CS 2316 Final Project

An analysis of the US economy through the environment.



Interest

- Began by trying to locate topics that directly affected me
- I chose global warming as that is a topic that is only increasing in relevancy.

- I was also always interested into the US economy, and its overall fluctuations.
- I wanted to see if there was a correlation between an increase in emissions that cause global warming and the GDP of the US.



Expectations/Predictions

• I expected to see:

- A correlation between the GDP of the United States and increased emissions.
- An overall increase in the GDP of the United States.
- An overall increase in all types of emissions, but especially CO2 emissions.

I decided to use emissions, with a focus in CO2, as a metric for global warming as they contribute to the greenhouse gases and they are also primarily human generated.





0

Government Database

Found a comprehensive downloadable XLSX file on emissions data by year and state

This data met the size requirements and was from data.gov

O2Wikipedia HTML

This had a massive table containing a lot of

economic factors of the US
I cross referenced this data
with other sources to verify
it's accuracy.

O3 API EIA

Found an API from EIA(key required for access)

This contained data on emissions by each sector of the economy in a JSON-like structure.

Data Cleaning and its Challenges

Downloaded Dataset Cleaning

- Converted the xlsx file to a df by reading it using Pandas.
 - State Names were inconsistent across sources, so I used the map function to map the names to a consistent pattern.
 - The totals were incorrectly summed so I manually recalculated the sum to ensure accuracy.
 - I learned about using the apply and map functions in Pandas through this portion of cleaning.

```
# Resources used:
      Pandas Documentation (Class notes) - https://docs.google.com/document/d/ldjwz0iMg4weNDKBMZw7lbGMnpgphU4h0/edit
      Mapping(advanced requirement): https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/using-dictionary-to-remap-values-in-pandas-dataf
     Display Function documentation https://ipython.readthedocs.io/en/stable/api/generated/IPython.display.html
import pandas as pd
def data parser():
     print("Hi")
   # Made a dictionary to quickly map everything to handle my first inconsistency
    state_territory_mapping = {
        'AL': 'Alabama', 'KY': 'Kentucky', 'OH': 'Ohio', 'AK': 'Alaska', 'LA': 'Louisiana', 'OK': 'Oklahoma',
        'AZ': 'Arizona', 'ME': 'Maine', 'OR': 'Oregon',
        'AR': 'Arkansas', 'MD': 'Maryland', 'PA': 'Pennsylvania',
        'AS': 'American Samoa', 'MA': 'Massachusetts', 'PR': 'Puerto Rico',
        'CA': 'California', 'MI': 'Michigan', 'RI': 'Rhode Island',
        'COI: 'Colorado', 'MN': 'Minnesota', 'SC': 'South Carolina',
        'CT': 'Connecticut', 'MS': 'Mississippi', 'SD': 'South Dakota',
        'DE': 'Delaware', 'MO': 'Missouri', 'TN': 'Tennessee',
         'DC': 'District of Columbia', 'MT': 'Montana', 'TX': 'Texas',
         'FL': 'Florida', 'NE': 'Nebraska', 'TT': 'Trust Territories',
         'GA': 'Georgia', 'NV': 'Nevada', 'UT': 'Utah',
        'GU': 'Guam', 'NH': 'New Hampshire', 'VT': 'Vermont',
              'Hawaii', 'NJ': 'New Jersey', 'VA': 'Virginia',
        'ID': 'Idaho', 'NM': 'New Mexico', 'VI': 'Virgin Islands',
        'IL': 'Illinois', 'NY': 'New York', 'WA': 'Washington',
        'IN': 'Indiana', 'NC': 'North Carolina', 'WV': 'West Virginia',
        'IA': 'Iowa', 'ND': 'North Dakota', 'WI': 'Wisconsin',
        'KS': 'Kansas', 'MP': 'Northern Mariana Islands', 'WY': 'Wyoming'
    emission_data = pd.read_excel('emission_annual.xls')
   # Remove '\n' from column names
   emission data.columns = [col.replace('\n', '') for col in emission data.columns]
   # This ensures the I only consider the data where all sources == 'All Sources'
    # This is because the data is formatted in such a way where it has varying types of energy sources. As my goal
   #is to address a broader perspective.
   ## I will only consider the data where the Energy Source is listed as all sources.
   emission data = emission data[emission data['Energy Source'] == 'All Sources']
   # Uses map values to map the abbreviation to the expanded name (inconsistency)
   emission_data['State'] = emission_data['State'].map(state_territory_mapping)
   # Grouped by Year, State, Producer and sum the values to recalculate the proper totals of CO2 SO2 and NOX.
   emission_data = emission_data.groupby(['Year', 'State', 'Producer Type']).sum().reset_index()
   ## displayed the final df (documentation above)
   display(emission_data)
 ## also wrote the file to an excel file
   emission_data.to_excel("emission_data.xlsx", index=False)
## Initial Data: 43,260 rows, cleaned it to 9280 rows.
######## Function Call ##########
data_parser()
```

