# Suitability Evaluation

NORTHEASTERN WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN, USA

A development plan maximizing land suitability and minimizing ecological impact.

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# I. Introduction

The Southeastern Michigan Council of Governments (SEMCOG) requested for a development plan maximizing land suitability and minimizing ecological impact in northeastern Washtenaw County. The 1995 land use data (Figure 1) show that 30.75% of the study area is unavailable; 4.67% of the plannable area is developed, 53.36% agricultural, 41.97% natural. SEMCOG proposed changes from the 1995 levels as follows: a decrease by 35% in agriculture, an increase by 30% in high-density development, and a decline by 24% in natural lands.

# Data source: SEMCOG, MIRIS, and USCA STATE CONTINUE Systems Mercator Data: 2012 Data: 20

Figure 1 study area

Our spatial analyst team create three suitability maps considering multiple criteria for each of agriculture, development, and nature using ArcGIS Model Builder. Next, we generate a conflict map and a future land-use map in Python's interactive development environment (IDLE). By editing the Python script, we are able to produce better results than using the prewritten ArcGIS tools in terms of validating data, customizing solution, and reducing repetition. This report presents the methods employed in our analysis of conflict and future land use, and discusses the results and limitations.

The data for northeastern Washtenaw County originated from Dr. Daniel Brown at the School of Natural Resources and Environment, University of Michigan. We utilized all the data listed in Table 1, which are all in Arc Grid format at a 30-meter spatial resolution. The land use data (Figure 1) feature an urban area in the northwest corner, two major roads, vast rural areas, and plenty of steams and wetlands.

Table 1 data files

File Name	Description	Source		
neaa	Ann Arbor City Limits	Census Bureau TIGER File		
neclayp	Percent clay in soils	USDA STATSGO soil database		
nedem	Digital elevation model	USGS 7.5-Minute quads		
nelu95	1995 land use*	SEMCOG		
landuse_legend.dbf	Text descriptions of land use codes	SEMCOG MI Natural Features		
nepreset	Presettlement vegetation*	Inventory		
nepublic	Public land areas	Compiled by SEMCOG		
neroads	Roads and Railroads*	MIRIS		
nesandp	Percent sand in soils	USDA STATSGO soil database		
nestream	Rivers, streams, lakes, and ponds*	MIRIS		
* Legend explaining numeric codes is attached to the end of this document.				

# II. Methods

Our team begin with modifying the Python script of the three ArcGIS models, which produce three rasters where plannable lands are assigned suitability values (integers from 1 to 100) for each of development, agriculture, or nature. Next, we code in Python to produce a conflict map, and a future land-use map based on the conflict map.

# i. Python Script and Environment

ArcGIS models can be conveniently exported as Python scripts; however, multiple error may occur when running the code in IDLE. We import necessary libraries for later calling functions, set the environment as appropriate for reading-writing and raster size, group blocks of code together following the model diagrams, and create or rename variables in accordance to the parameters used in context. The available IDLE (32-bit for ArcGIS) not being editor-friendly, we edit the scripts in Notepad++ and link them to our ArcGIS toolbox. The scripts are run significantly faster in ArcMap than in IDLE; more importantly, the results can be visualized and better managed in ArcMap.

# ii. Creating the Conflict Map

Our team produce a conflict map that shows where more than one criteria are high in suitability scores at the same location. The Python script (Appendix ii.) functions as an ArcGIS tool, requiring the input of raster data and producing the output of one raster map.

Our script first reads the input raster data and convert them to NumPy arrays—a data type in Numerical Python package supporting large arrays and complex operations (ArcMap, 2016). Since the input raster data are integers from 1 to 100, we consider a suitability score greater than 50 units as "a high score". Therefore, all the cells with "high scores" in each input raster are represented in the output conflict map. To record the conflicting locations, we create a zeros NumPy array <code>cflCount[row,col]</code> of the same size as our input raster arrays. We assign one value to a land-use "high scores" in the zeros array, and then add another value when a second "high score" occurs in the same cell (Table 2). This array is finally converted to a raster with values representing how the three types of land use are conflicting, and we can visualize the raster data in ArcMap.

Table 2 designing cflCount[row,col]

values				fina	al array	
initial value	0		dev only	1	dev+nat	6
high dev score	1		ag only	3	ag+nat	8
high ag score	ag score 3		nat only	5	dev+ag+nat	9
high nat score 5		dev+ag		4	all ≤50	10
			unavailable land (as the initial value) (			0

## iii. Producing the Land Use Model

We need to perform a decision rule to allocate land use despite the conflicts. Geographic information systems (GIS) can help to solve the conflicts between land use allocations (Kyem, 2002), and efficiently generate maps to support multi-actor policymaking (Carton, 2007). Our purpose of geocoding in Python is to allow more flexibility in our allocation than relying on ArcGIS tools. The output array (before being converted to raster) is created as a NumPy zeros array named *fluArray*. In the output land-use raster, value 0 represents unavailable lands, 1 development, 2 agriculture, and 3 nature.

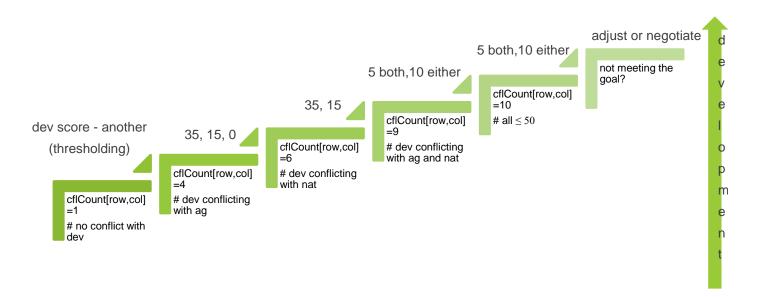


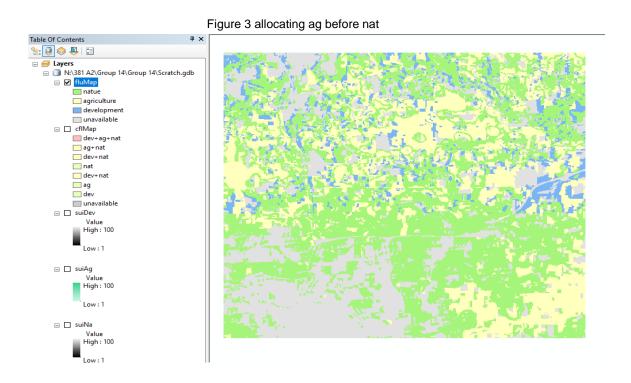
Figure 2 allocating development locations

Based on the conflict map, we follow a conflict resolution rule in our script. As explained in Assignment 1b, the conflict resolution rule allocates one land-use type (development prioritized in our case) first to non-conflicting locations, and second to

conflicting locations where its suitability score is the highest. However, with our target percentages in mind, if we still need more locations for development after these two stages of allocation, we can adjust our algorithm or criteria, or negotiate with SEMCOG for a change in their goal (Figure 2). We set up thresholds for conflicting areas so that allocations are first made at locations where development suitability is remarkably higher, and later made at locations with smaller value differences. For example, when dev conflicts with ag, we firstly assign value 1 to the all the elements in *fluArray* when the dev score is over 35 units greater than the ag score; secondly, when the dev score is over 15 units greater (but no greater than 35 units) than the ag score; finally, when the dev score is greater (but no greater than 15 units) than the ag score. This allocation process terminates when the number of 1 values in *fluArray* reaches the development goal (28905, or 10% of the plannable land).

