

Appendix 4. Demonstration of the assignment of random polygon patches in space, as compared with the cities used in the analysis.

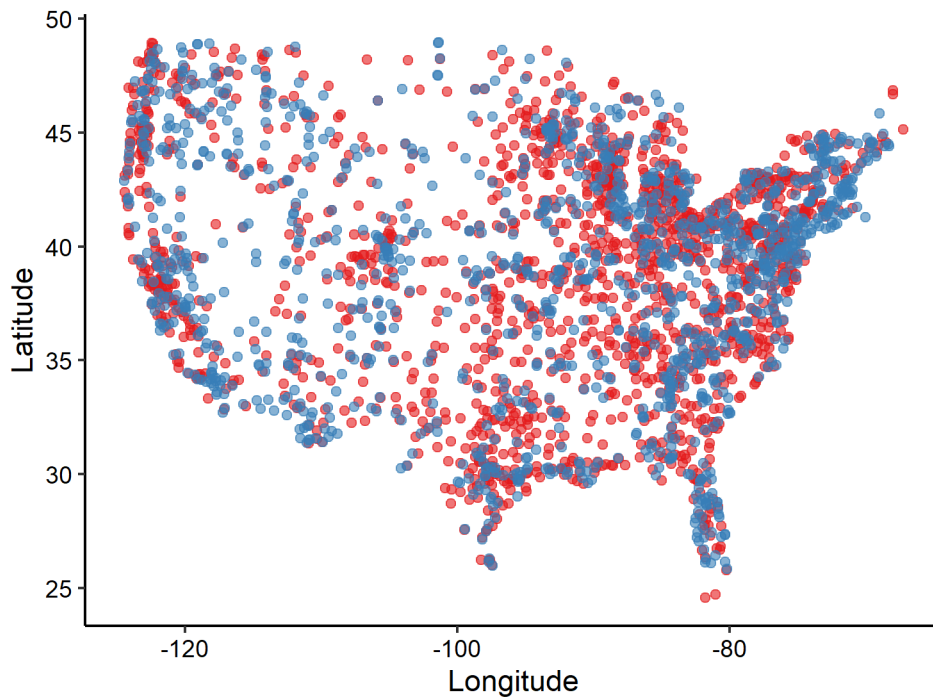


Figure A1. The locations of cities (green point) and randomly assigned polygon patches (yellow points) used in our analysis to compare species-area relationships between cities and random polygon patches.