Data Source: https://catalog.data.gov/dataset/annual-u-s-electric-power-industry-estimated-emissions-by-state-fu

Web Requirement 1 (HTML)

Used Beautifulsoup to parse through the data

- Found the table using the apt class and tag.
 then, used the tags to separate out the column names and data.
- Used a for loop to append each row of data and then appended each row to a list of lists
- Converted this into Pandas df and then cleaned/dropped based on relevancy.
- Filled the null values with np.nan and then filled them with the mean of the column.

```
def web parser1():
    # initalized the beautiful soup process by making a request and initializing the soup object
    website_url = 'https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Economy_of_the_United_States
    response = requests.get(website url)
    soup = BeautifulSoup(response.text, 'html.parser')
    # Found the HTML table with class attribute and then found the tr tag
    table = soup.find('table', attrs={'class': 'wikitable'})
    first row = table.find('tr')
    # Extract the column names from each 'th' element in the first row
    column names = []
    for th in first_row.find_all('th'):
        column name = th.get text(strip=True)
        print("the column name is ", column name)
        column_names.append(column_name)
    # This code loops through each row and column of the HTML table and extracts the text
    # from each cell. It then appends the row data to a list of data
    data = []
    for row in table.find all('tr'):
        row_data = []
        for cell in row.find all('td'):
            row_data.append(cell.text)
        data.append(row data)
    # Converted the data to a Pandas DataFrame, removed the first row as it is having None Values
    df = pd.DataFrame(data[1:], columns= column names)
    # Used map to replace the \n vals
    df = df.map(lambda x: x.replace('\n', ''))
    # Replace n/a with NaN (an intermediate step for the calculations to come)(only col with n/a)
   df['Government debt(in % of GDP)'] = df['Government debt(in % of GDP)'].replace('n/a', np.nan)
    # Remove % sign and converted to numeric (needed for future data analysis) (inconsistency)
    # rstrip() removes the trailing whitespace characters from the right end of a string.
   df['Government debt(in % of GDP)'] = df['Government debt(in % of GDP)'].str.rstrip('%').astype(float)
   df['Inflation rate(in Percent)'] = df['Inflation rate(in Percent)'].str.rstrip('%').astype(float)
    df['GDP growth(real)'] = df['GDP growth(real)'].str.rstrip('%').astype(float)
    # Calculate the mean of the column
    ## when looking at methods to fill the data, the mean seems to be the one that provided values of the same trend
    ## other methods that I considered were using the median and manually calculating the debt.
    mean value = df['Government debt(in % of GDP)'].mean()
    # Replace null values of the column with the mean (inconsistency handled)
    df['Government debt(in % of GDP)'] = df['Government debt(in % of GDP)'].fillna(mean value)
   # Dropped the Unemployment(in Percent) column using inplace because I do not plan on using this col for my
    # calculations
    df.drop(columns=['Unemployment(in Percent)'], inplace=True)
```

