

# Senozon Mobility Model: Analytics and Examples of microscopic and dynamic mobility data

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# About...

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- Lecturer at IVT, ETH Zurich

Senozon:

- Application of research projects into mobility models, solutions and products
- Demand modeling, public transit optimization, location assessment

# Overview

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- What are (geo-)data?
- From data to geo-data
- What are projections?
- From (geo-)data to (geo-)analysis and (geo-)information
- What are (geo-)data in transport planning?
- What are dynamic (geo-)data?

What are (geo-)data

# What are data? What are geo-data?

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Survey:

- schedules
  - pictures
  - 0/1
  - etc.....
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- Geo-data: It's the same but with XYZ

From data to geo-data

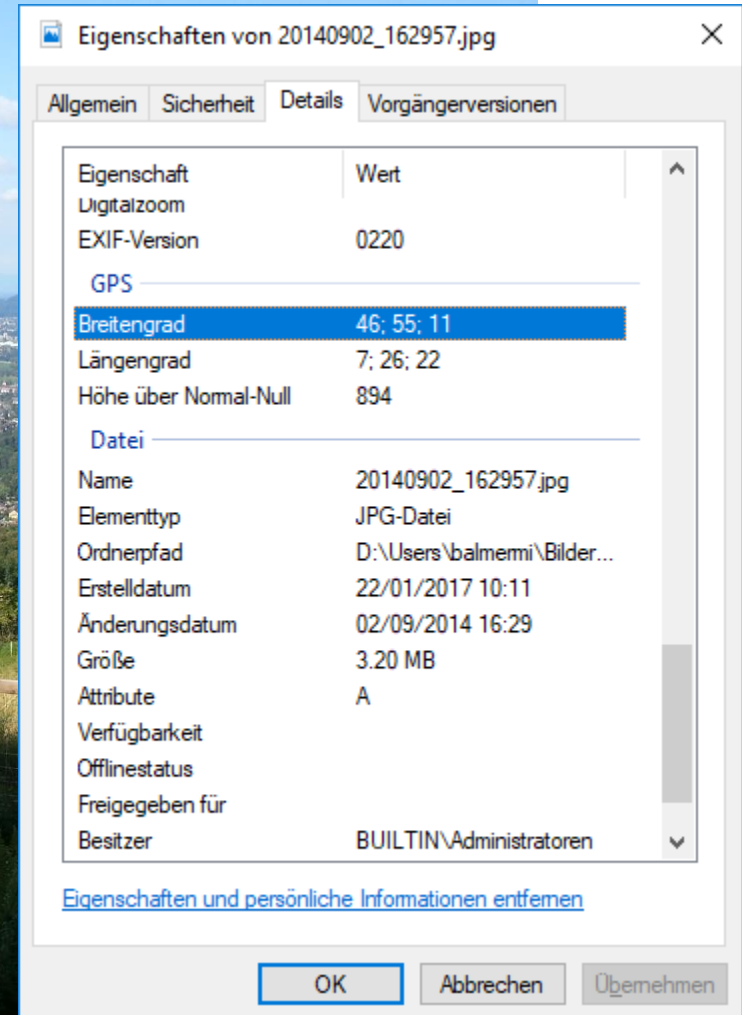
# Data or Geo-Data?

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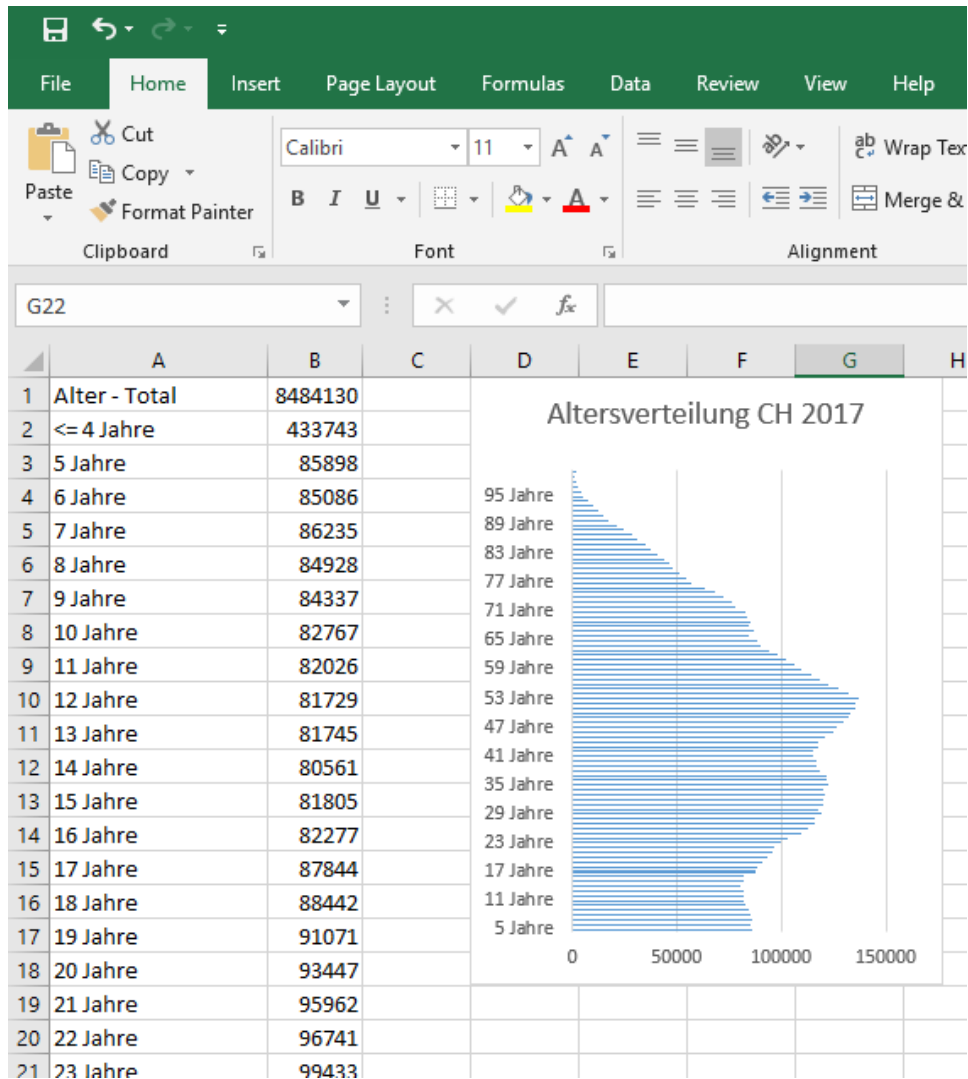




