

# INVESTIGATION INTO WHETHER BABY NAMES IN THE UK ARE INFLUENCED BY MOVIE RELEASES



**CODE  
FIRST  
GIRLS**

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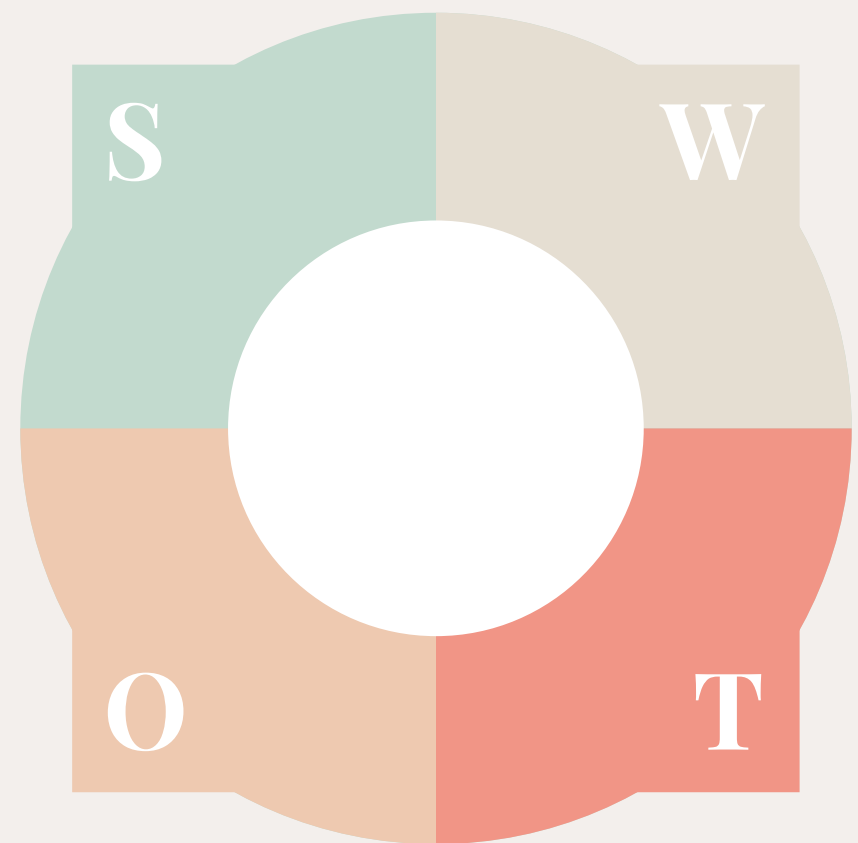
# INTRODUCTION

## STRENGTHS

- Mathematics/statistics
- Physics
- Technical design
- Technical skills
- Project management
- Time management
- Creativity
- Communication

## OPPORTUNITIES

- Learning from each other
- Working in a group to produce a project



## WEAKNESSES

- Coding experience
- Coding proficiency
- Work commitment
- Too many topics
- Not enough consolidation of topics

## THREATS

- Covid (illness)
- Remote working
- Communication

## PROJECT TASKS DISTRIBUTION

TASK	MEMBERS INVOLVED
DATA COLLECTION AND RESEARCH	ALL
DATA CLEANING	ALL
API DATA	LAURA, SUE, GEORGIA
GRAPHS AND ANALYSIS	KATIE, LAURA
SQL DATABASE	FLAVIA, LAURA
MODELLING, PREDICTIONS, HYPOTHESIS TESTING	GEORGIA, KATIE
REPORT WRITING	ALL
TEAM MANAGEMENT	SUE

ta (API)

- Working with live data

# TOOLS AND LIBRARIES USED

## SCIENTIFIC LIBRARIES

- Pandas
- NumPy
- SciPy
- SciKit-Learn

## VISUALISATION LIBRARIES

- Matplotlib
- Seaborn

## MODULES

- Scipy.stats
- sklearn.linear\_model
- Requests
- Openpyxl

## KEY FUNCTIONS

- LinearRegression
- Wilcoxon (statistical test)