Web Requirement 2 (API)

- Used Requests module to access the API using personal key
 - The API had a JSON (dictionary-type)
 Structure and was very large.
 - Found out the proper indices to access the Data I needed and converted that to a dataframe.
 - Learned a lot about how APIs work and are # relevant to industry

```
import requests
import pandas as pd
     https://www.eia.gov/opendata/browser/co2-emissions/co2-emissions-aggregates?frequency=annual&data=value;&start
      How to use API keys: https://coding-boot-camp.qithub.io/full-stack/apis/how-to-use-api-keys
def web parser2():
   ## Personal API Key generated by signing up on the website
   api key = 'eviniXiTBaTS6FClaMhueeCdcAdvGEz3EqV52bUW'
   url = 'https://api.eia.gov/v2/co2-emissions/co2-emissions-aggregates/data/?frequency=annual&data[0]=value&start=
   params = {'api_key': api_key}
   response = requests.get(url, params=params)
   if response.status_code == 200:
       ## parsed through the json (dictionary-like structure) to get the valid data and then converted it to a df
       valid data = response.ison()["response"]["data"]
       valid_df = pd.DataFrame(valid_data)
       # Convert the 'period' column to integer type and sorted/filtered the values based on period
       ## used data from 2019-onwards as this had a massive amount of data and I needed to filter by such to
       ## reduce my load
       valid df['period'] = valid df['period'].astype(int)
       valid_df = valid_df[valid_df['period'] >= 2019]
       # Dropped columns that were irrelevant
       valid df.drop(columns=['fuelId', 'stateId', 'value-units'], inplace=True)
       # Rename the columns (in millions as every data point was in millions)
       valid df.rename(columns={'value': 'value (in Millions)'}, inplace=True)
          valid_df = valid_df[valid_df['value (in Millions)'] != '0'] ## not needed
         valid df['value (in Millions)'] = valid_df['value (in Millions)'].astype(int)
         print("Data retrieved successfully.")
## displays output df and write it to a file
       display(valid df)
       valid_df.to_excel('valid_data.xlsx', index=False)
       print(f"Error: {response.status code}")
```

########## Function Call ######### web_parser2()

Insights and Visualizations

Insight 1: Correlation between US GDP and Emissions Increase/CO2

Correlation Coefficient of 0.02 and -0.2:

- Called the two functions and received two different **Dataframes**
- Used pandas .corr() method to drive a correlation between the GDP per Capita and total emissions value (in millions) and Between GDP and CO2 emissions (actual)

Conclusions:

There is little to no correlation between the GDP and total Emissions (0.02), and there is a slightly negative correlation between GDP and CO2 emissions (-0.2) This was the opposite of what I predicted.

The value being on the negative side is actually a good sign for The environment. tempy=web parser2() anotherdf=data_parser()

GDP per capita(in US\$ PPP)'] = df['GDP per capita(in US\$ PPP)'].str.replace(',', '').astype(float) ## converted the value into float (as for some reason it was a string originally) tempy['value (in Millions)'] = tempy['value (in Millions)'].astype(float) ## used corr to find the correlation and rounded it to two points correlation_coefficient = round(valid_df['GDP per capita(in US\$ PPP)'].corr(tempy['value (in Millions)']),2) corr coeff c02=round(valid df['GDP per capita(in US\$ PPP)'l.corr(anotherdf['C02 (Metric Tons)'l).2) line1 = "Correlation between the Emissions Value (in Millions) and the GDP Per Capita of the United States: line2 = "Correlation between Metric Tons of CO2 emissions and GDP Per Capita of the United States: " + str(cor

Insight 2: Linear Regression Model for the GDP of the United States

Used sk.Learn's linear model to create a function

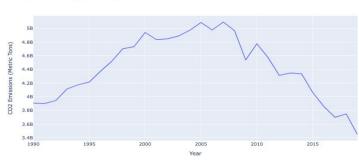
- Ensured that the GDP dataframe had the correct values
 Needed to compute said analysis.
- Used sk.learn()'s documentation on linear regression to Compute a model of the US GDP over time. This model can also be used to predict the GDP of future years.

