Tools needed:

QGIS Software to manage .xls and .csv (e.g., Excel, Numbers)

Data needed:

- Data from Carbon Mapper Data Portal or API (see steps below)
- Climate Trace Waste Inventory
 - 1. Access: https://climatetrace.org/data, download Solid Waste CSV
 - 2. Once downloaded, filter to gas=CH4, start_time=2022
- World State Boundaries
 - 1. Access: <u>https://gadm.org/data.html</u>, download global or for a specific country
- World Cities
 - 1. Access: <u>https://hub.arcgis.com/datasets/esri::world-cities/about</u>, download desired format I used CSV)

Steps:

- 1. Get Carbon Mapper data.
 - a. If using the API, here is an example API call for CM sources data: https://api.carbonmapper.org/api/v1/catalog/sources.geojson?sectors=6A&plu me_gas=CH4&instrument=emi&status=published&minpoints=1&eps=500
 - b. If not using the API:
 - i. Go to https://data.carbonmapper.org/
 - ii. Using the filter tools, filter for "Solid Waste" as the Sector, "NASA EMIT" and "Planet Tanager" for the instruments, and set Plume Cluster Distance to 1000 meters.
 - iii. Go to "Downloads" and in "Source Download", download the "Filtered Sources".
- 2. Clean up the inventory data.
 - a. Open Climate Trace "solid-waste-disposal_emissions_sources.csv" and filter to gas=CH4, start_time=2022. Save as new csv.
 - b. Open the .xls file downloaded from FLIGHT and delete the top rows above the column headers (probably the first 4 rows). Save (Excel) or "export" (Numbers) as a .csv file.
- 3. Load data into QGIS
 - a. Open QGIS
 - b. Load: State Boundaries, World Cities, Carbon Mapper Sources, and Climate Trace (filtered)
 - i. For shapefiles use: "Layer>Add Layer>Add Vector Layer"
 - ii. For .csv files use: "Layer>Add Layer>Add Delimited Text Layer"
 - 1. Ensure that it shows the "X field" as LONGITUDE and "Y field" as LATITUDE.
- 4. Match Carbon Mapper sources to site and jurisdiction data.
 - a. Assign Jurisdiction:

- i. "Vector>Data Management>Join by Location". Select first dataset as Carbon Mapper Sources and then second dataset as GADM_ADM!_States, Leave default settings
 - 1. From GADM_ADM!_States you can use the attributes "GID_0", "COUNTRY", "NAME_1","ENGTYPE_1", and "ISO_1" to help differentiate between countries and sub-national jurisdictions.
 - 2. This new layer that combines the sources and jurisdiction will be called "Joined Layer". Rename this layer "Sources Layer".
- b. Assign Major city:
 - i. In "Processing" menu, select "Toolbox" and search for "Join attributes by nearest"
 - 1. Select the first dataset as our new "Sources Layer" from Step 4a and the second dataset as World Cities
 - 2. Set maximum distance allowance to 0.5 degrees (~50 km)
 - a. From the World Cities you can use "X", "Y", "CITY_NAME", and "POP"
 - 3. This new layer that combines the sources and cities will be called "Joined Layer". Rename this layer "Sources with Cities Layer".
- c. Assign inventory facility:
 - i. Similar to Step 4b, in use the "Join attributes by nearest" function.
 - 1. Select the first dataset as our new "Sources with Cities Layer" and the second dataset as the Climate Trace inventory.
 - 2. Set maximum distance allowance to 0.05 degrees (~5km)
 - 3. This new layer that combines the sources and inventory data will be called "Joined Layer". Rename this layer "Sources Final".