

**git pull from the DSC106 public
repo to follow along today.**

D3.js Deep Dive

DSC 106: Data Visualization

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Announcements

Lab 5 out, due Friday.

Project 2 peer feedback due Friday.

Project 3 out, due on 2/16.

FAQs:

1. Office hour policy: if you don't sign up for an OH slot but show up anyway, probably won't be able to ask your question.
2. One OH slot = one checkoff. If you have 2 labs to get checked off (e.g. slip day), you need to sign up for 2 slots.

Project 2 Peer Feedback

Opportunity to get feedback from your peers.

"I like / I wish / What if?" format.

Worth 5% of your final grade, graded by completion.

Project 3: Interactive Visualization

Choose a dataset (recommend reusing Project 2 data).

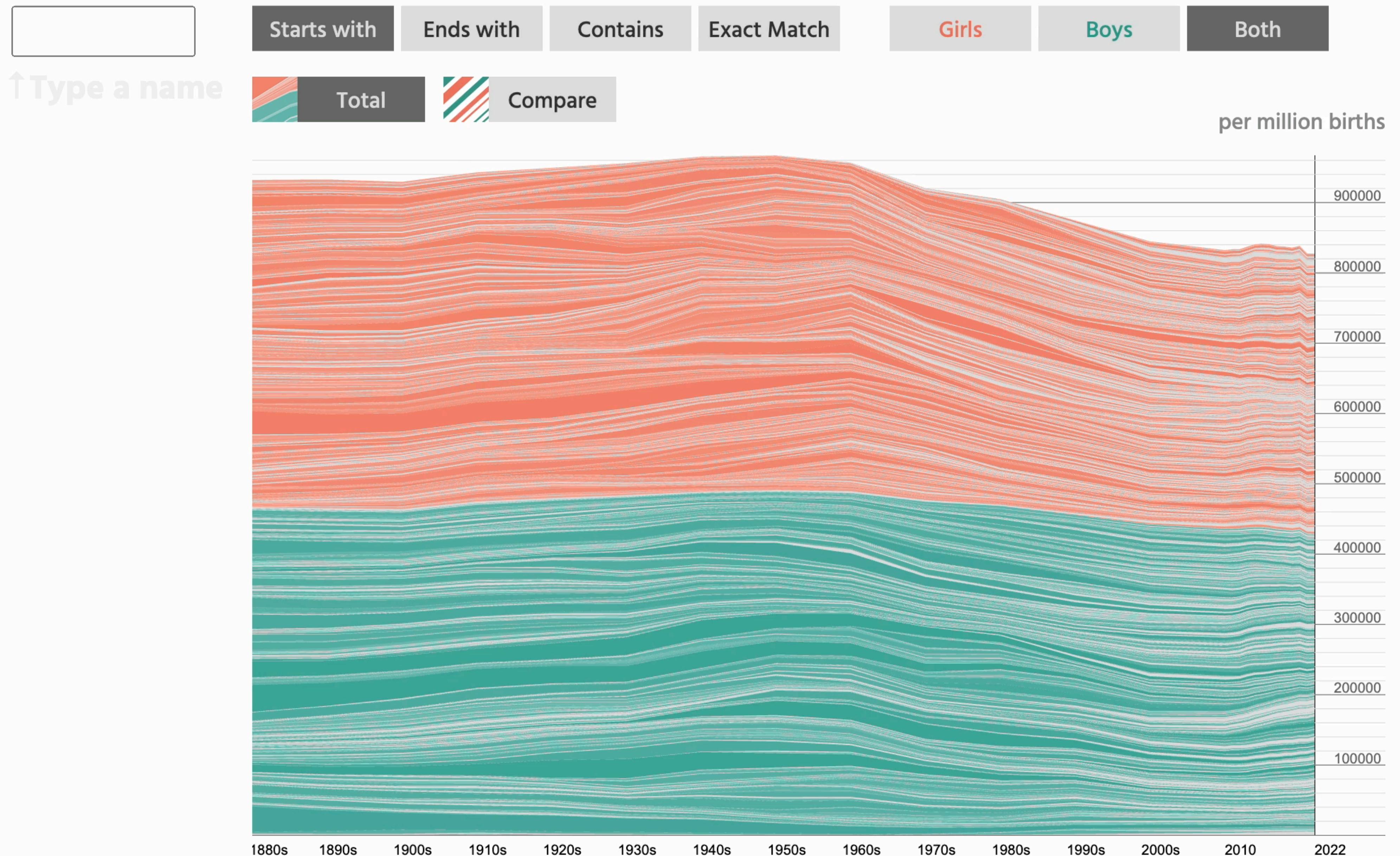
Create one interactive graphic to let readers explore the data.

E.g. panning, zooming, brushing, annotations, etc.

Must use D3.

Must complete in teams of 2-3.

Pro-tip: Explore lots of options using pen-and-paper. Then, keep scope of project very tight! Do one thing well.



<https://namerology.com/baby-name-grapher/>

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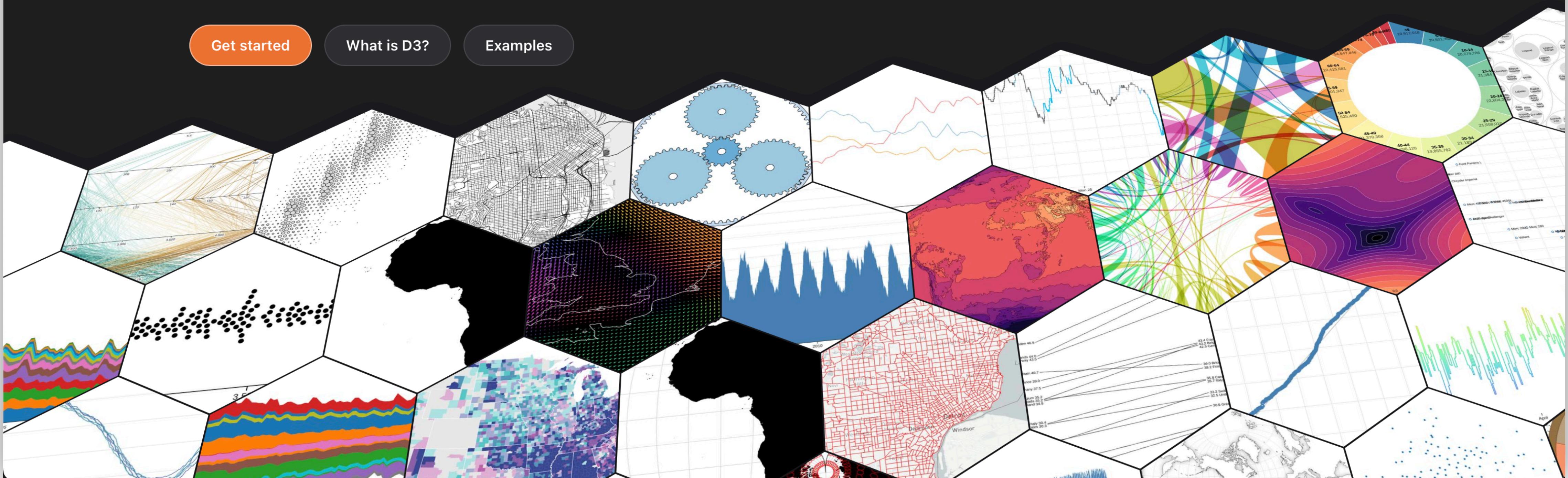
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Create custom dynamic visualizations with unparalleled flexibility

