

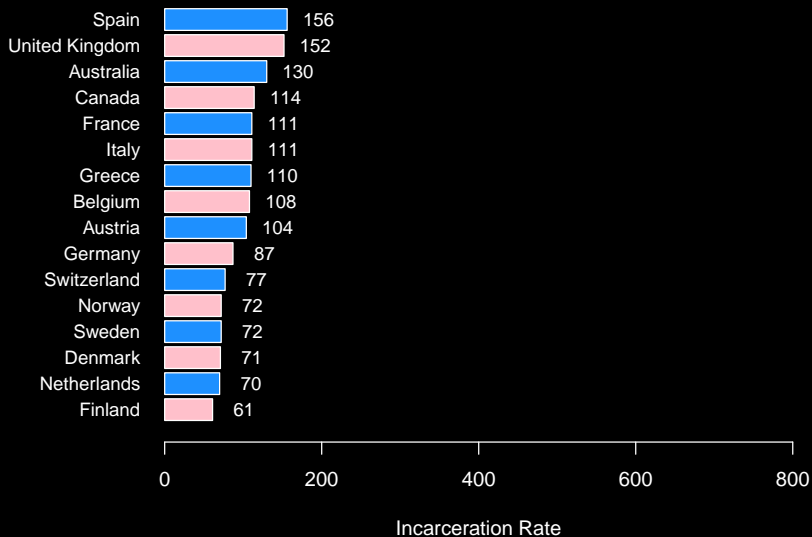
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Life in the Year After Prison

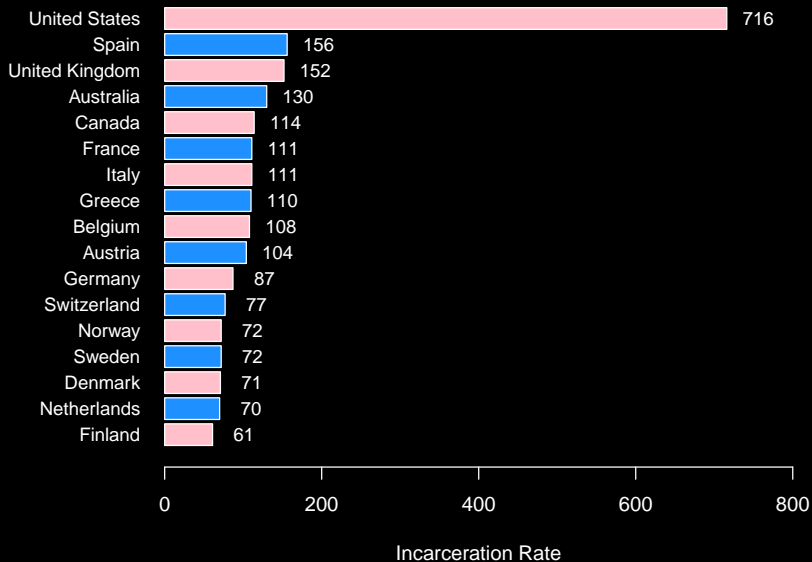
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I. Mass Incarceration

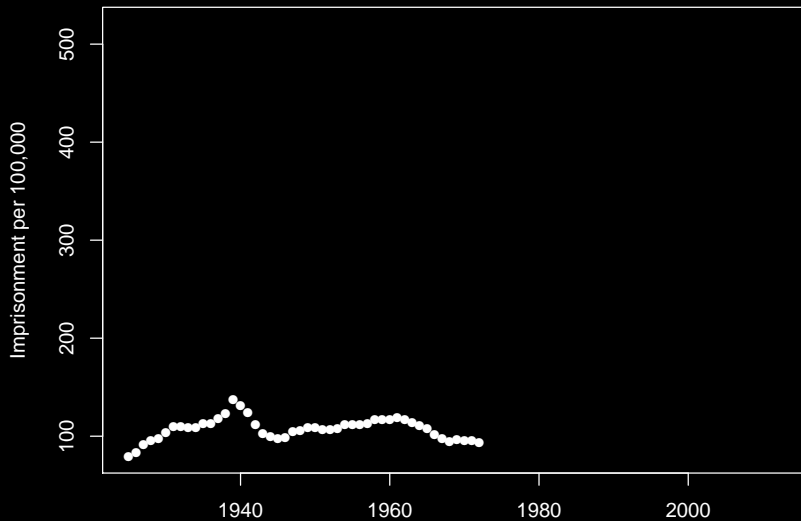
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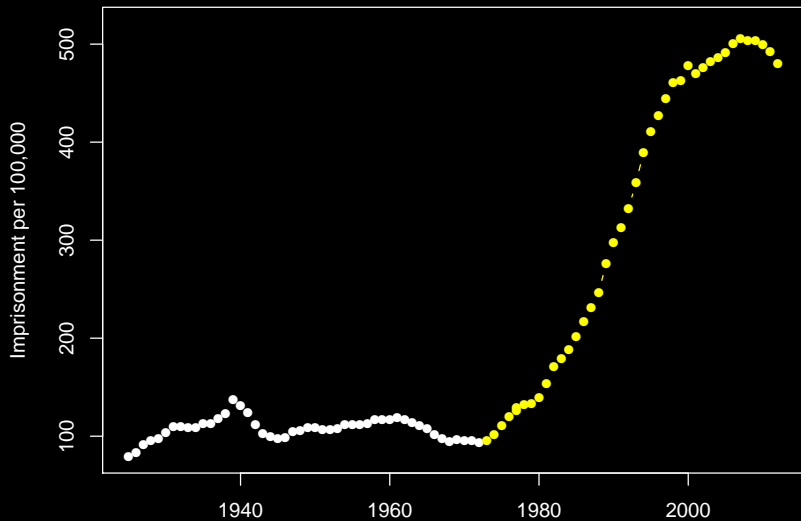
