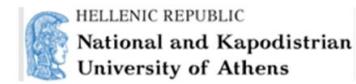




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tools4MCDA: input data, procedures and outcomes

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# r-package: tools4MCDA

Tools for estimate fishing effort, weight and value of landings using Multi-Criteria Decision Analysis



Documentation for package ‘tools4MCDA’ version 0.1

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## Help Pages

[add\\_LPUE](#)

Add a field related to Landings Per Unit of Effort (LPUE) in the dataframe derived based on MCDA

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Create a bubble map by year

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Convert the estimated landings weight or value for SSF expressed in tonnes or euro using Fishing Pressure Index and Landings Per Unit of Effort as a proxy in a grid cell of 0.5°x0.5° decimal degrees (csquare) in order to inform Table H.

[check\\_FDays](#)

Compare fishing effort in days at sea estimated using Fishing Pressure Index from MCDA as a proxy and table\_G effort estimations by GSA/gear/metier/quarter/fishing\_tech/target\_assemblage/year/country

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Compare fishing effort in days at sea estimated using Fishing Pressure Index as a proxy with table\_A landings estimations by GSA/gear/metier/quarter/fishing\_tech/target\_assemblage/year/country/species

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Classify a dataframe

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Converts the estimated spatial landings' weight and value in the format of table H of the FDI data call

[create\\_tableI](#)

Converts the estimated spatial fishing effort in the format of table I of the FDI data call

[EPA5NetcdfToCsv](#)

Convert netcdf containing meteorological data from Copernicus products to a data frame and store in a csv

# Development of an r-package to support and automate the process

Components	General description of the functions developed (ongoing work of RDBFIS project)
<b>Spatial Fishing Pressure Index (FPI) by MCDA</b>	<p>Grading of a dataset (ranking procedure)</p> <p>Normalization of a data object (fuzzyfication process)</p> <p>Analytic Hierarchy Process (AHP)</p> <p>Fishing gear interpolation for estimating Activity index based on Inverse Distance Weighted</p>
<b>Fishing effort estimation</b>	<p>Compare fishing effort in days at sea estimated using Fishing Pressure Index as a proxy with effort estimations by GSA/gear/quarter/year/country (based on table G )</p> <p>Estimate fishing effort for Small Scale Fisheries (SSF) expressed in days at sea using Fishing Pressure Index as a proxy</p>
<b>Spatial landings by species</b>	<p>Estimate spatial landing weight or value using Fishing effort and landings per unit effort as a proxy</p> <p>Compare catch expressed in landing weight, landing value, discard weight estimated using Fishing Pressure Index as a proxy with table A by GSA/gear/quarter/year/country</p>
<b>Spatio-temporal FPI by MCDA</b>	<p>Convert netcdf containing meteorological data from Copernicus products to a data.frame and store in a csv.</p> <p>Create meteorological criterion</p> <p>Convert netcdf containing meteorological data (other from Copernicus) to csv.</p>
<b>Supplementary functions</b>	<p>Dataframe to RasterLayer conversion</p> <p>Combine Fishing Pressure Index (FPI- estimated by MCDA) with EEZ polygons to estimate the country</p> <p>Combine Fishing Pressure Index (FPI- estimated by MCDA) with GSA polygons to estimate the Geographical Sub-Area.</p> <p>Extract values from Fishing Pressure Index RasterLayer in a data frame with longitude, latitude</p> <p>Shapefile to RasterLayer conversion</p> <p>Plotting</p>

# r-package: tools4MCDA

## Preparatory scripts

a) Extracting spatial data in a fine regular grid

b) estimate weights based on AHP

c) plot input data that will be used in the MCDA (first evaluation by the user)

## Main scripts

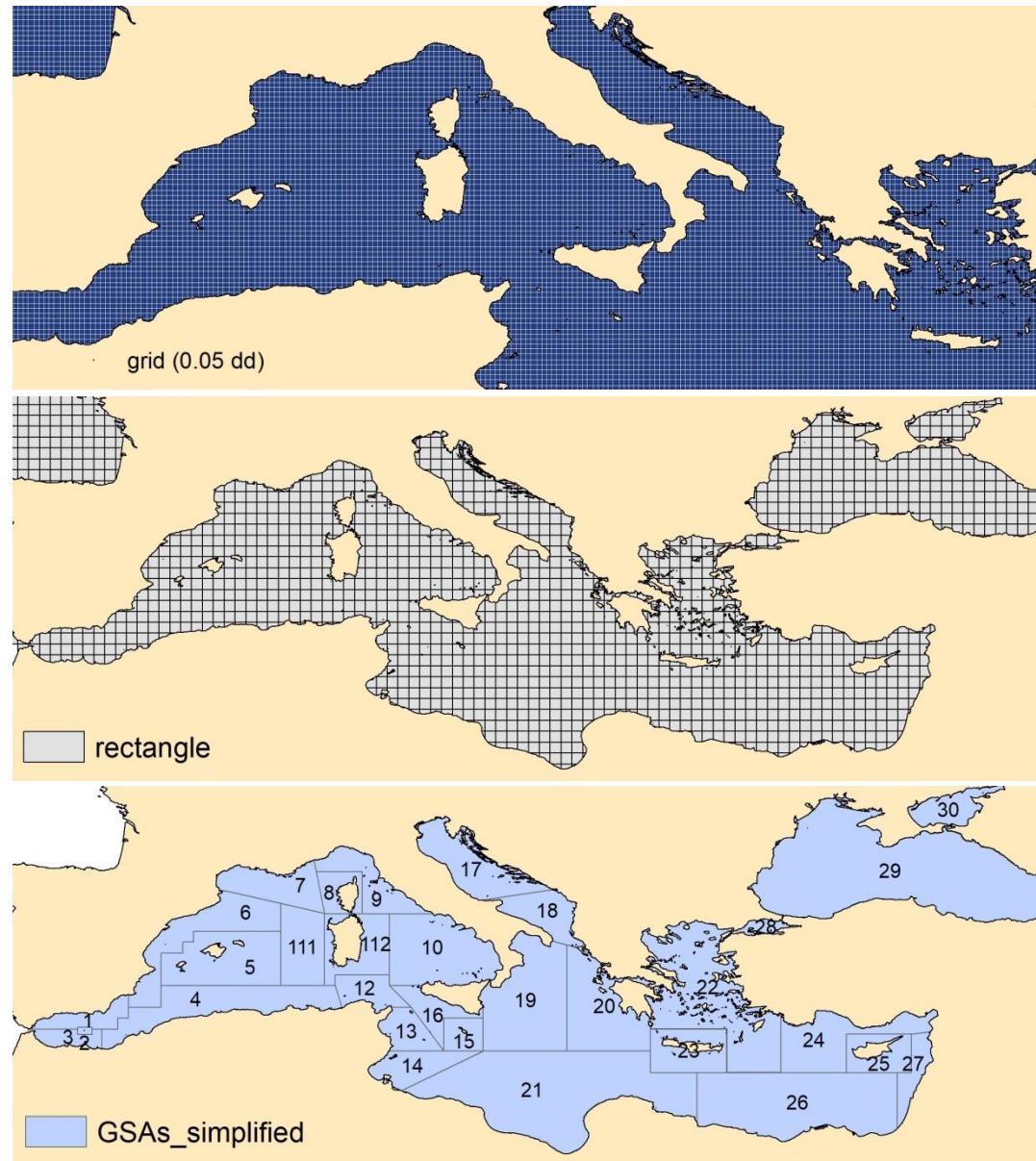
1) Estimate a proxy of fishing pressure from SSF based on MCDA

2) Estimating fishing effort, weight & value of landings in the format of tables H and I using:

- i) the proxy of fishing pressure from MCDA,
- ii) tables A and G (FDI data call format)
- iii) Outcomes of SDM

