

De-Mystification of Participatory Democracy

EU Governance and Civil Society

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Appendix Chapter 1

Table 1.A: Four definitions of civil society

	Descriptive statistics				
	N	Min.	Max.	Mean	Std. Dev.
<i>Representation</i>	97	1	7	4,88	1,938
<i>Public discourse</i>	97	1	7	4,89	1,790
<i>Self-constitution</i>	97	1	7	5,23	1,468
<i>Public well-being</i>	97	1	7	4,21	1,920

Representation

'Civil society includes all those voluntary and non-profit organisations which play an important role in giving voice to the concerns of citizens and in delivering services that meet people's needs. Civil society includes the following: trade unions, employers' and producers' organisations; non-governmental organisations representing general interests such as environment, human rights, social welfare, health and culture; professional associations and grass-root organisations.'

Public discourse

'Civil society is composed of those more or less spontaneously emergent associations, organizations, and movements that distil and transmit societal problems to the public sphere and are enhancing problem-solving discourses on questions of general interest.'

Self-constitution

'Civil society defines a sphere of social interaction between economy, state and the intimate sphere, the sphere of associations, social movements, and forms of public communication. Modern civil society is created through forms of self-constitution and self-mobilization. It serves to stabilize social differentiation and self-government.'

Public well-being

'Civil society epitomises such values as solidarity, horizontal social and institutional bonds, as well as civic activity which – one should add – implies responsibility and commitment to the well-being of the larger community.'

Table 1.B: Correlations between various definitions of civil society

	<i>Representation</i>	<i>Public discourse</i>	<i>Self-constitution</i>	<i>Public well-being</i>
<i>Representation</i>	1	-,036	-,007	-,115
<i>Public discourse</i>	-,036	1	,349**	,456**
<i>Self-constitution</i>	-,007	,349**	1	,399**
<i>Public well-being</i>	-,115	,456**	,399**	1

Note:

** Correlation is significant at the 0.01 level (two-tailed); N = 98

Table 1.C: Correlations between “agreement with definition” regarding definitions of civil society and associations which are considered CSOs (Correlation “definition of civil society” with “organisation qualifying as CSO”)

	<i>Interests represented[†]</i>	<i>Definition 1 Representation</i>	<i>Definition 2 Public discourse</i>	<i>Definition 3 Self-constitution</i>	<i>Definition 4 Public well-being</i>
Active Citizenship Network (ACN)	GIA	0,163	0,009	0,082	-0,148
American Chamber of Commerce to the EU (AMCHAM EU)	BIA	0,353 **	-0,314 **	-0,078	-0,321 **
CARE (Christian Action Research & Education) for Europe	GIA	0,097	-0,014	0,090	-0,206 *
European Advertising Standards Alliance (EASA)	BIA	0,273 **	-0,143	-0,016	-0,282 **
European Association of Craft and Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (UEAPME)	BIA	0,477 **	-0,086	0,124	-0,180
European Association of Hospital Pharmacists (EAHP)	PO	0,445 **	-0,141	-0,039	-0,390 **
European Cancer Patient Coalition (ECPC)	GIA	0,072	0,018	0,012	-0,083
European Chemical Industry Council (CEFIC)	BIA	0,321 **	-0,296 **	-0,058	-0,317 **
European Citizen Action Service (ECAS)	GIA	0,171	-0,006	-0,006	-0,205 *
European Coalition to End Animal Experiments (ECEAE)	GIA	0,100	0,009	0,165	-0,084
European Community of Consumer Cooperatives (EuroCoop)	<i>BIA or GIA</i>	0,332 **	-0,031	-0,030	-0,178
European Council of Civil Engineers (ECCE)	PO	0,355 **	-0,154	0,080	-0,230 *
European Disability Forum (EDF)	GIA	0,100	0,060	-0,001	-0,132
European Federation of Associations of Health Products Manufacturers (EHPM)	BIA	0,502 **	-0,117	-0,020	-0,307 **
European Federation of Food Agriculture and Tourism Trade Unions (EFFAT)	TU	0,407 **	-0,271 **	-0,030	-0,357 **
European Federation of National Organisations working with the homeless (FEANTSA)	GIA	0,101	0,036	0,145	-0,159
European Flavour and Fragrance Association (EFFA)	BIA	0,332 **	-0,095	0,049	-0,212 *
European Federation of Pharmaceutical Industries and Associations (EFPIA)	BIA	0,422 **	-0,180	-0,046	-0,329 **

