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"Does Air Pollution Influence International Trade? New Evidence in China"

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Abstract:

How does pollution affect international trade? Previous literatures focused more on the reverse relationship between pollution and international trade. In this paper, using the annual days of thermal inversion as an instrument, we causally estimate the effect of raising PM2.5 pollutants on firm exports in China. Our results suggest that an exogenous 1 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ increase in PM2.5 tend to lower exporting by 1 percentage.

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