

Causal Spatial Models

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- ▶ **Univariate** spatial models
- ▶ **Multivariate** spatial models
 - ▶ Two or more interacting spatial variates
 - ▶ Improve prediction on one of the variates by observing the others: **Cokriging**
 - ▶ Determine which variate caused the observed phenomenon: **Source separation**

Example 1: Ozone vs MaxT

- ▶ Royle & Berliner (1999), Midwestern USA.