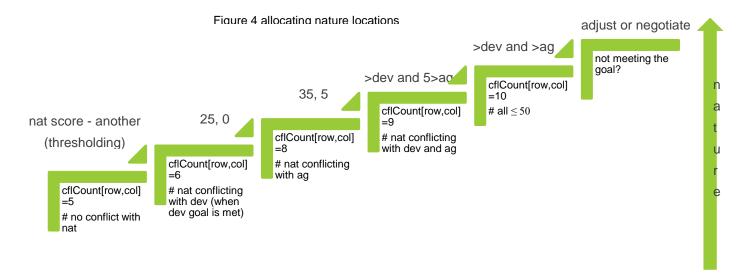
According to Assignment 1b, the conflict decision rule moves on to allocate agriculture land use after meeting the goal for development land use. We perform a similar allocation process to that shown in Figure 2; however, the result is not satisfying. Figure 3 shows the result when the code is run before modification: a number of wetlands are in the center of agricultural lands, which are circled by natural lands (green circles). It makes no logical sense to farm around wetlands and preserve the wetland beyond the "agricultural buffers". In addition, neither dev nor ag meet SEMCOG's goals (respectively about 500 cells and 1000 cells smaller than the target areas). In response to the surplus of nature land use, we modify the thresholds for several times to encourage development "at the cost of nature preservation" and to

restrict agriculture by increasing the ag-minus-nat threshold up to 45 units. Unfortunately, the "agricultural buffers" remain while the number of agricultural cells become even smaller.



Alternatively, we allocate nature land use before allocating agriculture locations. Figure 4 illustrates the allocation of nature land use, the idea is the same as mention above: first allocate the non-conflicted locations, and then allocate the higher-value conflicted locations with thresholds. To restrict the "sprawling" of agriculture as mentioned above, the value-difference thresholds are very small (disfavoring agriculture), to an extent comparable to how nature "annexes"(threshold towards 0)

the "leftover" (assuming the dev goal is met) development land use. When nature allocation ends, agriculture takes over all the remaining available locations.



### **Result and Discussion** III.

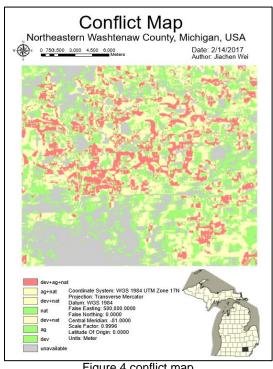


Figure 4 conflict map

Figure 4 is the conflict map featuring suitability scores over 50 units for the three types of land use. The green areas indicate "no conflicting land use" (37.94% of the available land), the yellow "two conflicting" (41.95%), and the red "all three conflicting" (20.11%). With reference to 1995 Land Use, the competitive areas (strips) are located in the northern suburb and towards northeast into the agriculture-dominated areas. Table 3 is the raster statistics generated by the Band Collection Statistics tool. However, given that the values in our conflict map represent additive markers (Table 1) rather than consistent spatial features, statistical measures like mean and standard deviation are not applicable to the interpretation of the data. Were we more forward-looking when designing or producing data, we could analyze the data with such simple statistic approaches.

Table 3 statistics of conflict map

			#		STATISTIC	S of INDIVI	DUAL LAYERS
F	#	Layer	MIN	MAX	MEAN	STD	
	#						
	Г	1	0.0000	9.0000	4.1029	3.4103	
	#						
	#		COVARIA	NCE MAT	RIX		
	#	Layer	1				
	#						
		1	11.46243				
	#						
	#		CORRELA	TAM NOITA	RIX		
	#	Layer	1				
	#						
		1	1.00000				
	#						

The red strips (three-competitor areas) tend to be surrounded by yellow (two-competitor) areas. This suggests a third suitability score suddenly appear high where the other two are dominant. Although basic statistics may not help us interpret the data, we can analyze these area objects in terms of adjacency and autocorrelation (O'Sullivan & Unwin, 2010). Moreover, we can change the color of the two-competitor areas to visually investigate why a third competitor gains advantage in a specific area (with reference to our criteria and weighting scheme).

Land use change has practically met SEMCOG's goal. Of the 289052 units of plannable land in 1995, 10% (28905 units) are aimed for development, 36% (104059 units) for agriculture, and 54% (156088 units) for nature preserve. In our future land use

map (Figure 5), of all the plannable land, 9.07% (28486 units) are for development, 41.92% (131574 units) for agriculture, and 49.01% (153833 units) for nature. A decline in agriculture land use is evident as proposed, natural land expands and interconnects in the northeastern corner of the study area, and development can be prioritized in the east—a blue aggregate on the right-hand side in the map, split by a major road and surrounded by agricultural land.

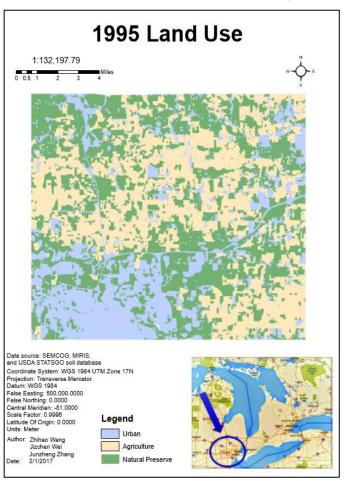
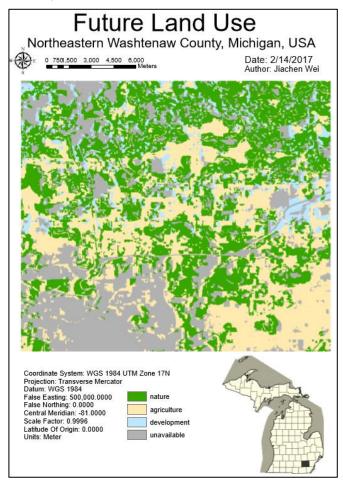


Figure 5 land use change



With 62.06% of the plannable land being conflicting, we should not neglect the imitations and uncertainties involved in our decision rule and the corresponding algorithm. First off, land-use noise is prevalent in the future land use map, especially in nature areas where the three types of land use strongly compete. This matter is not as simple as filtering out the noise and in-situ research is preferred to investigate how to balance the three criteria in these *noisy* areas. Second, uncertainty is inherent in thresholding. For example, it may not be reasonable to treat a 35-unit and a 34-unit difference as two separate categories. Also intrinsic to our algorithm, when traversing from array[0,0] to array[maxRow,maxCol], it is likely to allocate to smaller-difference locations (say, devag=35), and miss out the bigger-difference locations (say, dev-ag=49) because the number of dev cells reaches the goal before the more favorable locations in the array are visited. Third, we need to probe for the "perfect" thresholds to achieve the percentage goal and avoid logical mistakes. The exploring process can be inefficient, or even hopeless (as in the case where we put agriculture before nature). Fourth, it is advisable to alternate between "competitors" with comparable thresholds. For example, when allocating development locations, it makes sense to follow another sequence [dev-ag>25, dev-nat>35, dev-aq, dev-nat>15] instead of competing with one and then another. The thresholds can also be standardized through discussion with SEMCOG and review of relevant literature.

