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## Data dictionary

| COLUMN NAME | TYPE | DESCRIPTION |
|---|---|---|
| **data_behind_table_2_1_whr_2017** | | |
| ⊤ **wp5_country** ⓘ | string | WP5 is GWP's coding of countries, including some sub-country territories such as Hong Kong. |
| ⊤ **country** ⓘ | string | Country |
| 📅 **year** ⓘ | year | Year |
| # **life_ladder** ⓘ | decimal | Happiness score or subjective well-being (variable name ladder ). |
| # **log_gdp_per_capita** ⓘ | decimal | Statistics of GDP per capita (variable name gdp) in purchasing power parity (PPP) at constant 2011 int. dollar prices |
| # **social_support** ⓘ | decimal | Social support (or having someone to count on in times of trouble) is the national avg of the binary responses (0 or 1) |
| # **healthy_life_expectancy_at_birth** ⓘ | decimal | The time series of healthy life expectancy at birth calculated by WHO, WDI, and other published stats |
| # **freedom_to_make_life_choices** ⓘ | decimal | National avg responses to "Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with your freedom to choose what you do with your life?" |

If you copy the link, then you can read an Excel file from a website into R like:

```
library(tidyverse)
library(readxl)

url1 <- "https://query.data.world/s/tw3oaknxjlqods27xzzbpa3do4rmfr"
p1f <- tempfile()
download.file(url1, p1f, mode="wb")
happy_data <- read_excel(path = p1f)
```

Just replace the url1 link with the one that you've copied via (in this case) the Share URL option…