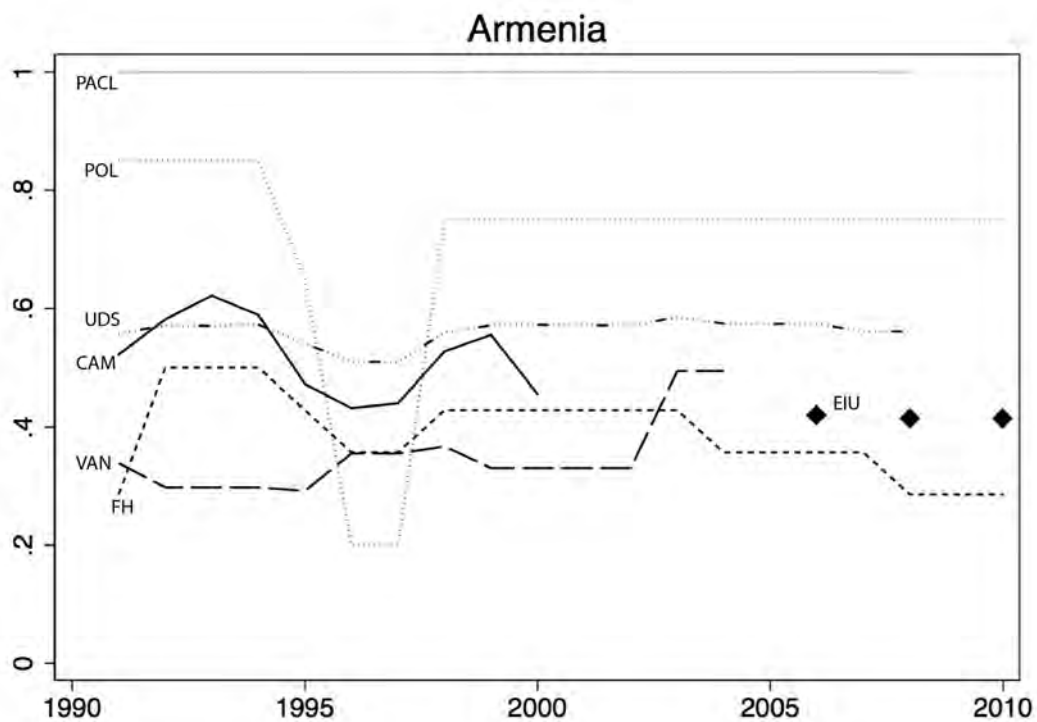


APPENDIX: COMPARING DEMOCRACY MEASURES WITHIN THE FORMER SOVIET REPUBLICS

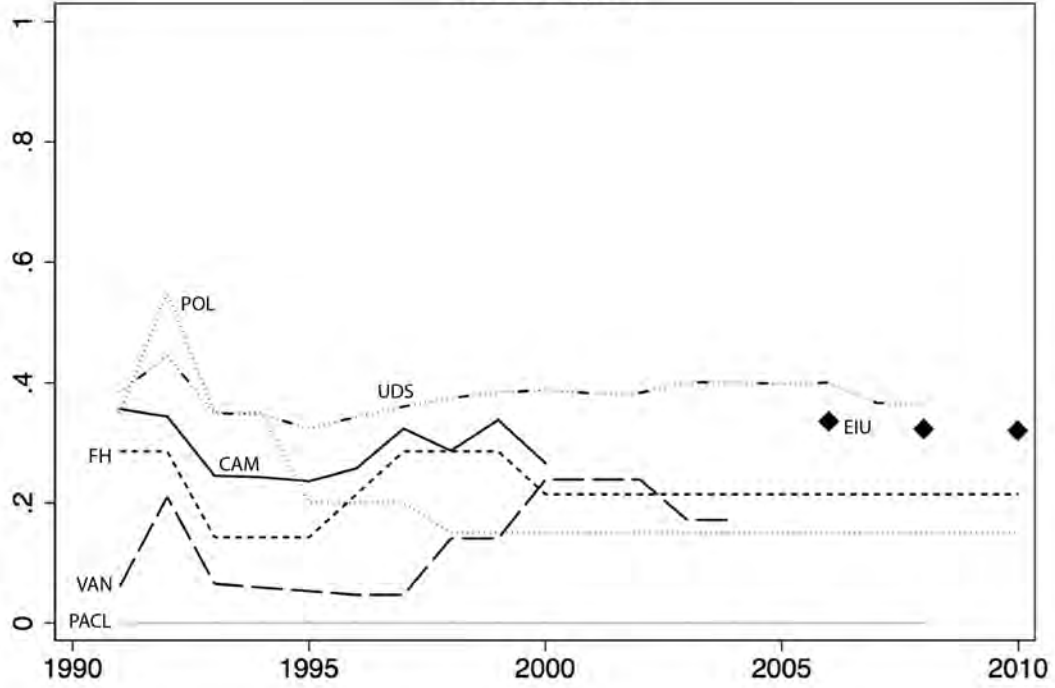
These figures compare how different measures gauge the quality of democracy in each of the 15 former Soviet republics. The y-axis (measuring the quality of democracy) is fixed from 0 to 1 to enable easier comparisons between countries.

