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The zip-file „Data_and_R-scripts_MS2718.zip“ contains the data and the R scripts for compiling the figures in the paper „Institutional Convergence in Europe“ authored by Nina Schönfelder and Helmut Wagner.

The csv-files contain the data used in the paper. The original xlsx-files (freely available at the OECD and the World Bank) were saved as csv-files before. The names of the csv-files are self-explained. We refer to the paper for the abbreviations.

The both R-files process the data and create the figures 2 to 9 in the paper. We used R Version 3.2.2 on a Windows computer to run the scripts and create the figures. It is possible to replicate the figures by running both scripts entirely.

List of files:

- Bus_Reg_conv.R
- WGI_conv.R
- PMR.csv
- wgi_VaA_2013.csv
- wgi_CoC_2013.csv
- wgi_GE_2013.csv
- wgi_PSNV_2013.csv
- wgi_RoL_2013.csv
- wgi_COC_2013.csv
- wgi_RQ_2013.csv
- DB14-Distance-to-Frontier-dataset.csv