Response Summary:

1. Student Information *

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3. Visualization Assignment *

Lab Assignment

Understand

4. Parse Data: List each field and its data type. Refer to Fry (page 8-9, 2007) for examples of description of different data types (string, float, character, integer), you can also create user defined types (some combination that uniquely identifies data like the Index type in the Fry 2007 page 9 example) *

Data Set 1: 2016 Presidential Candidate Expenditures

cmte_id: Alphanumeric cand_id: Alphanumeric cand_nm: String Party: String recipient nm: String

recipient_nm: String
disb_amt: Integer/Float
disb_dt: Alphanumeric
recipient_city: String
recipient_st: String
disb_desc: String
memo_cd: Boolean
memo_text: String
form_tp: Alphanumeric
file_num: Integer
tran_id: Alphanumeric
election tp: Alphanumeric

Data Set 2: 2016 General Election Results

Precinct: String Race: String LEG: Integer CC: Integer CG: Integer

CounterGroup: String

Party: String

CounterType: String SumOfCount: Integer

Data Set 3: NYTimes 2016 Presidential Election Results by County

Clinton: Integer Trump: Integer Rpt: Integer State: String

Vote by county: String Vote by town: String

Place: String

5. Assumptions: List any assumptions you are making about the data and/or the visualization challenge (aka the project) *

Candidates will perform better in areas they spend money (compared to nearby/similar areas). In the primary election, candidates will not spend money in places they know they will win (i.e. Dems in big cities, Reps in rural areas) May be interesting to compare voter turnout vs. amount spent, which would require population data by county