Legend:

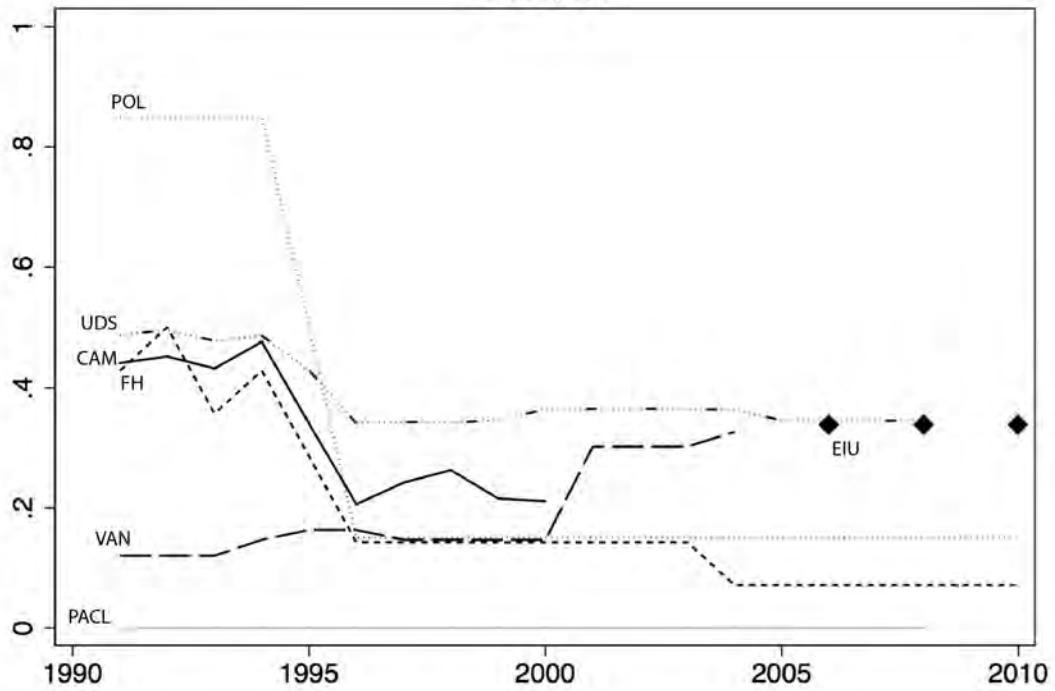
CAM – Coppedge et al (1991-2004)
EIU – Economist Intelligence Unit (2006, 2008, 2010)
FH – Freedom House (1991-2010)
