



# CINEMA VS STREAMING

Are good old cinemas still relevant today?

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# TOPIC OUTLINE

Introduction



Cinema Location on Map  
(Leaflet)



Number of Exhibitors,  
screens and seats  
through the years



Price comparison  
between cinema ticket  
price and streaming fee



Number of Box office  
movie production



Movie goers' attendance



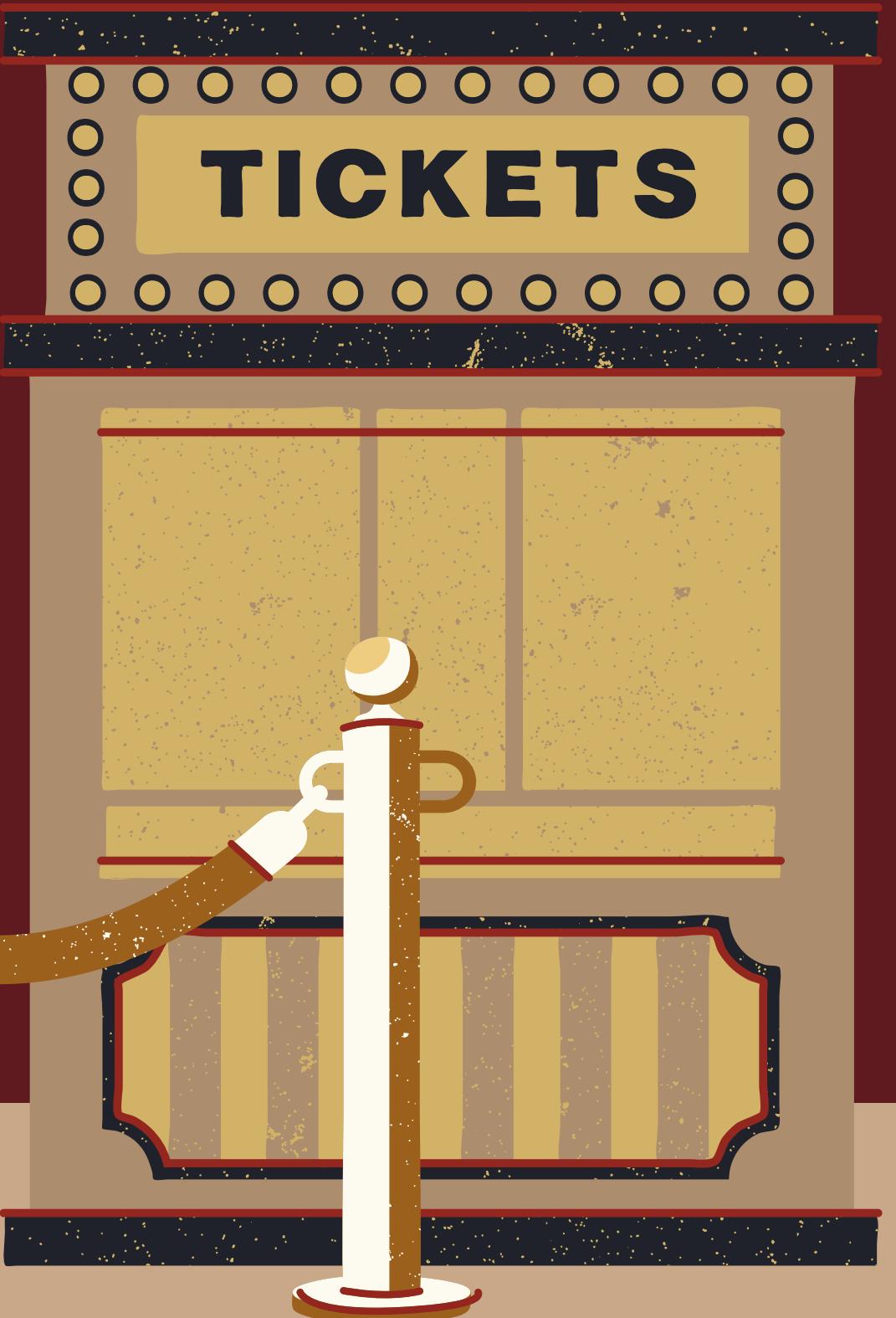
Netflix subscribers  
numbers



Conclusion



# INTRODUCTION



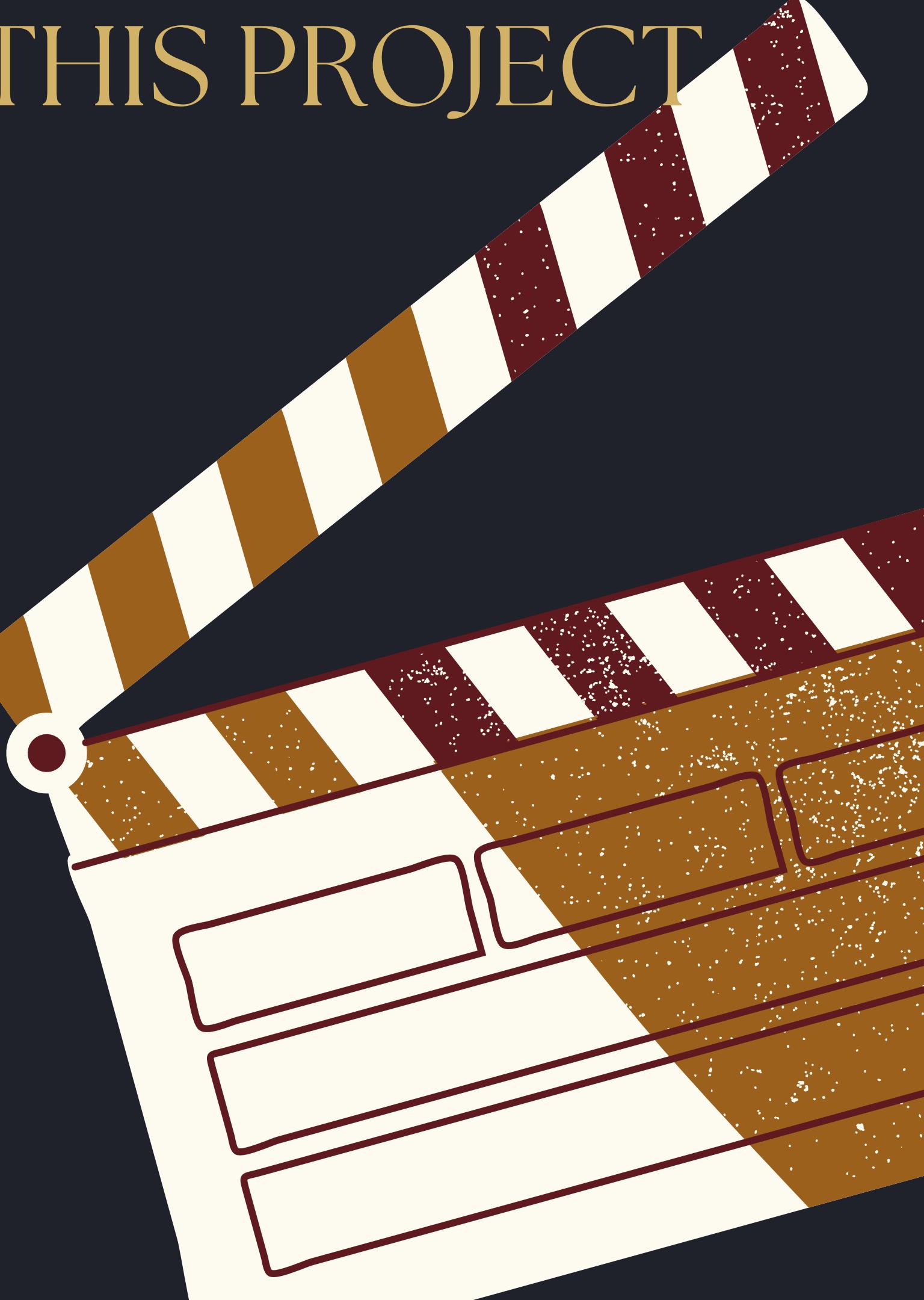
# INTRODUCTION

- Back in the day if people wanted to watch the latest movie everyone else was talking about, they go to the cinema with their family or friends. In case they did not make it on the movie schedule, they had to wait for it to be available in their nearest video rental shop.
- Nowadays due to technological advancement we have the option to use streaming services in the comfort of our own homes to watch movies. This option gained more popularity when Covid happened as most people chose to stay home and also restrictions were put in place on public spaces. This made us ask the question, are cinemas still relevant?
- Are cinemas still have the demand?  
We intend to answer the question viewing from different angles.
- Are we seeing the contraction of cinemas' footprint?
- How often movie goer pay and see movies in the cinema over time?
- Streaming platforms - how competitive are different streaming offerings against cinema ticket price? (excluding free for view platforms)
- In the case of giant of streaming provider, Netflix. How many subscribers over the years?
- Number of BoxOffice production over the years?



