

Hurricane Public Assistance

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Data cleaning and organization

We only consider about the hurricane disaster during 2009-2018. So before mapping, I need to simply filter and clean the data.

```
disaster <- read.csv("PublicAssistanceFundedProjectsDetails.csv")

## Filter the data about hurricane
hurricane <- disaster %>% filter(incidentType=="Hurricane")
## unique(hurricane$incidentType)
hurricane %>% select(-3)

## We only study the hurricane declared during 2009-2018.
hurricane$year <- substr(hurricane$declarationDate,1,4)
hurricane %>% filter(year=="2009"|year=="2010"|year=="2011"|year=="2012"|year=="2013"|year=="2014"|year=="2015"|year=="2016"|year=="2017"|year=="2018")

## summary(hurricane$totalObligated-hurricane$federalShareObligated) These two columns are totally the same
## summary(hurricane)
## We found that there are negative values in "projectAmount", "federalShareObligated", "totalObligated"
hurricane %>% filter(projectAmount>=0&federalShareObligated>=0)
kable(head(hurricane)) %>% kable_styling(font_size=12)
```

disasterNumber	declarationDate	pwNumber	applicationTitle	applicantId	damageCategory
1866	2009-12-22T05:00:00.000Z	1	DIW-097-02F	097-U15P3-00	F - Public
1866	2009-12-22T05:00:00.000Z	2	DIW-097-01F	097-U15P3-00	F - Public
1866	2009-12-22T05:00:00.000Z	3	DIW-097-03F	097-U15P3-00	F - Public
1866	2009-12-22T05:00:00.000Z	4	DIW-097-04F	097-U15P3-00	F - Public
1866	2009-12-22T05:00:00.000Z	5	DIW-097-01B	097-U15P3-00	B - Protected
1866	2009-12-22T05:00:00.000Z	6	FOL-01B	003-26992-00	B - Protected

Mapping

I map the data using two methods – ggplot2 and tmap. And there are three data information that I want to show on the map – the count of hurricane for each county, the total project amount and total federal obligated per county.

Mapping with tmap

```
hurricane$county <- tolower(hurricane$county)
hurricane$state <- tolower(hurricane$state)
```

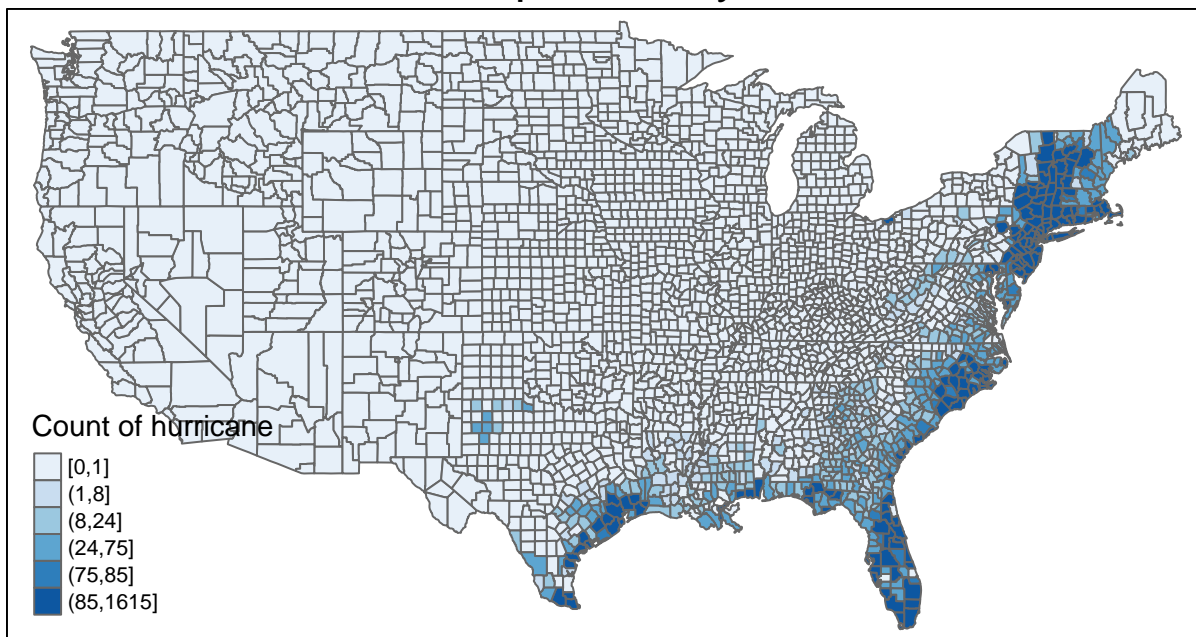
```

Map <- st_as_sf(map('county',plot=F,fill=T))
Map%<>%separate(ID,c("state","county"),sep=",")
hurr_count <- hurricane %>% group_by(county,state) %>% summarise(Count=n())

## `summarise()` regrouping output by 'county' (override with `.groups` argument)
hurr_count_t <- left_join(Map,hurr_count,by=c("county","state"))
hurr_count_t$Count[is.na(hurr_count_t$Count)]=0.01
hurr_count_t$Count <- cut(hurr_count_t$Count,breaks=c(-1,1,8,24,75,85,1615),labels=c("[0,1)","(1,8)","(8,24)","(24,75)","(75,85)","(85,1615]"))
tm_shape(hurr_count_t,title="The count of hurricane per county")+
  tm_polygons("Count",palette="Blues",title="Count of hurricane")+tm_layout(main.title='The count of hurricane per county')