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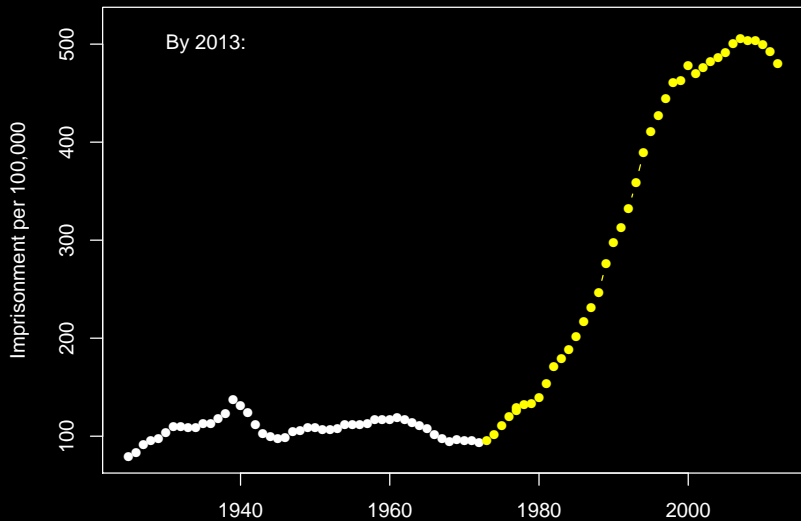
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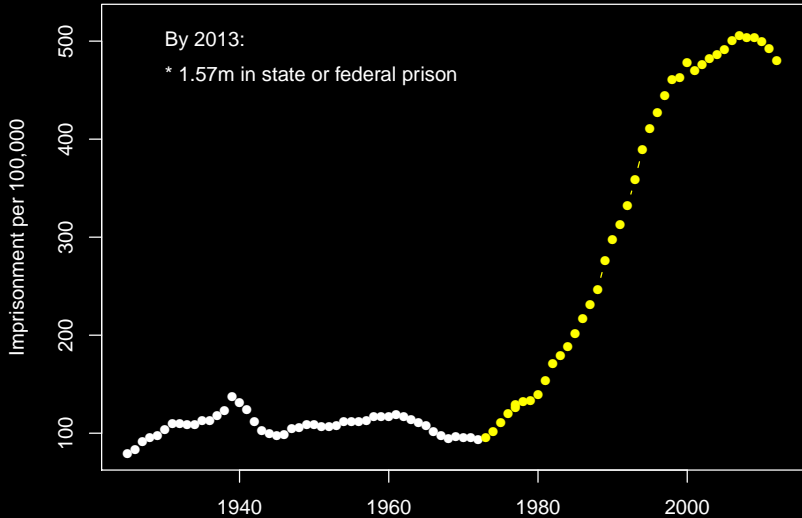
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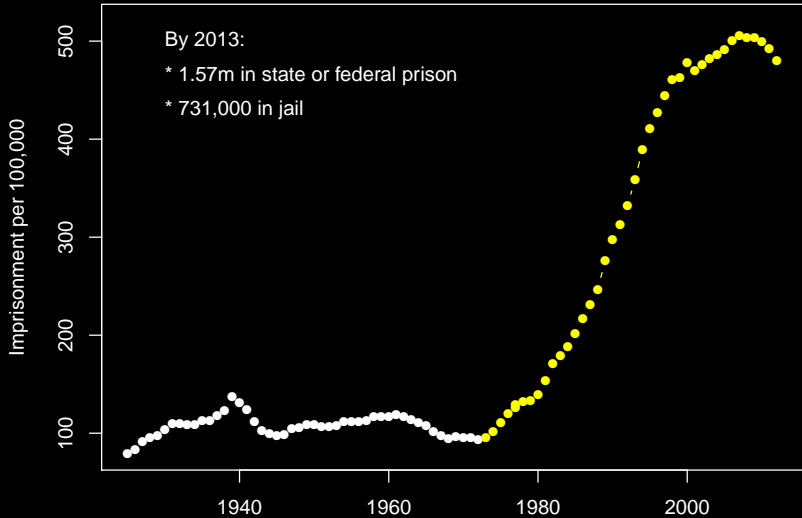
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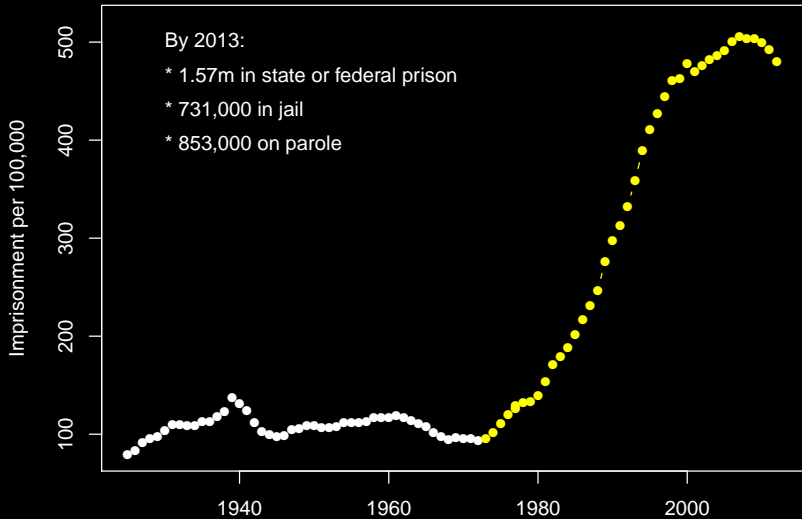
