

# homework 5

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## LOADING LIBRARY

We are loading some library to clean the data and create the map.

```
library(tidyverse)
```

```
## -- Attaching packages ----- tidyverse 1.3.1 --
```

```
## v ggplot2 3.3.5      v purrr   0.3.4
## v tibble  3.1.3      v dplyr  1.0.7
## v tidyr   1.1.3      v stringr 1.4.0
## v readr   2.0.1      v forcats 0.5.1
```

```
## -- Conflicts ----- tidyverse_conflicts() --
## x dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## x dplyr::lag()     masks stats::lag()
```

```
library(forcats)
library(tigris)
```

```
## To enable
## caching of data, set 'options(tigris_use_cache = TRUE)' in your R script or .Rprofile.
```

```
library(viridis)
```

```
## Loading required package: viridisLite
```

```
library(sf)
```

```
## Linking to GEOS 3.9.1, GDAL 3.2.1, PROJ 7.2.1
```

```
library(ggthemes)
library(tinytex)
```

## Reading And Cleaning The Data

First we read the data file which is in the data sub directory of the project file. Using `fct_lump()` we only keep the three races with the highest number of homicides for that city, the rest are assigned to others and are filtered out. Finally, the disposition factor are reassigned to solved or unsolved for uniformity.

```
homicides <- read_csv("../data/homicide-data.csv")

## Rows: 52179 Columns: 12

## -- Column specification -----
## Delimiter: ","
## chr (9): uid, victim_last, victim_first, victim_race, victim_age, victim_sex...
## dbl (3): reported_date, lat, lon

##
## i Use 'spec()' to retrieve the full column specification for this data.
## i Specify the column types or set 'show_col_types = FALSE' to quiet this message.

homicides <- homicides %>%
  unite(col = city_name, c(city, state), sep=" ", ) %>%
  filter(city_name=="Las Vegas, NV") %>%
  mutate(victim_race= fct_lump(victim_race, n=3)) %>%
  filter(!is.na(lon)|!is.na(lat)) %>%
  filter(victim_race!="Other") %>%
  mutate(disposition=fct_recode(disposition,
                                solved = "Closed by arrest",
                                unsolved = "Closed without arrest",
                                unsolved ="Open/No arrest"))

head(homicides)

## # A tibble: 6 x 11
##   uid      reported_date victim_last victim_first victim_race victim_age victim_sex
##   <chr>          <dbl> <chr>      <chr>         <fct>      <chr>      <chr>
## 1 Las-000001    20070103 PICKFORD    NOEL          Black       19         Male
## 2 Las-000002    20070104 AFSHARE    ELHAM         White       27         Female
## 3 Las-000003    20070105 HICKMAN    JAMAR         Black       23         Male
## 4 Las-000005    20070107 TURNER    ASHLEY        Black       20         Female
## 5 Las-000006    20070109 HENDERSON    MICHAEL       Black       25         Male
## 6 Las-000007    20070114 SCHMALFELDT BRENDA        White       46         Female
## # ... with 4 more variables: city_name <chr>, lat <dbl>, lon <dbl>,
## #   disposition <fct>
```

## Creation Of The Map

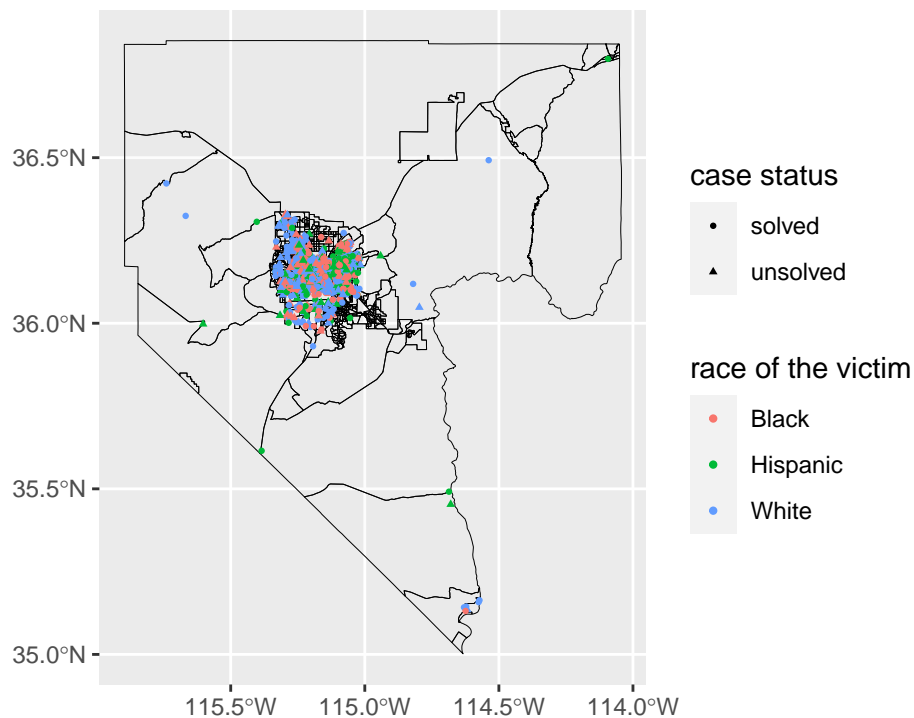
The map SF shape is downloaded from the Tigris package, it was chosen to upload the block contour of Clark county as boundaries for Las Vegas geography. Points showing homicides were added on the map. Different facets for solved versus unsolved homicides and different colors to show the three race groups were used.

```
map_lv <- block_groups( state="NV", county = "Clark county",
                        year = NULL, class="sf")
```

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## |
```

```
ggplot()+
  geom_sf(data = map_lv, color = "black",
          alpha = 0.1, size = 0.1)+
  geom_point(data = homicides,
            aes(x = lon, y = lat,
                shape = disposition,
                color = victim_race), size = 0.8) +
  ggtitle("Homicides in Las Vegas, Nevada",
          subtitle = "Solved and unsolved casses by race")+
  labs(x = "", y = "", shape= "case status",
       color= "race of the victim")
```

Homicides in Las Vegas, Nevada  
Solved and unsolved casses by race



# Second Map Sowing only the city area

Since the first map shown the whole county and points where on top of each other, the geographic coordinate were restricted to the city area.

```
ggplot()+
  geom_sf(data = map_lv, color = "grey",
          alpha = 0.1, size = 0.1)+
  geom_point(data = homicides,
```

```

aes(x = lon, y = lat,
     shape = disposition,
     color = victim_race), size = 0.8)+
xlim(c(-115.4, -114.8)) + ylim(c(35.9, 36.4))+
ggtitle("Homicides in Las Vegas, Nevada",
        subtitle = "Solved and unsolved casses by race")+
theme_few() +
labs(x = "", y = "", shape= "case status",
     color= "race of the victim")+
theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 60, hjust = 1))

```

## Warning: Removed 16 rows containing missing values (geom\_point).

