

A vibrant, colorful photograph of the São Paulo skyline at dusk or night. The sky is a deep purple and blue. The city lights from numerous skyscrapers and towers create a bright, glowing effect against the darkening sky. The FGV logo is visible in the top left corner of the image.

Visual Crime Analysis in Big Cities: A practical application for crime data in São Paulo

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Introduction/Motivation

Crime

Crime can be defined as breaking or breaching of criminal law (penal code) that governs a particular geographical area (jurisdiction) aimed at protecting the lives, property, and the right of citizens in that jurisdiction.

Crime is an offense against a person, or his/her property, violation of socially accepted rules of human ethical or moral behavior.



Robbery



Burglary



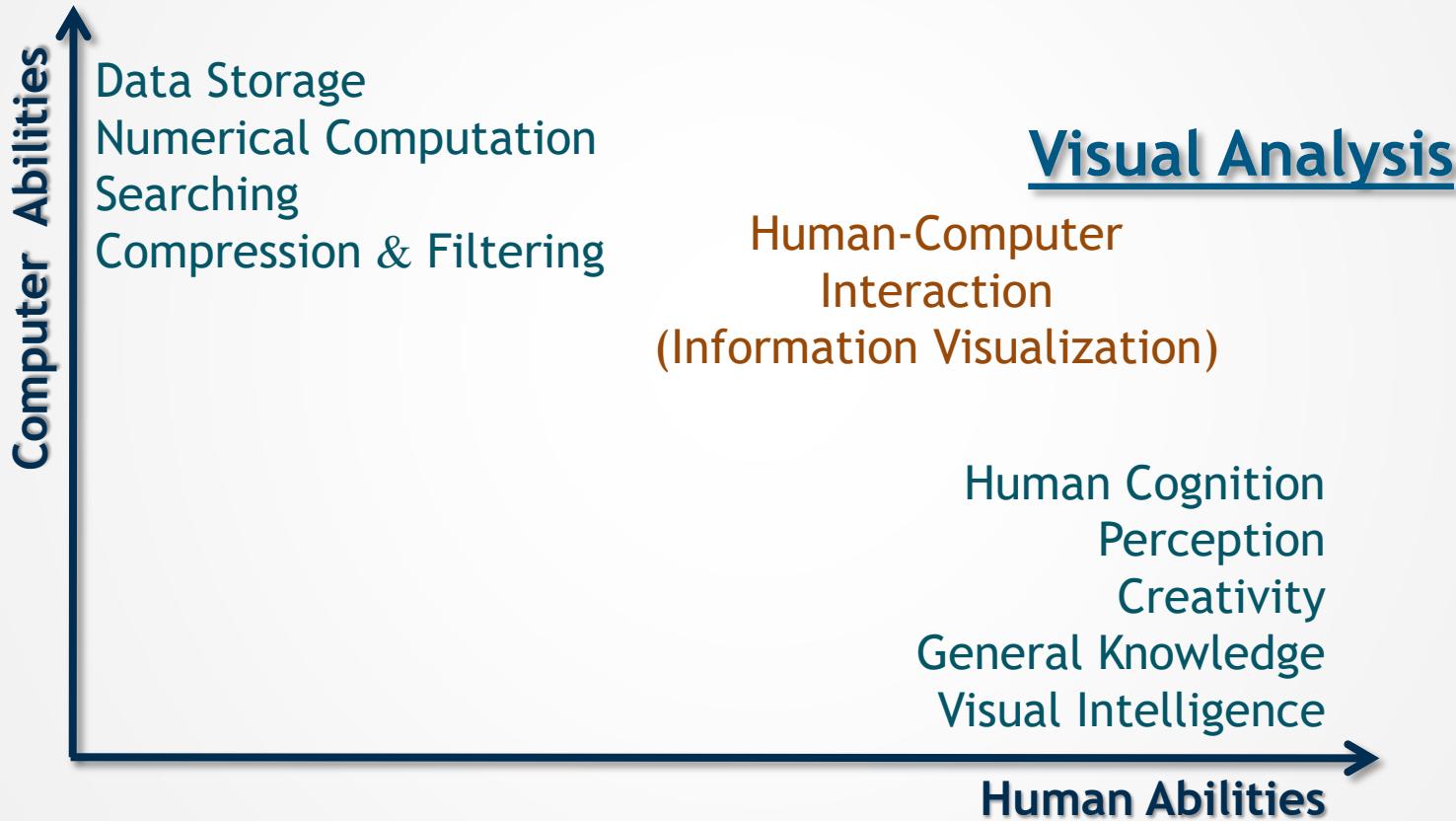
Larceny

Law enforcement agencies deploy resources in a more effective manner to:

- Prevent
 - Control
 - Reduce
- Crime activities

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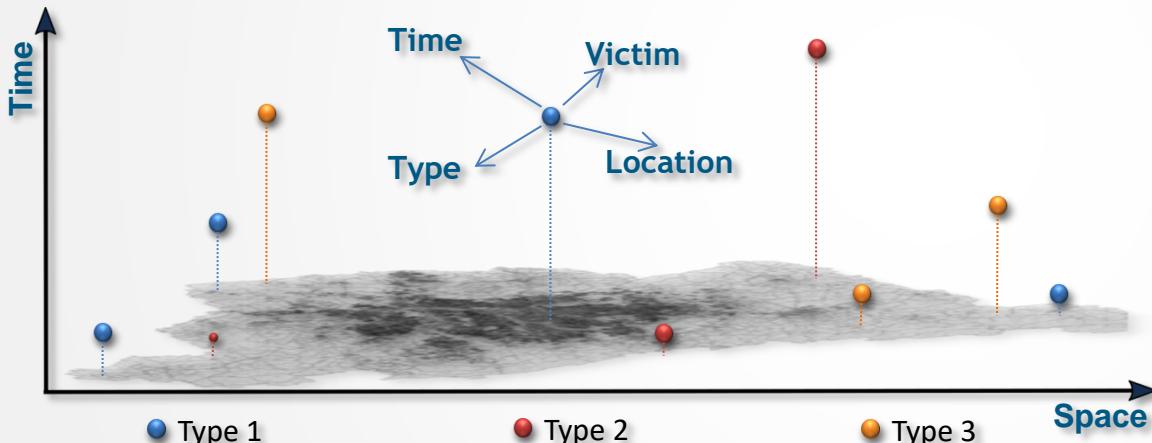
Search for patterns, trends, structure, irregularities, relationships among data



Introduction/Motivation

Crime Mapping

A branch of Geographic Information System (GIS) devoted to explain spatio-temporal behavior of criminal activities.

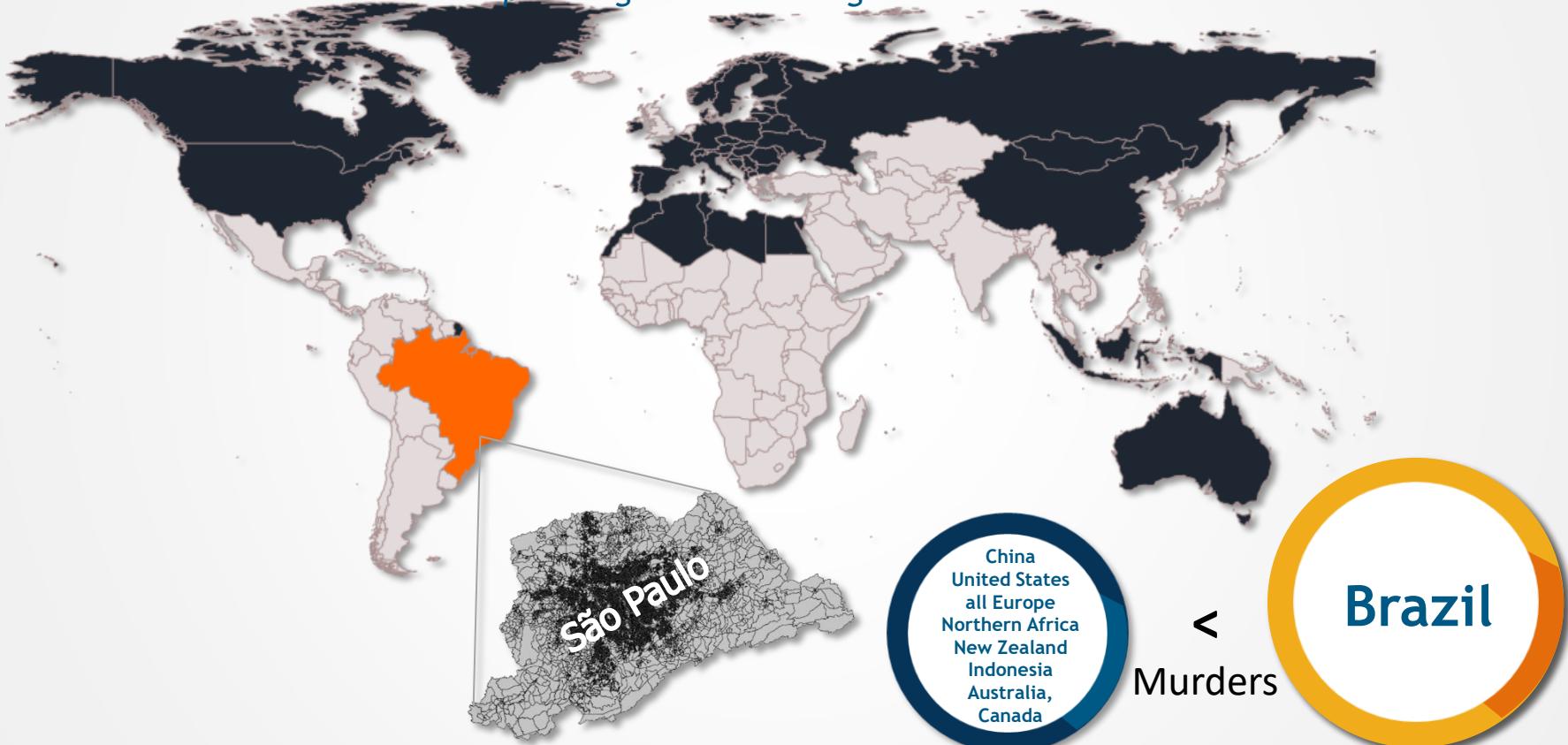


Allows

- Demonstrate the importance of local geography for crime frequency and type.
- Identify and visualize hotspots.
- Identify the seasonality of crime types in certain locations.

Introduction/Motivation

Brazil is a dangerous place, with a high murder rate and surprisingly high disparity when compared against other large countries.*



* <http://metrocosm.com/homicides-brazil-vs-world/>

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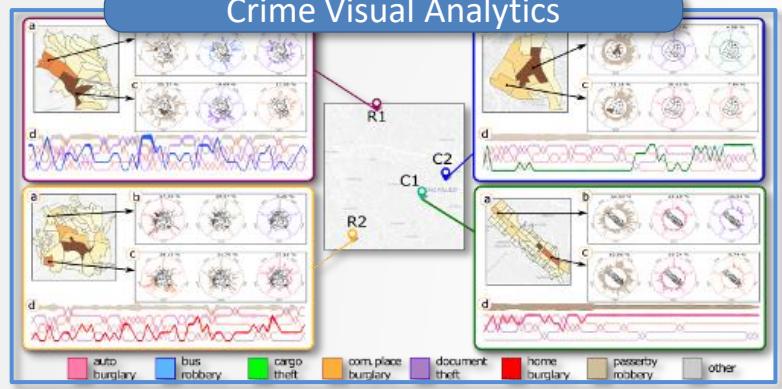
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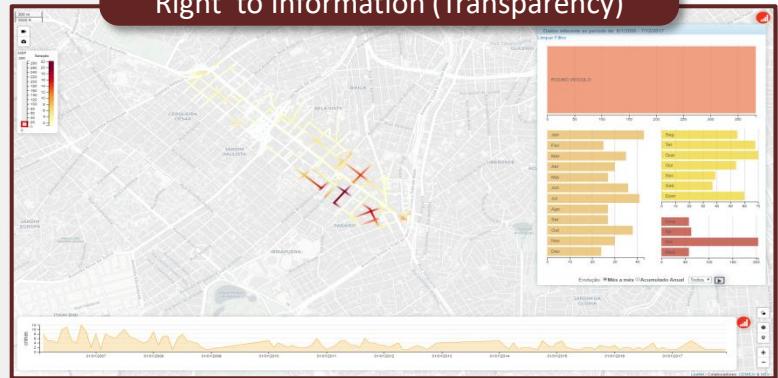
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Crime Visual Analytics

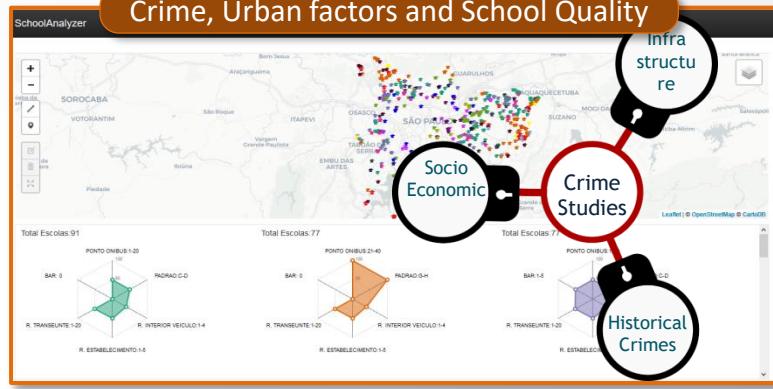


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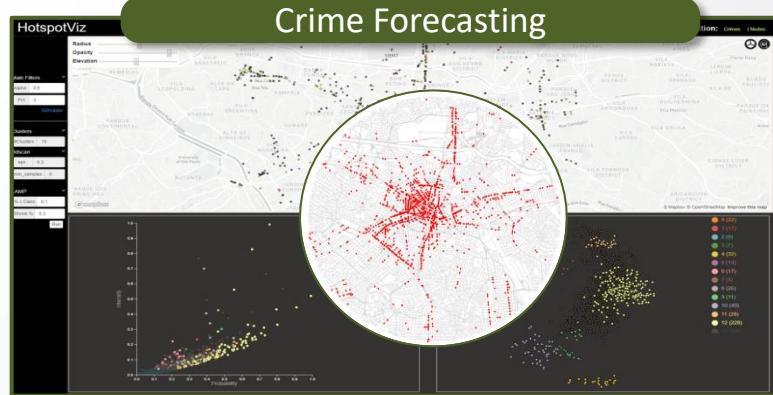


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Crime, Urban factors and School Quality

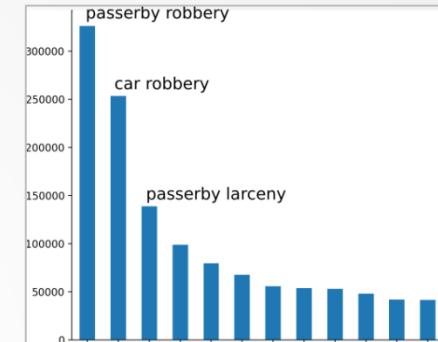


Crime Forecasting



Initial Data Set

- From 2000 to 2006
- The data set contains **3 attributes**:
 - Census unit code where the crime happened.
 - Type of crime.
 - Date and time of the crime.
- Crime types** range in **127**:
 - Passerby robbery
 - Auto theft
 - Larceny
 - ...
- Categories** are:
 - Roubo - **691 954**
 - Furto - **587 885**
 - Roubo de veículo - **295 081**





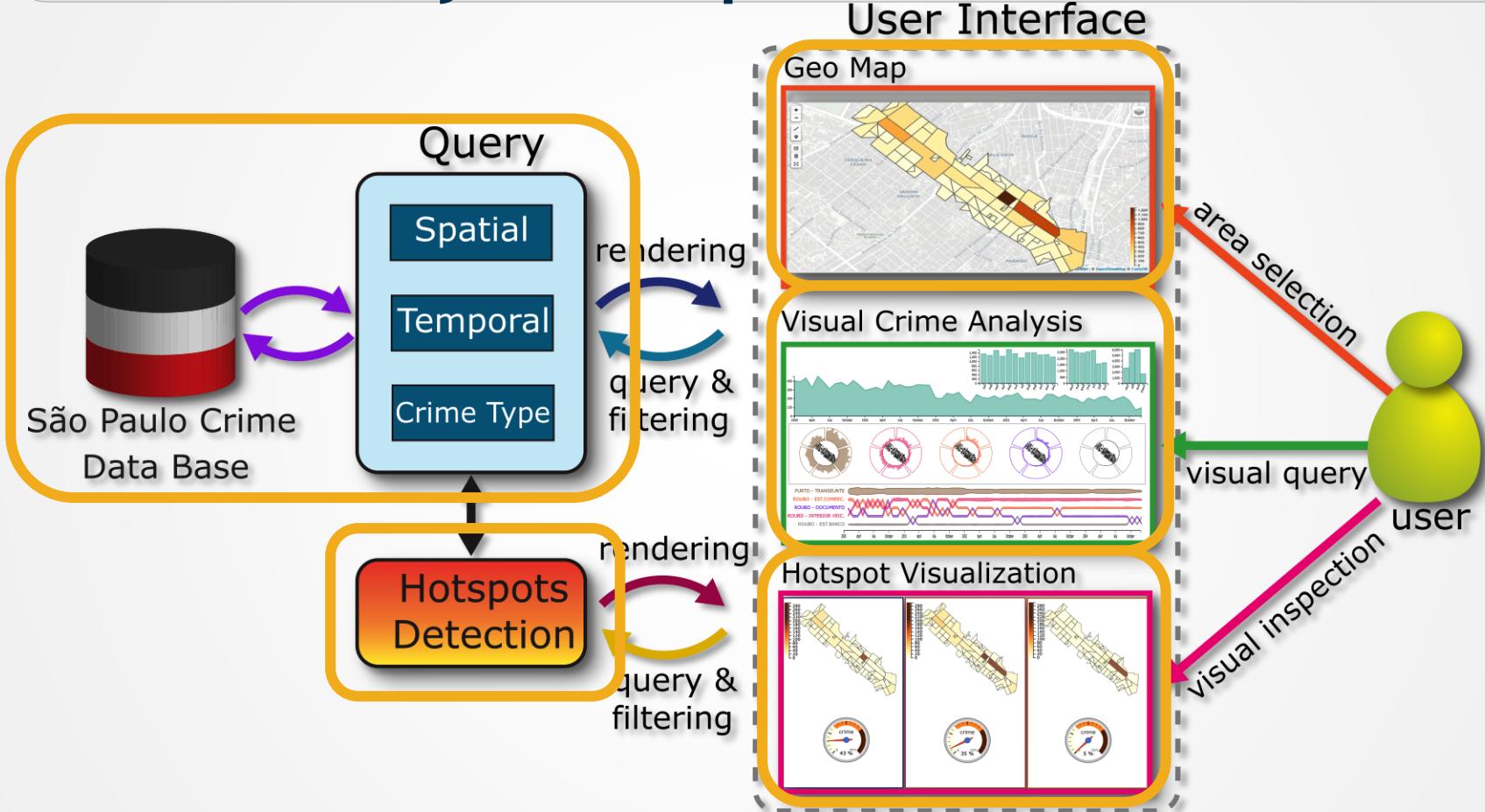
Problem Analysis

- **P1.** *Analyzing the characteristics and dynamics of crimes in particular regions of the city.*
- **P2.** *Identifying crime hotspots within a particular region.*
- **P3.** *Understanding and comparing crime patterns.*