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VAN – Vanhanen (1991-2004)

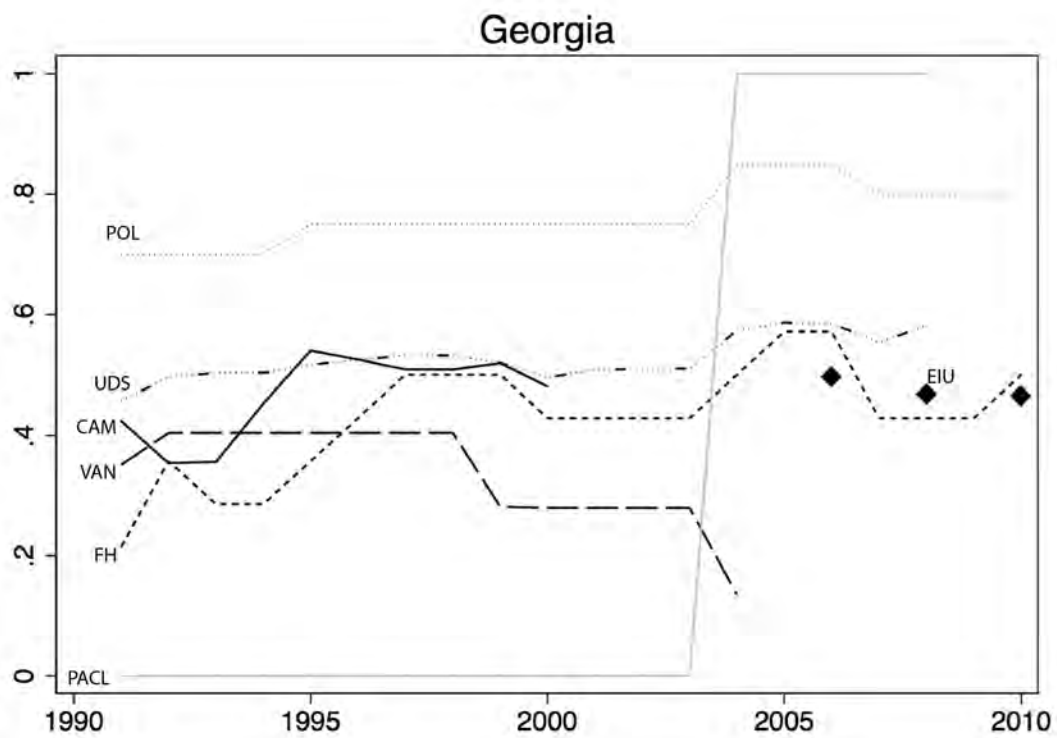
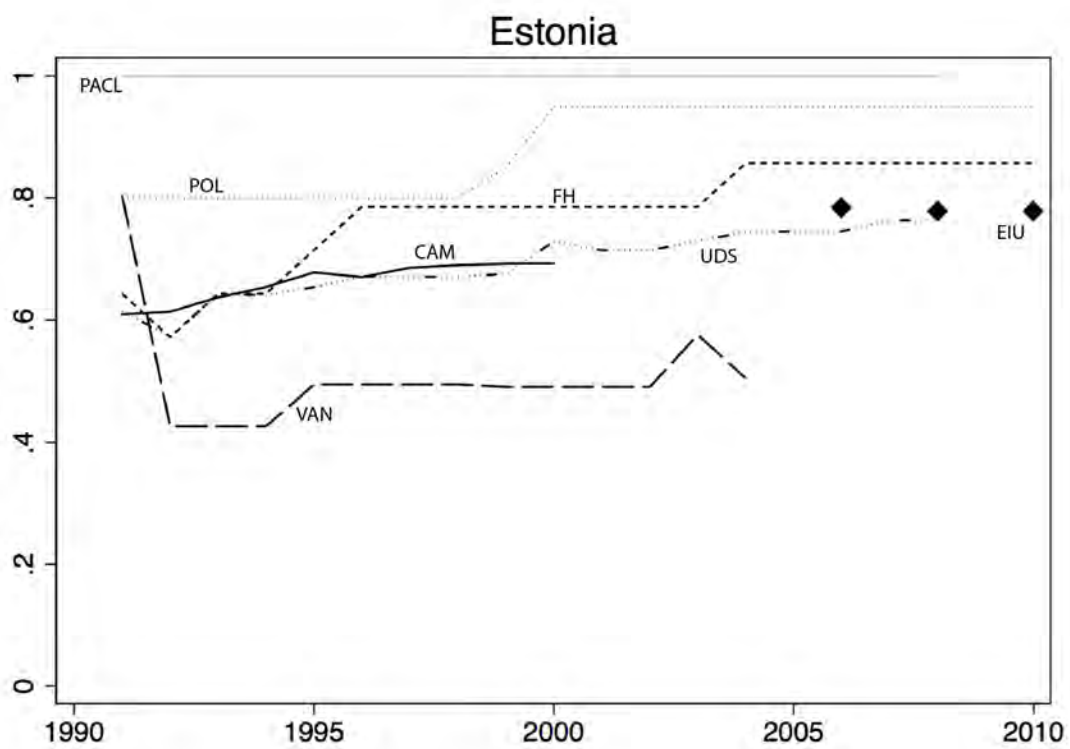


