

# Assignment 1b: Replicating *Sexual Orientation and Labor Economics* by Cara Brown (1998)

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This document walks through the replication of Cara Brown's 1998 paper *Sexual Orientation and Labor Economics* published at *Feminist Economics*.

## Preliminaries

I need the following R libraries to make this code work:

```
library(tidyverse) # For data wrangling
library(haven) # Reading stata files
```

I load the data from the given file below:

```
df<-
  read_dta('data/Census_2016_Hierarchial.dta')
```

## Exploratory Analysis & Data Wrangling

I run some exploratory analysis which motivates my wrangling/cleaning of the data set to make it fit for the analysis below.

```
# First, rename the income variable (empin) to something more usable

df<-
  df %>%
  rename(income = 'empin')
```

```
# Now, replace the invalid values (88,888,888, 99,999,999) with actual NAs in R.
```

```
df <-  
df %>%  
  mutate(income_clean =  
    case_when(  
      income %in% c(88888888, 99999999) ~ as.numeric(NA),  
      TRUE ~ income  
    )  
  )
```

I now group by household and count the number of individuals in them.

```
households <-  
df %>%  
  group_by(HH_ID) %>%  
  summarise(people = n())
```