

Taiwan Education Panel Survey: Wave4 (2007)
Senior (Vocational) High School and Junior College Students
(Public version)

User guide

I. Overview

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Execution Institution	Institute of Sociology, Academia Sinica
Entrusting Institution	Ministry of Education Academia Sinica National Science Council National Academy of Educational Research Provisional Office
Project Period	1999-11-01~2007-12-31
Data Collection Period	2007-03-01 - 2007-07-31

II. Released File Description

1. User guide

User guide.doc	including project overview, released file description, documentations for data validation and clean, note for usage etc.
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2. Dataset

w4_sf_s_cpnp_v6.0.sav	SPSS dataset (SPSS 20.0)
w4_sf_s_cp_v6.0.sav	
w4_sf_s_cpnp_v6.0.dta	STATA dataset (STATA 8.0)
w4_sf_s_cp_v6.0.dta	
w4_sf_s_cpnp_v6.0.dat	ASCII dataset (for SAS)
w4_sf_s_cp_v6.0.dat	

3. Program

w4_sf_s_cpnp_v6.0.sas	Program (SAS9.2)
w4_sf_s_cp_v6.0.sas	Reading
	w4_sf_s_cpnp_v6.0.dat
	w4_sf_s_cp_v6.0.dat

III. Guideline for data validation and usage

1. The Center for Survey Research (CSR), Research Center for Humanities and Social Sciences Academia Sinica, has checked wild codes and out-of-range values,

to validate and clean data. There is no doubt about data accuracy after the validation/ Our findings are shown as follows:

2. Note for data usage

- (1) The column widths of variable label and value description in the STATA are limited to 80 and 40 bytes, respectively, so the STATA dataset shows only the first 80 bytes as variable label, and the first 40 bytes as value description.
- (2) In case of any inconsistent findings between project report and dataset, priority is given to findings in dataset.

IV. Guideline for citation

Citation, based upon the requirement of various journals, theses or dissertations, can be revised.

Citation

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