

# Kickoff

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## MUD concerns about workload

- ▶ We removed a section from PS2. Revised version is in student repo.
- ▶ We are adding office hours this week
  - ▶ Akbar over zoom on Friday
  - ▶ Joaquin in person Thursday
  - ▶ Please post in office hours questions thread on Ed before you come.
- ▶ Looking forward, PS3 is shorter than PS1 or PS2 as best as we can tell

## MUD other

- ▶ Will we require that you transform your dataset in altair or pandas? *Answer: no, use what works best for you*
- ▶ Challenges debugging – we will do a mini-lesson on this next week
- ▶ Good questions we will have answers to by Monday (but don't have yet, sorry!)
  - ▶ What is a concrete example of a time/setting when winsorizing would be the best path for handling outliers
  - ▶ Adding better axis labels (motivated by the diamonds histogram for carat)

## Final Project Optional Meetings

- ▶ Preferred but not required: send questions in advance via private Ed post tagged “Final project Ganong”
- ▶ Ganong’s sections: Next week *during* lab in room 0049. Will have a signup at the start of lab.
- ▶ Shi’s sections: office hours.