Proposal

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Objectives & Motivating Problem:

We want to analyze whether wars have a positive or negative impact on the economic development of the United States.

Rough Plan of Work with Approximate Milestones:

- (1) I will try to collect the US GDP data for each year and the amount of money that the US has invested in each war.
- (2) I will observe the changes in the GDP of the United States during the whole period of the wars and focus on when the economy is growing and declining.
- (3) At the same time, I will compare the US GDP data before and after each war to judge whether the wars have promoted or hindered the economic development of the United States.
- (4) We will compare the changes in the war investment with the changes in GDP to determine whether the economic impact of wars on the United States is positive or negative.

Deliverables:

I will generate two images:

- (1) Graph of annual GDP change in the United States
- (2) Histogram of each war in the United States