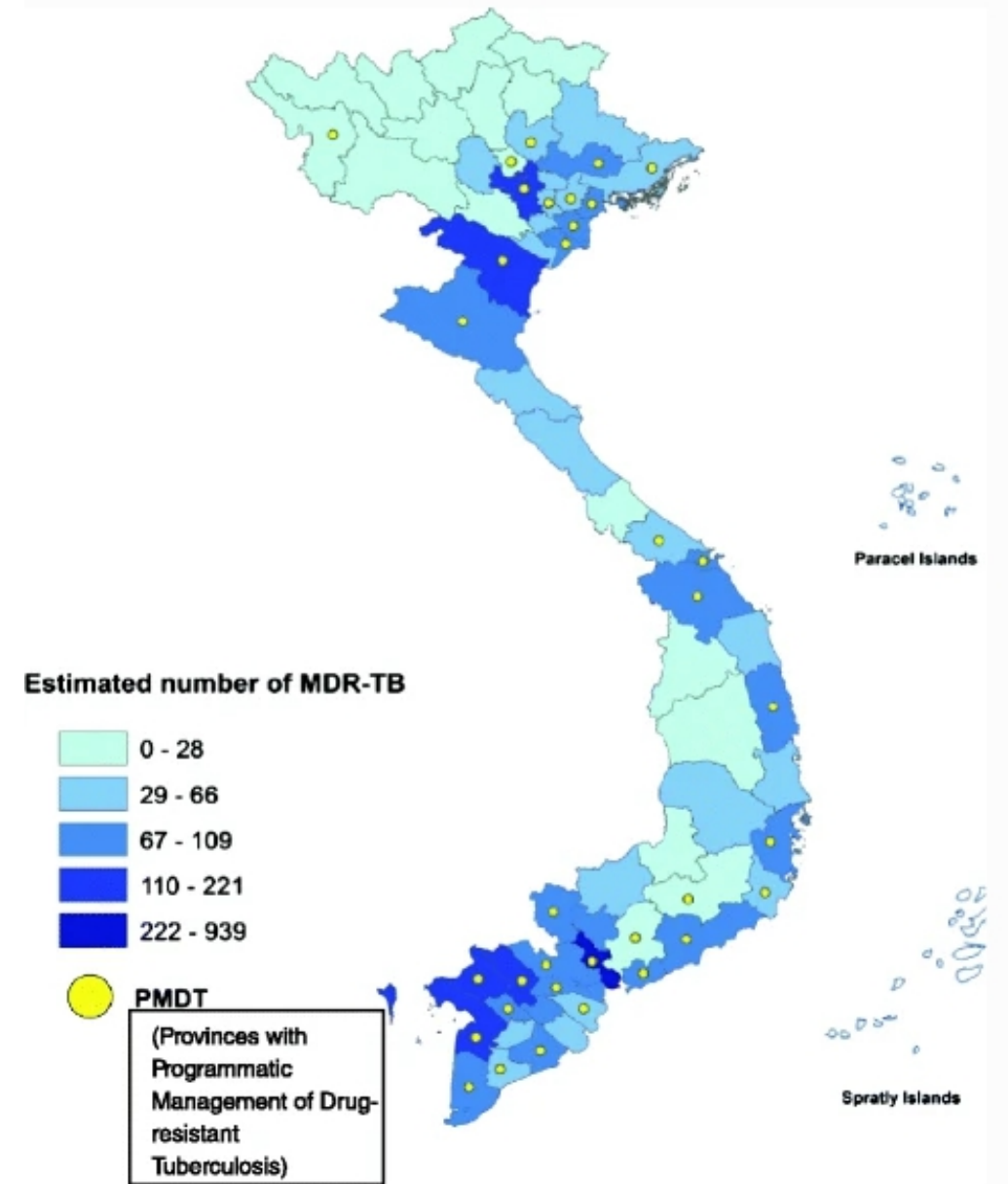
