## Methods

## **Data Cleaning**

```
hate_df =
  read_csv("./data/HateCrimes.csv") %>%
mutate(
  state = as.factor(state),
  unemployment = as.factor(unemployment),
  urbanization = as.factor(urbanization),
  hate_crimes_per_100k_splc = as.numeric(hate_crimes_per_100k_splc)
)
```

## **Descriptive Statistics**

```
# Table labels
my_labels =
  list(
    unemployment = "Antibody IgM",
    urbanization = "Urbanization",
    median_household_income = "Median Household Income",
    perc_population_with_high_school_degree = "Percent with HS Degree",
    perc_non_citizen = "Percent Non-Citizen",
    gini_index = "Gini Index",
    perc_non_white = "Percent Non-White",
    hate_crimes_per_100k_splc = "Hate Crimes per 100k"
# Table controls
my_controls = tableby.control(
 total = F,
  test = F,
  numeric.stats = c("N", "meansd", "medianq1q3", "range", "Nmiss2"),
  cat.stats = c("N", "countpct"),
  stats.labels = list(
   meansd = "Mean (SD)",
    medianq1q3 = "Median (Q1, Q3)",
   range = "Min - Max",
    Nmiss2 = "Missing",
    countpct = "N (%)",
    N = "N"
    )
```

```
# Generate table
descriptive_tab =
  tableby( ~ unemployment +
           urbanization +
           median_household_income +
           perc_population_with_high_school_degree +
           perc_non_citizen +
           gini index +
           perc_non_white +
           hate_crimes_per_100k_splc,
           data = hate_df,
           control = my_controls)
summary(
  descriptive_tab,
 title = "Descriptive Statistics: Hate Crimes Data",
 labelTranslations = my_labels,
text = T)
## Table: Descriptive Statistics: Hate Crimes Data
                                 Overall (N=51)
## |:-----:|
## |Antibody IgM
## |- N
                                          51
                                      24 (47.1%)
27 (52.9%)
## |- high
## |- low
## |Urbanization
                                          51
## |- N
                                      24 (47.1%)
## |- high
## |- low
                                       27 (52.9%)
## |Median Household Income |
## I- N
## |- Mean (SD) | 55223.608 (9208.478) | ## |- Median (Q1, Q3) | 54916.000 (48657.000, 60719.000) |
                                            51
## |- Min - Max | 35521.000 - 76165.000 | ## |- Missing | 0 |
## |Percent with HS Degree |
## |- N
                                            51
## |- Mean (SD)
                                    0.869 (0.034)
                           0.869 (0.034)
| 0.874 (0.841, 0.898)
| 0.799 = 0.918
## |- Median (Q1, Q3)
## |- Min - Max
                                 0.799 - 0.918
## |- Missing
## |Percent Non-Citizen |
## |- N
                                          48
## |- N | 48

## |- Mean (SD) | 0.055 (0.031)

## |- Median (Q1, Q3) | 0.045 (0.030, 0.080)

## |- Min - Max | 0.010 - 0.130
## |- Missing
## |Gini Index
## |- N
                                          51
                         0.454 (0.021)
## |- Mean (SD)
```

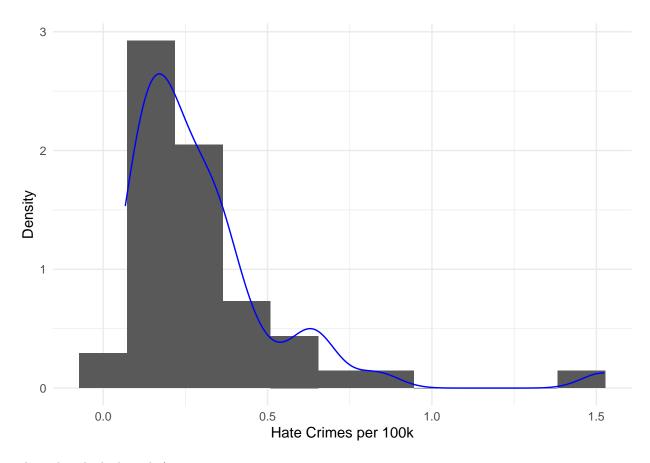
```
## |- Median (Q1, Q3)
                                   0.454 (0.440, 0.467)
## |- Min - Max
                                      0.419 - 0.532
## |- Missing
## |Percent Non-White
## |- N
                                            51
## |- Mean (SD)
                                      0.316 (0.165)
## |- Median (Q1, Q3)
                                   0.280 (0.195, 0.420)
## |- Min - Max
                                      0.060 - 0.810
## |- Missing
## |Hate Crimes per 100k
## |- N
                                            47
## |- Mean (SD)
                                      0.304 (0.253)
## |- Median (Q1, Q3)
                                   0.226 (0.143, 0.357)
                                      0.067 - 1.522
## |- Min - Max
## |- Missing
```

As a note, I didn't include the "states" variable as the output was huge and not that helpful. Suggest we include a note somewhere that data from 50 states + Washington, DC.

