 (0.062)	0.356 (0.053)	0.303 (0.043)	0.390 (0.079)	0.367 (0.024)
Obs	4,452	4,452	4,452	2,956	3,588	2,635	3,710	742	4,452	4,294	6,955	26,247
Clusters	450	450	450	312	362	258	374	76	450	450	670	2581

The unit of analysis is the household. Columns (1) and (3) through (11) include a linear polynomial in latitude and longitude, and columns (2) and (3) include a linear polynomial in distance to the boundary. All columns include a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, demographic controls for the number of infants, children, and adults in the household, and year fixed effects. Columns (1) through (11) include boundary segment fixed effects, and column (9) includes consistent province fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-3: 100 Kilometer Boundary Segment Fixed Effects

Dependent variable is log household expenditure. Specification is:												
	Lat-Lon	Dist. Bnd. Polynomial	Lat-Lon & Dist.	No Urban HCMC	No HCM Prov.	No Prov. Cap.	No River	Only Bnd.	Consist. Prov. FE	Trim For Migr.	25 to 100 Km	All SVN
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Dai Viet	0.256 (0.043)	0.234 (0.059)	0.242 (0.061)	0.247 (0.044)	0.177 (0.064)	0.338 (0.055)	0.311 (0.065)	0.340 (0.084)	0.301 (0.060)	0.210 (0.040)	0.221 (0.068)	0.351 (0.026)
Obs	4,319	4,319	4,319	3,483	2,565	2,866	3,597	722	4,319	4,240	6,789	25,617
Clusters	450	450	450	362	258	312	374	76	450	450	670	2581

The unit of analysis is the household. Columns (1) and (3) through (11) include a linear polynomial in latitude and longitude, and columns (2) and (3) include a linear polynomial in distance to the boundary. All columns include a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, demographic controls for the number of infants, children, and adults in the household, and year fixed effects. Columns (1) through (11) include boundary segment fixed effects, and column (9) includes consistent province fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-4: 75 Kilometer Boundary Segment Fixed Effects

Dependent variable is log household expenditure. Specification is:												
	Lat-Lon	Dist. Bnd. Polynomial	Lat-Lon & Dist.	No Urban HCMC	No HCM Prov.	No Prov. Cap.	No River	Only Bnd.	Consist. Prov. FE	Trim For Migr.	25 to 100 Km	All SVN
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Dai Viet	0.307	0.249	0.254	0.304	0.234	0.378	0.311	0.340	0.363	0.252	0.229	0.351
	(0.045)	(0.063)	(0.062)	(0.047)	(0.063)	(0.049)	(0.065)	(0.084)	(0.058)	(0.042)	(0.081)	(0.026)
Obs	4,319	4,319	4,319	3,483	2,565	2,866	3,597	722	4,319	4,240	6,789	25,617
Clusters	450	450	450	362	258	312	374	76	450	450	670	2581

The unit of analysis is the household. Columns (1) and (3) through (11) include a linear polynomial in latitude and longitude, and columns (2) and (3) include a linear polynomial in distance to the boundary. All columns include a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, demographic controls for the number of infants, children, and adults in the household, and year fixed effects. Columns (1) through (11) include boundary segment fixed effects, and column (9) includes consistent province fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-5: 50 Kilometer Boundary Segment Fixed Effects

Dependent variable is log household expenditure. Specification is:												
	Lat-Lon	Dist. Bnd. Polynomial	Lat-Lon & Dist.	No Urban HCMC	No HCM Prov.	No Prov. Cap.	No River	Only Bnd.	Consist. Prov. FE	Trim For Migr.	25 to 100 Km	All SVN
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Dai Viet	0.320 (0.051)	0.252 (0.062)	0.255 (0.064)	0.317 (0.051)	0.309 (0.063)	0.368 (0.054)	0.311 (0.065)	0.340 (0.084)	0.415 (0.059)	0.269 (0.048)	0.236 (0.074)	0.351 (0.026)
Obs	4,319	4,319	4,319	3,483	2,565	2,866	3,597	722	4,319	4,240	6,789	25,617
Clusters	450	450	450	362	258	312	374	76	450	450	670	2581