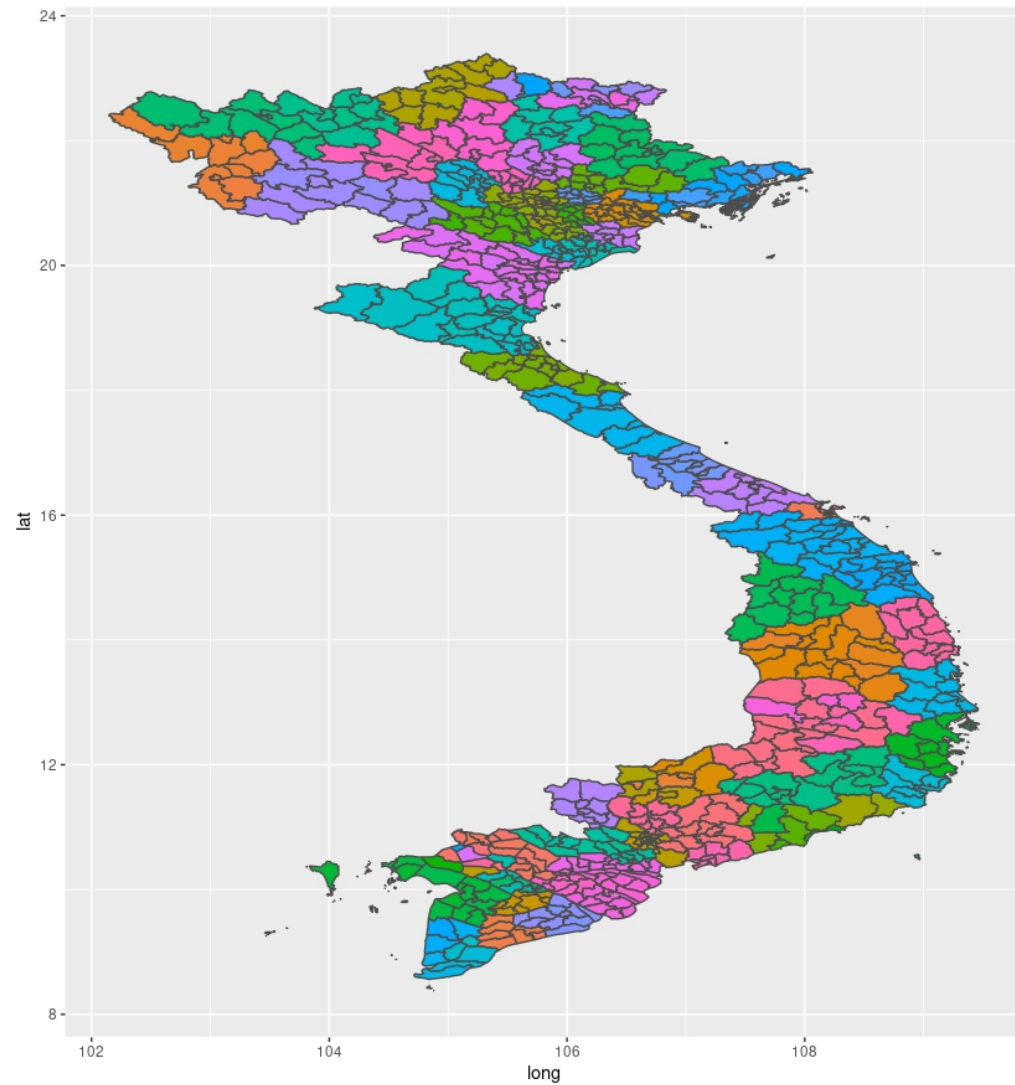