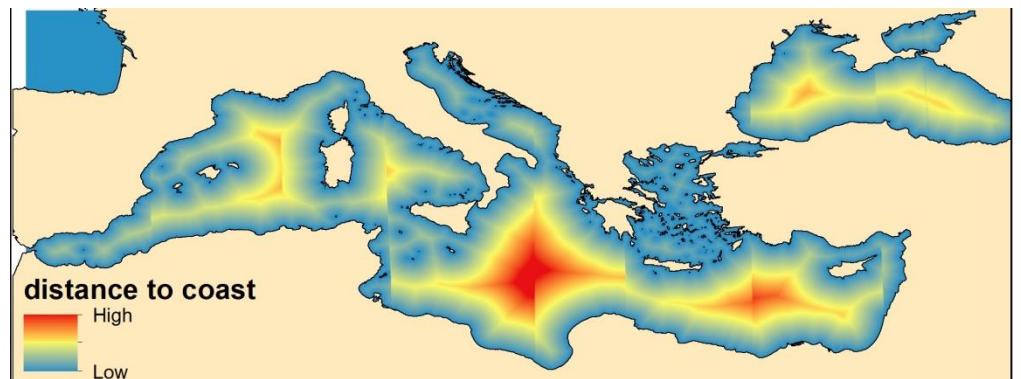
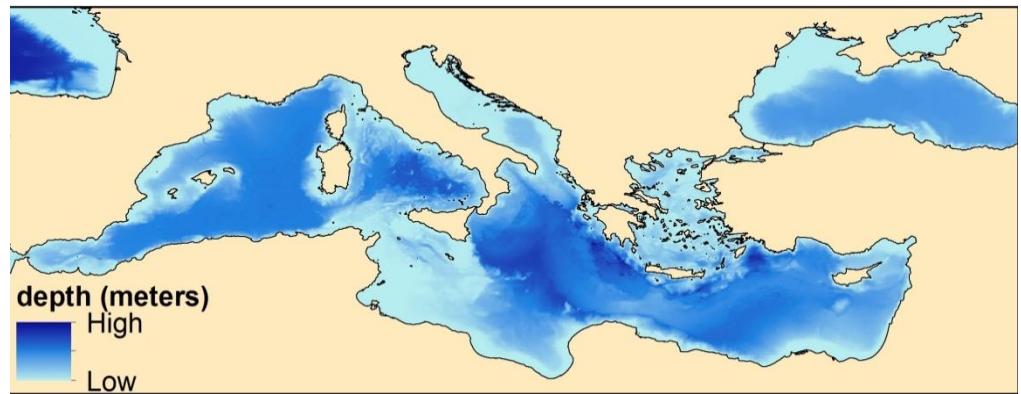
# Input data

- A fine grid for performing the analysis (e.g. 0.05 dd)
- The grid that is used in table H and I (i.e 0.5 dd)
- Geographical Sub-areas (GSAs)
- Supplementary a polygon of EEZ can be used



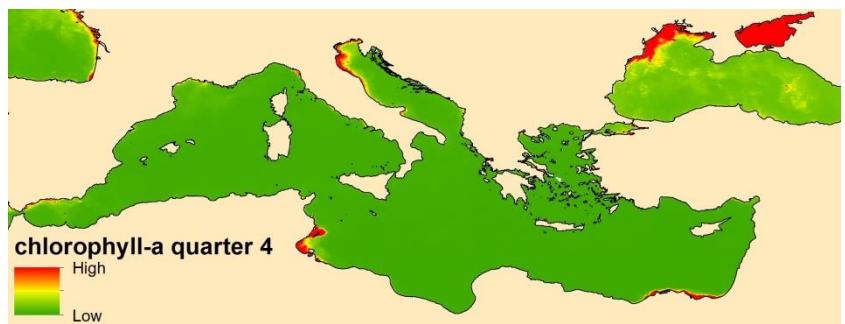
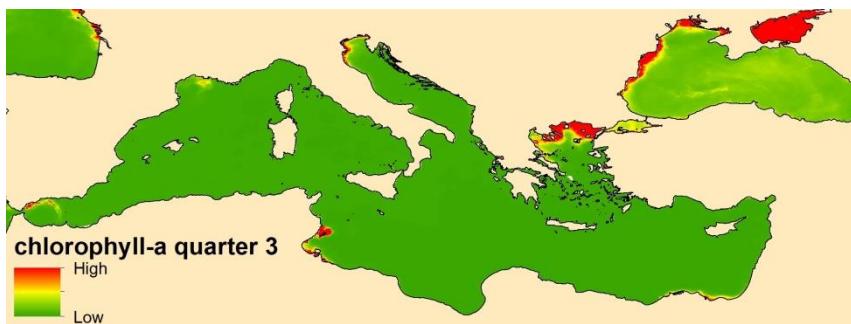
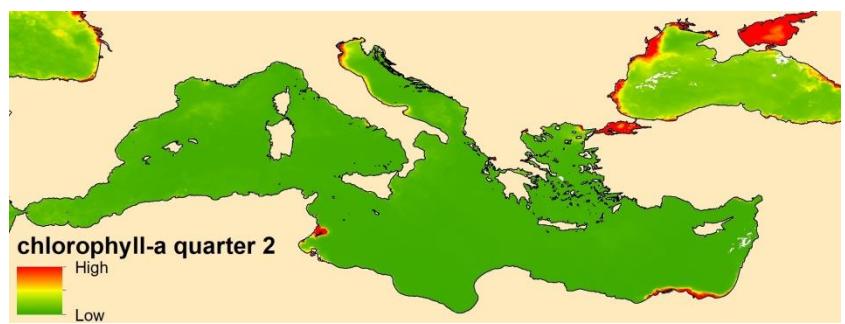
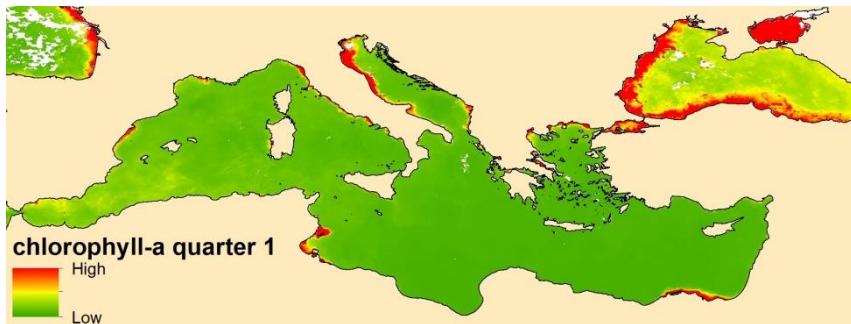
# Input data

- Depth
- Distance to coast
- No take areas (due to legislation or other reasons)