# METHODS ADOPTED FOR THIS PROJECT

- (1) Web scraping data for all Australian cinema location, clean up data using ETL and using leaflet to map out all their location with markers.
- (2) Read in data and use d3 to produce interactive line chart to display the changes in theater, screen and seating capacity over time
- (3) Web scraping streaming pricing comparison webpage to get data, perform ETL to data and use d3 to map out scatterplot (relationship chart)
- (4) Web scraping webpage to get box office production number/ import csv file for Netflix subscriber numbers and cinema attendance number to make plotly chart



# METHODS ADOPTED FOR THIS PROJECT

- Python Flask- powered API, HTML/ CSS, JS and MongoDB for the database

- JS library - Cloudflare - Animate.css

<https://cdnjs.cloudflare.com/ajax/libs/animejs/2.0.2/anime.min.js>

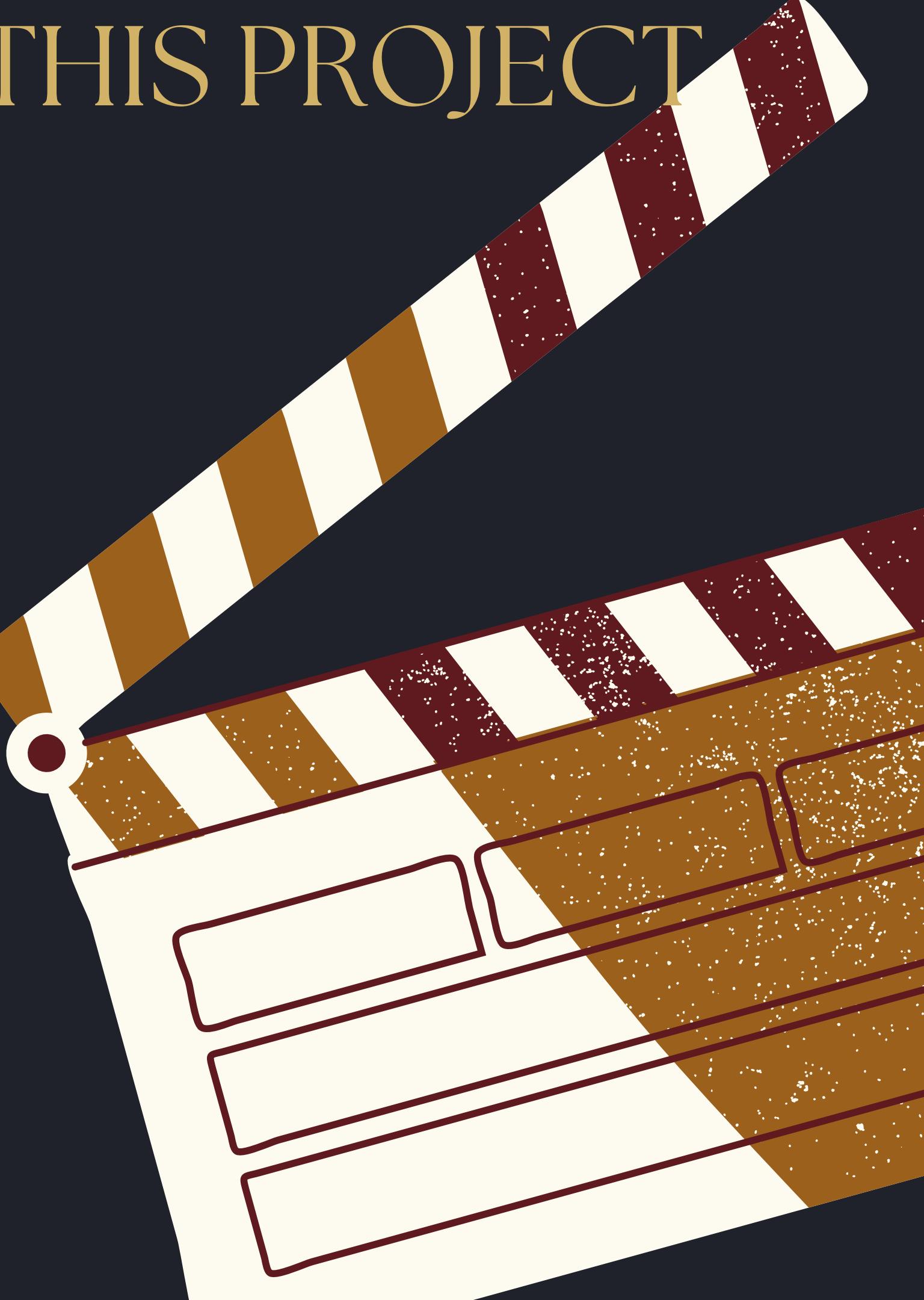
- Interactive views

Control layer for the map

User select text to view line chart

User interact with scatter plot chart to display info

User interact with the bar chart to display info



# Folder Structure

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└─ Cinema-vs-Streaming
    ├─ Images
    ├─ Resources
    ├─ ss
    └─ static
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            └─ cinema.html
            └─ cinemaMap.html
            └─ index.html
            └─ streaming.html
        └─ .gitignore
        └─ app.py
    └─ README.md
```

# Database

# MongoDB

```
db_ipynb X
Cinema-vs-Streaming > static > python > db_ipynb > # Declare the collection & Insert
+ Code + Markdown | ▶ Run All ⌛ Clear Outputs of All Cells ⌂ Restart ⌚ Interrupt | ⏷ Variables ⏷ Outline ...
```

```
[2]
# The default port used by MongoDB is 27017
# https://docs.mongodb.com/manual/reference/default-mongodb-port/
conn = 'mongodb://localhost:27017'
client = pymongo.MongoClient(conn)

# Declare the database
db = client.Cace_db