* Significant at $p < 0.05$; ** Significant at $p < 0.01$

BIA: Business Interest Association

GIA: General Interest Association

PO: Professional Organization

TU: Trade Union

[†] Classification according to the research team

Table 1.C: Correlations between “agreement with definition” regarding definitions of civil society and associations which are considered CSOs (Correlation “definition of civil society” with “organization qualifying as CSO”) (continuation)

	<i>Interests represented[†]</i>	<i>Definition 1 Representation</i>	<i>Definition 2 Public discourse</i>	<i>Definition 3 Self-constitution</i>	<i>Definition 4 Public well-being</i>
European Federation of Public Service Employees (EUROFEDOP)	TU	0,339 **	-0,244 *	-0,029	-0,216 *
European League against Rheumatism (EULAR)	GIA	0,235 *	-0,117	0,002	-0,222 *
European Medical Students' Association (EMSA)	PO or GIA	0,408 **	-0,168	0,052	-0,169
European Network for Smoking Prevention (ENSP)	GIA	0,238 *	-0,075	0,130	-0,096
European Patients' Forum	GIA	0,188	0,065	0,145	-0,010
European Round Table of Charitable Social Welfare Associations (ETWelfare)	GIA	0,264 **	0,123	0,033	-0,012
European Small Businesses Alliance (ESBA)	BIA	0,520 **	-0,213 *	-0,064	-0,323 **
European Trade Union Confederation (ETUC)	TU	0,416 **	-0,253 *	-0,085	-0,342 **
European Union of Private Hospitals (UEHP)	BIA	0,432 **	-0,312 **	0,011	-0,351 **
European Women's Lobby (EWL)	GIA	0,172	0,055	0,053	-0,265 **
European Federation of Retired and Older People (FERPA)	GIA	0,231 *	-0,059	0,069	-0,156
AGE, the European Older People's Platform	GIA	0,013	0,188	-0,017	-0,123
Federation of Veterinarians of Europe (FVE)	PO	0,352 **	-0,099	0,072	-0,161
International Federation of Industrial Energy Consumers (IFIIEC Europe)	BIA	0,340 **	-0,158	-0,066	-0,245 *
International Lesbian and Gay Association Europe (ILGA EUROPE)	GIA	0,146	0,014	0,145	-0,115
Organisation for Timeshare in Europe (OTE)	BIA	0,314 **	-0,147	-0,116	-0,200 *
Product Safety Enforcement Forum of Europe (PROSAFE)	GIA	0,278 **	-0,079	-0,049	-0,298 **
Social Platform - The Platform of European Social NGOs	GIA	0,250 *	0,248 *	0,128	-0,084
European Union of Medical Specialists (UEMS)	PO	0,326 **	-0,108	0,021	-0,258 *

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Appendix Chapter 4

Table 4.A: List of consultation instruments

Directorate-General Health and Consumers (DG SANCO)	
<i>Public Health</i>	
-	Consultative Meeting on the Future Mental Health Challenges in Europe (09/2001)
-	Open Consultation on Draft Technical Requirements for Blood and Blood Components (03/2003)
-	Consultation Reflection Process on EU health policy (10/2004)
-	Public consultation on a preliminary opinion on hydrogen peroxide in tooth whitening products (01/2005)
-	1st Stakeholder's Workshop on Health, Social and Economic Impact of Alcohol (01/2005)
-	Open Consultation on Draft Technical Requirements for Tissues and Cells (06/2005)
-	2nd Stakeholder's Workshop on Health, Social and Economic Impact of Alcohol (09/2005)
-	Open Health Forum: Health Challenges and future Strategy (11/2005)
-	Public consultation SCENIHR Opinion on How to Assess the Potential Risks of Nanotechnologies (12/2005)
-	Platform on Mental Health (2006)
-	Public consultation: SCENIHR Opinion on The Safety of Human-derived Products with regard to Variant Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease (vCJD) (02/2006)
-	Green paper "Promoting healthy diets and physical activity: a European dimension for the prevention of overweight, obesity and chronic diseases" (03/2006)
-	Public consultation: SCCP Opinion on biological effects of ultraviolet radiation relevant to health with particular reference to sun beds for cosmetic purposes (03/2006)
-	Open Consultation on the Green Paper "On mental health of the Population. Towards a Strategy on Mental health for the European Union" (05/2006)
-	Directive 90/496/EEC on Nutrition Labeling for Foodstuffs: Discussion Paper on the Revision of Technical Issues (07/2006)
-	Open Consultation: Organ donation and transplantation. Policy options at EU level (09/2006)
-	European Conference "Continuing Professional Development – Improving healthcare" (12/2006)
-	Consultation regarding Community action on health services (01/2007)
-	Public consultation SCENIHR Opinion on the appropriateness of the risk assessment methodology in accordance with the Technical Guidance Documents for new and existing substances for assessing the risks of nanomaterial (05/2007)
-	Consultation on the Green Paper "Towards a Europe free from tobacco smoke: policy options at EU level" (06/2007)
-	European Alcohol and Health Forum (06/2007)
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Table 4.A: List of consultation instruments (continuation)

