

Following is a description of table wise program and data files in Stata 9 format:

Some common variables:

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**Districtid      district id**  
**Block          block id**  
**grampanchayat  gram panchayat id**  
**Landlord dummy variable**
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op=1 if landlord==1, 0 if landlord==0

Table 1 do file:

table1.do

Table 1 data files:

table1-soil&climate.dta

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**climate, topography and soil variables**
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lon lat alt rain

soilblack soilalkaline soilalluvialriver soilred

aquifermorethan150 aquifer100and150

phstrongalkali phslightalkali phneutral phslightacid

topsoil25and50cm topsoil50and100cm topsoilmorethan300cm

table1-population and census.dta

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**District level data**
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poverty literacyrate ger

populationsize fractionsc populationdensity

permanenthouse pervilelec pervilroad pervilhealth pervilschool

Table 2 do file:

Table2.do

Table 2 data files:

teachercharacterisitcs-table2.dta

Teacher variable Description

edu Education(in years)

disssch Distance from school (in km)

tgen	Gender (1 if male)
tcaste	Caste dummy (1 if high caste)
tcaste2	Caste dummy (1 if mid caste)
tcaste3	Caste dummy(1 if low caste)

****Gram panchayat level variables****

villagecharacterisitcs-table2.dta

Village variable	Description
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gpdistroad	Distance from nearest paved road
gpsl	number of public primary schools
lit	literacy rate
frsc	fraction of low caste population
frob	fraction of mid caste population
density	population density
elec	whether gram panchayat has access to electricity
phone	whether gram panchayat has access to phone

****Student characteristics****

studentcharacterisitcs-table2.dta

Student variable	Description
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Studenthighcaste	caste dummy (1 if high caste)
Studentobccaste	caste dummy (1 if mid caste)
Studentsccaste	caste dummy (1 if low caste)
Studentgender	gender
Fatherprimaryedu	Father has at least primary education
Motherprimaryedu	Mother has at least primary education

Table 3 do file:

Table3.do

Table 3 data files:

table3.dta

****State assembly election variables (2002)****

Variable	Description
Constituency	Assembly Constituency in state elections
Highparty1	1 if high or mid caste party won from the constituency, 0 otherwise (only 3 main parties included : BSP, BJP and SP)
Highparty12	1 if high or mid caste party won from the constituency, 0 otherwise (includes smaller parties also)
Frhm	fraction of votes won by high or mid caste party

pradhan election-table3.dta

****Gram panchayat election variables****

Reserv	Dummy (1 if GP head seat reserved for low or mid caste persons, 0 otherwise)
Pradhanhighcaste	Dummy(1 if GP head seat won by high caste individual)

Table 4 do file:

Table4.do

Table 4 data files:

table4.dta

****Variables****

gsmeet	Number of village meetings
ssmeet	Number of meetings of the education committee
ptameet	Number of meetings of the parent teacher association
gpdistroad	Distance from nearest paved road
totpop	population size of gram panchayat
lit	literacy rate
frsc	fraction of low caste population

frobc	fraction of mid caste population
density	population density
elec	whether gram panchayat has access to electricity
phone	whether gram panchayat has access to phone

dms01- dmts4 lon lat alt rain are soil, climate and topography variables

table4-health committee.dta

****Variables****

Oudh	Landlord dummy (1 if landlord)
Healthcommittee	Whether health committee met
gpdistro	Distance from nearest paved road
totpop	population size of gram panchayat
lit	literacy rate
frsc	fraction of low caste population
frobc	fraction of mid caste population
density	population density
elec	whether gram panchayat has access to electricity
phone	whether gram panchayat has access to phone

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Table 5 do file:

Table5.do

Table 5 data files:

table 5-teacher.dta

****Teacher variables: teacher level****

Edu	Teacher education(in years)
Dissch	Distance travelled to school (in km)

Toenr total enrollment in school

Tattendance teacher attendance

Tactivity teacher activity

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table 5-stipend.dta

*Stipend data: student level**

Scholar stipend received

Caste2 dummy for caste(0 if student low caste, 1 otherwise)

Oudh landlord dummy (1 if landlord)

table 5-infrastructure.dta

School infrastructure: school level

index index of school infrastructure

table 5-student score attendance.dta

Student test and attendance

meanscore standardized score

studentattendance student attendance

scaste dummy for caste(1 if high caste)

scaste2 dummy for caste (1 if mid caste)

sgen dummy for gender(1 if male)

fe2, fe3 dummies for father's education(primary, secondary and above)

me2, me3 dummies for mother's education(primary, secondary and above)

Tables 6 and 7 files

Tables 6 and 7 do file

Table 6-7.do

Tables 6 and 7 data files

table 6and7-teacher.dta

****region dummies****

hr un rb pr sl fz gn

****region dummies interacted with landlord****

hrop unop rbop prop slop fzop gnop

****Table 7****

Perm permanent settlement dummy

Slopperm interaction of region dummy with permanent settlement

table 6and7-student.dta

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hr un rb pr sl fz gn

****region dummies interacted with landlord****

hrop unop rbop prop slop fzop gnop

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table 6-stipend.dta

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****region dummies interacted with landlord****

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table 6and7-school infrastructure.dta

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hr un rb pr sl fz gn

****region dummies interacted with landlord****

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