

Solution

SP4R02s03.sas

1. Importing Data Using a DATA Step

- **a.** The 2010 Census population for each state is recorded in **state_pop.txt**. Locate and open **state_pop.txt**. How are the variables delimited? **The variables are tab delimited**.
- **b.** Import **state_pop.txt**. Use an INFILE statement inside a DATA step.

```
data sp4r.state_pop;
  length State $ 25;
  infile "&path/state_pop.txt" dlm='09'x;
  input State $ Population;
run;
```

c. Navigate to the data table in the **SP4R** directory.

VIEWTABLE: Sp4r.State_pop		×	
	State	Population	
1	Alabama	4779736	=
2	Alaska	710231	
3	Arizona	6392017	
4	Arkansas	2915918	
5	California	37253956	
6	Colorado	5029196	
7	Connecticut	3574097	
8	Delaware	897934	
9	Florida	18801310	*
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