The unit of analysis is the household. Columns (1) and (3) through (11) include a linear polynomial in latitude and longitude, and columns (2) and (3) include a linear polynomial in distance to the boundary. All columns include a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, demographic controls for the number of infants, children, and adults in the household, and year fixed effects. Columns (1) through (11) include boundary segment fixed effects, and column (9) includes consistent province fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-6: 10 Kilometer Boundary Segment Fixed Effects

Dependent variable is log household expenditure. Specification is:												
	Lat-Lon	Dist. Bnd. Polynomial	Lat-Lon & Dist.	No Urban HCMC	No HCM Prov.	No Prov. Cap.	No River	Only Bnd.	Consist. Prov. FE	Trim For Migr.	25 to 100 Km	All SVN
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Dai Viet	0.310 (0.059)	0.217 (0.062)	0.225 (0.062)	0.351 (0.058)	0.235 (0.061)	0.413 (0.061)	0.311 (0.065)	0.340 (0.084)	0.397 (0.059)	0.267 (0.056)	0.331 (0.087)	0.351 (0.026)
Obs	4,319	4,319	4,319	3,483	2,565	2,866	3,597	722	4,319	4,240	6,789	25,617
Clusters	450	450	450	362	258	312	374	76	450	450	670	2581

The unit of analysis is the household. Columns (1) and (3) through (11) include a linear polynomial in latitude and longitude, and columns (2) and (3) include a linear polynomial in distance to the boundary. All columns include a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, demographic controls for the number of infants, children, and adults in the household, and year fixed effects. Columns (1) through (11) include boundary segment fixed effects, and column (9) includes consistent province fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-7: Contemporary Household Consumption 2002-2008

Dependent variable is log household expenditure. Specification is:												
	Lat-Lon	Dist. Bnd. Polynomial	Lat-Lon & Dist.	No Urban HCMC	No HCM Prov.	No Prov. Cap.	No River	Only Bnd.	Consist. Prov. FE	Trim For Migr.	25 to 100 Km	All SVN
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Dai Viet	0.420 (0.072)	0.334 (0.076)	0.361 (0.079)	0.407 (0.073)	0.338 (0.088)	0.389 (0.074)	0.405 (0.086)	0.373 (0.094)	0.499 (0.082)	0.379 (0.067)	0.319 (0.101)	0.347 (0.032)
Obs	3,011	3,011	3,011	2,411	1,806	1,958	2,501	510	3,011	2,986	5,174	19,109
Clusters	251	251	251	203	152	170	207	44	251	251	424	1592

The unit of analysis is the household. Columns (1) and (3) through (11) include a linear polynomial in latitude and longitude, and columns (2) and (3) include a linear polynomial in distance to the boundary. All columns include a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, demographic controls for the number of infants, children, and adults in the household, and year fixed effects. Columns (1) through (11) include boundary segment fixed effects, and column (9) includes consistent province fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-8: Contemporary Household Consumption 2010-2012

Dependent variable is log household expenditure. Specification is:												
	Lat-Lon	Dist. Bnd. Polynomial	Lat-Lon & Dist.	No Urban HCMC	No HCM Prov.	No Prov. Cap.	No River	Only Bnd.	Consist. Prov. FE	Trim For Migr.	25 to 100 Km	All SVN
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Dai Viet	0.197 (0.076)	0.144 (0.093)	0.158 (0.094)	0.233 (0.078)	0.317 (0.120)	0.214 (0.079)	0.176 (0.092)	0.217 (0.122)	0.256 (0.083)	0.130 (0.071)	0.367 (0.120)	0.364 (0.027)
Obs	1,308	1,308	1,308	1,072	759	908	1,096	212	1,308	1,254	1,615	6,508
Clusters	282	282	282	231	165	195	237	45	282	282	358	1426

The unit of analysis is the household. Columns (1) and (3) through (11) include a linear polynomial in latitude and longitude, and columns (2) and (3) include a linear polynomial in distance to the boundary. All columns include a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, demographic controls for the number of infants, children, and adults in the household, and year fixed effects. Columns (1) through (11) include boundary segment fixed effects, and column (9) includes consistent province fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-9: Household Expenditure: Placebo Boundaries

	Sample is:		
	Placebo Boundaries		
	River	Province	Expansion
	(1)	(2)	(3)
Dai Viet	-0.080 (0.096)	0.091 (0.109)	-0.060 (0.061)
Obs	1,607	1,535	5,270
Clusters	165	160	397
Mean	9.06	8.84	8.58