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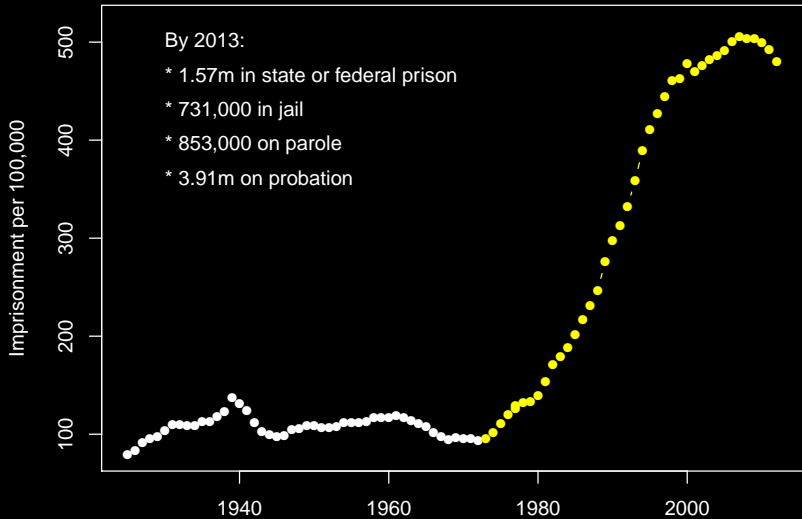
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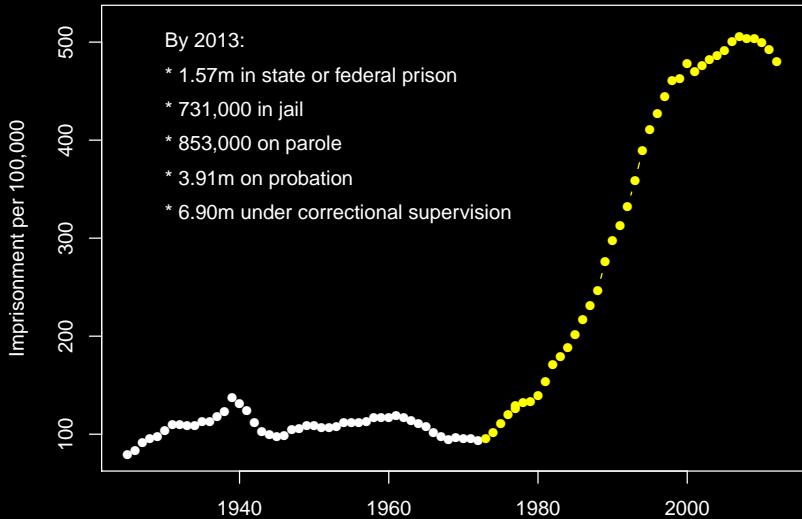
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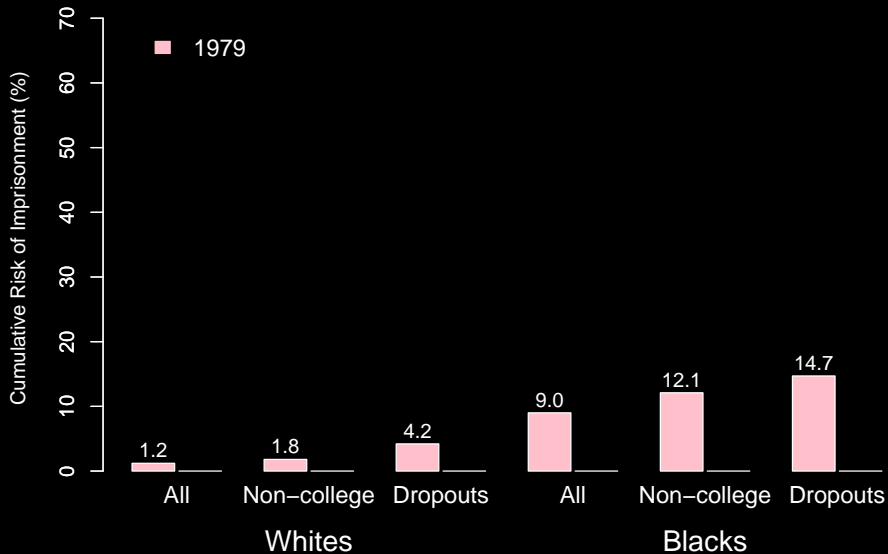
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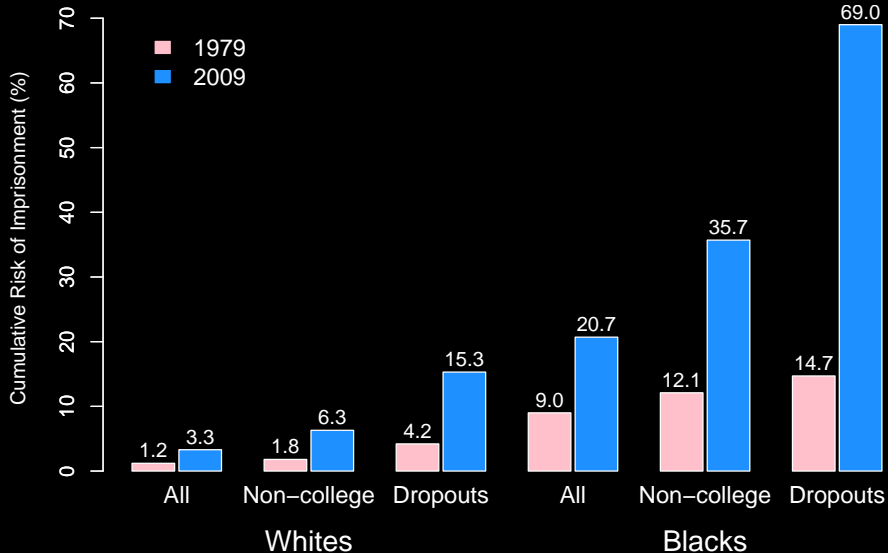
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Key Finding