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[3]
#Grab dataframes from our resources
df_boxoffice = etl_.scrape_boxoffice()
df_cinemadata = etl_.df_Cinemadata()
df_nextflixsubs = etl_.df_Nextflixsubs()
df_streamingfee = etl_.df_Streamingfee()
df_cinema1948 = etl_.df_Cinema1948()
df_cinema2022 = etl_.df_Cinema2022()
```

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[4]
# Clean up netflixsubs dataframe
df_boxoffice = pd.merge(df_boxoffice, df_nextflixsubs, on="Year")
```

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[5]
# Declare the collection & Insert
db.boxoffice.insert_many(df_boxoffice.to_dict('records'))
db.cinemadata.insert_many(df_cinemadata.to_dict('records'))
db.nextflixsubs.insert_many(df_nextflixsubs.to_dict('records'))
db.streamingfee.insert_many(df_streamingfee.to_dict('records'))
db.cinema1948.insert_many(df_cinema1948.to_dict('records'))
db.cinema2022.insert_many(df_cinema2022.to_dict('records'))
```

```
... <pymongo.results.InsertManyResult at 0x2368d5d2670>
```

MongoDB Compass - localhost:27017/Cace\_db.boxoffice

Connect View Collection Help

localhost:27017

4 DBS 9 COLLECTIONS C

☆ FAVORITE

HOST  
localhost:27017

CLUSTER  
Standalone

EDITION  
MongoDB 5.0.8 Community

{ } My Queries

⌚ Databases

Q Filter your data

▼ Cace\_db

- boxoffice
- cinema1948
- cinema2022
- cinemadata
- nextflixsubs
- streamingfee

Cace\_db.boxoffice

Documents Aggregations Schema Explain Plan

FILTER { field: 'value' }

ADD DATA VIEW

id: ObjectId('62dc886af0a5a2d2d37f837')
Year: 2022
Total\_gross: "\$4,540,382,909"
LY: "-"
Releases: 274
Average: "\$16,570,740"
No1\_release: "Top Gun: Maverick"
Total\_Subscriber: 221744000
AsiaPacific\_Percentages: 0.15
AsiaPacific\_Subscribers: 33261600
Cinema\_attendance\_perc: 0.45
cinema\_freq: 3

id: ObjectId('62dc886af0a5a2d2d37f838')
Year: 2021
Total\_gross: "\$4,488,914,150"
LY: "+113.4%"
Releases: 438

# Flask

