# RSView Technology Review

# What do we need to do for our project?

- Download RSV G sequences
- Map RSV sequences based on location collected
  - Color code each point by subtype
  - Change the size of each point based on subtype prevalence
- An interactive map would be a plus
  - Include a slider to adjust the years and/or seasons included on the map
- Overlay additional data on map
  - Also display correlation between subtypes and pneumonia deaths
  - Possibly through alternate color coding options?

# Accessing the sequence data from GenBank



### Bio.Entrez overview

#### Pros:

- Designed specifically for downloading data from NCBI
- Bypasses need for URL download
- Customizable downloads
- BioPython and Entrez have good documentation

#### Cons:

- Object structure not entirely intuitive
- Dictionary and string parsing necessary to get important metadata
- Only option

# Human respiratory syncytial virus (MON-1-87) subgroup A, G gene for glycoprotein

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#### ORIGIN

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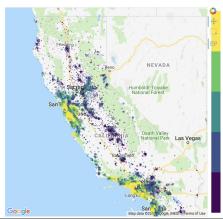
## bokeh overview

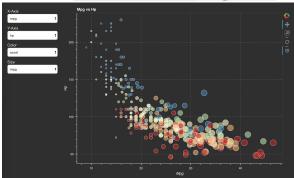
#### Pros:

- You can graph a scatter plot on a map
- It's possible to include interactive elements to select how data is visualized
  - i.e. slider to select data range, choose values to represent via dot color or size

#### Cons:

- Can become slowed down by large datasets
- Does not work well with pandas dataframes







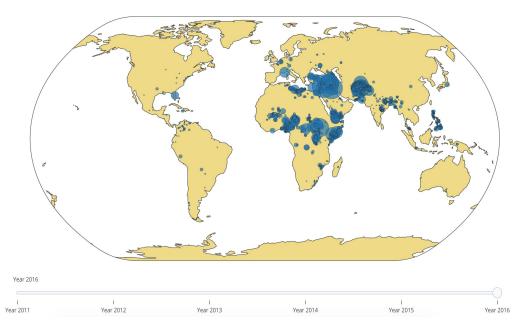
# plot.ly overview

#### Pros:

- Also allows Geo Mapping
- Customizable aesthetics
- Built in interactive features:
  - Toggle to select subsets of data, zoom in/out, easy to download plot
- Many plot types: easy to plot correlations as bar plots without re-formatting data

### Cons:

- Time slider is not built-in for maps
- Free version has limit on number of API calls per day



# bokeh vs. plot.ly

### Map RSV sequences based on location collected

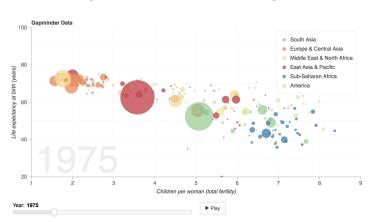
Add visual differences for subtype and number of sequences

- Similar functionalities
- Can overlay on Google Maps

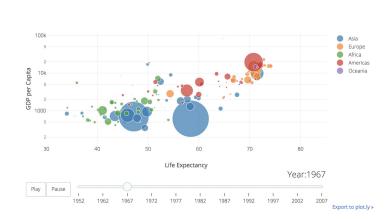
- Similar functionalities
  - Free version may have color limitations

### Interactive map

Often options look more polished



Easy to add sliders and animate



### Overlay additional data on map (use colors, toggles, insets, etc.)

• We will need to try several visualization options to determine what looks best, but both packages have several options.

#### **OVERALL**

- More complicated to implement
- Pandas DataFrames must be converted to bokeh objects
- Lots of documentation, but not necessarily for our use case

- Easy to implement, all in python
- Works well with pandas
- Lots of documentation with examples very similar to our use case

Due largely to ease of use, we are planning on using **plot.ly** for our visualizations.