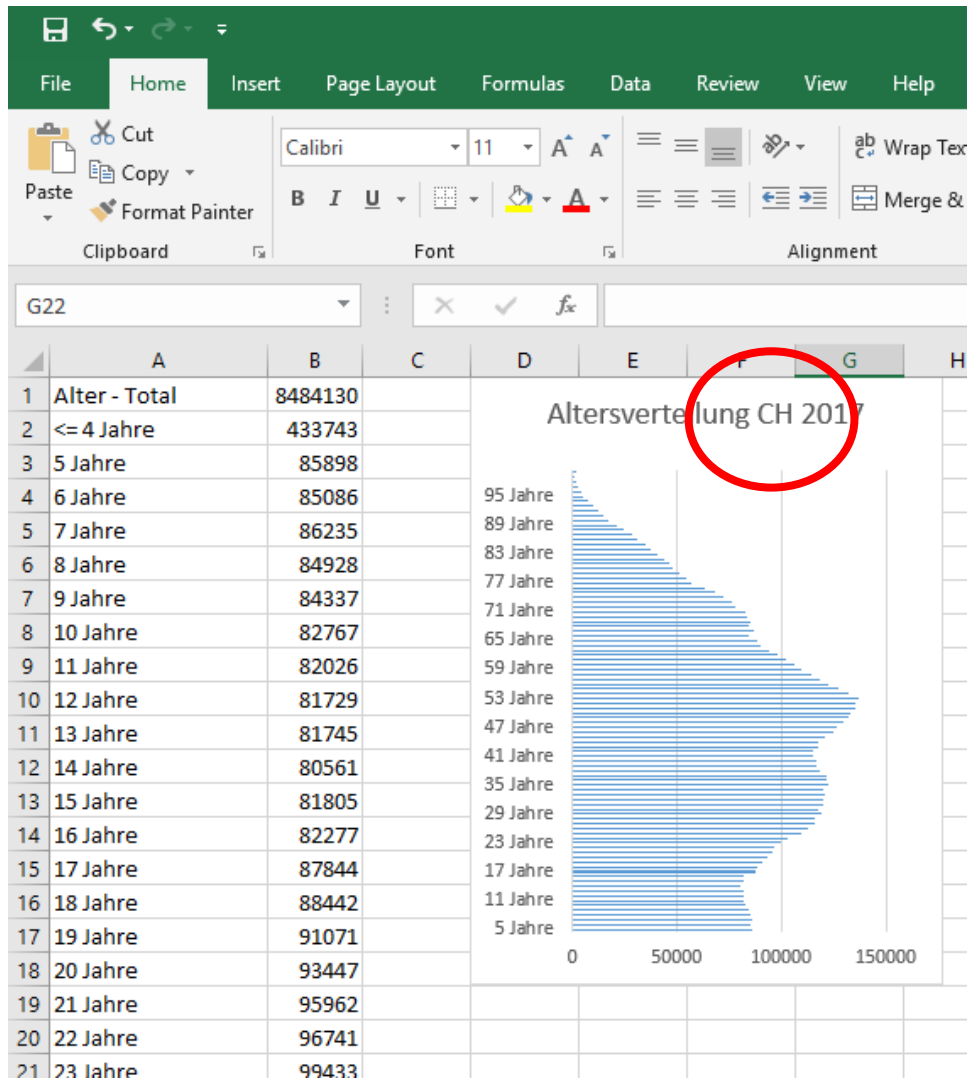
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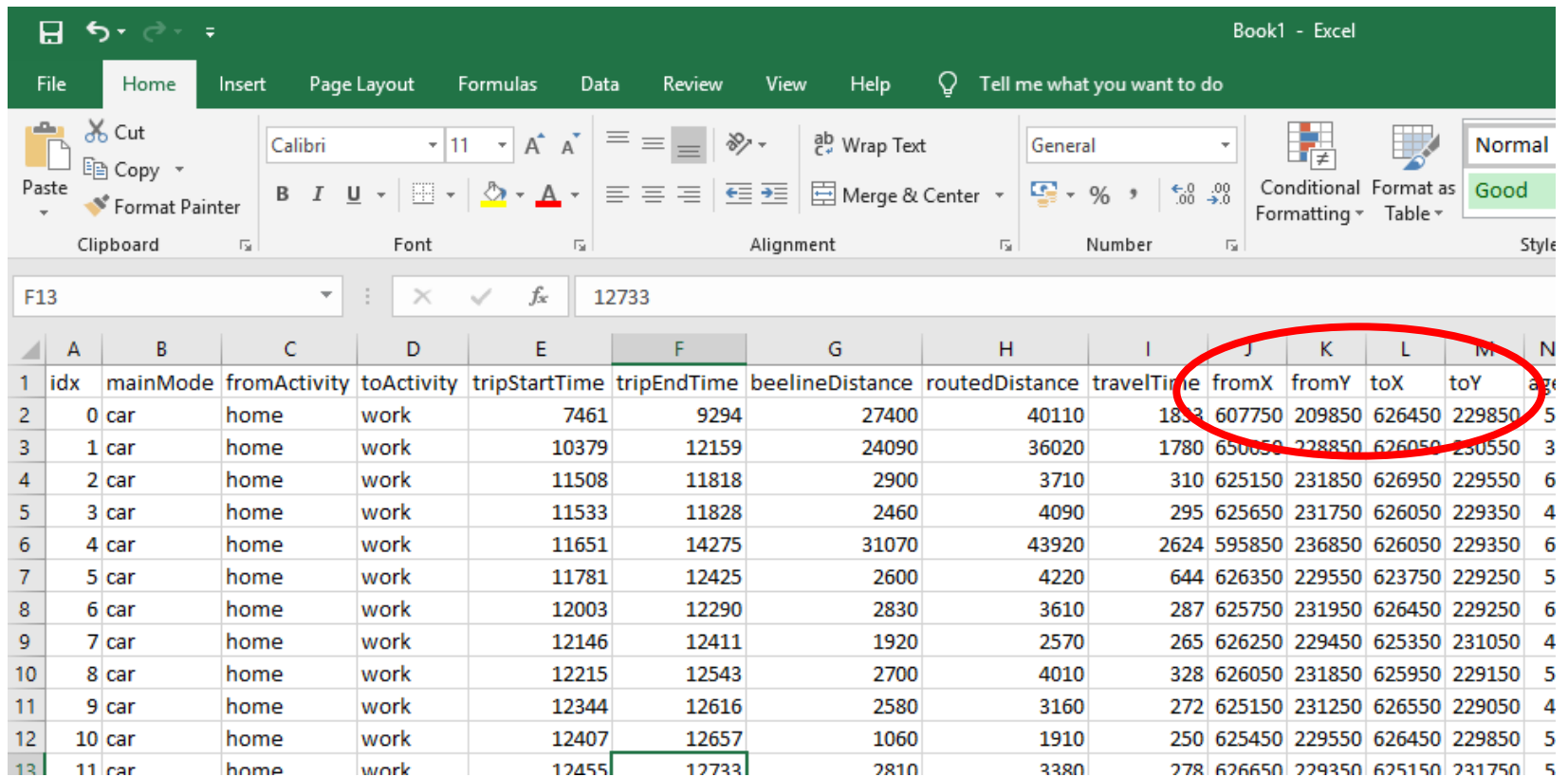
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Conditional Formatting, Format as Table (Normal, Good)

Formula Bar: F13, 12733

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# Data or Geo-Data?



The screenshot shows the Microsoft Excel interface with the 'Home' tab selected. The ribbon includes options for Clipboard, Font, Alignment, Number, and Styles. The data table below has columns labeled A through N. A red circle highlights the columns from J to M, which contain numerical data. The formula bar shows the value 12733 in cell F13.