```
db_ipynb app.py X
Cinema-vs-Streaming > app.py > ...
1  from flask import Flask, render_template, redirect
2  from flask_pymongo import PyMongo
3  import pymongo
4  from flask import Response
5  from bson import json_util
6  from flask import jsonify
7  import json
8  from bson.json_util import ObjectId
9
10
11
12 # Create an instance of Flask
13 app = Flask(__name__)
14
15 # Use PyMongo to establish Mongo connection
16 mongo = PyMongo(app, uri="mongodb://localhost:27017/cace_db")
17
18 conn = 'mongodb://localhost:27017'
19 client = pymongo.MongoClient(conn)
20
21
22 # Route to render index.html template using data from Mongo
23 @app.route("/")
24 def home():
25
26     # Find one record of data from the mongo database
27     _data = mongo.db.collection.find_one()
28     a = "static/Resources/box_office_scrape.json"
29
30
31     # Return template and data
32     return render_template("index.html", mars=_data, titles = [0])
33
34 @app.route("/streaming")
35 def streaming():
36     # Find one record of data from the mongo database
37     _data = mongo.db.collection.find_one()
38     a = "static/Resources/box_office_scrape.json"
39
40     return render_template("streaming.html")
41
```

eu\_py - Untitled (Workspace) - Visual Studio Code

db\_ipynb app.py index.html etl.py X

Cinema-vs-Streaming > static > python > etl.py > Jupyter > df\_Nextlixsubs

Run Cell | Run Below | Debug Cell

```
1 # %%
2 # import dependencies
3 import pandas as pd
4 import requests
5
6 Run Cell | Run Above
7 # %% [markdown]
8 # ### WEB SCRAPE YEARLY BOX OFFICE
9 # Get the number of releases per year and their average box office
10 Run Cell | Run Above | Debug Cell
11 # %%
12 #Scrape usign request to get html of page
13
14 # Scrape for Boxoffice data and return dataframe
15 def scrape_boxoffice():
16     page = requests.get('https://www.boxofficemojo.com/year/?ref_=bo_nb_di_secondarytab')
17     b = page.content
18
19     # Using Pandas to convert html into dataframe
20     df_list = pd.read_html(b)
21     df = df_list[-1]
22
23
24 # Rename column name to be more accessible
25 df = df.rename(columns={"Total Gross": "Total_gross", "%t LY": "LY", "#1 Release": "No1_release"})
26
27 return df
28
29 # Save JSON to resources folder
30 # df.reset_index().to_json("../Resources/box_office_scrape.json", orient='records')
31
32 #Subscriber data to df
33
34
35 def df_Nextlixsubs():
36     df = pd.read_csv("../Resources/Netflix_subscribers_AP_2013-2020.csv")
37     return df
38
39 def df_Cinemadata():
40     df = pd.read_csv("../Resources/cinema_data.csv")
41     return df
```

# ETL

# Jinja templates

```
✓ Cinema-vs-Streaming          125    |     up the same level as pre-Covid.</p>
  > Images                         126    |   </div>
  > Resources                      127    |   </div>
  > ss                            128    |   </div>
  ✓ static                         129
    > css                           130
    > data                          131    <script src="https://cdnjs.cloudflare.com/ajax/libs/animejs/2.0.2/anime.min.js"></script>
    > img                           132
    > js                            133    <script src="https://d3js.org/d3.v5.min.js"></script>
    > python                        134    <script src="https://cdnjs.cloudflare.com/ajax/libs/d3-tip/0.7.1/d3-tip.min.js"></script>
    > Resources                     135
    > Resources                     136    <script src="https://cdnjs.cloudflare.com/ajax/libs/d3/5.5.0/d3.js"></script>
    ✓ templates                     137    <script src="https://cdn.plot.ly/plotly-latest.min.js"></script>
      ◉ cinema.html                138
      ◉ cinemasMap.html            139    <script src="{{ url_for('static', filename='js/app.js') }}></script>
      ◉ index.html                  140
      ◉ streaming.html             141
      ◉ .gitignore                  142    </body>
      ◉ app.py                      143
      ◉ app.py                      144
      ◉ app.py                      145
```

# js linking to the database

