Chapter 4: STATA Instructions

Instructions for Descriptive Statistics:

- 1. Import or type the data into one column. (Click File/Import/Excel spreadsheet (*xls,*xlsx)/file name.) Check Import first row as variable names.
- 2. Click Statistics, Summary, tables, and tests, Summary and descriptive statistics, and Summary statistics.
- 3. In the Variables (leave empty for all variables) select Ages. Under Options select Display additional statistics.

Instructions for Least Square Line:

- 1. Import or type the data into one column. (Click File/Import/Excel spreadsheet (*xls,*xlsx)/ file name.) Check Import first row as variable names.
- 2. Click Statistics, Linear models and related, and Linear regression.
- 3. Select Electrical costs as the Dependent variable: and in the Independent variables: box select Number of tools.

Instructions for Covariance and Coefficient of Correlation:

- 1. Import or type the data into one column. (Click File/Import/Excel spreadsheet (*xls,*xlsx)/ file name.) Check Import first row as variable names.
- 2. Click Statistics, Summary, tables, and tests, Summary and descriptive statistics, and Correlations and Covariances.
- 3. In the Variables (leave empty for all): box select Number of tools, Electrical costs. Click OK.
- 4. To output the covariance, repeat steps 1–3 and click Options and check Display covariances.