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# Geo-Data

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- «geographically localized»
- Coordinates (XY or XYZ)
- Data with reference to geographically localized data
- [<https://what3words.com/ausweiten.abbildbar.kinos>]

What are projections?

# Projections

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- Interactive projections  
<https://www.jasondavies.com/maps/transition/>
- Mercator → Shape retaining (not surface retaining)  
<https://geopuzzle.org/puzzle/easy/>
- Gall-Peters: → surface retaining  
<https://de.wikipedia.org/wiki/Peters-Projektion>
- Mollweide → somewhat both
- Dymaxion → land connecting  
[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Dymaxion\\_map](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Dymaxion_map)
- Gnomonik → shortest distance as a straight line  
<https://bl.ocks.org/mbostock/3795048>
- Spatial Reference  
<http://spatialreference.org/ref/epsg/>



# Projections – Tips

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- Standards versus «self made»
- Geo-data are always subject to a projection
- Geo-data are only complete if the projection is included!

From (geo-)data to (geo-)analysis and (geo-)information

# Examples

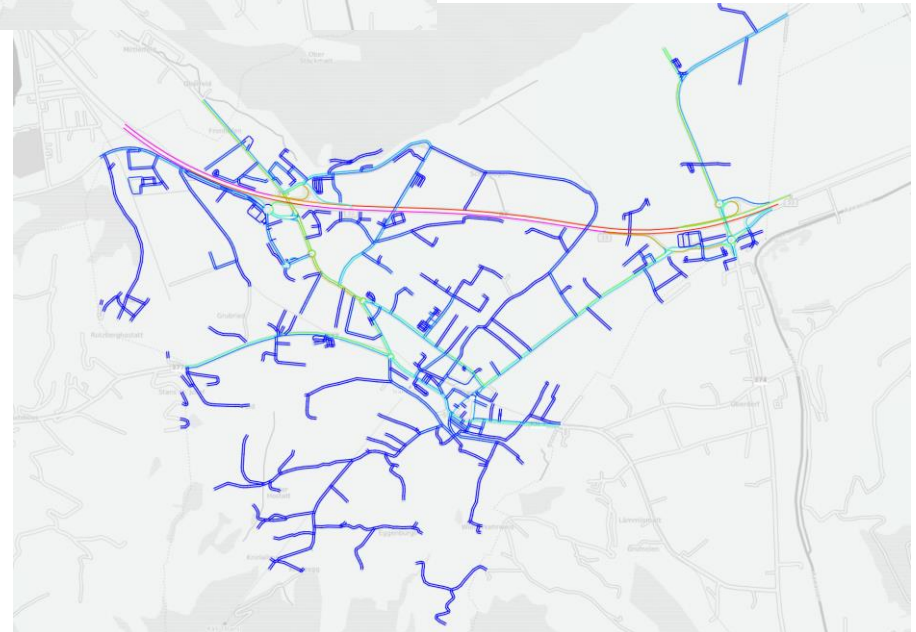
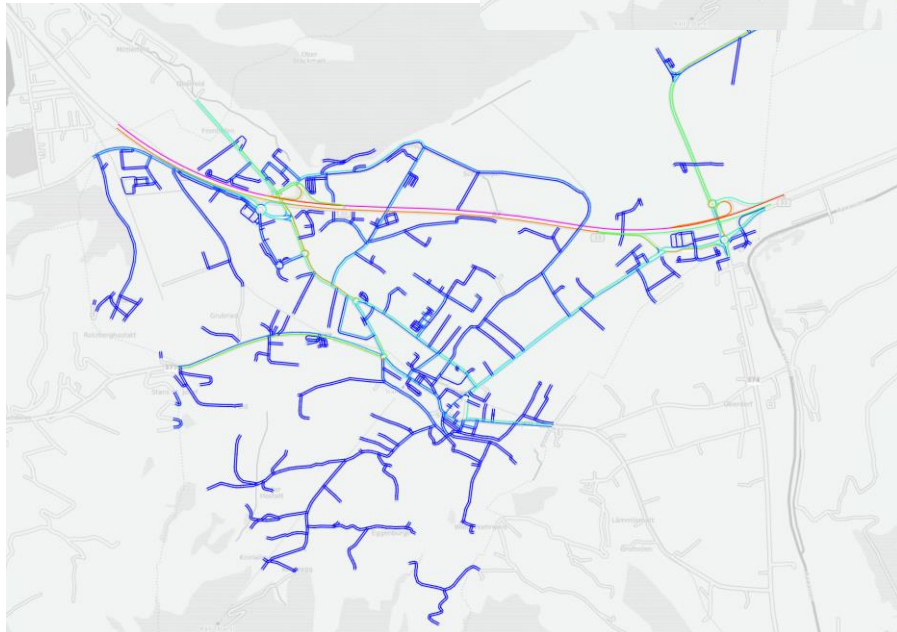
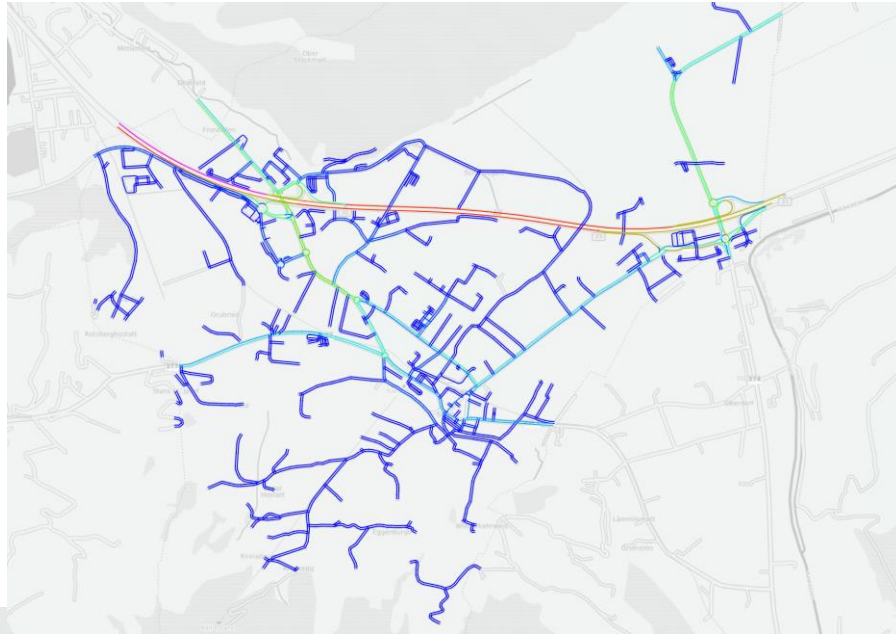
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- GPS Tracks
- Maps
- Transport demand
- <http://apps.senozon.com>  
→ Einfach Registrieren
- <https://maps.senozon.com>  
→ U:public / P:EnjoyOurMaps
- <https://online.tableau.com>  
→ U:insights@senozon.com / P:SenozonInsights2019!

What are (geo-)data in transport planning?