Conclusions:

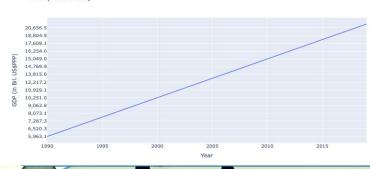
- I was able to figure out that our GDP modeled a positive linear
 Graph, and generated a visualization to depict this
 - relationship.
- I developed a GUI interface that incorporates this model
 And enables the user to predict the GDP for future years.





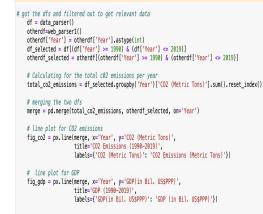


GDP (1990-2019)



Visualization:

This are two line graphs showing the trends of CO2 emissions and GDP from the years of (1990-2019)
 The GDP is constantly/linearly increasing, whereas CO2 fluctuates.
 I used Plotly express's line chart documentation to help create this graph.



orininal mlam of just adm

fig_co2.show()

fig_gdp.show()

Insight 3: How have we developed?

Aggregated through each of the emissions factors in the DF

- Used the .agg() functionality of Pandas and calculated the sum
 Of each of the emission factors, then used this aggregated df
 To calculate the percent change from 2017 to 2019
- Also, utilized the GDP table to calculate the average growth in GDP in the same time period.

Conclusions:

- Overall, all emission factors went down from their levels In 2017, with SO2 levels dropping up to 23.5%. This is a great Sign for the environment.
- The average GDP growth in this time period was 2.63, which Shows that the health of the economy was increasing.

```
        Pollutant
        Total Emissions (2017)
        Total Emissions (2019)
        Percent Change
        Average GDP Growth

        0
        CO2
        3699499944
        3448792210
        -6.776801
        2.633333

        1
        SO2
        3313698
        2533380
        -23.548253
        2.633333

        2
        NOx
        3011524
        2683092
        -10.905840
        2.633333
```

```
df filtered = df[df['Year'].isin([2017, 2019])]
 # Calculated total emissions for each pollutant for each year using the .agg() module in Pandas
 total_emissions = df_filtered.groupby(['Year', 'State', 'Producer Type']).agg({
    'CO2 (Metric Tons)': 'sum',
    'SO2 (Metric Tons)': 'sum',
    'NOx (Metric Tons)': 'sum'
 )).reset index()
 # Calculate percent change for each pollutant from 2017 to 2019 by calculating 2019-2017/2017 (percent change fo
percent change CO2 = ((total emissions.loc[total emissions['Year'] == 2019, 'CO2 (Metric Tons)'].sum() -
                      total_emissions.loc[total_emissions['Year'] == 2017, 'CO2 (Metric Tons)'].sum()) /
                     total_emissions.loc[total_emissions['Year'] == 2017, 'CO2 (Metric Tons)'].sum()) * 100
percent_change_SO2 = ((total_emissions.loc[total_emissions['Year'] == 2019, 'SO2 (Metric Tons)'].sum() =
                      total emissions.loc[total emissions['Year'] == 2017, 'SO2 (Metric Tons)'].sum()) /
                     total emissions.loc[total emissions['Year'] == 2017, 'SO2 (Metric Tons)'].sum()) * 100
total_emissions.loc[total_emissions['Year'] == 2017, 'NOx (Metric Tons)'].sum()) * 100
# Made new of to contain the results of both the totals and the percent change
result df = pd.DataFrame({
     'Pollutant': ['CO2', 'SO2', 'NOx'],
    'Total Emissions (2017)': [total emissions.loc[total emissions['Year'] == 2017, 'CO2 (Metric Tons)'].sum()
                               total emissions.loc[total emissions['Year'] == 2017, 'SO2 (Metric Tons)'].sum()
                              total_emissions.loc[total_emissions['Year'] == 2017, 'NOx (Metric Tons)'].sum()
    'Total Emissions (2019)': [total_emissions.loc[total_emissions['Year'] == 2019, 'CO2 (Metric Tons)'].sum()
                              total_emissions.loc[total_emissions['Year'] == 2019, 'SO2 (Metric Tons)'].sum(
                              total emissions.loc(total emissions('Year') == 2019, 'NOx (Metric Tons)').sum()
    'Percent Change': [percent change CO2, percent change SO2, percent change NOx]
I wanted to see if there is a relationship between the average growth in GPD so I calculated date using the
apt column from the web parser1() df
other_df['Year'] = other_df['Year'].astype(int)
adp growth = other df[(other df['Year'] >= 2017) & (other df['Year'] <= 2019)]
# Calculate the average GDP growth (real) from 1990 to 2019
average_qdp_growth = qdp_growth['GDP growth(real)'].mean()
# Added the average gdp growth to the result df for the
 print(average_gdp_growth)
result_df['Average GDP Growth'] = average_gdp_growth
return result df
```