```

The count of hurricane per county



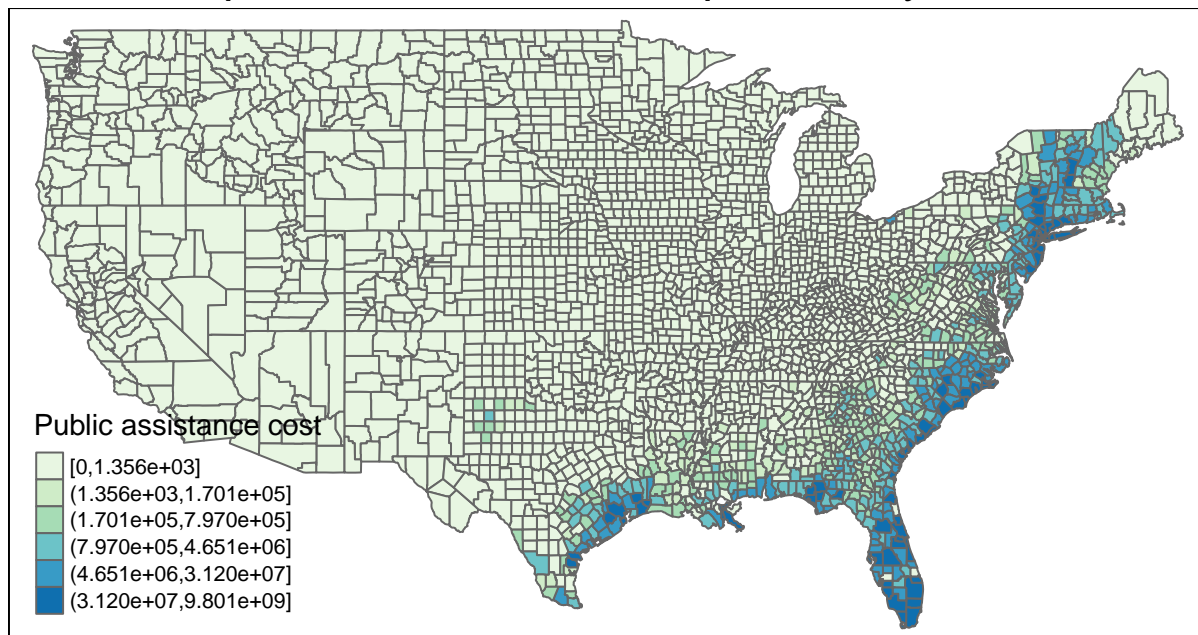
```

assist <- hurricane %>% group_by(county,state) %>% summarise(project_t=sum(projectAmount))

## `summarise()` regrouping output by 'county' (override with `.groups` argument)
assist_t <- left_join(Map,assist,by=c("county","state"))
assist_t$project_t[is.na(assist_t$project_t)]=0.01
assist_t$project_t <- cut(assist_t$project_t,breaks=c(-1,1.356e+03,1.701e+05,7.970e+05,4.651e+06,3.120e+07),labels=c("[0,1356000)","(1356000,170100000)","(170100000,797000000)","(797000000,4651000000)","(4651000000,31200000000)"))
tm_shape(assist_t,title="The total public assistance cost per county")+tm_polygons("project_t",palette="Blues",title="The total public assistance cost per county")+tm_layout(main.title='The total public assistance cost per county')