<i>Public Health (continuation)</i>
- Open Consultation on the Green Paper "On mental health of the Population. Towards a Strategy on Mental health for the European Union" (05/2006)
- Directive 90/496/EEC on Nutrition Labeling for Foodstuffs: Discussion Paper on the Revision of Technical Issues (07/2006)
- Open Consultation: Organ donation and transplantation. Policy options at EU level (09/2006)
- European Conference "Continuing Professional Development – Improving healthcare" (12/2006)
- Consultation regarding Community action on health services (01/2007)
- Public consultation SCENIHR Opinion on the appropriateness of the risk assessment methodology in accordance with the Technical Guidance Documents for new and existing substances for assessing the risks of nanomaterial (05/2007)
- Consultation on the Green Paper "Towards a Europe free from tobacco smoke: policy options at EU level" (06/2007)
- European Alcohol and Health Forum (06/2007)
<i>Food safety</i>
- Consultation on the Opinion of the Scientific Steering Committee on oral exposure of humans to the BSE agent: infective dose and species barrier (03/2000)
- Consultation on the White Paper on Food Safety (05/2000)
- Conference Risk Analysis and its Role in the EU (07/2000)
- Consultation on irradiated food and food ingredients – Commission Proposal for the completion of the Positive List of foodstuffs authorised for treatment with ionising radiation (10/2000)
- Consultation on the Discussion Paper on Nutrition Claims and Functional Claims (07/2001)
- Consultation on Evaluation of Regulation 258/97 on novel food and food ingredients (10/2002)
- Conference on Risk Perception: Science, Public Debate and Policy Making (10/2003)
- Consultation on the Revision of Commission Directive 91/321/EEC on infant formulae and follow-on formulae (03/2005)
- Consultation on the Evaluation of the Community Health Policy (CAHP) 1995–2004 and alternatives for the future. Survey by the Food Chain Evaluation Consortium (02/2006)
- Consultation Paper on Labeling: Competitiveness, Consumer Information and better regulation for the EU (06/2006)
- Consultation on the Discussion Paper on the setting of maximum and minimum amounts for vitamins and minerals in foodstuffs (09/2006)
- Consultation to gather the views of interested parties on the feasibility and advisability of presenting legislative proposal enabling the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) to receive fees for processing authorisation files (02/2007)
<i>Consumer protection</i>
- Conference on a European Extra-Judicial Network for Resolving Consumer Disputes, Lisbon (05/2000)
- Consultation on the Communication on European Contract Law (10/2001)
- Hearing on the Green Paper on EU Consumer Protection (12/2001)
- Consultation on the Green Paper on EU Consumer Protection (01/2002)
- Consultation on the Follow-up Communication to the Green Paper on EU Consumer Protection (09/2002)
- Conference on the EU Harmonisation of Fair Trading Legislation (10/2002)
- Conference on the Enforcement of Consumer Protection for Poland (05/2003)
- Conference on the Enforcement of Consumer Protection for Latvia, Lithuania and Estonia (09/2003)
- Consultation on the Green Paper on Services of General Interest (09/2003)
- Conference on the Enforcement of Consumer Protection for Czech Republic, Slovakia and Malta (12/2003)
- Conference on the Enforcement of Consumer Protection for Cyprus, Hungary and Slovenia (03/2004)

