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Party (party family, language group)	Year of Survey	Type	Mode	Population	Sample size	Valid responses	Response rate (%)	Dataset availability	Source / main publication
10 parties (PS, BSP, PSC, CVP, FDF, RW, VU, PRL, PVV, PC-KP)	End 1978-Early 1979 (April 1982 for the PC-KP)	D	D	na	na	1,282 (661 Fr, 621 Fl)	na	No	Clayes and Loeb-Mayer (1984)
Ecolo & Agalev (Green, French & Flemish)	1985	D	D	na	na	256 (162 Agalev, 94 Ecolo)	na	Yes (EVH)	Kitschelt (1989)
Ecolo (Green, French)	1995	M	M	2,488	2,400	1,459	60.8	No	Delwit and De Waele (1996)
PS (Socialist, French)	December 2000	D	D	420	420	178	42.4	Yes (EVH)	Delwit, Hellings and van Haute (2003a)
Ecolo (Green, French)	December 2000	D	D	4,050	884	500	56.6	Yes (EVH)	
PSC (Christian Democrat, French)	June 2001	D	D	1,540	788	346	43.9	Yes (EVH)	Delwit, Hellings and van Haute (2003b)
MR (Liberal, French)	March 2003	D	D		486	333	68.5	Yes (EVH)	
VLD (Liberal, Flemish)	April 2001	M	M	80,049	785	330	42	Yes (BW)	Wauters (2010)
VU (Regionalist, Flemish)	September 2001	M	M	11,543	750	464	62	Yes (BW)	Wauters (2005)
Agalev (Green, Flemish)	2002	M	M	5,354	na	279	na	Yes (EVH)	
Ecolo (Green, French)	2002	M	M	4,463	na	na	na	No	
PS (Socialist, French)	November 2003	M	M		2,500	822	32.9	Yes (EVH)	Delwit (2011), van Haute <i>et al</i> (2013)
7 Flemish parties (CD&V, N-VA, VLD, SP.a, Spirit, Vlaams Blok, Groen!)	November 2003 – February 2004	M	I (hosted don the server of the KULeuven)	260,468	na	1,600	na	Yes (EVH)	Fiers, Vanlangenakker and Inglese (2007)
Ecolo (Green, French)	March 2004	M	M	3,208	3,200	1,029	32.2	Yes (EVH)	Delwit and van Haute (2008), van Haute <i>et al</i> (2013)
VLD (Liberal, Flemish)	January 2006	M	M	72,475	2,500	465	18.6	Yes (EVH)	van Haute (2010), van Haute <i>et al</i> (2013)
CD&V (Christian Democrat, Flemish)	June 2006	M	M	83,180	2,500	604	24.2	Yes (EVH)	
SP.a (Socialist, Flemish)	2009	M	F	51,641	994	646	65	No	Vander Weyden P. and Abts K. (2010)

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FDF (Regionalist, French)	2009	D	M			169		Yes (EVH)	forthcoming
PS (Socialist, French)	July & November 2010	M	M	81,491	5,000	809	16.8	Yes (EVH)	Sandri (2011)
OpenVLD (Liberal, Flemish)	May 2012	M	M + I	66,232	1500	433	28.9	Yes (BW)	Ongoing
N-VA (Regionalist, Flemish)	April 2012	M	M + I	36,439	1500	983	65.5	Yes (BW)	Ongoing
CD&V (Christian Democrat, Flemish)	April 2013	M	M + I		1500			Yes (BW)	Ongoing
Groen (Green, Flemish)	May 2013	M	M + I		1500			Yes (BW)	Ongoing

Note: na = information not available; Type: M=Members; D=Conference delegates; Mode: D= distributed; M=mail survey; I=Internet-based survey; F=Face-to-face interview; Dataset availability: EVH= contact Emilie van Haute; BW= contact Bram Wauters

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