## OTHER TOOLS

- SQL Workbench
- Slack & WhatsApp
- Zoom - meetings
- Trello - project management tool

# DATA COLLECTION



## DATA SOURCES



Names for baby boys in England and Wales <sup>1</sup> , 1996 to 2019				
	2020		2019	
Name	Rank	Count	Rank	Count
A	3,848	4	2,104	10
A:JAY	2,960	6	:	:
A.J.	:	:	:	:

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Names for baby girls in England and Wales <sup>1</sup> , 1996 to 2019				
	2020		2019	
Name	Rank	Count	Rank	Count
A'IDAH	:	:	4,686	4
A'ISHA	:	:	2,458	10
A'ISHAH	:	:	:	:

	Name	2020 Rank	2019 Rank
4	A	3848	2104
5	A:JAY	2960	4813
7	AABAN	3848	3937
8	AABID	4608	3937
9	AADAM	456	327
12	AADEN	4813	4813

	Name	2020 Rank	2019 Rank
5	A'ISHA	5877	2458
6	A'ISHAH	5877	5877
13	AADHYA	969	1252
19	AADYA	2042	1497
20	AAEESHA	5877	5877
21	AAFIA	2843	4001

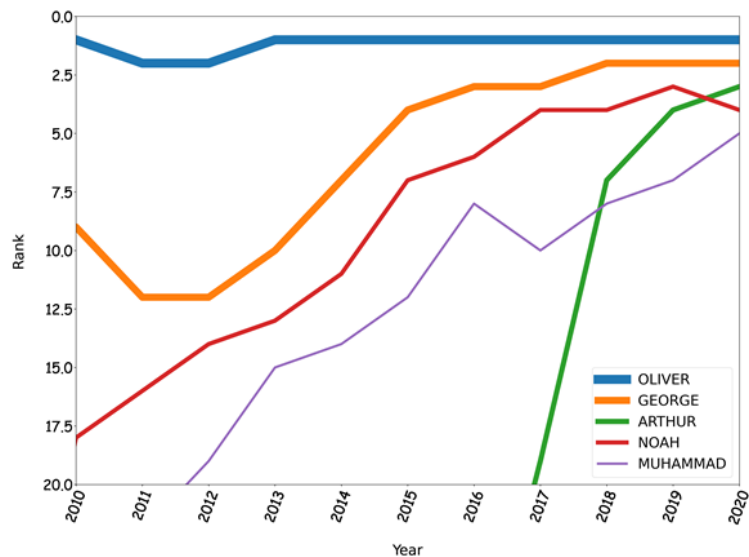
	title	rating	release_year
117	Up	7.9	2009
91	Coraline	7.8	2009
161	The Princess and the Frog	7.1	2009

	title	rating	release_year
216	La leyenda de la Llorona	7.7	2011
160	Barbie: Princess Charm School	7.4	2011
188	Soul Surfer	7.1	2011

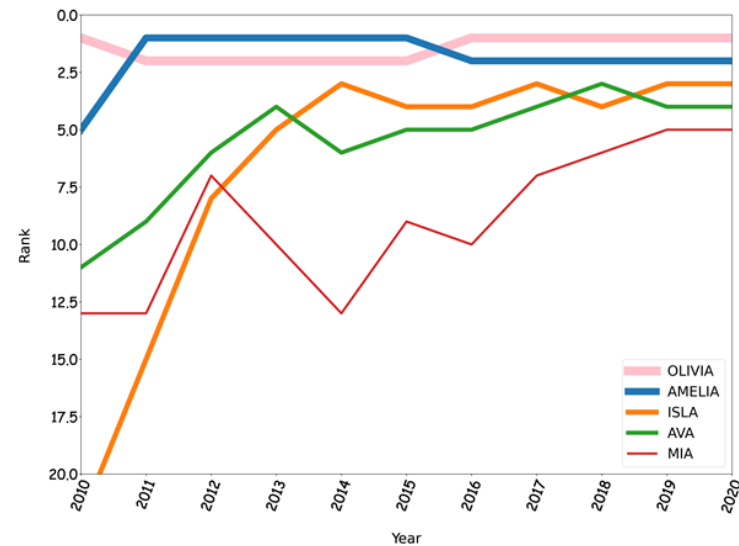
	title	rating	release_year
77	Frozen	7.3	2013
125	Monsters University	7.0	2013
109	The Croods	6.9	2013

