Establishment's industry classification extension file for the FDZ-AWFP 7614

The extension file (FDZ_AWFP_wz_v1_00.dta) for the FDZ-AWFP 7614 (v1) contains the following variable:

• The establishment identifier (betnr) and the year index (a) for the merge with the FDZ-AWFP. If using the FDZ-AWFP at the quarterly frequency, the user needs to generate the year index variable in the FDZ-AWFP to be able to merge the data: $gen\ byte\ a=ceil(q/4)$.

Establishment identifier

Variable name	betnr
Variable description	Identifies the observation (plant/establishment) across time and packages.

Index if year

Variable name	а
Variable description	Starts with 1, with year no 1 being the year 1975

Further, the extension package includes the following industry classifications (all at the 3-digit level).¹

Establishment's industry classification, 1973

Variable name	w73
Variable description	Establishment's industry classification (3-digit level) according to the
	German Classification of Economic Activities WZ 73. Filled 1975-2002;
	missing values occur.

Imputed establishment's industry classification, 1973

Variable name	w73_imp
Variable description	Imputed / transcoded establishment's industry classification (3-digit level)
	according to the German Classification of Economic Activities WZ 73.

Establishment's industry classification, 1993

Variable name	w93_3
Variable description	Establishment's industry classification (3-digit level) according to the
	German Classification of Economic Activities WZ 93. Filled 1998-2003;
	missing values occur.

¹ The imputed / transcoded 1993 industry classification at the 3-digit level (w93_imp) is already included in the FDZ-AWFP.

Establishment's industry classification, 2003

Variable name	w03_3
Variable description	Establishment's industry classification (3-digit level) according to the
	German Classification of Economic Activities WZ 03. Filled 2003-2008;
	missing values occur.

Establishment's industry classification, 2008

Variable name	w08_3
Variable description	Establishment's industry classification (3-digit level) according to the German Classification of Economic Activities WZ 08. Filled since 2008;
	missing values occur.