

## **Note on IMPIC datasets**

The new IMPIC Dataset “IMPICDatasetV2\_1980-2018” includes the years 2011-2018 and some corrections for the years 1980-2010. The original IMPIC Dataset can be found in the folder “Additional Datasets (“IMPICDatasetV1\_1980-2010”). For the update of the IMPIC dataset for the years 2011-18 we collaborated with new country experts in about half of the countries as the original experts were no longer available. We found new experts in BE, CA, CL, CZ, DE, DK, FI, GB, IE, IS, IT, JP, KR, LU, NO, SE, SK. In the main dataset this is indicated with the variable “expert”. Even though we collaborated closely with the country experts and the formulation of item questions should allow as little interpretation as possible, we cannot exclude that the new experts answered certain questions differently than their predecessors (see also chapter on coders and coding rules in the Technical Report, pp.14-17). Some changes can also be explained by the fact that some entry routes in area B (labour migration) and groups in area D (co-ethnics) changed between the two periods of data collection. Our analyses have shown that there are roughly the same number of changes between 2010 and 2011 in the countries with new and old experts.