Appendix 6. Data sources for the regression analysis

Unless otherwise stated, data on the following variables were taken from O’Rourke et al. (1993), and are documented there: endowments of labour, capital and land; aggregate productivity; manufactured goods prices.

Australia


United States

CPI: David and Solar (1977), Table 1, p. 16.
GDP deflator: Romer (1989), Table 2, pp. 22-3.

France

CPI: Lévy-Leboyer and Bourguignon (1990), Table A-IV, series 13.

Germany

CPI: Mitchell (1981), Table I2, p. 779.
GDP deflator: derived from constant and current price NNP series in Mitchell (1981), Table K1, pp. 817-21.
Wheat price: Hoffmann (1965), Table 135, series 1, pp. 552-54 (producer prices).
Animal product prices: beef (wholesale), Hoffmann (1965) Table 136, series 1, pp. 558-59.
Manufactured goods prices: iron price index, Hoffmann (1965), Table 140, Series 6, pp. 572-73.

Britain

GDP deflator: Feinstein (1972), Table 61, series 7, p. T132.
Animal products price: middling beef (average prices), Sauerbeck (1893, pp. 241-42; 1899, p. 188); Paish (1914, p. 565).

Denmark
CPI: Mitchell (1981), Table I2, p. 779.
GDP deflator: Gammelgård (1985), Table 2, series 15, pp. 9-10.
Wheat price: see Appendix 1.
Animal products price: pork (official prices); prices before 1900 from Christensen (1985, Table VII.1, pp. 102-3; prices after 1900 are export prices for fresh pork, from Danish Statistical Department (1958), Landbrugets Priser 1900-1957 (Copenhagen: Statistical Department), Table 15, series 5, p. 78.

Sweden
CPI: Mitchell (1981), Table I2, p. 780.
GDP deflator: derived from current and constant price estimates of GDP, Mitchell (1981), Table K1, pp. 818, 825.
Wheat price: see Appendix 1.