Mass incarceration criminalized social problems related to racial inequality and poverty on a historically unprecedented scale, contributing to the reproduction of poverty and racial inequality.

II. The Reentry Study

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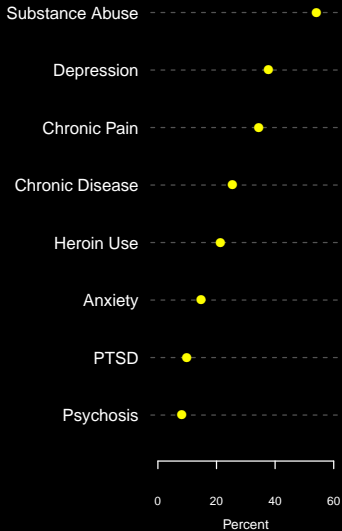
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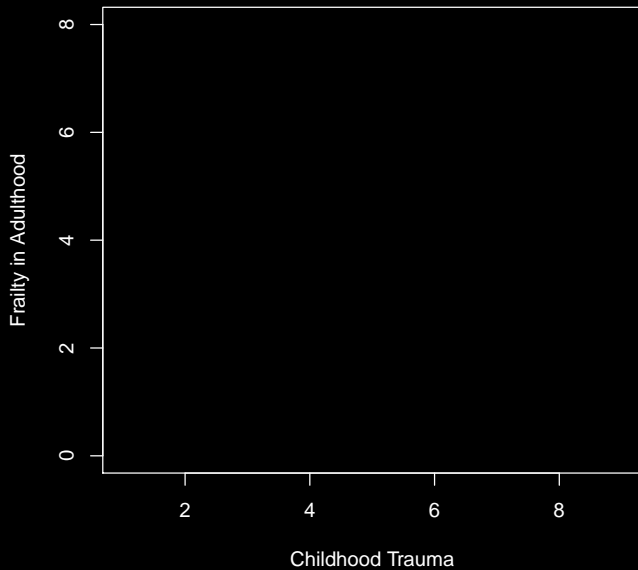