```
    ↴
    ↵ Cinema-vs-Streaming
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      JS app.js
      JS ce_chart.js
      JS CinemaMap.js
      JS config.js
      JS cs_chart.js
      JS ew_chart.js
      JS leaflet.extra-markers.min.js
      JS logic.js
      JS logic1.js
    > python
    > Resources
    ↵ templates
```

```
45           .attr("d", d3.line()
46             .x(d => xTimeScale(d.Year))
47             .y(d => yLinearScale(d[selectedgroup])))
48             .attr("stroke", "blue");
49         return valueline;
50     }
51
52
53 // Import data from an external CSV file
54 d3.json("/ce_data").then(function (cinemadata) {
55   console.log(cinemadata);
56   var parseTime = d3.timeParse('XY');
57
58   cinemadata.forEach(function (data) {
59     data.Year = parseTime(data.Year);
60     data.Theatres = +data.Theatres;
61     data.Screens = +data.Screens;
62     data.Seats = +data.Seats
63   });
64
65
66 // Create scaling functions
67 var xTimeScale = d3.scaleTime()
68   .domain(d3.extent(cinemadata, d => d.Year))
```

# CSS file - styling

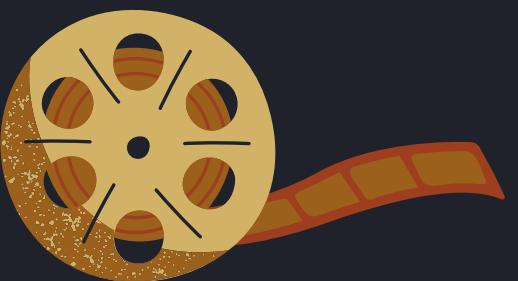
