

Tuesday 2/25

Welcome! 

Announcements:

- Results through g15 on Blackboard
- Exercise g16, g17 posted and due Friday 2/28

Tips:

- Pandas can read Excel files directly

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pop = pd.read_excel("population.xlsx")
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Some handy parameters:

sheet_name="some name"	Read the indicated sheet
sheet_name=None	Return a dictionary of all sheets
usecols="A,C,E:F"	Only use the indicated columns
skiprows=3	Skip first three rows
skiprows=[1,3]	Skip rows 1 and 3
nrows=10	Only read 10 rows
na_values=["none","na"]	Add to default list of strings for missing data
thousands=", "	Treat commas in numeric strings as grouping
skipfooter=4	Skip last 4 rows