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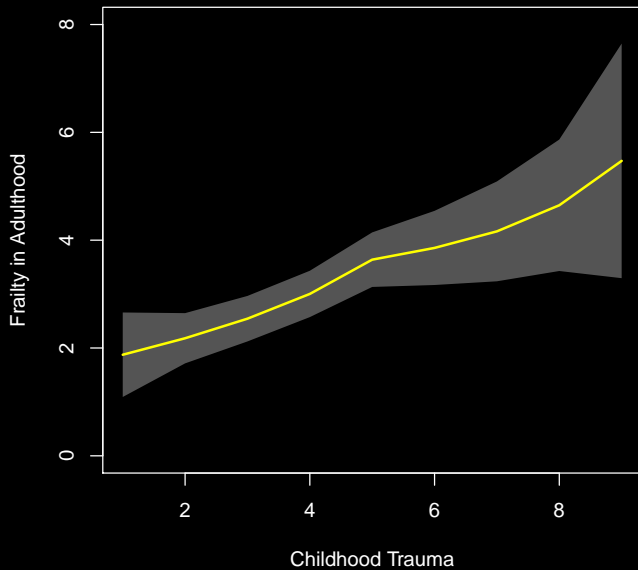
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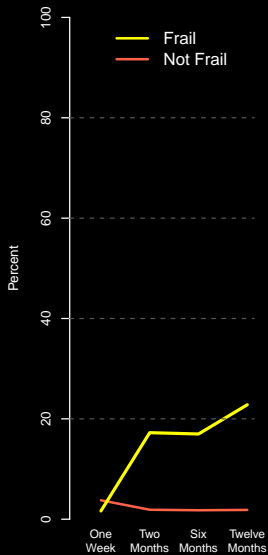
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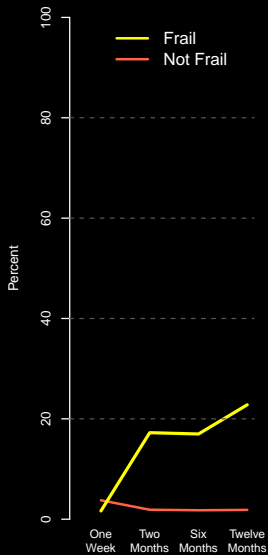
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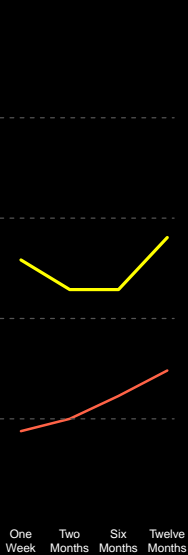
