

## Working with the Teacher Statistics extract from Data BC

Understanding the Completion Rate data extract	Read the following documents: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Teacher Statistics definitions</i></li><li>• <a href="#">Ministry of Education data masking policy</a></li></ul>
How can I work with this data set in Microsoft Excel?	The following tutorials may be helpful: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Importing text (.txt or .csv) files into Excel</a></li><li>• <a href="#">Auto-filtering in Excel</a></li><li>• <a href="#">Keeping leading zeros and large numbers in Excel</a></li></ul>

### Conventions in this document

<b>BOLDED_WITH_UNDERSCORES</b>	Indicates a column name (for example, <b>EMPLOYMENT_CATEGORY</b> )
'Text within single quotation marks'	Indicates a column value (for example, 'Teacher')

### Instructions

1. Open your local copy of the file.
2. Apply auto-filtering to the heading row. (This is not essential, but it makes it easier to work with the data when you have more than a screen's worth of rows.)
3. Use the auto-filter on the **DATA\_LEVEL** column to select either 'District level' or 'Province level'.
4. Select the **SCHOOL\_YEAR** of interest.
5. Select the **REPORTING\_PERIOD**. The quarters (3-month periods) aren't separate, they are cumulative from July 1 (legal start of school year).
6. Filter by **DISTRICT\_NAME** or **DISTRICT\_NUMBER** if you're looking at the district level.
7. Choose the **EMPLOYMENT\_CATEGORY** (e.g. 'Teacher').
8. Filter by **GENDER** or select 'All'.
9. The last 4 columns now display the counts or calculations based on your criteria:
  - **HEADCOUNT**
  - **FTE**
  - **AVERAGE\_AGE**
  - **AVERAGE\_ANNUAL\_SALARY\_PER\_FTE**

## Sample Questions

### Question:

What is the average age of male administrators in the Delta school district in the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2021/2022?

Path to answer:

1. Filter **DATA\_LEVEL** to 'District level'
2. Filter **SCHOOL\_YEAR** to '2019/2020'
3. Filter **REPORTING\_PERIOD** to 'Q4'
4. Filter **DISTRICT\_NAME** to 'Delta'
5. Filter **EMPLOYMENT\_CATEGORY** to 'Administrator'
6. Filter **GENDER** to 'M'
7. Column J (**AVERAGE\_AGE**) = 49

### Question:

In BC in 2022/2023, what was the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter average annual salary for all teachers?

Path to answer:

1. Filter **DATA\_LEVEL** to 'Province level'
2. Filter **SCHOOL\_YEAR** to '2020/2021'
3. Filter **REPORTING\_PERIOD** to 'Q1'
4. Filter **EMPLOYMENT\_CATEGORY** to 'Teacher'
8. Filter **GENDER** to 'All'
5. Column K (**AVERAGE\_ANNUAL\_SALARY\_PER\_FTE**) = \$82,972