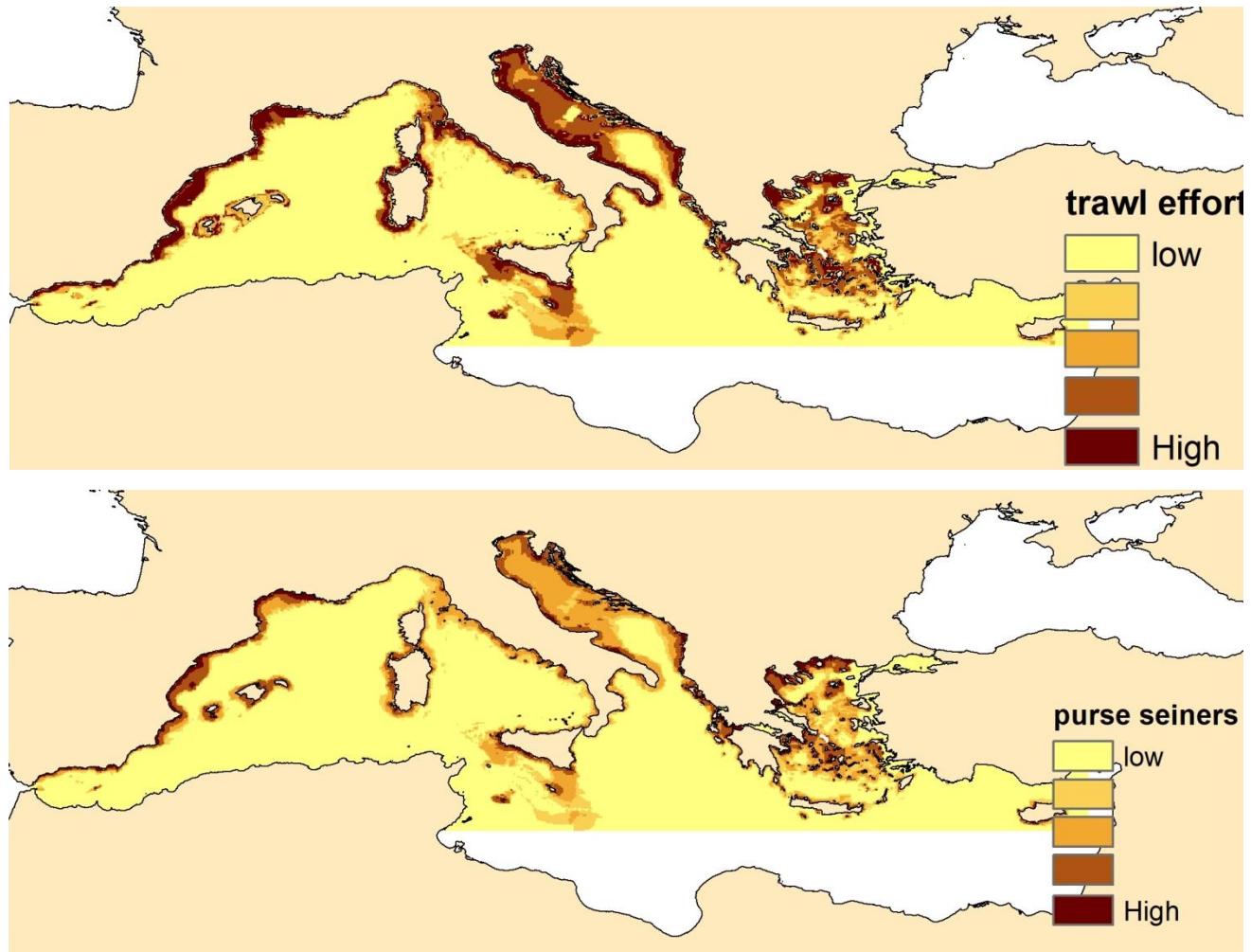
# Input data

## ➤ Chlorophyll-a by quarter



# Input data

- Fishing effort from trawl by quarter
- Fishing effort from purse seiners by quarter



# Input data

➤ Grading values per criterion, gear and vessel length category

Depth cuts	Depth grades	coastdist cuts	Coastdist grades	Chl cuts	Chl grades	Otb cuts	Otb grades	Ps cuts	Ps grades	Gear type	Vessel length
NA	0	NA		NA	NA	0	NA	5	NA	5	GNS VL0006
0	5	0		5	0	1	0	5	0	5	GNS VL0006
50	4	0.5		4	0.1	1	0.2	4	0.2	4	GNS VL0006
100	3	1.5		3	0.23	2	0.4	3	0.4	3	GNS VL0006
150	2	2.5		2	0.46	3	0.6	2	0.6	2	GNS VL0006
200	1	3		1	0.793	4	0.8	1	0.8	1	GNS VL0006
500	0	6		0	2	5	1	1	1	1	GNS VL0006
NA	0	NA		NA	NA	0	NA	5	NA	5	GNS VL0612
0	5	0		5	0	1	0	5	0	5	GNS VL0612
50	4	0.5		4	0.1	1	0.2	4	0.2	4	GNS VL0612
100	3	1.5		3	0.23	2	0.4	3	0.4	3	GNS VL0612
150	2	2.5		2	0.46	3	0.6	2	0.6	2	GNS VL0612
200	1	3		1	0.793	4	0.8	1	0.8	1	GNS VL0612
500	0	6		0	2	5	1	1	1	1	GNS VL0612

# Input data

- Fishing fleet by registration port (in the format extracted by RDBFis)

COUNT	YEAR	PLACE_C	FISHINGPORT_G	MAIN_F	LONGITUD	LATITUDE	SUM_LCN_FVS	AVG_LO	AVG_GT	vessel_le		
CYP	2005	1	Paralimni	MED	GTR	34.036	35.038	1743.8	69	8.01	2.89	VL0006
CYP	2005	10	Limassol	MED	GTR	33.016	34.651	4699.5	157	8.05	3.31	VL0006
CYP	2005	11	Paphos	MED	GTR	32.407	34.754	1847	70	7.9	2.94	VL0006
CYP	2005	12	Latsi	MED	GTR	32.395	35.041	674.46	28	7.8	2.88	VL0006
CYP	2005	13	Ayios Ge	MED	GTR	32.318	34.903	1211.5	36	8.46	3.59	VL0006
CYP	2005	14	Pomos	MED	GTR	32.555	35.175	356.85	15	7.81	2.75	VL0006

# Input data

## ➤ Table G

country	year	quarter	vessel_len	fishing_tec	gear_type	target_ass	mesh_size	metier	metier_7	supra_regi	sub_regi	eez_indica	geo_indica	speccon_te
GRC	2013	1	VL1824	DTS	OTB	DEF	40D50	OTB_DEF_NA	MBS	GSA23	NA	NK	NK	
GRC	2013	1	VL1824	DTS	OTB	DEF	40D50	OTB_DEF_NA	MBS	GSA20	NA	NK	NK	
GRC	2013	4	VL1218	DTS	OTB	DEF	40D50	OTB_DEF_NA	MBS	GSA22	NA	NK	NK	
GRC	2013	3	VL1218	DTS	OTB	DEF	40D50	OTB_DEF_NA	MBS	GSA22	NA	NK	NK	

deep	totseadays	totkwdays	totgtdaysa	totfishday	totkwfishd	totgtfishda	hrsea	kwhrsea	gthrsea	totves	confidential
NA	129	23937	5367	129	23937	5367					2 N
NA	1082	287406	53591	1082	287406	53591					20 N
NA	160	33289	5036	160	33289	5036					6 N
NA	4	632	112	4	632	112					6 N

## ➤ Table A

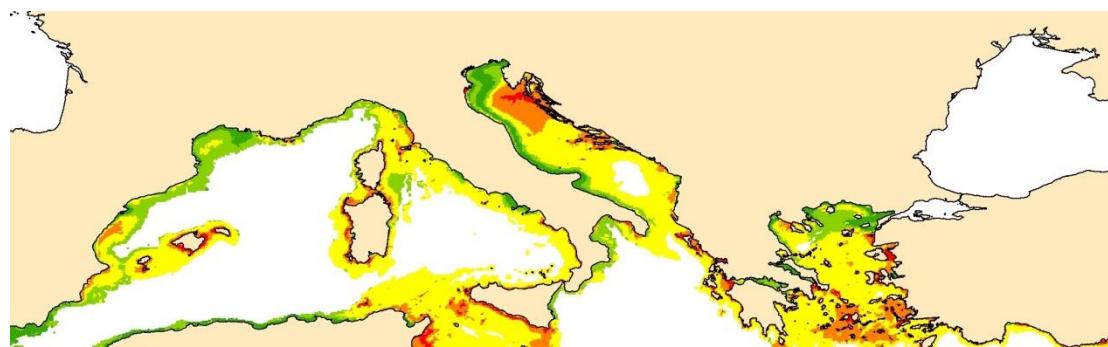
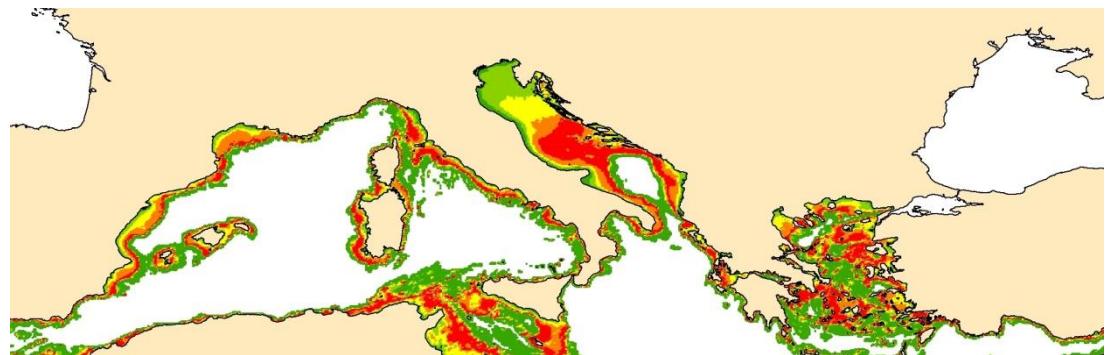
country	year	quarter	vessel_len	fishing_tec	gear_type	target_ass	mesh_size	metier	metier_7	domain_distr	domain_lan	supra_regi	sub_regi
GRC	2013	4	VL0006	DFN	GNS	DEF	NK	NK	NA	NA	NA	MBS	GSA20
GRC	2013	4	VL0006	DFN	GNS	DEF	NK	NK	NA	NA	NA	MBS	GSA20
GRC	2013	4	VL0006	DFN	GNS	DEF	NK	NK	NA	NA	NA	MBS	GSA20
GRC	2013	4	VL0006	DFN	GNS	DEF	NK	NK	NA	NA	NA	MBS	GSA20