# IV. Appendix: the Python Script

# i. Exported Model

```
# -*- coding: utf-8 -*-
# -----
# suit_Nat.py
# Created on: 2017-02-10 21:00:00.00000
# (generated by ArcGIS/ModelBuilder)
# Usage: suit_Nat <nedem> <nelu95> <nestream> <nepreset> <suiNa>
# Description: generating nature suitability map
# Creator and Modifier: Jiachen Wei
# Import arcpy module
import arcpy
from arcpy import env
from arcpy.sa import *
arcpy.env.overwriteOutput = True
# Script arguments
nedem = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(0)
if nedem == '#' or not nedem:
  nedem = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\data\\nedem" # provide a default
value if unspecified
nelu95 = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(1)
if nelu95 == '#' or not nelu95:
  nelu95 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\data\\nelu95" # provide a default
value if unspecified
nestream = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(2)
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if nestream == '#' or not nestream:
  nestream = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\data\\nestream" # provide a
default value if unspecified
nepreset = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(3)
if nepreset == '#' or not nepreset:
  nepreset = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\data\\nepreset" # provide a default
value if unspecified
suiNa = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(4)
if suiNa == '#' or not suiNa:
  suiNa = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\suiNa" # provide a default value if
unspecified
# Local variables:
#Reclass_nelu3 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\scratch.gdb\\Reclass_nelu3"
#Output_direction_raster = ""
#Output direction raster 2 = ""
                                                                    14\\Group
na Slope nedem1
                                   "N:\\381
                                                  A2\\Group
                         =
14\\Scratch.gdb\\na_Slope_nedem1"
na_Slice_na_Slo1
                                                  A2\\Group
                                                                    14\\Group
                         =
                                  "N:\\381
14\\Scratch.gdb\\na Slice na Slo1"
na EucDist na r1
                                                  A2\\Group
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                                   "N:\\381
14\\Scratch.gdb\\EucDist_Recl2"
na_FuzzyMe_na_E1
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                                   "N:\\381
                                                   A2\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\na_FuzzyMe_na_E1"
v100 = "100"
na Times na Fuz1
                                                   A2\\Group
                                                                    14\\Group
                                   "N:\\381
14\\Scratch.gdb\\Times_na_Fuz1"
v101 = "101"
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A2\\Group
                                                              14\\Group
na EucDist nest1
                               "N:\\381
14\\Scratch.gdb\\na EucDist d2streams"
na Slice na Euc1
                               "N:\\381
                                             A2\\Group
                                                              14\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\na_Slice_na_Euc1"
na Minus 1 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\na Minus 1"
Reclass_nepr3 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Reclass_nepr3"
na_Weighte_na_S1
                                "N:\\381
                                              A2\\Group
                                                              14\\Group
                        =
14\\Scratch.gdb\\Weighte_na_S2"
Reclass_nelu4 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Reclass_nelu4"
na_Times_na_Wei1
                        =
                                "N:\\381
                                              A2\\Group
                                                              14\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\Times Weight3"
# Set Geoprocessing environments
# arcpy.env.scratchWorkspace = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb"
# arcpy.env.workspace = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb"
#-----distance to wetlands: one criterion in nature suitability
evaluation-----
# Process: Reclassify 1995 wetland using nelu95 data file
wetland_Reclassify = Reclassify(nelu95,
                                         "VALUE",
                                                   "111
                                                          NODATA;112
              NODATA:115
NODATA:113
                             NODATA:121
                                            NODATA:122
                                                          NODATA:124
NODATA;126
              NODATA;128
                             NODATA;131
                                           NODATA;134
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NODATA;220
              NODATA;230
                             NODATA;240
                                            NODATA;250
                                                          NODATA;290
NODATA:310
              NODATA:320
                             NODATA;412
                                            NODATA:421
                                                          NODATA;429
NODATA;510 NODATA;520 NODATA;530 NODATA;611 1;613 1;622 1;625 1",
"NODATA")
# Process: Euclidean Distance to wetland
arcpy.gp.EucDistance sa(wetland Reclassify, na EucDist na r1, "", "30", "")
# Process: Fuzzy Membership
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arcpy.gp.FuzzyMembership sa(na EucDist na r1,
                                                    na FuzzyMe na E1,
"LINEAR 4000 30", "NONE")
# Process: Times standarizing distance to welands
arcpy.gp.Times_sa(na_FuzzyMe_na_E1, v100, na_Times_na_Fuz1)
#-----distance to streams: one criterion in nature suitability evaluation-
-----
# Process: Euclidean Distance(2) to streams using nestream data file
arcpy.gp.EucDistance sa(nestream, na EucDist nest1, "", "30", "")
# Process: Slice (2) standarizing distance to streams
arcpy.gp.Slice sa(na EucDist nest1, na Slice na Euc1,
                                                                  "100",
"EQUAL_INTERVAL", "1")
# Process: 101 Minus rater values
arcpy.gp.Minus_sa(v101, na_Slice_na_Euc1, na_Minus_1)
#-----slope: one criterion in nature suitability evaluation-----slope:
# Process: Slope from DEM data
arcpy.gp.Slope sa(nedem, na Slope nedem1, "DEGREE", "1")
# Process: Slice slope data
arcpy.gp.Slice_sa(na_Slope_nedem1, na_Slice_na_Slo1,
                                                                  "100",
"EQUAL INTERVAL", "1")
#-----distance to wetlands: one criterion in nature suitability
evaluation-----
# Process: Reclassify (2) presettlement vegetation according to relative
importance
arcpy.gp.Reclassify_sa(nepreset, "VALUE", "3320 75;3360 75;4100 50;4121
50;4122 50;4123 50;4140 50;4200 50;4233 50;5100 100;5200 100;6122 100;6123
100;6221 100;6226 100;6227 100", Reclass nepr3, "DATA")
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#-----summing the criteria and adding availability constraint-----
      # Process: Weighted Sum
      arcpy.gp.WeightedSum_sa("'N:\\381
                                                 A2\\Group
                                                                     14\\Group
      14\\Scratch.gdb\\na_Slice_na_Slo1' Value 0.08;\N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group
      14\\Scratch.gdb\\Times_na_Fuz1' VALUE 0.64;\N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group
      14\\Scratch.gdb\\na_Minus_1' Value
                                                         A2\\Group