Insight 4: How do we compare to the rest of the US?

Used the government dataset to compare our average emissions to other states.

- Filtered the data frame for only Georgia and then calculated the Means of the emissions, and then did the same thing Excluding Georgia for the rest of the states.
- Used f string formatting within the Pandas column creation to Make the resulting dataframe more appealing.

Conclusions:

- Overall, Georgia's (average emissions) are higher on all emission types. This could be attributed to our size, population, and many other factors.
- This data shows, however, that we need to take action as a state To curb our environmental impact.

| | Emission Type | Georgia (Average Emissions) | Other States (Average Emissions) |
|---|----------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 0 | CO2 (Metric Tons) | 19250661.36 | 14200426.57 |
| 1 | SO2 (Metric Tons) | 117729.47 | 56241.15 |
| 2 | NOx (Metric Tons) | 36730.02 | 28281.54 |



Visualization Code

```
def visual3():
   df=data parser()
   # getting the total emissions using .agg() and summing up all the emissions
   state emissions = df.groupby('State').agg({
        'CO2 (Metric Tons)': 'sum',
        'SO2 (Metric Tons)': 'sum'.
        'NOx (Metric Tons)': 'sum'
   }).reset_index()
  ## used the same logic to map the states to abbreivations as that is what is predominantly used in the example
   us states = {
        'Alabama': 'AL', 'Alaska': 'AK', 'Arizona': 'AZ', 'Arkansas': 'AR', 'California': 'CA',
        'Colorado': 'CO', 'Connecticut': 'CT', 'Delaware': 'DE', 'Florida': 'FL', 'Georgia': 'GA',
       'Hawaii': 'HI', 'Idaho': 'ID', 'Illinois': 'IL', 'Indiana': 'IN', 'Iowa': 'IA',
        'Kansas': 'KS', 'Kentucky': 'KY', 'Louisiana': 'LA', 'Maine': 'ME', 'Maryland': 'MD',
        'Massachusetts': 'MA', 'Michigan': 'MI', 'Minnesota': 'MN', 'Mississippi': 'MS',
        'Missouri': 'MO', 'Montana': "MT', 'Nebraska': 'NE', 'Nevada': 'NV', 'New Hampshire': 'NH',
        'New Jersey': 'NJ', 'New Mexico': 'NM', 'New York': 'NY', 'North Carolina': 'NC',
        'North Dakota': 'ND', 'Ohio': 'OH', 'Oklahoma': 'OK', 'Oregon': 'OR', 'Pennsylvania': 'PA',
       'Rhode Island': 'RI', 'South Carolina': 'SC', 'South Dakota': 'SD', 'Tennessee': 'TN',
       'Texas': 'TX', 'Utah': 'UT', 'Vermont': 'VT', 'Virginia': 'VA', 'Washington': 'WA',
        'West Virginia': 'WV', 'Wisconsin': 'WI', 'Wvoming': 'WY'
   # used map to convert all the state names ensuring that theres consistency
   state emissions['Abbreviation'] = state emissions['State'].map(us states)
   # choropleth map
   fig = go.Figure(data=go.Choropleth(
       locations=state_emissions['Abbreviation'],
       z=state emissions['CO2 (Metric Tons)'],
       locationmode='USA-states'.
       colorscale='Reds'.
       colorbar title="Total CO2 Emissions (Metric Tons)",
       hovertemplate='%{text}:<br/>br>Total CO2 Emissions: %{z:.2f} Metric Tons<extra>',
       text=state emissions['State']
   ## setting title and setting geo_scope to the US (as that is the place where we are depicting the trend)
   fig.update layout(
       title_text='Total CO2 Emissions per State (1990-2019)',
       qeo_scope='usa',
    fig.show()
```

