

Segregation Lab Teacher Notes:

This lab takes at least two hours, depending on how long it takes students to dig into the data.

There is a link to a video in the word document to explain how to use Excel to manage THIS set of data. (I found it hard to open the Excel document in the Shared folder, so I attached it separately).

There is a learning object link copied in this word document, with an explanatory you-tube link.

To shorten the time in class, I suggest that students prepare for the lab outside of class by completing parts A-D before class, using a flipped model.

For part F, you may want to be specific about what you expect from the paragraph. I tried to guide students by attaching a critical thinking standards, but I did not get very good paragraphs. (Probably because mine is a mathematics class, and students don't think that good writing applies here!)

These are the correct responses to the TED Talk notes:

Note-taking guide for TED talk, "Give Racism a Chance" by Simon Tam

1. According to a recent survey, what percent of white people think that racism is a very serious problem? (6%)
2. In a Gallop survey what percentage of white people believe that black Americans are treated exactly the same in our society. (7/10 or 70%)
3. What ratio of White Americans believe that Black Americans have the same opportunities for education? (8/10)
4. What percent of White Americans believe that Black Americans have the same opportunities for housing? (83%)
5. What ration of White Americans believe that Black Americans are treated differently by the police than White Americans? (1/3)
 - a. Write a sentence that reflect the compliment of this statement. (2/3 of White Americans think that Black Americans are treated the same as White Americans by the police)
6. People with white sounding names are how much more likely to get a call back for a job interview than someone with a black sounding name? (50%)

7. First time arrests for a black youth are how many more times likely to be incarcerated than that of a white youth, even when all factors of the crime are identical? (48 times)
8. What is the probability that the average black male goes to prison in his lifetime? (1 in 3 chance)
9. Which state has a law on the books that prevents Asians from owning property? (Florida)
10. The average net worth of a white family is how many times higher than that of a black family? (20 times)
11. The average net worth of a white family is how many times higher than that of a Latino family? (18 times)
12. Light skinned immigrants get what percent higher pay than dark skinned immigrants for the exact same job? (17%)
13. White on white crime is how many times higher than black on black crime across the country? (4-6 times)