MAP AND LOCATION in R

DATA VISUALIZATION

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Introduction to map data

R is an great tool for geospatial data analysis. Heaps of dedicated packages exist. Building a map follows those 2 steps:

- Find data, load it in R: region boundaries can be stored in shapefiles or geoJSON files. Some R libraries also provide the data for the most common places.
- Manipulate and plot it: with packages like sp or ggplot2

<https://r-graph-gallery.com/168-load-a-shape-file-into-r.html>

<https://r-graph-gallery.com/325-background-map-from-geojson-format-in-r.html>

Introduction to map data

- Map visualization is used to analyze and display the geographically related data and present it in the form of maps. This kind of data expression is clearer and more intuitive. We can visually see the distribution or proportion of data in each region.
- Every location is identified by 2 numbers: Longitude (x-axis) and latitude (y-axis)
- Polygon can be applied to visualize the location.

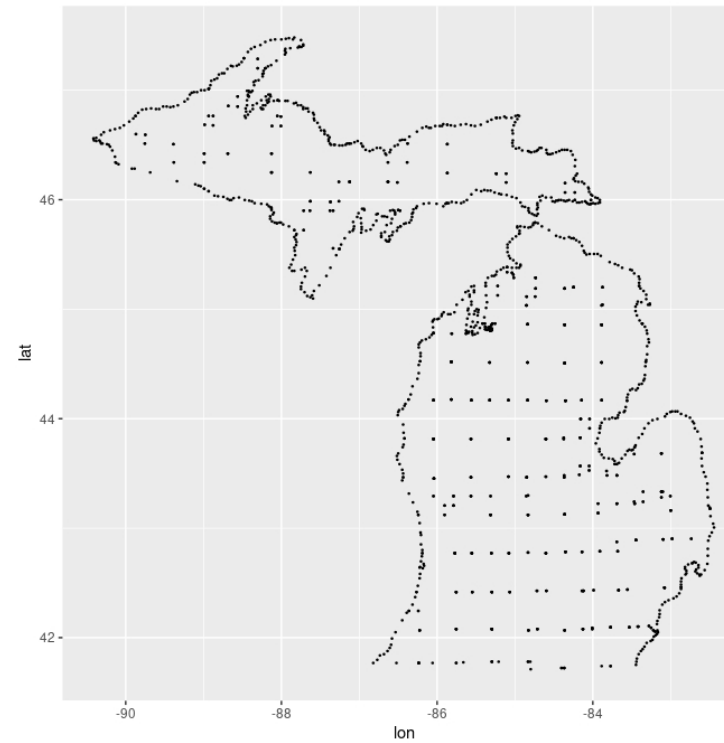
R packages

Packages	Function
sp	Defining spatial data classes
rgeos	Spatial data anipulation: area, perimeter, centroid, etc
rgdal	Basic functions (rarely uesd)
maps	Maping data
raster	Reading, writing, manipulating, analyzing and modeling of spatial data
ggplot2	Data visualization
viridis	Coloring data

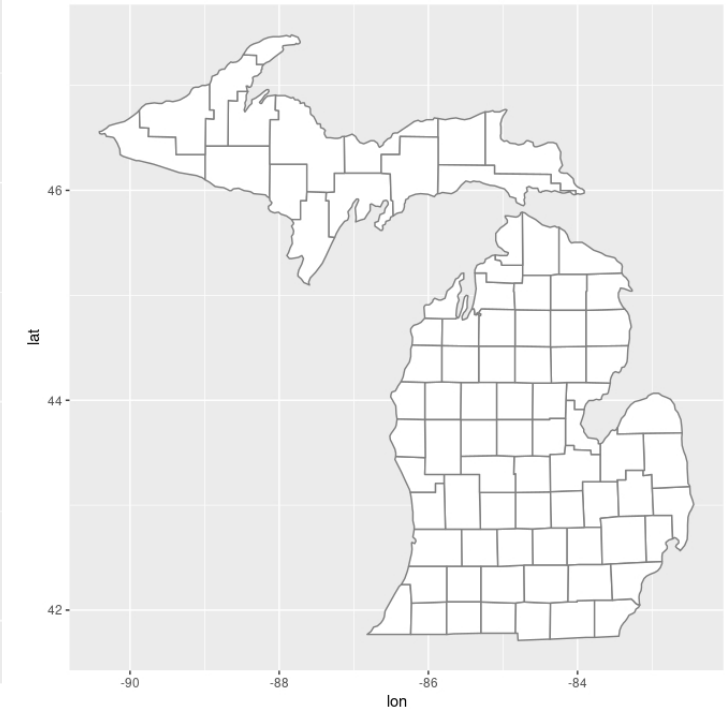
Polygon maps

- Perhaps the simplest approach to drawing maps is to use `geom_polygon()` to draw boundaries for different regions

```
> mi_counties <- map_data("county", "michigan")
> head(mi_counties)
   long    lat group order  region subregion
1 -83.88675 44.85686     1     1 michigan  alcona
2 -83.36536 44.86832     1     2 michigan  alcona
3 -83.36536 44.86832     1     3 michigan  alcona
4 -83.33098 44.83968     1     4 michigan  alcona
5 -83.30806 44.80530     1     5 michigan  alcona
6 -83.30233 44.77665     1     6 michigan  alcona
> 
```