The unit of analysis is the household. All columns include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, demographic controls for the number of infants, children, and adults in the household, year fixed effects, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered by village, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-10: Economic Outcomes 1969-1973 Controlling for Population

Dependent variable is:									
	Log Family Income (1)	Econ LCA (2)	Non-rice Food Avail. (3)	Manuf. Goods Avail. (4)	Surplus Goods Produced (5)	Households Require Assist. (6)	% HH Access Vehic. (7)	Land Unfarmed Bad Sec. (8)	Pop Growth (9)
Dai Viet	0.151 (0.044)	0.135 (0.054)	0.250 (0.058)	0.156 (0.061)	0.152 (0.050)	-0.058 (0.039)	0.129 (0.019)	0.018 (0.047)	-0.005 (0.006)
Obs	5,926	2,285	388	388	388	2,330	2,332	330	2,276
Clusters	172	392	388	388	388	397	396	330	396
Mean	9.72	0.82	0.71	0.63	0.44	0.61	0.34	0.26	0.01

The unit of analysis is the household, hamlet, or village. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-11: Economic Outcomes 1969-1973: No Ho Chi Minh City

Dependent variable is:									
	Log Family Income (1)	Econ LCA (2)	Non-rice Food Avail. (3)	Manuf. Goods Avail. (4)	Surplus Goods Produced (5)	Households Require Assist. (6)	% HH Access Vehic. (7)	Land Unfarmed Bad Sec. (8)	Pop Growth (9)
Dai Viet	0.158 (0.041)	0.128 (0.055)	0.256 (0.060)	0.159 (0.064)	0.171 (0.052)	-0.132 (0.039)	0.118 (0.019)	0.009 (0.047)	-0.000 (0.006)
Obs	5,915	1,557	327	327	327	1,551	1,553	324	1,532
Clusters	166	335	327	327	327	336	335	324	338
Mean	9.72	0.75	0.66	0.57	0.41	0.56	0.26	0.26	0.01

The unit of analysis is the household, hamlet, or village. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-12: Economic Outcomes 1969-1973: No Provincial Capitals

Dependent variable is:									
	Log Family Income (1)	Econ LCA (2)	Non-rice Food Avail. (3)	Manuf. Goods Avail. (4)	Surplus Goods Produced (5)	Households Require Assist. (6)	% HH Access Vehic. (7)	Land Unfarmed Bad Sec. (8)	Pop Growth (9)
Dai Viet	0.158 (0.041)	0.119 (0.054)	0.274 (0.059)	0.169 (0.063)	0.183 (0.052)	-0.122 (0.040)	0.115 (0.019)	0.003 (0.047)	-0.001 (0.006)
Obs	5,913	1,506	313	313	313	1,501	1,503	309	1,481
Clusters	164	331	313	313	313	333	332	309	334
Mean	9.72	0.74	0.65	0.55	0.40	0.56	0.26	0.26	0.01

The unit of analysis is the household, hamlet, or village. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-13: Economic Outcomes Following Reunification

Dependent variable is:					
	Share				
	State	Priv.	Paddy	Irrig.	Mechan.
	Land	Land	Land	Paddy	Paddy
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Dai Viet	0.119	-0.124	-0.113	0.067	0.244
	(0.067)	(0.067)	(0.076)	(0.037)	(0.142)
Obs	91	91	73	73	73
Clusters	91	91	73	73	73
Mean	0.40	0.60	0.37	0.05	0.71

The unit of analysis is the district. All columns include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude and a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City. Robust standard errors are reported in parentheses.

Table A-14: Civil Society: Controlling for Population

	Dependent variable is:											
	Civil Society LCA (1)	% Households Participate in Civic Org (2)	Econ. Train. (3)	% HH Active in PSDF (4)	Self-Dev. Project Underway (5)	Council Discusses Griev. (6)	Org. Youth Activ. (7)	% HH Attend Govt. Mtgs. (8)	RD Cadre in Hamlet (9)	% HH Part. RD Cadre (10)	Households Require Assistance (11)	Civ. Soc. Provides (12)
Dai Viet	0.163 (0.035)	0.262 (0.028)	0.220 (0.027)	0.067 (0.028)	0.097 (0.024)	-0.011 (0.021)	-0.053 (0.033)	0.106 (0.029)	0.021 (0.030)	0.174 (0.036)	-0.058 (0.039)	0.162 (0.043)
Obs	2,285	2,325	2,348	2,330	388	384	388	2,331	2,337	2,314	2,330	2,206
Clusters	392	397	399	397	388	384	388	397	397	396	397	388
Mean	0.76	0.37	0.22	0.62	0.83	0.93	0.78	0.37	0.76	0.52	0.61	0.24

