

Cooling Centers

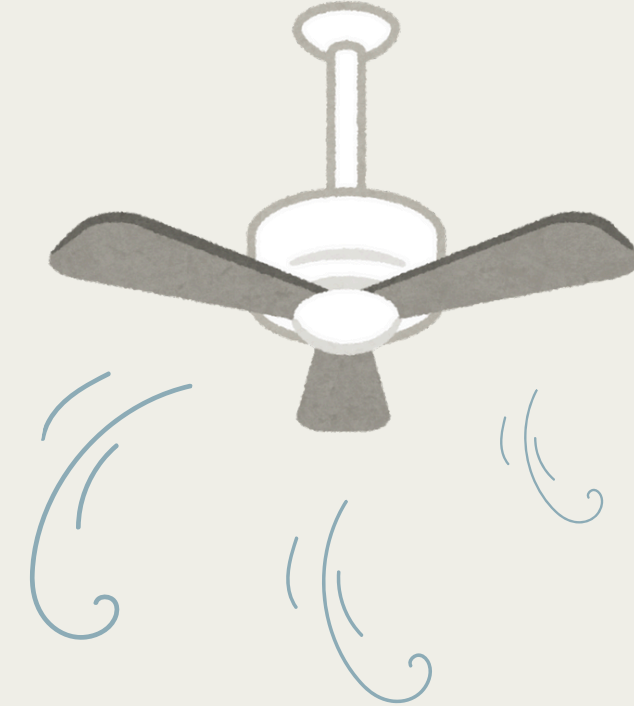
Investigating the possibilities of implementing cooling facilities in the city of Amsterdam

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Introduction



- Current status & main goals

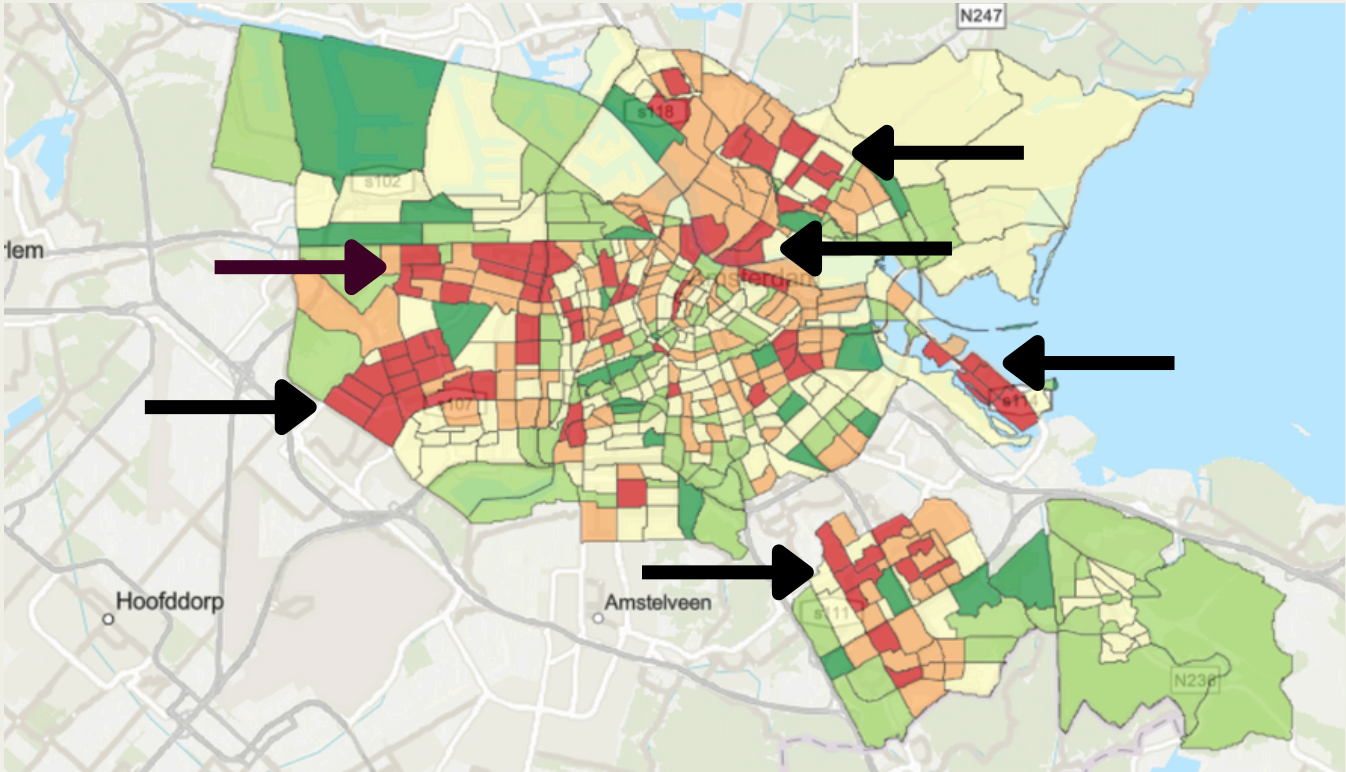
What was the trigger to start?

Cooling center project started last september:

- Good practices: pioneering cities & municipalities
- Conversations with local organizations



CURRENT STATUS





Pilot 2026



Engaging with other local (profit) organizations

Such as cafes, museums, gyms & churches, mosques and synagogues etc.



Developing a targeted communication strategy

Collaborating with intern(s) and students



Opening Amsterdams first cooling centers

Starting with several different locations in high-risk area's



Community driven map

Find cool inside and outside locations + a cool route through the city



Questions we still have:



Which facilities are strictly necessary in cooling centers?



What is a suitable guideline for the indoor temperature in cooling centers?



What communication strategies are used to inform residents about cooling centers?



Which cooling center locations are visited most frequently and which factors contribute to their success?

Thank you

ANY QUESTIONS?

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