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Examples



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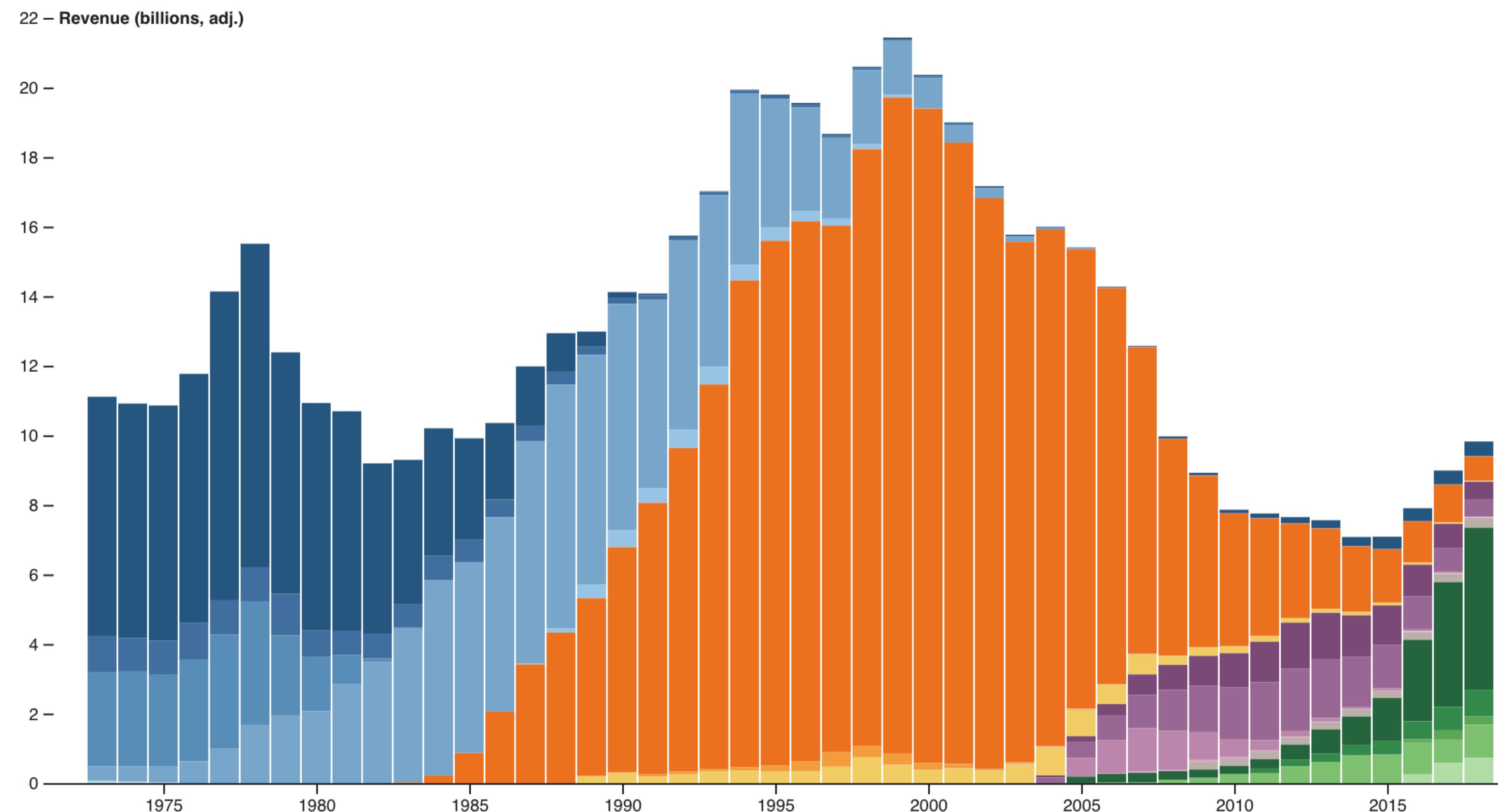
Create custom dynamic visualizations
with unpar...

