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                        Program Description
> # ----- [TRUNCATED]
> # Load in packages
> library(foreign)
> library(data.table)
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                            Key Firms
> # ----- [TRUNCATED]
> # For faster processing, save data as data.table
> KEYFIRM <- data.table(KEYFIRM, key=c("firm_id"))</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$firm_id) <- "Firm ID"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$areacode) <- "Area Code up to the Level of Subdistrict"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$industry) <- "4-digits Industrial Sector Code (GB2002)"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$type) <- "Ownership Rights of the Firm"
> comment(KEYFIRM$opr_hours) <- "Total Annual Operating Hours"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$product) <- "Total VALUE of Output (in RMB10000)"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$quantity1) <- "Total QUANTITY of Output 1"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$quantity2) <- "Total QUANTITY of Output 2"
> comment(KEYFIRM$quantity3) <- "Total QUANTITY of Output 3"
> comment(KEYFIRM$quantity4) <- "Total QUANTITY of Output 4"
> comment(KEYFIRM$quantity5) <- "Total QUANTITY of Output 5"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$wastewater_g) <-</pre>
   "Total Amount of Wastewater Generated (in ton)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$wastewater e) <-</pre>
   "Total Amount of Wastewater Discharged (in ton)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$water u) <-</pre>
   "Total Water Used = Acquired + Recycled (in ton)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$water_r) <- "Total Water Recycled (in ton)"</pre>
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> comment(KEYFIRM$cod g) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Chemical Oxygen Demand Generated (in ton)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$cod e) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Chemical Oxygen Demand Discharged (in ton)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$nh g) <- "Total Amount of Ammonian Generated (in ton)"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$nh e) <- "Total Amount of Ammonian Discharged (in ton)"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$pet g) <- "Total Amount of Petroleum Generated (in ton)"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$pet_e) <- "Total Amount of Petroleum Discharged (in ton)"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$phe g) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Volatile Phenol Generated (in ton)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$phe e) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Volatile Phenol Discharged (in ton)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$bod g) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Biochemical Oxygen Demand Generated (in ton)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$bod_e) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Biochemical Oxygen Demand Discharged (in ton)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$cyn_g) <- "Total Amount of Cyanidum Generated (in kg)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$cyn_e) <- "Total Amount of Cyanidum Discharged (in kg)"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$as_g) <- "Total Amount of Arsenium Generated (in kg)"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$as_e) <- "Total Amount of Arsenium Discharged (in kg)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$chr_g) <- "Total Amount of Chromium Generated (in kg)"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$chr_e) <- "Total Amount of Chromium Discharged (in kg)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$chr6_g) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Hexavalent Chrome Generated (in kg)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$chr6 e) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Hexavalent Chrome Discharged (in kg)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm1 inv) <-</pre>
    "Total Investment of Wastewater Disposal Equipment 1 (RMB 10000)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm1_quant) <-</pre>
    "Designed Disposal Capacity of Equip 1 (in ton)"
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> comment(KEYFIRM$dm1 oprcost) <-</pre>
    "Total Operating Costs of Equip 1 (RMB 10000)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm1 hours) <-</pre>
    "Total Operating Hours of Equip 1"
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm1 elec) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Electricity Consumed Equip 1 (10000kw/h)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm1 ef) <- "Efficiency of Equip 1 (in %)"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm1_code) <- "Code for Disposal Method of Equip 1"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm2 inv) <-</pre>
    "Total Investment of Wastewater Disposal Equipment 2 (RMB 10000)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm2 quant) <-</pre>
    "Designed Disposal Capacity of Equip 2 (in ton)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm2_oprcost) <-</pre>
    "Total Operating Costs of Equip 2 (RMB 10000)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm2_hours) <- "Total Operating Hours of Equip 2"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm2 elec) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Electricity Consumed Equip 2 (10000kw/h)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm2 ef) <- "Efficiency of Equip 2 (in %)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm2_code) <- "Code for Disposal Method of Equip 2"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm3 inv) <-</pre>
