

A dataset

Using the Google dataset search, I looked for the World Happiness data - to download it, I had to create a free account (not always required):

<https://data.world/laurel/world-happiness-report-data>

The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the Google Dataset Search results for the dataset 'laurel/world-happiness-report-data'. The browser's address bar shows the URL 'data.world/laurel/world-happiness-report-data'. The page features a search bar at the top with the text 'laurel/world-happiness-report-data' and buttons for 'Add to project', 'Download', and 'Launch workspace'. Below the search bar, there are tabs for 'Overview', 'Contributors', 'Discussion', and 'Activity'. The 'Overview' tab is selected, showing a section for 'Coverage, summary statistics and regression' with a 'Tables' subsection. The source is cited as 'Source: Helliwell, J., Layard, R., & Sachs, J. (2017). World Happiness Report 2017, New York: Sustainable Development Solutions Network.' Below this, there is a 'DATA DICTIONARY' section with a 'View' button. The '2 files' section shows a table with columns for 'wp5_country', 'country', 'year', 'life_ladder', 'log_gdp_per_capita', and 'social_support'. The table displays data for Afghanistan from 2000 to 2012. On the right side, there is a 'RECENT COMMENTS' section with user avatars and comments.

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2 Coverage, summary statistics and regression

Tables

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DATA DICTIONARY

View all definitions for the 2 files and the 59 columns in this dataset.

2 files

online-data-chapter-2-whr-2017.xlsx

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	wp5_country	country	year	#	life_ladder	#	log_gdp_per_capita	#	social_support
1	Afghanistan	Afghanistan	2000		3.7230		7.1871		0.4527
2	Afghanistan	Afghanistan	2000		4.4818		7.3827		0.5073
3	Afghanistan	Afghanistan	2010		4.7584		7.4163		0.5331
4	Afghanistan	Afghanistan	2011		3.8317		7.4458		0.5211
5	Afghanistan	Afghanistan	2012		3.7820		7.5402		0.5226

Showing 1-5 of 1,420 rows, 27 columns See all

Switch to column overview

RECENT COMMENTS

@kieronell · 9 months ago
Nevermind, I see that Life Ladder is the Happiness Score

@kieronell · 9 months ago
Is the 2016 data in the first sheet used to determine the 2017 scores?

@quantifiedata · last year
https://public.tableau.com/profile/st

@noahbohnson · last year
Zoomed in a bit on Eurasia/Africa

@noahbohnson · last year
Average Life Ladder by Country from Tableau

View comments

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