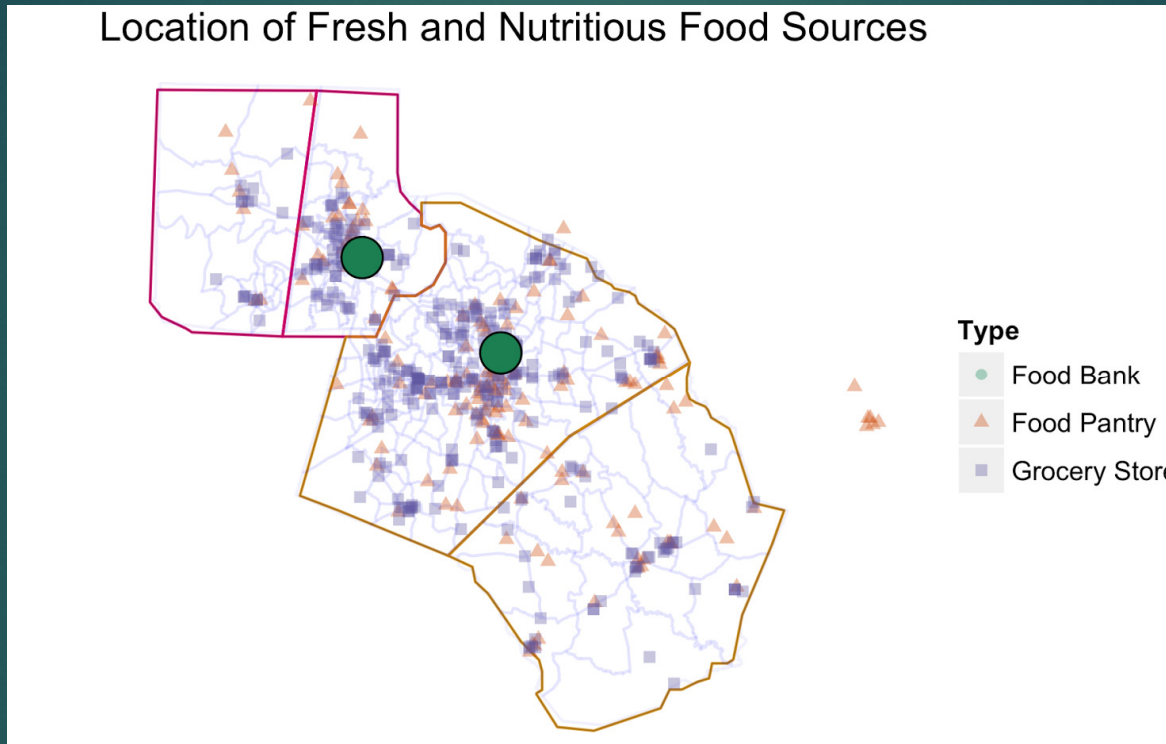


Getting NC Produce to People in Need

BIG QUESTION: HOW DO PEOPLE IN UNSTABLE FOOD SITUATIONS HAVE
ACCESS TO FRESH PRODUCE?

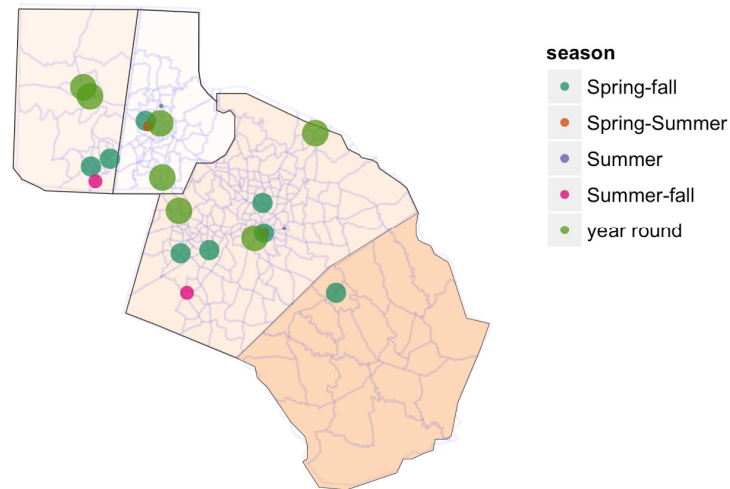
Fresh and Nutritious Food Sources



- Where are pantries, banks and grocery stores?
- Which counties each food bank is serving?

Farm Density and Farmers Markets

Farm Density & Location of Farmers Markets with available Fresh Food



*Dot size indicates diversity in availability

-We looked at NCDA what's in season: Selections were used for what was available

Farms = potential source for banks/pantries.

Where are foods grown and where are they available?

Insights and Future Work



- We have a lot of opportunities to gather more data around crops and agriculture
- inventory information from banks/pantries
- Does poverty always indicate food insecurity?

Bigger question: Since we have a strong agricultural sector in NC, can we use our produce to feed our people?