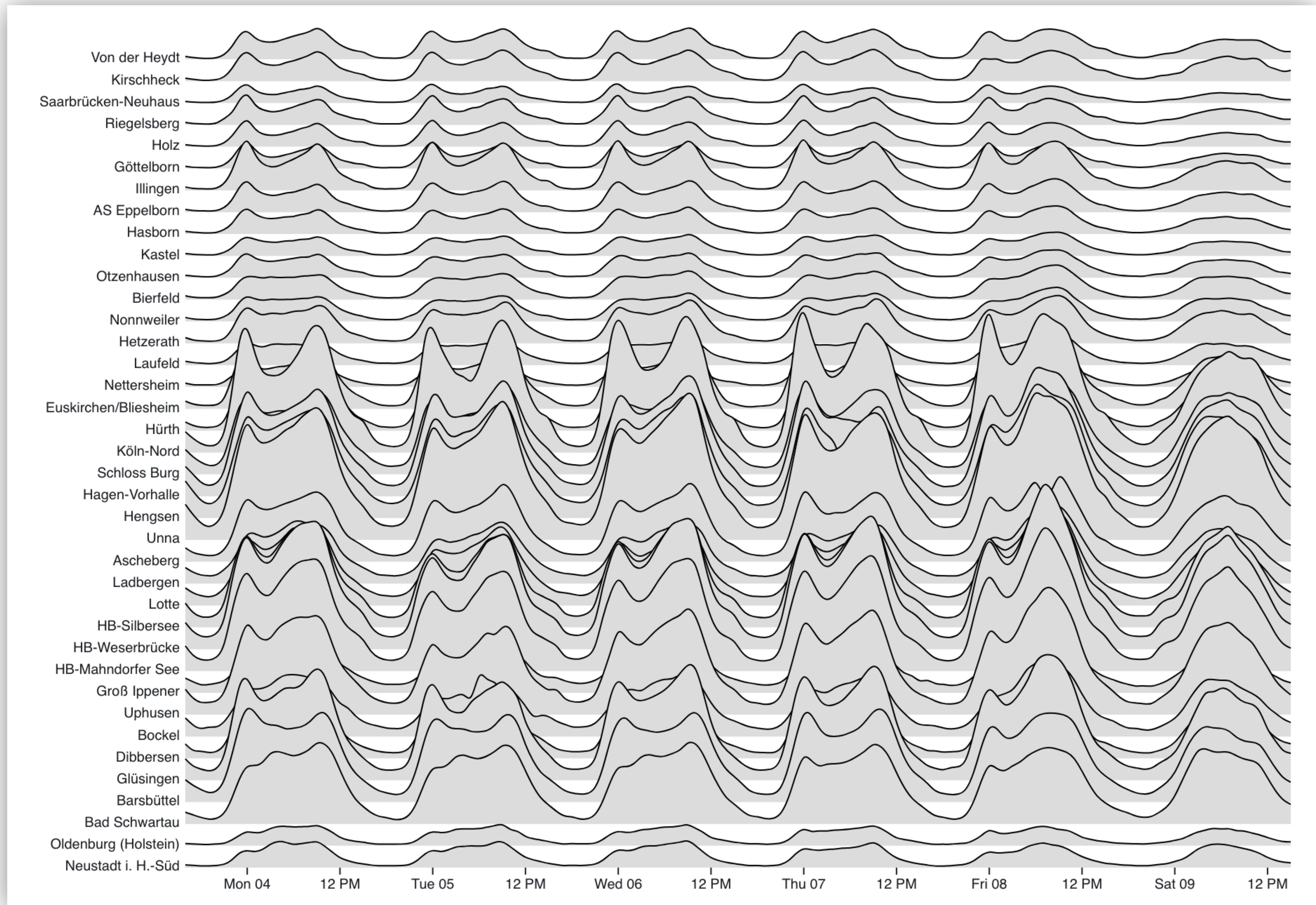
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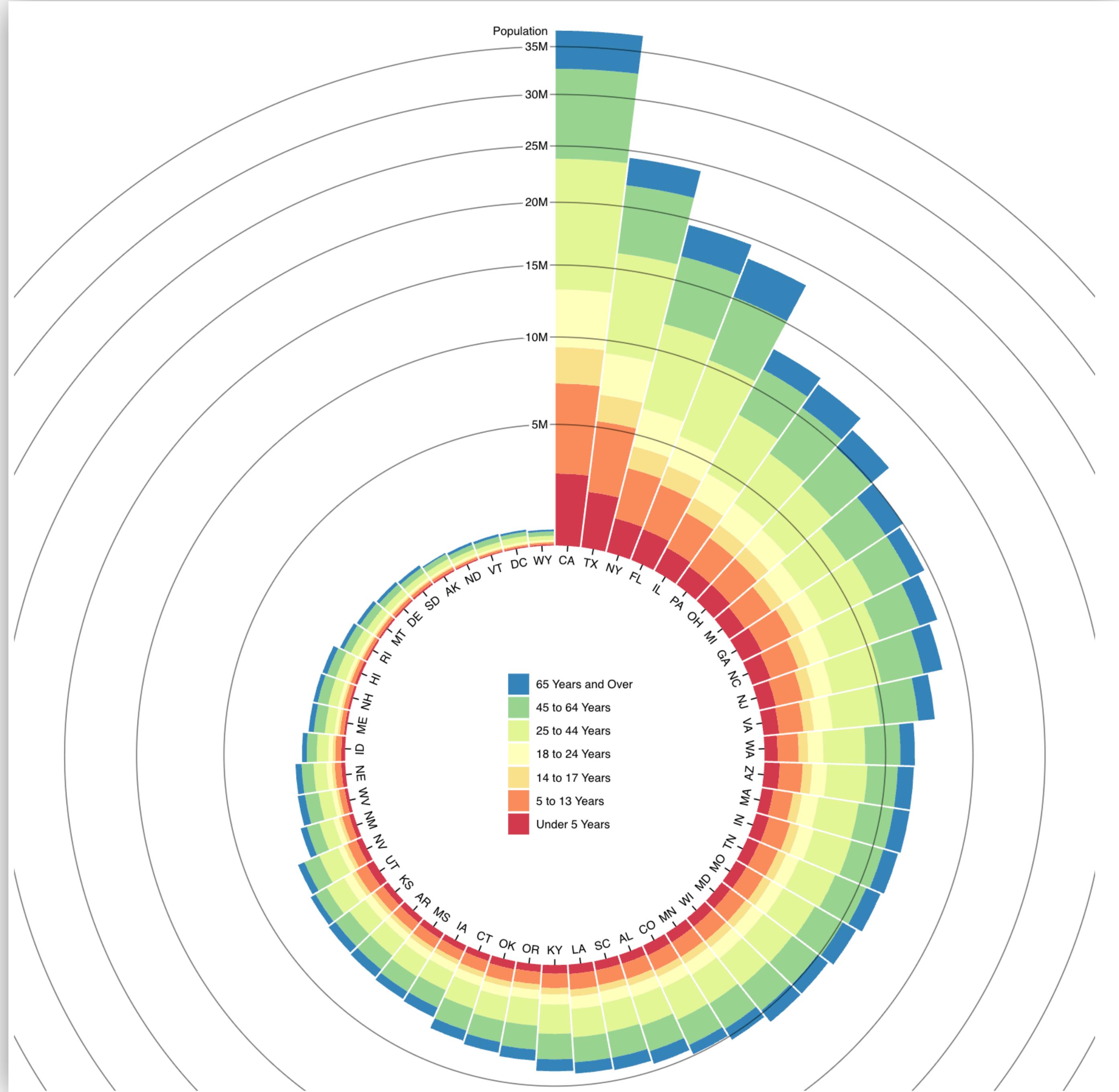
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Data: [RIAA](#)