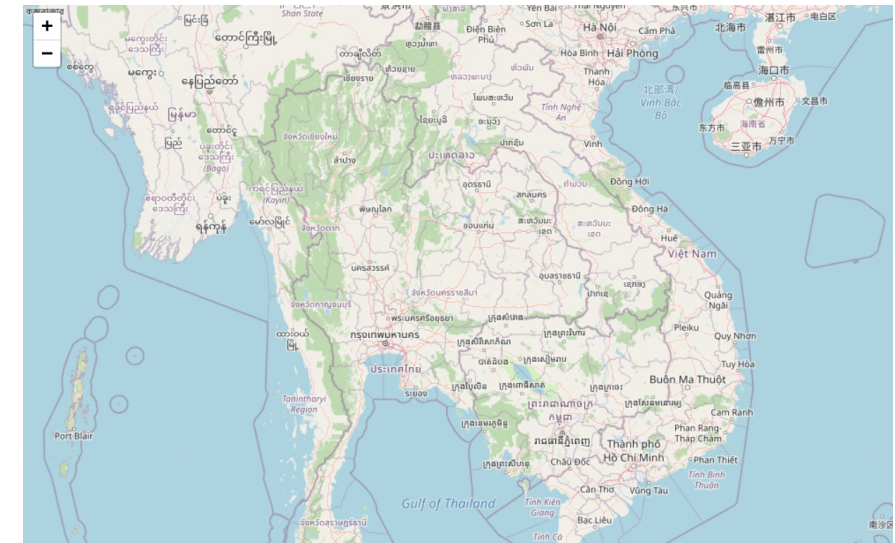
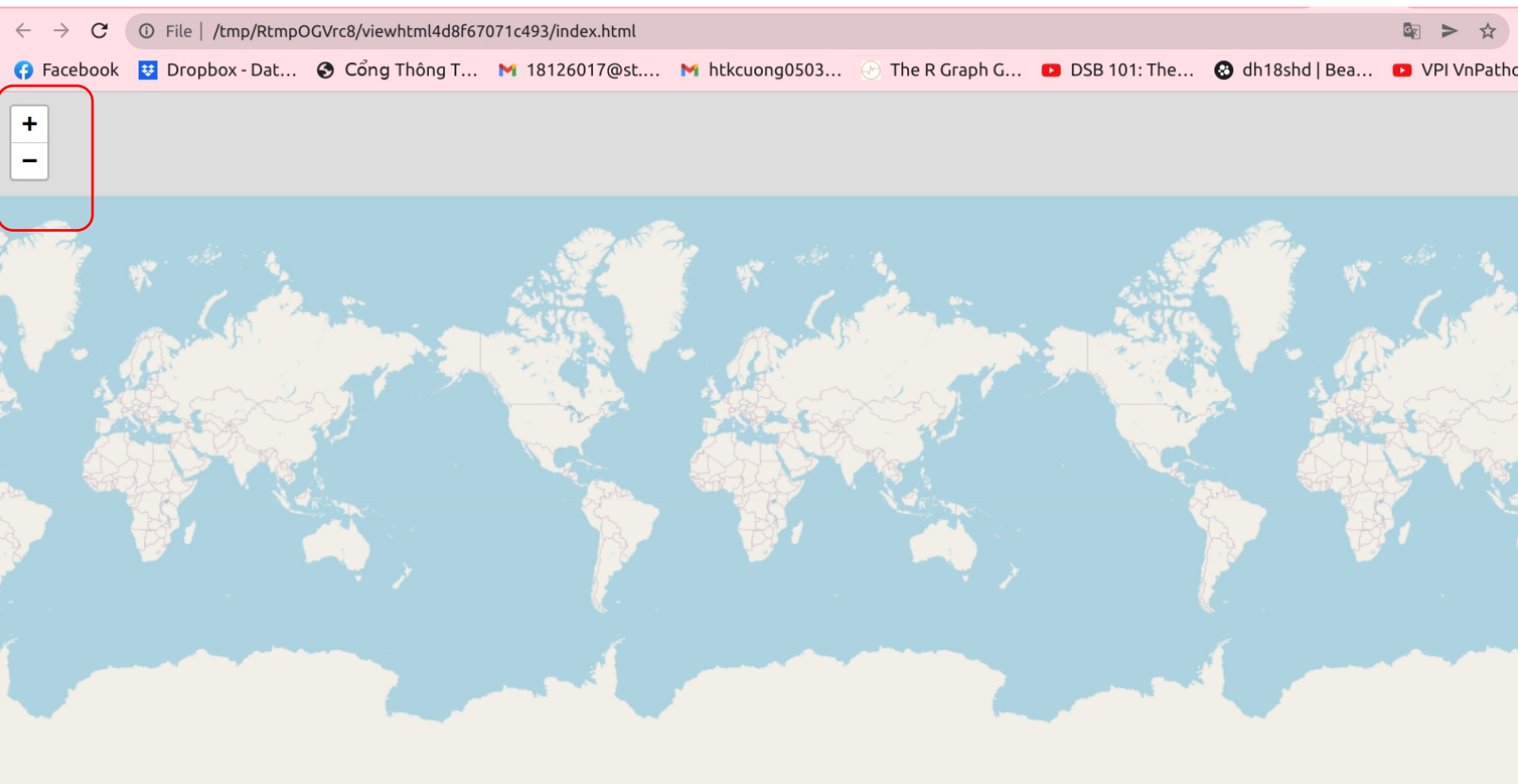
`geom_point`



