personal_remittance_paid.csv

Metadata_paid.csv

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personal_remittance_recieved.csv

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personal_remittance_recieved_percentage.csv

Metadata_percentage.csv

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school_expectancy_13.csv

United Nations. (2016). *School life expectancy (years), primary to secondary education (ISCED 1 to 3) [Data set].* UNdata. https://data.un.org/Data.aspx?q=school+life+expectancy+(years)&d=UNESCO&f=series%3aSLE_123

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Additional information: School life expectancy is the length of education at a specific level times the enrollment rate. ISCED 1 to 3 is equivalent to from primary school to high school.

school_expectancy_58.csv

United Nations. (2016). *School life expectancy (years): Primary to secondary education (ISCED 5 to 8) [Data set].* UNdata.https://data.un.org/Data.aspx?q=school+life+expectancy+(years)&d=UNESCO&f=series%3aSLE_56

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Additional information: School life expectancy is the length of education at a specific level times the enrollment rate. ISCED 5 to 8 is equivalent to from short-cycle tertiary education to Doctorate or equivalent.

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United Nations University World Institute for Development Economics Research (UNU-WIDER). (2024). *World Income Inequality Database (WIID) [Data set].* UNU-WIDER. https://www.wider.unu.edu/database/world-income-inequality-database-wiid

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Additional information: Can be found in WIID-Companion_User_Guide28Nov2023.pdf under the literature folder.

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International Monetary Fund. (2021). *World Economic Outlook database: April 2021 by countries [Data set].* IMF. https://www.imf.org/en/Publications/WEO/weo-database/2021/April/download-entire-database

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Additional information: Codebook and explanations for all variables can be found inside the dataset.