# EXPLORING THE DATA

Top 5 Ranking Boys' Names in 2020,  
Over the Past 10 Years



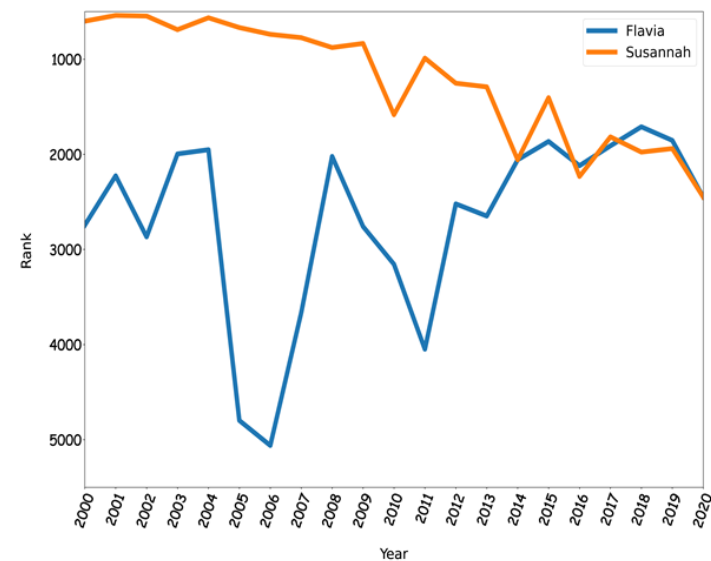
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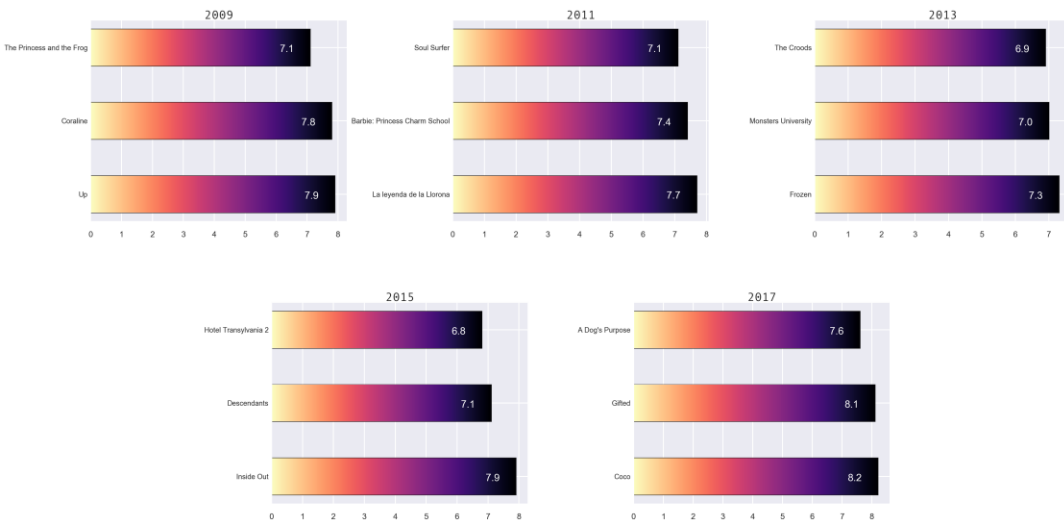
Katie, Laura and Georgia  
Over the Past 20 years