eez_indica	geo_indica	nep_sub_r	speccon_te	deep	species	totwghtlar	totvalland	discards	confidential
NA	NK	NA	NK	NA	BOG	2.978	12165		0 N
NA	NK	NA	NK	NA	BON	4.906	38286		0 N
NA	NK	NA	NK	NA	BPI	0.02	82		0 N
NA	NK	NA	NK	NA	BSS	0.903	12481		0 N

# Input data

Outcomes from  
species distribution  
modeling examples  
for :

- HKE
- MUT



# Outcomes from preparatory scripts

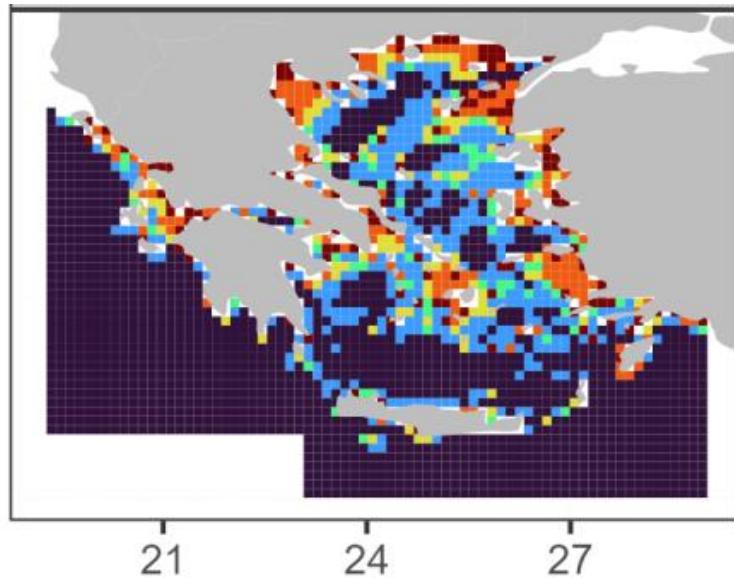
## (b) estimate weights based on AHP

w_C_1	w_C_2	w_C_3	w_C_4	w_C_5	gear_type	vessel_len
0.401117	0.321993	0.128188	0.091716	0.056985	GNS	VL0006
0.401117	0.321993	0.128188	0.091716	0.056985	GTR	VL0006
0.401117	0.321993	0.128188	0.091716	0.056985	LLS	VL0006
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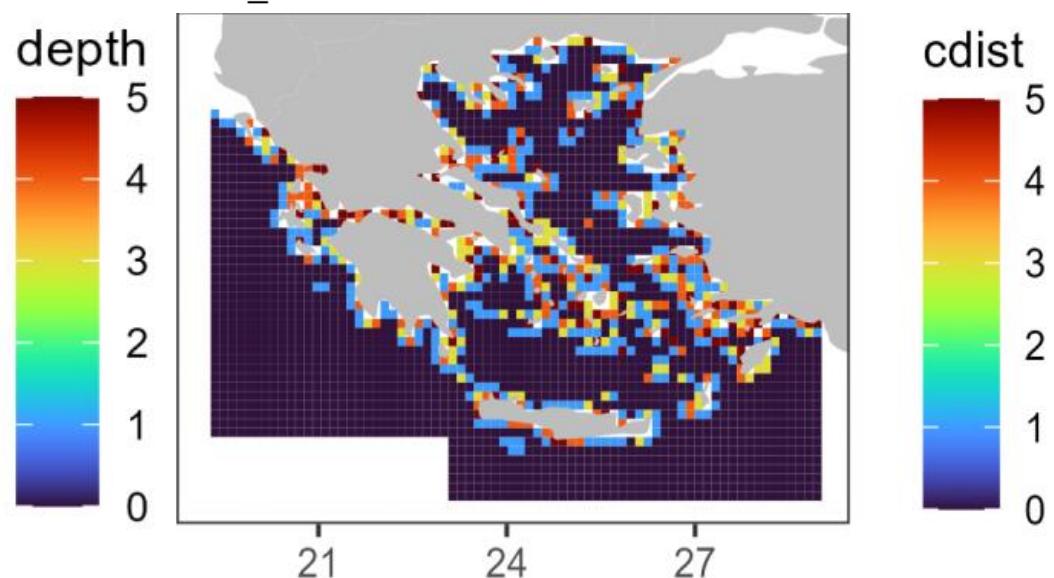
# Outcomes from preparatory scripts

c) plot input data that will be used in the MCDA (first evaluation by the user)