CRIMANALYZER

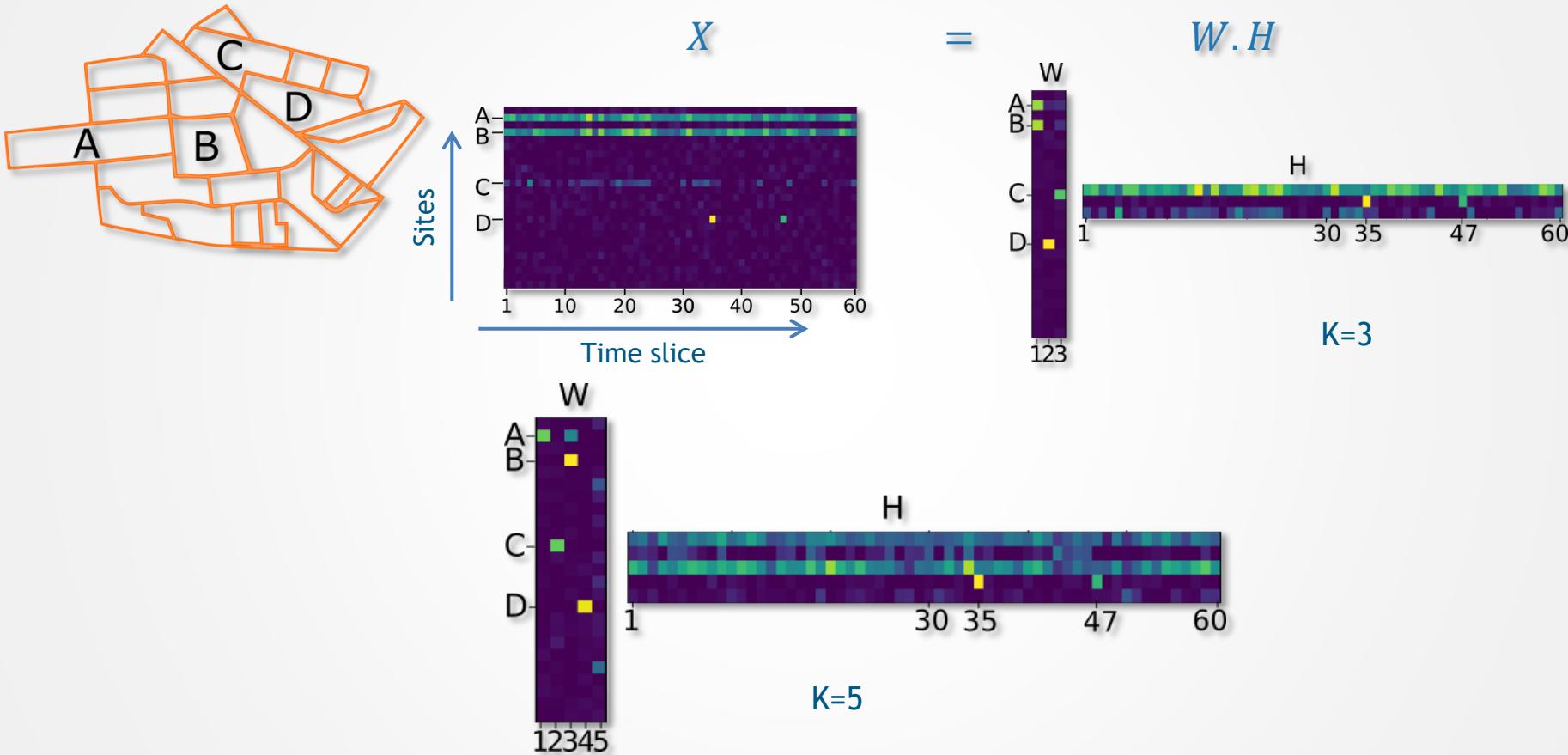
Understanding Crime Patterns in São Paulo

CrimAnalyzer - Pipeline





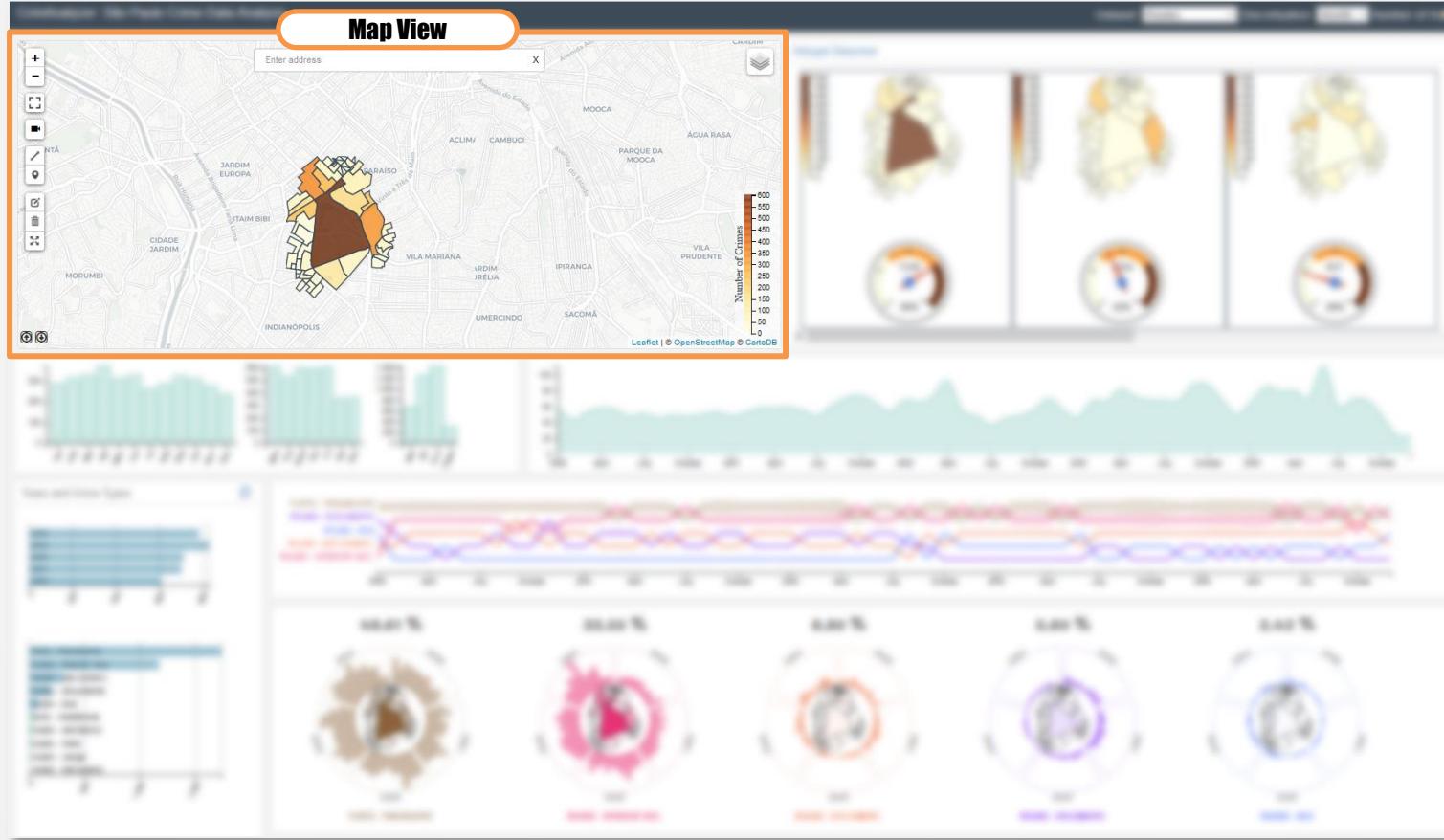
Data Modelling with NMF



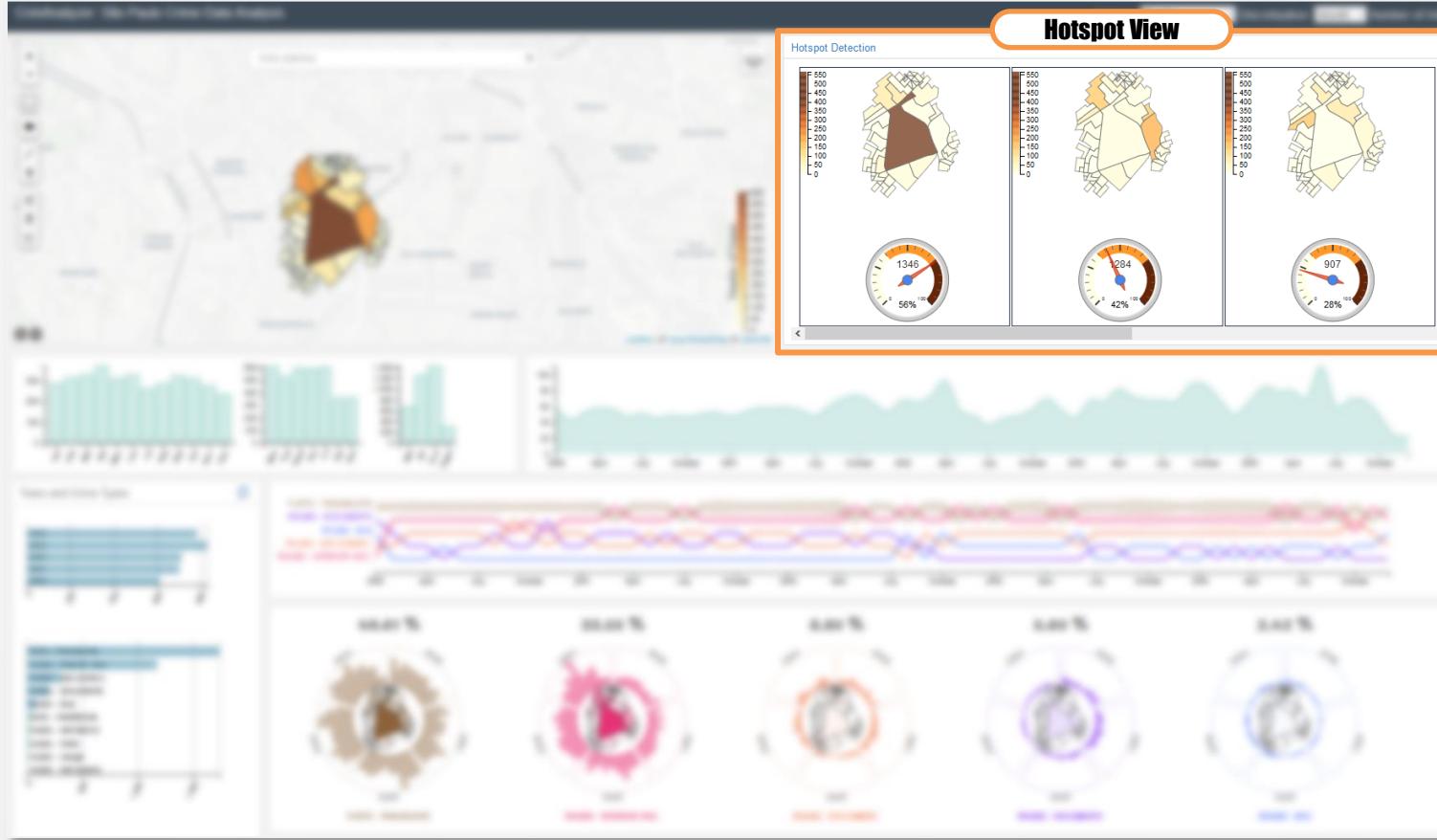
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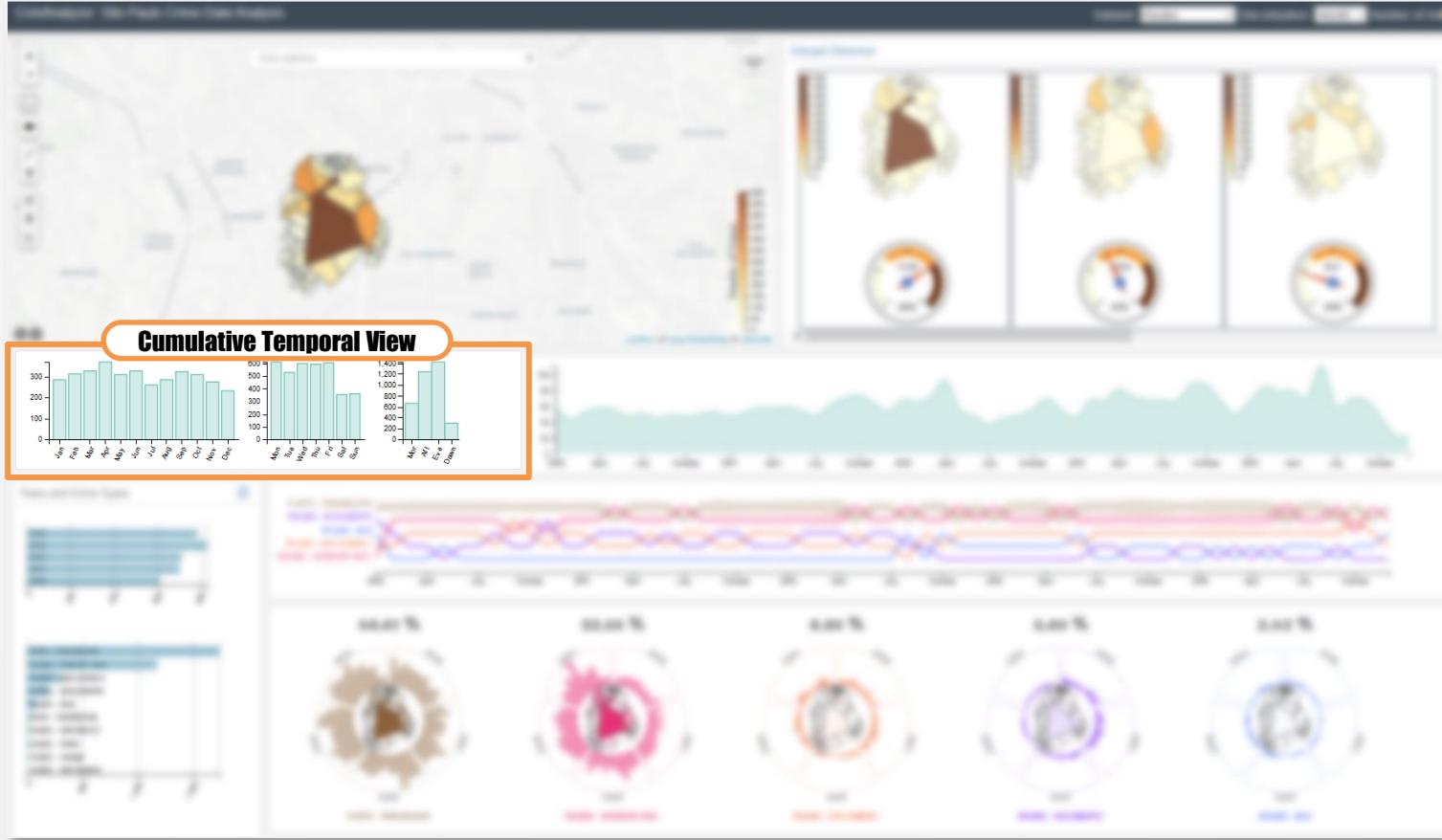
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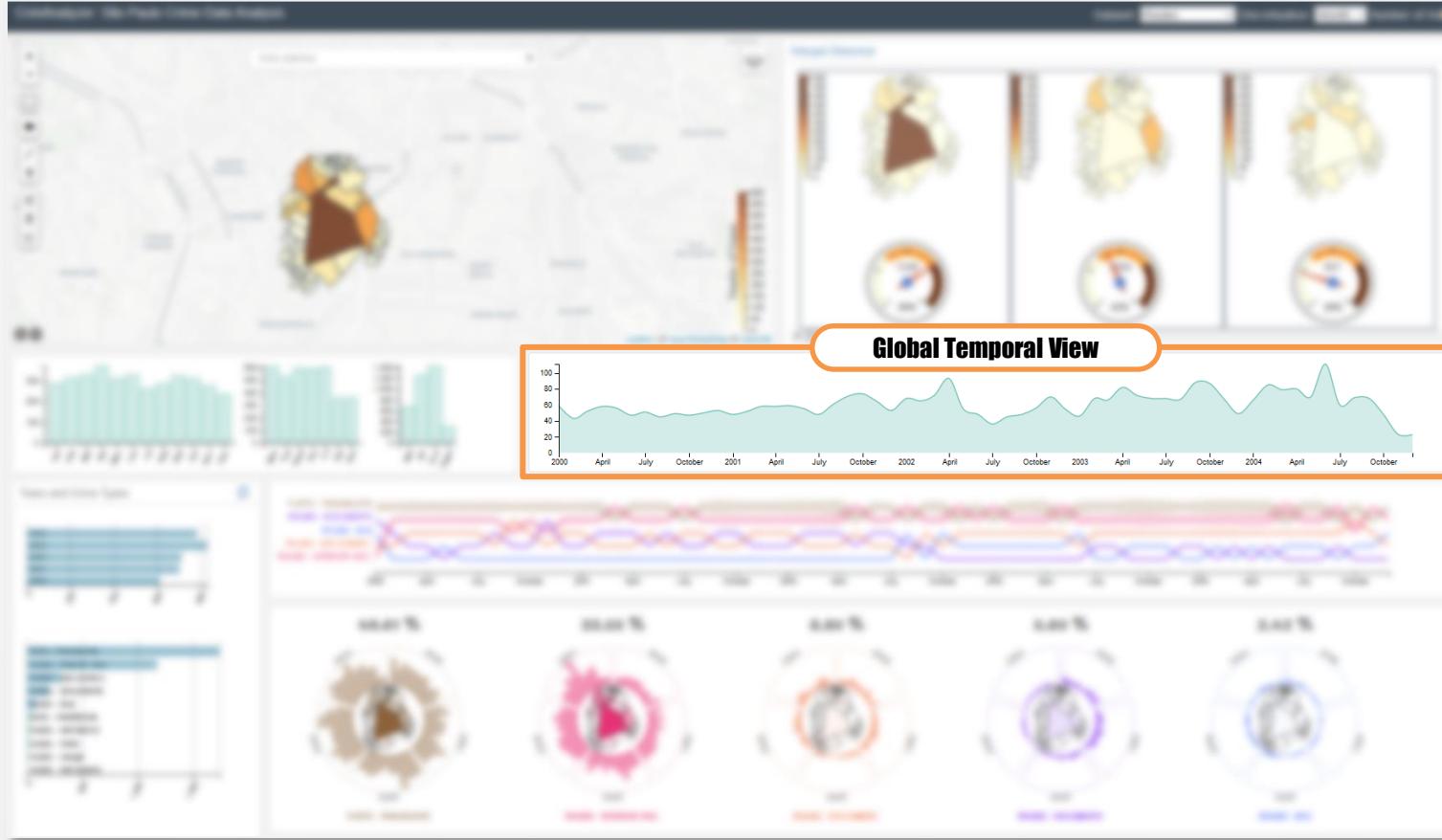
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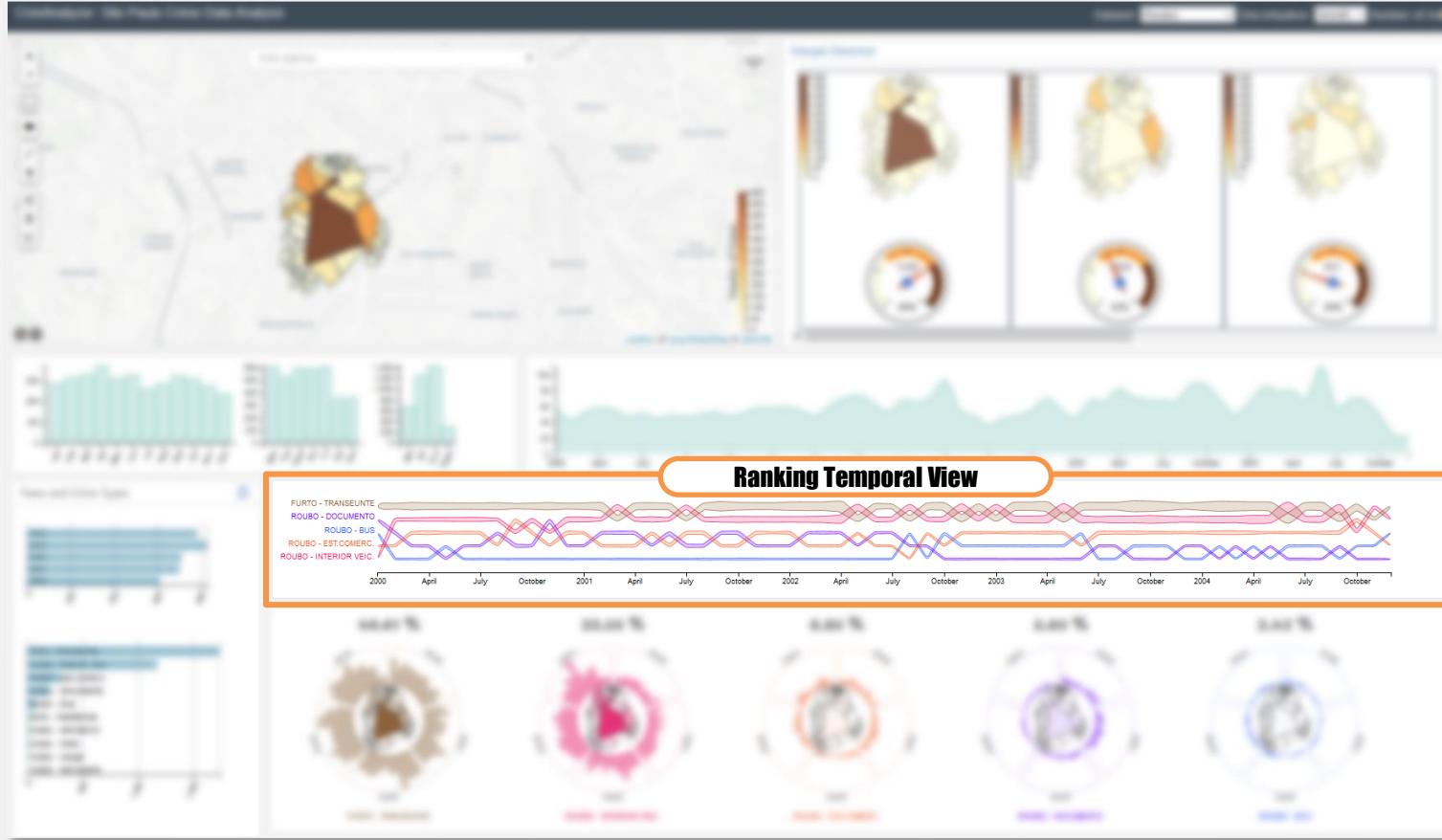
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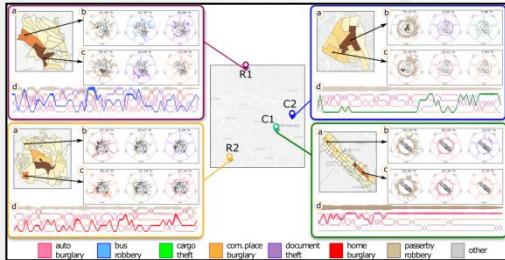
CrimAnalyzer - Paper