### Distribution of Outcome Data

Histogram of raw outcome data (hate crimes per 100k).

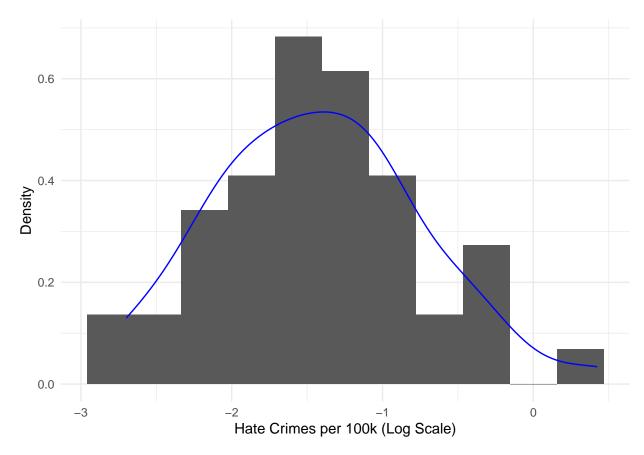
```
hate_df %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = hate_crimes_per_100k_splc, y = ..density..)) +
  geom_histogram(bins = 11) +
  geom_density(alpha = 0.2, color = "blue") +
  labs(
    x = "Hate Crimes per 100k",
    y = "Density"
)
```



These data look skewed :(

Histogram of log-transformed outcome data (hate crimes per 100k).

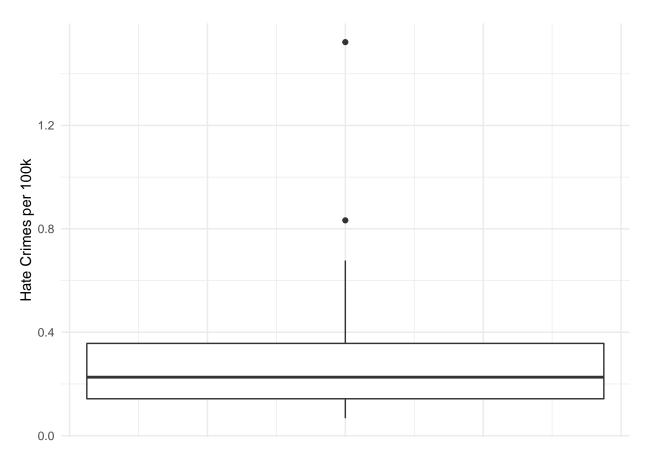
```
hate_df %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = log(hate_crimes_per_100k_splc), y = ..density..)) +
  geom_histogram(bins = 11) +
  geom_density(alpha = 0.2, color = "blue") +
  labs(
    x = "Hate Crimes per 100k (Log Scale)",
    y = "Density"
)
```



#### Looks better!

Box plot of the (raw) outcome data.

```
hate_df %>%
ggplot(aes(y = hate_crimes_per_100k_splc)) +
geom_boxplot() +
labs(
    y = "Hate Crimes per 100k"
) +
theme(
    axis.text.x = element_blank(),
    axis.ticks.x = element_blank()
)
```



Just based on the boxplot, it ks like there are two states with potential usually high rates (Washington, DC and Oregon).

# **Examining Potential Multicollinearity**

```
hate_df %>%
select(
   hate_crimes_per_100k_splc,
   median_household_income,
   perc_population_with_high_school_degree,
   perc_non_citizen,
   gini_index,
   perc_non_white
   ) %>%
cor(use = "complete.obs") %>% # Ignoring NA values
   round(., 2)
```

