Slums in American cities vs. Chinese cities Worksheet

Document 1:

1. What triggered the migration of African Americans to the cities?
2. What measures were taken to enforce residential segregation? List them.
3. What did the government do to stop residential segregation?

Document 2:

1. What was segregation based on?
2. Describe what the author says were the consequences of residential segregation with respect to health, education, and employment.

Document 3:

1. Explain how the Hukou system in China works.
2. Besides preventing the formation/expansion of slums in the cities, what are some of the other reasons the Chinese government decided to come up with the Hukou system?

Document 4:

1. What was the main goal of the Hukou system for the Chinese government?
2. How did the Hukou system affect rural Chinese and what were the major consequences?

Group question:

1. What are the main differences of both systems? What was their common purpose?
2. How did both systems affect the layout of the cities in their respective countries?