CGT 270 Data Visualization Module 1 ● Week 2

**Lab 2: Parsing Data** 

Name: <replace this text with your name>

The goal of this lab is to understand the structure of data. In this lab you will change data into a format that tags each part of the data with its intended use. After completing this lab every element of the data, you selected (Tableau dataset) and the two (2) additional datasets you acquired in lab last week will be broken into its individual parts. Answer the following questions and complete the table for each dataset.

- 1. List the name of the Tableau Dataset you selected in the Acquire Lab:
- 2. How many rows (records) are in the data set?
- 3. How many columns (variables) are in the data set?
- 4. What assumptions are you making about the data?

# What you should be able to do (at the end of this lab):

Remember	<b>Describe</b> what happens in the <b>parse</b> stage.	
Understand	<b>Describe</b> the data in detail according to the parsing specifications.	
Apply	<b>Demonstrate</b> the ability to change data into a useful format for future processing.	
Evaluate	Categorize the data according to parsing specs.	
Analysis	<i>Identify</i> specific features about the data.	
Create	Generate a parsed listing of the data.	

#### **Tableau Data Set**

## In the table below list each variable and its data type (add more rows as needed):

	Variable	Data type
1		
2		
3		
4		

You may add more rows and attach additional pages if needed.

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## **Additional Data Set #1**

- 1. List the name of the first (1<sup>st</sup>) additional data set you acquired in the Acquire Lab:
- 2. How many rows (records) are in the data set?
- 3. How many columns (variables) are in the data set?
- 4. What assumptions are you making about the data?

#### In the table below list each variable and its data type (add more rows as needed):

	Variable	Data type
1		
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#### **Additional Data Set #2**

- 1. List the name of the second  $(2^{nd})$  additional data set you acquired in the Acquire Lab:
- 2. How many rows (records) are in the data set?
- 3. How many columns (variables) are in the data set?
- 4. What assumptions are you making about the data?

# In the table below list each variable and its data type (add more rows as needed):

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