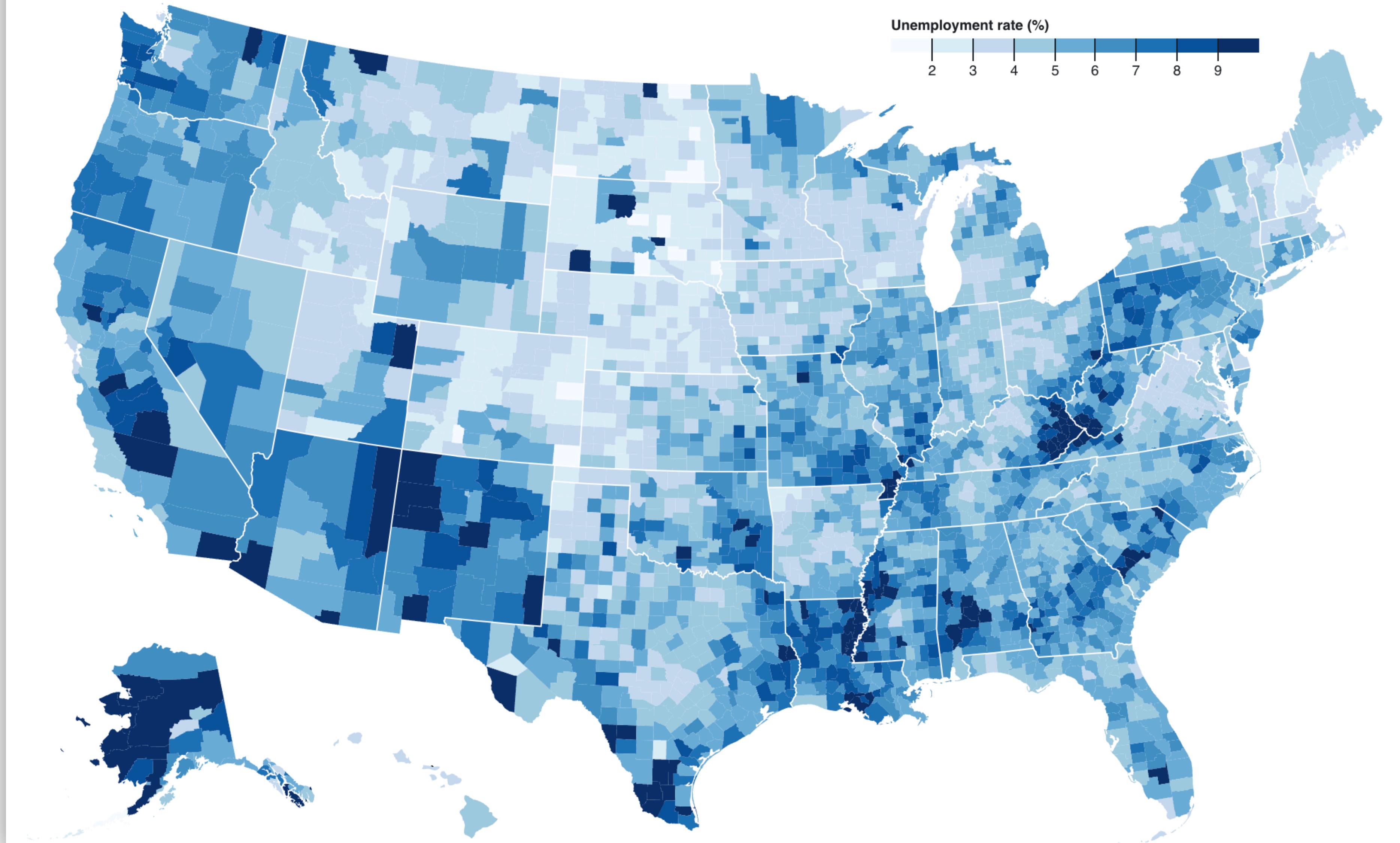






Choropleth

Unemployment rate by U.S. county, August 2016. Data: [Bureau of Labor Statistics](#).

