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URL <http://github.com/danilofreire/pinochet>

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Human rights abuses in the Pinochet regime, 1973-1990

Description

A dataset containing information about victims of the Pinochet regime in Chile (1973-1990). The data comes from the National Truth and Reconciliation Commission Report (1991, ISBN:9780268016463). We included georeferenced information about all incidents where the information could be retrieved. More information about the coding process is available at <http://github.com/danilofreire/pinochet>.

Usage

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data(pinochet)
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Format

A data frame with 2398 rows and 59 variables:

additional_comments any further information on the victim
age victim's age
end_date_daily calendar day when the human rights abuse ended
end_date_monthly calendar month when human rights abuse ended
exact_coordinates_1 exactitude of coordinates for place_1, 1 = exact
exact_coordinates_2 exactitude of coordinates for place_2, 1 = exact
exact_coordinates_3 exactitude of coordinates for place_3, 1 = exact
exact_coordinates_4 exactitude of coordinates for place_4, 1 = exact
exact_coordinates_5 exactitude of coordinates for place_5, 1 = exact
exact_coordinates_6 exactitude of coordinates for place_6, 1 = exact
first_name victim's first name
group_id unique id for groups of individuals attacked together
individual_id unique individual id
interrogation individual was interrogated, 1 = yes
last_name victim's last name
latitude_1 latitudinal coordinates pertaining to the string place_1 variable
latitude_2 latitudinal coordinates pertaining to the string place_2 variable
latitude_3 latitudinal coordinates pertaining to the string place_3 variable
latitude_4 latitudinal coordinates pertaining to the string place_4 variable
latitude_5 latitudinal coordinates pertaining to the string place_5 variable
latitude_6 latitudinal coordinates pertaining to the string place_6 variable
location_1 where the individual was seen or found

location_2 where the individual was seen or found
location_3 where the individual was seen or found
location_4 where the individual was seen or found
location_5 where the individual was seen or found
location_6 where the individual was seen or found
longitude_1 longitudinal coordinates pertaining to the string place_1 variable
longitude_2 longitudinal coordinates pertaining to the string place_2 variable
longitude_3 longitudinal coordinates pertaining to the string place_3 variable
longitude_4 longitudinal coordinates pertaining to the string place_4 variable
longitude_5 longitudinal coordinates pertaining to the string place_5 variable
longitude_6 longitudinal coordinates pertaining to the string place_6 variable
male victim is male, 1 = yes
method method of violence, 25 categories
minor victim is minor, 1 = yes
mistreatment individual was mistreated, 1 = yes
nationality individual's nationality
number_previous_arrests number of individual's previous arrests
occupation victim's occupation
occupation_detail details about victim's occupation, when available
page report page where we retrieved information about the victim
perpetrator_affiliation perpetrator's political affiliation
perpetrator_affiliation_detail details about perpetrator's political affiliation
place_1 place where the individual was spotted/reported to be seen (in chronological order, from 1 to 6 places)
place_2 place where the individual was spotted/reported to be seen (in chronological order, from 1 to 6 places)
place_3 place where the individual was spotted/reported to be seen (in chronological order, from 1 to 6 places)
place_4 place where the individual was spotted/reported to be seen (in chronological order, from 1 to 6 places)
place_5 place where the individual was spotted/reported to be seen (in chronological order, from 1 to 6 places)
place_6 place where the individual was spotted/reported to be seen (in chronological order, from 1 to 6 places)
press individual disappearance or death appeared in the press
start_date_daily date when the victim suffered abuse
start_date_monthly calendar month when victim suffered abuse
victim_affiliation individual's political affiliation
victim_affiliation_detail details about the individual's political affiliation, when available

violence type of violence, 5 categories: killed, suicide, disappearance, disappearance information of death, unresolved

targeted individual was targeted, 1 = yes

torture individual was tortured, 1 = yes

war_tribunal individual was subject to a war tribunal

Source

Report of the Chilean National Commission on Truth and Reconciliation, volumes 1 and 2.

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