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Spatial Generalized Linear Mixed Models with Application to Prevalence Mapping

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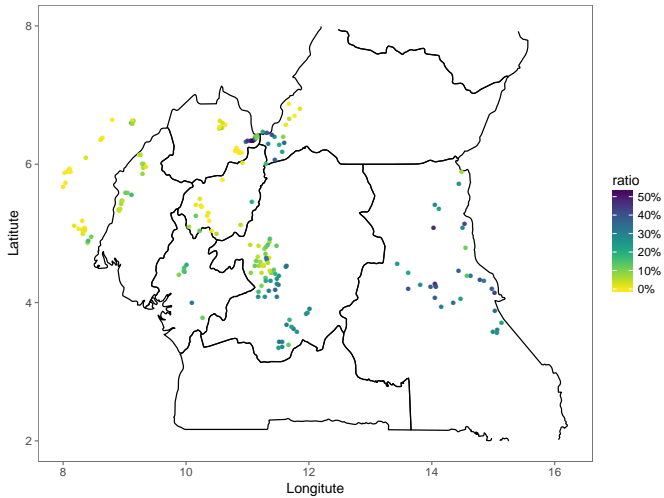
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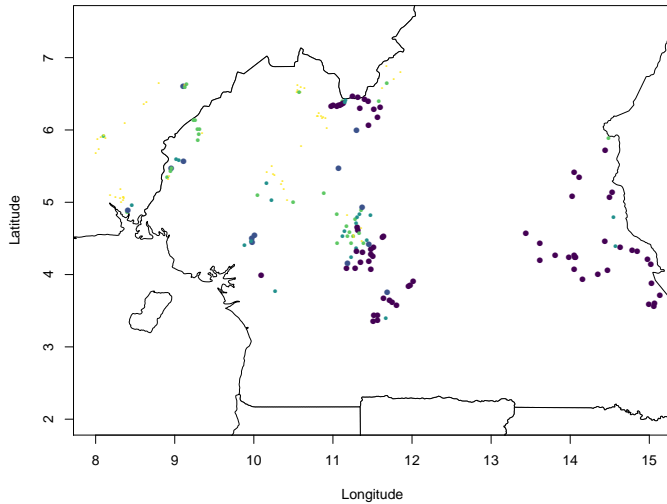
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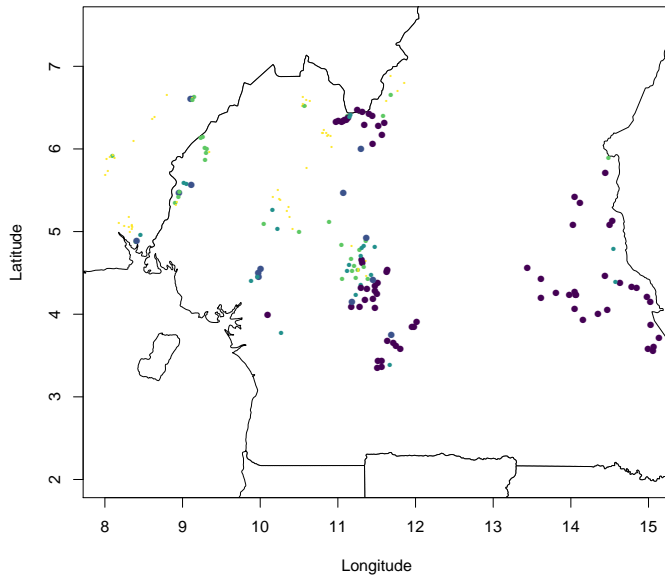
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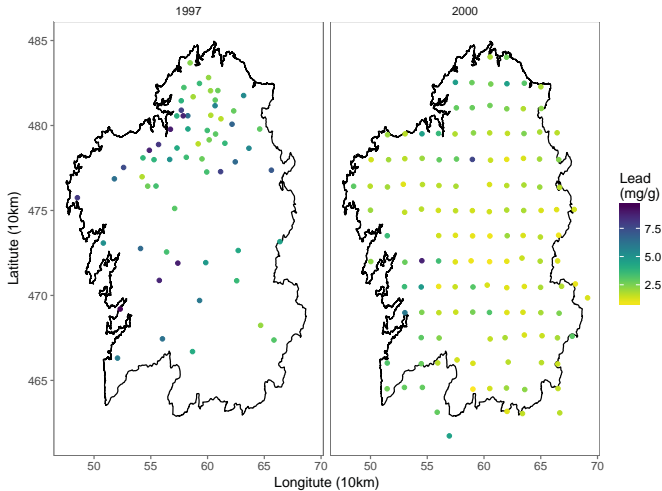
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1. Introduction (Motivations and goals)
2. Literature reviews
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4. Computing details and simulations
5. Real data analysis (Applications)
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Frameworks, Packages and Softwares (1)

R: geoR geoRglm spatial PrevMap
Ribeiro Jr & Diggle (2016); Christensen & Ribeiro Jr (2015); Ripley (2015); Giorgi & Diggle (2016)

Stan: Stan¹ interfaces with R (RStan), Python (PyStan), MATLAB (MatlabStan) and more
Gelman *et al.* (2015); Bob *et al.* (2017)

PyMC3: Probabilistic programming in Python using PyMC3
Salvatier *et al.* (2016)

Frameworks, Packages and Softwares (2)

JAGS: Just **A**nother **G**ibbs **S**ampler²

Bayesian hierarchical models using Markov chain Monte Carlo (MCMC)

BUGS: Bayesian inference **U**sing **G**ibbs **S**ampling, such as winBUGS, OpenBUGS

R-INLA: Integrated **N**ested **L**aplace **A**pproximations
Rue *et al.* (2009, 2016); Gómez-Rubio & Rue (2017)

¹<http://mc-stan.org/>

²https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Just_another_Gibbs_sampler

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