

COLOMBIAN CONFLICT DATABASE V 7.3 CODEBOOK

ID Nuevo	ID Nuevo: Unique numerical identifier of each one of the events registered. Ids go from 1 to 26052. Numeration is not consecutive since some events had to be unified; the empty ID numbers were erased.
Year	Year: Year. Its value goes from 1975 to 2005.
Month	Month: Month. Numeration goes from 1 to 12.
Day	Day: Day. Its numbers go from 1 to 31.
Date	Date: This variable is built from <i>year</i> , <i>month</i> and <i>day</i> , in which the entire event date is registered.
Country - Country	Country – Country: Represents the country where the event occurred. It takes the following values: BR for Brazil; CO for Colombia; EC for Ecuador; PM for Panama; VE for Venezuela.
Department - Department	Department – Department: This variable is composed by a two digit code that represents the departmental code assigned by the National Administrative Department of Statistics, DANE.
Municipality - Municipality	Municipality – Municipality: This variable is composed by a three digit code, DANE’s municipal code, and refers to the municipality in which the event took place.
Complex D – Complex Event Dummy	Complex D – Complex Event Dummy: Dummy variable indicating that in an event there was a clash and an attack. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
Cl no At – Clash no Attack Dummy	Cl no At – Clash no Attack Dummy: Dummy variable indicating that in an event there was a clash, but there were no attacks. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
At no Cl – Attack no Clash Dummy	At no Cl – Attack no Clash Dummy: Dummy variable indicating that in an event there was an attack but there were no clashes. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 on the contrary.
Gue D – Guerrilla Participation Dummy	Gue D – Guerrilla Participation Dummy: Dummy variable indicating that in an event there was guerrilla participation. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
Par D – Paramilitaries Participation Dummy	Par D – Paramilitaries Participation Dummy: Dummy variable indicating that in an event there was paramilitary participation. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
Gov D – Government Forces Participation Dummy	Gov D – Government Forces Participation Dummy: Dummy variable indicating that in an event there was government forces participation. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.

FARC D – FARC Participation Dummy	FARC D – FARC Participation Dummy: Dummy variable indicating that in an event there was Colombian Revolutionary Armed Forces, FARC, participation. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
ELN D – ELN Participation Dummy	ELN D – ELN Participation Dummy: Dummy variable indicating that in an event there was National Liberation Army, ELN, participation. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
EPL D – EPL Participation Dummy	EPL D – EPL Participation Dummy: Dummy variable indicating that in an event there was Liberation Popular Army, EPL, participation. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
ERP D – ERP Participation Dummy	ERP D – ERP Participation Dummy: Dummy variable indicating that in an event there was Popular Revolutionary Army, ERP, participation. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CGSB D – CGSB Participation Dummy	CGSB D – CGSB Participation Dummy: Dummy variable indicating that in an event there was participation of “Coordinadora Guerrillera Simón Bolívar”, CGSB. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
OTHGUE D – Other Guerrilla Groups Dummy	OTHGUE D – Other Guerrilla Groups Dummy: Dummy variable indicating that in an event there was other guerrilla groups’ participation. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CL 1 – Clash with Military Forces Participation	CL 1 – Clash with Military Forces Participation: Dummy variable indicating that in the event of a clash, there was the participation of military forces. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CL 2 – Clash with Police Participation	CL 2 – Clash with Police Participation: Dummy variable indicating that in the event of a clash, there was the participation of police. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CL 3 – Clash with Paramilitary Groups Participation	CL 3 – Clash with Paramilitary Groups Participation: Dummy variable indicating that in the event of a clash, there was the participation of paramilitary groups. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CL 4 – Clash with ELN Participation	CL 4 – Clash with ELN Participation: Dummy variable indicating that in the event of a clash, there was the participation of ELN. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CL 5 – Clash with FARC Participation	CL 5 – Clash with FARC Participation: Dummy variable indicating that in the event of a clash, there was the participation of FARC. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CL 6 – Clash with EPL Participation	CL 6 – Clash with EPL Participation: Dummy variable indicating that in the event of a clash, there was the participation of EPL. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.