The unit of analysis is the hamlet or village. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-15: Civil Society: No Ho Chi Minh City

	Dependent variable is:											
	Civil Society LCA (1)	% Households Participate in Civic Org (2)	Econ. Train. (3)	% HH Active in PSDF (4)	Self-Dev. Project Underway (5)	Council Discusses Griev. (6)	Org. Youth Activ. (7)	% HH Attend Govt. Mtgs. (8)	RD Cadre in Hamlet (9)	% HH Part. RD Cadre (10)	Households Require Assistance (11)	Civ. Soc. Provides (12)
Dai Viet	0.121 (0.030)	0.224 (0.024)	0.198 (0.028)	0.037 (0.025)	0.090 (0.024)	-0.006 (0.020)	-0.069 (0.033)	0.075 (0.026)	-0.026 (0.030)	0.129 (0.032)	-0.132 (0.039)	0.145 (0.043)
Obs	1,557	1,546	1,568	1,551	327	323	327	1,552	1,558	1,535	1,551	1,467
Clusters	335	336	338	336	327	323	327	336	336	335	336	331
Mean	0.68	0.26	0.19	0.58	0.82	0.93	0.74	0.30	0.69	0.43	0.56	0.18

The unit of analysis is the hamlet or village. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-16: Civil Society: No Provincial Capitals

	Dependent variable is:											
	Civil Society LCA (1)	% Households Participate in Civic Org (2)	Econ. Train. (3)	% HH Active in PSDF (4)	Self-Dev. Project Underway (5)	Council Discusses Griev. (6)	Org. Youth Activ. (7)	% HH Attend Govt. Mtgs. (8)	RD Cadre in Hamlet (9)	% HH Part. RD Cadre (10)	Households Require Assistance (11)	Civ. Soc. Provides (12)
Dai Viet	0.119 (0.031)	0.226 (0.024)	0.208 (0.027)	0.031 (0.025)	0.087 (0.024)	-0.005 (0.020)	-0.063 (0.033)	0.076 (0.027)	-0.030 (0.030)	0.125 (0.032)	-0.122 (0.040)	0.149 (0.043)
Obs	1,506	1,496	1,517	1,501	313	309	313	1,502	1,508	1,485	1,501	1,416
Clusters	331	333	334	333	313	309	313	333	333	332	333	327
Mean	0.68	0.25	0.19	0.57	0.83	0.93	0.74	0.30	0.69	0.43	0.56	0.18

The unit of analysis is the hamlet or village. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-17: Local Administration: Controlling for Population

	Dependent variable is:										
	Local Admin. LCA (1)	Govt. Syst. Taxes (2)	Vilg. Comm. Filled (3)	Vilg. Chief (4)	Hamlet Chief Present (5)	Police Regularly (6)	Chief Controls RD Cadre (7)	Govt. Provides Assist. (8)	Lack Prov. Tech. Assist. (9)	Tech. Pers. Visit (10)	Prov. Land Affairs Visit (11)
Dai Viet	0.036 (0.017)	0.058 (0.036)	0.057 (0.028)	0.053 (0.033)	0.024 (0.023)	0.131 (0.046)	0.084 (0.020)	0.143 (0.047)	0.010 (0.031)	-0.008 (0.048)	-0.002 (0.055)
Obs	2,285	388	388	388	2,317	2,339	382	2,221	387	386	308
Clusters	392	388	388	388	396	397	382	390	387	386	308
Mean	0.98	0.84	0.87	0.93	0.92	0.56	0.88	0.30	0.18	0.53	0.72

The unit of analysis is the hamlet or village. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-18: Local Administration: No Ho Chi Minh City