```

The total public assistance cost per county

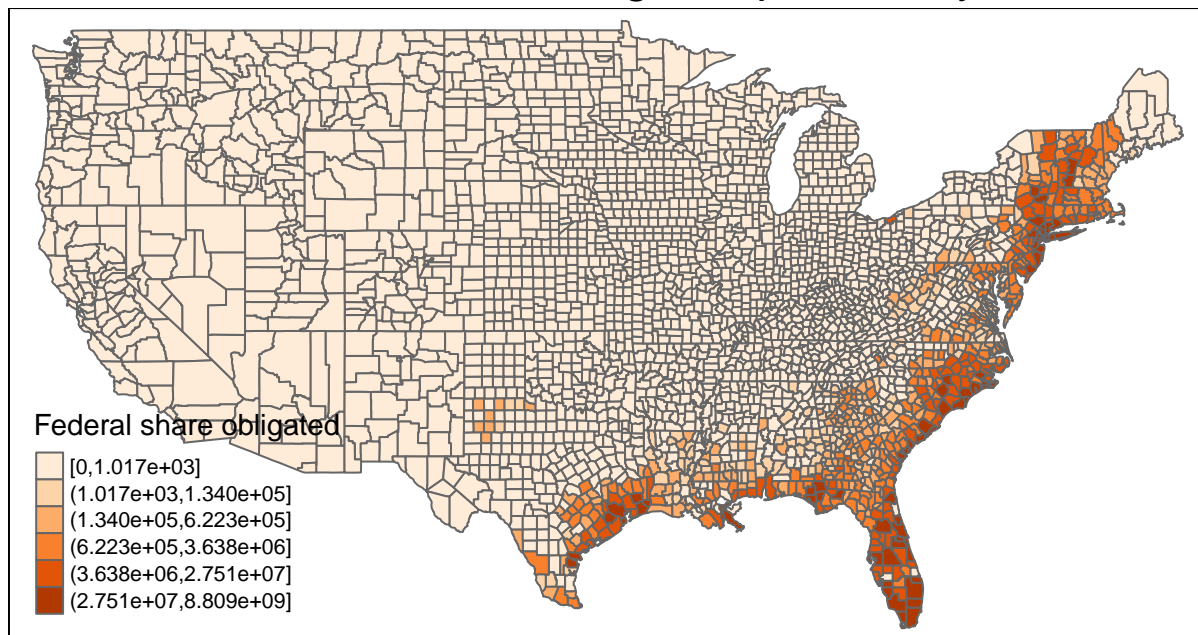


```
federal <- hurricane %>% group_by(county,state) %>% summarise(federal_total=sum(federalShareObligated))

## `summarise()` regrouping output by 'county' (override with `.groups` argument)

federal_t <- left_join(Map,federal,by=c("county","state"))
federal_t$federal_total[is.na(federal_t$federal_total)]=0.01
federal_t$federal_total <- cut(federal_t$federal_total,breaks=c(-1,1.017e+03,1.340e+05,6.223e+05,3.638e+06,3.120e+07))
tm_shape(federal_t,title="The total Federal Share Obligated per county")+tm_polygons("federal_total",pal=tm.colors(5))
```

