

Data for “This Job is ‘Getting Old’: Measuring Changes in Job Opportunities Using Occupational Age Structure”

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Data files (folder */dta*)

The online data archive contains the following data sets in Stata format:

- *workfile2012pp.dta* provides data for 722 Commuting Zones times 3 time periods (1980-1990, 1990-2000, 2000-2005). All variables with the prefix “*l_*” refer to start-of-period values while variables with the prefix “*d_*” correspond to 10-year equivalent changes.
- *occ1990dd_data2012pp.dta* provides data for the 330 occupations of the *occ1990dd* occupation panel. Variables are defined for the years 1980, 1990, 2000, and 2005.

These data files are the basis for all reported empirical results except Figure 1 which draws on individual-level Census microdata.

Computation of regression results (folder */do*)

The following Stata do-files produce our main results:

- *occ1990dd_ageanalysis_v2.do* computes the results for Table 1.
- *czone_ageanalysis_tab2-2009_v2.do* computes the results for Table 2.

Raw results (folders */log* and */gph*)

The folder */log* contains the regression log files that are produced by the files in the folder */do*.

Tables and figures (folder */tab-fig*)

The Excel file *Tables-Autor-Dorn-AER-PP-2009.xls* provide the full set of tables and figures that are presented in the paper.

Futher information

Further information on *occ1990dd* occupations and on Commuting Zones is available on David Dorn’s data page, www.ddorn.net/data.htm.