

Readme for data preparation and analysis corresponding to

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Data basis

Data basis for this paper consists of

SOEP v32 long format for years up to and including 2015

SOEP v33 for 2016

The SOEP-data can be received from the SOEP team at DIW Berlin, see:

https://www.diw.de/en/diw_01.c.357906.en/soep_order_form_mod.html

Codes for data preparation and replication of the analysis

All analyses have been implemented in Stata Version 14.2.

The corresponding .do files are collected in the attached do_files_Buraueletal2019.zip.

The main file which calls the do files for data preparation and all analyses is called

oooo_Master_BAUA_SpecialIssue.do.

In particular, this file calls the following data preparation do files:

a01_preparation_1996_2013_BAuA003.do

a01_preparation2014_BAuA003.do

a01_preparation2015_BAuA003.do

a01_preparation2016_BAuA003.do

These files contain precise information on the variables used and their codes.

All code that replicates the Tables and Figures is called from the main file and labelled accordingly.