	Dependent variable is:										
	Local Admin. LCA (1)	Govt. Syst. Taxes (2)	Vilg. Comm. Filled (3)	Vilg. Chief (4)	Hamlet Chief Present (5)	Police Regularly (6)	Chief Controls RD Cadre (7)	Govt. Provides Assist. (8)	Lack Prov. Tech. Assist. (9)	Tech. Pers. Visit (10)	Prov. Land Affairs Visit (11)
Dai Viet	0.034 (0.016)	0.075 (0.036)	0.052 (0.028)	0.056 (0.033)	0.021 (0.023)	0.085 (0.039)	0.075 (0.020)	0.123 (0.049)	-0.008 (0.031)	-0.020 (0.046)	0.008 (0.056)
Obs	1,557	327	327	327	1,538	1,560	321	1,482	329	327	304
Clusters	335	327	327	327	335	336	321	333	329	327	304
Mean	0.97	0.85	0.84	0.92	0.88	0.36	0.87	0.30	0.17	0.52	0.73

The unit of analysis is the hamlet or village. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-19: Local Administration: No Provincial Capitals

	Dependent variable is:										
	Local Admin. LCA (1)	Govt. Syst. Taxes (2)	Vilg. Comm. Filled (3)	Vilg. Chief (4)	Hamlet Chief Present (5)	Police Regularly (6)	Chief Controls RD Cadre (7)	Govt. Provides Assist. (8)	Lack Prov. Tech. Assist. (9)	Tech. Pers. Visit (10)	Prov. Land Affairs Visit (11)
Dai Viet	0.035 (0.016)	0.075 (0.037)	0.054 (0.028)	0.058 (0.034)	0.017 (0.024)	0.069 (0.038)	0.074 (0.021)	0.134 (0.048)	0.008 (0.030)	-0.011 (0.047)	0.029 (0.055)
Obs	1,506	313	313	313	1,488	1,510	307	1,431	314	313	292
Clusters	331	313	313	313	332	333	307	329	314	313	292
Mean	0.97	0.84	0.84	0.92	0.87	0.34	0.87	0.31	0.17	0.51	0.73

The unit of analysis is the hamlet or village. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-20: Public Goods: Controlling for Population

	Dependent variable is:											
	Health Care LCA (1)	Govt. Med. Serv. Avail. (2)	Health Wkrs. Visit Reg. (3)	Health Clinic in Village (4)	Mat. (5)	Educ. LCA (6)	Primary School Access. (7)	Completion (8)	Secondary School In Vilg. (9)	Attend. Attend. (10)	Attend. Restr. by Sec. (11)	Law Enforced Day/Night (12)
Dai Viet	0.127 (0.043)	0.157 (0.033)	0.319 (0.042)	0.129 (0.050)	-0.010 (0.066)	0.029 (0.044)	0.048 (0.023)	0.076 (0.031)	0.034 (0.053)	0.022 (0.013)	-0.015 (0.013)	0.201 (0.046)
Obs	2,285	2,339	2,336	388	388	2,285	2,336	388	388	388	2,333	2,333
Clusters	392	397	397	388	388	392	396	388	388	388	396	397
Mean	0.86	0.39	0.47	0.79	0.61	0.82	0.90	0.61	0.35	0.18	0.02	0.79

The unit of analysis is the hamlet or village. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-21: Public Goods: No Ho Chi Minh City

	Dependent variable is:											
	Health Care LCA (1)	Govt. Med. Serv. Avail. (2)	Health Wkrs. Visit Reg. (3)	Health Clinic in Village (4)	Mat. (5)	Educ. LCA (6)	Primary School Access. (7)	Completion (8)	Secondary School In Vilg. (9)	Attend. Attend. (10)	Attend. Restr. by Sec. (11)	Law Enforced Day/Night (12)
Dai Viet	0.113 (0.042)	0.199 (0.038)	0.313 (0.041)	0.136 (0.050)	0.006 (0.069)	0.015 (0.044)	0.070 (0.021)	0.084 (0.031)	0.053 (0.059)	0.021 (0.013)	-0.020 (0.013)	0.175 (0.043)
Obs	1,557	1,560	1,557	327	327	1,557	1,557	327	327	327	1,554	1,554
Clusters	335	336	336	327	327	335	335	327	327	327	335	336
Mean	0.80	0.35	0.40	0.77	0.56	0.75	0.90	0.59	0.28	0.17	0.03	0.69

