



Economic Growth and Development
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Problem set 1

Due the first class

Using PSID data construct your favorite mobility measure for real family total money income per capita. Only select families that report at least 10 years of data, restrict to 1968-1993 periods (unless you are a PSID expert) and select only families with a prime age worker (30-50). Repeat your exercise for countries using Real GDP per capita at PPP prices either from the Penn world tables or the World Bank WDI. How does family mobility compares with country mobility? We'll discuss the findings in class.