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<i>Consumer protection (continuation)</i>
- Conference on Non-Food Product Safety for Consumer Associations (11/2004)
- Conference on European Market Surveillance Programming (03/2005)
- Conference 8th Annual Assembly of Consumer Associations (12/2005)
- Conference on the 20th Anniversary of the New Approach (11/2005)
- Conference on Accident and Injury Data Collection for Non-Food Product and Service Risk Assessment (02/2006)
- Seminar on the Assessment of Consumer Exposure to Chemicals in Consumer Products (09/2006)
- Conference on the Economic Operators Obligation to Notify Dangerous Products (12/2006)
- Consultation on Green Paper on the review of the Consumer Acquis (05/2007)
- Stakeholder Conference on Green Paper on the Review of the Consumer Acquis (11/2007)
- Conference on the Transposition and Enforcement of Directive 93/13 on Unfair Terms, Brussels (07/1999)
Directorate-General Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion (DG Social Affairs)
<i>Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)</i>
- Online Consultation on Green Paper "Promoting a European Framework for Corporate Social Responsibility" (12/2001)
- Conference on "Responsible Competitiveness" (09/2005)
- Conference on "Responsible Consumption" (09/2005)
- Conference on "Responsible Sourcing" (11/2005)
- Conference on CSR in Enlarged Europe" (02/2006)
- Conference on "Responsible Reporting" (04/2006)
- EU multi-stakeholder forum on Corporate Social Responsibility (social situation and demography) (2002-2004)
<i>Equal opportunity</i>
- Conference on "Women and Men in an enlarged Europe" (04/2004)
- Online Consultation on Green Paper "Equality and non-discrimination in an enlarged European Union" (08/2004)
- Conference on Equality in a Future Europe (11/2004)
- Conference on "Equal Opportunities for People with Disabilities" (12/2004)
- European Day of People with Disabilities 2004 – Creating the conditions to promote the Employment of People with Disabilities (12/2004)
- Conference on the 10th anniversary of the Beijing Platform for Action (02/2005)
- European Day of People with Disabilities 2005 – Living Together in Society (12/2005)
- Conference on "Gender Equality: a step ahead, a roadmap for the future" (05/2006)
- Experts' Conference "Closing the Gender Pay Gap" (05/2006)
- European Social Fund and Disability Conference 2006 (09/2006)
- European Day of People with Disabilities 2006 - YOUTH = FUTURE (12/2006)
<i>Demography</i>
- Conference "Informed Choices: Retirement and Savings" (11/2005)
- Online consultation on Green Paper "Confronting demographic change" (10/2005)
- Conference on the Green Paper "Confronting demographic change" (07/2005)
- Demographic expert seminars (01/2006)
- Demographic expert seminars (03/2006)
- First Forum on Europe's Demographic Future (10/2006)
<i>Employment</i>
- Conference on "Workers' Mobility: A right, an option, an opportunity?" (02/2006)
- Conference on Social Services of General Interest, Vienna (04/2006)
- Consultation on action at the EU level to promote the active inclusion of the people furthest from the labour market (04/2006)
- Conference on Long-Term Care (09/2006)
- Conference on Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) for the Acceding/Candidate Countries (10/2006)

Table 4.B: Participation in DG SANCO or/and DG Social Affairs consultations

<i>By kind of actor</i>		only one DG	both DG	<i>altogether</i>
Unknown	N	14	0	14
	%	100,00	0,00	100,00
Public actors	N	245	63	308
	%	79,55	20,45	100,00
Welfare	N	105	30	135
	%	77,78	22,22	100,00
Development	N	15	1	16
	%	93,75	6,25	100,00
Health	N	229	3	232
	%	98,71	1,29	100,00
Human Rights ("Third World")	N	209	13	222
	%	94,14	5,86	100,00
Environment	N	23	0	23
	%	100,00	0,00	100,00
Consumers	N	51	11	62
	%	82,26	17,74	100,00
Business interest associations	N	435	75	510
	%	85,29	14,71	100,00
Agriculture and fisheries	N	19	1	20
	%	95,00	5,00	100,00
Professional organizations	N	176	18	194
	%	90,72	9,28	100,00
Trade unions	N	86	20	106
	%	81,13	18,87	100,00
Other CSOs	N	141	17	158
	%	89,24	10,76	100,00
Companies	N	330	37	367
	%	89,92	10,08	100,00
Research	N	115	6	121
	%	95,04	4,96	100,00
Religious communities	N	7	3	10
	%	70,00	30,00	100,00
Political parties	N	1	3	4
	%	25,00	75,00	100,00
Other actors	N	37	3	40
	%	92,50	7,50	100,00
All	N	2238	304	2542
	%	88,04	11,96	100,00