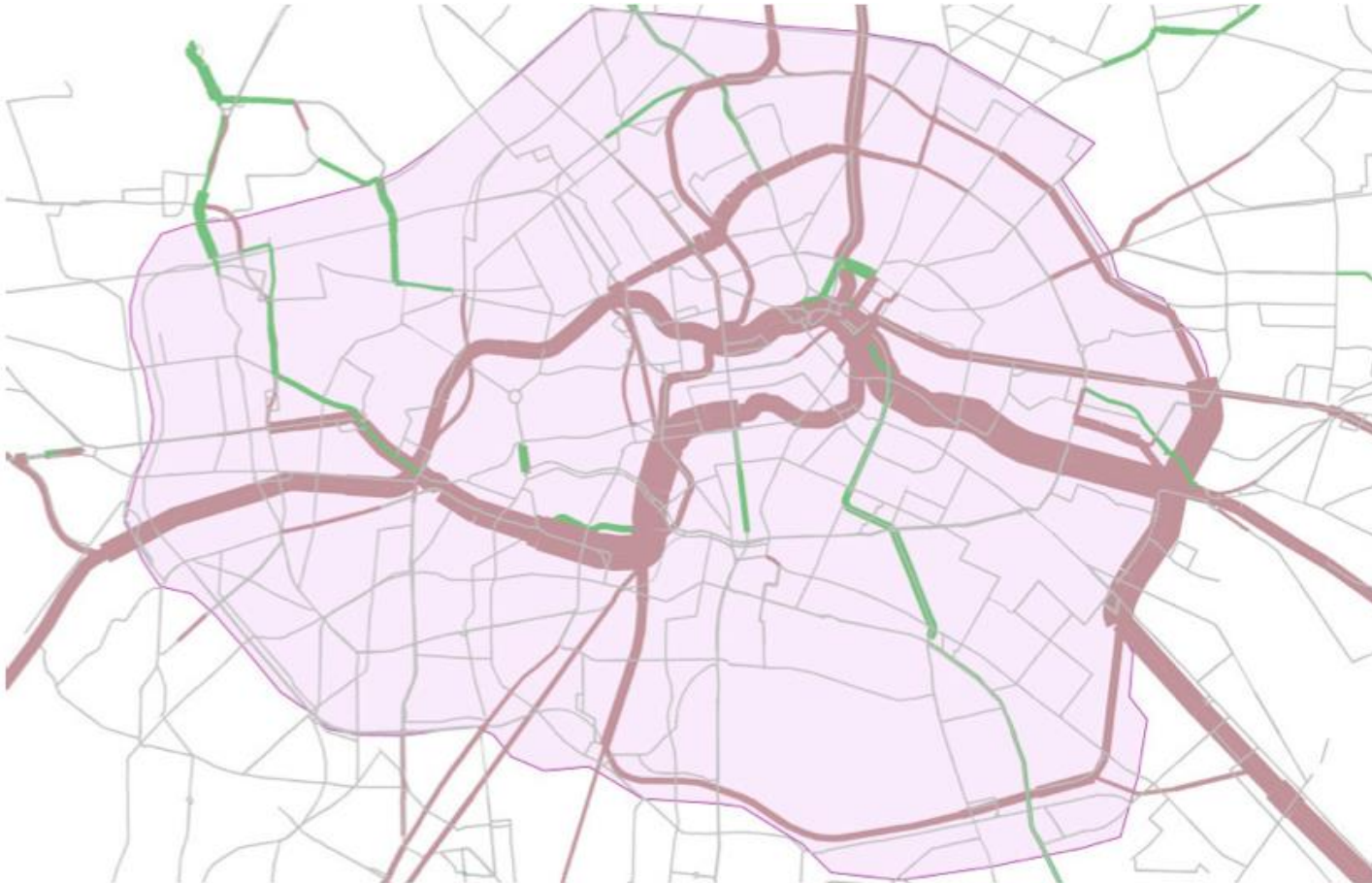
# Traffic volumes

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# Changes in public transit demand 2015 versus 2008

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# Pedestrian frequencies

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Passantenströme, alle Aktivitäten



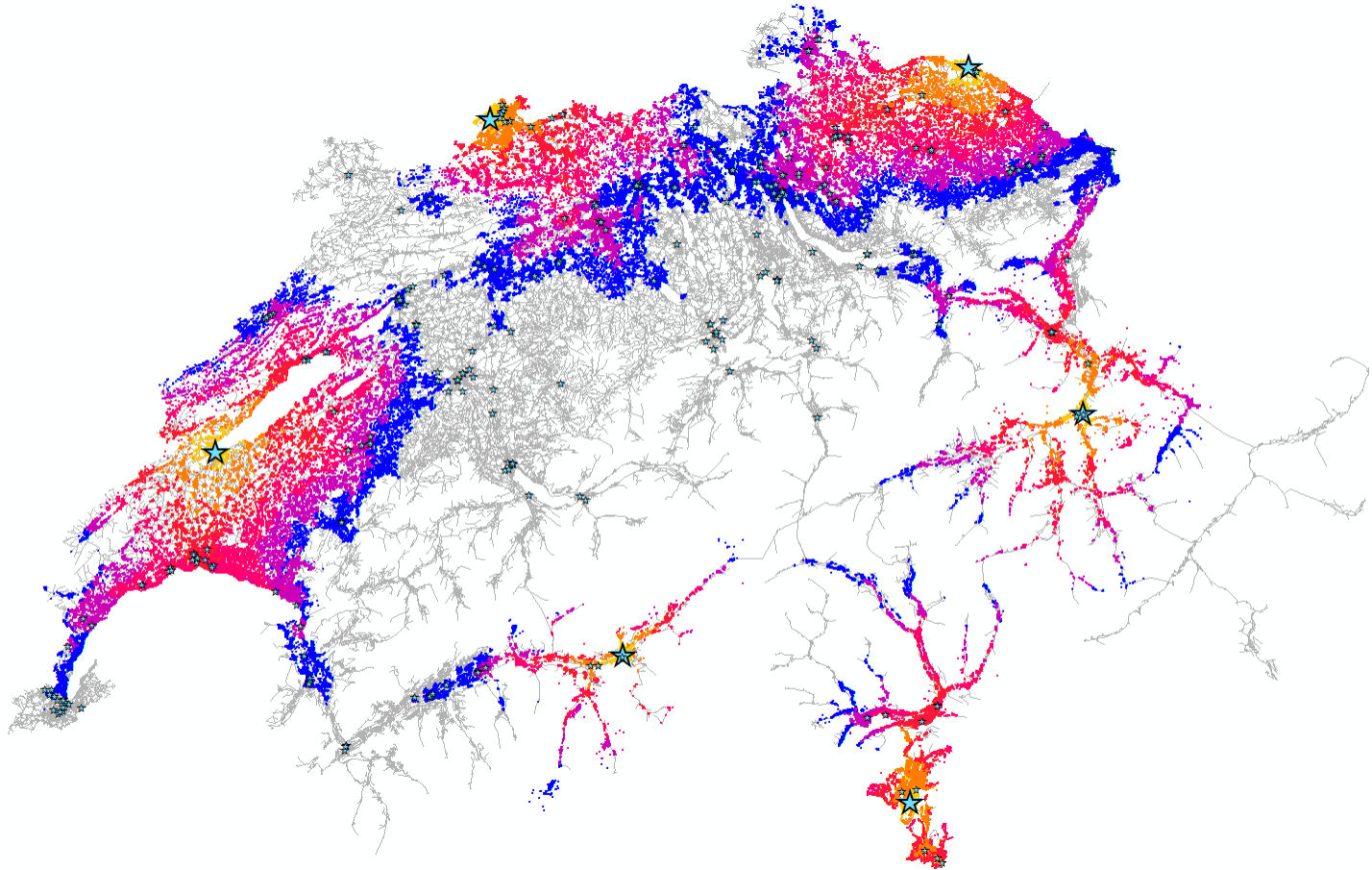
Passantenströme, von / nach Einkauf



# Travel times

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Travel times of shopping malls (by car, 60 Min.)

