



8.4 Histograms
Activity

UNIT: MANAGING CREDIT & FUNDAMENTALS OF STATISTICS

CREATE: Histogram Jigsaw

Data can be a great way to understand the world around us. But it can also be confusing! Histograms are one way that we can make sense of data; they make it easier to make observations and summarize trends.

In this activity, you'll work with your group to uncover more about your focus topic using data. You'll turn a data set into a histogram about student loans, car prices, mortgages, or credit scores.

Part I: Create Your Histogram

1.	Your teacher will assign you to a group to work on one of the Data Sets. With your group members, create a poster that includes the following information: A histogram of your data set The mean and median of your data set The bin size you chose and why One sentence summarizing the data shown
Part I	l: Compare
	y your teacher's instructions to explore the other groups' histograms. Then, answer the
2.	Which histogram(s) have a mean that is greater than the median? What do you notice about those histograms?
3.	Which data set(s) have at least one outlier?
4.	Choose one histogram and sketch the corresponding box plot.

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