Visualization #3: Total CO2 Emissions per State (1990-2019) This shows the total emissions of each state Total CO2 Emissions (Metric Tons) across the United States. As you can see, Texas is the 12B greatest contributor 10B followed by Florida. I aggregated emissions data per state and created a choropleth map using 4B Plotly to visualize total CO2 emissions per state from 1990 to 2019 in the United States.

Insight 5: What sector contributes the most to emissions?

• Used information from the API (Energy Information Administration)

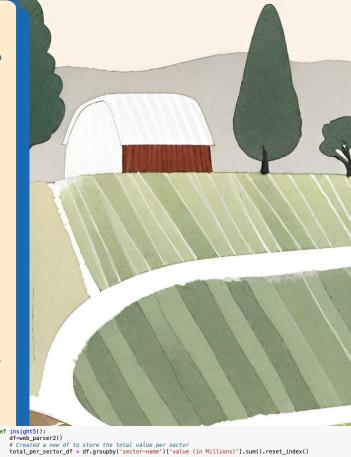
- Calculated the sum by grouping by the sector and then the Value that they contribute
- Created a new dataframe and sorted it by highest percent Contributed to lowest.

Conclusions:

 Overall, transportation carbon dioxide emissions are the Highest. This is what I expected with the number of personal Vehicles in the US.

 Learning from this data, we can choose to incorporate more public transport and overall safe energy practices.

| | Sector Name | Total Value (in millions) | Percent Contributing to Total Value of Emissions |
|---|---|---------------------------|--|
| 4 | Transportation carbon dioxide emissions | 21615.559579 | 36.85 |
| 1 | Electric Power carbon dioxide emissions | 18362.436669 | 31.30 |
| 2 | Industrial carbon dioxide emissions | 11743.563994 | 20.02 |
| 3 | Residential carbon dioxide emissions | 3976.861466 | 6.78 |
| 0 | Commercial carbon dioxide emissions | 2964.260859 | 5.05 |

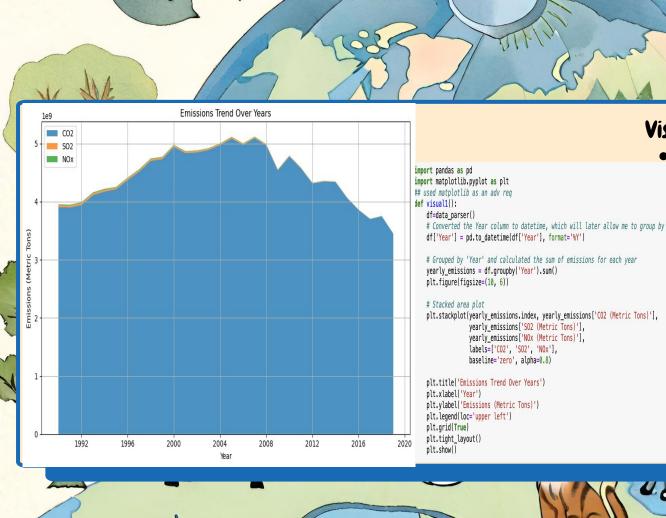


Renaming the cols for visual appeal and then calculated the percent contribution for each typ