CrimAnalyzer: Understanding Crime Patterns in São Paulo

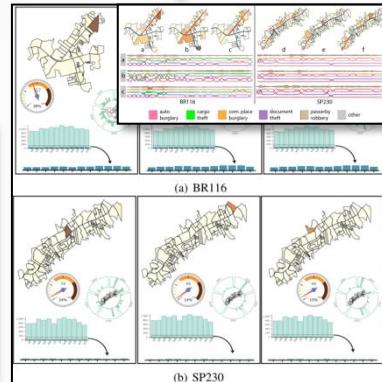
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Case Studies

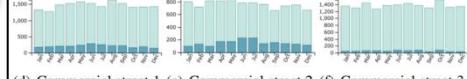
Comparing Crime Patterns over the City



Hotspot Analysis and Cargo Theft



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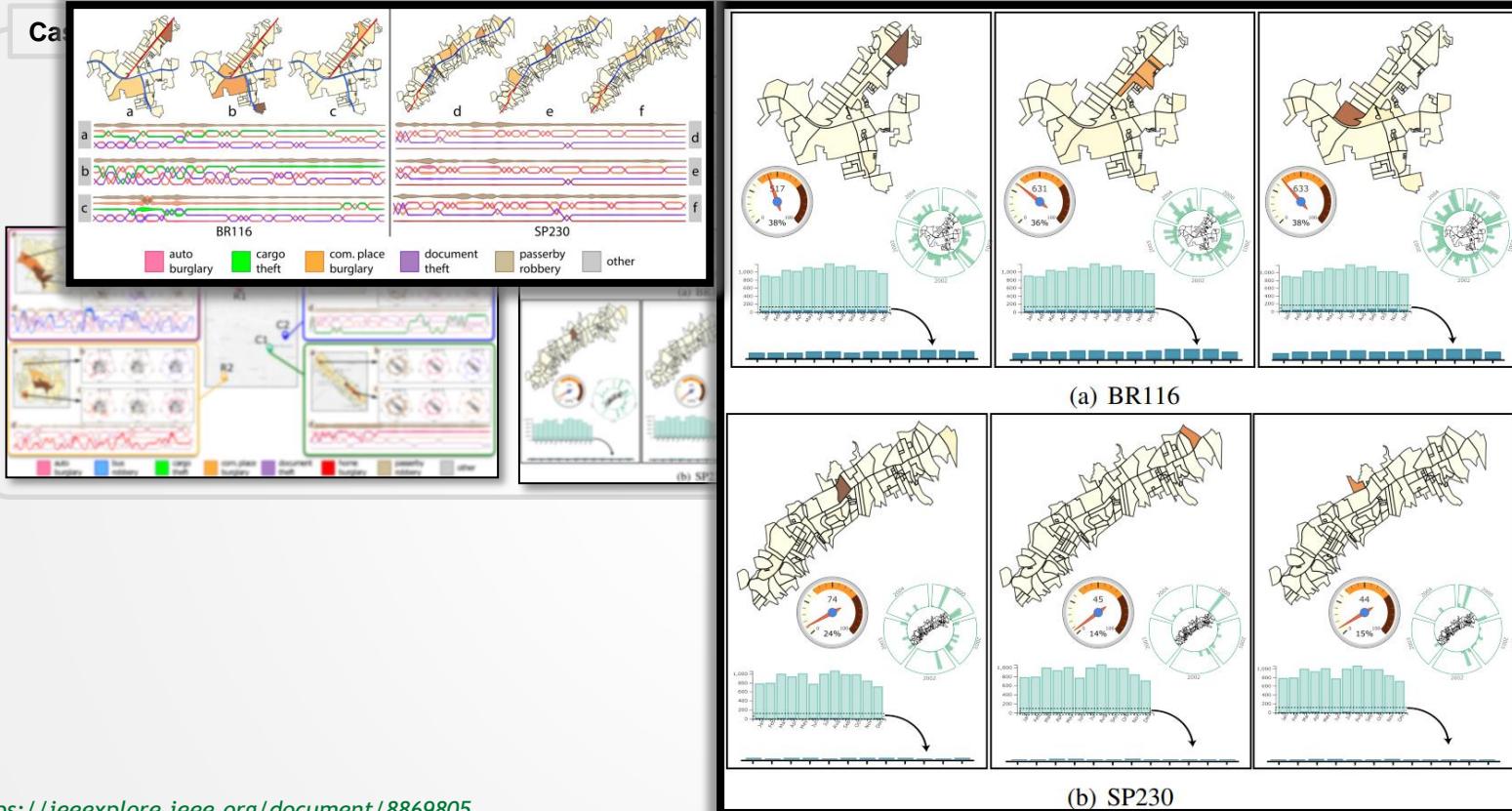
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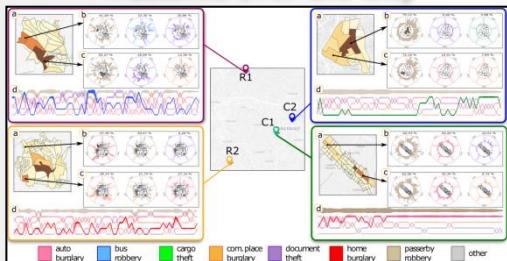
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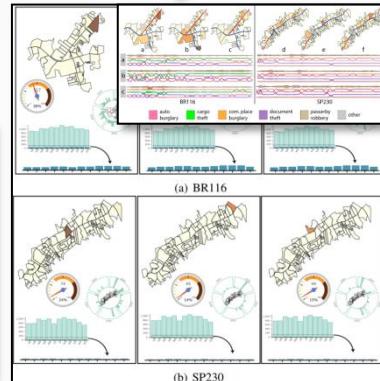
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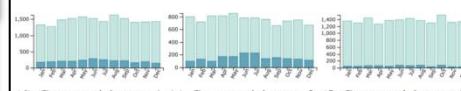
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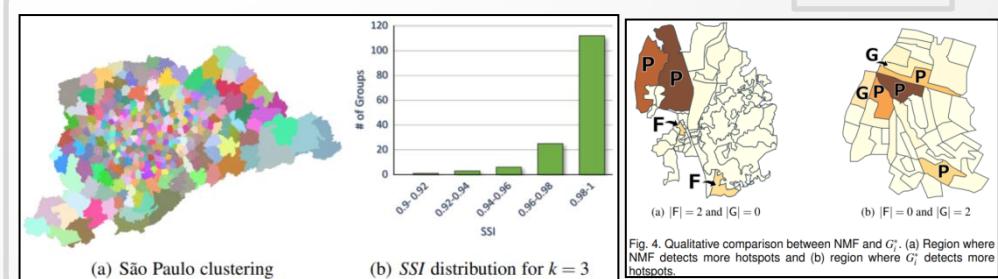


Fig. 4. Qualitative comparison between NMF and G'_t . (a) Region where NMF detects more hotspots and (b) region where G'_t detects more hotspots.

Second Data Set

- From 2006 to 2017

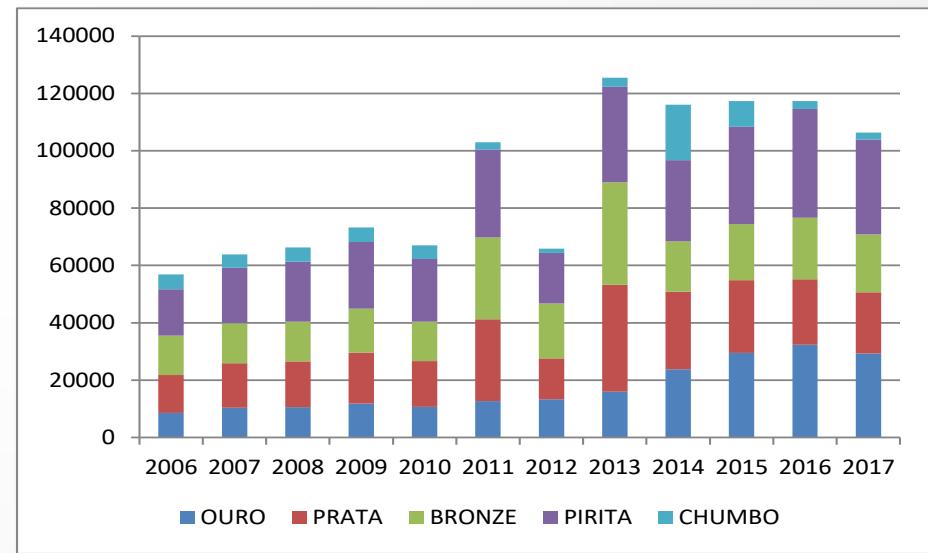
- Attributes:**

- ANO_OCORR:** Year of occurrence.
- DATA_OCORRENCIA_BO:** Date of occurrence.
- HORA_OCORRENCIA_BO:** Hour of occurrence (many of them nominal: Madrugada, manhã, Noite).
- NOME_DELEGACIA_CIRC:** Station name
- RUBRICA:** Crime type (16 types)
- FLAG_STATUS:** Status (consumado).
- COD_SETOR:** Code of census block
- COORD_X:lat**
- COORD_Y:lng**

- Categories** are:

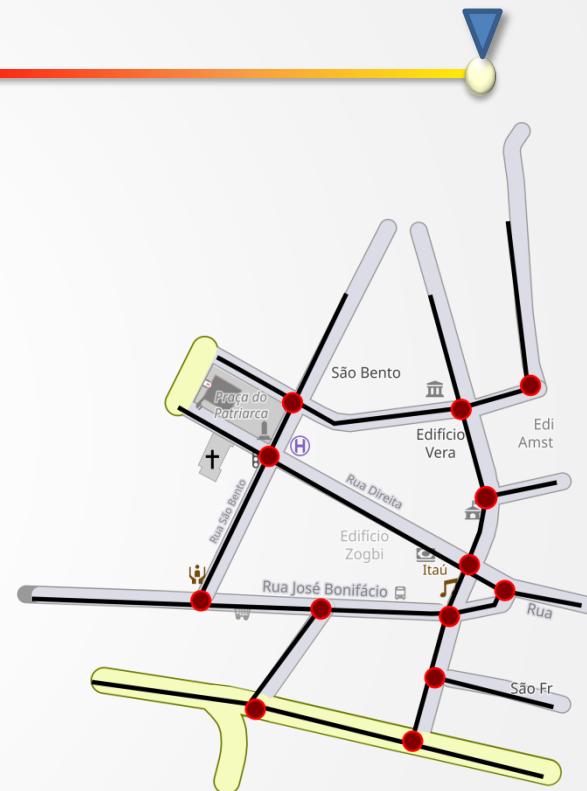
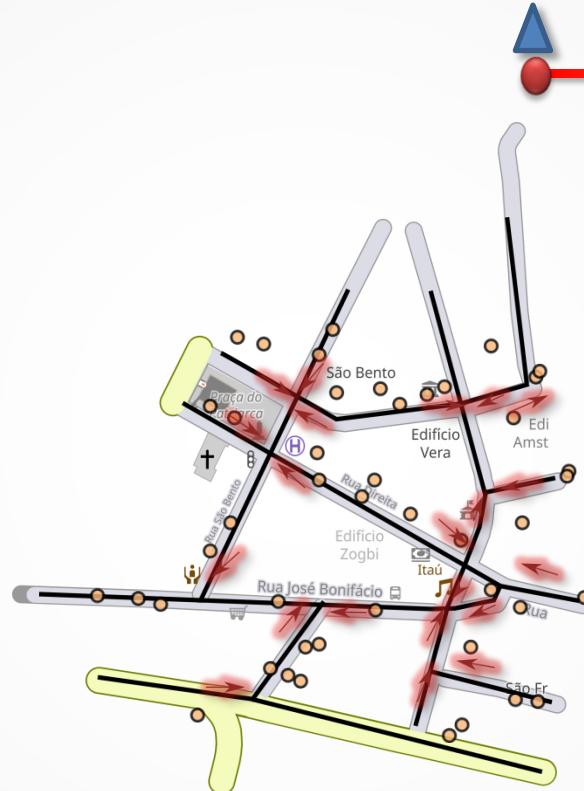
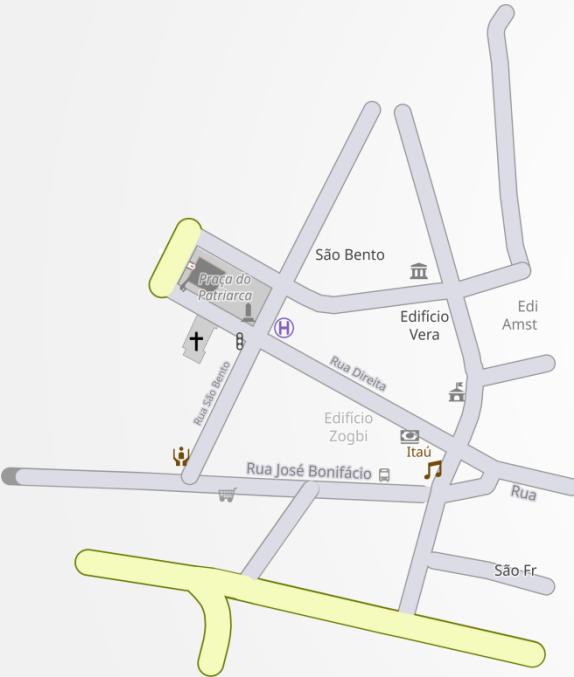
- Roubo, more than 1,000,000

São Paulo has
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census blocks.