```
# style.css  X  
Cinema-vs-Streaming > static > css > # style.css > axisText  
1  body{  
2    background-color: black;  
3  }  
4  
5  .container{  
6    background-color: white;  
7    margin-top: 50px;  
8  }  
9  
10 p {  
11   color: rgb(78, 93, 119);  
12   font-family: sans-serif;  
13   font-size: 20px;  
14   text-align: justify;  
15   margin-left: 30px;  
16  }  
17 .btn-secondary{  
18   background-color: #a0353a;  
19   color: white;  
20 }  
21 .card-title{  
22   color: rgb(78, 93, 119);  
23   font-family: sans-serif;  
24   font-size: 20px;  
25   font-weight: bold;  
26   text-align: justify;  
27 }  
28 .card-text{  
29   color: rgb(78, 93, 119);  
30   font-family: sans-serif;  
31   font-size: 20px;  
32   text-align: justify;  
33 }
```

# CINEMA FOOTING OVER TIMES (LEAFLET)

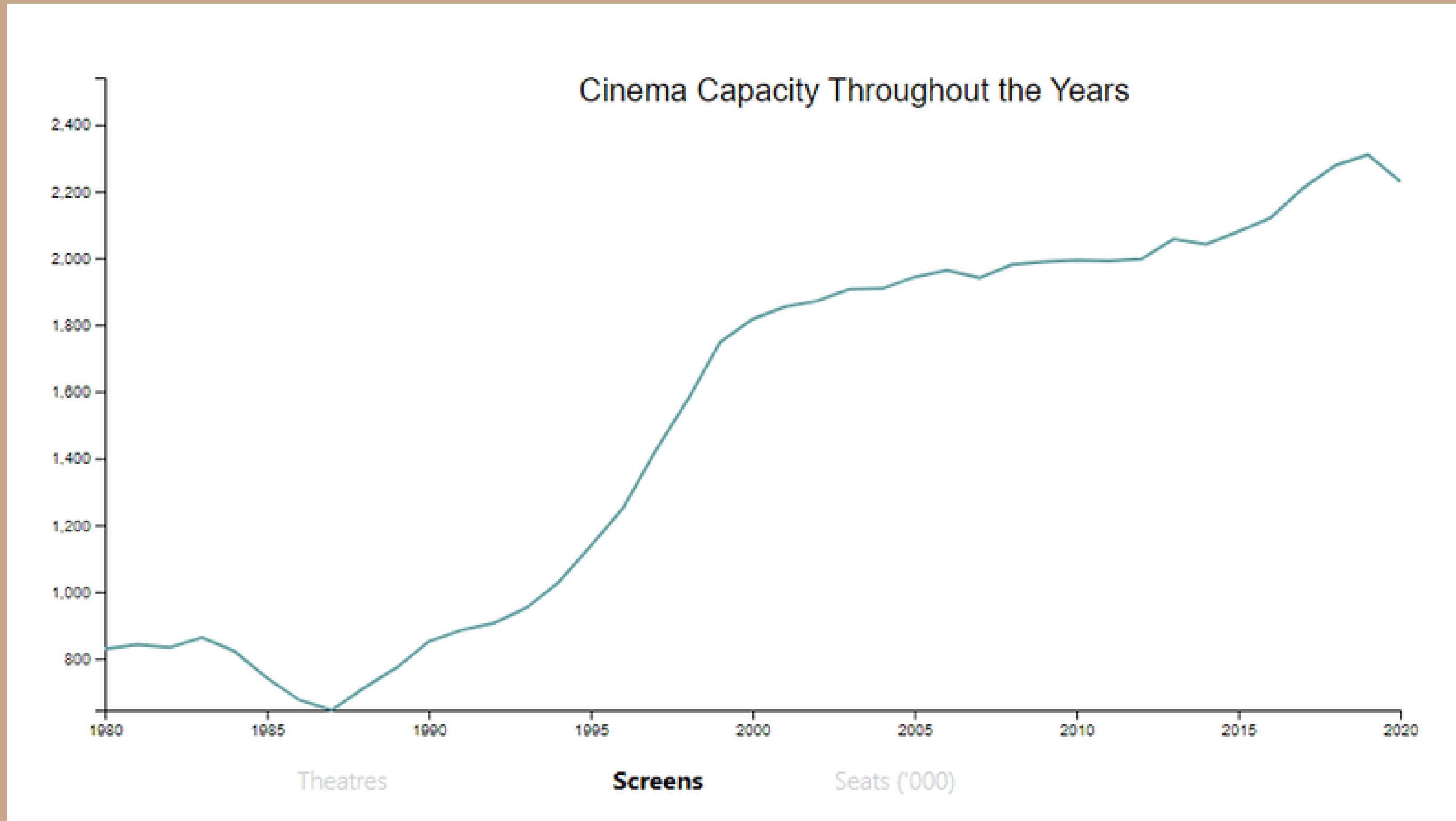




# GEOMAPPING



# CINEMA SCREENS / SEATING CAPACITY

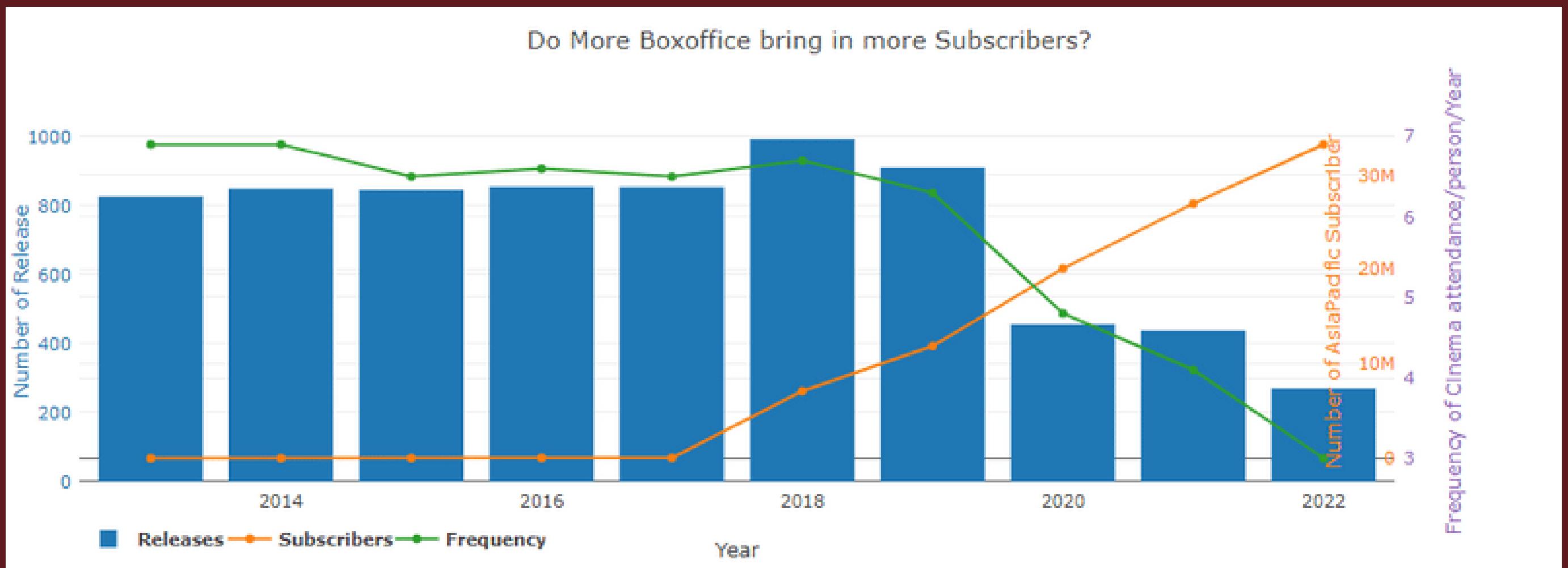


# CINEMA VS STREAMING IN PRICING





# BOX OFFICE RELEASE / SUBSCRIBERS NUMBERS CINEMA ATTENDENCE FREQ

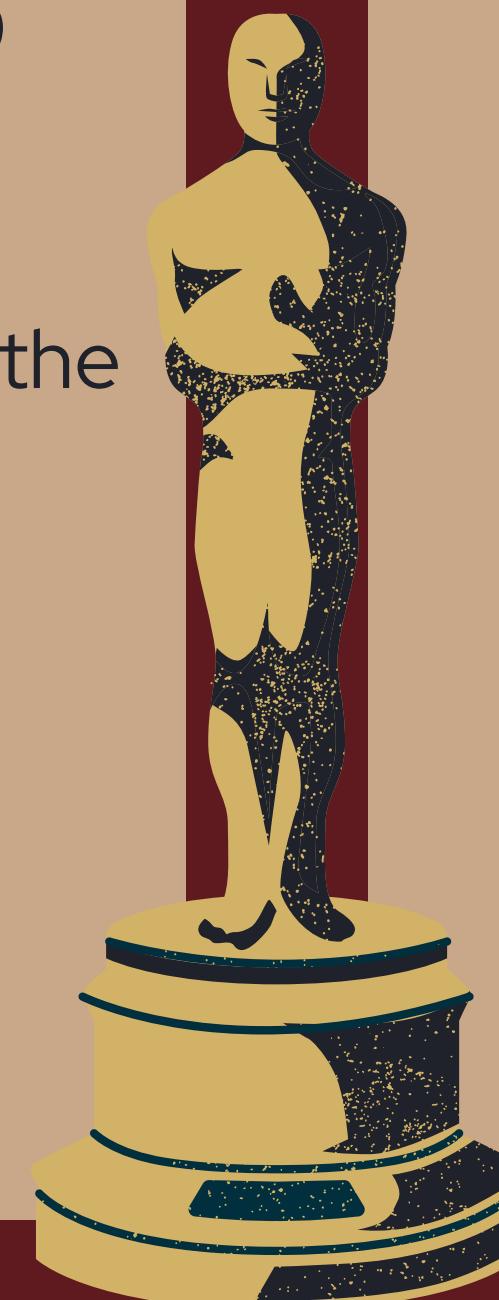


# CINEMA

- Number of movie-goers remain relatively similar even the streaming numbers are growing in 2013-2019
- Data shows that movie-goers continue to see movies in cinema, the frequency was less due to COVID related restriction
- **Cinemas remain relevant**

# STREAMING PROVIDER

- Market share will be fragmented as more new providers available
- choices will drive the streaming fee downward
- More free and on-demand streaming provide alternative entertainment



# **Challenges:**

**If we have more time:**

**Finalized the map with  
layers and markers**

**If we have more time**

**\*Finalized the map with layers and markers**

**\*Collect demographic preference data to tell  
more complete story**

**\*To expand the map and add in the data for  
1948 to 1971...**



A stage set featuring red and gold striped curtains framing a central area. A searchlight on a stand illuminates a path towards a small building. Above the stage, a string of hanging decorations includes red crescent moons and stars.

# THANK YOU FOR LISTENING

Don't ask any questions!