                                                                      14\\Group
                                           0.21;'N:\\381
      14\\scratch.gdb\\Reclass_nepr3' Value 0.07", na_Weighte_na_S1)
      # Process: Reclassify (3) available land
      arcpy.gp.Reclassify_sa(nelu95, "VALUE", "111 0;112 0;113 0;115 0;121 0;122
      0;124 0;126 0;128 0;131 0;134 0;138 0;141 0;142 0;144 0;145 0;146 0;171 1;172
      1;193 0;194 0;210 1;220 1;230 1;240 1;250 1;290 1;310 1;320 1;412 1;421 1;429
      1;510 0;520 0;530 0;611 0;613 0;622 0;625 0", Reclass_nelu4, "DATA")
      # Process: Times (2) weighted sum * available land
      arcpy.gp.Times_sa(na_Weighte_na_S1, Reclass_nelu4, na_Times_na_Wei1)
      # Process: Slice (3) standarizing the Times(2) result to 1-100
      suitNa=Slice(na_Times_na_Wei1, "100", "EQUAL_AREA", "1")
suitNa.save("N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\suiNa") #delete suitNa in
ArcGIS before running again
      # -*- coding: utf-8 -*-
      # -----
      # suit_Ag.py
      # Created on: 2017-02-10 14:02:49.00000
      # (generated by ArcGIS/ModelBuilder)
      # Usage: suit_Ag <nedem_> <nestream_> <neclayp_> <nelu95_> <suitAg>
      <AvailableLand>
      # Description: generating agriculture suitability map
      # Creator: Zhihao Wang
      #Modifier: Jiachen Wei
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# Import arcpy module
import arcpy
from arcpy import env
from arcpy.sa import *
arcpy.env.overwriteOutput = True
#arcpy.env.workspace = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\data\\"
# Script arguments
nedem_ = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(0)
if nedem == '#' or not nedem:
  nedem = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\data\\nedem" # provide a default
value if unspecified
nestream_ = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(1)
if nestream_ == '#' or not nestream_:
  nestream_ = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\data\\nestream" # provide a
default value if unspecified
neclayp_ = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(2)
if neclayp_ == '#' or not neclayp_:
  neclayp = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\data\\neclayp" # provide a default
value if unspecified
nelu95_ = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(3)
if nelu95 == '#' \text{ or not } nelu95 :
  nelu95_ = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\data\\nelu95" # provide a default
value if unspecified
suitAg = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(4)
if suitAg == '#' or not suitAg:
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suitAg = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\suitAg" # provide a default value if unspecified

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AvailableLand = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(5)
if AvailableLand == '#' or not AvailableLand:
  AvailableLand = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\AvailableLand"
# provide a default value if unspecified
# Local variables:
#Wetland = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Reclass_wet"
#Output direction raster = ""
Developed_Areas = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Reclass_dev"
#Output direction raster 2 = ""
#Output_direction_raster__3_ = ""
v101 = "101"
Scores_clay = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Scores_clay"
Slice_Scores1 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Slice_Scores1"
ag clay = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\ag clay"
#Slope = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Slope"
Scores_slope = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Scores_slope"
Slice_Scores3 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Slice_Scores2"
ag slope = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\ag slope"
#EucDist stream
                                  "N:\\381
                                                  A2\\Group
                                                                    14\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\EucDist_stream"
FuzzyMe_EucD4
                                  "N:\\381
                                                  A2\\Group
                                                                    14\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\FuzzyMe EucD4"
ag_stream = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\ag_stream"
#EucDist Wetland
                         =
                                   "N:\\381
                                                  A2\\Group
                                                                    14\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\EucDist_Wetland"
FuzzyMe EucD5
                                                  A2\\Group
                                                                    14\\Group
                                  "N:\\381
14\\Scratch.gdb\\FuzzyMe_EucD5"
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ag wetland = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\ag wetland"
#EucDist_dev = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\EucDist_dev"
Reclass EucD1
                              "N:\\381
                                             A2\\Group
                                                              14\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\Reclass_EucD1"
FuzzyMe EucD6
                                                              14\\Group
                               "N:\\381
                                             A2\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\FuzzyMe_EucD6"
ag_develpoed = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\ag_develpoed"
Minus_2 = "N:\381 A2\Group 14\Group 14\Scratch.gdb\Minus_2"
Con Reclass 3
                              "N:\\381
                                             A2\\Group
                                                              14\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\Con_Reclass_3"
ag dev = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\ag dev"
Weighte_ag_factors
                                "N:\\381
                                              A2\\Group
                                                              14\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\Weighte_ag_factors"
ag_landexisting = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\ag_existing"
Times Weight1
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                                             A2\\Group
                                                              14\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\Times_Weight1"
suitAg nonSlaced
                                             A2\\Group
                                                              14\\Group
                               "N:\\381
14\\Scratch.gdb\\Times Times 1"
#-----distance to wetlands: one criterion in agriculture suitability
evaluation-----
# Process: Reclassify (3) 1995 wetland
Wetland = Reclassify(nelu95_, "VALUE", "111 NODATA;112 NODATA;113
NODATA:115
              NODATA:121
                                            NODATA:124
                             NODATA:122
                                                          NODATA:126
NODATA;128
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                                                          NODATA;220
NODATA;230
              NODATA;240
                             NODATA;250
                                            NODATA;290
                                                          NODATA;310
NODATA;320
              NODATA;412
                             NODATA;421
                                            NODATA;429
                                                          NODATA;510
NODATA;520 NODATA;530 NODATA;611 1;613 1;622 1;625 1", "NODATA")