`geom_polygon`

THE LEAFLET PACKAGE FOR INTERACTIVE MAPS

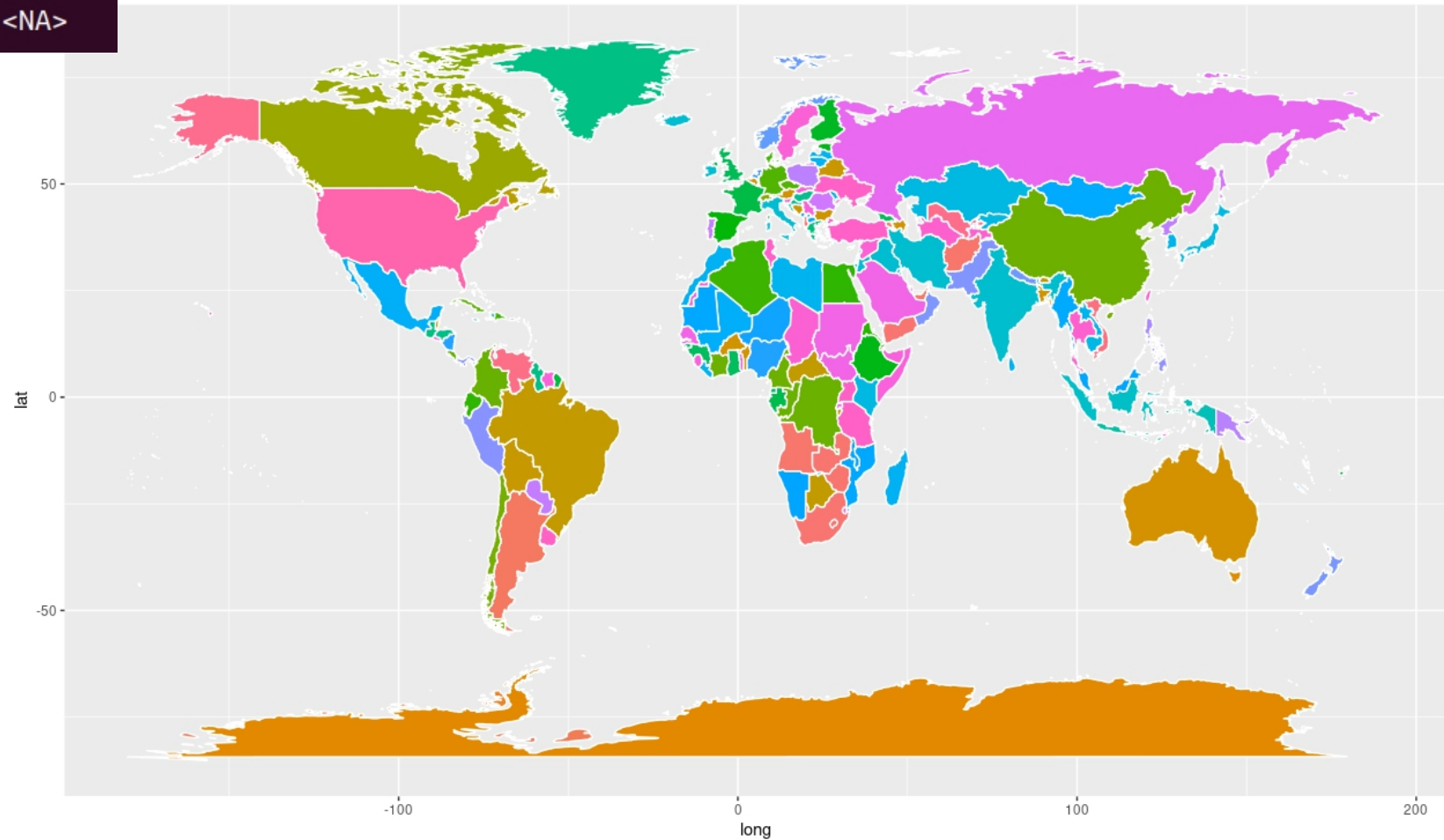
- library(leaflet)
- First initiate the map with the leaflet() function.
- Then add tiles with addTiles()
- By default, you get the map beside. See next charts to learn how to zoom on a zone, change background style.



World map

```
> library(ggplot2)
> worldmap <- map_data("world")
> head(worldmap)
```

	long	lat	group	order	region	subregion
1	-69.89912	12.45200	1	1	Aruba	<NA>
2	-69.89571	12.42300	1	2	Aruba	<NA>
3	-69.94219	12.43853	1	3	Aruba	<NA>
4	-70.00415	12.50049	1	4	Aruba	<NA>
5	-70.06612	12.54697	1	5	Aruba	<NA>
6	-70.05088	12.59707	1	6	Aruba	<NA>



