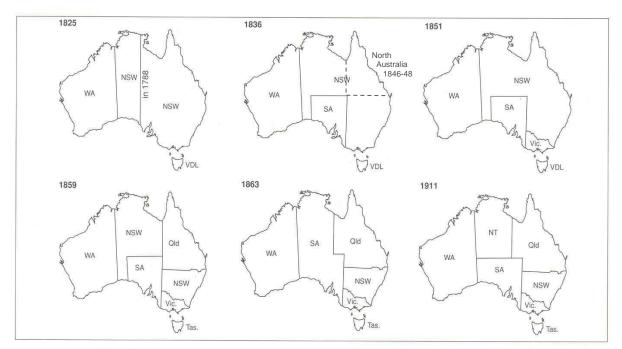
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## Appendix

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### Figure A1. Evolution of Australia's colonial/federal divisions, 1788-present

5.1 Boundaries of states and territories

(NSW: New South Wales; NT: Northern Territory; Qld: Queensland; SA: South Australia; Tas.: Tasmania; VDL: Van Diemen's Land; Vic.: Victoria; WA: Western Australia). In 1911 the Australian Capital Territory was excised from New South Wales.

Source: MACINTYRE, S. (1999). *A Concise History of Australia*. Cambridge University Press, p.96, as corrected by authors

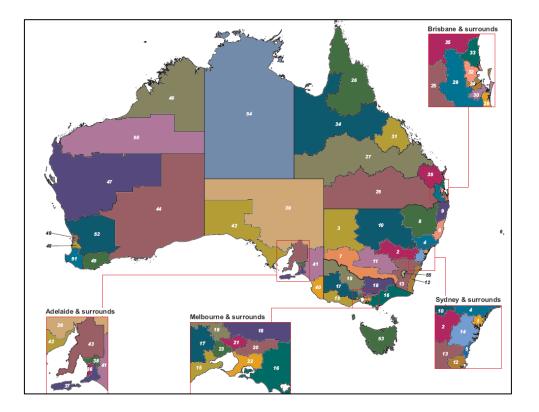


Figure A2. 'Region-regions': Regional Development Australia committees (2013)

Source: http://rda.gov.au/rda-region-maps <viewed 29 August 2013>

# Table A1. Correlations between sense of belonging/attachment and (a) performance/trust and confidence in that level; (b) support for retaining that level of government

|     |   | Federal level | State level | Local level |
|-----|---|---------------|-------------|-------------|
| (a) | 2008<br>(Strength of <i>belonging /</i><br>perceived performance of level)                  | .118**        | .128**      | .076**      |
|     | 2012<br>(Strength of <i>attachment /</i><br>trust and confidence in level to do a good job) | .096**        | .047        | .069*       |
| (b) | 2008<br>(Strength of <i>belonging /</i><br>prefer to retain level in future)                | .083*         | .111**      | .070**      |
|     | 2012<br>(Strength of <i>attachment /</i><br>prefer to retain level in future)               | 068*          | 050         | .006        |

\* *p* <.005; \*\* *p* <.001

| Local | Region           | State                 | Australia  |
|-------|------------------|-----------------------|--|
| 1.00  | .618*<br>N= 1127 | .312*<br>N=1211       | .154*<br>N=1214  |
|       | 1.00             | .481*<br>N=1127       | .178*<br>N= 1130   |
|       |                  | 1.00                  | .316*<br>N=1214  |
|       |                  |                       | 1.00   |
|       |                  | 1.00 .618*<br>N= 1127 | 1.00 .618* .312*<br>N= 1127 N=1211<br>1.00 .481*<br>N=1127 |

Table A2. Bivariate correlations for attachment to scales (2012, unweighted)

\*p < .001; 'Don't Know' responses excluded. Pairwise deletion applied to address invalid responses.

| Group                              | Attachment Question  | Moreno Question   | n   | Total |  |
|------------------------------------|--|---|-----|-------|--|
|                                    | State stronger than regional   | 'More as a person from (State)'   |     |       |  |
| State-                             | Equal State and region   | 'More as a person from (State)'   | 259 | 177   |  |
| Regionalist                        | Regional stronger than State   | 'More as a person from (State)'   |     | 477   |  |
|                                    | State stronger than regional   | 'Don't Know/ Refused'   | 82  | 1     |  |
|                                    | State stronger than regional   | 'Equally from (State) and (Region)'   | 38  |       |  |
| Dual-                              | Equal to State and region  | 'Equally from (State) and (Region)'   |     | 260   |  |
| Regionalist                        | Regional stronger than State   | 'Equally from (State) and (Region)'   |     |       |  |
|                                    | Equal State and region   | 'Don't Know/ Refused'   |     |       |  |
|                                    | State stronger than regional   | 'More as a person from (Region)   | 27  |       |  |
| Region-                            | Equal State and region   | 'More as a person from (Region)272'More as a person from (Region)125'Don't Know / Refused'4 |     | 429   |  |
| Regionalist                        | Regional stronger than State   |   |     | 428   |  |
|                                    | Regional stronger than State   |   |     |       |  |
| Non-<br>Regionalist/<br>Don't Know | Not very or not at all to both State<br>and region; or Don't Know /<br>Refused | 'Don't Know / Refused'  | 54  | 54    |  |
|                                    |  |   |     | 1219  |  |

Table A3. Breakdown of Regionalism Groups for Comparison (2012)

## Table A4. Federal Political Culture Measures of ACVS (BROWN, 2012a, b)

| %                                       |      | Desirable<br>(Very/Somewhat) | Undesirable<br>(Somewhat/Very) | Neither/Don't<br>Know |
|---|------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Having power divided up between         | 2008 | 68.5                         | 25.4                           | 6.2                   |
| different levels of government          | 2010 | 67.5                         | 26.9                           | 5.5                   |
|   | 2012 | 69.3                         | 24.1                           | 6.6                   |
| Allowing different laws in response     | 2008 | 59.3                         | 36.1                           | 4.6                   |
| to varying needs and conditions in      | 2010 | 56.3                         | 40.7                           | 3.3                   |
| different parts of Australia            | 2012 | 55.5                         | 41.5                           | 3.0                   |
| Being able to elect different political | 2008 | 75.9                         | 19.2                           | 5.0                   |
| parties at different levels of          | 2010 | 81.7                         | 15.2                           | 3.1                   |
| government                              | 2012 | 78.1                         | 16.6                           | 5.3                   |
| Different governments arguing over      | 2008 | 19.1                         | 77.2                           | 3.8                   |
| who is responsible for a particular     | 2010 | 20.9                         | 75.9                           | 3.3                   |
| problem                                 | 2012 | 17.3                         | 79.1                           | 3.5                   |