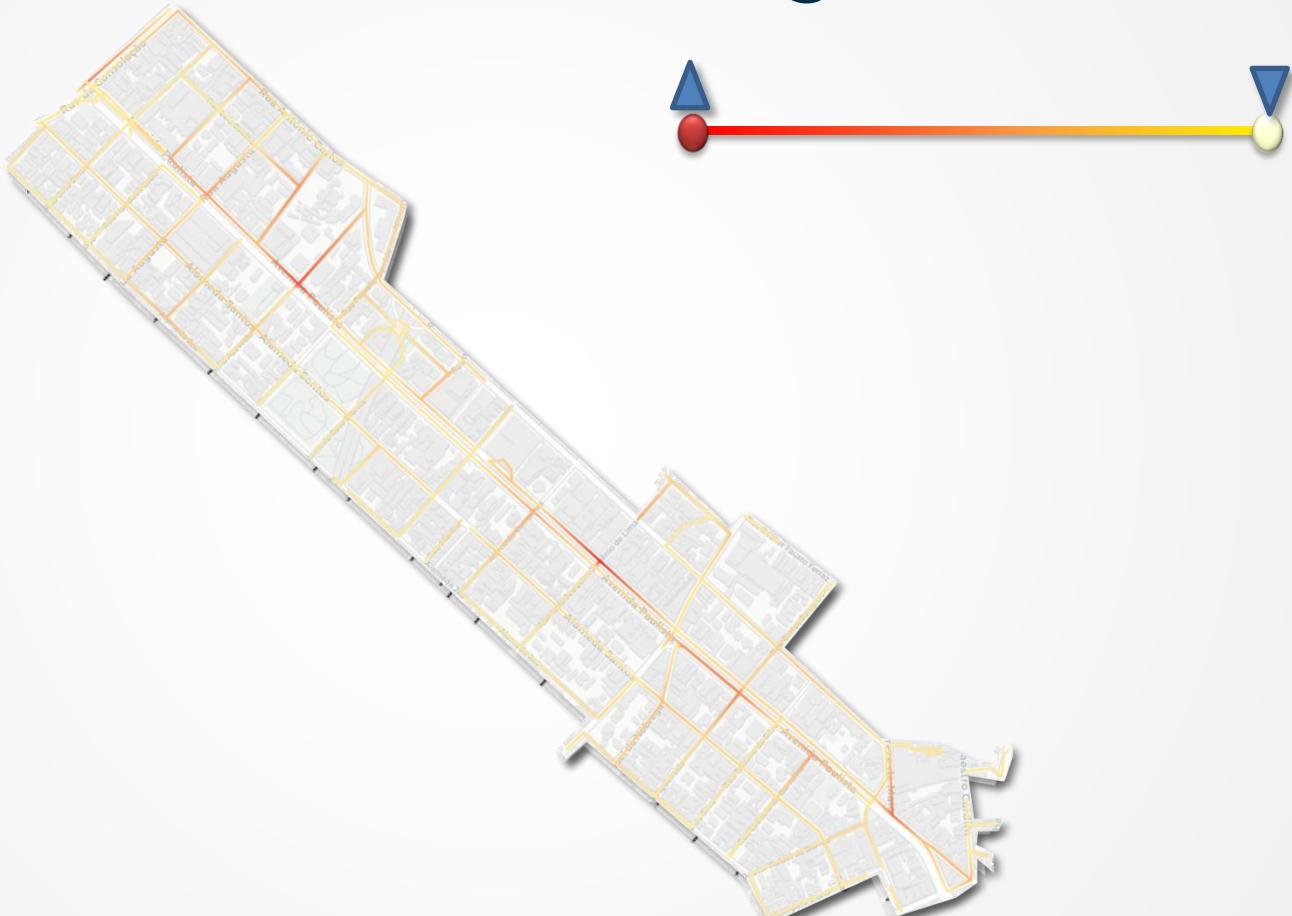




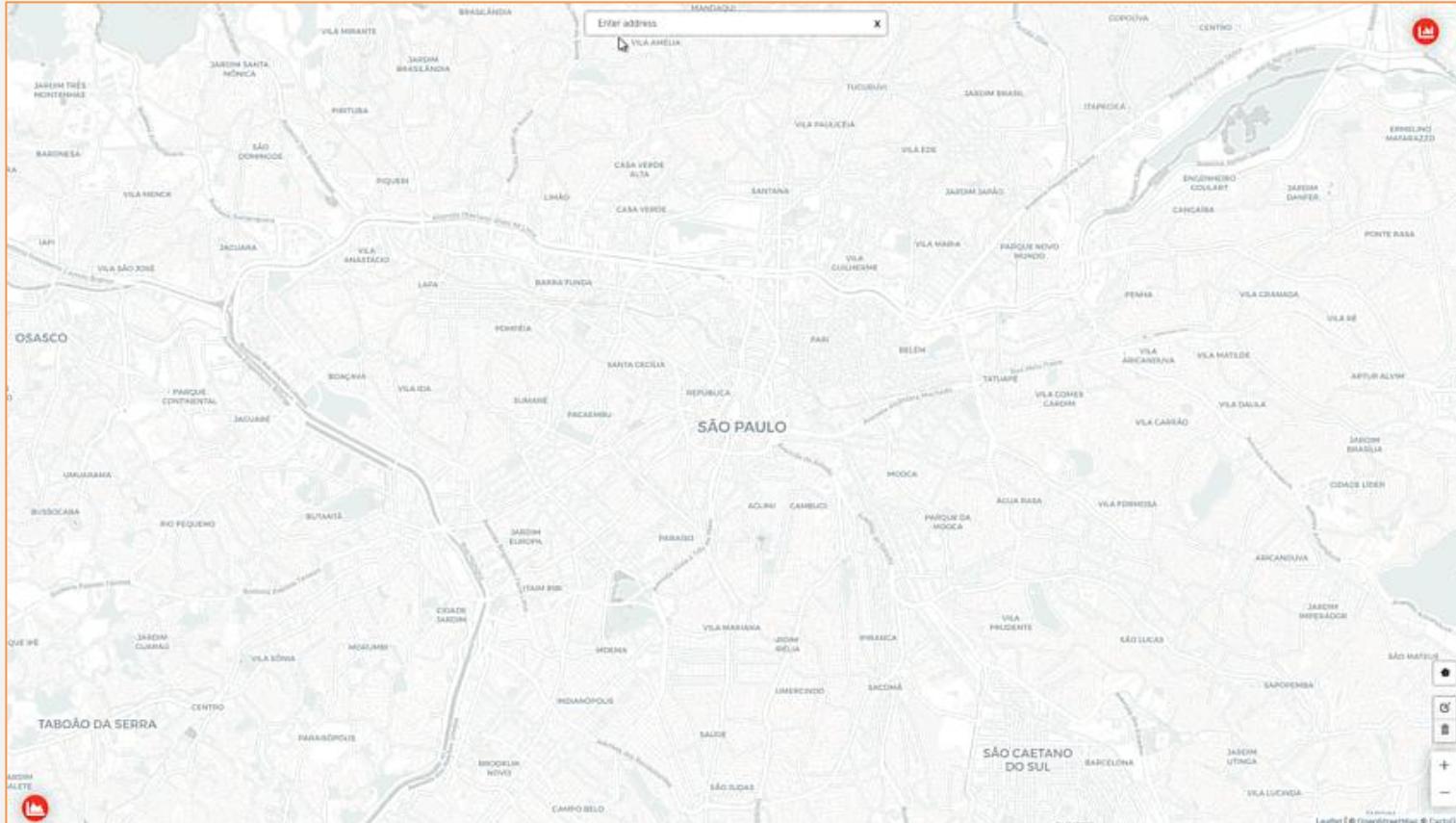
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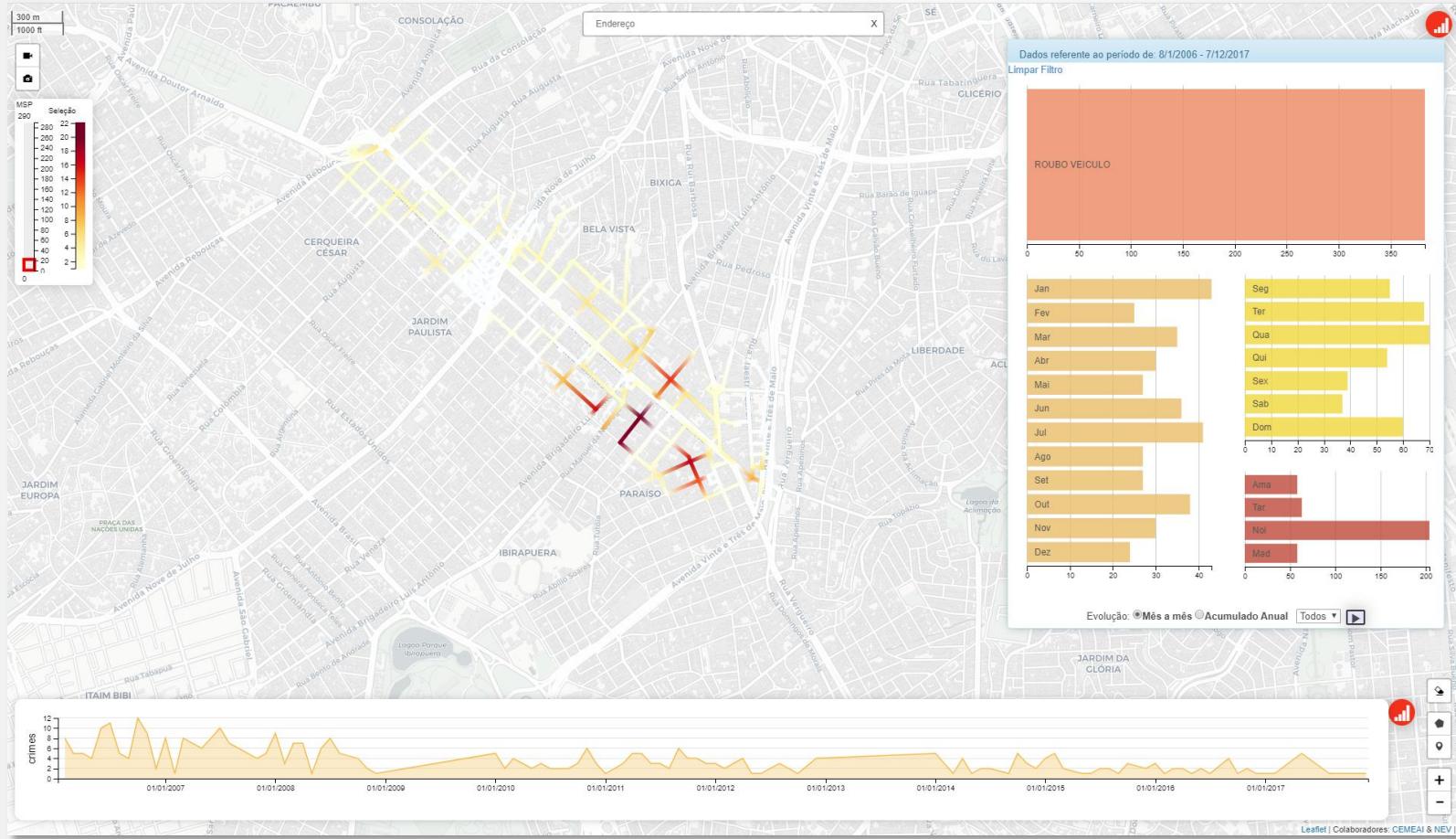


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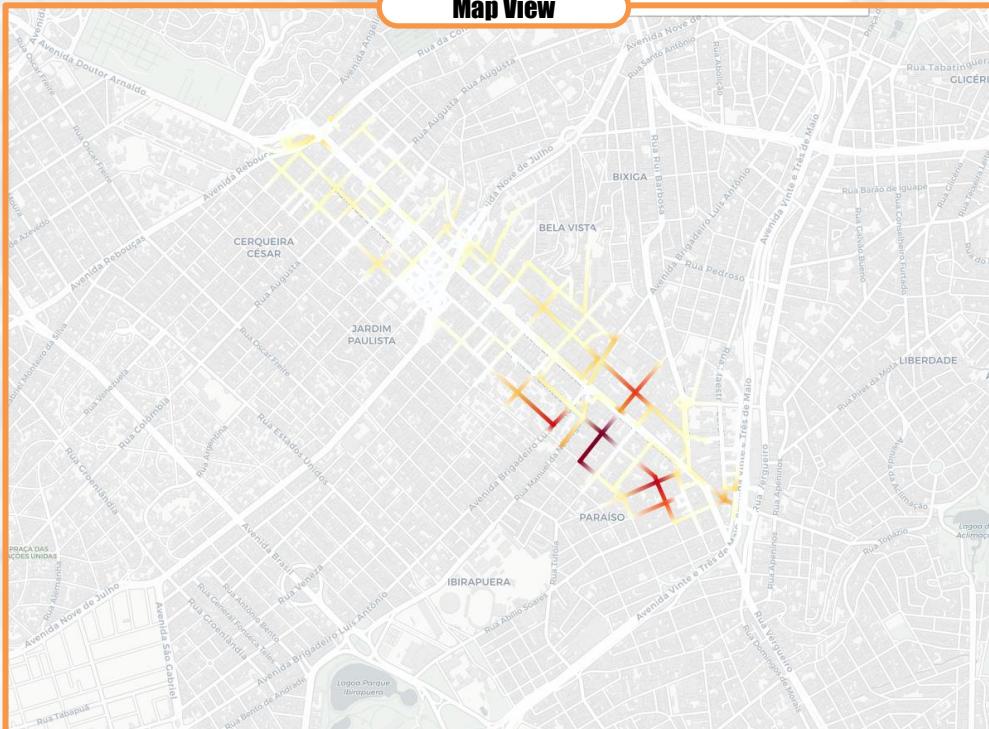
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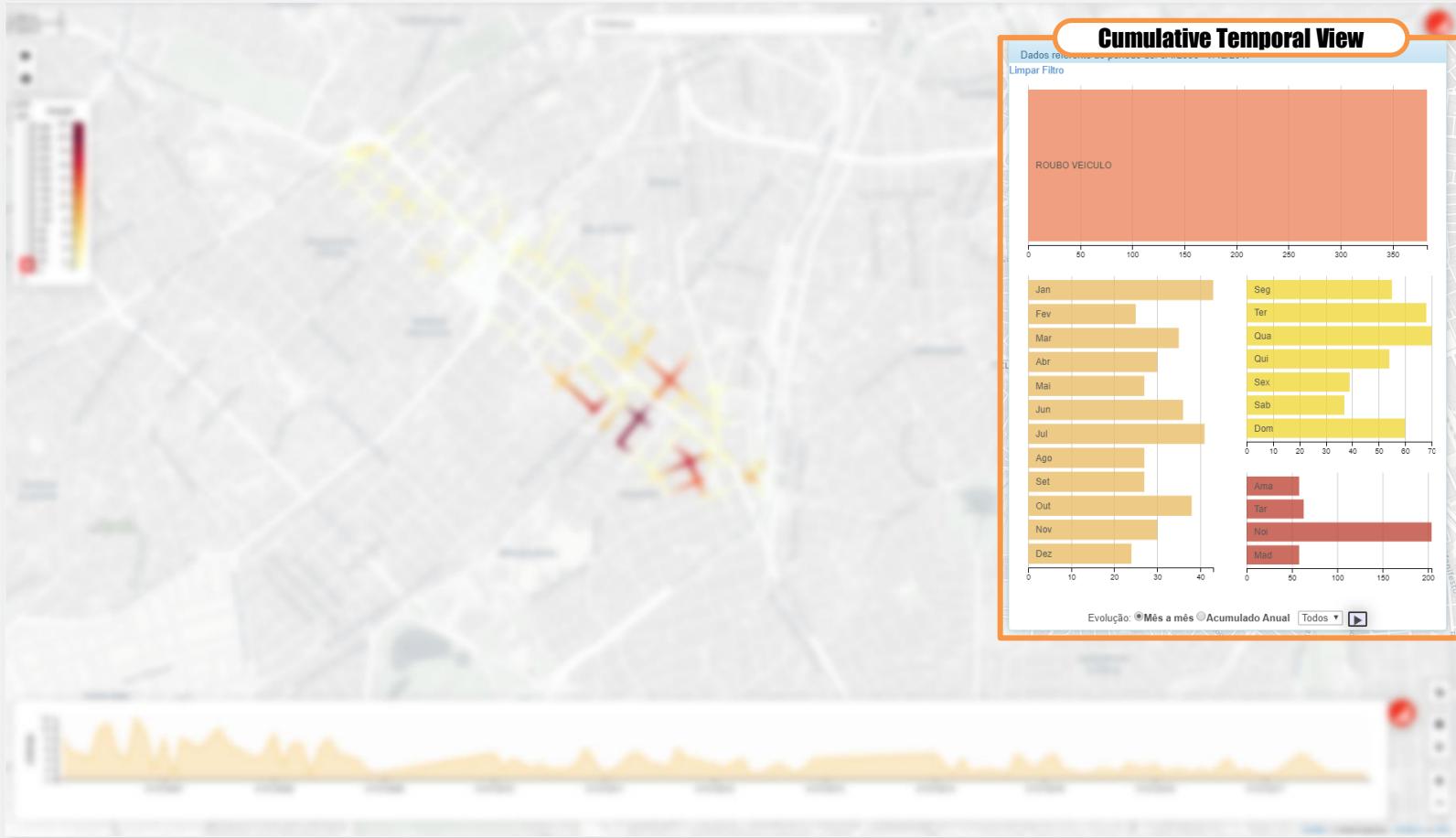


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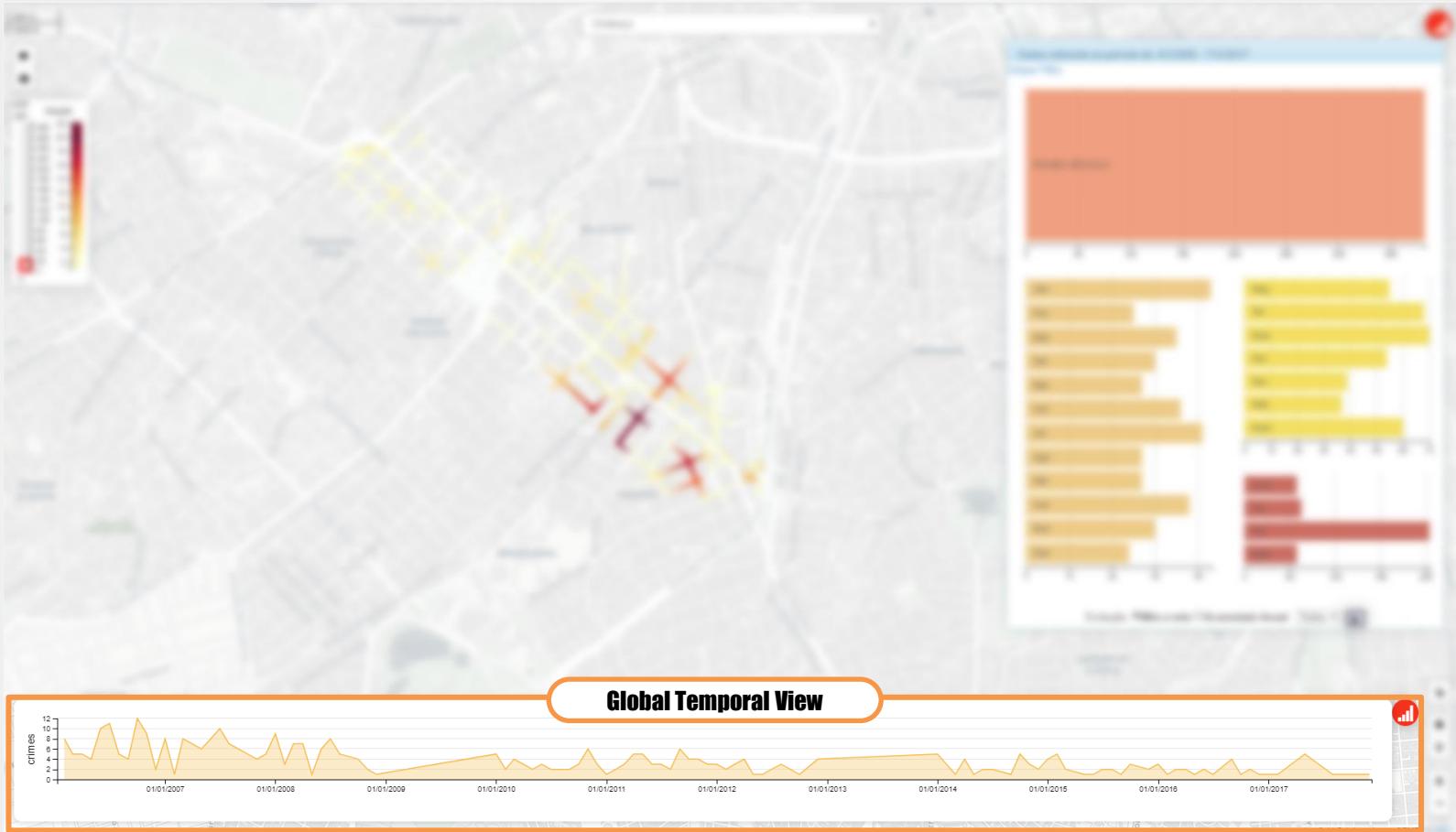
Map View



