

# **YZV 211E Introduction of Data Science and Engineering**

## **Project Proposal**

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### **Project Title**

The Relationship Between Average Income Levels and Cultural Engagement (Cinema, Theatre)  
Across Provinces in Turkey

### **Summary**

This project investigates the relationship between average income levels and cultural engagement by population of regions, focusing on cinema and theatre participation across various regions in Turkey.

### **Problem Definition**

The study formally addresses the question of how average income levels affect cultural engagement, specifically in terms of cinema and theatre participation, in different regions of Turkey.

### **Possible Research Questions**

- What is the relationship between average income levels in different regions and participation in cinema and theatre activities?
- How much cinema and theatre are affected by average income levels separately? Which one is affected more by income level?
- What regional variations exist in the context of cultural engagement and economic status?
- How do variations in average income levels correlate with changes in cinema and theatre attendance patterns over the years in each region?
- Are there any observable trends or patterns in the data that suggest a causal relationship between rising or falling income levels and changes in cinema and theatre participation?

## **Datasets' Sources**

Four dataset will be used from the Turkish Statistical Institute (TÜİK).

### **1. Income rate**

Distribution of annual household disposable income by equivalent household disposable individual income across 11 regions from 2014 to 2022 (average, try)

### **2. Population**

This dataset gives informations about population across 11 regions of residence from 2014 to 2022

### **3. Number of cinema audiences**

Annual total number of cinema audiences across the 11 regions in Turkey from 2014 to 2022

### **4. Number of theatre audiences**

Annual total number of theatre audiences across the 11 regions in Turkey from 2014 to 2022