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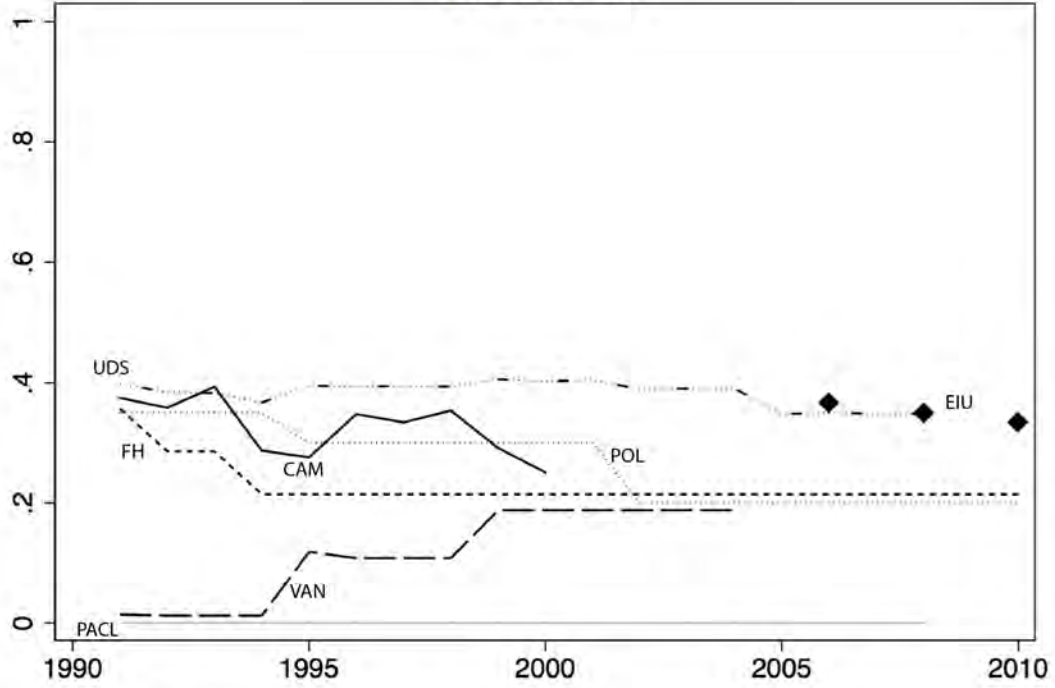


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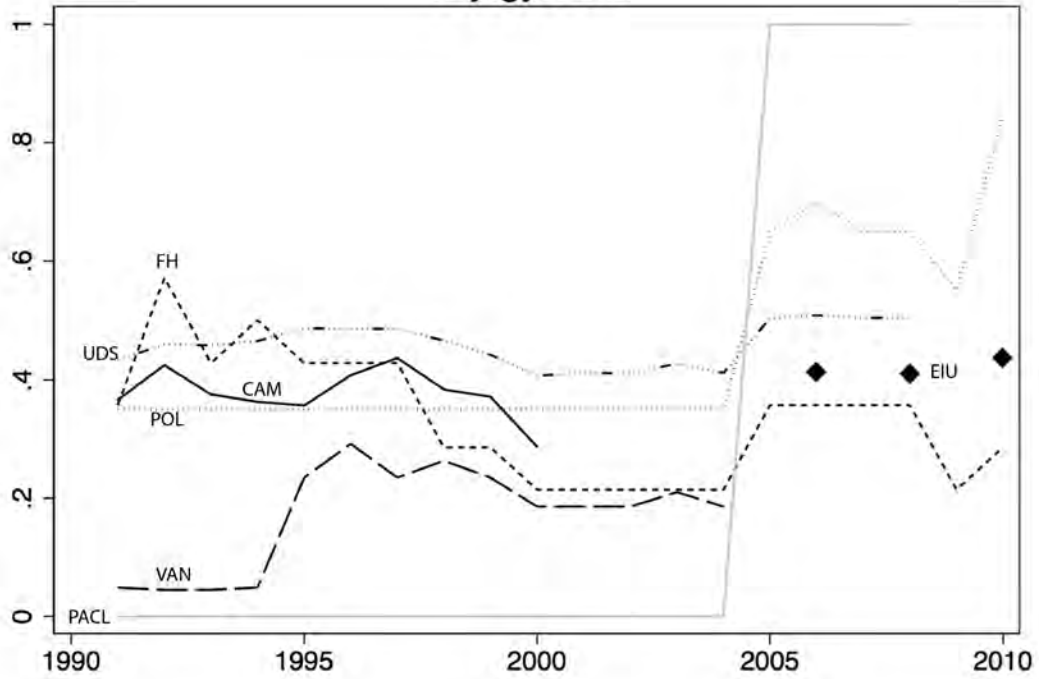




