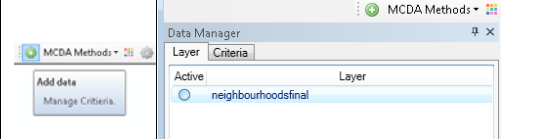
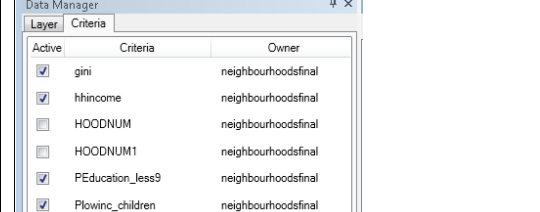

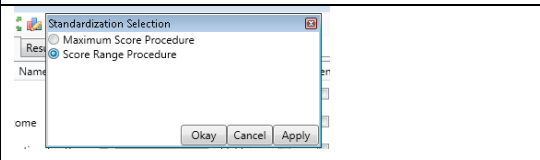
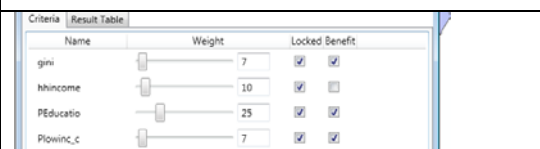

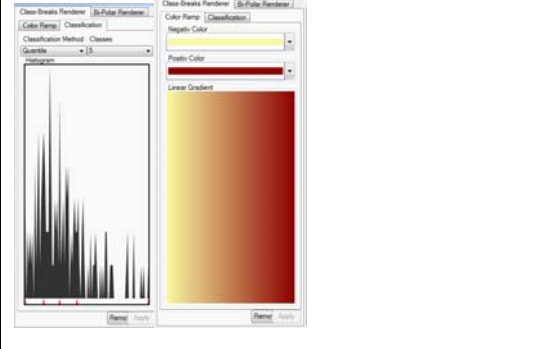


Using MCDA4ArcMap

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To download and install the tool, please go to <http://mcda4arcmmap.codeplex.com/>.

1. Add data to the MCDA4ArcMap. Make the data layer containing the criteria active in the <i>Data Manager</i> window under the <i>Layer</i> tab.	
2. In the <i>Data Manager</i> window, select the criteria that will be used for weighting under the <i>Criteria</i> tab.	
3. Select the Decision Rule from the <i>MCDA Methods</i> menu.	
4. Select the <i>Standardization</i> procedure.	
5. Assign weights to the criteria as well as their “direction”: Maximization (benefit criterion) or minimization (cost criterion).	
6. Add the results to the ArcMap project as a new layer.	
7. Employ the Visualization Options to select the Classification Method and Colour Ramp for the Decision Rule results. Note: You need to select the results variable in the left frame of the Visualization Options, and click “Apply”, or “Remove” and then “Apply”, in the bottom-right in order to activate the visualization.	
8. Export the results table and the parameters as a CSV file. Note: The results layer/table is not accessible once the map or MCDA4ArcMap window is closed.	