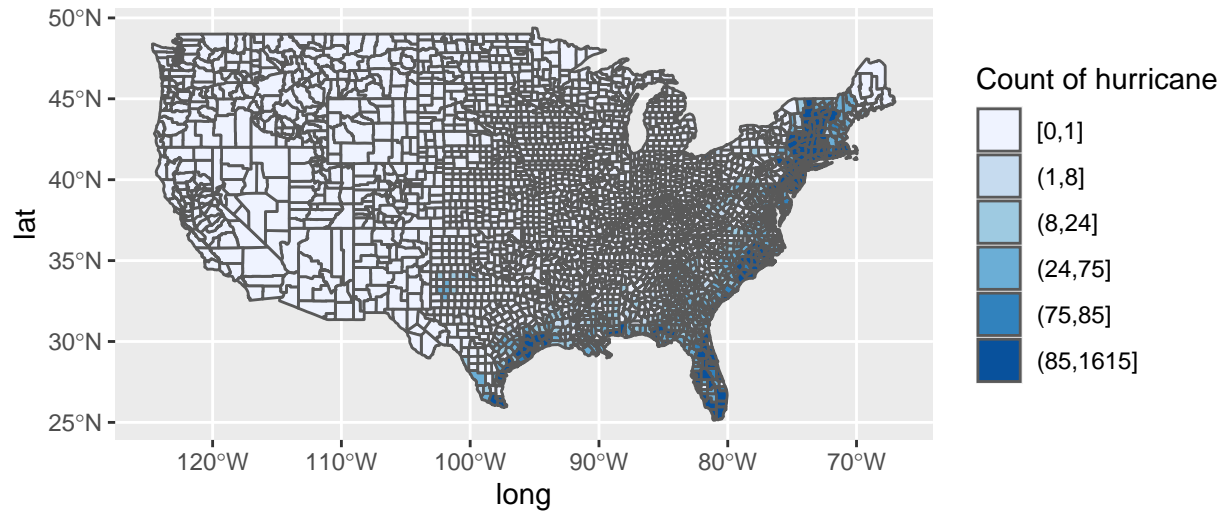
The total Federal Share Obligated per county



Mapping with ggplot

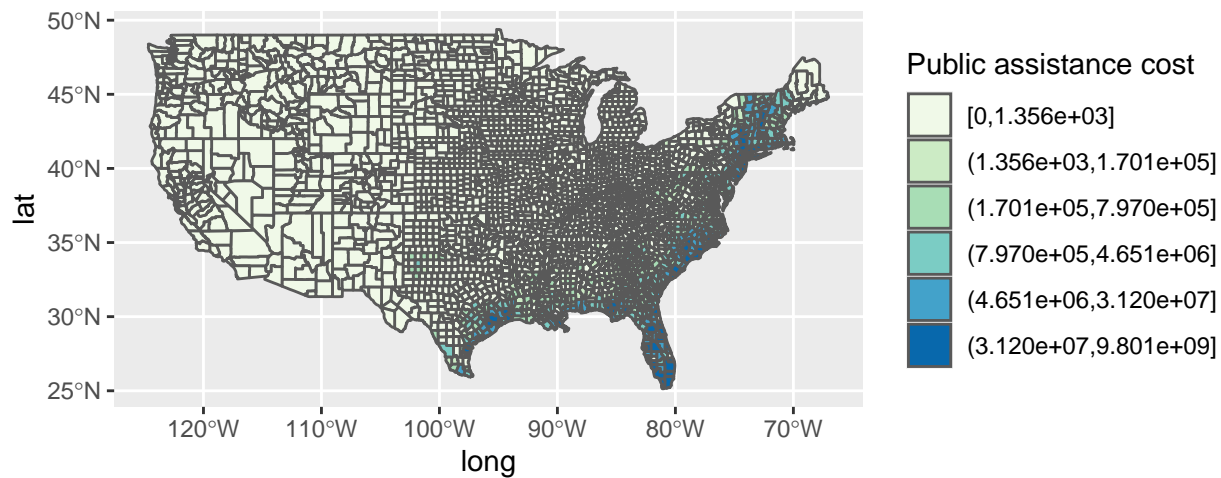
```
county <- map_data("county")
state <- map_data("state")
ggplot() + ggtitle("The count of hurricane per county")+
  geom_polygon(data=county, aes(x=long, y=lat, group=group),
    color="grey", fill="white", size = .2, alpha=0.9) +
  geom_polygon(data=state, aes(x=long, y=lat, group=group),
    color="black", fill="white", size = .2, alpha = .1)+
  geom_sf(data=hurr_count_t,mapping=aes(fill = Count))+
  scale_fill_brewer(name="Count of hurricane")
```

