README

Countries' Agri-Environmental Policies Database

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Dataset on ZENODO

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The main file is the POLICY DATABASE 1.0. This is the full database containing all the policies for all the countries and years. It is available as CSV table, Excel table, and Stata table.

There is the COUNTRY DATA, which is for demonstration purposes, how e.g. national policies can be collapsed by country and combined with other country-level variables. This dataset is cross-sectional and has one row for each country.

The third dataset is the soil erosion on cropland dataset of Wuepper, D., Borrelli, P. & Finger, R. Countries and the global rate of soil erosion. Nature Sustainability **3**, 51–55 (2020). https://doi.org/10.1038/s41893-019-0438-4, augmented with the policies from this database. This is for demonstration purposes, how the policies can be used in empirical analyses. This dataset is in Stata format (.dta) and comes with a Stata do-file to execute the empirical analysis.