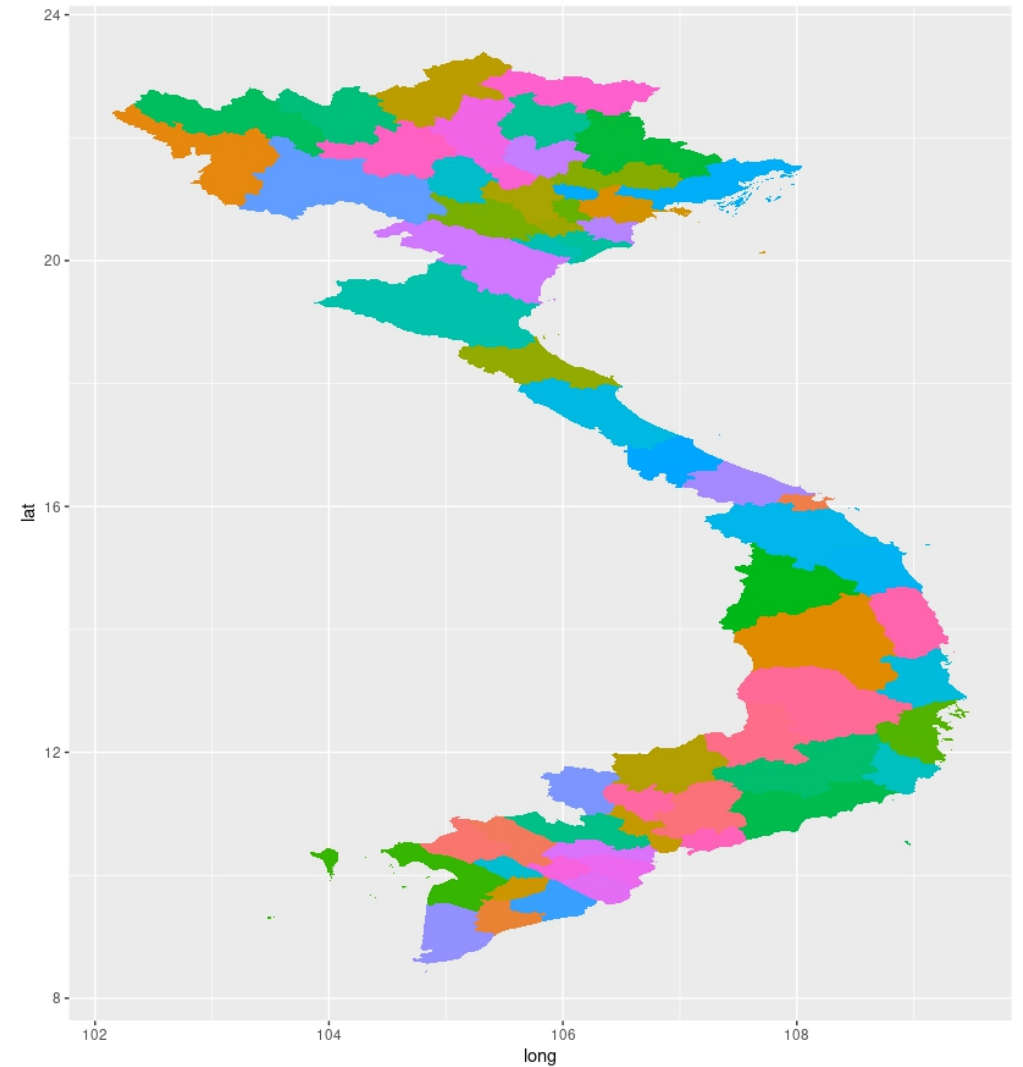
Vietnam map - level 1 (province)

```
> vnm <- getData("GADM",country="Vietnam", level=1) #level=1:province
>
> head(vnm)
```

	GID_0	NAME_0	GID_1	NAME_1	VARNAME_1	NL_NAME_1	TYPE_1	ENGTYPE_1	CC_1
1	VNM	Vietnam	VNM.1_1	An Giang	An Giang	<NA>	Tỉnh	Province	<NA>
12	VNM	Vietnam	VNM.2_1	Bạc Liêu	Bac Lieu	<NA>	Tỉnh	Province	<NA>
23	VNM	Vietnam	VNM.3_1	Bắc Giang	Bac Giang	<NA>	Tỉnh	Province	<NA>
34	VNM	Vietnam	VNM.4_1	Bắc Kạn	Bac Kan	<NA>	Tỉnh	Province	<NA>
45	VNM	Vietnam	VNM.5_1	Bắc Ninh	Bac Ninh	<NA>	Tỉnh	Province	<NA>
56	VNM	Vietnam	VNM.6_1	Bến Tre	Ben Tre	<NA>	Tỉnh	Province	<NA>

```
> head(vn)
```

	long	lat	order	hole	piece	id	group
1	105.3745	10.24604	1	FALSE	1	1	1.1
2	105.3362	10.23442	2	FALSE	1	1	1.1
3	105.3154	10.26842	3	FALSE	1	1	1.1
4	105.3120	10.27393	4	FALSE	1	1	1.1
5	105.3065	10.26894	5	FALSE	1	1	1.1
6	105.3013	10.27698	6	FALSE	1	1	1.1