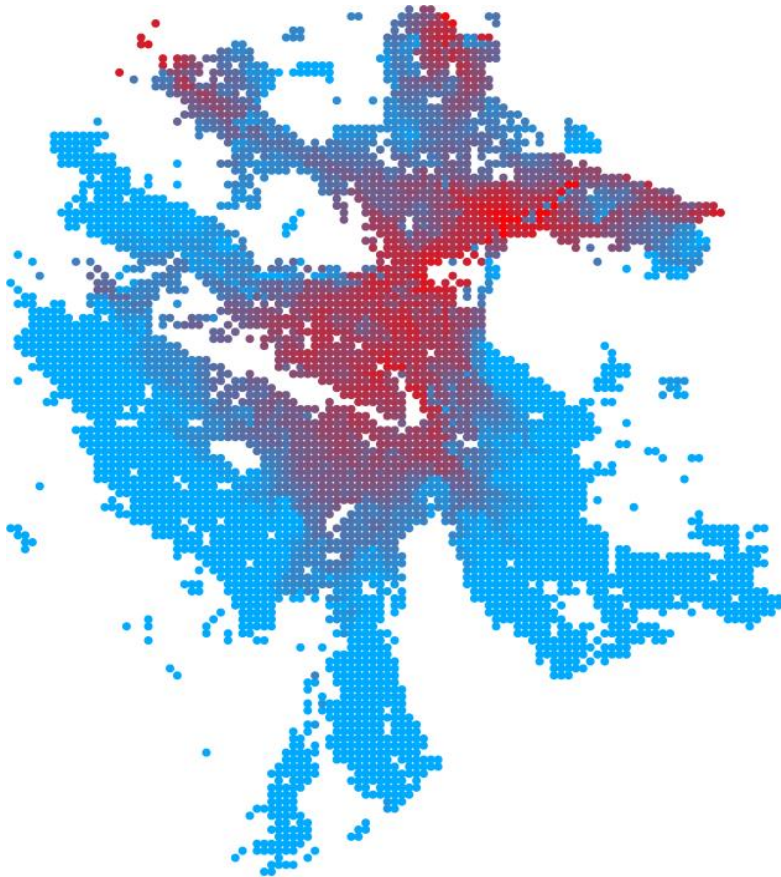




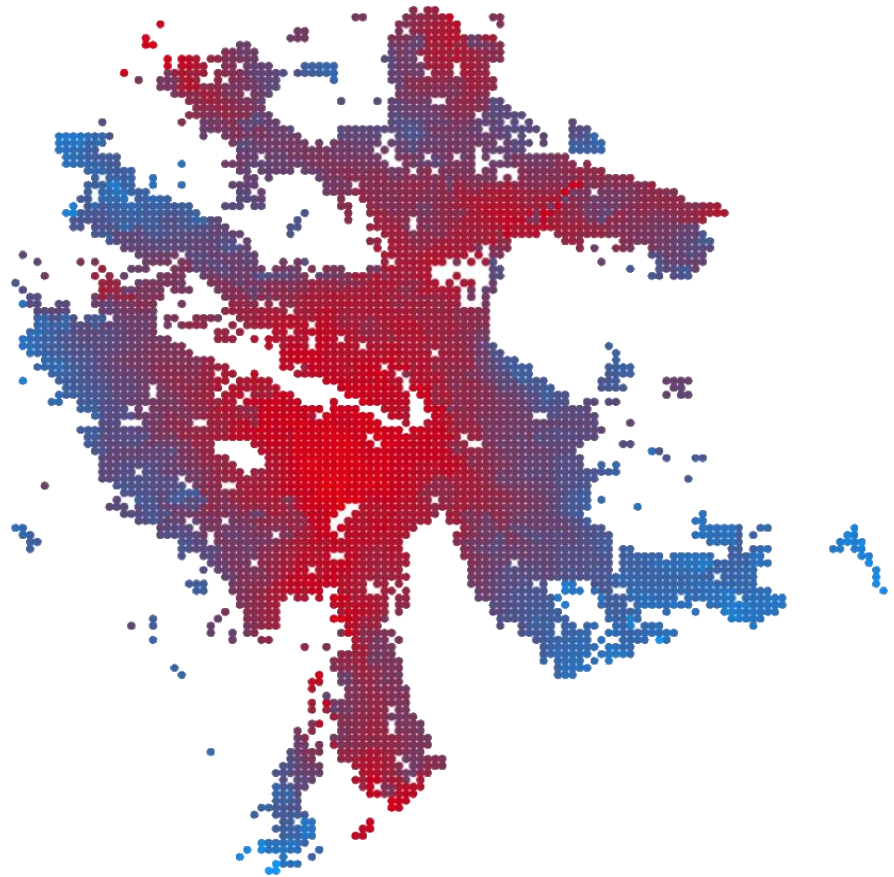
# Reachability of people

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Number of persons, car, 20 min



