

Assignment 1

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1.1

- (a) 3. It's the value of a variable for a particular case.
- (b) 2. It's a quantitative variable.
- (c) 1. It's a categorical variable.
- (d) 1. It's a categorical variable.
- (e) 2. It's a quantitative variable.

1.2 Name format, year format and number of states ("it depends")

1.3 president in office number of states

Abraham Lincoln 1861-1865 12

George Washington 1791-1799 16

Martin Van Buren 1837-1841 26

1.4

1) Table A: Year, Algeria, Brazil, Columbia

Table B: Country, Y2000, Y2001

Table C: Country, Year, Value

2) Table A: a year, table B: a country, table C: a country in a year

2.2 Only 2 (file name) as it is a string

2.3 CPS stands for current population survey.

2.6 1, 3, 6, 7, 8 are legitimate.

2 is not because of the dash (minus operator)

3 is not because of the quote

5 is not because of the space

9 is not because of the parenthesis