# Process: Euclidean Distance to wetland
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EucDist_Wetland= EucDistance(Wetland, "", "30", "")
# Process: Fuzzy Membership (2)
arcpy.gp.FuzzyMembership sa(EucDist Wetland, FuzzyMe EucD5, "LINEAR
300 1500", "SOMEWHAT")
# Process: Slice (2)
arcpy.gp.Slice_sa(FuzzyMe_EucD5, ag_wetland, "100", "EQUAL_INTERVAL",
"1")
#-----distance to development areas: one criterion in agriculture
suitability evaluation-----
# Process: Reclassify (2) development area
dev Reclassify=Reclassify(nelu95_, "VALUE", "111 1;112 1;113 1;115 1;121
1;122 1;124 1;126 1;128 1;131 1;134 1;138 1;141 1;142 1;144 1;145 1;146 1;171
0;172 0;193 1;194 1;210 NODATA;220 NODATA;230 NODATA;240 NODATA;250
NODATA:290
              NODATA;310
                             NODATA;320
                                            NODATA;412
                                                           NODATA;421
NODATA;429
              NODATA;510
                             NODATA;520
                                            NODATA;530
                                                           NODATA;611
NODATA;613 NODATA;622 NODATA;625 NODATA", "DATA")
# Process: Euclidean Distance (2) to development area
EucDist dev=EucDistance(dev Reclassify, "", "30", "")
# Process: Reclassify (6) distance to development areas
arcpy.gp.Reclassify_sa(EucDist_dev, "VALUE", "0 500 0;500 800 1;800 1200
2;1200 1500 3;1500 2000 4;2000 2020.717651 5", Reclass EucD1, "DATA")
# Process: Fuzzy Membership (3) distance to development areas
arcpy.gp.FuzzyMembership sa(EucDist dev. FuzzyMe EucD6.
                                                            "LINEAR 0
2020.71765136719", "SOMEWHAT")
# Process: Slice (3) standarizing distance to development areas
arcpy.gp.Slice sa(FuzzyMe EucD6, ag develpoed, "100", "EQUAL INTERVAL",
"1")
# Process: Minus (3) 101-standarized distance to development areas
arcpy.gp.Minus sa(v101, ag develpoed, Minus 2)
# Process: Con to conditionally combine distance to development areas
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arcpy.gp.Con sa(Reclass EucD1, ag develpoed, Con Reclass 3, Minus 2,
"VALUE < 4")
# Process: Slice (7) Con result
arcpy.gp.Slice_sa(Con_Reclass_3, ag_dev, "100", "EQUAL_INTERVAL", "1")
#-----distance to streams: one criterion in agriculture suitability
evaluation-----
# Process: Euclidean Distance (3) from streams data
EucDist stream = EucDistance(nestream , "", "30", "")
# Process: Fuzzy Membership distance to streams
arcpy.gp.FuzzyMembership sa(EucDist stream, FuzzyMe EucD4, "LINEAR 300
1500", "NONE")
# Process: Slice (4) distance to streams
arcpy.Slice_3d(FuzzyMe_EucD4, ag_stream, "100", "EQUAL_INTERVAL", "1")
#-----clay content: one criterion in agriculture suitability evaluation----
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# Process: Reclassify (8) clay content
arcpy.gp.Reclassify_sa(neclayp_, "VALUE", "9 1;10 1;11 1;15 2;24 3;30 3",
Scores_clay, "DATA")
# Process: Slice (5) Reclassify (8) result
arcpy.gp.Slice sa(Scores clay, Slice Scores1, "100", "EQUAL INTERVAL", "1")
# Process: Minus (2) 101-clay
arcpy.gp.Minus_sa(v101, Slice_Scores1, ag_clay)
#-----slope: one criterion in agriculture suitability evaluation------
# Process: Slope
na_Slope_nedem1=Slope(nedem_, "DEGREE", "1")
# Process: Reclassify (4) slope
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Scores slope=Reclassify(na Slope nedem1, "VALUE", "0 3 1;3 5 2;5 8 3;8 15 4",
"DATA")
# Process: Slice slope
arcpy.gp.Slice_sa(Scores_slope, Slice_Scores3, "100", "EQUAL_INTERVAL",
"1")
# Process: Minus 101-standarized slope
arcpy.gp.Minus_sa(v101, Slice_Scores3, ag_slope)
#-----summing the criteria, and adding agricultue and availability
constraint-----
# Process: Weighted Sum
arcpy.gp.WeightedSum_sa("'N:\\381
                                             A2\\Group
                                                                   14\\Group
                                                     A2\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\ag_clay'
                                                                  14\\Group
                           Value
                                     0.18;'N:\\381
14\\Scratch.gdb\\ag_slope'
                                                     A2\\Group
                                                                  14\\Group
                            Value
                                     0.44;'N:\\381
14\\Scratch.gdb\\ag stream'
                             Value
                                      0.11;'N:\\381
                                                     A2\\Group
                                                                   14\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\ag_wetland'
                              Value
                                      0.11;'N:\\381
                                                      A2\\Group
                                                                   14\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\ag_dev' VALUE 0.15", Weighte_ag_factors)
# Process: Reclassify 1995 agricultual land as a constraint
arcpy.gp.Reclassify_sa(nelu95_, "VALUE", "111 0;112 0;113 0;115 0;121 0;122
0;124 0;126 0;128 0;131 0;134 0;138 0;141 0;142 0;144 0;145 0;146 0;171 0;172
0;193 0;194 0;210 1;220 1;230 1;240 1;250 1;290 1;310 0;320 0;412 0;421 0;429
0;510 0;520 0;530 0;611 0;613 0;622 0;625 0", ag landexisting, "DATA")
# Process: Times(1) Weighted Sum * 1995 agricultual land
arcpy.gp.Times sa(Weighte ag factors, ag landexisting, Times Weight1)
# Process: Reclassify (5) available land
arcpy.gp.Reclassify_sa(nelu95_, "VALUE", "111 0;112 0;113 0;115 0;121 0;122
0;124 0;126 0;128 0;131 0;134 0;138 0;141 0;142 0;144 0;145 0;146 0;171 1;172
1;193 0;194 0;210 1;220 1;230 1;240 1;250 1;290 1;310 1;320 1;412 1;421 1;429
1;510 0;520 0;530 0;611 0;613 0;622 0;625 0", AvailableLand, "DATA")
# Process: Times (2) available land * Times(1) result
arcpy.gp.Times_sa(Times_Weight1, AvailableLand, suitAg_nonSlaced)
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# Process: Slice (6) result of Times(2)
      suitAg=Slice(suitAg_nonSlaced, "100", "EQUAL_AREA", "1")
suitAg.save("N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\suiAg")
      # -*- coding: utf-8 -*-
      # -----
      # suit_Dev.py
      # Created on: 2017-02-10 14:01:13.00000
      # (generated by ArcGIS/ModelBuilder)
      # Usage: suit_Dev <nepublic> <suitDEV> <nedem> <nestream> <nelu95>
      <neaa> <neroads>
      # Description: generating development suitability map
      # Creator: Junzheng Zhang
      #Modifier: Jiachen Wei
      # Import arcpy module
      import arcpy
      from arcpy import env
      from arcpy.sa import *
      arcpy.env.overwriteOutput = True
      # Script arguments
      nepublic = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(0)
      if nepublic == '#' or not nepublic:
        nepublic = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\data\\nepublic" # provide a default
      value if unspecified
      suitDEV = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(1)
      if suitDEV == '#' or not suitDEV:
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suitDEV = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\suiDev" # provide a
default value if unspecified
nedem = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(2)
if nedem == '#' or not nedem:
  nedem = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\data\\nedem" # provide a default
value if unspecified
nestream = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(3)
if nestream == '#' or not nestream:
  nestream = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\data\\nestream" # provide a
default value if unspecified
nelu95 = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(4)
if nelu95 == '#' or not nelu95:
  nelu95 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\data\\nelu95" # provide a default
value if unspecified
neaa = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(5)
if neaa == '#' or not neaa:
  neaa = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\data\\neaa" # provide a default value
if unspecified
neroads = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(6)
if neroads == '#' or not neroads:
  neroads = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\data\\neroads" # provide a default
value if unspecified
# Local variables:
###Output distance raster = ""
Reclass_aa = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Reclass_neaa1"
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#Output_distance_raster__2_ = ""
Reclass_pub = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Reclass_nepu1"
##Output_distance_raster__3_ = ""
Reclass_nero1 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Reclass_nero1"
#Output_distance_raster__4_ = ""
Reclass_dev = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Reclass_nelu1"
#Output distance raster 5 = ""
Reclass_wetland
                                                 A2\\Group
                                                                   14\\Group
                        =
                                 "N:\\381
14\\Scratch.gdb\\Reclass nelu2"
#Output_distance_raster__6_ = ""
v101 = "101"
dev_1 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Slope_nedem1"
slopescore = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Reclass Slop1"
dev_15 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.qdb\\Slice Reclas1"
Minus slope = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Minus 1"
EucDist_stream = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\EucDist_nest1"
dev 13 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\FuzzyMe EucD1"
stream = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Slice FuzzyM1"
v101 = "101"
EucDist dev = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\EucDist Recl1"
dev 18 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.qdb\\FuzzyMe EucD2"
dev 19 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Slice FuzzyM2"
Minus dev = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Minus 3"
                                 "N:\\381
                                                 A2\\Group
                                                                   14\\Group
EucDist wetland
14\\Scratch.gdb\\EucDist_Recl2"
dev 21 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.qdb\\FuzzyMe EucD3"
wetland = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Slice FuzzyM3"
v101 _ = "101"
EucDist_aa = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\EucDist_Recl3"
dev 23 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.qdb\\FuzzyMe EucD7"
dev 24 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Slice FuzzyM4"
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Minus aa = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Minus 4"
v101 = "101"
EucDist_pub = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\EucDist_Recl4"
dev_25 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\FuzzyMe_EucD8"
dev 26 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Slice FuzzyM5"
Minus_public = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Minus_5"
v101____ = "101"
EucDist_road = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\EucDist_Recl5"
dev 28 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.qdb\\FuzzyMe EucD9"
dev_29 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Slice_FuzzyM6"
Minus road = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Minus 6"
dev_31 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Weighte_Minu1"
dev_32 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Reclass_nelu3"
dev_33 = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\Times_Weight2"
#-----distance to streams: one criterion in development suitability
evaluation-----
# Process: Euclidean Distance to streams
arcpy.gp.EucDistance_sa(nestream, EucDist_stream, "", "30", "")
# Process: Fuzzy Membership for distance to streams
arcpy.gp.FuzzyMembership_sa(EucDist_stream, dev_13, "LINEAR 100 500",
"SOMEWHAT")
# Process: Slice standardizing distance to streams
arcpy.gp.Slice sa(dev 13, stream, "100", "EQUAL INTERVAL", "1")
#-----distance to city: one criterion in development suitability
evaluation-----
# Process: Reclassify (3) urban area
arcpy.gp.Reclassify_sa(neaa, "VALUE", "0 0.500000 NODATA;0.500000 1 1",
Reclass aa, "DATA")
# Process: Euclidean Distance (2) to Ann Arbor
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arcpy.gp.EucDistance sa(Reclass aa, EucDist aa, "", "30", "")
# Process: Fuzzy Membership (4) for distance to Ann Arbor
arcpy.gp.FuzzyMembership sa(EucDist aa, dev 23, "LINEAR 500 2000",
"SOMEWHAT")
# Process: Slice(5) Fuzzy Membership (4) result
arcpy.gp.Slice sa(dev 23, dev 24, "100", "EQUAL INTERVAL", "1")
# Process: Minus(3) 101-Slice(5) result
arcpy.gp.Minus_sa(v101___, dev_24, Minus_aa)
#-----distance to public land: one criterion in development suitability
evaluation-----
# Process: Reclassify (4) public land
arcpy.gp.Reclassify_sa(nepublic, "VALUE", "0 0.500000 NODATA;0.500000 1 1",
Reclass pub, "DATA")
# Process: Euclidean Distance (3) to public land
arcpy.gp.EucDistance_sa(Reclass_pub, EucDist_pub, "", "30", "")
# Process: Fuzzy Membership (5) for distance to public land
arcpy.gp.FuzzyMembership sa(EucDist pub, dev 25, "LINEAR 300 1500",
"SOMEWHAT")
# Process: Slice (6) Fuzzy Membership (5) result
arcpy.gp.Slice_sa(dev_25, dev_26, "100", "EQUAL_INTERVAL", "1")
# Process: Minus (4) 101- Slice (6) result
arcpy.gp.Minus_sa(v101____, dev_26, Minus_public)
#-----distance to major roads: one criterion in development suitability
evaluation-----
# Process: Reclassify (5) major roads
arcpy.gp.Reclassify sa(neroads, "VALUE", "2 NODATA;3 1;4 NODATA;9
NODATA;18 1", Reclass_nero1, "DATA")
# Process: Euclidean Distance (4) to major roads
arcpy.gp.EucDistance sa(Reclass nero1, EucDist road, "", "30", "")
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# Process: Fuzzy Membership (6) for distance to major roads
arcpy.gp.FuzzyMembership sa(EucDist road, dev 28, "LINEAR 300 1500",
"SOMEWHAT")
# Process: Slice (7) Fuzzy Membership (6) result
arcpy.gp.Slice sa(dev 28, dev 29, "100", "EQUAL INTERVAL", "1")
# Process: Minus (5) 101 - Slice (7) result
arcpy.gp.Minus_sa(v101____, dev_29, Minus_road)
#-----distance to development land: one criterion in development
suitability evaluation-----
# Process: Reclassify development land
arcpy.gp.Reclassify_sa(nelu95, "VALUE", "111 170 1;170 180 NODATA;180 200
1;200 625 NODATA", Reclass_dev, "DATA")
# Process: Euclidean Distance (5) to development land
arcpy.gp.EucDistance sa(Reclass dev, EucDist dev, "", "30", "")
# Process: Fuzzy Membership (2) for distance to development land
arcpy.gp.FuzzyMembership_sa(EucDist_dev, dev_18, "LINEAR 500 2000",
"SOMEWHAT")
# Process: Slice (3) standardizing distance to distance to development land
arcpy.gp.Slice sa(dev 18, dev 19, "100", "EQUAL INTERVAL", "1")
# Process: Minus (2) 101-slice(3) result
arcpy.gp.Minus sa(v101, dev 19, Minus dev)
#-----distance to wetland: one criterion in development suitability
evaluation-----
# Process: Reclassify (2) wetland 1995
arcpy.gp.Reclassify_sa(nelu95, "VALUE", "111 600 NODATA;600 625 1",
Reclass wetland, "DATA")
# Process: Euclidean Distance(6) to wetland 1995
arcpy.gp.EucDistance sa(Reclass wetland, EucDist wetland, "", "30", "")
# Process: Fuzzy Membership (3) for distance to wetland 1995
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arcpy.gp.FuzzyMembership sa(EucDist wetland, dev 21, "LINEAR 300 1000",
"SOMEWHAT")
# Process: Slice (4) Fuzzy Membership(3) result
arcpy.gp.Slice_sa(dev_21, wetland, "100", "EQUAL_INTERVAL", "1")
#-----slope: one criterion in development suitability evaluation------
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# Process: Slope from dem data
arcpy.gp.Slope_sa(nedem, dev_1, "DEGREE", "1")
# Process: Reclassify (6) slope
arcpy.gp.Reclassify sa(dev 1, "Value", "0 0.300000 2;0.300000 2 1;2 5 2;5 10