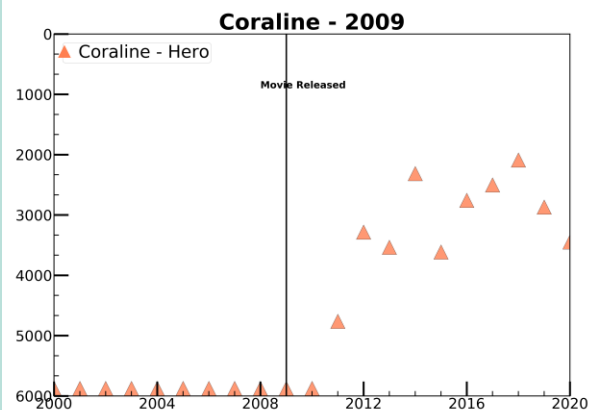
Sue and Flavia  
Over the Past 20 years



## Top 3 Most Popular Movies in 2009, 2011, 2013, 2015 and 2017



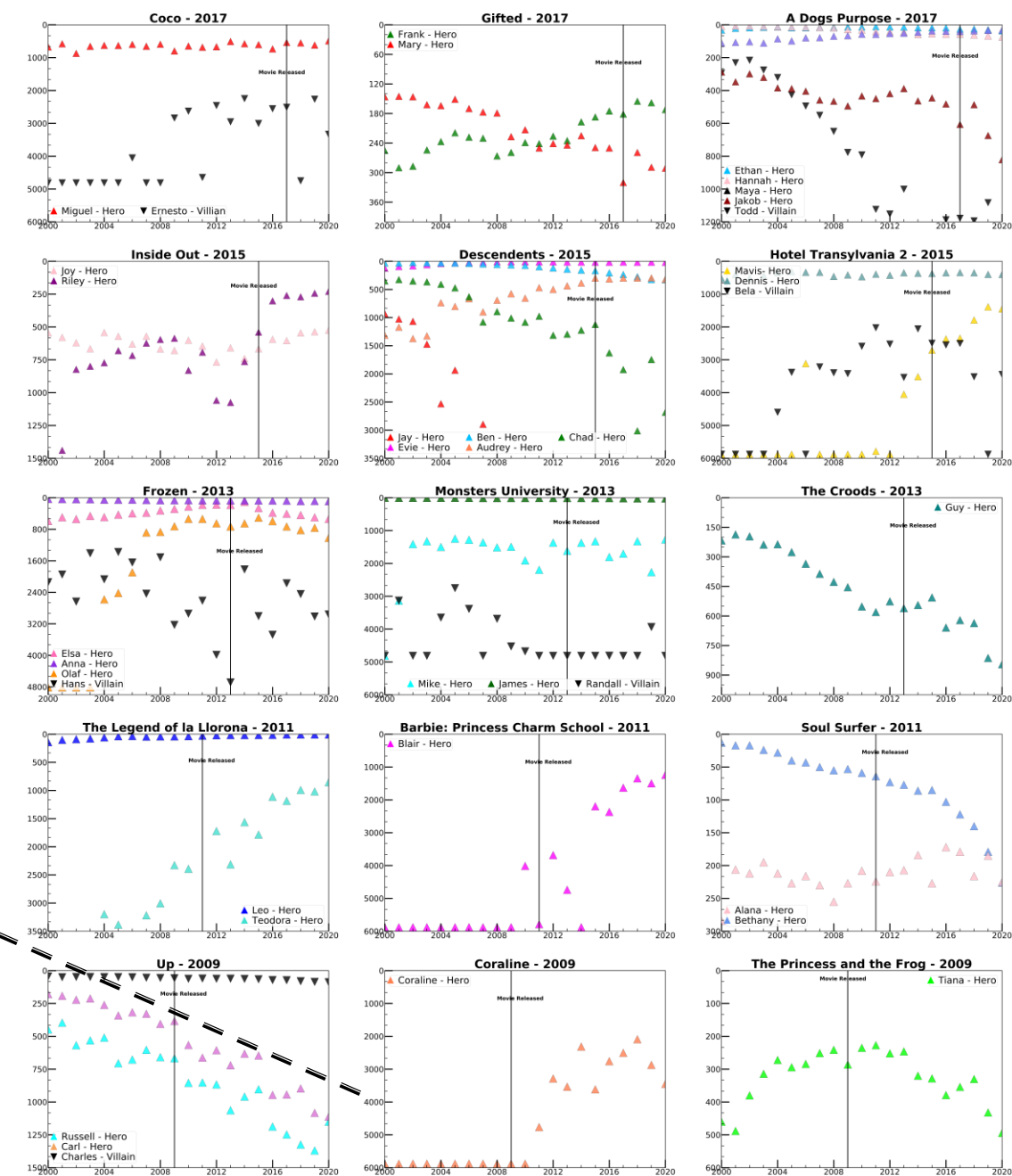
## EXPLORING THE DATA



## The Influence of Movie Heroes and Villains on Baby Names

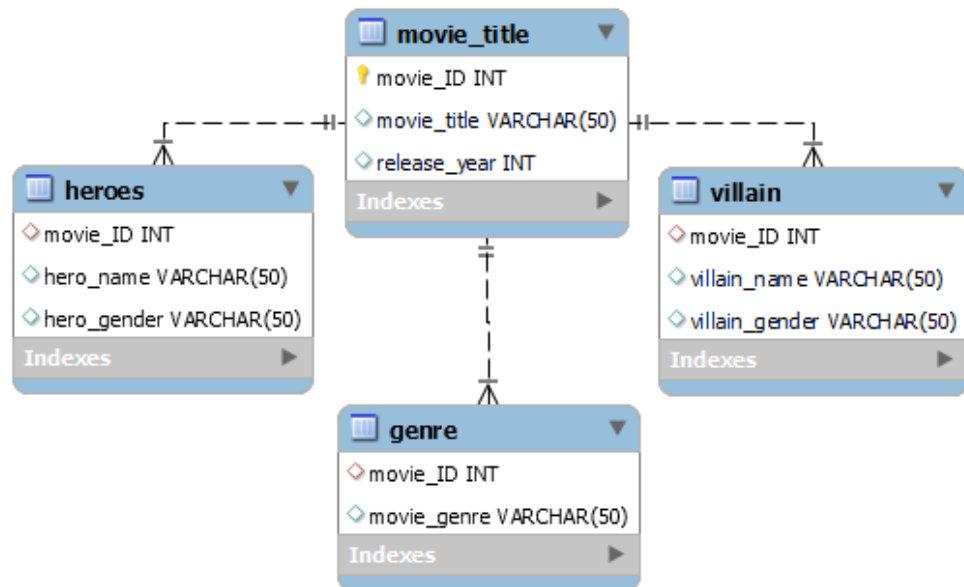


Rank



Year

# DATABASE CREATED



```
hero_characters_2009 = 'SELECT h.movie_ID, h.hero_name, h. hero_gender, m. movie_title FROM heroes h RIGHT JOIN movie_title m  
df_3h = pd.read_sql_query(hero_characters_2009, connection)  
df_3h
```

	movie_ID	hero_name	hero_gender	movie_title
0	13	Russell	m	Up
1	14	Coraline	f	Coraline
2	15	Tiana	f	The Princess and the Frog



## FUNCTION TO PULL KEY STATS FROM CLEAN BABY NAME DATA:

```
def girl_2013_stats(name):
    rank2012 = girls_rank_df_t[name][8]
    rank2013 = girls_rank_df_t[name][7]
    rank2014 = girls_rank_df_t[name][6]
    print(name, "STATS:\n")
    print("2012 Rank:", rank2012)
    print("2013 Rank:", rank2013)
    print("2014 Rank:", rank2014)

    pc_change_2012_to_2013 = (rank2013 - rank2012)*100/rank2012
    print("\n2012 to 2013 percentage change:", np.around(-pc_change_2012_to_2013, decimals=2), "%")

    pc_change_2013_to_2014 = (rank2014 - rank2013)*100/rank2013
    print("2013 to 2014 percentage change:", np.around(-pc_change_2013_to_2014, decimals=2), "%")

    mean_3yrs_before = np.around(np.mean(girls_rank_df_t[name][8:11]), decimals=2)
    print("\nMean rank 3 years before release:", mean_3yrs_before)
    mean_3yrs_after = np.around(np.mean(girls_rank_df_t[name][6:9]), decimals=2)
    print("Mean rank 3 years after release:", mean_3yrs_after, "\n\n")
```

girl\_2013\_stats('ELSA')