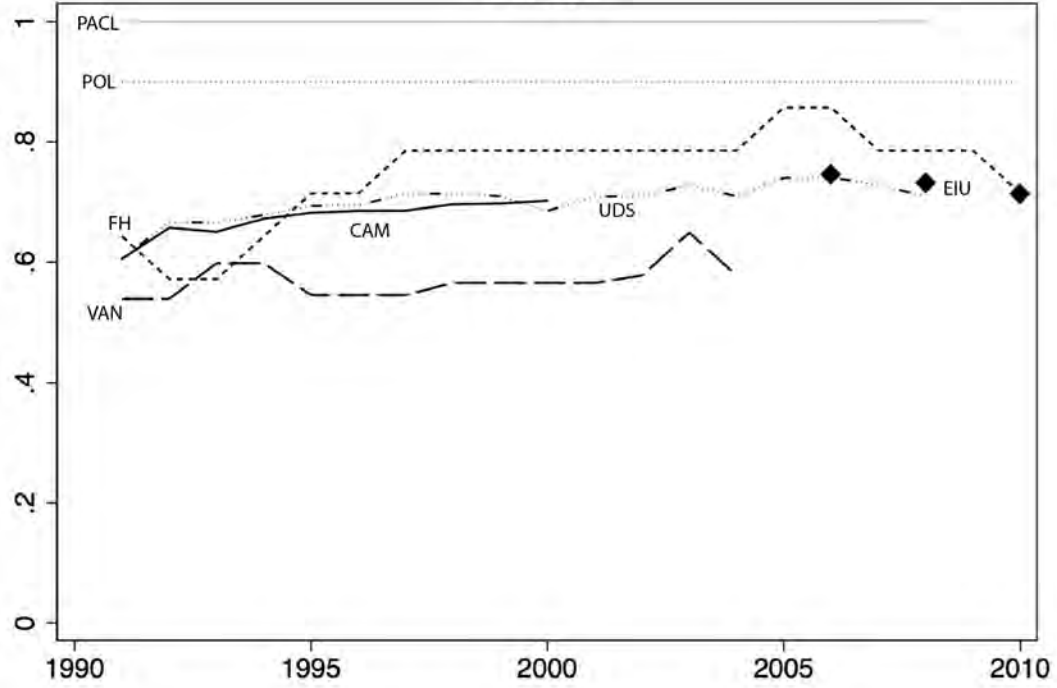
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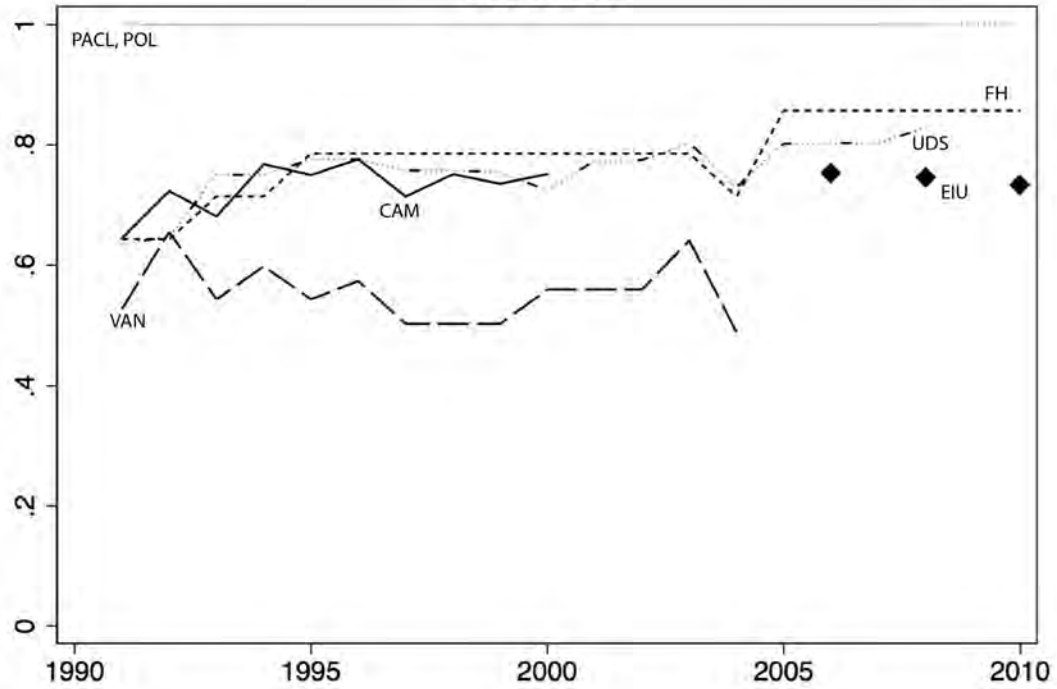
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