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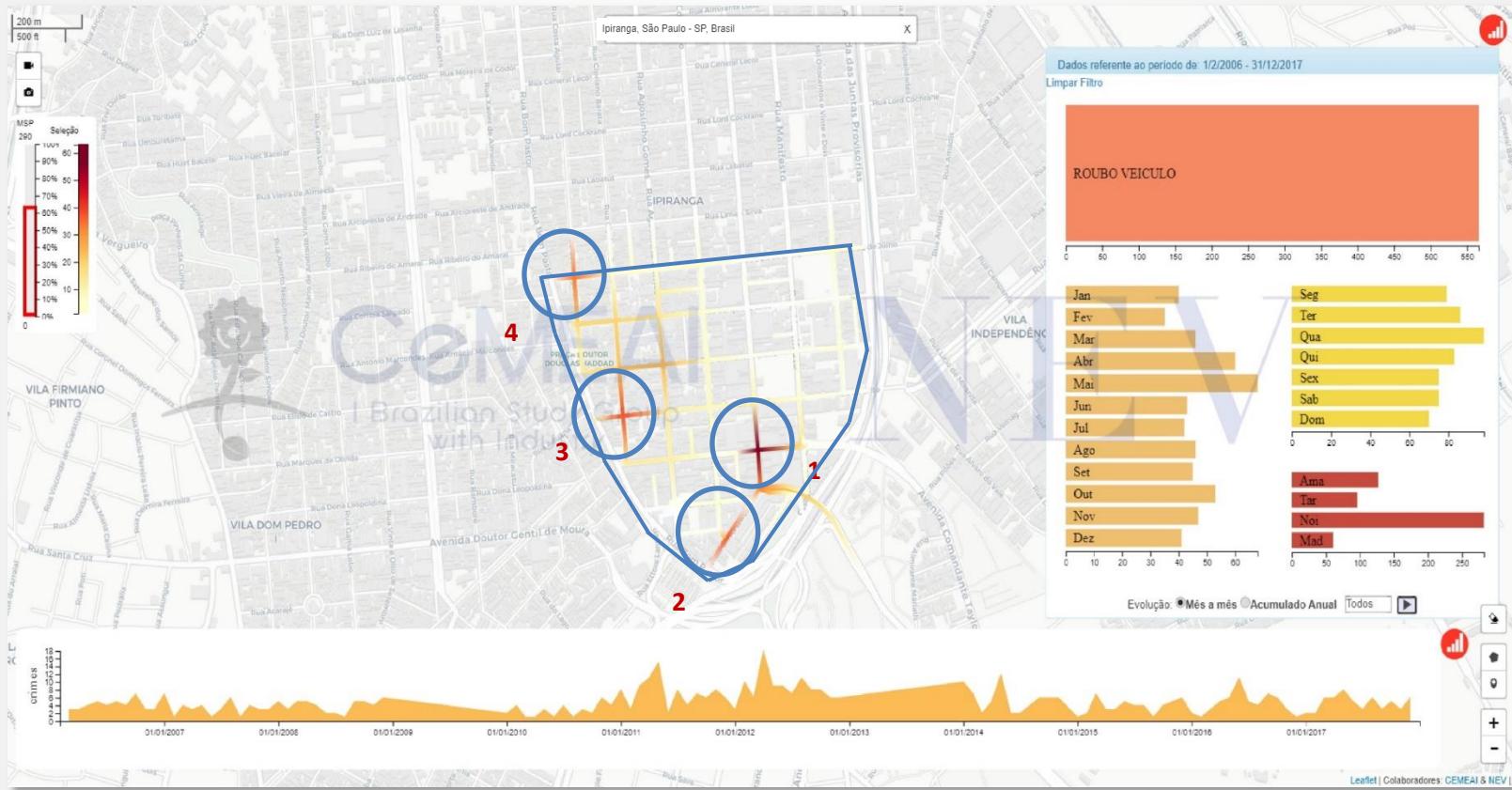


Global Temporal View

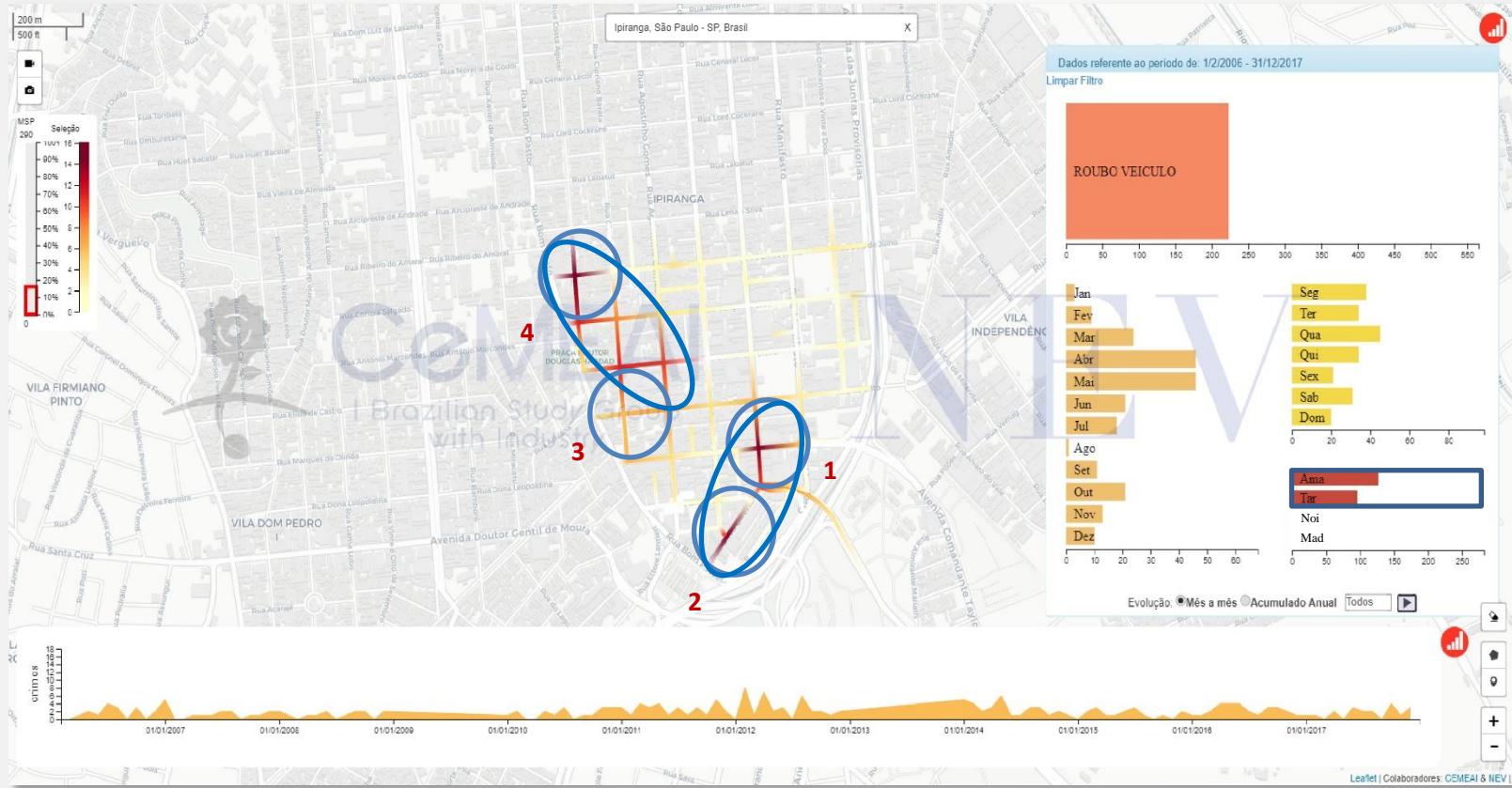
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Comparative

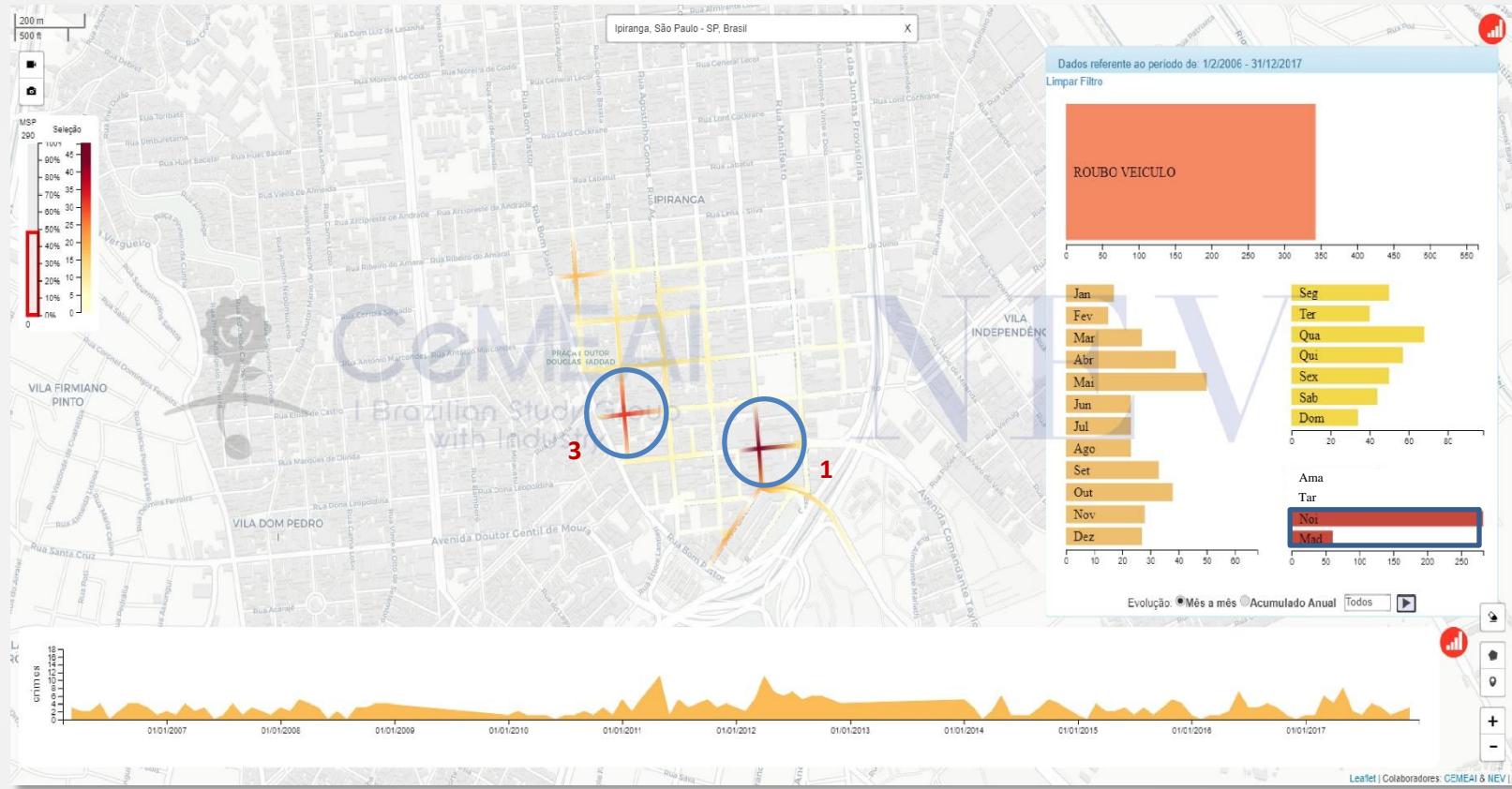




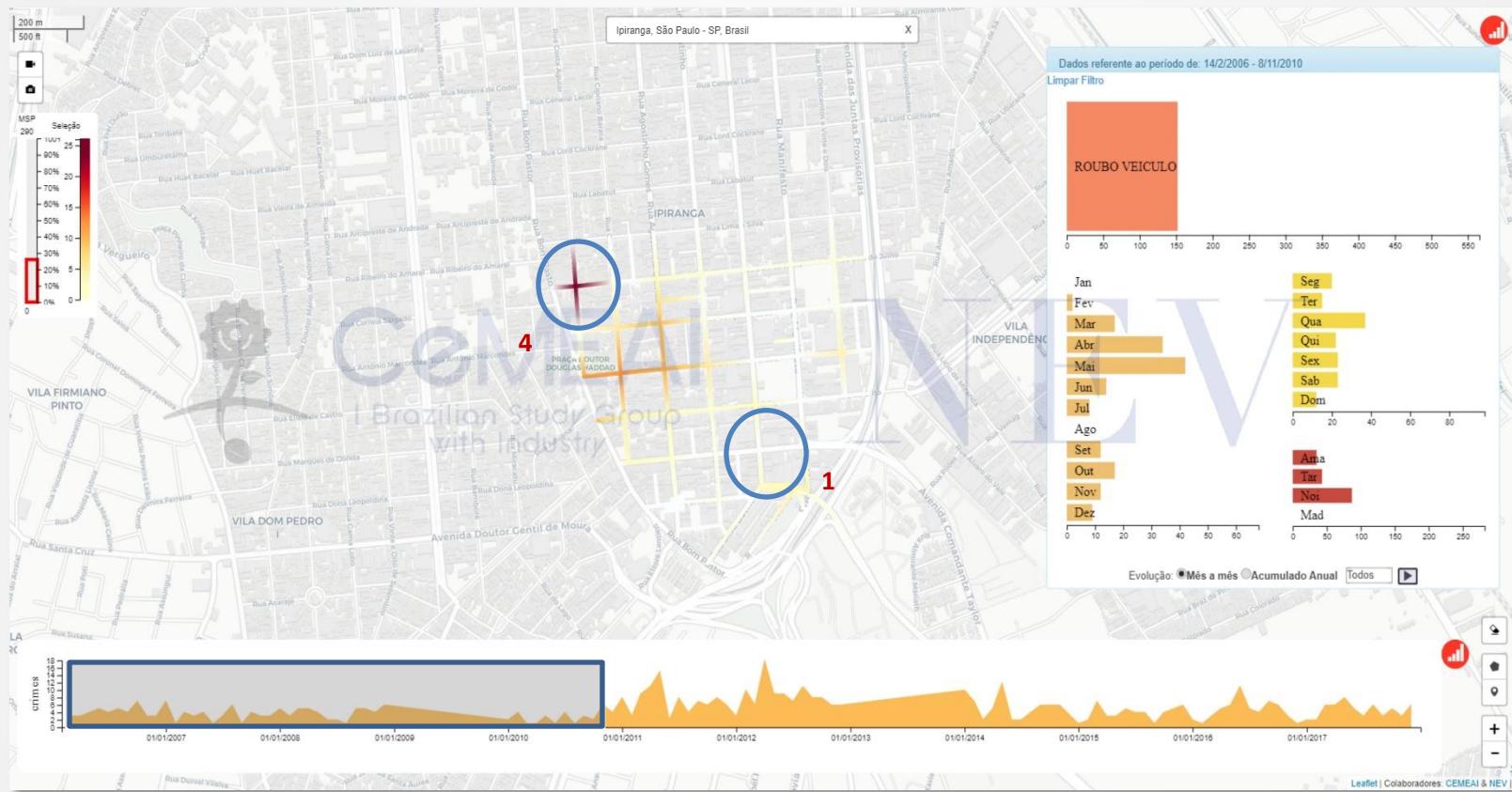
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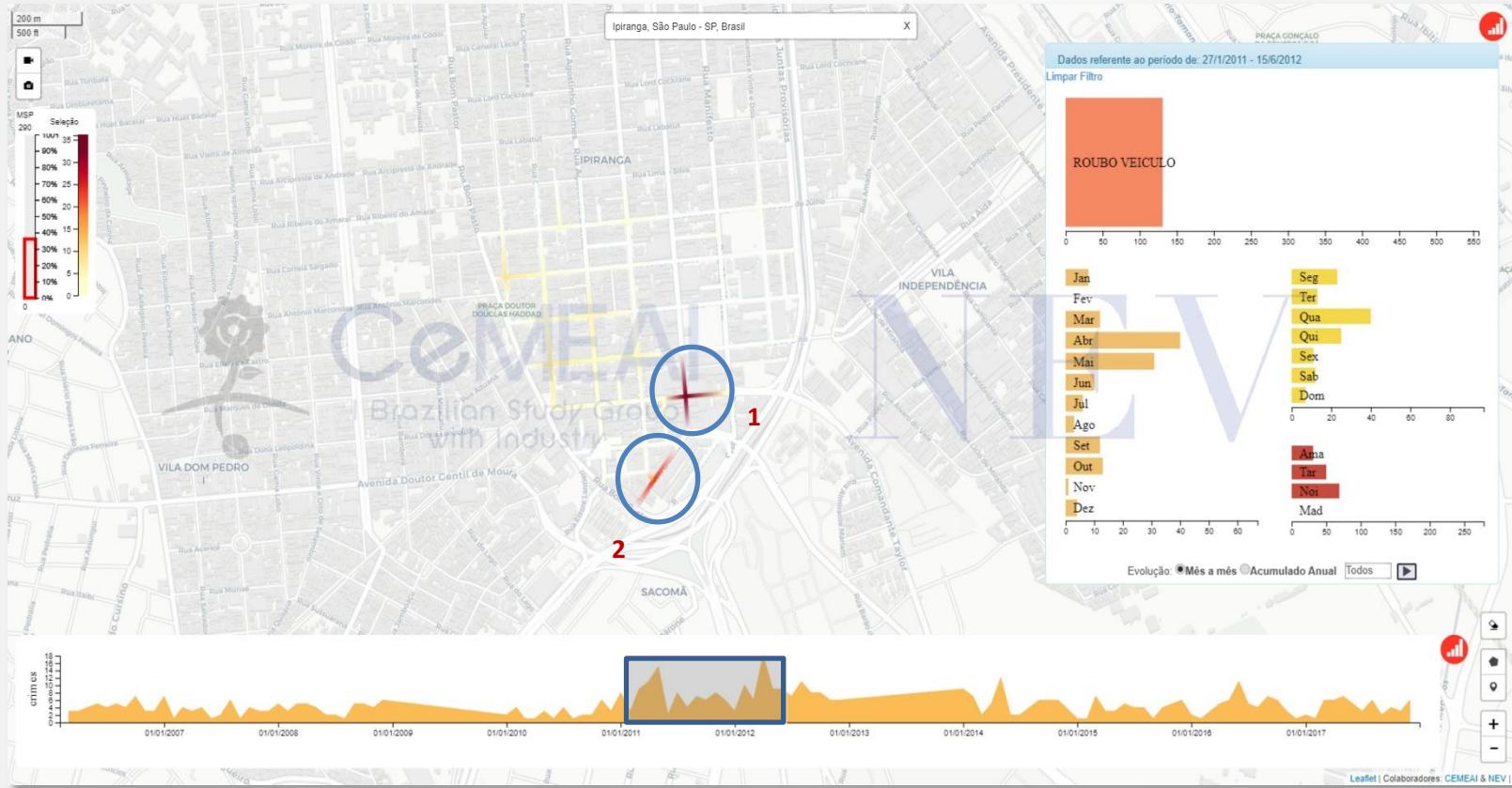
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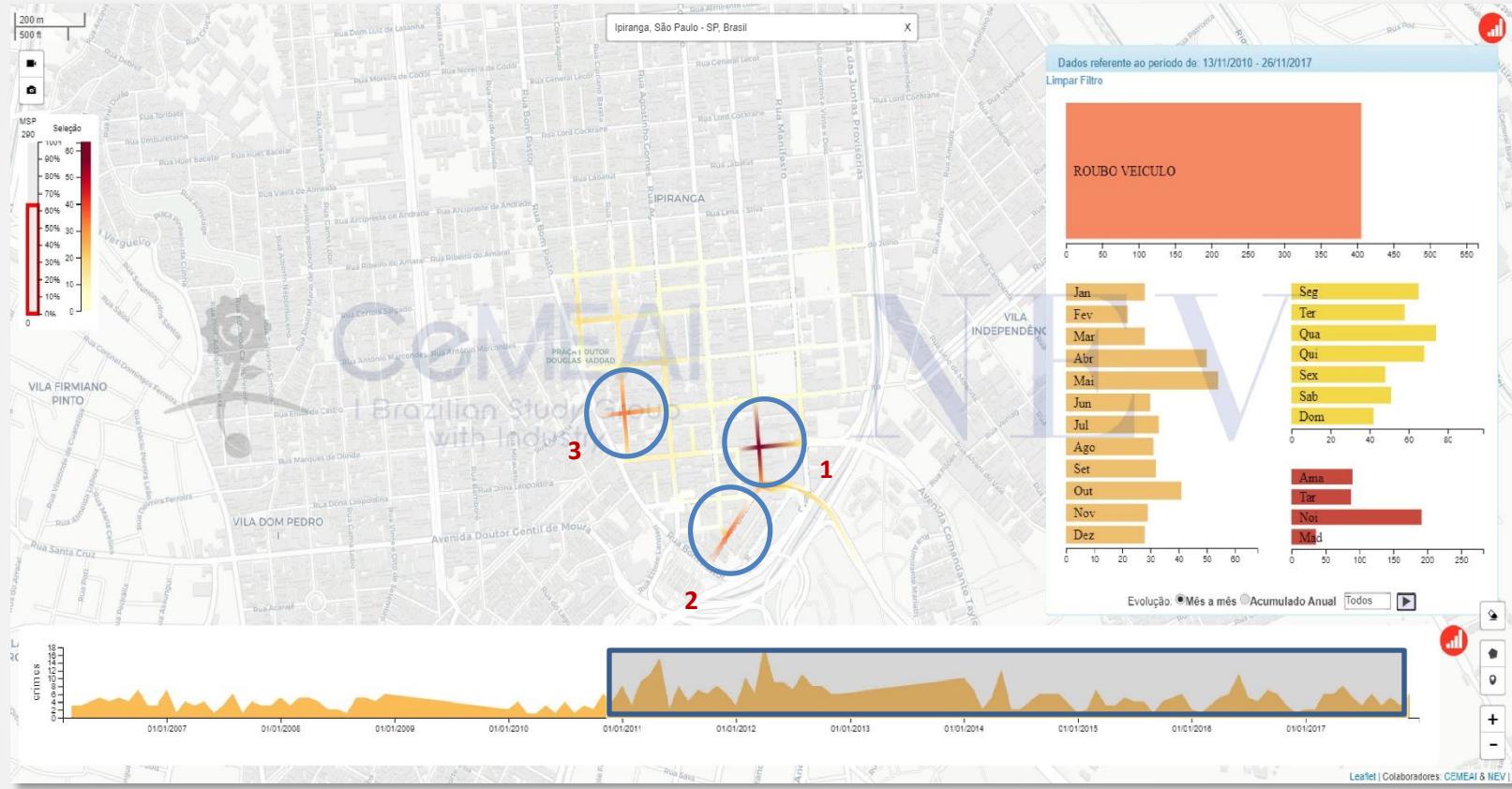
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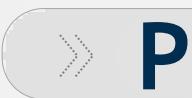
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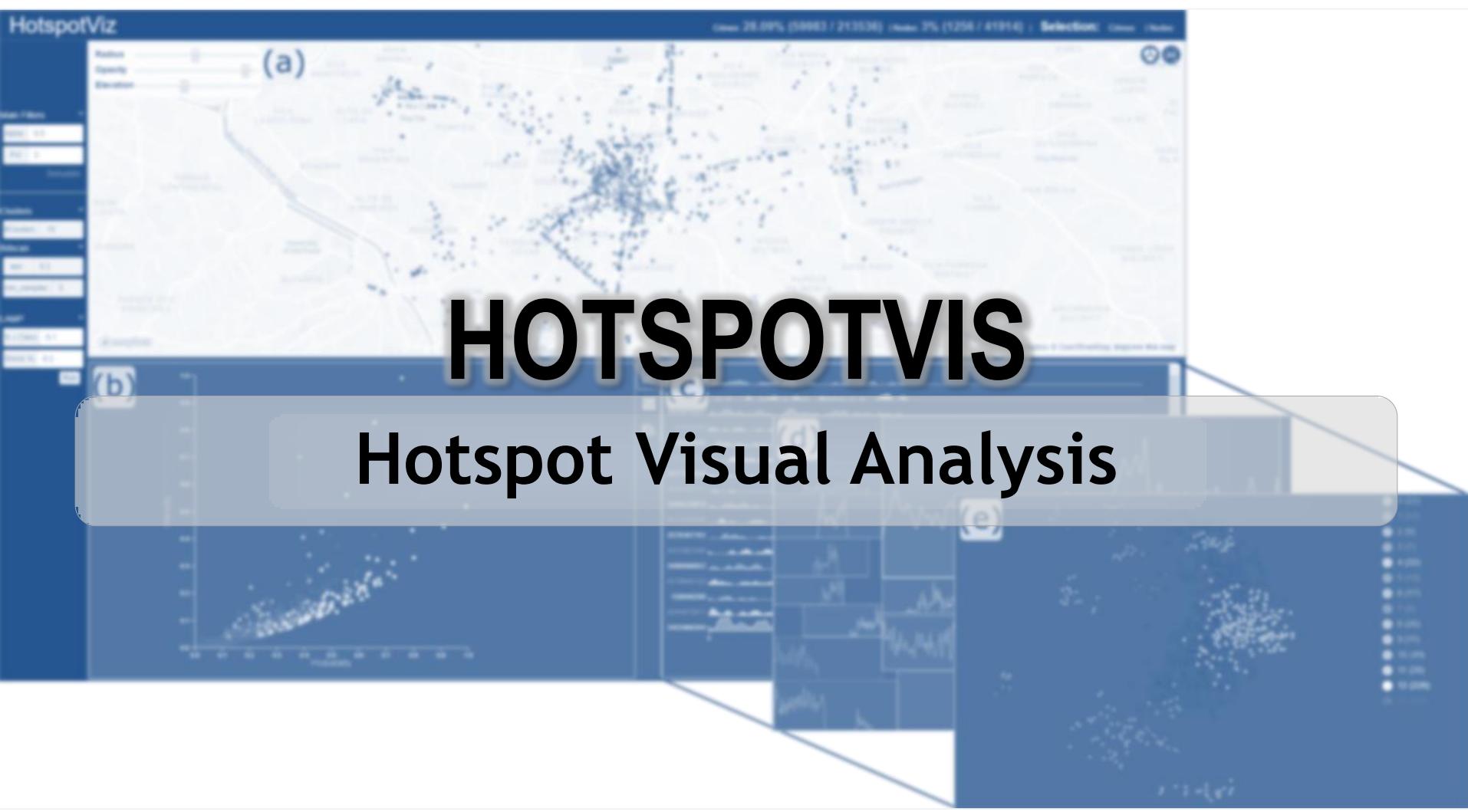