ELSA STATS:

2012 Rank: 177.0

2013 Rank: 183.0

2014 Rank: 104.0

2012 to 2013 percentage change: -3.39 %

2013 to 2014 percentage change: 43.17 %

Mean rank 3 years before release: 194.33

Mean rank 3 years after release: 154.67

## SPREADSHEET WITH HERO/VILLAIN NAME KEY STATS:

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
					Rank in year before release	Rank in year of release	Rank in year after release	Pc change year before to year of release	Pc change year of to year after release	Mean rank 3 years before release	Mean rank 3 years after release	Pc change mean rank before to mean rank after
1	Year	Movie	Rating	Name								
2	2009	The Princess and the Frog	7.1	TIANA	241	286	235	-18.67	17.83	258.67	238	7.99
3	2009	Up	7.9	RUSSELL	658	667	854	-1.37	-28.04	646	857.33	-32.71
4	2009	Coraline	7.8	CORALINE	5877	5877	5877	0	0	5877	4642	21.01
5	2011	The Legend of Llorona	7.7	LEO	36	27	20	25	19.44	38.67	17.67	54.31
6	2011	Soul Surfer	7.1	ALANA	208	224	210	-7.69	6.73	230	200.33	12.90
7	2011	Barbie: Princess Charm School	7.4	BLAIR	4012	5785	3681	-44.19	52.44	5255.33	4765.67	9.32
8	2013	Frozen	7.3	ELSA	177	183	104	-3.39	43.17	194.33	154.67	20.41
9	2013	Monsters University	7	MIKE	1367	1617	1370	-18.29	15.28	1824	1451.33	20.43
10	2013	The Croods	6.9	GUY	526	560	544	-6.46	2.86	552.67	543.33	1.69
11	2015	Inside Out	7.9	RILEY	763	539	301	29.36	44.16	965.33	277	71.31
12	2015	Inside Out	7.9	JOY	740	666	594	10	10.81	722.33	581	19.57
13	2015	Descendents	7.1	EVIE	14	15	16	-7.14	-6.67	13	15.33	-17.92
14	2015	Hotel Transylvania	6.8	MAVIS	3514	2705	2367	23.02	12.5	4480	2165.33	51.67
15	2015	Hotel Transylvania	6.8	DENNIS	365	368	350	-0.82	4.89	379.33	347.33	8.44
16	2017	A Dog's Purpose	7.6	ETHAN	19	26	25	-36.84	3.85	18.33	30.33	-65.47
17	2017	Coco	8.2	MIGUEL	732	537	549	26.64	-2.23	635.67	551	13.32
18	2017	Gifted	8.1	MARY	250	320	259	-28	19.06	241.33	279.67	-15.89
19												
20												

KEY  
STATISTICS  
SPREADSHEET

# WHAT WE FOUND

## INFLUENTIAL MOVIES



MOVIE	NAME	% CHANGE IN RANK
INSIDE OUT	RILEY	71.3%
THE LEGEND OF LLORONA	LEO	54.3%
HOTEL TRANSYLVANIA	MAVIS	51.7%
CORALINE	CORALINE	21.0%
MONSTERS UNIVERSITY	MIKE	20.4%
FROZEN	ELSA	20.4%
INSIDE OUT	JOY	19.6%