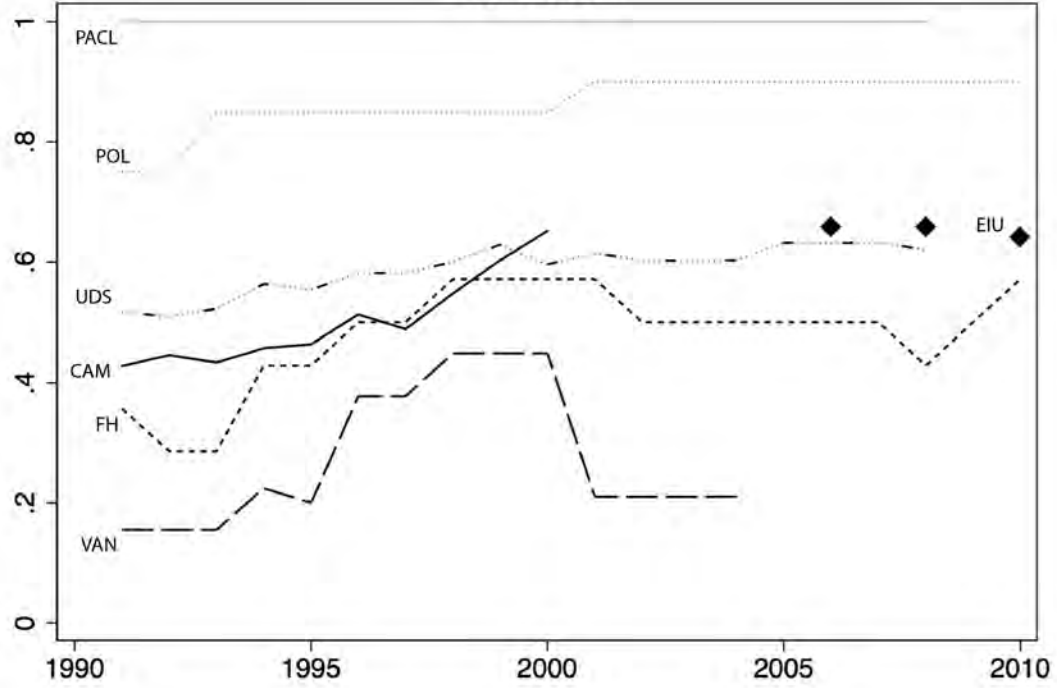
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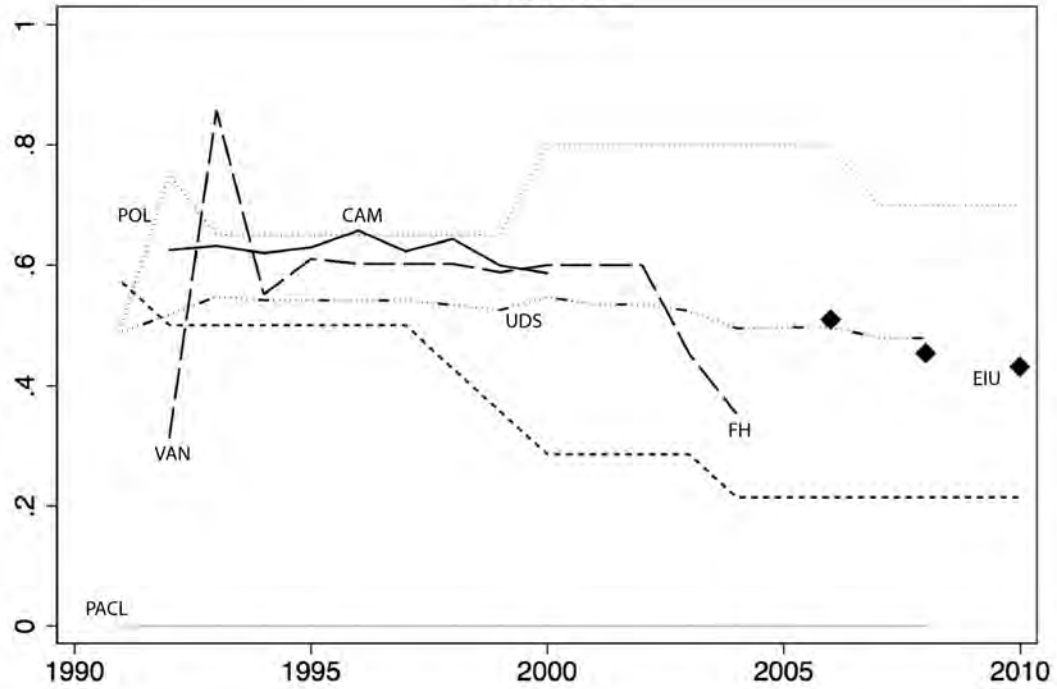