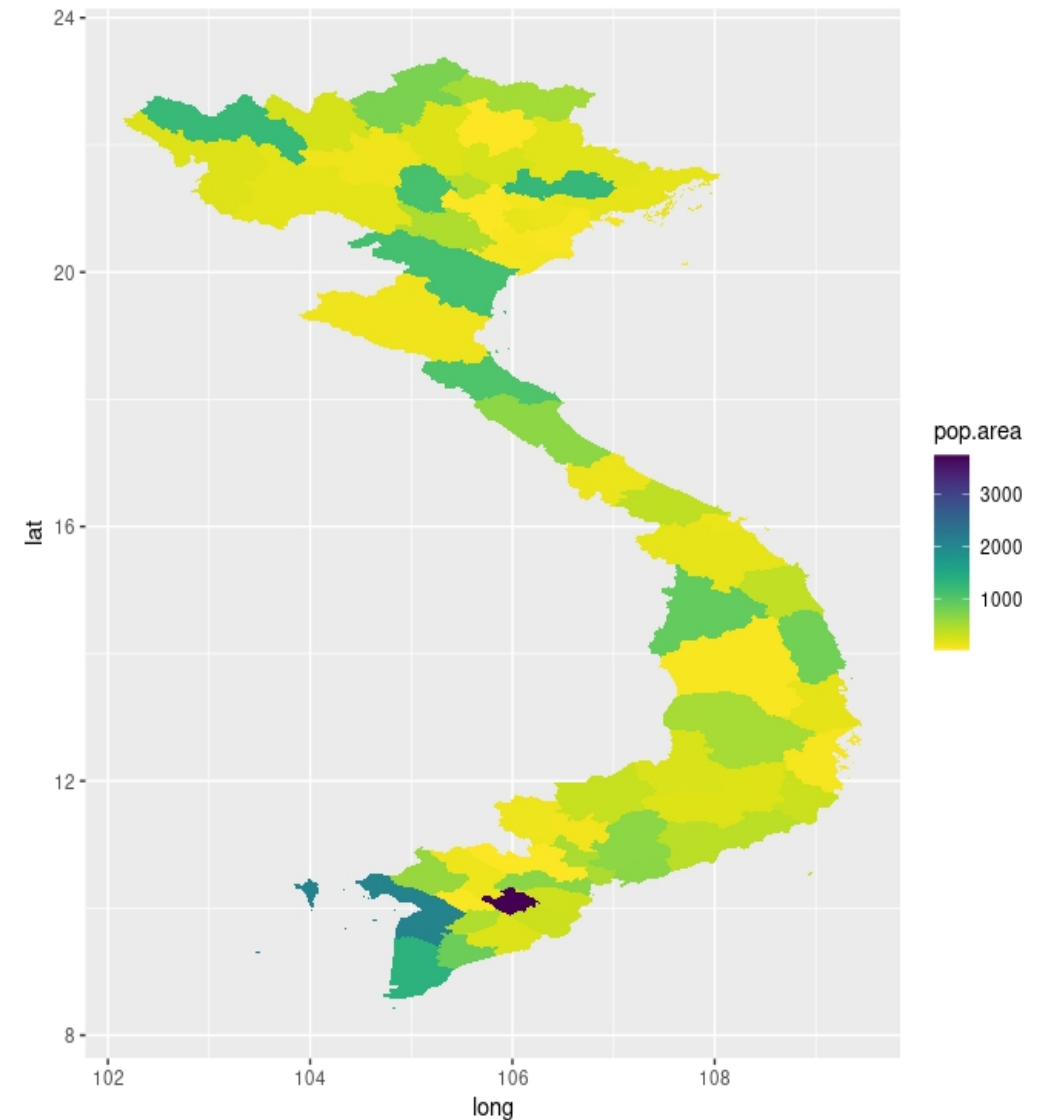


Vietnam map - with popolation data

```
> head(vn)
  long    lat order  hole piece id group
1 105.3745 10.24604   1 FALSE    1  1  1.1
2 105.3362 10.23442   2 FALSE    1  1  1.1
3 105.3154 10.26842   3 FALSE    1  1  1.1
4 105.3120 10.27393   4 FALSE    1  1  1.1
5 105.3065 10.26894   5 FALSE    1  1  1.1
6 105.3013 10.27698   6 FALSE    1  1  1.1
```

```
> head(pop)
# A tibble: 6 × 6
  province id value area pop pop.area
  <chr>   <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>   <dbl>
1 An Giang  1  29.8 3537. 2155.    609
2 Bạc Liêu  2  57.4 2469.  877.    355
3 Bắc Giang  3  53.1 3850. 1593.    414
4 Bắc Kạn   4  24.0 4859.  303.     62
5 Bắc Ninh  5  24.0  823. 1114.   1354
6 Bến Tre   6  46.2 2360. 1262.    535
```

```
vnn <- merge(vn, pop ,by="id")
head (vnn)
id    long    lat order  hole piece group province  value area pop
1 105.1566 10.82866   99 FALSE    1  1.1 An Giang 29.75787 3536.7 2155.3
1 105.1395 10.77125  102 FALSE    1  1.1 An Giang 29.75787 3536.7 2155.3
1 105.0755 10.77720   12 FALSE    1  1.1 An Giang 29.75787 3536.7 2155.3
1 105.1583 10.80932  100 FALSE    1  1.1 An Giang 29.75787 3536.7 2155.3
1 105.1601 10.78144  101 FALSE    1  1.1 An Giang 29.75787 3536.7 2155.3
1 105.0545 10.82912   27 FALSE    1  1.1 An Giang 29.75787 3536.7 2155.3
pop.area
609
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609
head(pop)
```