GNS\_VL0006



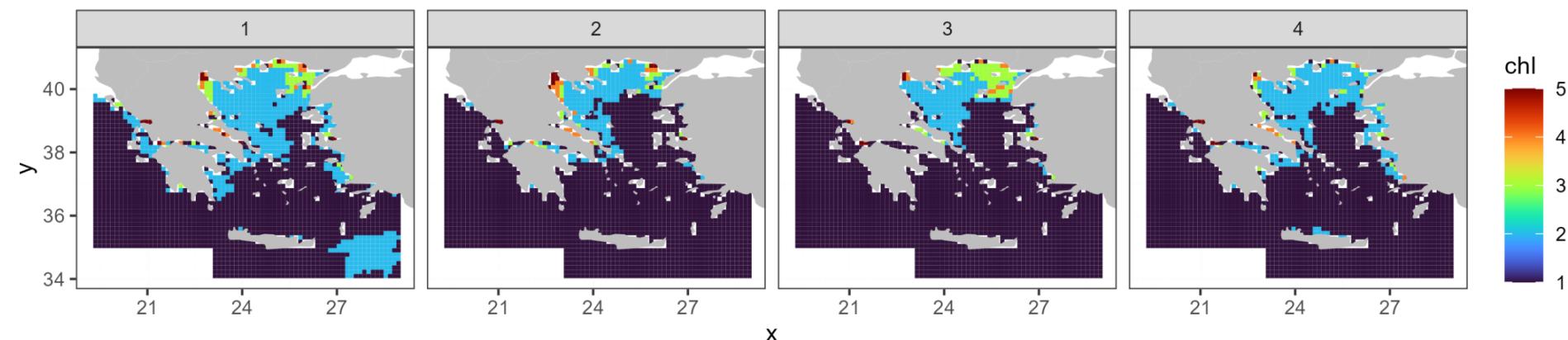
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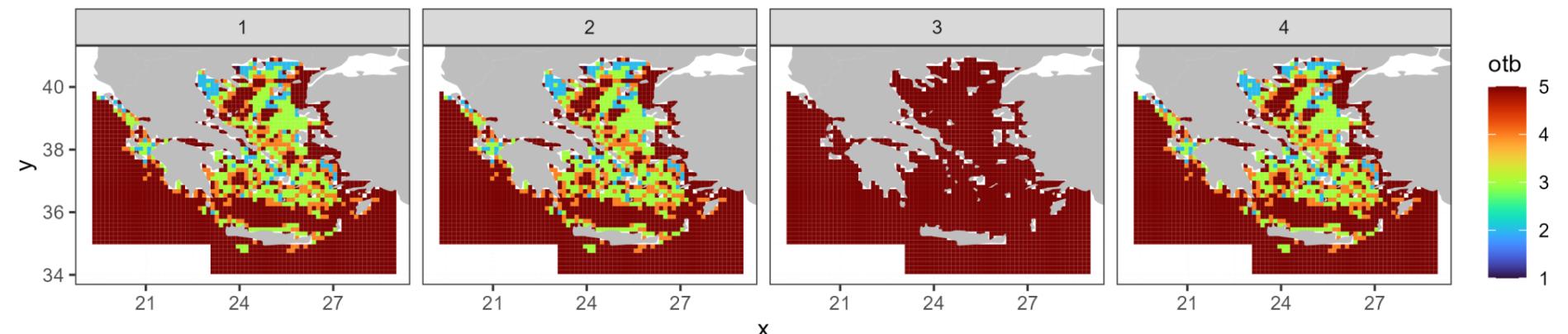
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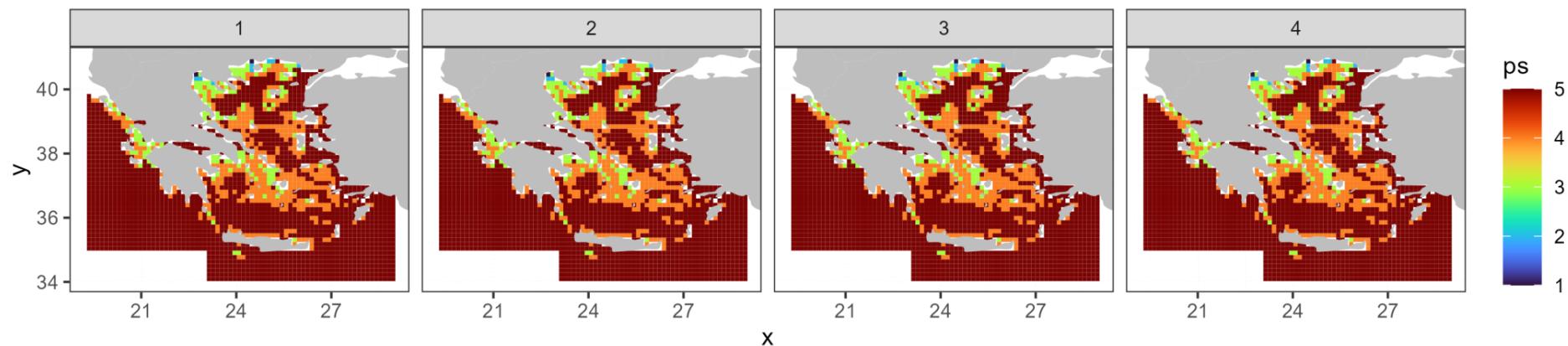
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# Outcomes from preparatory scripts

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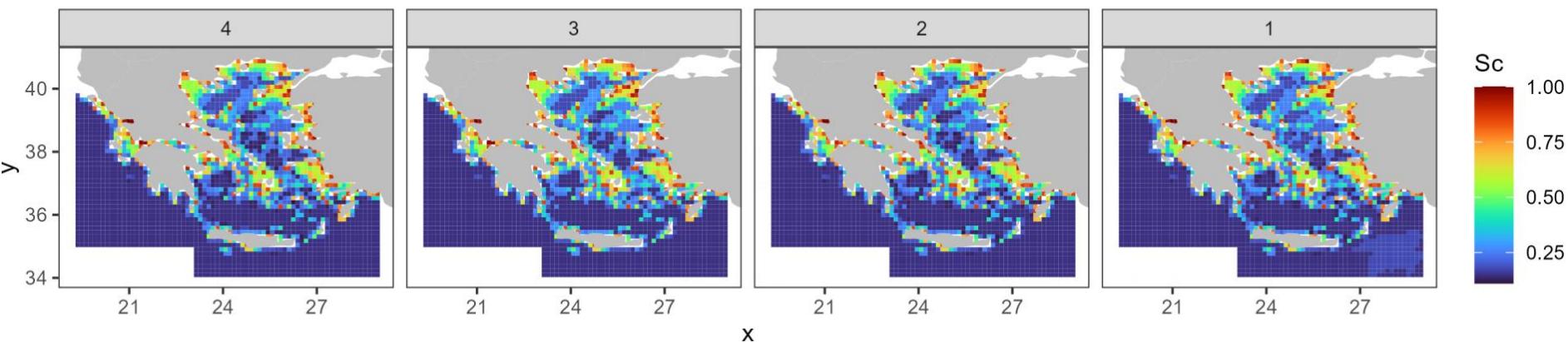


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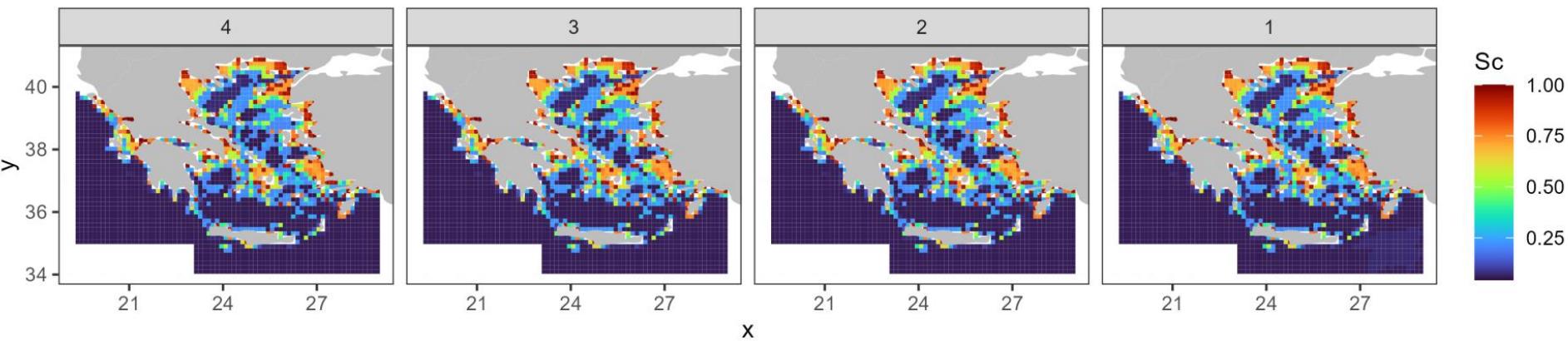
c) plot input data that will be used in the MCDA (first evaluation by the user)

- Outcomes of Sc (based on MCDA)