The unit of analysis is the hamlet or village. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-22: Public Goods: No Provincial Capitals

	Dependent variable is:											
	Health Care LCA (1)	Govt. Med. Serv. Avail. (2)	Health Wkrs. Visit Reg. (3)	Health Clinic in Village (4)	Mat. (5)	Educ. LCA (6)	Primary School Access. (7)	Completion (8)	Secondary School In Vilg. (9)	Attend. Attend. (10)	Attend. Restr. by Sec. (11)	Law Enforced Day/Night (12)
Dai Viet	0.108 (0.043)	0.203 (0.038)	0.312 (0.041)	0.137 (0.052)	-0.000 (0.070)	0.002 (0.045)	0.071 (0.022)	0.084 (0.032)	0.057 (0.058)	0.022 (0.014)	-0.020 (0.013)	0.180 (0.044)
Obs	1,506	1,510	1,507	313	313	1,506	1,507	313	313	313	1,504	1,504
Clusters	331	333	333	313	313	331	332	313	313	313	332	333
Mean	0.80	0.35	0.39	0.76	0.56	0.74	0.89	0.59	0.27	0.17	0.03	0.68

The unit of analysis is the hamlet or village. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-23: Public Opinion: Controlling for Population

	Dependent variable is:								
	Gvt. Responsive Citizens (1)	Local Officials Successful (2)	Knows Vilg Admin. Struct. Well (3)	LTT Fairly Administ. (4)	Natl. Gvt. Performs Poorly (5)	Man. Econ. Poorly (6)	People Respons. Comm. Life (7)	Active in Interest Group (8)	People Decide SDP (9)
Dai Viet	0.113 (0.045)	0.154 (0.074)	0.073 (0.056)	0.317 (0.080)	0.092 (0.038)	0.081 (0.040)	0.271 (0.076)	0.338 (0.146)	0.208 (0.055)
Obs	2,779	3,487	1,457	999	2,811	5,778	879	243	353
Clusters	190	183	89	101	182	215	106	35	53
Mean	0.37	0.52	0.22	0.57	0.19	0.31	0.18	0.18	0.23

The unit of analysis is the individual. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-24: Public Opinion: No Ho Chi Minh City

	Dependent variable is:								
	Gvt. Responsive Citizens (1)	Local Officials Successful (2)	Knows Vilg Admin. Struct. Well (3)	LTT Fairly Administ. (4)	Natl. Gvt. Performs Poorly (5)	Man. Econ. Poorly (6)	People Respons. Comm. Life (7)	Active in Interest Group (8)	People Decide SDP (9)
Dai Viet	0.110 (0.041)	0.170 (0.077)	0.096 (0.046)	0.350 (0.075)	0.093 (0.042)	0.117 (0.033)	0.225 (0.073)	0.395 (0.146)	0.222 (0.052)
Obs	1,590	1,750	335	999	1,432	2,558	532	243	353
Clusters	141	132	43	101	131	160	70	35	53
Mean	0.32	0.45	0.16	0.57	0.17	0.18	0.26	0.18	0.23

The unit of analysis is the individual. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-25: Public Opinion: No Provincial Capitals

	Dependent variable is:								
	Gvt. Responsive Citizens (1)	Local Officials Successful (2)	Knows Vilg Admin. Struct. Well (3)	LTT Fairly Administ. (4)	Natl. Gvt. Performs Poorly (5)	Man. Econ. Poorly (6)	People Respons. Comm. Life (7)	Active in Interest Group (8)	People Decide SDP (9)
Dai Viet	0.094 (0.042)	0.152 (0.080)	0.077 (0.049)	0.350 (0.075)	0.062 (0.040)	0.110 (0.033)	0.198 (0.075)	0.395 (0.146)	0.222 (0.052)
Obs	1,316	1,273	235	999	1,065	2,258	432	243	353
Clusters	141	128	39	101	127	160	66	35	53
Mean	0.28	0.36	0.11	0.57	0.14	0.17	0.23	0.18	0.23

The unit of analysis is the individual. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-26: Current Outcomes: No Urban Ho Chi Minh City