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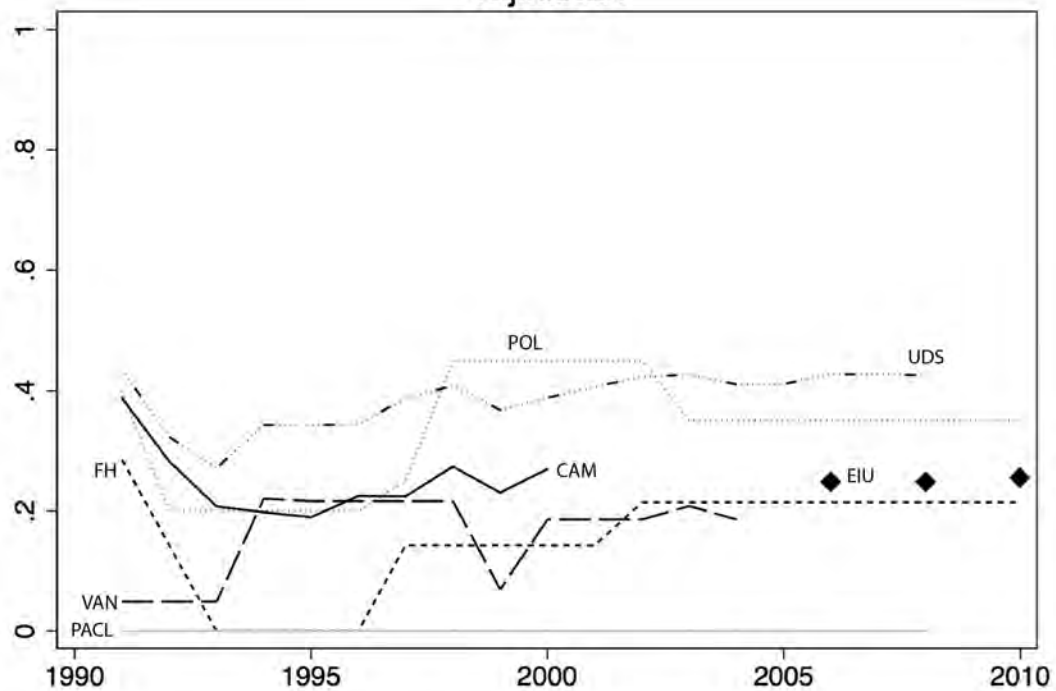
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Russia



Tajikistan



Turkmenistan