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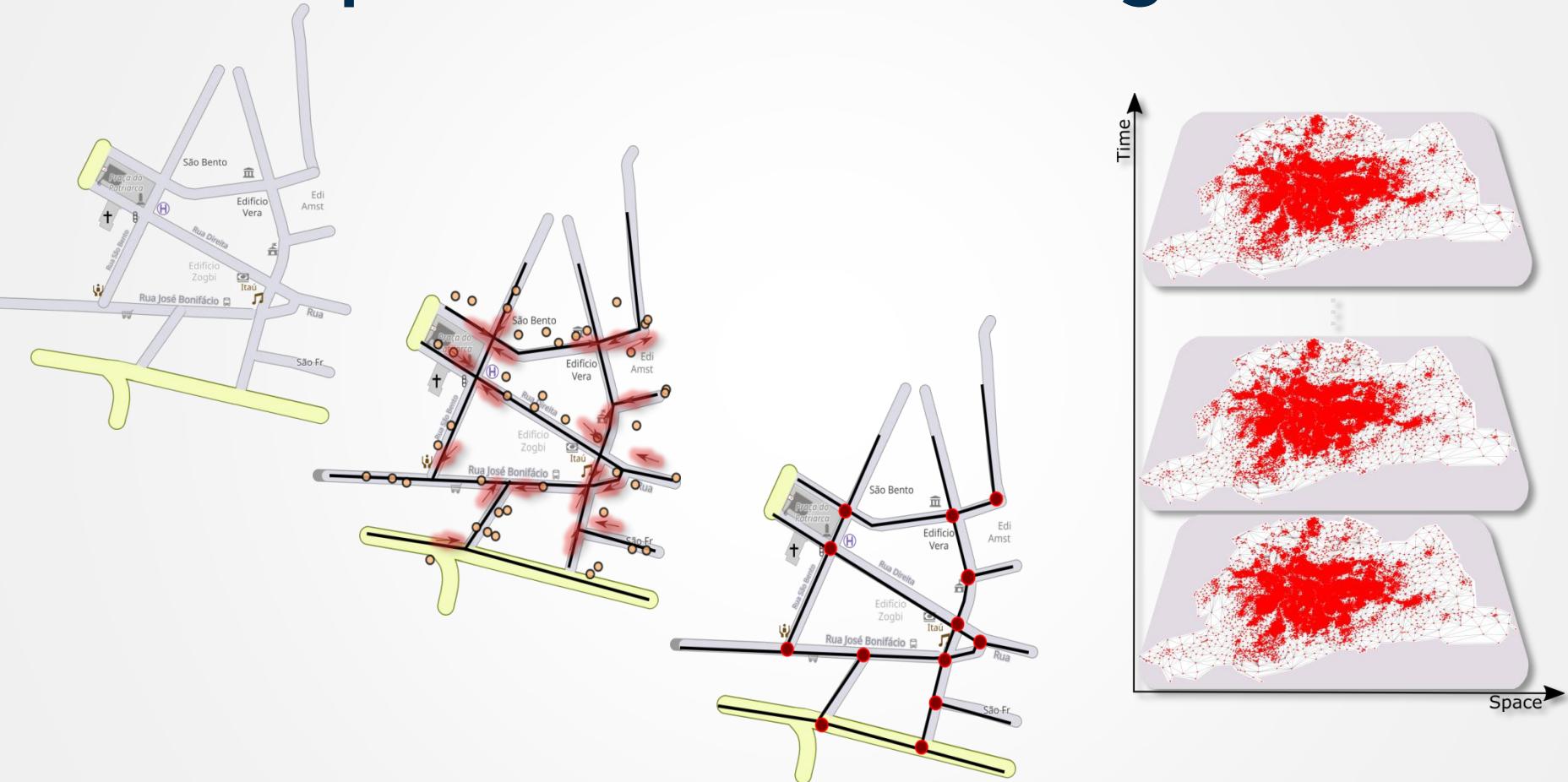


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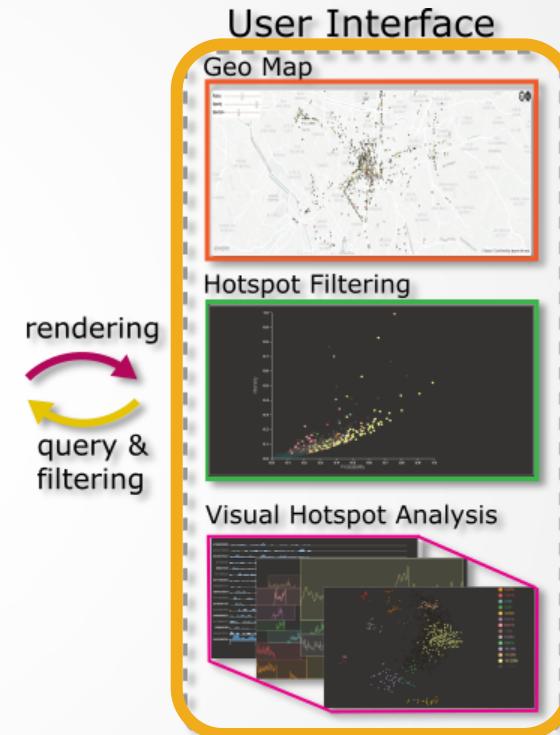
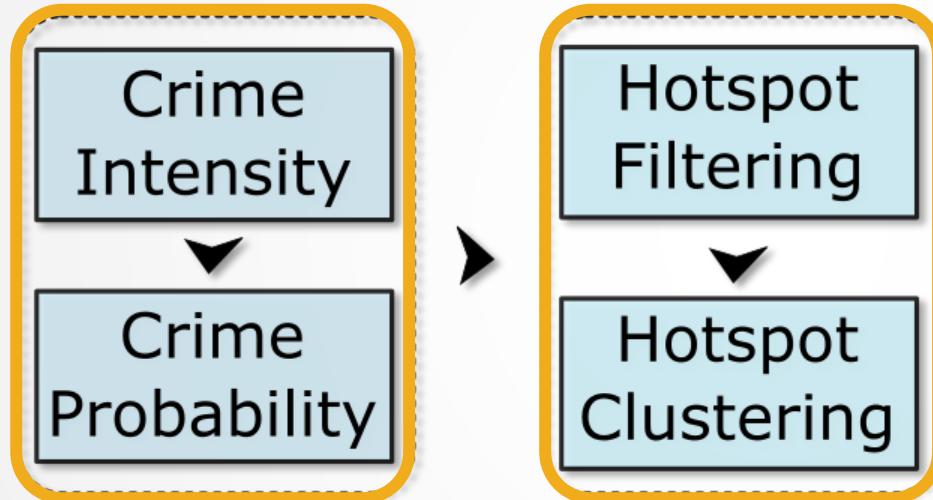
- **R1.** *Exploring and analyze physical characteristics of particular place.*
- **R2.** *Detecting hotspots based on the probability and intensity.*
- **R3.** *Inspecting similar time series.*
- **R4.** *Clustering similar patterns.*
- **R5.** *Explaining and understanding crime patterns.*



HotspotVis - Data Modeling



HotspotVis - Pipeline



HotspotVis

10 km diameter with center in Praça da Sé

- More than 50.000 nodes
- Crimes are aggregated in the nodes (street corners)



HotspotVis - Probability



$$A = \begin{array}{c} \begin{matrix} & 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ T0 & \boxed{2} & 1 & 0 & 9 & 5 & 0 \\ T1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ T2 & 3 & 1 & 4 & 2 & 2 & 1 \\ \end{matrix} \\ \dots \\ \begin{matrix} & 0 & 1 \\ Tt & \boxed{0} & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \end{matrix} \end{array}$$

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$$P = A \cdot A^T$$

$$P = P / \sum_{i=0}^n p_{ij}$$

$$\text{Prob.} \begin{matrix} & 0 & 1 & 2 & 4 & 3 & 5 & 6 & 7 \\ & 0.1 & 0.5 & 0.8 & 0.2 & 0.3 & 0.7 & 0.9 & 0.2 \\ \dots & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & 0.1 & 0.8 \end{matrix}$$

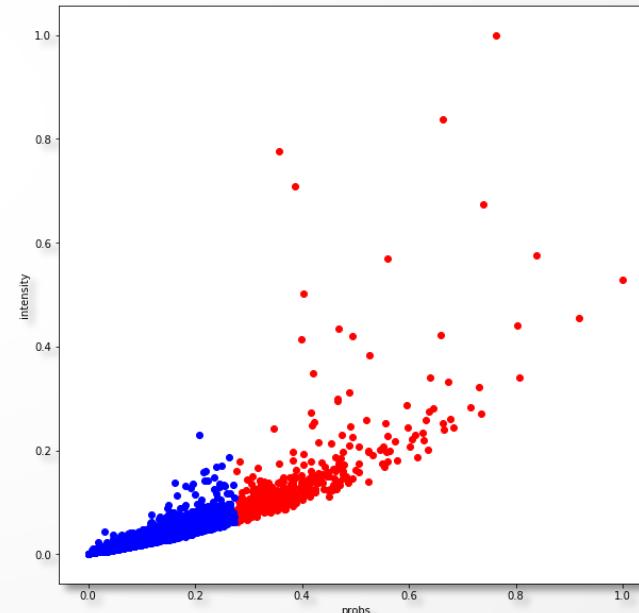
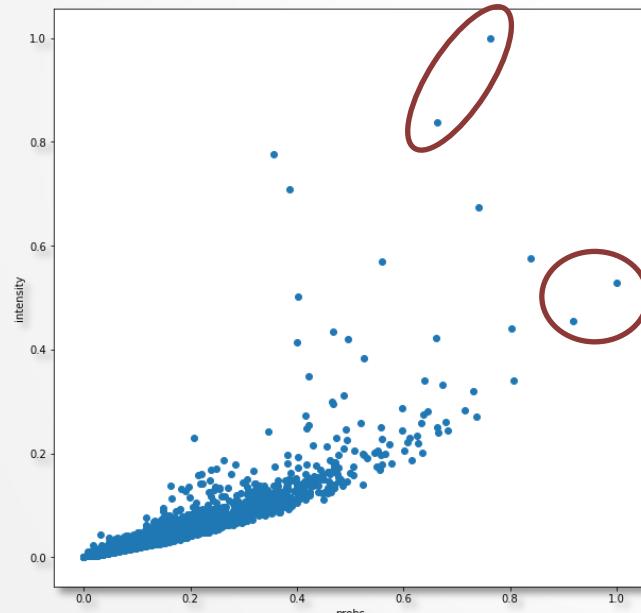
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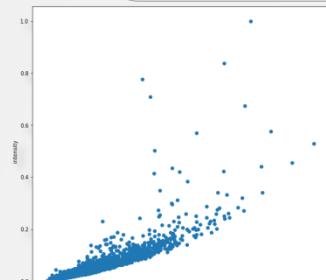
HotspotVis

- Hotspot based not only in the number of crimes, but also in the probability

Prob.	0	1	2	4	3	5	6	7	...	n-1	n
Int.	0.1	0.5	0.8	0.2	0.3	0.7	0.9	0.2	...	0.1	0.8
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HotspotVis

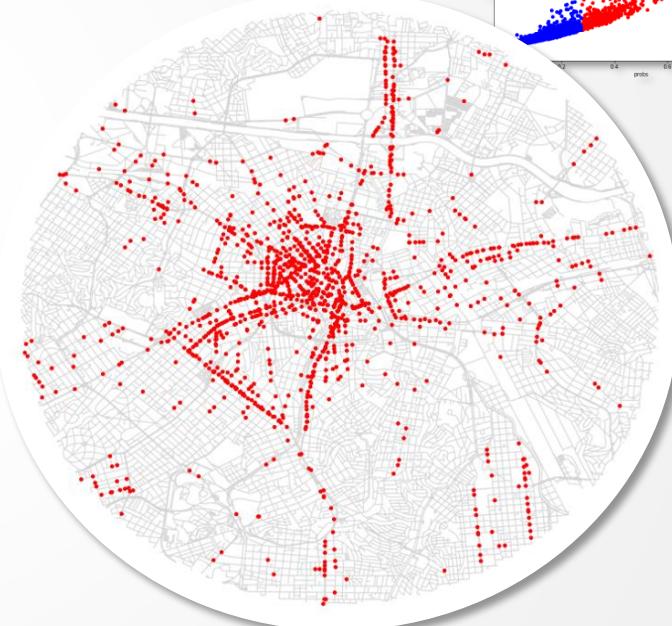
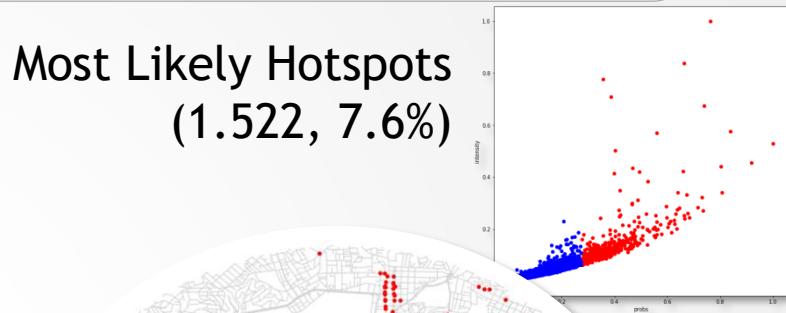


