README for ‘On the Origins of Restricting Women’s Promiscuity’ by Anke Becker

The replication package consists of four datasets:

1. EA.dta which contains the data necessary to replicate Table 1. EA.dta is a subset of the publicly available *Ethnographic Atlas* (Murdock 1967). The version that is used here is the Ethnographic Atlas data in its most recent version from D-PLACE (Kirby et al. 2016).
2. Folklore.dta which contains the data necessary to replicate results displayed in Figure 2 of the main body of the paper, and Table A1 in the appendix. The dataset is a subset of the data provided in the replication materials of Michalopoulos and Xue (2021).
3. DHS.dta which consists of all publicly available DHS data (Standard DHS) as available on http://www.dhsprogram.com in February 2020 and as relevant to the replication of this paper.
   1. It contains the data necessary to generate the coefficients for the outcomes ‘infibulated’, ‘restrictions on freedom of mobility’, ‘number of sex partners’, and ‘cheated’ displayed in figures 3 and 4. The tables that show the detailed regressions underlying these figures are tables A2, A3, A4, and A5 in the appendix. The columns of these tables that refer to the aforementioned outcomes can also be replicated using this data.
   2. It also contains the data necessary to generate the columns for ‘infibulated’, ‘restrictions on freedom of mobility’, ‘number of sex partners’, and ‘cheated’ in Table 2 and Table 3 in the main body of the paper (the IV regressions and the regressions on showing the relationship to plow use, respectively).
4. WVS.dta, which contains the full World Values dataset as available of February 2021 for which information about survey respondent’s language is available. It contains the data necessary to replicate the coefficients for the outcome ‘anti-abortion attitudes’ in figures 3 and 4 of the main body of the paper, table A1 in the appendix, as well as Tables 2 and 3 in the main body of the paper.