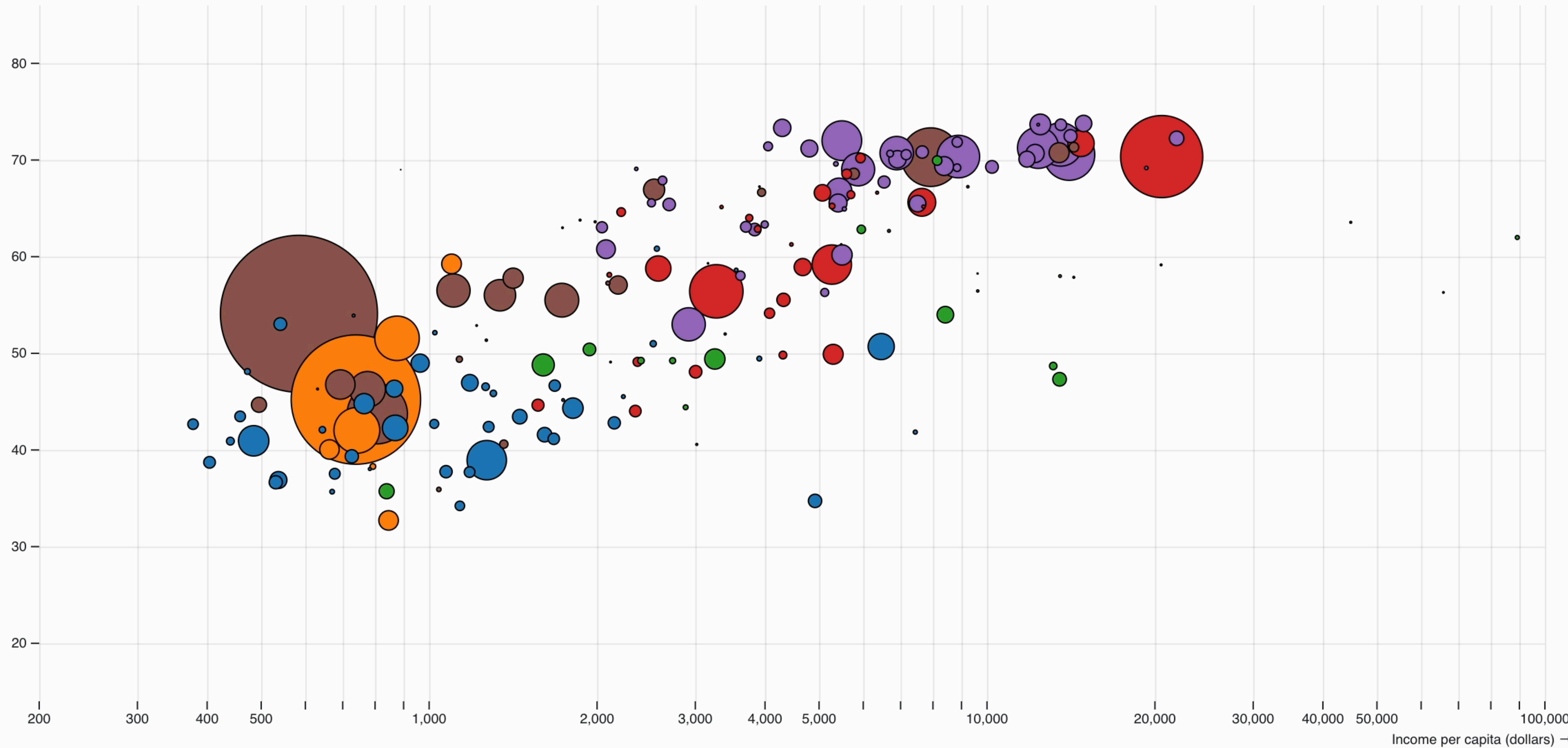


Pause

1964

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↑ Life expectancy (years)



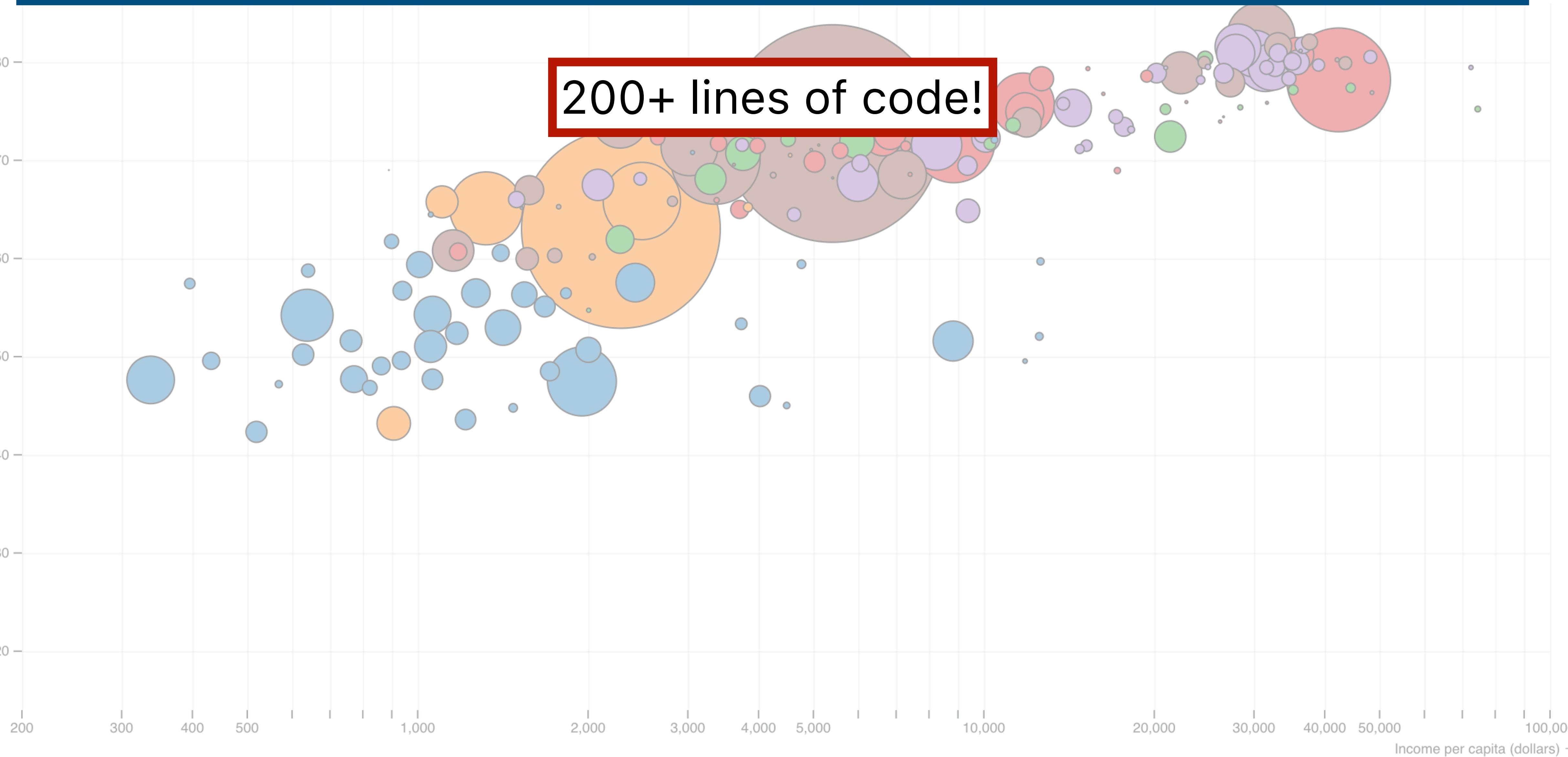
Play

2005

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<https://observablehq.com/@mbostock/the-wealth-health-of-nations>

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200+ lines of code!