Passerby Crime Location
(19.971)



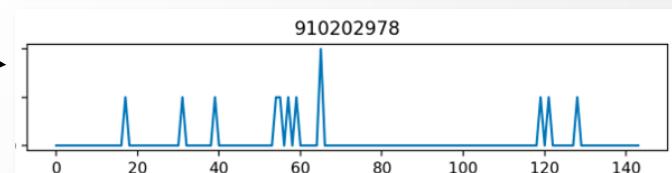
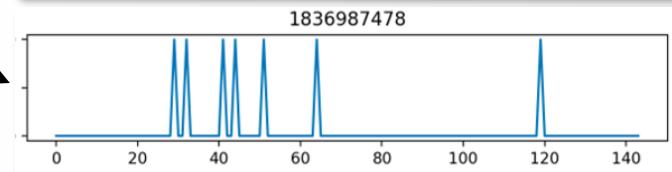
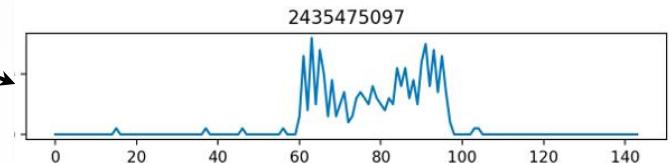
130,043 crimes

Most Likely Hotspots
(1.522, 7.6%)

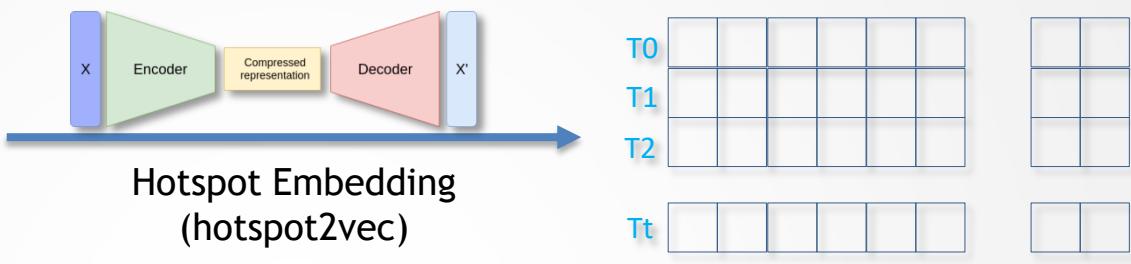
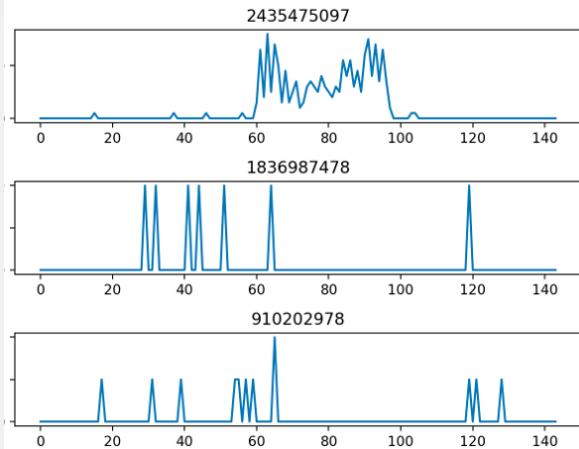


58,634 crimes (45%)

HotspotVis - Crime Pattern Analysis

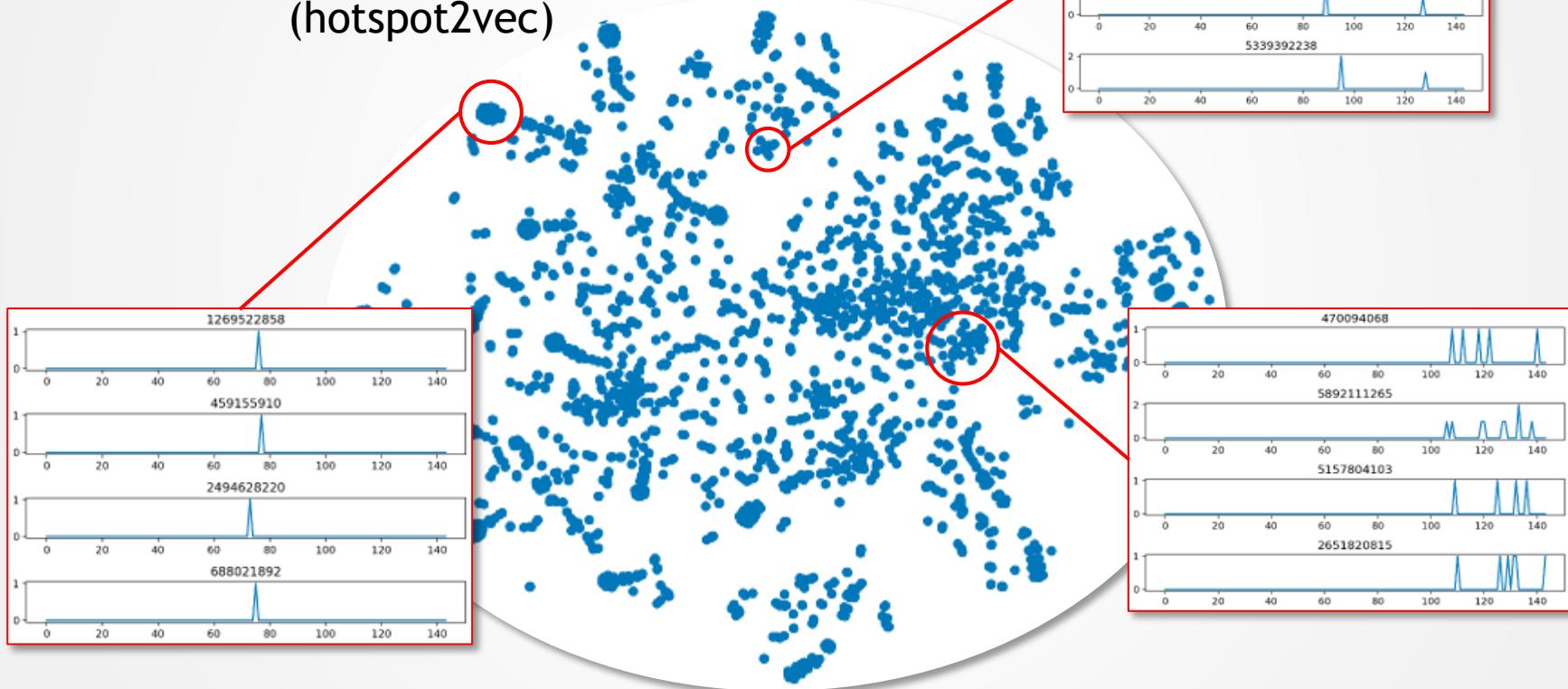


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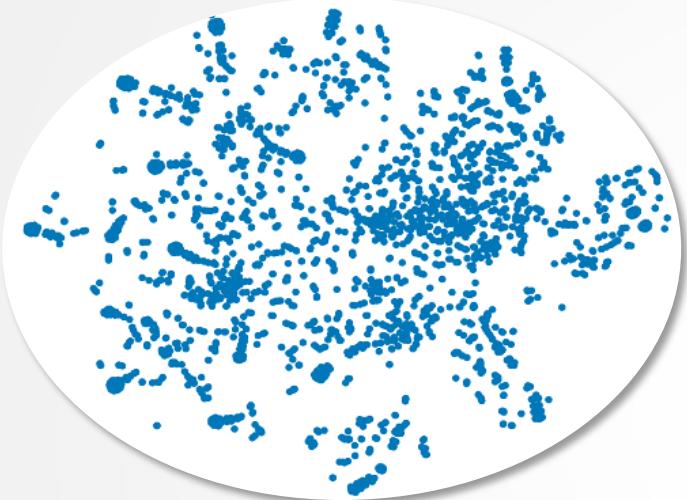


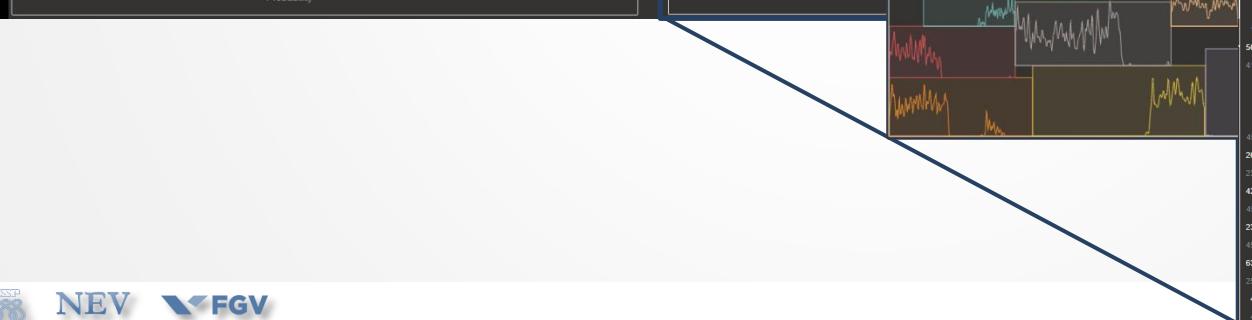
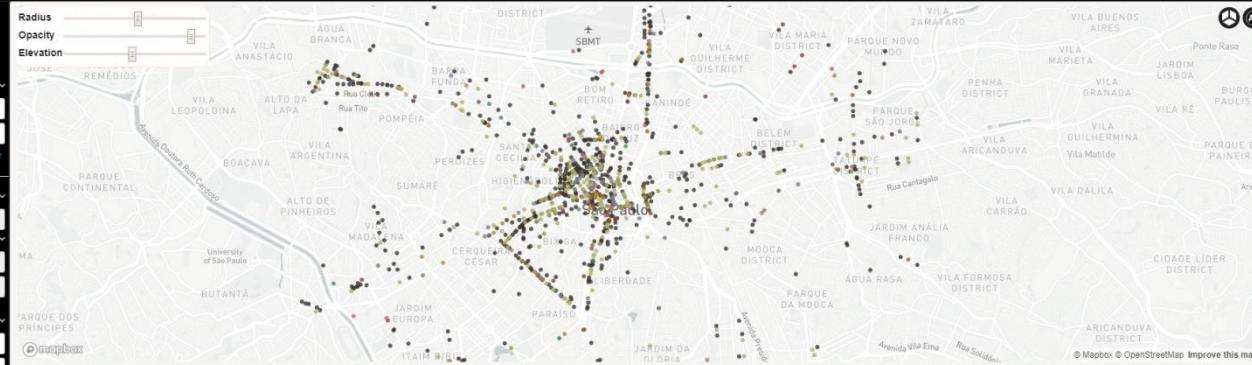
Research Planning

Hotspot Embedding (hotspot2vec)

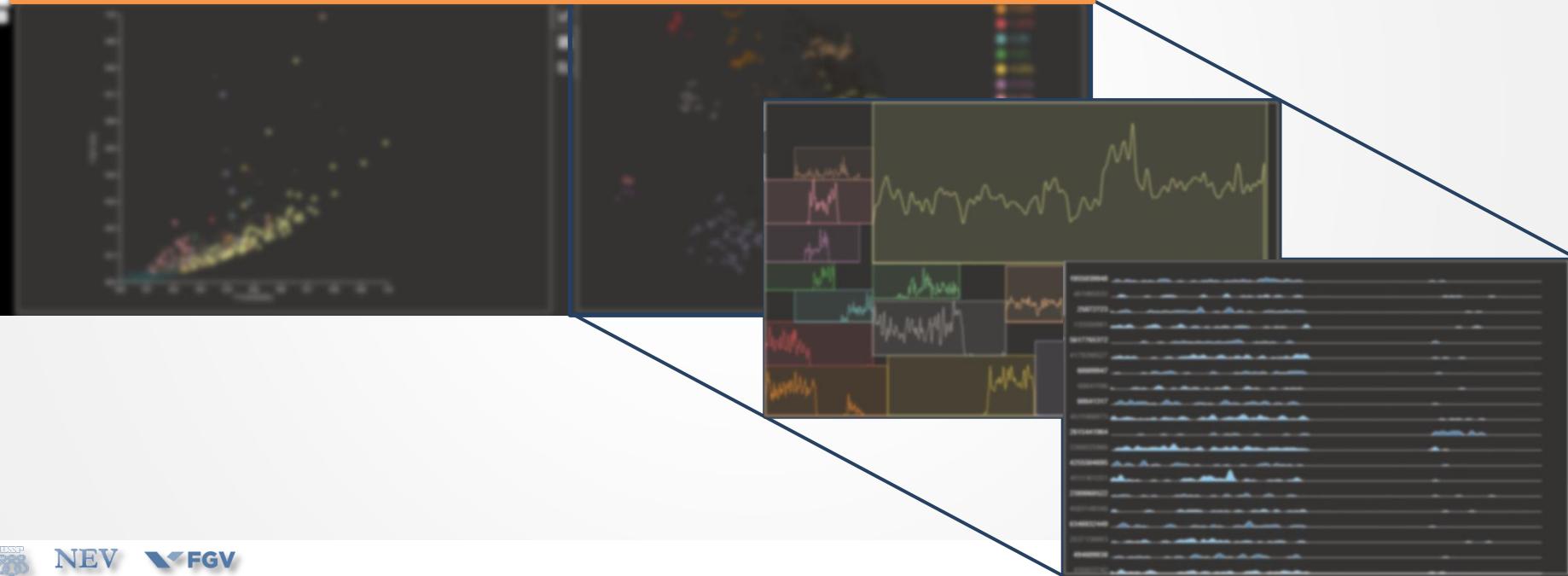
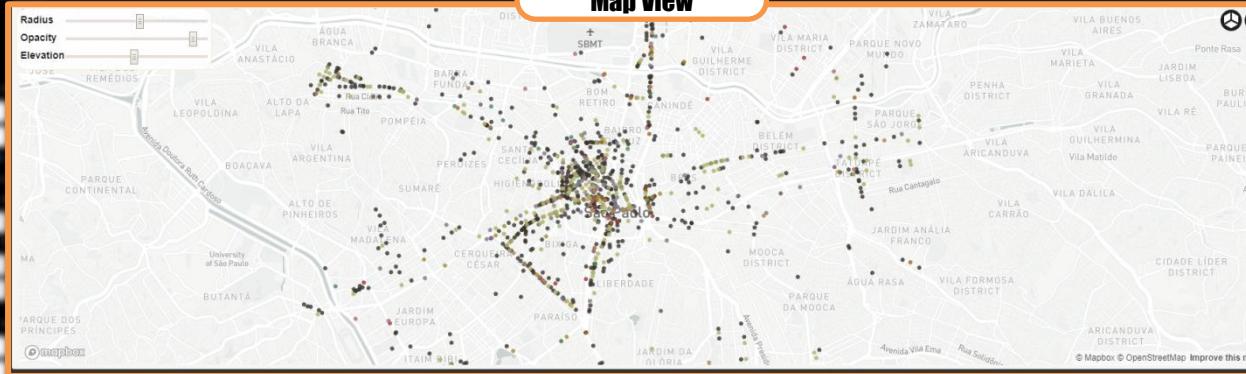


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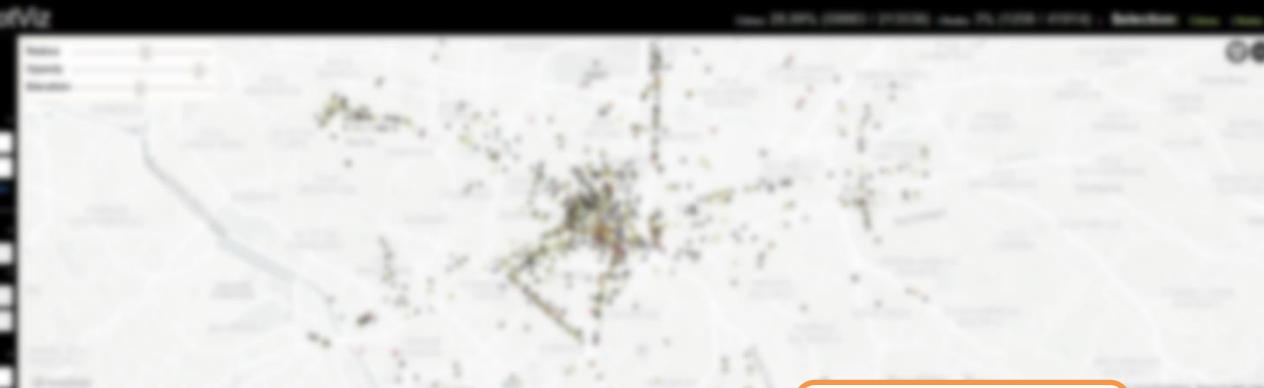
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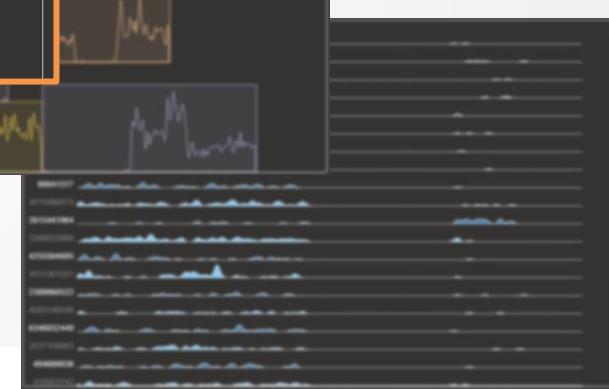
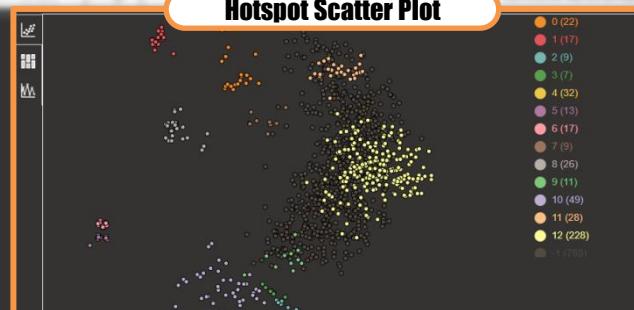
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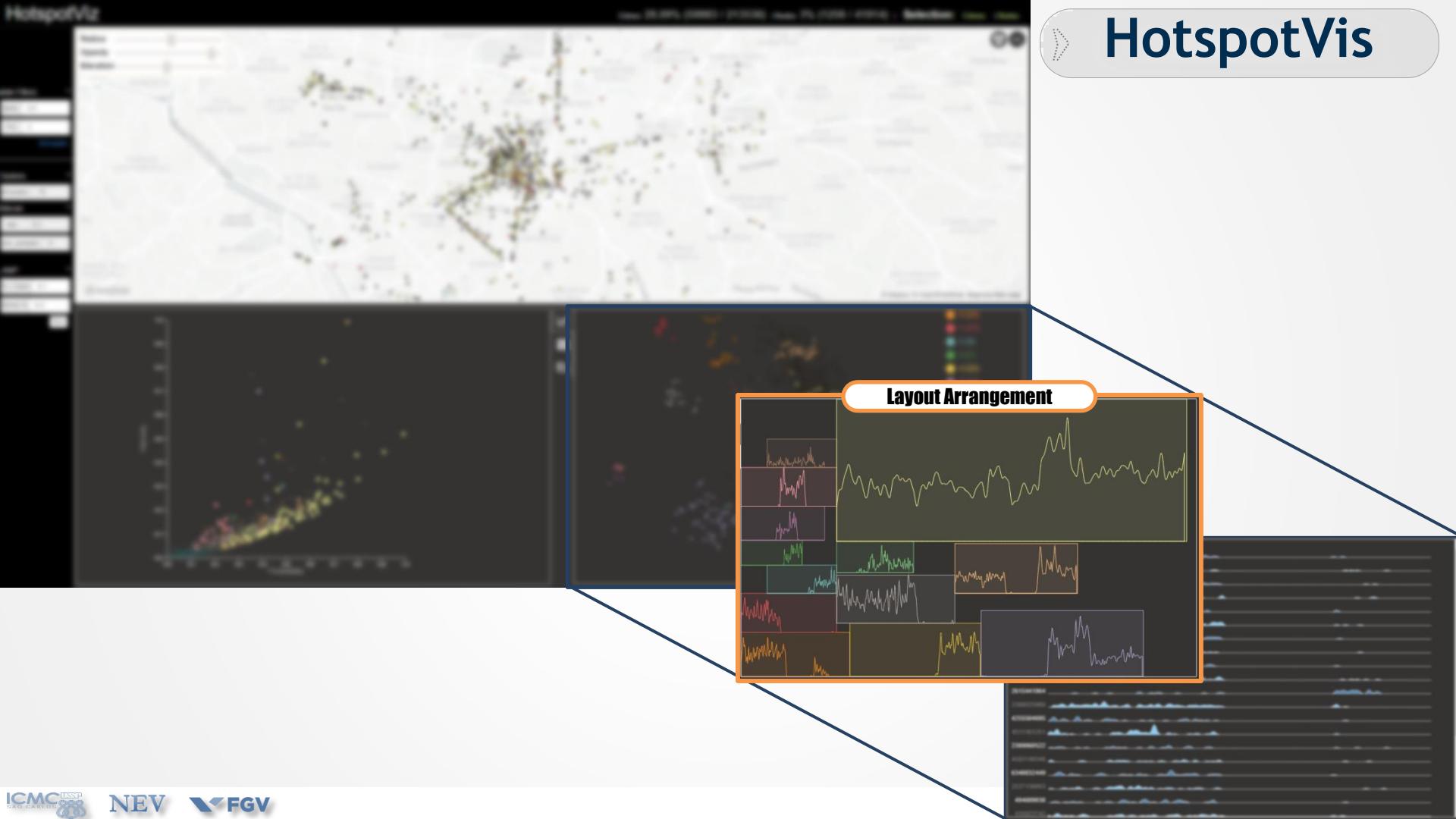
HotspotVis



