



Coalition Governance in Presidential Systems

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How do politics make decisions about public policies?

Multiparty presidential systems are comparable to multiparty parliamentary systems?

- ❑ If Congress cannot remove the president in the event of the coalition's dissolution, what incentive does he have to share the power he gained at the elections with other political parties?

Puzzle

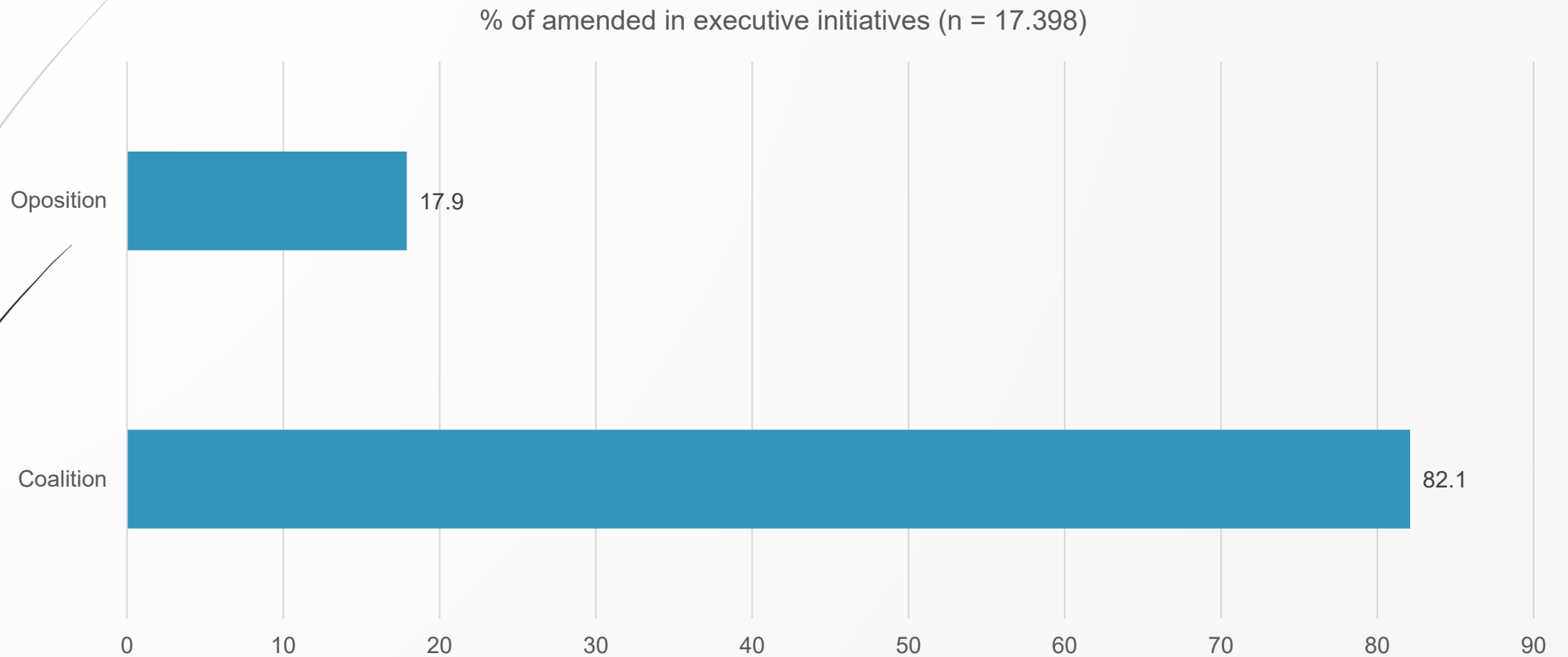
One can expect that in a presidential system, a multiparty government suffers from the same central tension they face in parliamentary systems:

“the need for partners with divergent preferences to make joint policy” (Martin & Vanberg, 2005, p. 93)?