Table 4.C: Participation structure of DG SANCO

<i>By kind of actor</i>		<i>DG SANCO</i>	Public Health	Food safety	Consumer protection
Unknown	N	5	4	1	0
	%	0,31%	0,42%	0,24%	0,00%
Public actors	N	218	143	72	89
	%	13,47%	15,12%	17,39%	15,89%
Welfare	N	49	25	9	30
	%	3,03%	2,64%	2,17%	5,36%
Development	N	2	1	1	1
	%	0,12%	0,11%	0,24%	0,18%
Health	N	200	189	22	4
	%	12,35%	19,98%	5,31%	0,71%
Human Rights	N	49	43	4	4
	%	3,03%	4,55%	0,97%	0,71%
Environment	N	18	9	7	2
	%	1,11%	0,95%	1,69%	0,36%
Consumers	N	58	16	39	39
	%	3,58%	1,69%	9,42%	6,96%
Business interest associations	N	396	138	137	206
	%	24,46%	14,59%	33,09%	36,79%
Agriculture and fisheries	N	16	4	14	0
	%	0,99%	0,42%	3,38%	0,00%
Professional organizations	N	154	114	13	37
	%	9,51%	12,05%	3,14%	6,61%
Trade unions	N	41	17	4	30
	%	2,53%	1,80%	0,97%	5,36%
Other CSOs	N	98	57	5	43
	%	6,05%	6,02%	1,21%	7,68%
Companies	N	184	74	71	59
	%	11,37%	7,82%	17,15%	10,54%
Research	N	92	79	13	10
	%	5,68%	8,35%	3,14%	1,79%
Religious communities	N	4	2	0	3
	%	0,25%	0,21%	0,00%	0,54%
Political parties	N	4	1	0	3
	%	0,25%	0,11%	0,00%	0,54%
Other actors	N	31	30	2	0
	%	1,91%	3,17%	0,48%	0,00%
All	N	1619	946	414	560
	%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Number of consultations		55	21	12	22
Different participants by consultation		29,44	45,05	34,50	25,45

Table 4.D: Participation structure of DG Social Affairs

<i>By kind of actor</i>		<i>DG Social Affairs</i>	<i>CSR</i>	<i>Demography</i>	<i>Equality</i>	<i>Employment</i>
Unknown	N	8	7	8	7	0
	%	0,72%	1,00%	0,72%	1,63%	0,00%
Public actors	N	135	104	135	89	50
	%	12,15%	14,84%	12,16%	20,75%	12,11%
Welfare	N	112	57	112	45	28
	%	10,08%	8,13%	10,09%	10,49%	6,78%
Development	N	15	15	15	3	0
	%	1,35%	2,14%	1,35%	0,70%	0,00%
Health	N	6	5	6	5	1
	%	0,54%	0,71%	0,54%	1,17%	0,24%
Human Rights	N	183	167	183	160	13
	%	16,47%	23,82%	16,49%	37,30%	3,15%
Environment	N	5	5	5	0	0
	%	0,45%	0,71%	0,45%	0,00%	0,00%
Consumers	N	12	11	12	0	1
	%	1,08%	1,57%	1,08%	0,00%	0,24%
Business interest associations	N	180	87	179	20	109
	%	16,20%	12,41%	16,13%	4,66%	26,39%
Agriculture and fisheries	N	5	4	5	1	1
	%	0,45%	0,57%	0,45%	0,23%	0,24%
Professional organizations	N	51	19	51	9	32
	%	4,59%	2,71%	4,59%	2,10%	7,75%
Trade unions	N	85	28	85	16	63
	%	7,65%	3,99%	7,66%	3,73%	15,25%
Other CSOs	N	73	59	73	27	7
	%	6,57%	8,42%	6,57%	6,29%	1,69%
Companies	N	205	111	205	31	92
	%	18,45%	15,83%	18,47%	7,23%	22,28%
Research	N	19	11	19	9	10
	%	1,71%	1,57%	1,71%	2,10%	2,42%
Religious communities	N	9	6	9	6	3
	%	0,81%	0,86%	0,81%	1,40%	0,73%
Political parties	N	3	2	3	0	0
	%	0,27%	0,29%	0,27%	0,00%	0,00%
Other actors	N	5	3	5	1	3
	%	0,45%	0,43%	0,45%	0,23%	0,73%
All	N	1111	701	1110	429	413
	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Number of consultations		34	7	6	11	10
Different participants by consultation		32,68	100,14	185,00	39,00	41,30

