

# Book of the Month:

Leveraging data to  
break into a new market

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# The work

## Opportunity

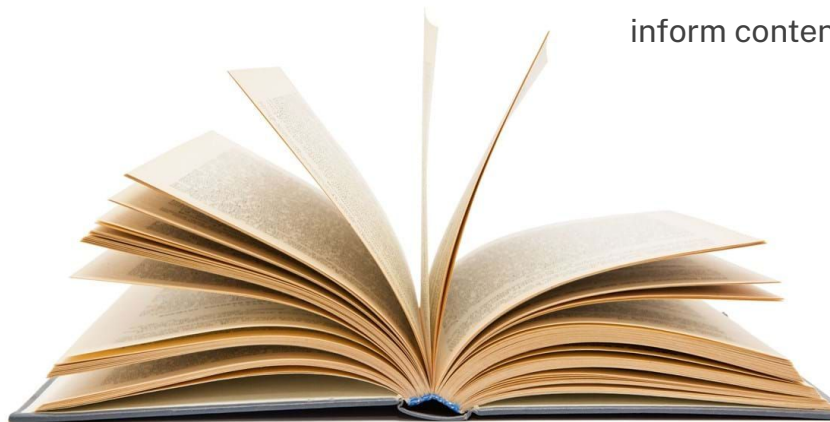
- Expand to a new market: audiobooks

## Objective

- Explore features of best-selling audiobooks to inform content decisions

## Goal

- **Increase subscriptions**



# Methodology

- Data:

audiobooks.com

 *Book of the Month*

- Tools:

Tableau Public

Google Sheets

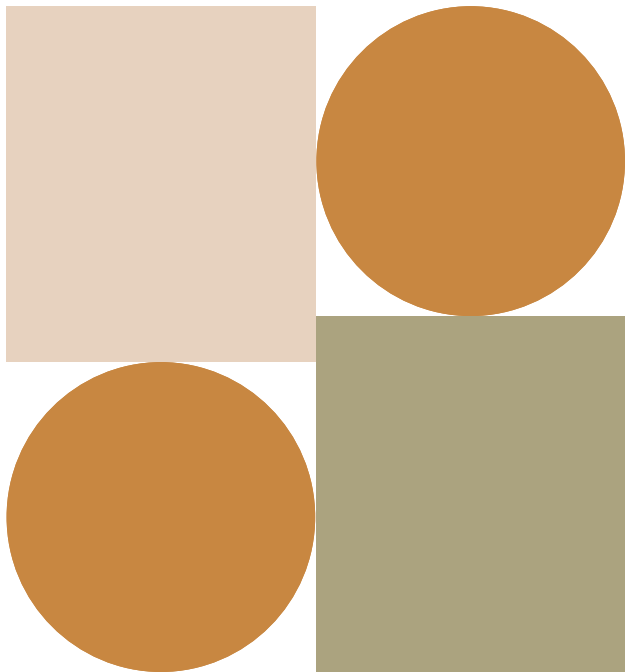
Python/Jupyter Notebook

- Model:

Clustering

K-Nearest Neighbors Algorithm





# BOTM vs Audiobooks

32.69%

5 BOTM Books are in the top 100  
Best-Selling Audiobooks list for June 2021

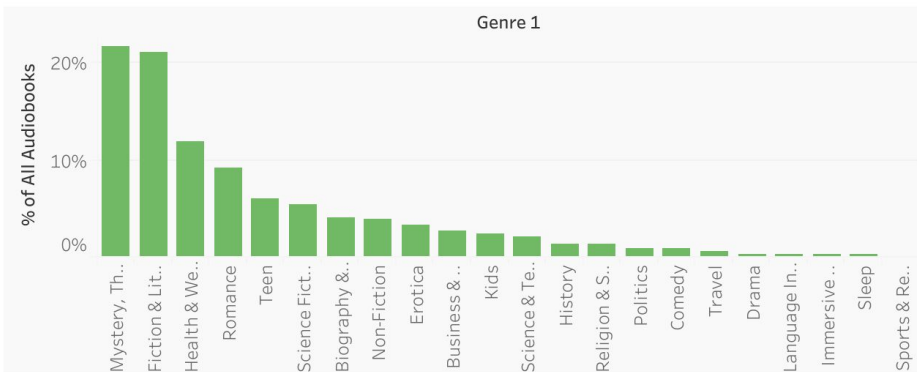
## Subscriptions:

- **BOTM:** \$9.99 for 1st month then \$15.99. 1 book per month with optional add ons.
- **Audiobooks.com:** First 2 books free then \$14.95 per month access to 1 book and 1 “VIP” book, optional add ons.

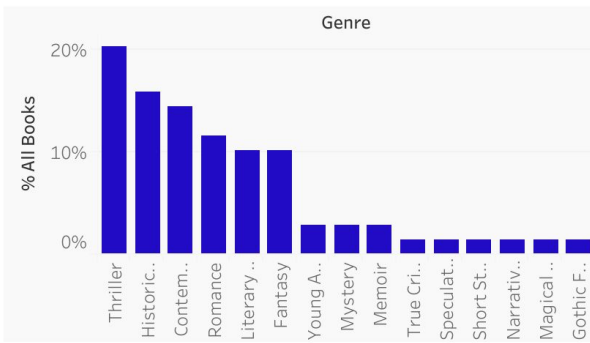
# Genre

## Interactive Genre Dashboard

Audiobooks by Genre



BOTM by Genre

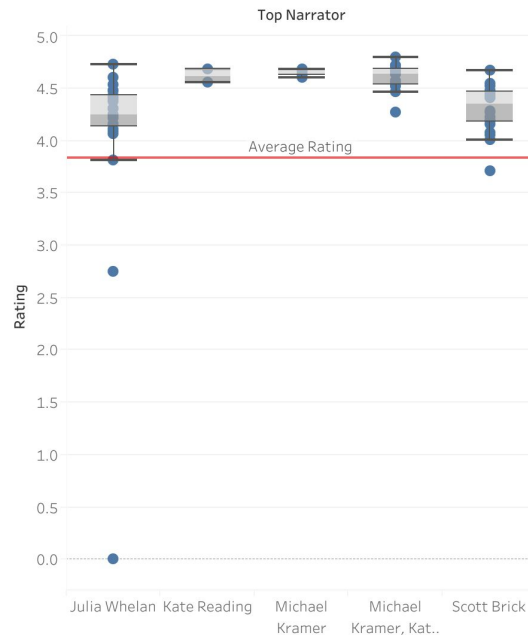


# Narrator

## Interactive Narrator Dashboard



Ratings for Most Frequent Narrators

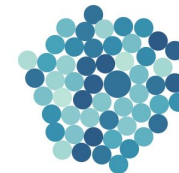


Avg. Rank

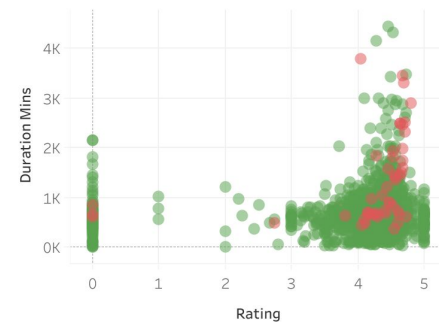
192

1,735

Narrators with a Zero Rating



The Effect of Duration



# 3 Actions



## Genre

Add Health & Wellness titles



## Narrator

Select Narrators with established credentials



## Generate Excitement

Audiobook listeners are excited about pre-orders!



# Future Work

- Build a model
  - Recommendations
  - Explore Patterns Among Best-Sellers
- Expand Datasets
  - User Level
  - Additional Audiobook Platforms
- Collect Data on a Trial Run



# Appendix



## Duration

[Interactive Dashboard](#)



## Date

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# Appendix

## Points of Interest

#1

28

4,434

19