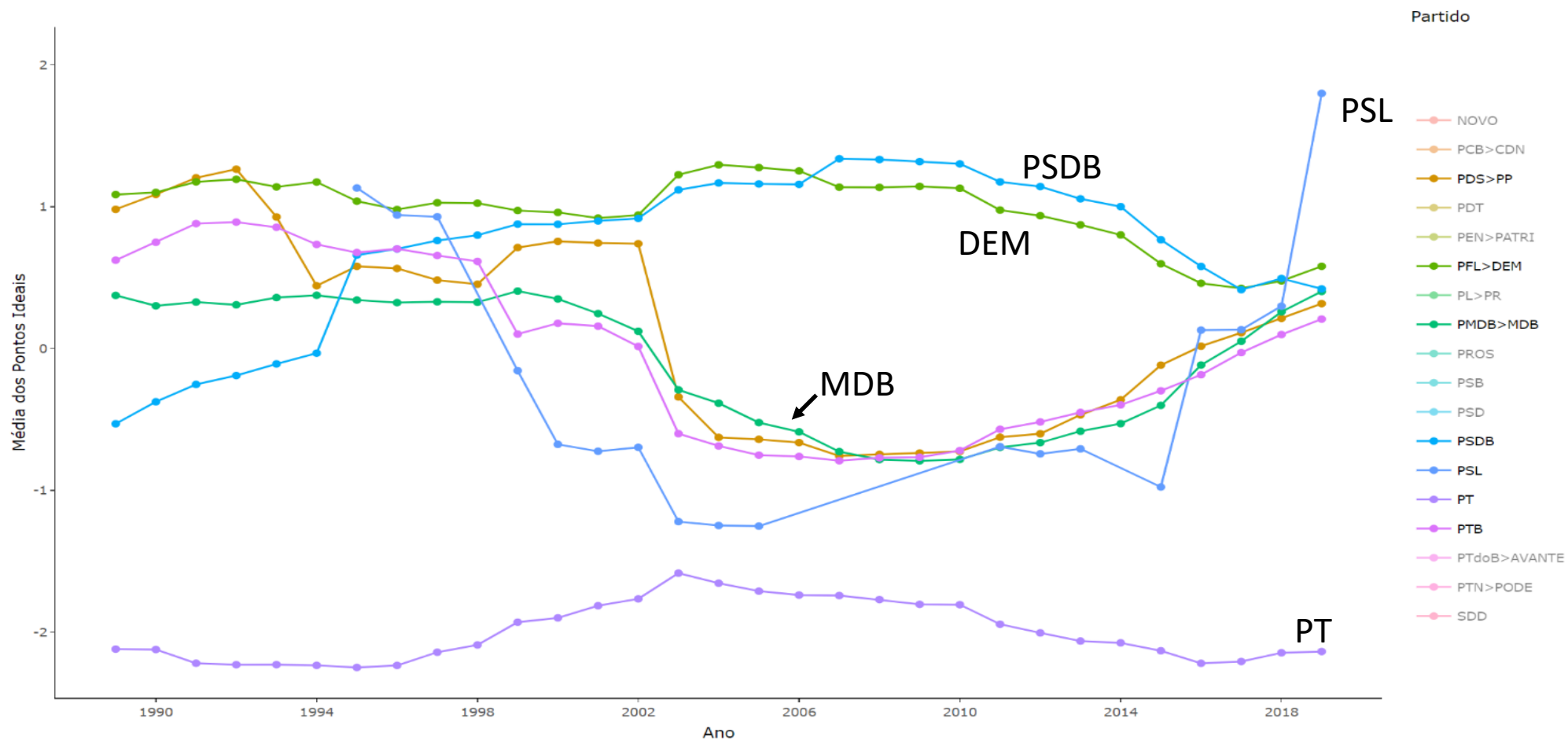
Keep on tabs

- ❓ “Do coalition parties in presidential systems shadow one another with an eye on reducing agency loss?”
- ❓ Distribution of presidential political appointments (Praça, Freitas & Hoepers, 2011, 2012).
- ❓ Legislative reviews on executive bills (Freitas, 2016b, 2016a).