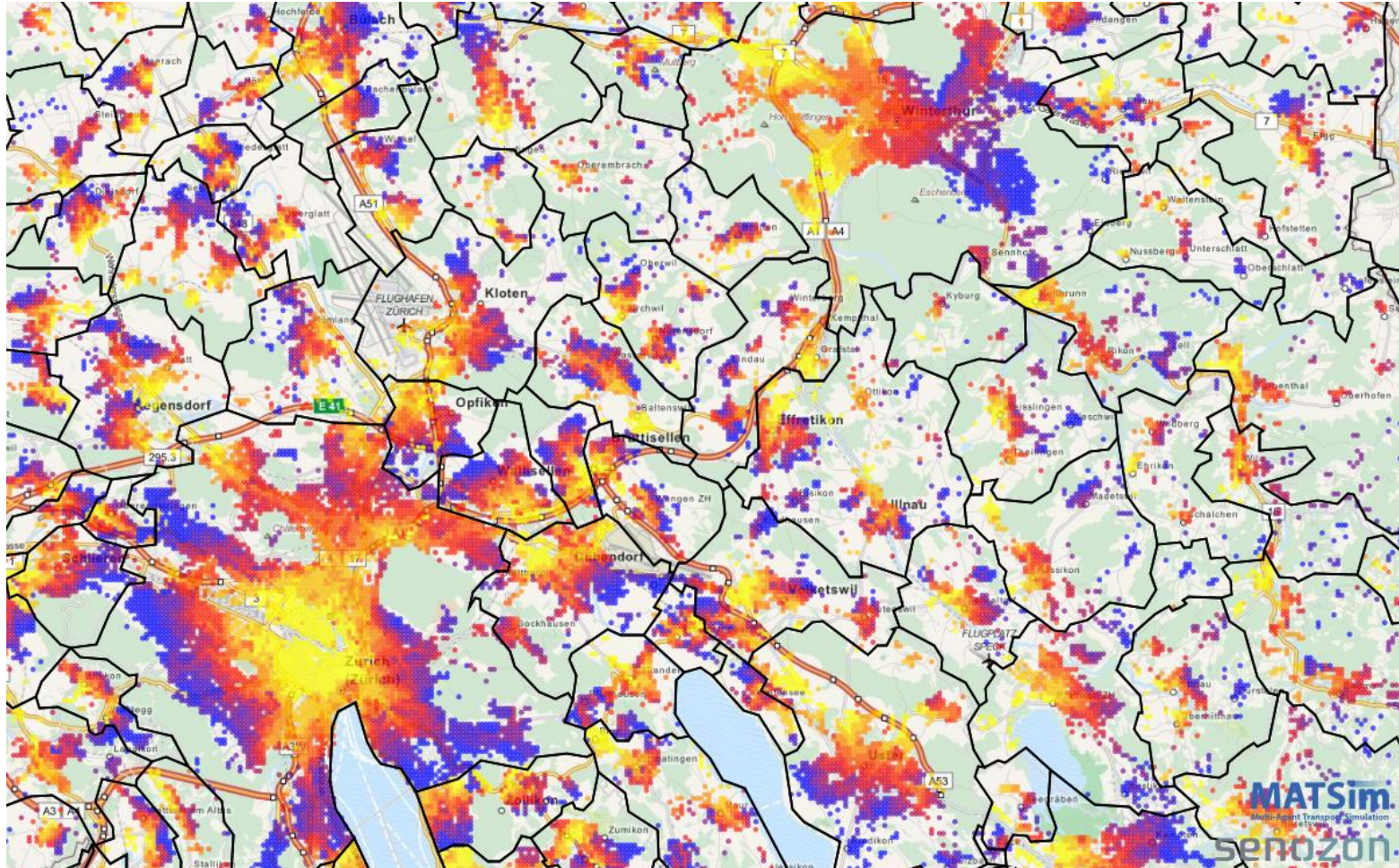
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# Reachability of people

Reachability at hectare level of details per municipality



# Location Assessment: Billboards



## iPod Touch

Target group:  
Age 15-34, towards  
work or leisure

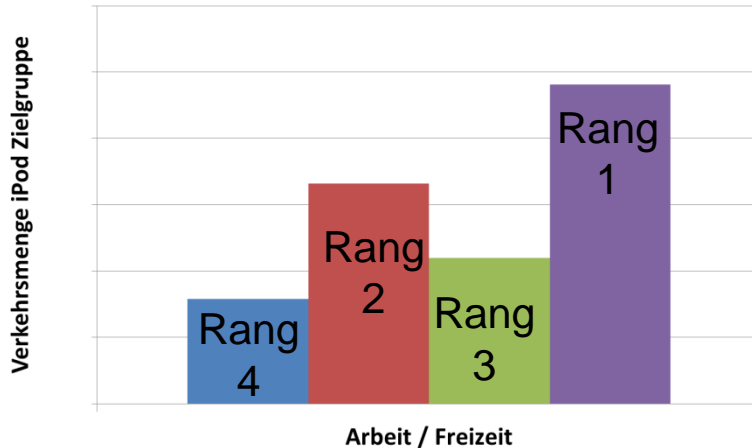


## Hearing aid

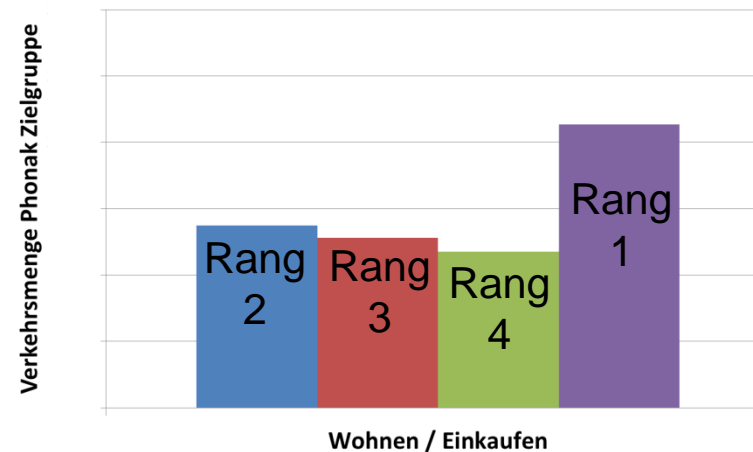
Target group:  
Age 55-84, towards home or  
shopping