3;10 25 4;25 70.671387 5", slopescore, "DATA")
# Process: Slice(2) standardizing slope
arcpy.gp.Slice sa(slopescore, dev 15, "100", "EQUAL INTERVAL", "1")
# Process: Minus 101-slope scores
arcpy.gp.Minus_sa(v101, dev_15, Minus_slope)
#-----summing the criteria and adding availability constraint------
# Process: Weighted Sum
arcpy.gp.WeightedSum_sa("'N:\\381
                                             A2\\Group
                                                                  14\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\Minus 1'
                                                                  14\\Group
                           Value
                                    0.028;'N:\\381
                                                     A2\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\Slice FuzzyM1' Value 0.065;'N:\\381 A2\\Group
                                                                  14\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\Minus_3'
                                                     A2\\Group
                                                                  14\\Group
                           Value
                                    0.129;'N:\\381
14\\Scratch.gdb\\Slice_FuzzyM3' Value 0.049;'N:\\381 A2\\Group
                                                                  14\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\Minus 4'
                           Value
                                    0.186;'N:\\381
                                                     A2\\Group
                                                                  14\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\Minus 5'
                           Value
                                    0.336;'N:\\381
                                                     A2\\Group
                                                                  14\\Group
14\\Scratch.gdb\\Minus 6' Value 0.207", dev 31)
# Process: Reclassify (7) available land
arcpy.gp.Reclassify_sa(nelu95, "VALUE", "111 150 0;150 180 1;180 200 0;200
450 1;450 625 0", dev_32, "DATA")
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# Process: Times Weighted Sum*Reclassify (7) result arcpy.gp.Times_sa(dev_31, dev_32, dev_33)
# Process: Slice (8) standarizing Times result suitDev=Slice(dev_33, "100", "EQUAL_AREA", "1")
suitDev.save("N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\suiDev")
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# ii. The Conflict Map and the Future Land Use Map

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# -----
# conflictMap.py
# Created on: 2017-02-10 19:45:15.00000
# Acknowledgements: suit_Ag created by Zhihao Wang, suit_Dev created by
Junzheng Zhang, and instuctions fot Assignment 1b and 2 from Derek T. Robinson
# Purpose: to generate conflict map
# Usage: suiAg,suiDev,suiNa
# Description: conflicting locations are where more than one suitability maps reach
>50 at this location
# Creator: Jiachen Wei
# Preconditions: input 3 raster maps where suitability values are integers from 1 to
100, with 1 accounting for unavailable/unplannable lands
# Postconditions:
#
            conflict map from cflCount[][] where unavailable=0, dev=1, ag=3,
nat=5, dev+ag=4, dev+nat=6, ag+nat=8, all conflicting=9, available and none>50
=10
           future land use map from fluArray where unavailable=0, dev=1, ag=2,
nat=3 (devGoal cells, agGoal cells, remaining cells)
# -----
# Import library and set envrionment
import time
import numpy
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import arcpy
from arcpy import env
from arcpy.sa import *
arcpy.env.overwriteOutput = True
arcpy.env.cellSize = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\suiDev"
arcpy.env.snapRaster = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\suiDev"
arcpy.env.extent = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\suiDev"
startTime=time.time()
# string object containing address for reaster files
suiDev = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(0)
if suiDev == '#' or not suiDev:
  suiDev = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\suiDev" # provide a
default value if unspecified
suiAg = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(1)
if suiAg == '#' or not suiAg:
  suiAg = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\suiAg" # provide a
default value if unspecified
suiNa = arcpy.GetParameterAsText(2)
if suiNa == '#' or not suiNa:
  suiNa = "N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\suiNa" # provide a
default value if unspecified
#-----read raster and convert to numpy arrays-----read raster and convert to numpy arrays-----
raster2arrayStartTime=time.time()
# RasterToNumPyArray (in raster, {lower left corner}, {ncols}, {nrows},
{nodata_to_value})
devRaster= arcpy.Raster(suiDev)
lowerLeft = arcpy.Point(devRaster.extent.XMin, devRaster.extent.YMin)
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devArray=arcpy.RasterToNumPyArray(devRaster,lowerLeft,"","","")
agRaster= arcpy.Raster(suiAg)
lowerLeft = arcpy.Point(agRaster.extent.XMin, agRaster.extent.YMin)
agArray=arcpy.RasterToNumPyArray(agRaster,lowerLeft,"","","")
natRaster= arcpy.Raster(suiNa)
lowerLeft = arcpy.Point(natRaster.extent.XMin, natRaster.extent.YMin)
natArray=arcpy.RasterToNumPyArray(natRaster,lowerLeft,"","","")
print "read and convert: "+ str(time.time()-raster2arrayStartTime)+"seconds"
#-----create the conflict map-----
cflMapStartTime=time.time()
#addressing difference in row and column numbers of the three arrays
devRows=devArray.shape[0]
                               #608
devCols=devArray.shape[1]
                               #702
print "devRows =" +str(devRows) + " devCols =" +str(devCols)
agRows=agArray.shape[0]
                               #607
agCols=agArray.shape[1]
                               #710
print "agRows =" +str(agRows) + " agCols =" +str(agCols)
natRows=natArray.shape[0]
                               #607
natCols=natArray.shape[1]#710
print "natRows =" +str(natRows) + " natCols =" +str(natCols)
numRows=min(devRows,agRows,natRows) #minimum number of cells
numCols=min(devCols,agCols,natCols)
#generating the conflict array (the mismatching rows and columns are deleted)
cflCount=numpy.zeros((numRows, numCols)) #a numpy array of 0
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#chunk statements by proper indentation
#range() from 0 to row-1
for row in range(numRows):
for col in range(numCols):
       if devArray[row,col]>50:
       cflCount[row,col]= cflCount[row,col]+1
             #devCount= devCount+1
             #print str(devArray[row,col])+" "+str(cflCount[row,col])
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
       if agArray[row,col]>50: cflCount[row,col]= cflCount[row,col]+3
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
       if natArray[row,col]>50: cflCount[row,col]= cflCount[row,col]+5
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
       if devArray[row,col]>1 and devArray[row,col]<51 and agArray[row,col]>1
and agArray[row,col]<51 and natArray[row,col]>1 and natArray[row,col]<51:
cflCount[row,col]=10
#print str(devCount)
#NumPyArrayToRaster (in_array, {lower_left_corner}, {x_cell_size}, {y_cell_size},
{value to nodata})
cflRaster=arcpy.NumPyArrayToRaster(cflCount,lowerLeft,devRaster.meanCellWi
dth,devRaster.meanCellHeight,"") #same cell size as input rasters
arcpy.DefineProjection_management(cflRaster,devRaster.spatialReference)
cflRaster.save("N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\cflMap")
print "conflict map: "+str(time.time()-cflMapStartTime)+"seconds"
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#-----create the future land use map-----create
#future land use array and count of the 3 land use types
fluArray=numpy.zeros((numRows, numCols))
dev=0
ag=0
nat=0
devGoal=28905
                  #available land *10%
agGoal=104059
                  #available land *36%
natGoal=156088
                  #available land *54%