CL 7 – Clash with ERP Participation	CL 7 – Clash with ERP Participation: Dummy variable indicating that in the event of a clash, there was the participation of ERP. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CL 8 – Clash with Other Guerrilla Groups Participation	CL 8 – Clash with Other Guerrilla Groups Participation: Dummy variable indicating that in the event of a clash, there was the participation of other guerrilla groups. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CL 9 – Clash with Other Groups Participation	CL 9 – Clash with Other Groups Participation: Dummy variable indicating that in the event of a clash, there was the participation of other groups. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CL 10 – Clash with non Identified Groups Participation	CL 10 – Clash with non Identified Groups Participation: Dummy variable indicating that in the event of a clash, there was the participation of non identified groups. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CL 11 – Clash with CGSB Participation	CL 11 – Clash with CGSB Participation: Dummy variable indicating that in the event of a clash, there was the participation of CGSB. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CL 12 – Clash with DAS Participation	CL 12 – Clash with DAS Participation: Dummy variable indicating that in the event of a clash, there was the participation of DAS. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CL 13 – Clash with M19 Participation	CL 13 – Clash with M19 Participation: Dummy variable indicating that in the event of a clash, there was the participation of M19. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
Cl D – Clash Dummy	Cl D – Clash Dummy: Dummy variable indicating there was or not a clash in the event, independently from the existence or not of an attack. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CL Gue – Clash with Some Guerrilla Group Participation	CL Gue – Clash with Some Guerrilla Group Participation: Dummy variable indicating that in the event of a clash, there was the participation of some guerrilla group. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CL Par – Clash with Paramilitaries Participation	CL Par – Clash with Paramilitaries Participation: Dummy variable indicating that in the event of a clash, there was the participation of paramilitary groups. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CL Gov – Clash with Some Government Group Participation	CL Gov – Clash with Some Government Group Participation: Dummy variable indicating that in the event of a clash, there was the participation of some government group. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.

CLGovGue – Clash Between Government and Guerrilla Groups	CLGovGue – Clash Between Government and Guerrilla Groups: Dummy variable indicating that there was a clash between some Government and guerrilla groups in the event. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CLGovPar – Clash Between Government and Paramilitary Groups	CLGovPar – Clash Between Government and Paramilitary Groups: Dummy variable indicating that there was a clash between some Government and paramilitary groups in the event. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CLGuePar – Clash Between Guerrilla and Paramilitary Groups	CLGuePar – Clash Between Guerrilla and Paramilitary Groups: Dummy variable indicating that there was a clash between some Guerrilla and paramilitary groups in the event. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CLGovELN – Clash Between Government and ELN	CLGovELN – Clash Between Government and ELN: Dummy variable indicating that there was a clash between some government group and ELN in the event. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CLParELN – Clash Between Paramilitary Groups and ELN	CLParELN – Clash Between Paramilitary Groups and ELN: Dummy variable indicating that there was a clash between Paramilitary Groups and ELN in the event. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CLGovFAR – Clash Between Government and FARC	CLGovFAR – Clash Between Government and FARC: Dummy variable indicating that there was a clash between some government group and guerrilla groups in the event. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CLParFAR – Clash Between Paramilitary Groups and FARC	CLParFAR – Clash Between Paramilitary Groups and FARC: Dummy variable indicating that there was a clash between some paramilitary groups and guerrilla groups in the event. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
CLGovGuePar – Clash Between Government and Paramilitary and Guerrilla Groups	CLGovGuePar – Clash Between Government and Paramilitary and Guerrilla Groups: Dummy variable indicating that there was a clash between some government, guerrilla and paramilitary groups in the event. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AT 1 – Unilateral Attack by Military Forces	AT 1 – Unilateral Attack by Military Forces: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack in which the armed forces participated. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AT 2 – Unilateral Attack by Police	AT 2 – Unilateral Attack by Police: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack in which the police participated. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AT 3 – Unilateral Attack by Paramilitary Groups	AT 3 – Unilateral Attack by Paramilitary Groups: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack in which paramilitaries participated. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.

