

Table 1: Descriptive statistics

Statistic	N	Mean	St. Dev.	Min	Max
Population_2019, mln	101	43.826	140.530	0.550	1,366.418
W_Polity	101	0.650	0.255	0.150	1.000
W_Mesquita	101	0.614	0.261	0.000	1.000
USA_aid_total, mln USD	101	10.780	13.368	0.020	53.800
USA_aid_per_capita, USD	101	0.702	0.946	0.001	6.068
Total_trade, mln USD	100	12,741.930	62,530.860	7.830	614,000.000
GDP_per_capita, thous USD	99	4.603	4.946	0.127	33.228
GHS_Index	100	37.909	10.798	16.600	73.200
HAQ_Index	100	56.796	13.439	28.600	88.700
WGI_GovEff	101	-0.527	0.735	-2.452	1.060
aged_65_older, % of population	99	6.450	4.474	2.168	23.021
population_density, people per km ²	99	116.160	165.875	1.980	1,265.036