Disguised cashier data for “Automation Enables Specialization: Field Evidence”

The data on supermarket cashiers is a proprietary dataset and governed by a non-disclosure agreement with the collaborating supermarket group. We disguised the data to protect sensitive information while allow for replication of the main results. More specifically:

(a) We masked the store names and cashier ID, transaction date and time, purchase categories (except number of vegetables in a basket);

(b) We replaced the basket size and value with averages in intervals.

Main findings can be replicated to one decimal place.