AT 4 – Unilateral Attack by ELN	AT 4 – Unilateral Attack by ELN: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack in which ELN participated. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AT 5 – Unilateral Attack by FARC	AT 5 – Unilateral Attack by FARC: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack in which FARC participated. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AT 6 – Unilateral Attack by EPL	AT 6 – Unilateral Attack by EPL: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack in which EPL participated. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AT 7 – Unilateral Attack by ERP	AT 7 – Unilateral Attack by ERP: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack in which ERP participated. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AT 8 – Unilateral Attack by Other Guerrilla Groups	AT 8 – Unilateral Attack by Other Guerrilla Groups: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack in which other guerrilla groups participated. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AT 9 – Unilateral Attack by Other Groups	AT 9 – Unilateral Attack by Other Groups: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack in which other groups participated. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AT 10 – Unilateral Attack by Non Identified Groups	AT 10 – Unilateral Attack by Non Identified Groups: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack in which non identified groups participated. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AT 11 – Unilateral Attack by CGSB	AT 11 – Unilateral Attack by CGSB: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack in which CGSB participated. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AT 12 – Unilateral Attack by DAS	AT 12 – Unilateral Attack by DAS: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack in which the DAS participated. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AT 13 – Unilateral Attack by M19	AT 13 – Unilateral Attack by M19: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack in which M19 participated. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AT D – Attack Dummy	AT D – Attack Dummy: Dummy variable indicating there was or not an attack in the event, independently of the existence or not of a clash. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AT Gue – Unilateral Attack by Guerrilla Groups	AT Gue – Unilateral Attack by Guerrilla Groups: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack in which some guerrilla group participated. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.

AT Par – Unilateral Attack by Paramilitary Groups	AT Par – Unilateral Attack by Paramilitary Groups: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack in which paramilitary groups participated. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AT Gov – Unilateral Attack by Government Groups	AT Gov – Unilateral Attack by Government Groups: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack in which the government groups participated. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AT Otr – Unilateral Attack by Other Guerrilla Groups	AT Otr – Unilateral Attack by Other Guerrilla Groups: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack in which other guerrilla groups participated. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AtGueExc – Unilateral Attack Made Exclusively by Guerrilla Groups	AtGueExc – Unilateral Attack Made Exclusively by Guerrilla Groups: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack made exclusively by some guerrilla group. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AtParExc – Unilateral Attack Made Exclusively by Paramilitary Groups	AtParExc – Unilateral Attack Made Exclusively by Paramilitary Groups: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack made exclusively by paramilitary groups. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AtGovExc – Unilateral Attack Made Exclusively by Government Groups	AtGovExc – Unilateral Attack Made Exclusively by Government Groups: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack made exclusively by some government group. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
AtOtrExc – Unilateral Attack Made Exclusively by Other Guerrilla Groups	AtOtrExc – Unilateral Attack Made Exclusively by Other Guerrilla Groups: Dummy variable indicating there was an attack made exclusively by other guerrilla groups. This variable takes the value of 1 in the affirmative case and 0 otherwise.
K0 – Number of Civilians Killed	K0 – Number of Civilians Killed: Describes the number of civilians killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
K1 – Number of Military Forces Members Killed	K1 – Number of Military Forces Members Killed: Describes the number of military forces members killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
K2 – Number of Police Members Killed	K2 – Number of Police Members Killed: Describes the number of police members killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
K3 – Number of Paramilitaries Killed	K3 – Number of Paramilitaries Killed: Describes the number of paramilitaries killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
K4 – Number of ELN Members Killed	K4 – Number of ELN Members Killed: Describes the number of ELN members killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
K5 – Number of FARC Members Killed	K5 – Number of FARC Members Killed: Describes the number of FARC members killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
K6 – Number of EPL Members Killed	K6 – Number of EPL Members Killed: Describes the number of EPL members killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.