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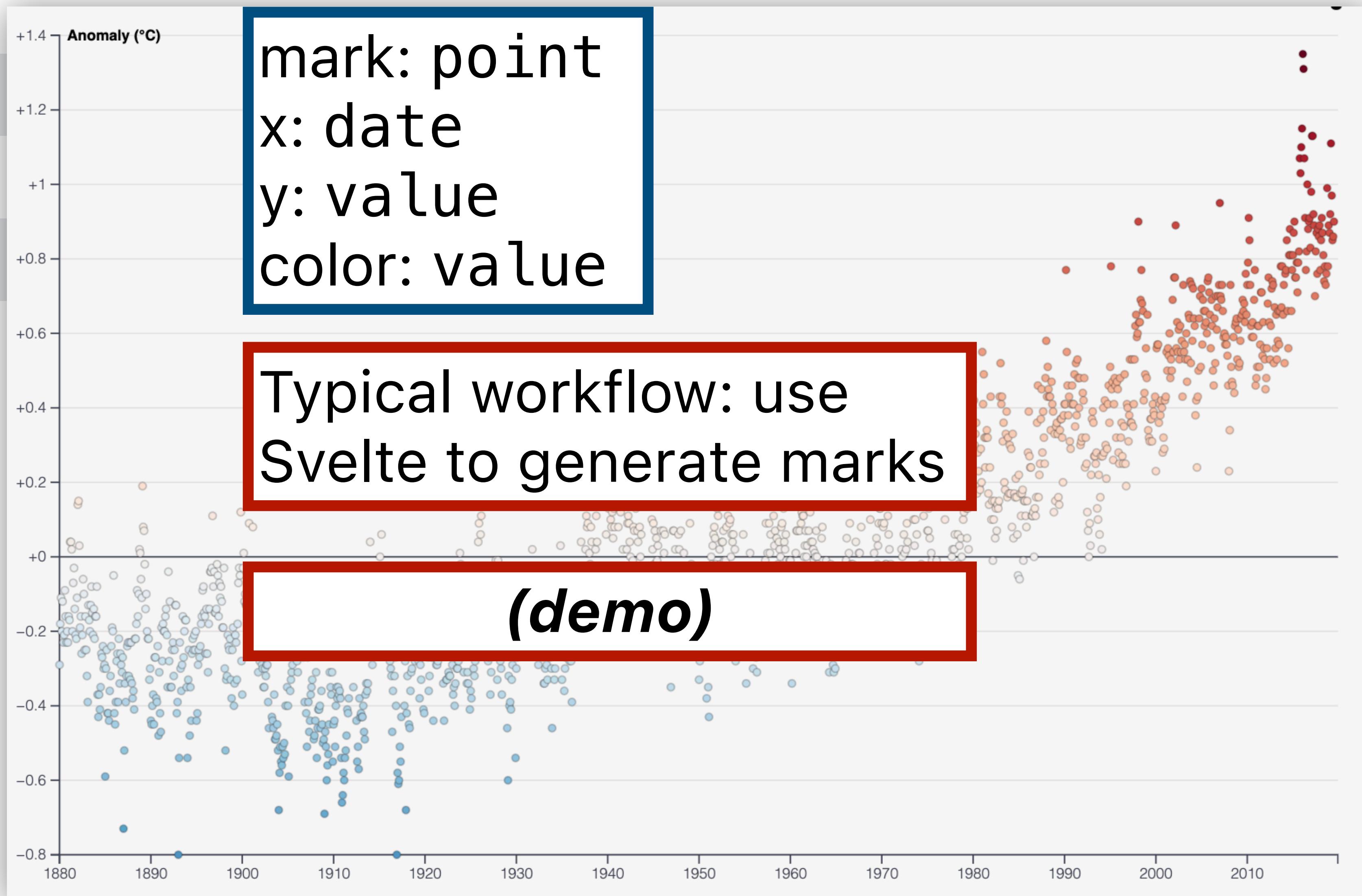
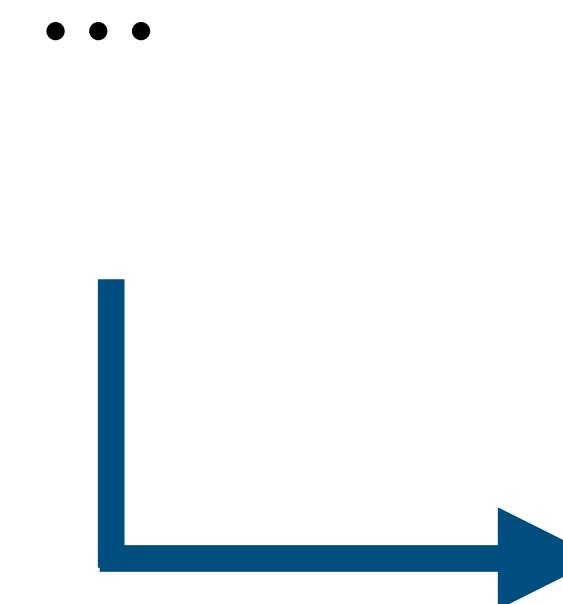
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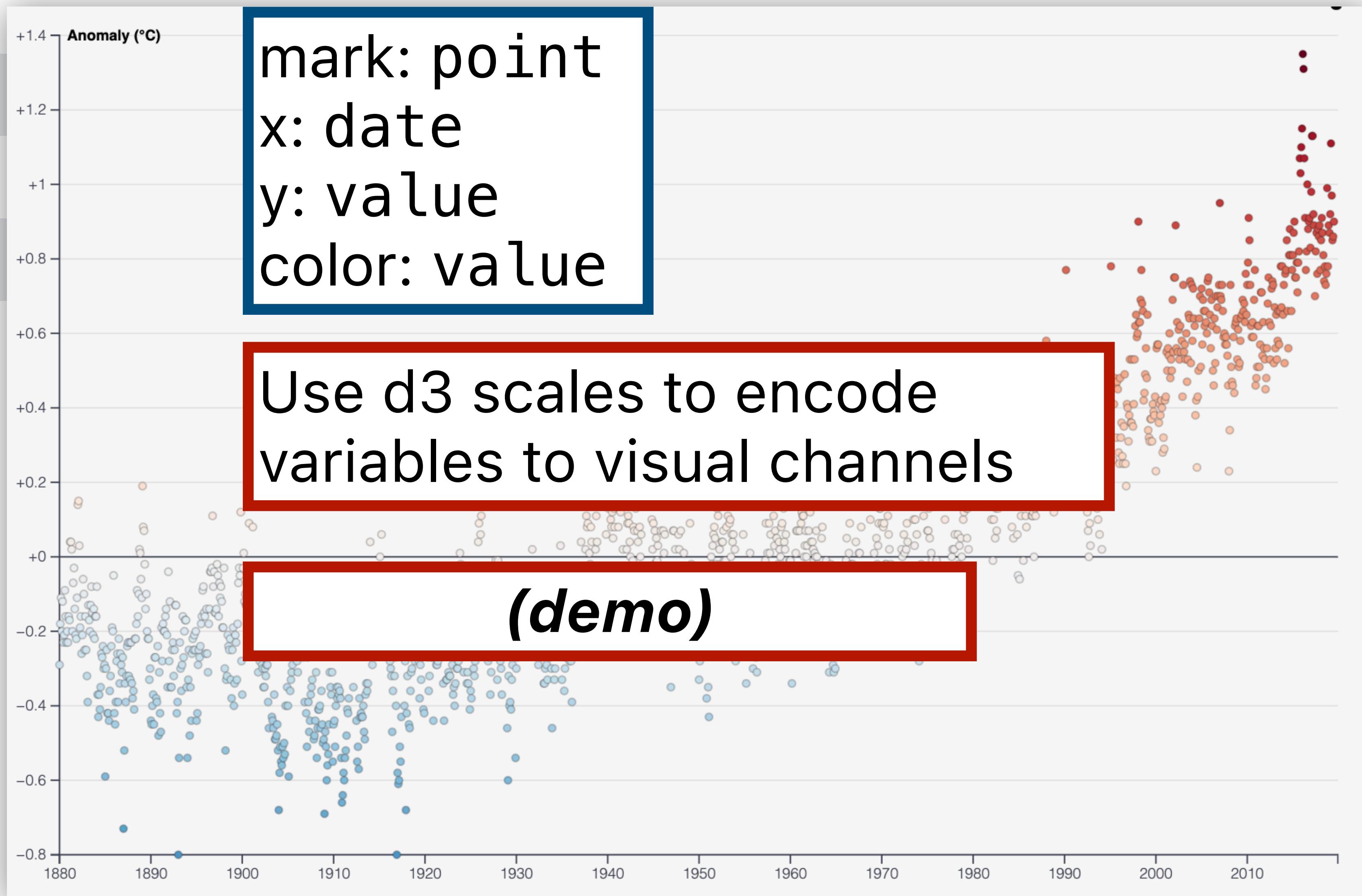
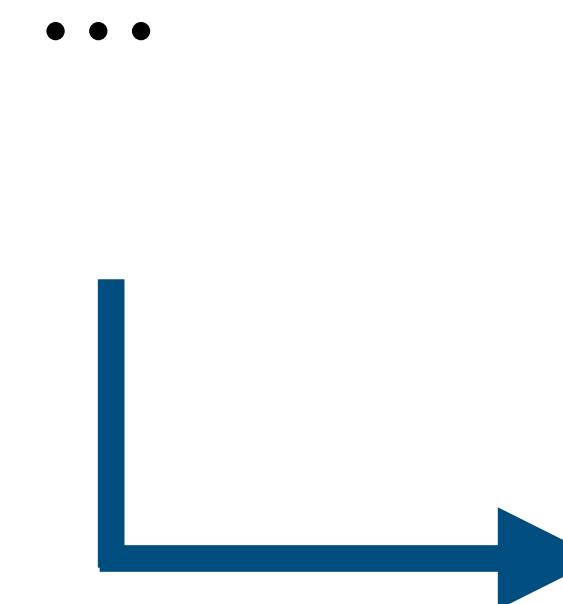
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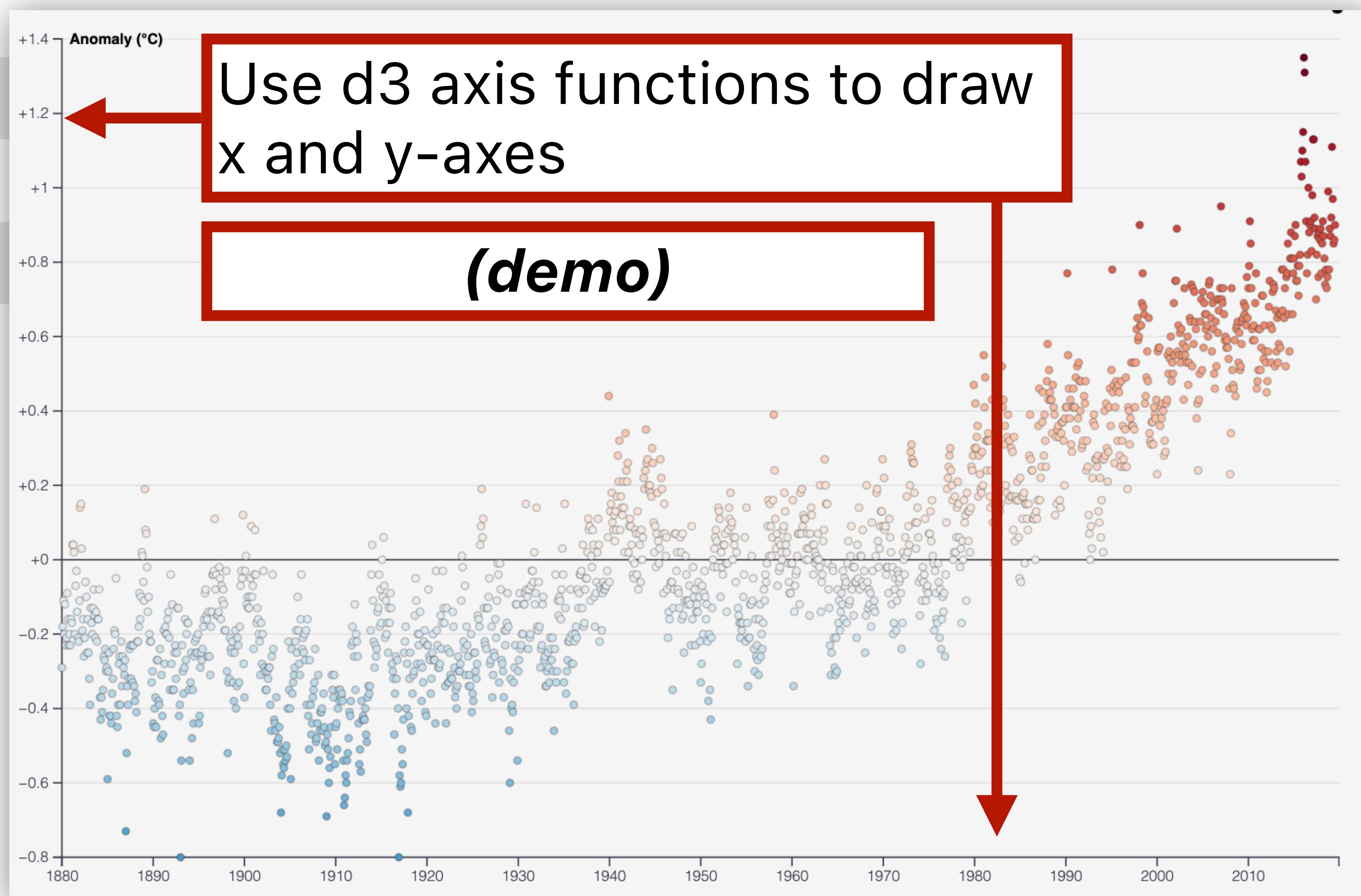