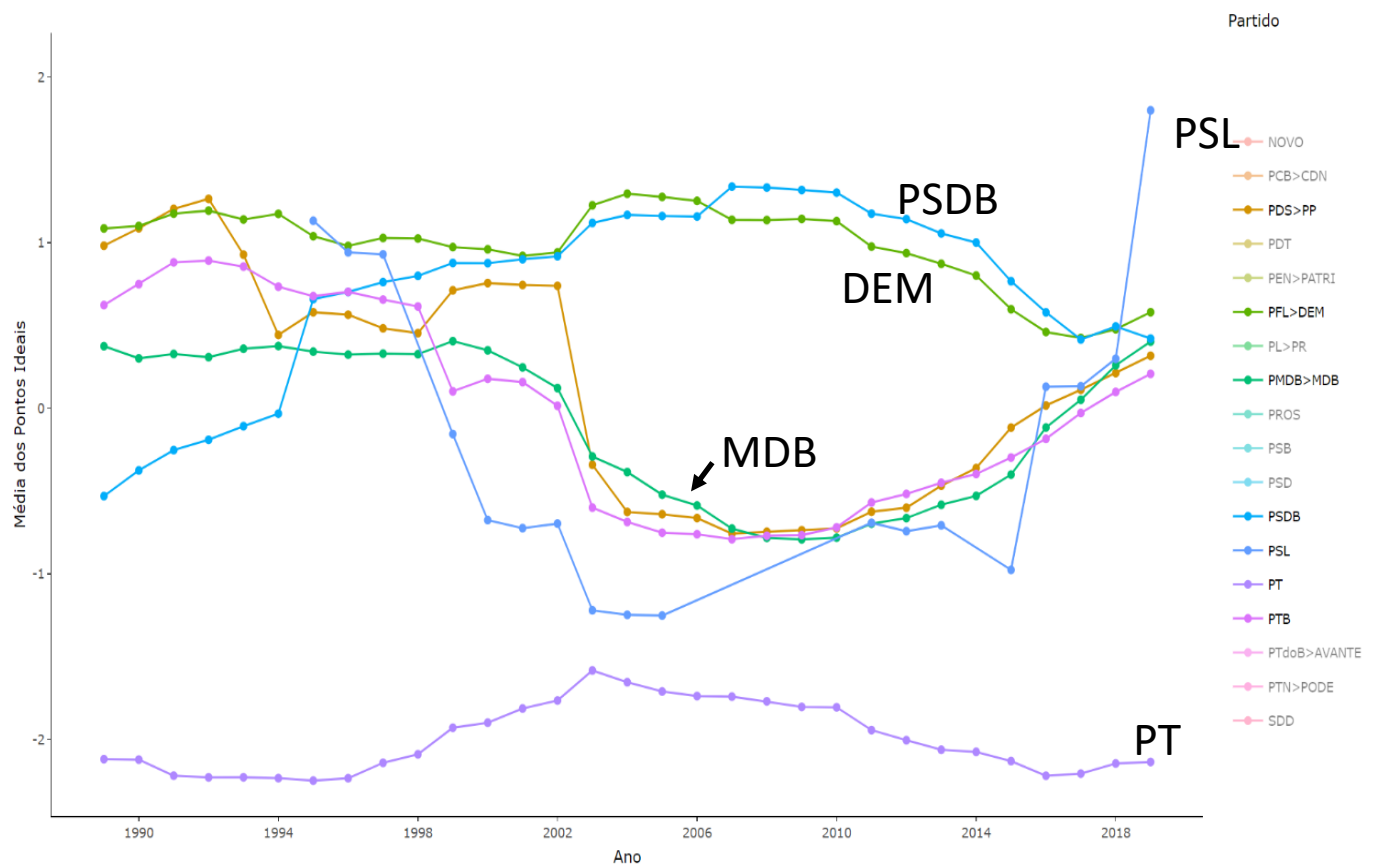
Legislative reviews on executive bills



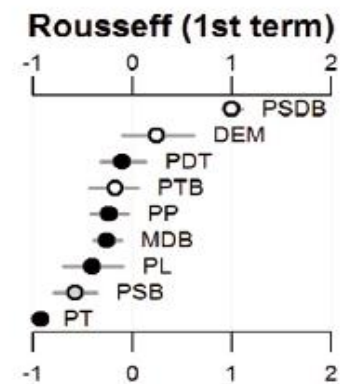
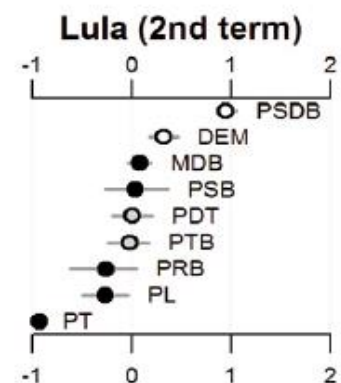
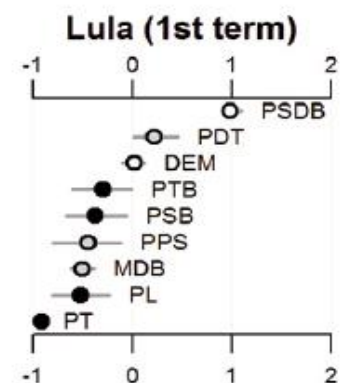
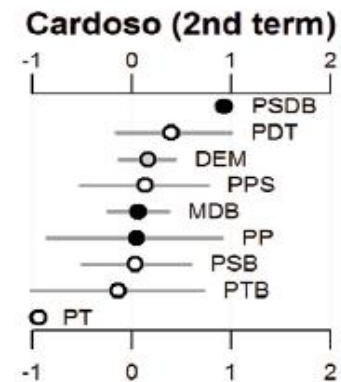
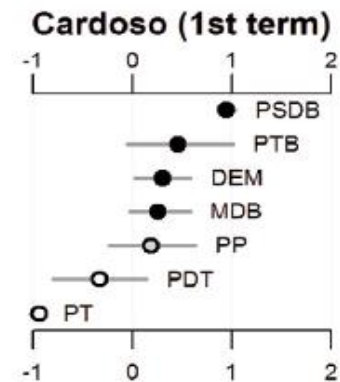
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● Government
○ Opposition
○ Switched status

(Izumi & Medeiros, 2021)

Future challenges

- ❓ Compare, compare, compare...;
- ❓ The effect of gradual institutional change;
- ❓ The effect of the extreme right on the behavior of legislators



Thank you

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