2019\_GNS\_VL0006



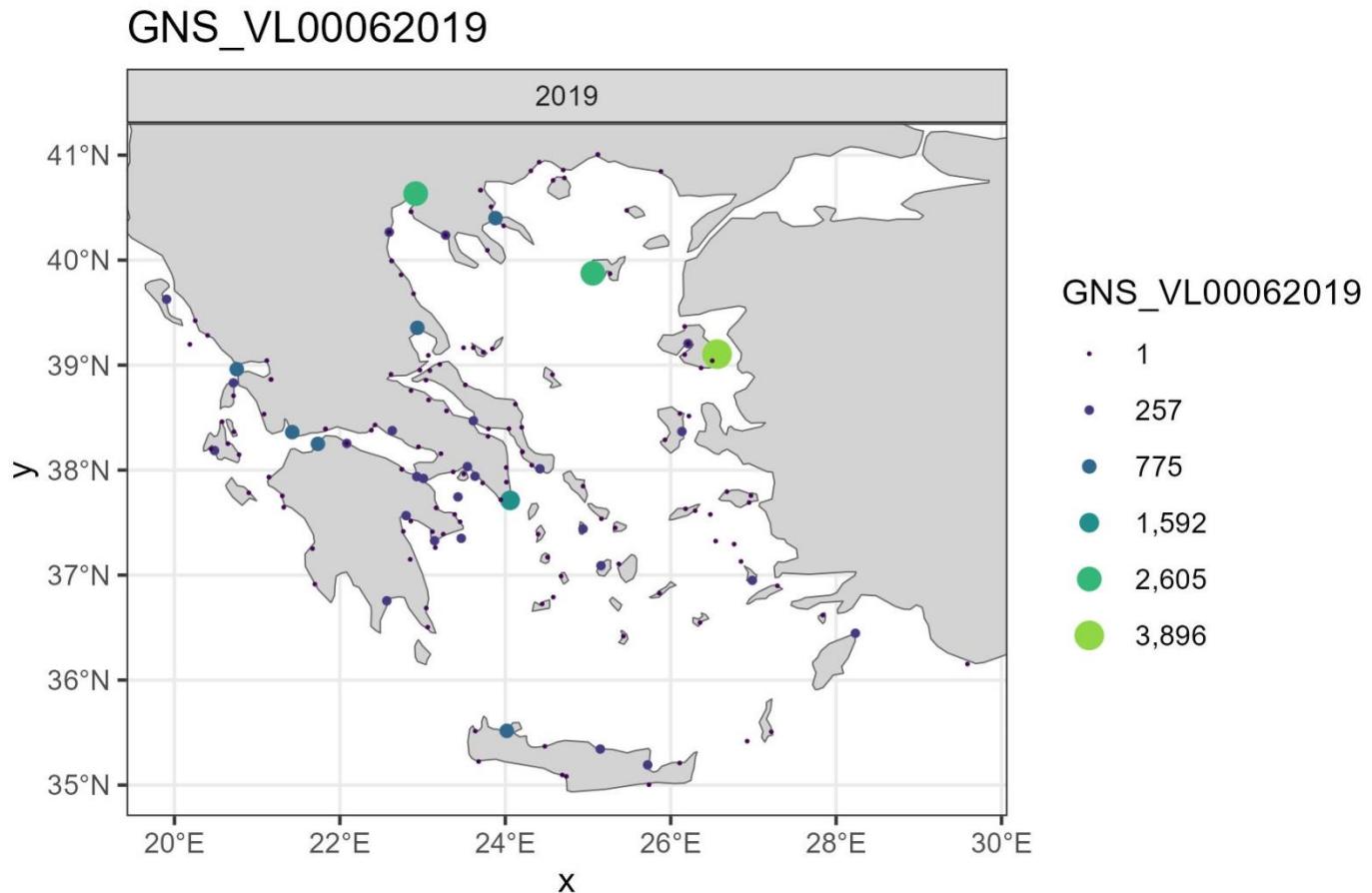
2019\_GNS\_VL0612



# Outcomes from preparatory scripts

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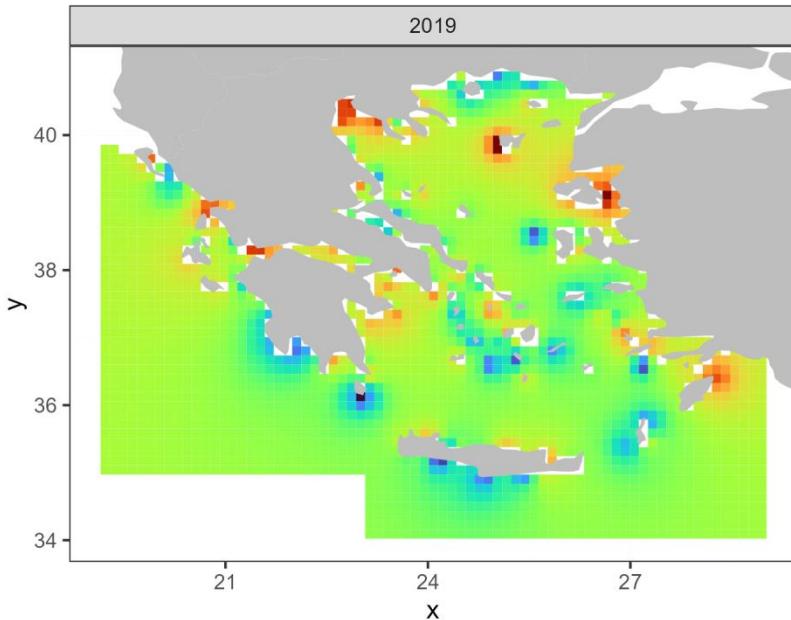
- Plotting the index of activity ( $LxGT$ ) by fishing fleet and registration port



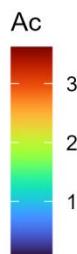
# Outcomes from the preparatory scripts

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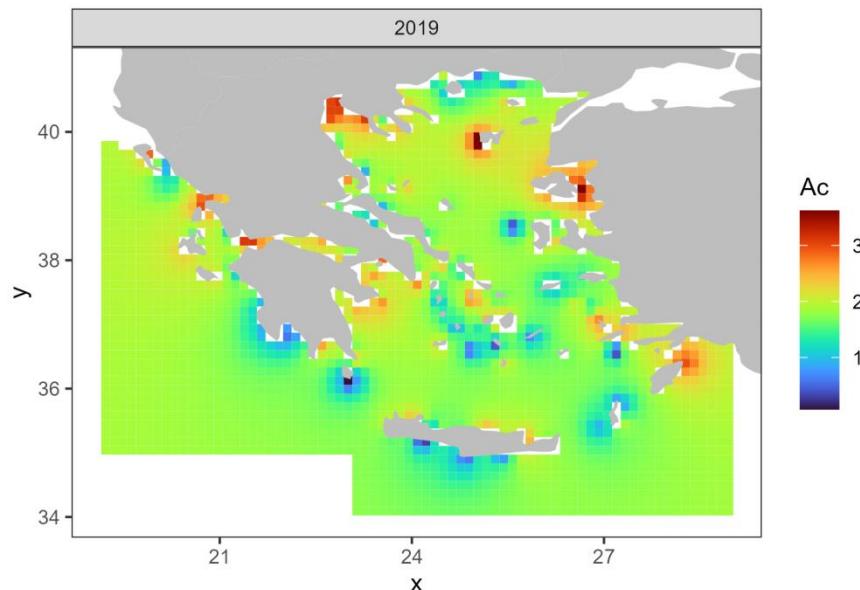
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- Outcomes of Ac  
(based on  
interpolation)



GNS\_VL0612



# Outcomes from the main scripts

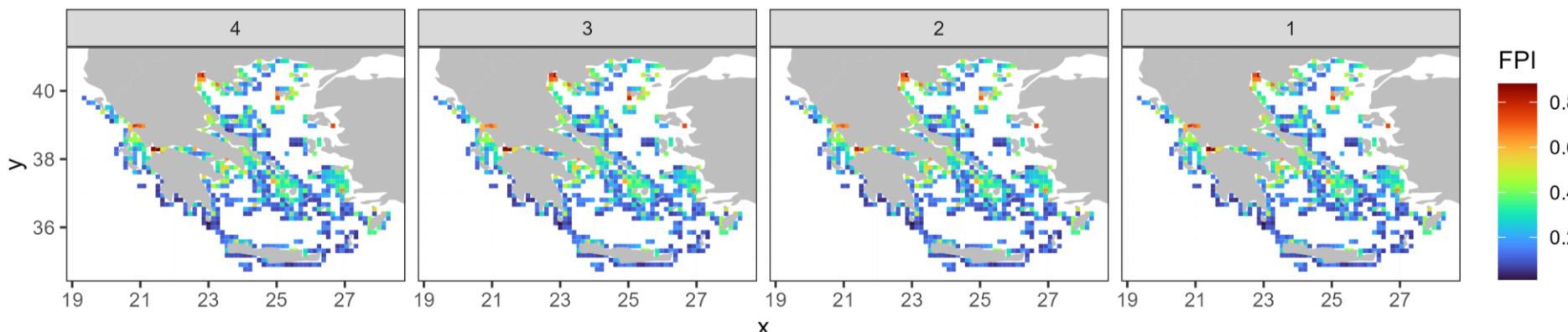
## 1) Perform MCDA to estimate a proxy of fishing pressure