	Dependent variable is:					
	Contributed to Charity	Share Communes	Years Schooling Cohort			
	Fund (1)	Lower Sec. (2)	> 25 (3)	25-40 (4)	40-60 (5)	>60 (6)
Dai Viet	0.122 (0.032)	0.310 (0.076)	0.970 (0.201)	0.886 (0.195)	1.045 (0.244)	1.044 (0.240)
Obs	4,689	112	33,000	14,186	13,353	5,461
Clusters	362	112	365	364	365	354
Mean	0.69	0.79	7.28	8.26	7.50	4.16

The unit of analysis is the household, district, or individual. All columns include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Columns (1) and (3) through (6) include year fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-27: Current Outcomes: No Ho Chi Minh Province

	Dependent variable is:					
	Contributed to Charity Fund (1)	Share Communes Lower Sec. (2)	> 25 (3)	Years Schooling Cohort		
				25-40 (4)	40-60 (5)	>60 (6)
Dai Viet	0.060 (0.051)	0.113 (0.059)	1.847 (0.334)	1.857 (0.342)	2.019 (0.411)	1.628 (0.350)
Obs	3,448	100	23,420	9,939	9,520	3,961
Clusters	258	100	260	259	260	250
Mean	0.66	0.77	6.79	7.82	7.02	3.63

The unit of analysis is the household, district, or individual. All columns include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Columns (1) and (3) through (6) include year fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-28: Current Outcomes: No Provincial Capitals

	Dependent variable is:					
	Contributed to Charity	Share Communes	Years Schooling			
	Fund (1)	Lower Sec. (2)	> 25 (3)	25-40 (4)	40-60 (5)	>60 (6)
Dai Viet	0.132 (0.036)	0.334 (0.081)	0.692 (0.211)	0.577 (0.200)	0.748 (0.257)	0.769 (0.274)
Obs	3,893	106	27,545	11,861	11,054	4,630
Clusters	312	106	314	314	314	304
Mean	0.68	0.80	7.06	8.05	7.23	4.06

The unit of analysis is the household, district, or individual. All columns include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Columns (1) and (3) through (6) include year fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-29: The Vietnam War: Controlling for Population

Dependent variable is:												
	Security LCA (1)	VC Forces Present (2)	VC Base Nearby (3)	Vilg. Guerr. Squad (4)	VC Main Squad (5)	VC Infra Activity (6)	VC Taxation (7)	Friendly Forces Nearby (8)	Air/Art. Strike Nearby (9)	U.S. Initiated Attack (10)	SVN (11)	Territ. Forces Present (12)
Dai Viet	-0.015 (0.042)	-0.033 (0.033)	-0.009 (0.049)	0.073 (0.039)	-0.100 (0.040)	0.035 (0.032)	-0.012 (0.016)	-0.010 (0.037)	-0.037 (0.032)	-0.000 (0.002)	-0.095 (0.023)	-0.020 (0.027)
Obs	2,285	2,335	390	390	390	2,339	389	389	388	2,348	2,348	2,348
Clusters	392	398	390	390	390	398	389	389	388	399	399	399
Mean	0.80	0.15	0.49	0.20	0.23	0.09	0.07	0.49	0.13	0.00	0.71	0.24

The unit of analysis is the hamlet or village. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-30: The Vietnam War: No Ho Chi Minh City

Dependent variable is:												
	Security LCA (1)	VC Forces Present (2)	VC Base Nearby (3)	Vilg. Guerr. Squad (4)	VC Main Squad (5)	VC Infra Activity (6)	VC Taxation (7)	Friendly Forces Nearby (8)	Air/Art. Strike Nearby (9)	U.S. Initiated Attack (10)	SVN (11)	Territ. Forces Present (12)
Dai Viet	-0.021 (0.043)	-0.024 (0.034)	0.009 (0.050)	0.074 (0.039)	-0.096 (0.039)	0.029 (0.033)	-0.011 (0.016)	-0.046 (0.038)	-0.039 (0.032)	-0.000 (0.001)	-0.065 (0.018)	0.032 (0.023)
Obs	1,557	1,556	329	329	329	1,560	329	329	328	1,578	1,578	1,568
Clusters	335	337	329	329	329	337	329	329	328	339	339	338
Mean	0.73	0.21	0.57	0.24	0.27	0.11	0.08	0.47	0.15	0.00	0.78	0.35

The unit of analysis is the hamlet or village. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-31: The Vietnam War: No Provincial Capitals