Table 4.E: Participation structure of consultation instruments

<i>By kind of actor</i>		<i>Workshop, seminar, forum</i>	<i>Conference</i>	<i>Online consultation</i>
Unknown	N	0	0	14
	%	0,00%	0,00%	0,56%
Public actors	N	18	73	306
	%	18,00%	21,30%	12,16%
Welfare	N	9	20	135
	%	9,00%	5,80%	5,36%
Development	N	2	4	16
	%	2,00%	1,20%	0,64%
Health	N	10	2	228
	%	10,00%	0,60%	9,06%
Human Rights	N	9	20	222
	%	9,00%	5,80%	8,82%
Environment	N	0	0	23
	%	0,00%	0,00%	0,91%
Consumers	N	1	32	62
	%	1,00%	9,30%	2,46%
Business interest associations	N	27	74	506
	%	27,00%	21,60%	20,10%
Agriculture and fisheries	N	1	2	20
	%	1,00%	0,60%	0,79%
Professional organizations	N	6	12	192
	%	6,00%	3,50%	7,63%
Trade unions	N	2	16	106
	%	2,00%	4,70%	4,21%
Other CSOs	N	2	15	158
	%	2,00%	4,30%	6,27%
Companies	N	2	40	367
	%	2,00%	11,70%	14,58%
Research	N	11	26	109
	%	11,00%	7,60%	4,33%
Religious communities	N	0	0	10
	%	0,00%	0,00%	0,40%
Political parties	N	0	2	4
	%	0,00%	0,60%	0,16%
Other actors	N	0	5	39
	%	0,00%	1,50%	1,55%
All	N	100	343	2517
	%	100%	100%	100%
Number of consultations		9	45	35
Different participants by consultation		11,11	7,62	71,91

Table 4.F: Participation in consultations by actor type and issue

	Public actors (308 actors 12,1%)		NGOs (700 actors 7,5%)		Employees (trade unions and professional organizations) (300 actors; 11,8%)		Business interest (business interest associations, companies) (897 actors; 35,3%)		Other actors (337 actors; 13,3%)	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
<i>DG SANCO</i>	218	13,47	380	23,47	195	12,04	596	36,81	230	14,21
Public Health	143	15,12	285	30,13	131	13,85	216	22,83	171	18,08
Food safety	72	17,39	82	19,81	17	4,11	222	53,62	21	5,07
Consumer protection	89	15,89	83	14,82	67	11,96	265	47,32	56	10
<i>DG Social Affairs</i>	135	12,15	342	30,78	136	12,24	390	35,1	108	9,72
CSR	104	14,84	266	37,95	47	6,7	202	28,82	82	11,7
Demography	135	12,16	342	30,81	136	12,25	389	35,05	108	9,73
Equal opportunities	89	20,75	219	51,05	25	5,83	52	12,12	44	10,26
Employment	50	12,11	46	11,14	95	23	202	48,91	20	4,84

Table 4.G: Participation by actor type and consultation instrument

		Workshop, forum, seminar	conference	Online consultation
Public actors	N	18	73	306
(308 actors; 12,1%)	%	18	21,28	12,16
NGOs	N	31	78	696
(700 actors; 27,5%)	%	31	22,74	27,65
Employees (trade unions and professional organizations)	N	8	28	298
300 actors; 11,8%)	%	8	8,16	11,84
Business (business interest associations, companies)	N	30	116	893
(897 actors; 35,3%)	%	30	33,82	35,48
Other actors	N	13	48	324
(337 actors; 13,3%)	%	13	13,99	12,87
		100%	100%	100%

Appendix Chapter 5

Table 5.A: Main policy field focus of “core actor” national governments

	<i>DG SANCO</i>	<i>Public health</i>	<i>Consumer protection</i>	<i>Food safety</i>
<i>Austria</i>	X		X	
<i>Belgium</i>	X			
<i>Denmark</i>	X			
<i>Finland</i>	X		X	
<i>France</i>	X	X	X	
<i>Germany</i>	X	X		
<i>Great Britain</i>	X	X	X	X
<i>Ireland</i>	X			X
<i>Malta</i>		X		
<i>Netherlands</i>	X	X		
<i>Norway</i>				
<i>Poland</i>		X		
<i>Portugal</i>			X	
<i>Sweden</i>	X	X		

Table 5.B: Participation in DG Social Affairs online consultations (2000 – 6/2007)

<i>Online consultation</i>	<i>Questionnaire</i>	<i>Submissions from organizations</i>	<i>Submissions from citizens</i>
Green paper “Promoting a European Framework for Corporate Social Responsibility” (12/2001)		252	15
Green paper “Equality and non-discrimination in an enlarged EU” (08/2004)	X	410	-
Green paper “Confronting demographic change” (social situation and demography) (10/2005)		151	64
Action at the EU level to promote the active inclusion of the people furthest from the labour market (04/2006)		75	2
Green paper “Modernising labour law to meet the challenges of the 21st century” (03/2007)	X	351	79

Table 5.C: Participation in DG SANCO online consultations in the policy field of Public Health (2000 – 6/2007)