- Proxy of fishing pressure by gear type, vessel length, year, quarter

x	y	year	quarter	FPI	gear_type	vessel_len	LON	LAT
25.025	40.975	2019	4	0.210359	GNS	VL0006	25.025	40.975
25.075	40.975	2019	4	0.320682	GNS	VL0006	25.075	40.975
25.125	40.975	2019	4	0.349548	GNS	VL0006	25.125	40.975
24.425	40.925	2019	4	0.517712	GNS	VL0006	24.425	40.925
24.475	40.925	2019	4	0.440982	GNS	VL0006	24.475	40.925
24.525	40.925	2019	4	0.393448	GNS	VL0006	24.525	40.925

- Example plots of the proxy of fishing pressure (FPI)

2019\_VL0006\_GNS



# Outcomes from the main scripts

## 2) Estimating fishing effort, weight & value of landings

➤ Table I (spatial effort)

count	year	quart	vesse	fishing	gear	target	mesh	metie	metie	supra	sub_r	eez_i	geo_i	spec	deep	rectal	latitu	longit	c_sq
GRC	2019	1	VL000DFN	GNS	DEF	NK	GNS_NK	MBS	GSA2	NA	NK	NK	NA	05*05	34.8	23.8	NA		
GRC	2019	2	VL000DFN	GNS	DEF	NK	GNS_NK	MBS	GSA2	NA	NK	NK	NA	05*05	34.8	23.8	NA		
GRC	2019	4	VL000DFN	GNS	DEF	NK	GNS_NK	MBS	GSA2	NA	NK	NK	NA	05*05	34.8	23.8	NA		
GRC	2019	1	VL061DFN	GNS	DEF	NK	GNS_NK	MBS	GSA2	NA	NK	NK	NA	05*05	34.8	23.8	NA		
GRC	2019	2	VL061DFN	GNS	DEF	NK	GNS_NK	MBS	GSA2	NA	NK	NK	NA	05*05	34.8	23.8	NA		
GRC	2019	3	VL061DFN	GNS	DEF	NK	GNS_NK	MBS	GSA2	NA	NK	NK	NA	05*05	34.8	23.8	NA		
GRC	2019	4	VL061DFN	GNS	DEF	NK	GNS_NK	MBS	GSA2	NA	NK	NK	NA	05*05	34.8	23.8	NA		
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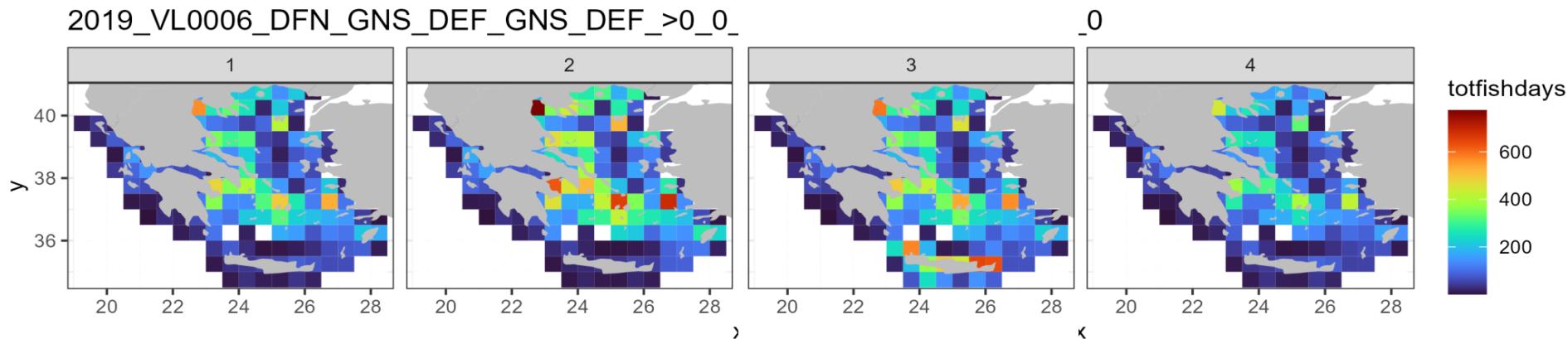
➤ Check difference between values estimated in table I and table G

joinFDI	FE (G)	FE (I)	check
GRC_2019_1_VL0006_DFN_GNS_DEF_GNS_DEF_>0_0_0_GSA20	1261	1261	0
GRC_2019_1_VL0006_DFN_GNS_DEF_GNS_DEF_>0_0_0_GSA22	15105	15105	0
GRC_2019_1_VL0006_DFN_GNS_DEF_GNS_DEF_>0_0_0_GSA23	656	656	0
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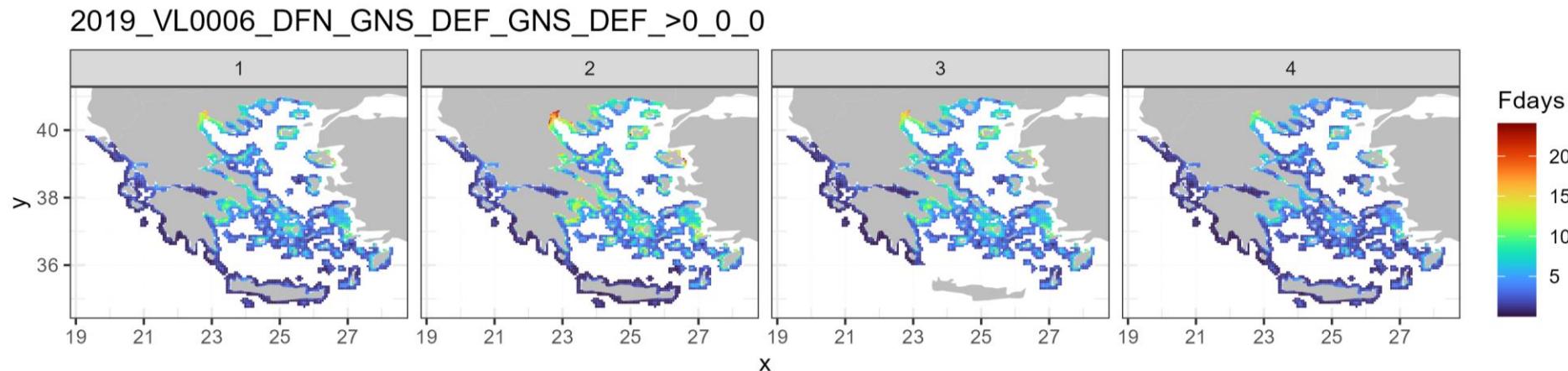
# Outcomes from the main scripts

## 2) Estimating fishing effort, weight & value of landings

- Example plot of table I (spatial effort)



- Example plot of fishing effort in a fine grid



# Outcomes from the main scripts

## 2) Estimating fishing effort, weight & value of landings

- Table H (spatial landings weight and value)

coun	year	quar	vesse	fishing	gear	target	mesh	meteo	meteo	supra	sub	eez	geo	spec	deep	rectal	latitu	longit	c_sq
GRC	2019	2	VL06	PG	GTR	DEF	NK	NK	NK	MBS	GSA2	NA	NK	NK	NA	05*0	35	24	NA
GRC	2019	4	VL06	PG	GTR	DEF	NK	NK	NK	MBS	GSA2	NA	NK	NK	NA	05*0	35	24	NA
GRC	2019	2	VL06	PG	GTR	DEF	NK	NK	NK	MBS	GSA2	NA	NK	NK	NA	05*0	35	24	NA
GRC	2019	4	VL06	PG	GTR	DEF	NK	NK	NK	MBS	GSA2	NA	NK	NK	NA	05*0	35	24	NA

- Check difference between values estimated in table H and table A for the weight of landings