Hotspot Scatter Plot



HotspotVis

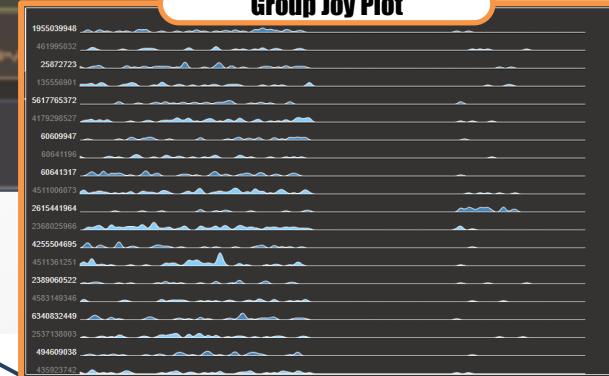


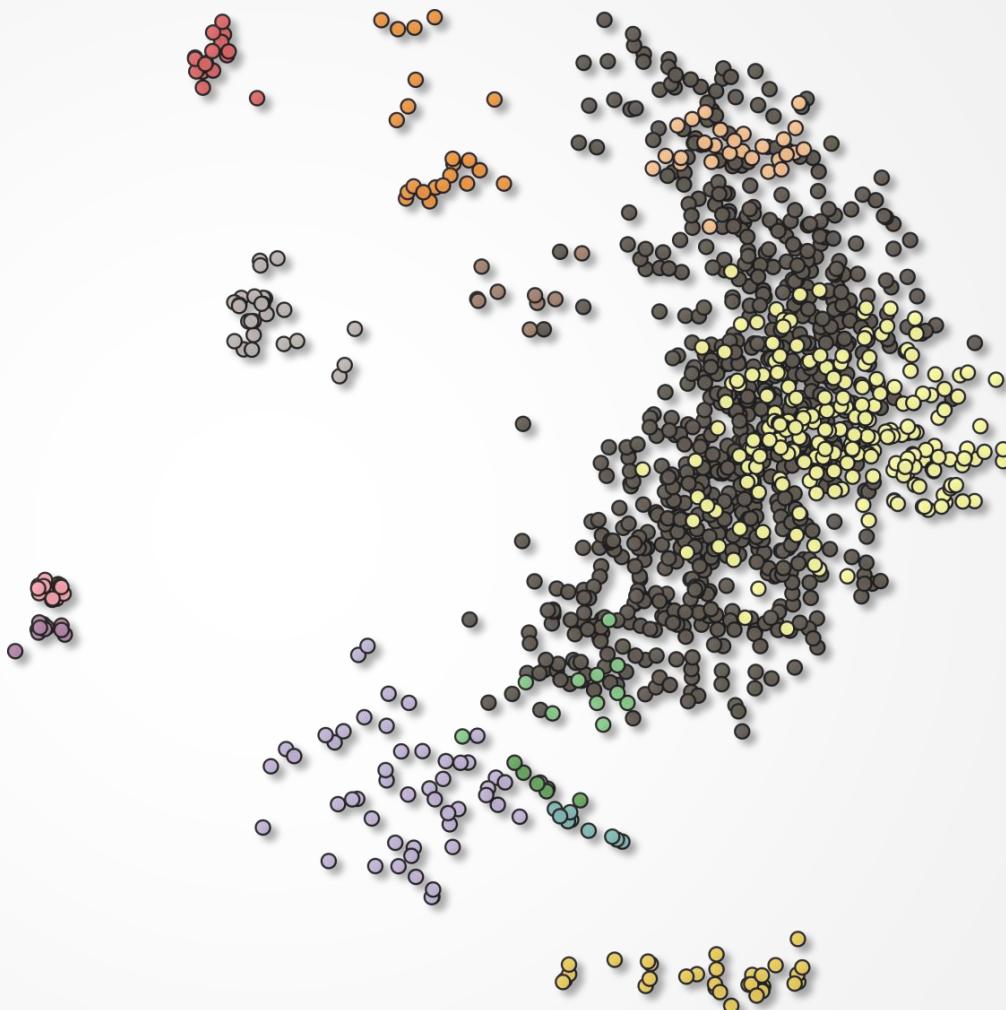
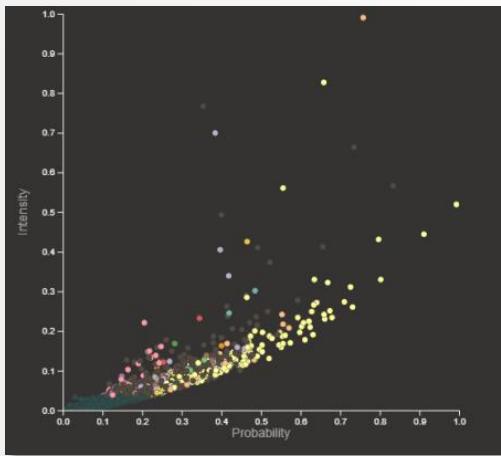
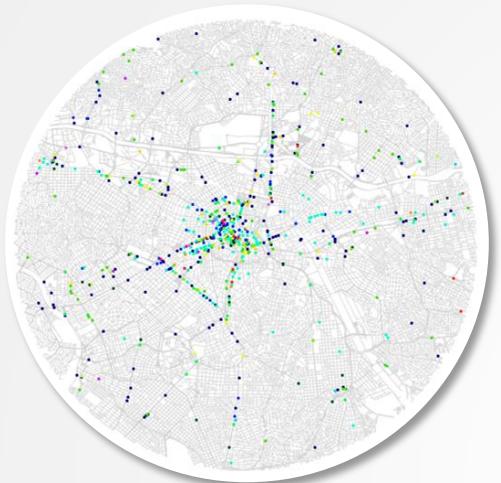


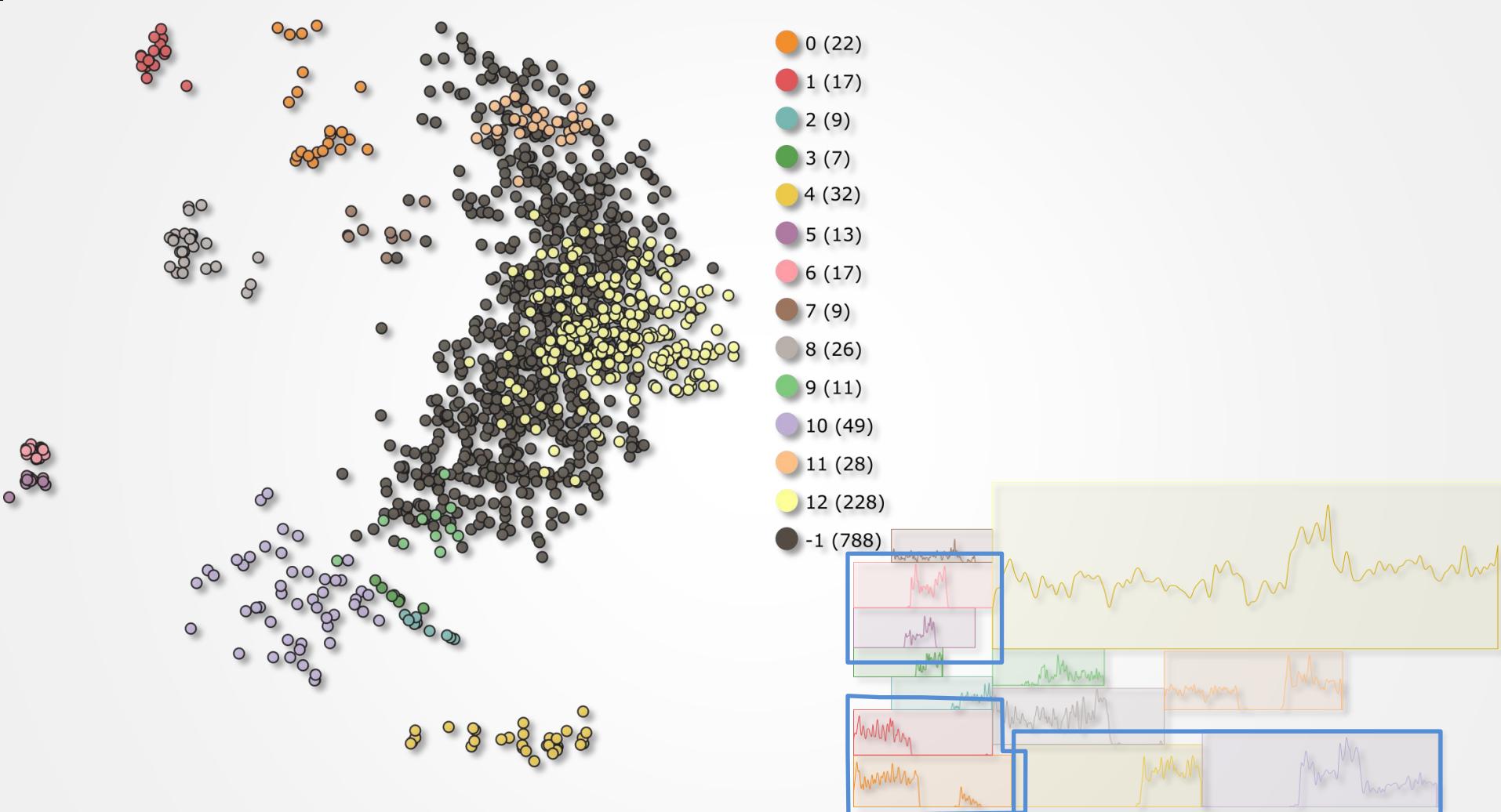
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Group Joy Plot





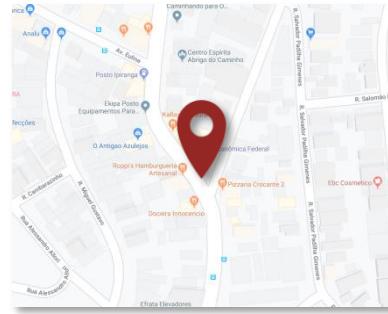
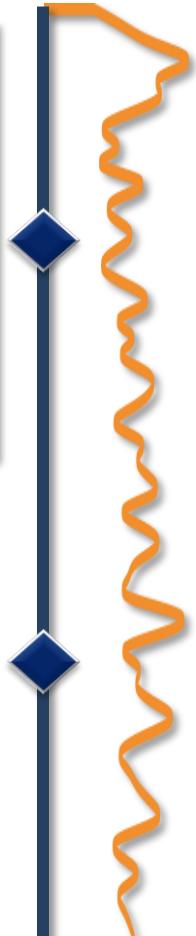


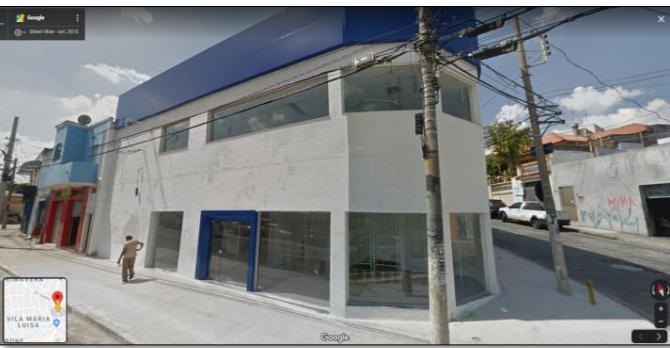


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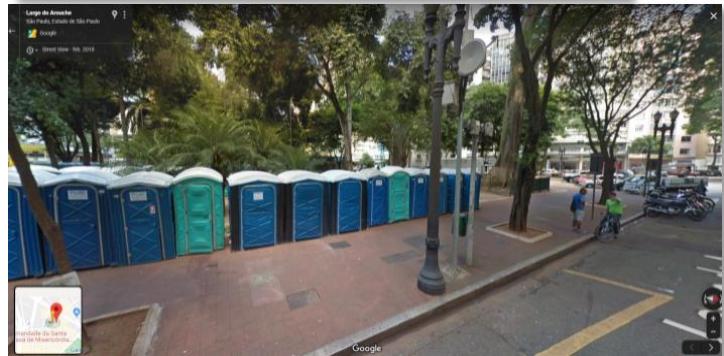
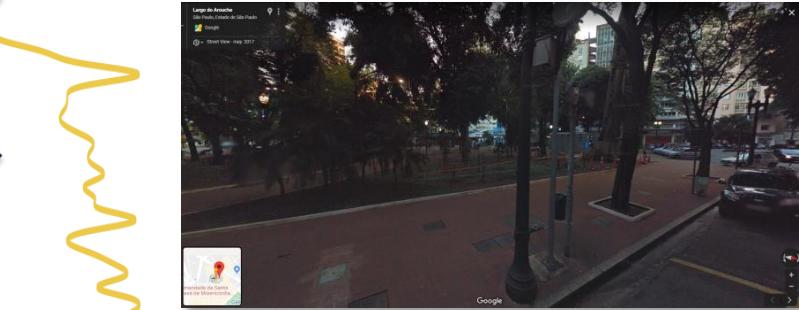


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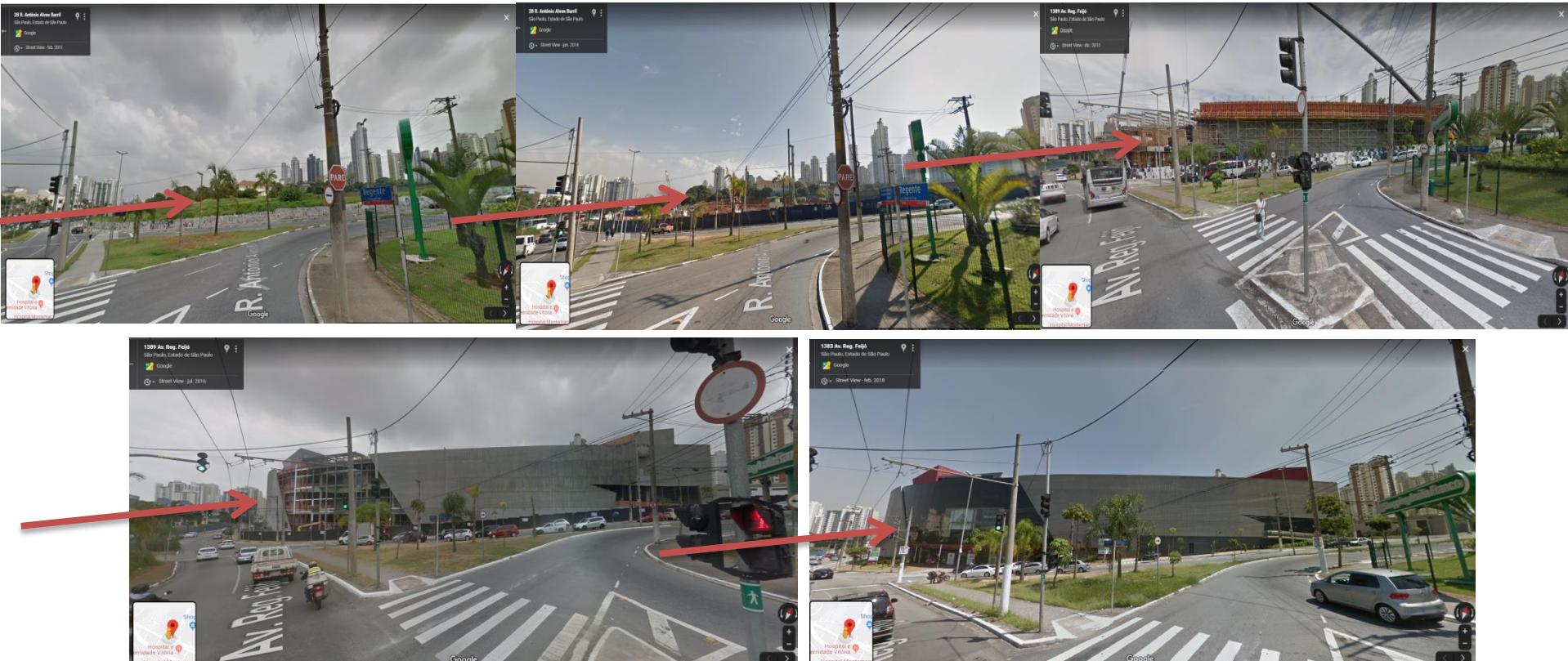
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Shopping Construction

Conclusions:

- We introduced **CrimAnalyzer**, a visual analytics tool to support the analysis of crimes in local regions. We also propose a technique based on **NMF** to identify hotspots.
- We introduced **MIRANTE**, a visual analytics tool to represent São Paulo crime data based on **network city modeling**.
- We introduced **HotspotVis**, a visual analytical tool to identify and explain crime hotspots. We also propose a new method to identify hotspots based on the **probability** and **intensity** in a **street-level of detail**.
- There are some signs that there is a **direct relation** between the **infrastructure** and **criminality** in some places.

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