

Understanding Society User Support - Support #820

Longitudinal vs cross-sectional weight choice

07/25/2017 10:01 AM - Oliver Southwick

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Assignee:	Oliver Southwick		
Category:	Weights		
Description			
I am performing a regression analysis, assessing which characteristics in one wave influence outcomes in the next			
Is the appropriate choice of weighting for this cross-sectional or longitudinal? The majority of variables fall from within a single wave but the outcome in the next wave would suggest use of a longitudinal weight?			
Thanks very much,			
Olly			

History

#1 - 07/25/2017 10:23 AM - Stephanie Auty

- Status changed from New to In Progress
- Assignee changed from Alita Nandi to Peter Lynn
- % Done changed from 0 to 10
- Private changed from Yes to No

Many thanks for your enquiry. The Understanding Society team is looking into it and we will get back to you as soon as we can.

Best wishes,
Stephanie Auty - Understanding Society User Support Officer

#2 - 07/25/2017 10:52 AM - Stephanie Auty

- Category changed from Data analysis to Weights

#3 - 07/25/2017 12:14 PM - Peter Lynn

- % Done changed from 10 to 30

Olly,

Yes, if your regression uses variables from two consecutive waves (even if it is only the dependent variable that comes from the second wave), you should use the relevant longitudinal weight.

Peter

#4 - 07/28/2017 12:38 PM - Peter Lynn

- Assignee changed from Peter Lynn to Oliver Southwick

#5 - 08/11/2017 03:51 PM - Stephanie Auty

- Status changed from In Progress to Feedback
- % Done changed from 30 to 70

#6 - 08/30/2017 09:54 AM - Stephanie Auty

- Status changed from Feedback to Resolved
- % Done changed from 70 to 100

#7 - 09/14/2017 05:25 PM - Stephanie Auty

- Status changed from Resolved to Closed