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SI 649: Tableau Tutorial 2

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Tableau Public Account



- https://public.tableau.com/app/discover
- Sign up for a Tableau Public Account

Geographic Visualization



- Import Geographic Data
- Map Background, Edit Locations
- Encoding
- Layer

Geographic Visualization Practice



- Visualize Median Household Income on a geographical map
 - Choose your own encoding: color, size, texture...
 - Compare between different visualizations
- Create a two-layer visualization encoding:
 - Median Household Income
 - Party Affiliation (Create bins)



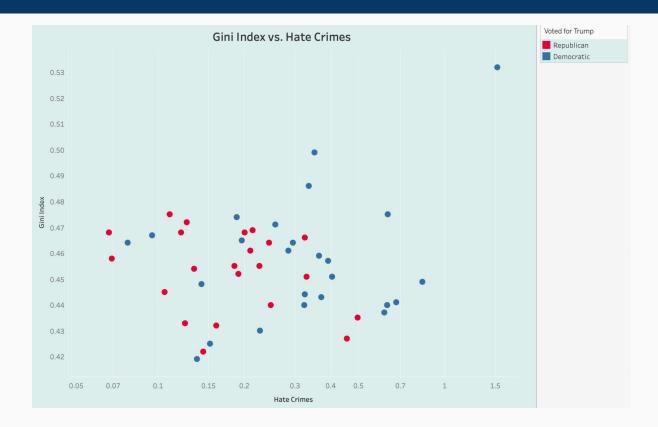
Aesthetics

- Color
 - Color Palette
 - Background Color
- Text
 - Variables
- Axis
- Legend

Aesthetics Practice



 Duplicate graphs below





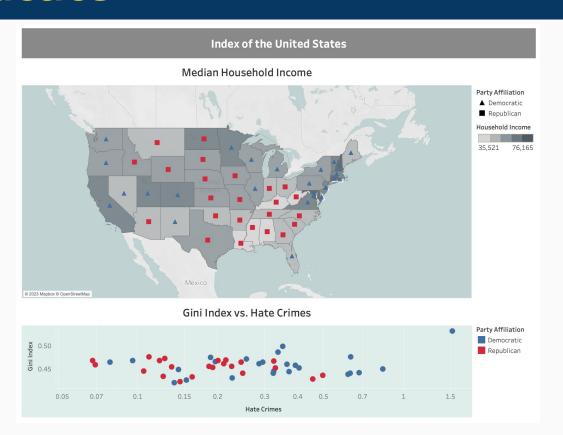
Dashboard

- Layout
- Selection
- Action



Dashboard Practice

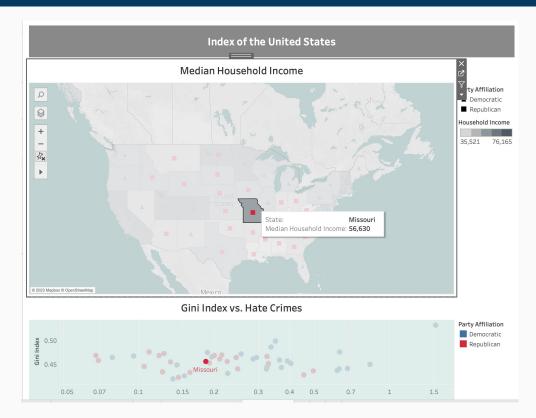
 Replicate the dashboard





Dashboard Practice

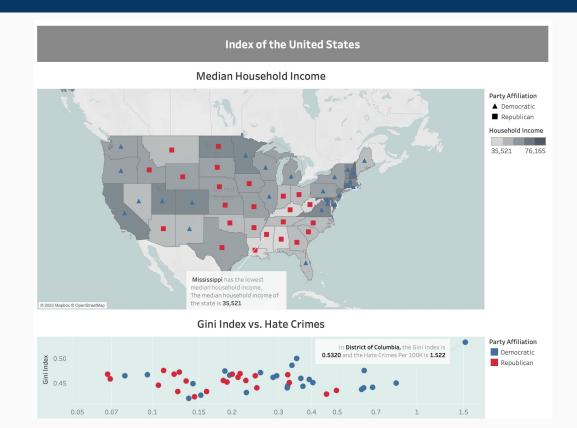
• Add highlight actions.





Dashboard Practice

 State labels only show when highlighted





Annotations

- Why Annotation?
- Remember Your Audience
 - Meaningful
 - Concise



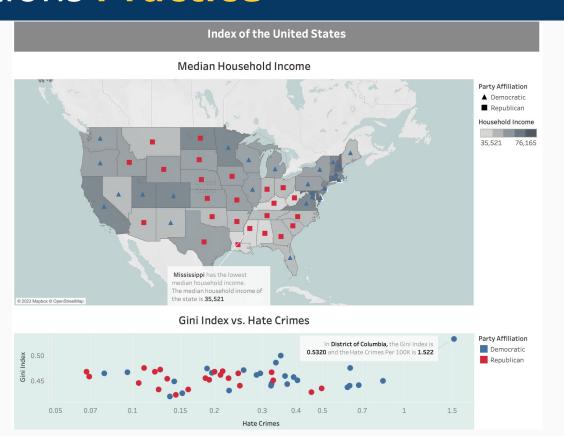
Annotations Practice

- Add an annotation explaining what happened in District of Columbia
 - In <State>, the Gini Index is <SUM(Gini Index)> and the Hate Crimes Per 100K
 is <SUM(Hate Crimes Per 100K Splc)>
- Propose another interesting insight and add annotations
 - <State> has the lowest median household income.

The median household income of the state is <SUM(Median Household Income)>



Annotations Practice





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• Tableau Public

THANK YOU!