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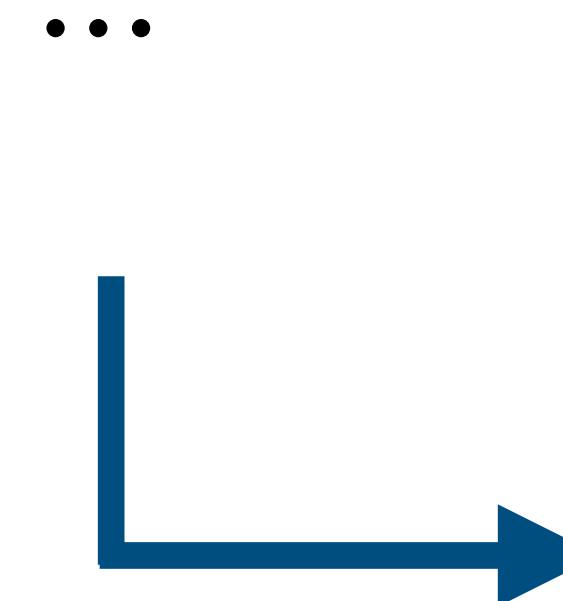
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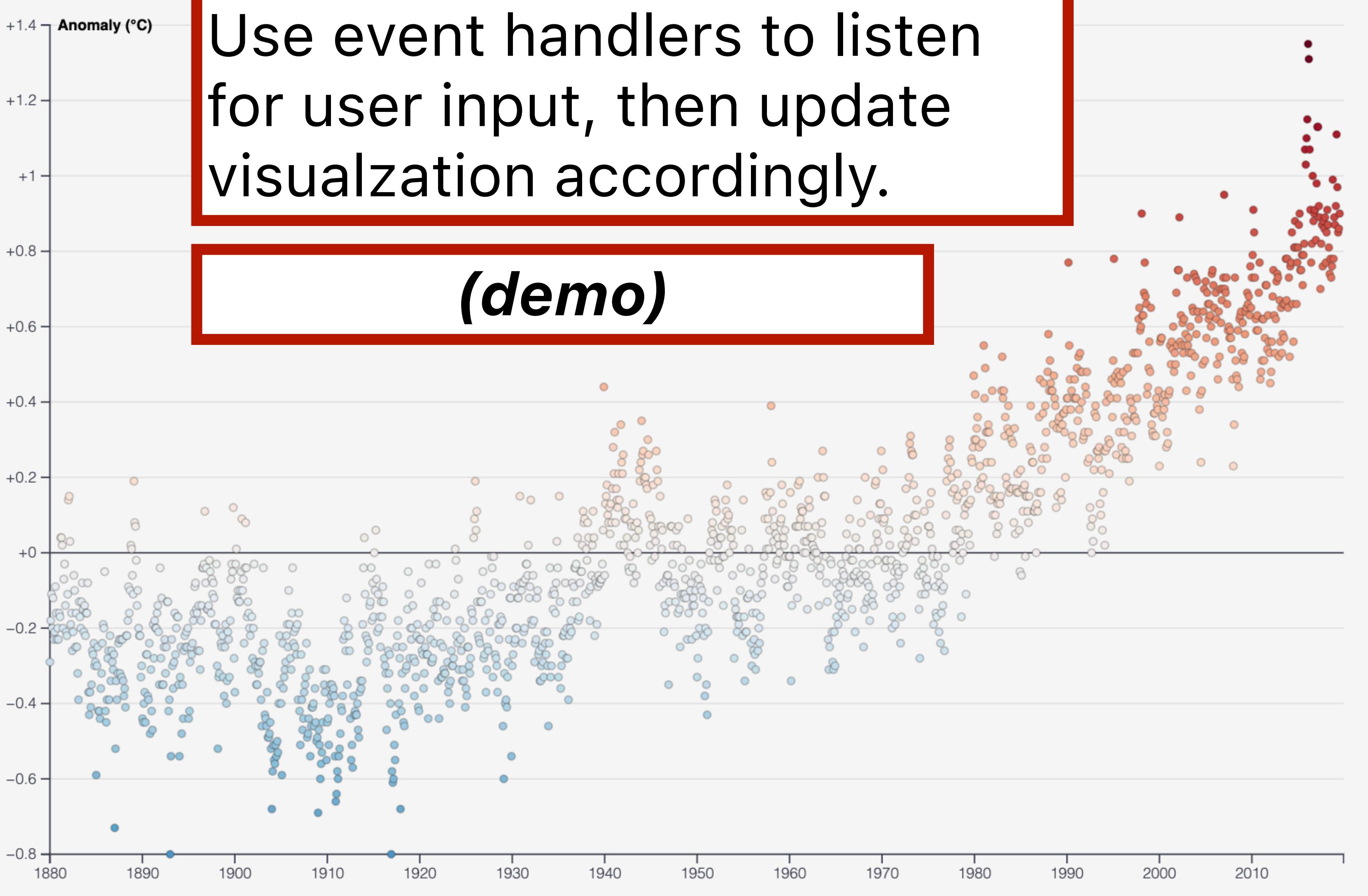
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Use event handlers to listen
for user input, then update
visualization accordingly.

(demo)



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You Try: Understanding D3 Code

Visit the D3 website (d3js.org), click on Examples in top navbar.

Choose one visualization that looks interesting (but not too complicated).

Describe the code in English.

Respond: What do you feel like you understand well about D3?
What do you feel like you don't understand well?

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