K7 – Number of ERP Members Killed	K7 – Number of ERP Members Killed: Describes the number of ERP members killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
K8 – Number of Other Guerrilla Groups Members Killed	K8 – Number of Other Guerrilla Groups Members Killed: Describes the number of other guerrilla groups members killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
K9 – Number of Other Groups Members Killed	K9 – Number of Other Groups Members Killed: Describes the number of other groups members killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
K10 – Number of Non Identified Groups Members Killed	K10 – Number of Non Identified Groups Members Killed: Describes the number of non identified groups members killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
K11 – Number of CGSB Members Killed	K11 – Number of CGSB Members Killed: Describes the number of CGSB members killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
K12 – Number of DAS Members Killed	K12 – Number of DAS Members Killed: Describes the number of DAS members killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
K13 – Number of M19 Members Killed	K13 – Number of M19 Members Killed: Describes the number of M19 members killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
I0 – Number of Civilians Injured	I0 – Number of Civilians Injured: Describes the number of civilians injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
I1 – Number of Military Forces members Injured	I1 – Number of Military Forces members Injured: Describes the number of military forces members injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
I2 – Number of Police Members Injured	I2 – Number of Police Members Injured: Describes the number of police members injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
I3 – Number of Paramilitaries Injured	I3 – Number of Paramilitaries Injured: Describes the number of paramilitaries injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
I4 – Number of ELN Members Injured	I4 – Number of ELN Members Injured: Describes the number of ELN members injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
I5 – Number of FARC Members Injured	I5 – Number of FARC Members Injured: Describes the number of FARC members injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
I6 – Number of EPL Members Injured	I6 – Number of EPL Members Injured: Describes the number of EPL members injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
I7 – Number of ERP Members Injured	I7 – Number of ERP Members Injured: Describes the number of ERP members injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
I8 – Number of Other Guerrilla Groups Members Injured	I8 – Number of Other Guerrilla Groups Members Injured: Describes the number of other guerrilla groups members injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.

I9 – Number of Other Groups Members Injured	I9 – Number of Other Groups Members Injured: Describes the number of other groups members injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
I10 – Number of Non Identified Groups Members Injured	I10 – Number of Non Identified Groups Members Injured: Describes the number of non identified groups members injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
I11 – Number of CGSB Members Injured	I11 – Number of CGSB Members Injured: Describes the number of CGSB members injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
I12 – Number of DAS Members Injured	I12 – Number of DAS Members Injured: Describes the number of DAS members injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
I13 – Number of M19 Members Injured	I13 – Number of M19 Members Injured: Describes the number of M19 members injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
KGue – Number of Guerrillas Members Killed	KGue – Number of Guerrillas Members Killed: Describes the number of Guerrillas members killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
KPar – Number of Paramilitary Members Killed	KPar – Number of Paramilitary Members Killed: Describes the number of Paramilitaries killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
KGov – Number of Government Members Killed	KGov – Number of Government Members Killed: Describes the number of Government members killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
KCiv – Number of Civilians Killed	KCiv – Number of Civilians Killed: Describes the number of Civilians killed in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
K – Number of Killings	K – Number of Killings: This variable shows the number of killings in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0. It is equivalent to the sum of the variables <i>K0</i> to <i>K13</i> .
IGue – Number of Guerrilla Members Injured	IGue – Number of Guerrilla Members Injured: This variable shows the number of Guerrillas injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
IPar – Number of Paramilitary Members Injured	IPar – Number of Paramilitary Members Injured: This variable shows the number of Paramilitary Members injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
IGov – Number of Government Members Injured	IGov – Number of Government Members Injured: This variable shows the number of Government Members injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
ICiv – Number of Civilians Injured	ICiv – Number of Civilians Injured: This variable shows the number of Civilians injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
I – Number of Injured	I – Number of Injured: This variable shows the number of injured in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0. It is equivalent to the sum of the variables <i>I0</i> to <i>I13</i> .

KIGue – Number of Guerrilla Members Casualties	KIGue – Number of Guerrilla Members Casualties: This variable shows the number of Guerrilla casualties in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
KIPar – Number of Paramilitary Members Casualties	KIPar – Number of Paramilitary Members Casualties: This variable shows the number of Paramilitary Members casualties in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
KIGov – Number of Government Members Casualties	KIGov – Number of Government Members Casualties: This variable shows the number of Government Members casualties in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
KICiv – Number of Civilian Casualties	KICiv – Number of Civilian Casualties: This variable shows the number of Civilian casualties in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0.
KI – Number of Casualties	KI – Number of Casualties: This variable shows the number of casualties in the event. It takes whole values starting from 0. It is equivalent to the sum of the variables K to I.