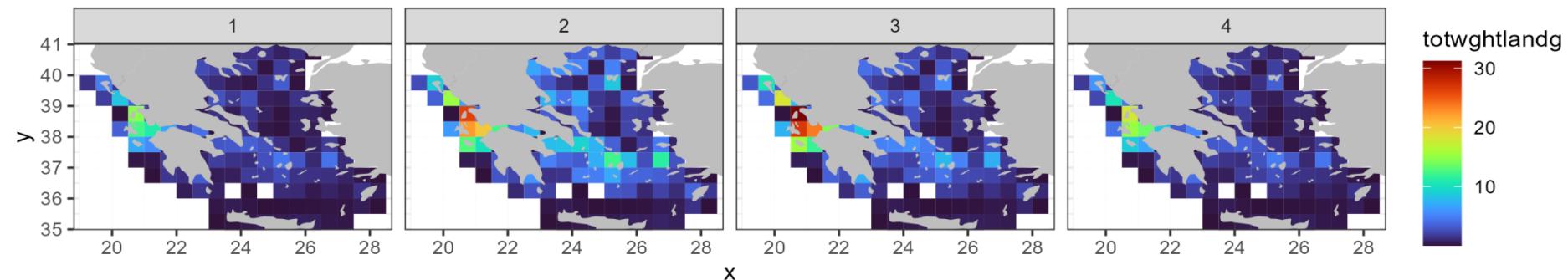
joinFDI	Weight (A)	Weight (H)	check
GSA20_GRC_GNS_2019_VL0612_HKE_1_PG_NK_DEF	104.361	104.361	0
GSA20_GRC_GNS_2019_VL0612_HKE_2_PG_NK_DEF	190.572	190.572	0
GSA20_GRC_GNS_2019_VL0612_HKE_3_PG_NK_DEF	225.091	225.091	-2.84E-14
GSA20_GRC_GNS_2019_VL0612_HKE_4_PG_NK_DEF	129.372	129.372	0

# Outcomes from the main scripts

## 2) Estimating fishing effort, weight & value of landings

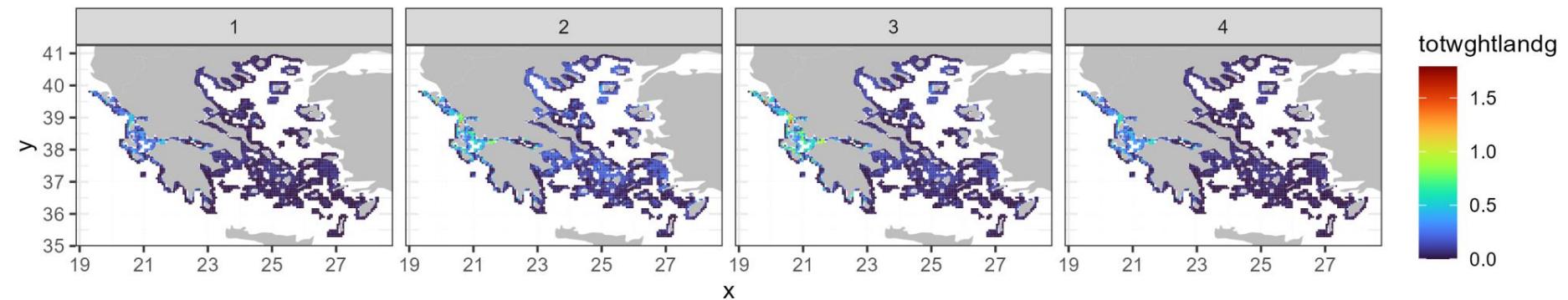
- Example plot of table H (spatial landings weight)

2019\_VL0612\_PG\_GNS\_DEF\_NK\_HKE



- Example plot of landing weight in a fine grid

2019\_VL0612\_PG\_GNS\_DEF\_NK\_HKE



# Outcomes from the main scripts

## 2) Estimating fishing effort, weight & value of landings

- Table H (spatial landings weight and value)

coun	year	quar	vesse	fishing	gear	target	mesh	meteo	meteo	supra	sub	eez	geo	spec	deep	rectal	latitu	longi	c_sq
GRC	2019	2	VL06	PG	GTR	DEF	NK	NK	NK	MBS	GSA2	NA	NK	NK	NA	05*0	35	24	NA
GRC	2019	4	VL06	PG	GTR	DEF	NK	NK	NK	MBS	GSA2	NA	NK	NK	NA	05*0	35	24	NA
GRC	2019	2	VL06	PG	GTR	DEF	NK	NK	NK	MBS	GSA2	NA	NK	NK	NA	05*0	35	24	NA
GRC	2019	4	VL06	PG	GTR	DEF	NK	NK	NK	MBS	GSA2	NA	NK	NK	NA	05*0	35	24	NA

- Check difference between values estimated in table H and table A for the value of landings

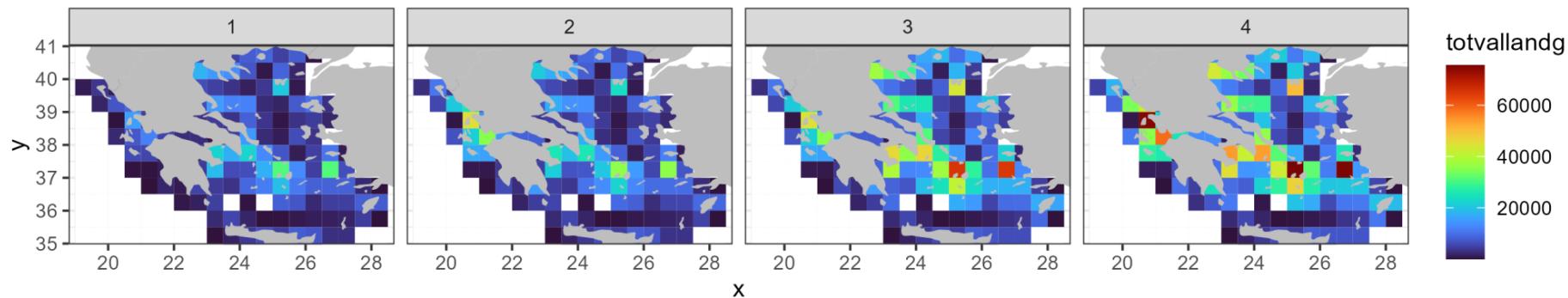
joinFDI	Value (A)	Value (H)	check
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GSA20_GRC_GNS_2019_VL0612_HKE_2_PG_NK_DEF	2153463	2153463	0
GSA20_GRC_GNS_2019_VL0612_HKE_3_PG_NK_DEF	2543528	2543528	0
GSA20_GRC_GNS_2019_VL0612_HKE_4_PG_NK_DEF	1461903	1461903	0

# Outcomes from the main scripts

## 2) Estimating fishing effort, weight & value of landings

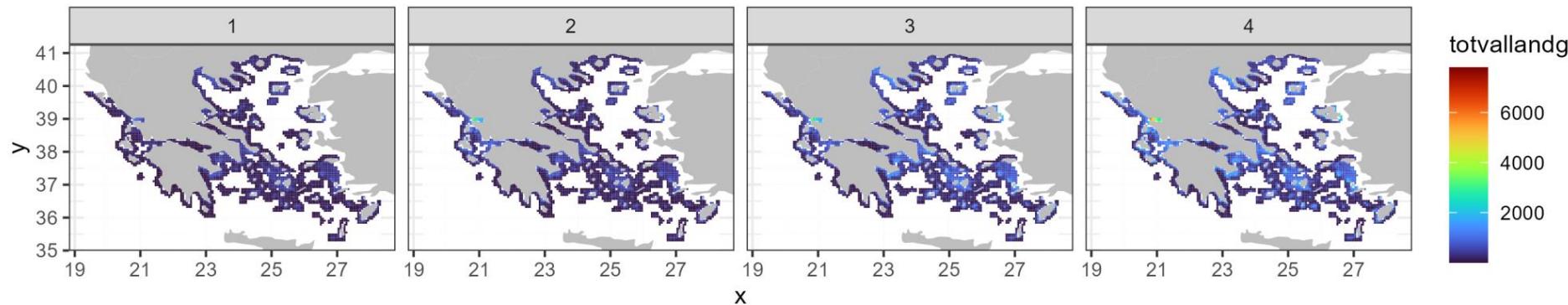
- Example plot of table H (spatial landings value)

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