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**Readme file for “The Slave Trade and the Origins of Mistrust in Africa” *American Economic Review* by
Nathan Nunn and Leonard Wantchekon.**

The replication folder contains do files to replicate all tables of the paper (Tables 1 to 6). To run a do file, simply double click on the do file. Because relative paths were used in the coding, the path names do not need to be changed as long as the do file is in the same location/folder as the relevant dta file. We also provide log files that report the results from each do file.

The files are clearly marked by their name which reports which tables they correspond to. The files for the two falsification exercises from Table 6 (using WVS and Asiabarometer data) are provided within labeled subfolders.

Lastly, the folder contains 3 ado files that are needed for two way clustering and Conley standard errors.

Any questions about the data should be directed to Nathan Nunn at nnunn@fas.harvard.edu.