

Evaluating Graphs

Name: _____

Directions:

1. Each of the four graphs shows the same information.
2. Put a check mark next to the graph that you believe is easiest to understand. (Your answer may be different from someone else's.)
3. Answer the questions below.

1. There are four different types of graphs. Look at each graph carefully. Next to each one write the type of graph you believe it is. Use these labels:

- vertical bar graph
- doughnut graph
- three-dimensional horizontal bar graph
- pie graph

2. What do the percents in each graph equal when you add them?

3. What does the total percentage represent?

4. Which section of each graph represents people who are probably the richest?

5. Can you tell from the graphs if there were people who did not own slaves?

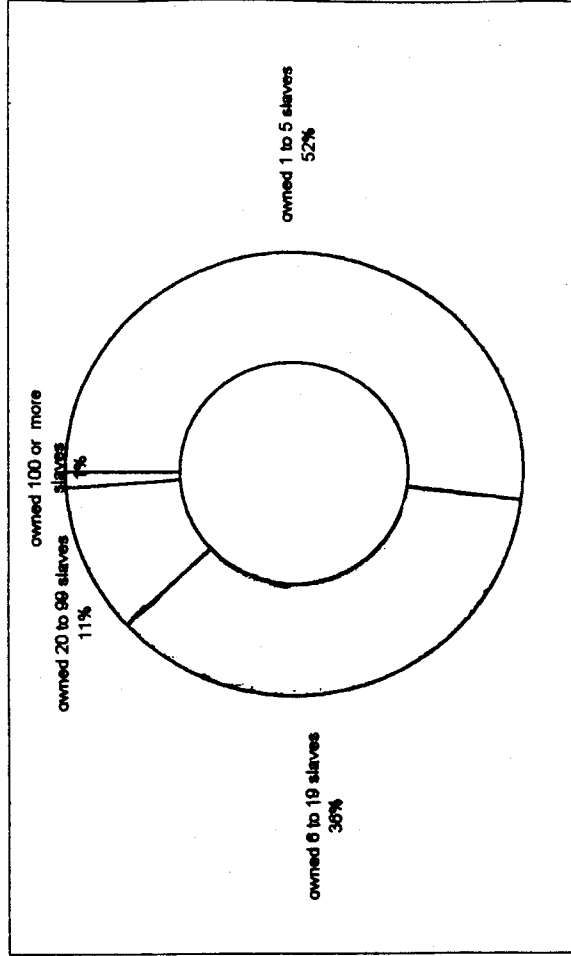
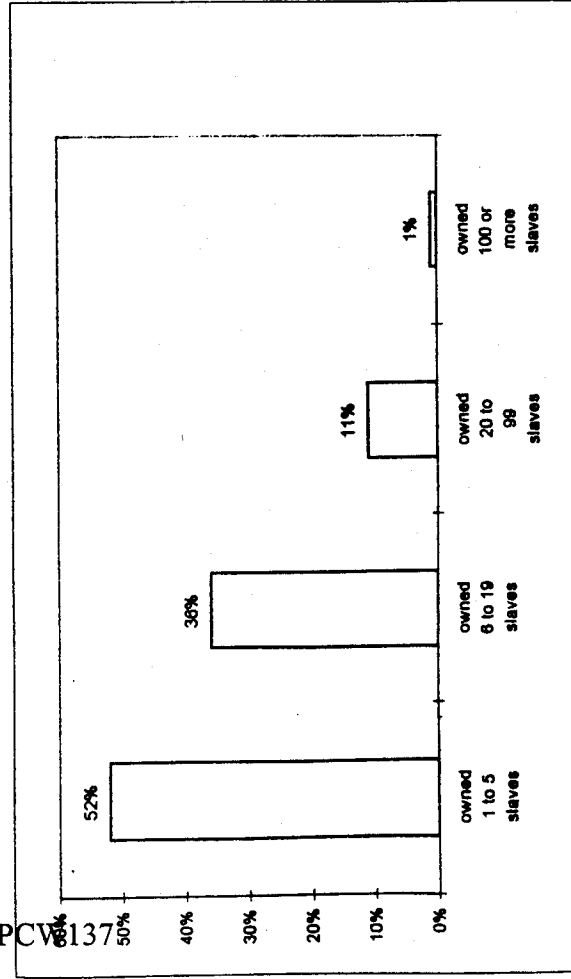
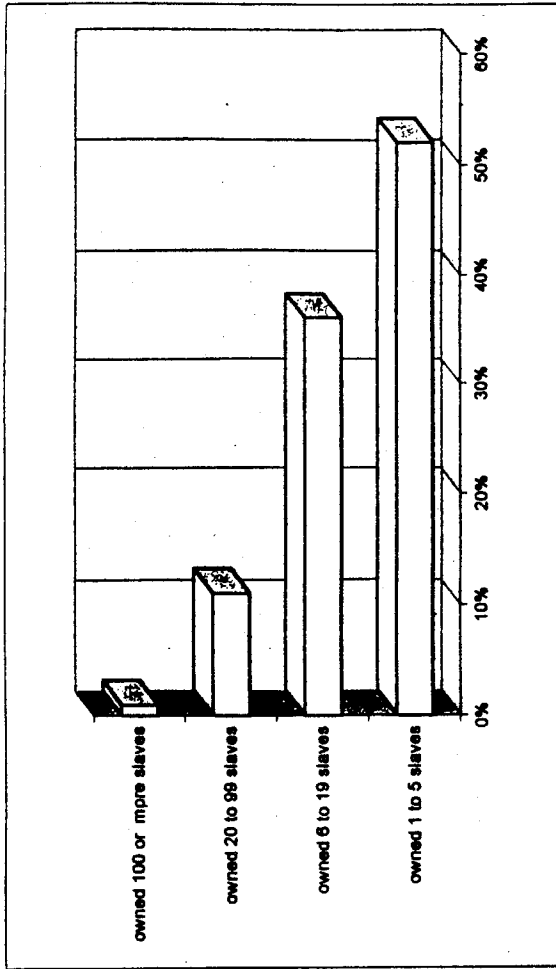
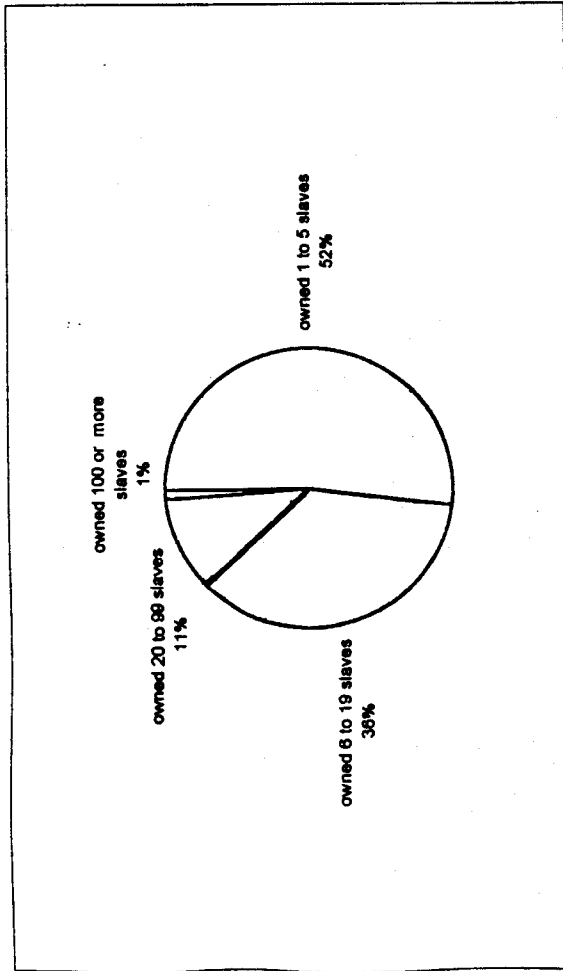
6. The graphs do not have titles. Since they all contain the same information, they could have the same title. What would be an appropriate title for the graphs?

7. In the space below, write three word problems using information in the graphs for your classmates to solve.

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____



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