<i>Online consultation</i>	<i>Questionnaire</i>	<i>Submissions from organizations</i>	<i>Submissions from citizens</i>
Draft Technical Requirements for Blood and Blood Components (03/2003)		42	-
Reflection Process on EU health policy (10/2004)		178	14
SCENIHR Opinion on How to Assess the Potential Risks of Nanotechnologies (12/2005)	X	38	16
Draft Technical Requirements for Tissues and Cells (06/2005)		42	7
A preliminary opinion on hydrogen peroxide in tooth whitening products (01/2005)		23	-
Organ donation and transplantation. Policy options at EU level (09/2006)		69	5
Green paper on mental health of the Population. Towards a Strategy on Mental health for the European Union (05/2006)		196	39
SCCP Opinion on biological effects of ultraviolet radiation relevant to health with particular reference to sun beds for cosmetic purposes (03/2006)		21	5
Green paper "Promoting healthy diets and physical activity: a European dimension for the prevention of overweight, obesity and chronic diseases" (03/2006)		251	31
SCENIHR Opinion on The Safety of Human-derived Products with regard to Variant Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease (vCJD) (02/2006)	X	7	3
Directive 90/496/EEC on Nutrition Labelling for Foodstuffs: Discussion Paper on the Revision of Technical Issues (07/2006)		47	4
Green paper "Towards a Europe free from tobacco smoke: policy options at EU level" (06/2007)		167	137
SCENIHR Opinion on the appropriateness of the risk assessment methodology in accordance with the Technical Guidance Documents for new and existing substances for assessing the risks of nanomaterials (05/2007)	X	27	7
Community action on health services (01/2007)		258	-

Table 5.D: Participation in DG SANCO online consultations in the policy field of Food Safety (2000 – 6/2007)

<i>Online consultation</i>	<i>Questionnaire</i>	<i>Submissions from organizations</i>	<i>Submissions from citizens</i>
Opinion of the Scientific Steering Committee on oral exposure of humans to the BSE agent: infective dose and species barrier (03/2000)		2	-
White Paper on Food Safety (05/2000)		82	-
Irradiated food and food ingredients – Commission Proposal for the completion of the Positive List of foodstuffs authorised for treatment with ionising radiation (10/2000)		34	2
Discussion Paper on Nutrition Claims and Functional Claims (07/2001)		81	1
Regulation (EC) N° 258/97 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 January 1997 concerning novel foods and novel food ingredients (07/2002)		34	5
Discussion paper on the setting of maximum and minimum amounts for vitamins and minerals in foodstuffs (09/2006)		55	4
Labelling: Competitiveness, Consumer Information and better regulation for the EU (06/2006)		155	14
Impact Assessment on Evaluation of Regulation 258/97 on novel food and food ingredients (08/2006)		63	2
Consultation to gather the views of interested parties on the feasibility and advisability of presenting legislative proposal enabling the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) to receive fees for processing authorisation files (02/2007)		47	-

Table 5.E: Participation in DG SANCO online consultations in the policy field of Consumers (2000 – 6/2007)

<i>Online consultation</i>	<i>Questionnaire</i>	<i>Submissions from organizations</i>	<i>Submissions from citizens</i>
European Contract Law (10/2001)		94	90
Green paper on EU Consumer Protection (01/2002)		166	2
Follow-up Communication to the Green Paper on EU Consumer Protection (09/2002)		107	1
Green Paper on Services of General Interest (09/2003)	X	266	14
Green Paper on the review of the Consumer Acquis (05/2007)		133	40

Appendix Chapter 6

Table 6.A: Information by country and type of CSO

	<i>General information (max. 11)</i>	<i>Concrete information (max. 4)</i>
<i>Mean by country</i>		
France	6,50	1,67
Germany	7,64	1,64
Great Britain	9,17	3,17
Italy	6,80	2,60
EU	7,50	2,83
<i>Mean by kind of actor</i>		
Business	7,70	2,40
Trade unions	7,15	2,40
NGO	7,80	2,25
<i>Mean all associations</i>	7,55	2,35

Note: Mean by country.

Websites have been analyzed (1) with respect to eleven types of general information regarding EU policies and associational work and (2) with respect to four very concrete information types, for example in regard to specific legislative measures and to associational positions towards specific issues.

Table 6.B: Information across organizational levels

	<i>Information on the activities at other levels (max. 3)</i>	<i>Information on the competences at other levels (max. 3)</i>
EU	0,58	0,83
France	1,33	1,50
Germany	1,14	1,19
Great Britain	1,67	1,42
Italy	1,00	1,40

Note: Mean by country.

Information is based on the analysis of the websites of the 35 associations explored (see chapter seven) with respect to information on association activities and on association competences at other levels.

