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Subject: Comparative wealth index - Egypt  
Posted by [bella02](#) on Fri, 23 Mar 2018 03:01:26 GMT  
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Hi,

I am trying to compute the comparative wealth index scores for Egypt for the periods from 1988-2014. I am not clear on the steps to take. Could anyone please guide me on how to do this. In addition how does one come up with the rural/urban wealth indices. Would be grateful for code or any assistance. I work in SAS.

Thanks.

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Subject: Re: Comparative wealth index - Egypt  
Posted by [Liz-DHS](#) on Thu, 28 Jun 2018 15:56:50 GMT  
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Dear User, We have a link on our website: <https://dhsprogram.com/topics/wealth-index/Wealth-Index-Construction.cfm>  
We also have a publication you might find useful "The DHS Wealth Index" <https://dhsprogram.com/publications/publication-CR6-Comparative-Reports.cfm>  
Thank you!

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Subject: Re: Comparative wealth index - Egypt  
Posted by [mari80](#) on Wed, 18 Jul 2018 16:18:49 GMT  
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Dear liz,

I have used the coefficients and formula provided by u in a similar CWI thread but I got a very different CWI score for Egypt than the one you report in the paper CR6.

FYI I am enclosing the excel file to this message and also the table of the paper I am referring to:

The Mean I get for the Egyptian CWI in 2008 using the formula and coefficients provided in the excel file, with the file EGPR5AFL is:

gen CWI=1.4935472+0.9494301\*hv271

. sum CWI

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. Dev.	Min	Max
CWI	92120	-11380.67	93480.25	-309372.2	282522.5

Is there any more updated excel or something I am not considering?

Thank you in advance

Regards

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### File Attachments

- 1) [Copy of CWI+coefficients.xls](#), downloaded 573 times
  - 2) [CWI North Africa.png](#), downloaded 525 times
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Subject: Re: Comparative wealth index - Egypt

Posted by [XINYI YANG](#) on Wed, 01 Apr 2020 08:04:57 GMT

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Dear user,

Could you please inform me of the places you got the copy of coefficient of comparative wealth index?

Thanks a lot.

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