    "Total Investment of Wastewater Disposal Equipment 3 (RMB 10000)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm3_quant) <-</pre>
    "Designed Disposal Capacity of Equip 3 (in ton)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm3_oprcost) <-</pre>
    "Total Operating Costs of Equip 3 (RMB 10000)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm3_hours) <- "Total Operating Hours of Equip 3"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm3 elec) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Electricity Consumed Equip 3 (10000kw/h)"
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm3_ef) <- "Efficiency of Equip 3 (in %)"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$dm3_code) <- "Code for Disposal Method of Equip 3"</pre>
> comment(KEYFIRM$Census_Type) <- "Census Type Code: 1 Key 2 Regular"</pre>
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> # Save in R's internal binary form
> save(KEYFIRM, file = "./Data/KEYFIRM_R.RData")
> rm(KEYFIRM)
                               Regular Firms
> # ----- [TRUNCATED]
> # For faster processing, save data as data.table
> REGFIRM <- data.table(REGFIRM, key=c("firm_id"))</pre>
> comment(REGFIRM$firm_id) <- "Firm ID"</pre>
> comment(REGFIRM$areacode) <- "Area Code up to the Level of Subdistrict"</pre>
> comment(REGFIRM$industry) <- "4-digits Industrial Sector Code (GB2002)"
> comment(REGFIRM$type) <- "Ownership Rights of the Firm"</pre>
> comment(REGFIRM$opr_hours) <- "Total Annual Operating Hours"</pre>
> comment(REGFIRM$product) <- "Total VALUE of Output (in RMB10000)"
> comment(REGFIRM$quantity1) <- "Total QUANTITY of Output 1"</pre>
> comment(REGFIRM$quantity2) <- "Total QUANTITY of Output 2"
> comment(REGFIRM$quantity3) <- "Total QUANTITY of Output 3"
> comment(REGFIRM$quantity4) <- "Total QUANTITY of Output 4"</pre>
> comment(REGFIRM$quantity5) <- "Total QUANTITY of Output 5"
> comment(REGFIRM$wastewater_g) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Wastewater Generated (in ton)"
> comment(REGFIRM$wastewater_e) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Wastewater Discharged (in ton)"
> comment(REGFIRM$water_u) <-</pre>
    "Total Water Used = Acquired + Recycled (in ton)"
> comment(REGFIRM$water_r) <- "Total Water Recycled (in ton)"</pre>
> comment(REGFIRM$cod_g) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Chemical Oxygen Demand Generated (in ton)"
> comment(REGFIRM$cod_e) <-</pre>
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"Total Amount of Chemical Oxygen Demand Discharged (in ton)"
> comment(REGFIRM$nh_g) <- "Total Amount of Ammonian Generated (in ton)"</pre>
> comment(REGFIRM$nh_e) <- "Total Amount of Ammonian Discharged (in ton)"</pre>
> comment(REGFIRM$pet g) <- "Total Amount of Petroleum Generated (in ton)"</pre>
> comment(REGFIRM$pet e) <- "Total Amount of Petroleum Discharged (in ton)"</pre>
> comment(REGFIRM$phe g) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Volatile Phenol Generated (in ton)"
> comment(REGFIRM$phe e) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Volatile Phenol Discharged (in ton)"
> comment(REGFIRM$bod g) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Biochemical Oxygen Demand Generated (in ton)"
> comment(REGFIRM$bod e) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Biochemical Oxygen Demand Discharged (in ton)"
> comment(REGFIRM$cyn_g) <- "Total Amount of Cyanidum Generated (in kg)"</pre>
> comment(REGFIRM$cyn e) <- "Total Amount of Cyanidum Discharged (in kg)"</pre>
> comment(REGFIRM$as_g) <- "Total Amount of Arsenium Generated (in kg)"</pre>
> comment(REGFIRM$as_e) <- "Total Amount of Arsenium Discharged (in kg)"</pre>
> comment(REGFIRM$dm1 inv) <-</pre>
    "Total Investment of Wastewater Disposal Equipment 1 (RMB 10000)"
> comment(REGFIRM$dm1 quant) <-</pre>
    "Designed Disposal Capacity of Equip 1 (in ton)"
> comment(REGFIRM$dm1 oprcost) <-</pre>
    "Total Operating Costs of Equip 1 (RMB 10000)"
> comment(REGFIRM$dm1 elec) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Electricity Consumed Equip 1 (10000kw/h)"
> comment(REGFIRM$dm1_code) <- "Code for Disposal Method of Equip 1"</pre>
> comment(REGFIRM$Census_Type) <- "Census Type Code: 1 Key 2 Regular"</pre>
> # Save in R internal binary form
> save(REGFIRM, file = "./Data/REGFIRM_R.RData")
> rm(REGFIRM)
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> # ------
                              All Firms
> # ----- [TRUNCATED]
> # For faster processing, save data as data.table
> ALLFIRM <- data.table(ALLFIRM, key=c("firm id"))</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$firm id) <- "Firm ID"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$areacode) <- "Area Code up to the Level of Subdistrict"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$industry) <- "4-digits Industrial Sector Code (GB2002)"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$type) <- "Ownership Rights of the Firm"
> comment(ALLFIRM$opr hours) <- "Total Annual Operating Hours"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$product) <- "Total VALUE of Output (in RMB10000)"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$quantity1) <- "Total QUANTITY of Output 1"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$quantity2) <- "Total QUANTITY of Output 2"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$quantity3) <- "Total QUANTITY of Output 3"