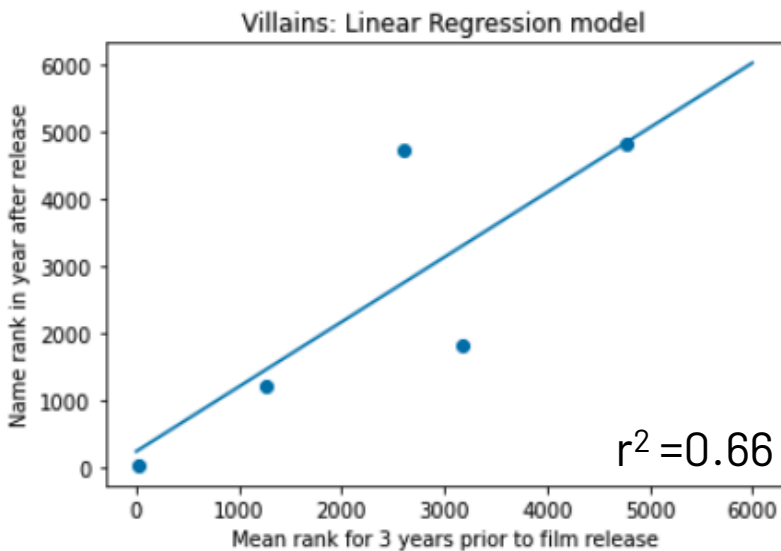
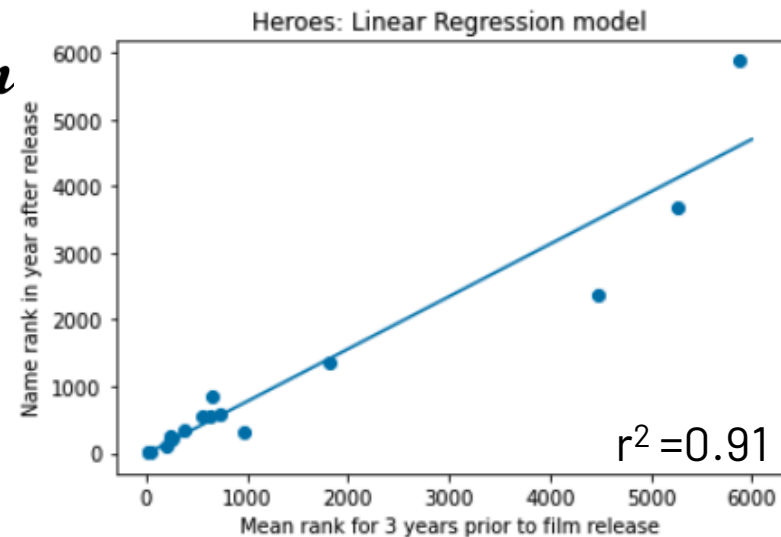


## WHAT WE FOUND











# HEROES VS VILLAINS

STAT	HEROES	VILLAINS
MEAN RANK 3 YRS BEFORE RELEASE	1313	2367
MEAN RANK 3 YRS AFTER RELEASE	1006	2609
MEAN % CHANGE IN AVG RANK	 +10.6%	 -19.3%