Dependent variable is:												
	Security LCA (1)	VC Forces Present (2)	VC Base Nearby (3)	Vilg. Guerr. Squad (4)	VC Main Squad (5)	VC Infra Activity (6)	VC Taxation (7)	Friendly Forces Nearby (8)	Air/Art. Strike Nearby (9)	U.S. Initiated Attack (10)	SVN (11)	Territ. Forces Present (12)
Dai Viet	-0.030 (0.044)	-0.017 (0.035)	0.009 (0.050)	0.072 (0.040)	-0.100 (0.040)	0.033 (0.034)	-0.012 (0.016)	-0.050 (0.039)	-0.040 (0.032)	-0.000 (0.002)	-0.048 (0.016)	0.040 (0.024)
Obs	1,506	1,506	314	314	314	1,509	314	314	313	1,527	1,527	1,517
Clusters	331	334	314	314	314	333	314	314	313	335	335	334
Mean	0.72	0.22	0.59	0.24	0.27	0.12	0.08	0.48	0.16	0.00	0.79	0.35

The unit of analysis is the hamlet or village. All regressions include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-32: Additional Mechanisms: No Ho Chi Minh City

Dependent variable is:								
	Agric. H.H. (1)	Agric. Land Size (2)	Main Job in Industry (3)	Annual (4)	Share Perennial Land Certified (5)	Residential (6)	H.H. Interest Expenses (7)	Employed Informal Sector (8)
Dai Viet	-0.184 (0.035)	-0.010 (0.111)	-0.020 (0.023)	-0.118 (0.041)	-0.125 (0.049)	-0.218 (0.064)	-0.113 (0.031)	-0.070 (0.022)
Obs	13,205	4,471	16,518	176	173	170	3,590	16,504
Clusters	365	270	365	131	129	128	203	365
Mean	0.28	0.88	0.25	0.93	0.92	0.94	0.26	0.64

The unit of analysis is the household, individual, or commune. All columns include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, year fixed effects, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-33: Additional Mechanisms: No Ho Chi Minh Province

	Dependent variable is:							
	Agric. H.H. (1)	Agric. Land Size (2)	Main Job in Industry (3)	Annual (4)	Share Perennial Land Certified (5)	Residential (6)	H.H. Interest Expenses (7)	Employed Informal Sector (8)
Dai Viet	-0.218 (0.063)	-0.006 (0.177)	0.016 (0.042)	-0.271 (0.127)	-0.210 (0.116)	-0.230 (0.122)	-0.155 (0.053)	-0.073 (0.041)
Obs	9,550	4,223	12,197	161	160	157	2,662	12,183
Clusters	260	234	260	116	116	115	152	260
Mean	0.38	0.90	0.25	0.94	0.93	0.96	0.31	0.69

The unit of analysis is the household, individual, or commune. All columns include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, year fixed effects, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-34: Additional Mechanisms: No Provincial Capitals

Dependent variable is:								
	Agric. H.H. (1)	Agric. Land Size (2)	Main Job in Industry (3)	Annual (4)	Share Perennial Land Certified (5)	Residential (6)	H.H. Interest Expenses (7)	Employed Informal Sector (8)
Dai Viet	-0.169 (0.040)	0.025 (0.115)	-0.032 (0.023)	-0.119 (0.042)	-0.125 (0.050)	-0.216 (0.064)	-0.107 (0.031)	-0.046 (0.023)
Obs	11,154	4,223	13,975	171	168	165	2,963	13,961
Clusters	314	232	314	127	125	124	170	314
Mean	0.33	0.89	0.23	0.93	0.92	0.94	0.28	0.66

The unit of analysis is the household, individual, or commune. All columns include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, year fixed effects, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors, clustered at the village level, are reported in parentheses.

Table A-35: Foreign Sector Employment

	Dependent variable is:		
	Share Employment		
	Foreign	Private	State
	(1)	(2)	(3)
Dai Viet	-0.069 (0.039)	0.034 (0.040)	0.035 (0.013)
Obs	640	640	640
Clusters	640	640	640
Mean	0.17	0.79	0.04

The unit of analysis is the village. All columns include a linear RD polynomial in latitude and longitude, a control for distance to Ho Chi Minh City, and boundary segment fixed effects. Robust standard errors are reported in parentheses.