> comment(ALLFIRM$quantity4) <- "Total QUANTITY of Output 4"
> comment(ALLFIRM$quantity5) <- "Total QUANTITY of Output 5"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$wastewater g) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Wastewater Generated (in ton)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$wastewater e) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Wastewater Discharged (in ton)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$water u) <-</pre>
    "Total Water Used = Acquired + Recycled (in ton)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$water_r) <- "Total Water Recycled (in ton)"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$cod_g) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Chemical Oxygen Demand Generated (in ton)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$cod e) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Chemical Oxygen Demand Discharged (in ton)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$nh_g) <- "Total Amount of Ammonian Generated (in ton)"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$nh_e) <- "Total Amount of Ammonian Discharged (in ton)"</pre>
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> comment(ALLFIRM$pet g) <- "Total Amount of Petroleum Generated (in ton)"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$pet_e) <- "Total Amount of Petroleum Discharged (in ton)"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$phe_g) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Volatile Phenol Generated (in ton)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$phe e) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Volatile Phenol Discharged (in ton)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$bod_g) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Biochemical Oxygen Demand Generated (in ton)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$bod e) <-</pre>
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> comment(ALLFIRM$cyn_g) <- "Total Amount of Cyanidum Generated (in kg)"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$cyn_e) <- "Total Amount of Cyanidum Discharged (in kg)"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$as_g) <- "Total Amount of Arsenium Generated (in kg)"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$as_e) <- "Total Amount of Arsenium Discharged (in kg)"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$chr_g) <- "Total Amount of Chromium Generated (in kg)"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$chr e) <- "Total Amount of Chromium Discharged (in kg)"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$chr6_g) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Hexavalent Chrome Generated (in kg)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$chr6_e) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Hexavalent Chrome Discharged (in kg)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm1_inv) <-</pre>
    "Total Investment of Wastewater Disposal Equipment 1 (RMB 10000)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm1_quant) <-</pre>
    "Designed Disposal Capacity of Equip 1 (in ton)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm1_oprcost) <-</pre>
    "Total Operating Costs of Equip 1 (RMB 10000)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm1_hours) <- "Total Operating Hours of Equip 1"
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm1 elec) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Electricity Consumed Equip 1 (10000kw/h)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm1_ef) <- "Efficiency of Equip 1 (in %)"</pre>
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> comment(ALLFIRM$dm1 code) <- "Code for Disposal Method of Equip 1"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm2 inv) <-</pre>
    "Total Investment of Wastewater Disposal Equipment 2 (RMB 10000)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm2 quant) <-</pre>
    "Designed Disposal Capacity of Equip 2 (in ton)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm2 oprcost) <-</pre>
    "Total Operating Costs of Equip 2 (RMB 10000)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm2_hours) <- "Total Operating Hours of Equip 2"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm2_elec) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Electricity Consumed Equip 2 (10000kw/h)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm2_ef) <- "Efficiency of Equip 2 (in %)"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm2_code) <- "Code for Disposal Method of Equip 2"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm3 inv) <-</pre>
    "Total Investment of Wastewater Disposal Equipment 3 (RMB 10000)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm3 quant) <-</pre>
    "Designed Disposal Capacity of Equip 3 (in ton)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm3 oprcost) <-</pre>
    "Total Operating Costs of Equip 3 (RMB 10000)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm3 hours) <-</pre>
    "Total Operating Hours of Equip 3"
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm3 elec) <-</pre>
    "Total Amount of Electricity Consumed Equip 3 (10000kw/h)"
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm3 ef) <- "Efficiency of Equip 3 (in %)"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$dm3_code) <- "Code for Disposal Method of Equip 3"</pre>
> comment(ALLFIRM$Census_Type) <- "Census Type Code: 1 Key 2 Regular"</pre>
> # Save in R's internal binary form
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