The count of hurricane per county

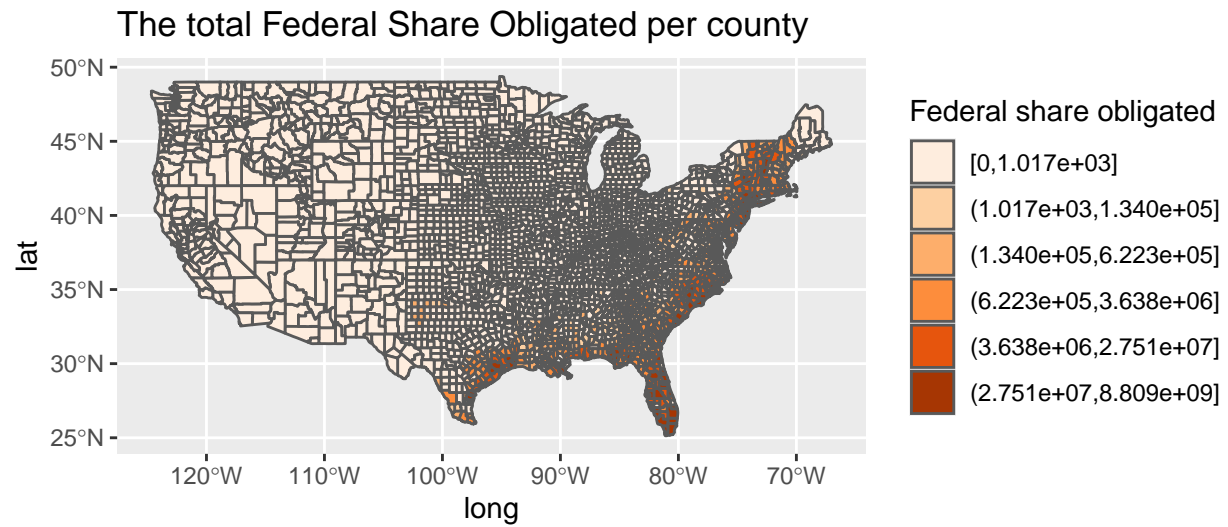


```
ggplot() + ggtitle("The total public assistance cost per county")+
  geom_polygon(data=county, aes(x=long, y=lat, group=group),
    color="grey", fill="white", size = .2, alpha=0.9) +
  geom_polygon(data=state, aes(x=long, y=lat, group=group),
    color="black", fill="white", size = .2, alpha = .1)+
  geom_sf(data=assist_t,mapping=aes(fill = project_t))+
  scale_fill_brewer(name="Public assistance cost",type="seq",palette=4)
```

The total public assistance cost per county



```
ggplot() + ggtitle("The total Federal Share Obligated per county") +
  geom_polygon(data=county, aes(x=long, y=lat, group=group),
    color="grey", fill="white", size = .2, alpha=0.9) +
  geom_polygon(data=state, aes(x=long, y=lat, group=group),
    color="black", fill="white", size = .2, alpha = .1) +
  geom_sf(data=federal_t, mapping=aes(fill = federal_total)) +
  scale_fill_brewer(name="Federal share obligated", type="seq", palette=7)
```



Conclusion

From the mappings for three data information, we can find that the distribution of count of hurricane, total project amount and total federal obligated are similar which is reasonable. The county with more hurricane need more public assistance and federal obligated.