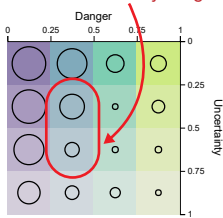**Traditional Bivariate Map**
The lower cell has the same value (therefore same color) as the upper cell and is less preferred because uncertainty is higher...

Tree VSUP
...but in the tree VSUP the lower cell color is pulled **away** from the mean, and it is selected in similar frequency to the upper cell even though uncertainty is higher.