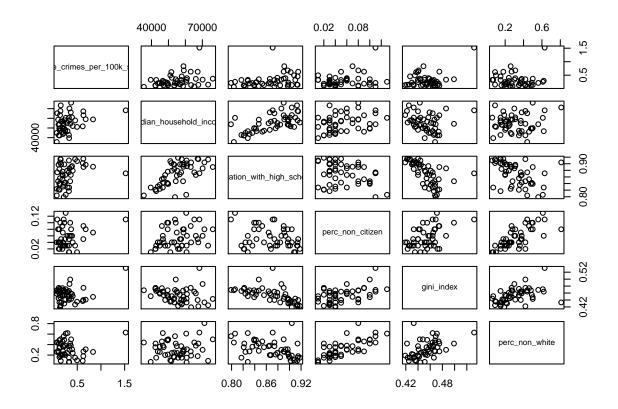
```
## hate_crimes_per_100k_splc
## hate_crimes_per_100k_splc 1.00
## median_household_income 0.34
## perc_population_with_high_school_degree 0.26
## perc_non_citizen 0.24
## gini_index 0.38
```

```
## perc_non_white
                                                                  0.11
                                            median_household_income
##
## hate crimes per 100k splc
                                                                0.34
## median_household_income
                                                                1.00
## perc_population_with_high_school_degree
                                                                0.65
## perc non citizen
                                                                0.30
## gini index
                                                               -0.13
## perc_non_white
                                                                0.04
##
                                            perc_population_with_high_school_degree
## hate_crimes_per_100k_splc
                                                                                 0.26
## median_household_income
                                                                                 0.65
## perc_population_with_high_school_degree
                                                                                 1.00
## perc_non_citizen
                                                                                -0.26
                                                                                -0.54
## gini_index
## perc_non_white
                                                                                -0.50
##
                                            perc_non_citizen gini_index
## hate_crimes_per_100k_splc
                                                         0.24
                                                                    0.38
                                                         0.30
## median household income
                                                                   -0.13
## perc_population_with_high_school_degree
                                                        -0.26
                                                                   -0.54
## perc_non_citizen
                                                         1.00
                                                                    0.48
## gini_index
                                                         0.48
                                                                    1.00
## perc_non_white
                                                         0.75
                                                                    0.55
##
                                            perc_non_white
## hate crimes per 100k splc
                                                       0.11
## median_household_income
                                                       0.04
## perc_population_with_high_school_degree
                                                      -0.50
## perc_non_citizen
                                                       0.75
                                                       0.55
## gini_index
## perc_non_white
                                                       1.00
```

Based on this output, the following pairs of variables have a correlation of 60% or higher:

- Percentage non-citizens & percentage non-white (0.75)
- Median household income & percentage of population with a high school degree (0.65)

```
hate_df %>%
select(
   hate_crimes_per_100k_splc,
   median_household_income,
   perc_population_with_high_school_degree,
   perc_non_citizen,
   gini_index,
   perc_non_white
   ) %>%
pairs()
```



## Jacy's Ideas

```
##Project ideas
hate = read.csv("/Users/jacysparks/Downloads/HateCrimes.csv")
head(hate)
dim(hate)
hate $\text{hate_crimes_per_100k_splc} = \text{as.character(hate $\text{shate_crimes_per_100k_splc)}}
hate\$hate_crimes_per_100k_splc = as.numeric(hate\$hate_crimes_per_100k_splc)
summary(hate)
##Four NA's for outcome
##NA for Wyoming, South Dakota, North Dakota, and Idaho
hate[,c(1,9)]
##Could remove
hate = na.omit(hate)
##3 NA's for non citizen
##Create indicators
names(hate) [names(hate) == "unemployment"] = "High.Unemployment"
names(hate)[names(hate)=="urbanization"] = "High.Urban"
names(hate)[names(hate)=="median_household_income"] = "Med.Income"
names(hate) [names(hate) == "perc_population_with_high_school_degree"] = "HS.Degree"
```

```
names(hate)[names(hate)=="perc_non_citizen"] = "Non.Citizen"
names(hate) [names(hate) == "perc_non_white"] = "Non.White"
names(hate) [names(hate) == "hate_crimes_per_100k_splc"] = "Hate.Crime"
hate$High.Unemployment = ifelse(hate$High.Unemployment=="high",1,0)
hate$High.Urban = ifelse(hate$High.Urban=="high",1,0)
##Outcome var is skewed
hate$Hate.Crime = log(hate$Hate.Crime)
hist(hate$Hate.Crime)
##Much better
reg = lm(Hate.Crime~.-state,data=hate)
summary(reg)
pairs(hate[,4:9],lower.panel=NULL)
cor(hate[,4:9])
#Percent white and percent non-white highly correlated
##Check linearity
for(i in 4:8){
  plot(hate[,i],hate$Hate.Crime,main=colnames(hate)[i])
plot(reg)
```