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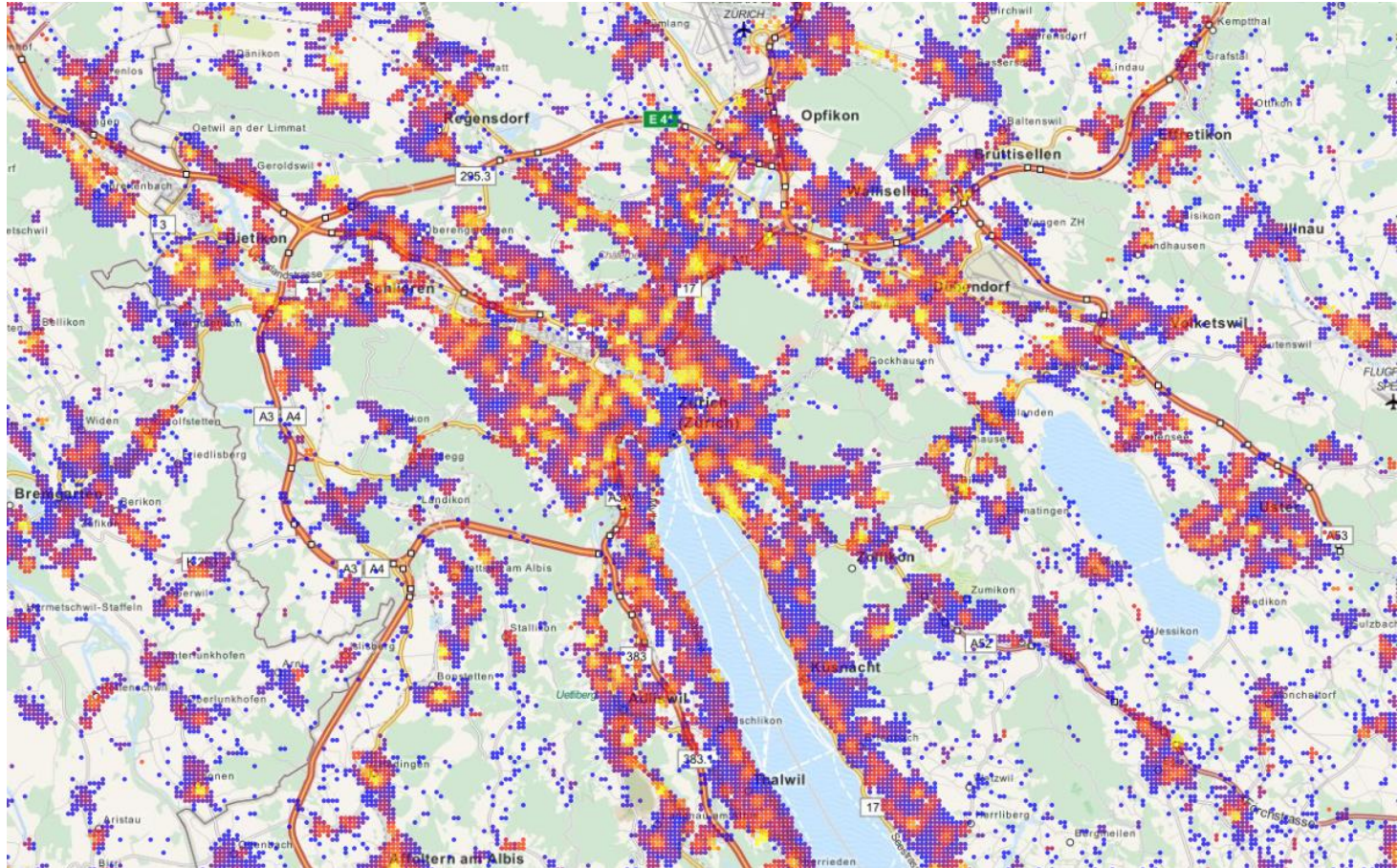
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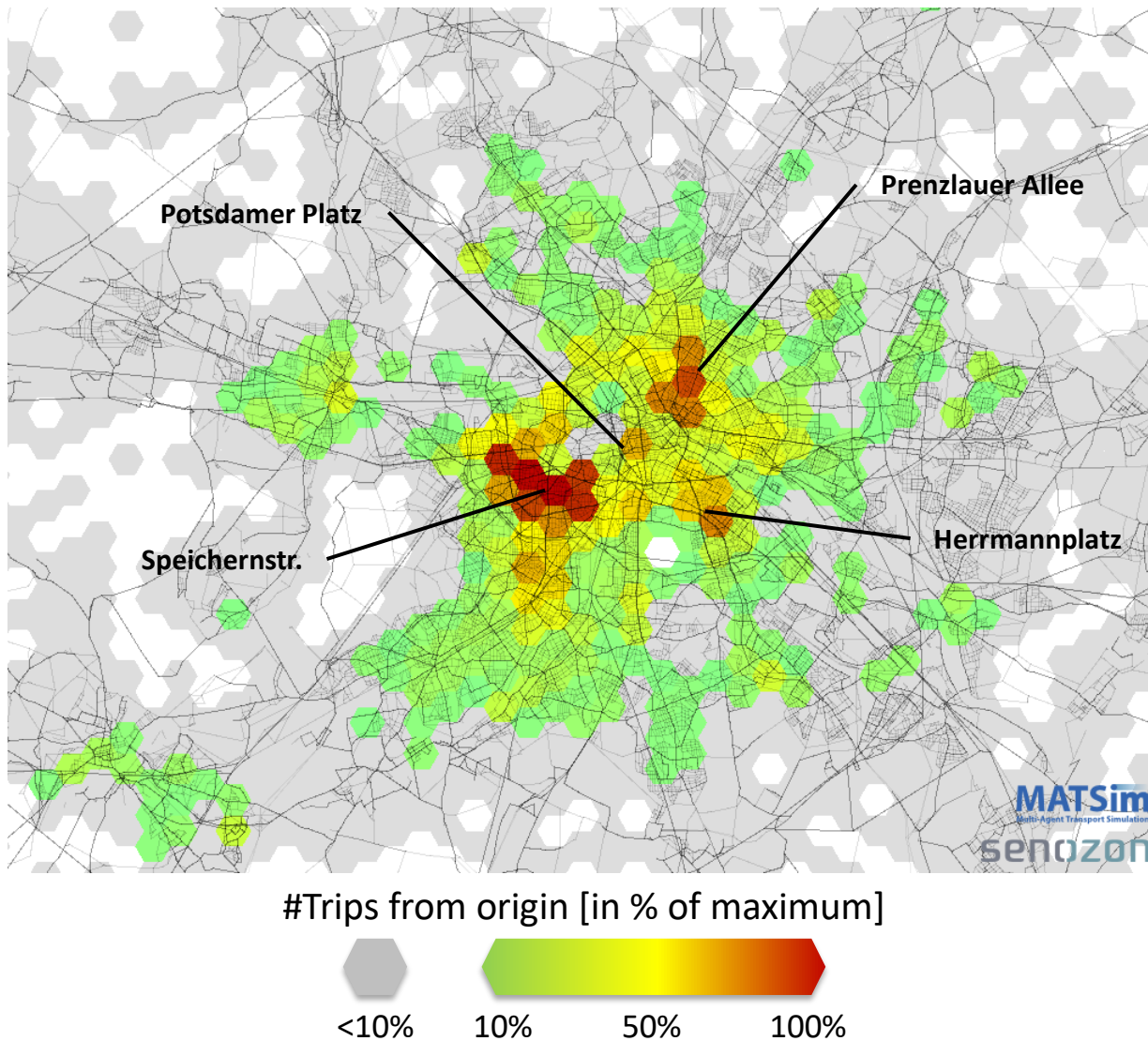
# Hotspot / Whitespot Analysis

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# Target group assessment – and where they are

