Data Set: Education and Related Data for the U.S. States

Data File: States.txt

Source: Moore, The Basic Practice of Statistics, Second Edition (Freeman, 2000), Table 1.6.

Variables:

region: ENC (East North Central), ESC (East South Central), MA (mid-Atlantic), MTN (mountain), NE (New England), PAC (Pacific), SA (South Atlantic), WNC (West North Central), WSC (West South Central)

population: in thousands.

satVerbal: Mean SAT Verbal score of high-school seniors (a standard university-admission exam).

satMath: Mean SAT Math score of high-school seniors.

percentTaking: Percent of high-school seniors taking the SAT exam.

percentNoHS: Percent of state population without high school.

teacher pay: Average teacher salary, in $1000s.