

RESULTS OF GROUP CRITIQUE

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The purpose of this graph is: ^{average average}
to show class, fare, sex, age, and
Survival by deck (count)

Brief description of the graph (use graph grammar):

~~good use of layering - good aesthetic,~~
~~faceting for the vertical~~

~~coloring of geom~~

The three most important critique points are:

- ~~keeping in mind~~
~~info on~~ how many ~~var~~ cases in each deck
 - each deck level had different # of people - missing deck data
- color - we ^{consistant use of} liked the ~~consistency~~ of color, so it wasn't too busy
 - but also could cause confusion
 - [^] noted thrs
- ~~tracking because there are so many facets,~~
~~it does get a little hard to keep~~
~~track of axis labels~~ note averages in axis

Description

- used bars as the geom
- color as a scale to break up each facet

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Graphical perception. Is the typical consumer of the graph able to easily and accurately perceive the data?

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Notes and Feedback:

- The colors in Class graphs pull the eye towards it first, but that was not my intent
- The perception is clear to me (after a second look), although numerical values for Fare + Age would be useful - especially for age, B - E Decks are very close
- I need the n values for each deck
- I don't love the labels on the Class, Sex, and Survived graphs, but I didn't want to put too many words
- Reading deck across is difficult b/c it's long
- Signify that fare + Age are mean

Overall effectiveness of this graph (circle one):

1 2 3 4 5
ineffective

(6)

7

8 9 10
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Questions →

Is the age an average? Fare an average?

- I think a legend might be helpful
- different color blues
- Graph 1: First class is labeled each time
- I like the black & white graphs between color graphs
- Good layout → the lines all match up
- very easy to understand - its clear what each graph is telling you
- read two ways

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Fare (£) → not clear if this is "Avg Fare"
Age → "similar comment to Above."
Deck → unclear what the Deck variable is -
would be good to explain that a little
further.

Good color contrast.

Effective use of layering & layout.

Good use of labels.

- * ~~It would~~ Had to look from left to right
to follow along w/ the Deck.
- * Missing a note about the Deck info.
& also an understanding of missing
the # of passengers / Deck.

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