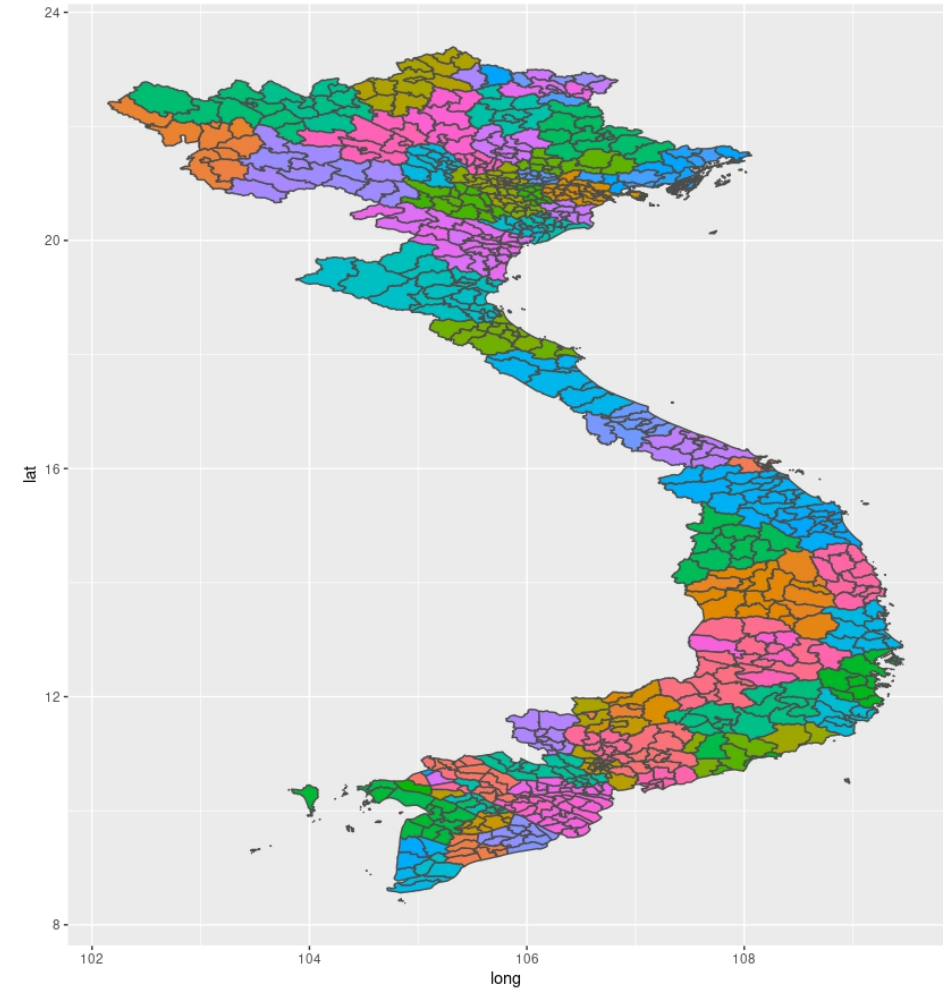


Vietnam map - level 2 (city/town)

```
> vnm <- getData("GADM",country="Vietnam", level=2) #level=2:city/town
> head(vnm)
```

	GID_0	NAME_0	GID_1	NAME_1	NL_NAME_1	GID_2	NAME_2	VARNAME_2
1	VNM	Vietnam	VNM.1_1	An Giang	<NA>	VNM.1.1_1	An Phú	An Phu
4	VNM	Vietnam	VNM.1_1	An Giang	<NA>	VNM.1.2_1	Chợ Mới	Cho Moi
5	VNM	Vietnam	VNM.1_1	An Giang	<NA>	VNM.1.3_1	Châu Đốc	Chau Doc
6	VNM	Vietnam	VNM.1_1	An Giang	<NA>	VNM.1.4_1	Châu Phú	Chau Phu
7	VNM	Vietnam	VNM.1_1	An Giang	<NA>	VNM.1.5_1	Châu Thành	Chau Thanh
8	VNM	Vietnam	VNM.1_1	An Giang	<NA>	VNM.1.6_1	Long Xuyên	Long Xuyen

	long	lat	order	hole	piece	id	group
1	105.1216	10.71159	1	FALSE	1	1	1.1
2	105.1147	10.71974	2	FALSE	1	1	1.1
3	105.1012	10.74415	3	FALSE	1	1	1.1
4	105.0979	10.76532	4	FALSE	1	1	1.1
5	105.0883	10.76043	5	FALSE	1	1	1.1
6	105.0882	10.76061	6	FALSE	1	1	1.1



Conclusion

- R is a powerful program for map visualization
- Key variables: longitude and latitude (packages raster)
- packages for plotting: ggplot2

