Blocks, Block Groups, etc.

- [https://www.census.gov/geo/maps-data/data/data/tallies/tractblock.html](https://www.census.gov/geo/maps-data/data/data/tallies/tractblock.html)

- What might 2020 look like:
  - [https://www.census.gov/geo/maps-data/data/data/tallies/census_block_tally.html](https://www.census.gov/geo/maps-data/data/data/tallies/census_block_tally.html)

- Actual schedule:
  - [https://www.census.gov/rdo/program_phases/2020_census_redistricting_data_program.html](https://www.census.gov/rdo/program_phases/2020_census_redistricting_data_program.html)
Additional considerations for restricted access

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Agricultural data

• Access through NORC Secure Data Enclave
• Remote access from controlled locations
  – Custom hardware rented (thin client)
  – Restrictions on space, but no dedicated RDC
• Similar to access for French, some UK secure data systems
IRS SOI

• Interested in projects that address
  – Tax administration in a global economy
  – Taxpayer needs and behavior, particularly the roles of information, complexity, salience, engagement, and compliance costs
  – Filing, payment, and reporting compliance measures, behaviors, and drivers
  – Benefit participation measures, behaviors, and drivers, particularly related to the Affordable Care Act
  – Taxpayer response to policy changes, particularly taxpayer responses to changes in incentives
  – The role of complex business structures in tax planning
Applying for access to IRS data

• Only in response to Call for Proposals (last was in 2014)

• Project agreements include
  – descriptions of the research topics and data to be analyzed
  – regular reporting requirements
  – requirement that SOI review and approve all presentation materials and papers prior to publication or dissemination.
Efforts to move to FSRDC

• Federal Statistical RDC
  – Census Bureau
  – NCHS
  – BLS
  – IRS
  – others
NEXT STEPS
Homework for Session 8

• Due tonight at midnight
• Ask questions now!
Next Lab: Research Proposal

• Proposal will involve writing a plausible proposal, and evaluating two other proposals
• Guidelines will be posted this week
• Submission will start after the break
• More to come...