#allocating development land (cflCount 1,4,6,9,10)------
allocateDevStartTime=time.time()
#no conflict with development: cflCount[row,col]=1
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
      if dev>=devGoal:
       break
       break #break the nested for-loops
       if cflCount[row,col] ==0: continue #unavailable land
       elif cflCount[row,col] ==1:
       fluArray[row,col]=1
       dev=dev+1
#dev conflicting with ag: cflCount[row,col]=4 (difference thresholds: >35, >15, >0)
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
      if dev>=devGoal:
       break
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break #break the nested for-loops
       if cflCount[row,col] ==0: continue #unavailable land
       elif cflCount[row,col] ==4 and devArray[row,col]-agArray[row,col] >=35:
       fluArray[row,col]=1
       dev=dev+1
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
       if dev>=devGoal:
       break
       break #break the nested for-loops
       if cflCount[row,col] ==0: continue #unavailable land
       elif cflCount[row,col] ==4 and devArray[row,col]-agArray[row,col] <35 and
devArray[row,col]-agArray[row,col] >=15:
       fluArray[row,col]=1
       dev=dev+1
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
       if dev>=devGoal:
       break
       break #break the nested for-loops
       if cflCount[row,col] ==0: continue #unavailable land
       elif cflCount[row,col] ==4 and devArray[row,col]-agArray[row,col] <15 and
devArray[row,col]>agArray[row,col]:
       fluArray[row,col]=1
       dev=dev+1
#dev conflicting with nat: cflCount[row,col]=6 (difference thresholds: >35, >15;
cannot be lower for preservation purposes)
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
       if dev>=devGoal:
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break
       break #break the nested for-loops
       if cflCount[row,col] ==0: continue #unavailable land
       elif cflCount[row,col] ==6 and devArray[row,col]-natArray[row,col] >=35:
       fluArray[row,col]=1
       dev=dev+1
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
       if dev>=devGoal:
       break
       break #break the nested for-loops
       if cflCount[row,col] ==0: continue #unavailable land
       elif cflCount[row,col] ==6 and devArray[row,col]-natArray[row,col] <35 and
devArray[row,col]-natArray[row,col]>=15:
       fluArray[row,col]=1
       dev=dev+1
#dev conflicting with both ag and nat: cflCount[row,col][row,col]=9 (difference
thresholds: 5>=both, then 10>=either one; cannot be lower for preservation
purposes)
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
       if dev>=devGoal:
       break
       break #break the nested for-loops
       if cflCount[row,col] ==0: continue #unavailable land
       elif cflCount[row,col] == 9 and devArray[row,col]-agArray[row,col] >= 5 and
devArray[row,col]-natArray[row,col] >=5:
       fluArray[row,col]=1
       dev=dev+1
for row in range(numRows):
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for col in range(numCols):
       if dev>=devGoal:
       break
       break #break the nested for-loops
       if cflCount[row,col] ==0: continue #unavailable land
       elif cflCount[row,col] == 9 and devArray[row,col]-agArray[row,col] >= 10 or
devArray[row,col]-natArray[row,col] >=10:
       fluArray[row,col]=1
       dev=dev+1
#dev, ag, nat all below 50 but allocate to dev: cflCount[row,col][row,col]=10
(difference thresholds: 5>=both, then 10>=either one; cannot be lower for
preservation purposes)
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
       if dev>=devGoal:
       break
       break #break the nested for-loops
       if cflCount[row,col] ==0: continue #unavailable land
       elif cflCount[row,col] ==10 and devArray[row,col]-agArray[row,col] >=5 and
devArray[row,col]-natArray[row,col] >=5:
       fluArray[row,col]=1
       dev=dev+1
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
       if dev>=devGoal:
       break
       break #break the nested for-loops
       if cflCount[row,col] ==0: continue #unavailable land
       elif cflCount[row,col] ==10 and devArray[row,col]-agArray[row,col] >=10 or
devArray[row,col]-natArray[row,col] >=10:
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fluArray[row,col]=1
        dev=dev+1
print
          "allocate
                        development
                                           land
                                                                "+str(time.time()-
                                                      use:
allocateDevStartTime)+"seconds"
#allocating nature land (cflCount 5,6,8,9,10 )-----
allocateNatStartTime=time.time()
#no conflict with nature: cflCount[row,col]=5
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
       if nat>=natGoal:
       break
       break #break the nested for-loops
       if cflCount[row,col] ==0: continue #unavailable land
       elif fluArray[row,col]==0 and cflCount[row,col] ==5:
       fluArray[row,col]=3
        nat=nat+1
# nat conflicting with dev: cflCount[row,col][row,col]=6 (now that devGoal is fulfilled,
difference thresholds: >=25, >0)
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
       if nat>=natGoal:
       break
       break #break the nested for-loops
       if cflCount[row,col] ==0: continue #unavailable land
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elif fluArray[row,col]==0 and cflCount[row,col] ==6 and natArray[row,col]-
devArray[row,col] >=25:
       fluArray[row,col]=3
        nat=nat+1
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
       if nat>=natGoal:
       break
       break #break the nested for-loops
       if cflCount[row,col] ==0: continue #unavailable land
       elif fluArray[row,col]==0 and cflCount[row,col] ==6 and natArray[row,col]-
devArray[row,col] <25 and natArray[row,col]-devArray[row,col] >=0:
       fluArray[row,col]=3
        nat=nat+1
# nat conflicting with ag: cflCount[row,col][row,col]=8 (difference thresholds: >=35,
>=5; cannot be lower for preservation purposes)
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
       if nat>=natGoal:
       break
       break #break the nested for-loops
       if cflCount[row,col] ==0: continue #unavailable land
       elif fluArray[row,col]==0 and cflCount[row,col] ==8 and natArray[row,col]-
agArray[row,col] >=35:
       fluArray[row,col]=3
       nat=nat+1
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
       if nat>=natGoal:
       break
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break #break the nested for-loops
       if cflCount[row,col] ==0: continue #unavailable land
       elif fluArray[row,col]==0 and cflCount[row,col] ==8 and natArray[row,col]-
agArray[row,col] <35 and natArray[row,col]-agArray[row,col]>=5:
       fluArray[row,col]=3
       nat=nat+1
#nat conflicting with both dev and ag: cflCount[row,col][row,col]=9 (difference
thresholds: >dev and 5>=ag; cannot be lower for preservation purposes)
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
       if nat>=natGoal:
       break
       break #break the nested for-loops
       if cflCount[row,col] ==0: continue #unavailable land
       elif fluArray[row,col]==0 and cflCount[row,col] ==9 and agArray[row,col]
>=5 and natArray[row,col]> devArray[row,col]:
       fluArray[row,col]=3
       nat=nat+1
#dev, ag, nat all below 50 but allocate to nat: cflCount[row,col][row,col]=10
(difference thresholds: >dev and >ag)
for row in range(numRows):
      for col in range(numCols):
       if nat>=natGoal:
       break
       break #break the nested for-loops
       if cflCount[row,col] ==0: continue #unavailable land
       elif fluArray[row,col]==0 and cflCount[row,col] ==10 and natArray[row,col]-
agArray[row,col] >=0 and natArray[row,col]- devArray[row,col]>=0:
       fluArray[row,col]=3
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### nat=nat+1

fluRaster.save("N:\\381 A2\\Group 14\\Group 14\\Scratch.gdb\\fluMap")

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