Appendix Chapter 7

Table 7.A: Association websites – criteria catalog for the analysis of the communication structure

Internal communication structures	
<i>Contents</i>	
1	Contact person for communication within associations?
2	Announcement of member/association meeting?
3	Announcement and demand of association activities?
4	Interviews with/speeches of central representatives of the association?
<i>Form</i>	
5	Newsletter for members?
6	(Internal) 'Members only' area?
7	Discussion forum? Chat?
8	Possibility to register for meetings and events?
External communication structures	
<i>Contents</i>	
1	Contact person for the press?
2	Latest/upcoming dates of association events?
3	Information on (periodical) press conferences/media events?
<i>Form</i>	
4	General newsletter?
5	Press-specific newsletter?

Table 7.B: Association websites – criteria catalog for the analysis of the information structure

Internal communication structures	
<i>Contents</i>	
1	Current political events/issues/activities?
2	Information on positions, general demands?
3	Demands about/positions on specific issues?
4	Information on the activities and competences at the own level?
5	Information on the activities at the EU level?
6	Information on the activities at the local member level?
7	Information on the competences (who is in charge?) at the EU level?
8	Information on the competences (who is in charge?) at the local level?
9	Specific information on negotiations, consultations?
10	Working program? Annual report? Minutes?
11	Press articles on activities of the association?
<i>Form</i>	
12	'What's new on the web' function?
13	Publications, magazine of the activities of the association?
14	Search function?
15	Quality of search function?
16	Different languages? (If yes, which?)
17	Extra link to general positions?
18	Extra link to specific lobbying activities?
19	Extra link to activities/competences at other levels?
20	Direct link (switch) to other levels?
External communication structures	
<i>Contents</i>	
1	Self-portrayal?
2	Press releases/background information?
3	Position statements/declarations?
<i>Form</i>	
4	Explicit link for the press?
5	Photo galleries? Videos? Sound clips?

Table 7.C: Number of mentions of actors and associations by journal and consultation issue

	Issue	Labor law	Active integration	Healthy diet	Labeling	Σ	Total AnA (%)	
Germany	progressive SZ	N	13	1	1	5	20	17,2
		AnA	7	1	1	2	11	
		Aol	15	11	13	25	64	
	conservative FAZ	N	65	13	16	20	114	44,6
		AnA	13	4	5	11	33	
		Aol	26	18	6	24	74	
France	progressive Monde	N	36	4	12	4	56	37,1
		AnA	12	3	6	2	23	
		Aol	28	11	8	15	62	
	conservative Figaro	N	9	2	3	2	16	28,6
		AnA	5	2	1	2	10	
		Aol	13	4	2	16	35	
Great Britain	progressive Guardian	N	15	9	19	4	47	56,7
		AnA	5	3	7	2	17	
		Aol	6	7	7	10	30	
	conservative Times	N	12	3	36	11	62	45
		AnA	3	1	9	5	18	
		Aol	6	3	14	17	40	
Italy	progressive Repubblica	N	0	0	0	0	0	0
		AnA	0	0	0	0	0	
		Aol	9	6	1	6	22	
	conservative Corriere	N	9	3	5	6	23	32,26
		AnA	6	1	1	2	10	
		Aol	12	6	3	10	31	

Note:

N – Article naming an actor

AnA – Article naming an association

Aol – article on issue

Table 7.D: Number of mentions of actors and associations by orientation of journal

<i>Issue</i>	<i>Press total</i>				<i>Conservative newspapers</i>				<i>Progressive newspapers</i>			
	<i>N</i>	<i>AnA</i>	<i>Aol</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>N</i>	<i>AnA</i>	<i>Aol</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>N</i>	<i>Ana</i>	<i>Aol</i>	<i>%</i>
<i>Labor law</i>	159	51	115	44,35	95	27	57	47,37	64	24	58	41,38
<i>Active integration</i>	35	15	63	23,81	21	8	31	25,81	14	7	35	20,00
<i>Healthy diet</i>	92	30	54	55,56	60	16	25	64,00	32	14	29	48,28
<i>Labeling</i>	52	26	123	21,14	39	20	67	29,85	13	6	56	10,71
<i>All issues</i>	338	122	358	34,08	215	71	180	39,44	123	51	178	28,65
Within article naming an association: Average of naming an association	2,77				3,03				2,41			
All articles: Average of naming an association within article	0,95				1,19				0,69			
Articles on all four issues	358				180				178			
Articles naming an association as % to all articles on the issue	34,08				39,44				28,65			

Note:

N – Article naming an actor

AnA – Article naming an association

Aol – article on issue