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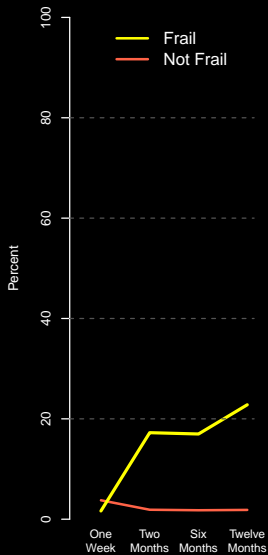
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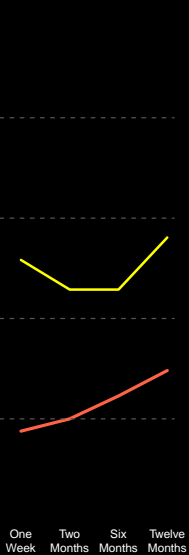
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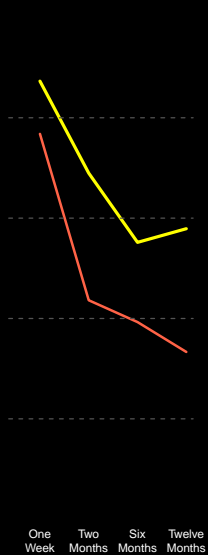
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III. Stories

Peter's Story



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