total_per_sector_df['Percent Contributing to Total Value of Emissions'] = round((total_per_sector_df['
total_per_sector_df = total_per_sector_df.sort_values(by='Percent Contributing to Total Value of Emiss

total per sector df.columns = ['Sector Name', 'Total Value (in millions)']

return total_per_sector_df



Visualization:

yearly_emissions['SO2 (Metric Tons)'],

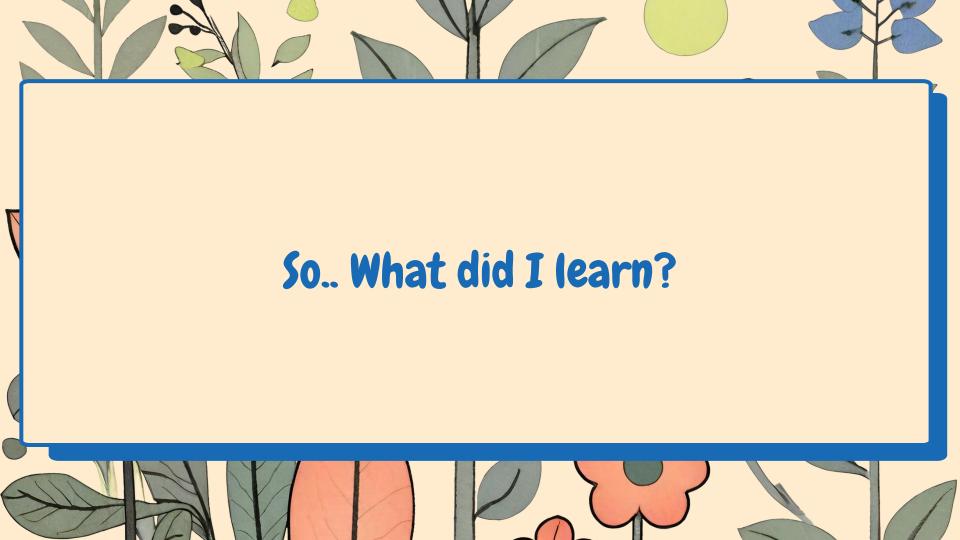
yearly_emissions['NOx (Metric Tons)'], labels=['CO2', 'SO2', 'NOx'],

baseline='zero', alpha=0.8)

This stacked area plot depicts the cumulative distribution of the three pollutants.

> The massive abundance of blue shows that CO2 is the leading air pollutant, followed by the sliver of SO2 and then a tiny bit of NOx.

Used Matplotlib's stacked area plot documentation to derive this plot.



Technical Skills/Challenges

• I learned a lot of new technical skills and modules within Pandas and Python overall:

- Within Pandas, the new modules I learned were .corr(), .merge(), .map(), and more. These modules were challenging to learn by looking the the documentation but they made the implementations of my ideas a lot more efficient.
- I solidified my knowledge of parsing through APIs and JSONs. Also, I learned how to perform linear regression using sk.learn, which was really interesting. I also learned how to use plotly effectively to create great visualizations.

Biggest Challenge:

- My biggest challenge in this was visualizing the dataframes In performing large operations. An example of this is my Insight 2 in which I had to find the sum of specific columns across different dataframes and corroborate all the new data onto one new dataframe.
- Another challenge was also learning the sk.learn module through the documentation. The documentation was pretty in-depth, and I had to take my time to determine the relevance of each line of code.



Overall Project Results

- 1. Overall, I found out that there is little to no correlation Between the growth of the economy and my perceived increase in emission levels.
- The emission levels have been decreasing as time Progresses, which suggests that we have been making progress.
- 3. Georgia, as a state, still has relatively high emissions, so That is something we can control.

Future Project Idea: I plan on continuing this research into correlating economy and nature. However, I think there might be an increased correlation between the two in developing nations, and that will be my future research.



Thanks for a Great Experience