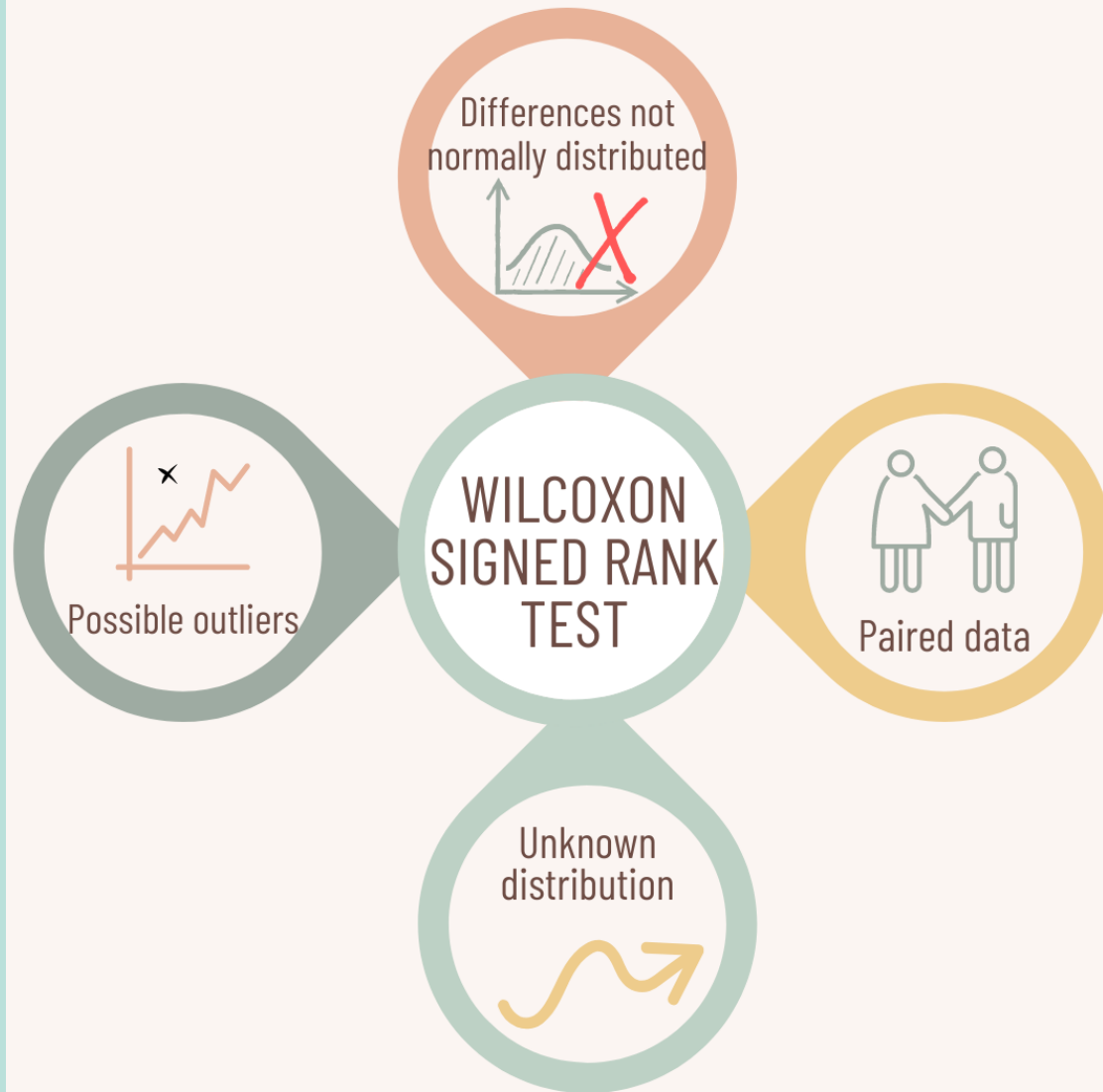
## 2021 BABY NAME PREDICTIONS



	NAME	2020 MOVIE	2020 RANK	2021 PREDICTED RANK
	LAUREL	ONWARD	1507	 1121
	ELEANOR	GODMOTHERED	53	 31
	TIMOTHY	THE WILLOUGHBYS	388	 280
	MAXWELL	WONDER WOMAN 1984	157	 376

# HYPOTHESIS TESTING

```
Difference_Before_After_Hero = hero_data['Mean rank 3 years before release'] - hero_data['Mean rank 3 years after release']  
Difference_Before_After_Hero
```



```
d1a = Difference_Before_After_Hero  
w, p = wilcoxon(d1a, alternative = 'greater')  
w, p
```

```
(129.0, 0.0054931640625)
```

## HEROES



Test: Rank unchanged or decreases?

Result: **Strong evidence** to suggest that the rank of a baby name becomes more popular

## VILLAINS



Test: Rank unchanged or increases?

Result: **Weaker evidence** to suggest that the rank of a baby name becomes less popular

```
d2a = Difference_Before_After_Villain  
w, p = wilcoxon(d2a, alternative = 'less')  
w, p
```

```
(1.0, 0.0625)
```

# CONCLUSION



1

THERE WAS A CHANGE IN RANK AFTER THE MOVIES INVESTIGATED WERE RELEASED

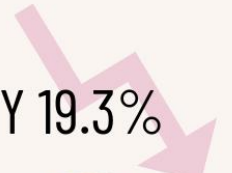
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HEROES NAMES: INCREASE IN POPULARITY BY 10.6%



3

VILLAIN NAMES: DECREASE IN POPULARITY BY 19.3%



4

MOST INFLUENTIAL MOVIE: INSIDE OUT  
(RILEY'S POPULARITY INCREASED BY 71.3%)





QUESTIONS

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