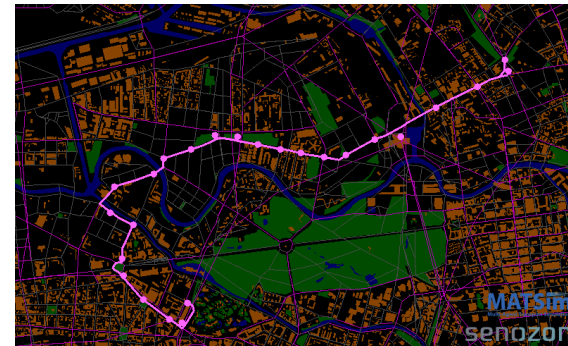
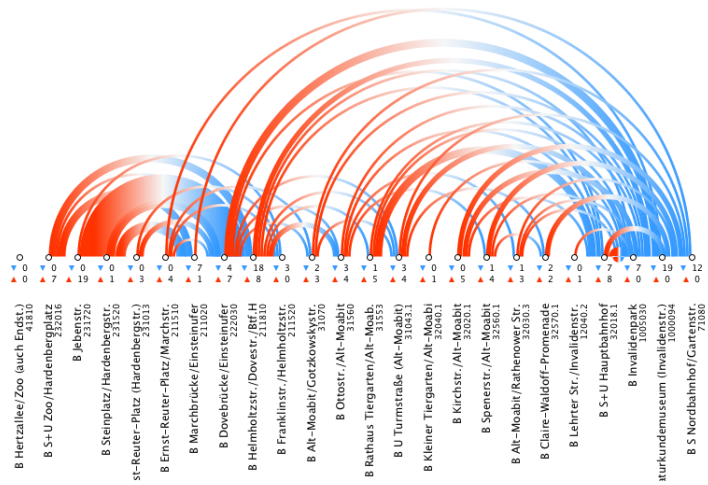
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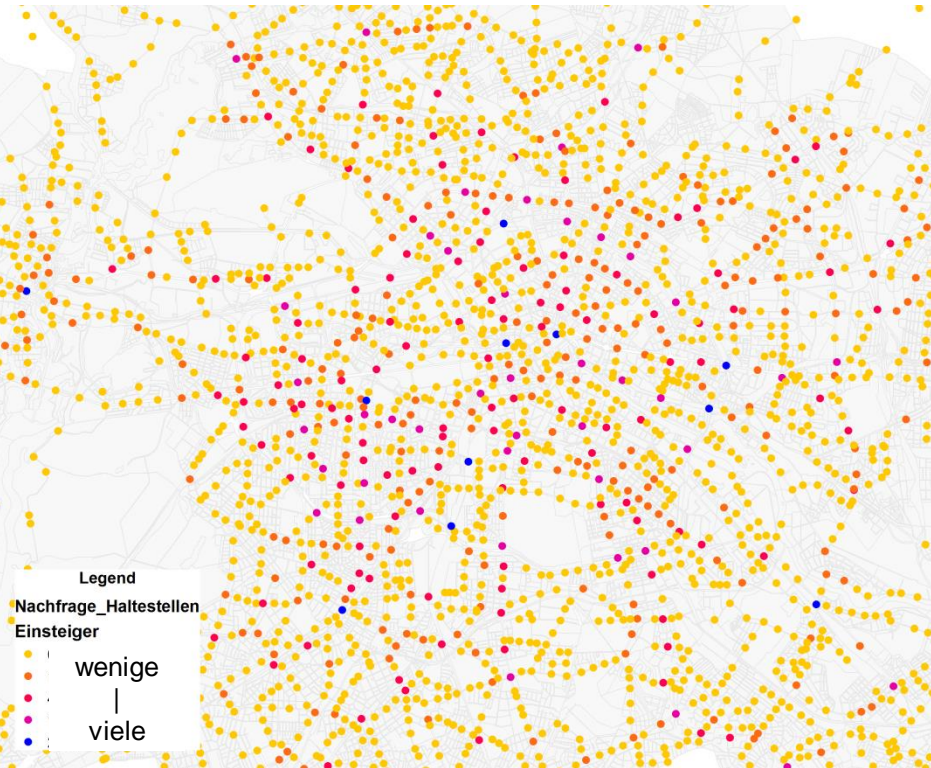


# Public transit analysis

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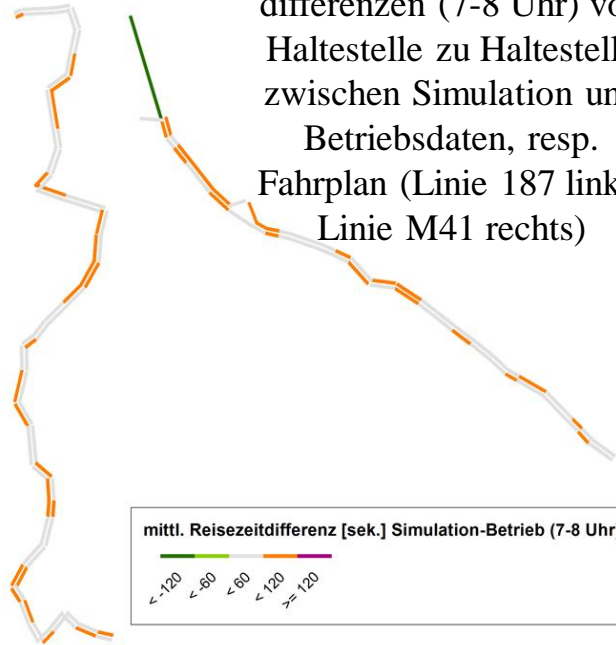


Übersicht



# Public transit – passenger counts (“pax”)

Mittlere Reisezeit-  
differenzen (7-8 Uhr)  
von Haltestelle zu Haltestelle  
zwischen Simulation und  
Betriebsdaten, resp.  
Fahrplan (Linie 187 links,  
Linie M41 rechts)

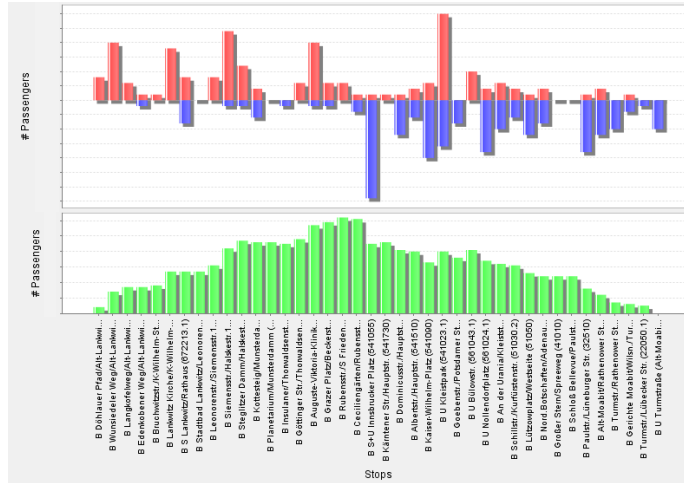


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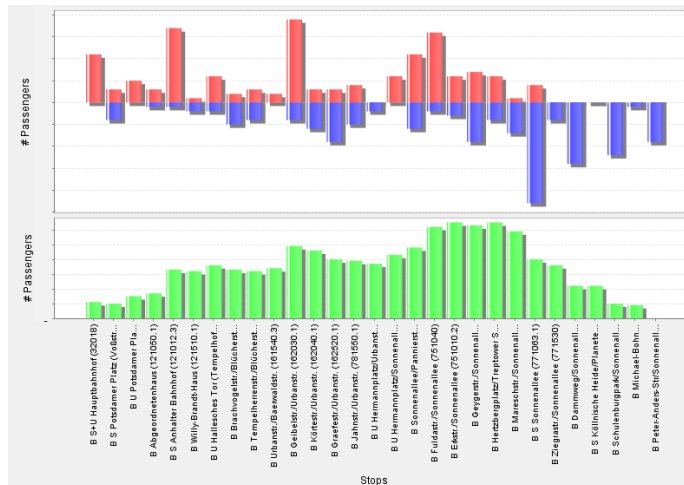


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Linie 187 – Fahrgäste – 7-8 Uhr



Linie M41 – Fahrgäste – 7-8 Uhr



What are dynamic (geo-)data?



# Dynamic geo-data?

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# Dynamische Geodaten?

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# Dynamic Geo-Data

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- «geographically localized»
- Coordinates (XY or XYZ)
- Data with reference to geographically localized data
- AND: time information

# Network

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<network>
  <nodes>
    <node id="1" x="0.0" y="0.0" />
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    ...
  </links>
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# Travel demand

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„plans“:

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  car_avail="never" employed="yes">
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  </leg>
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## «Events»

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