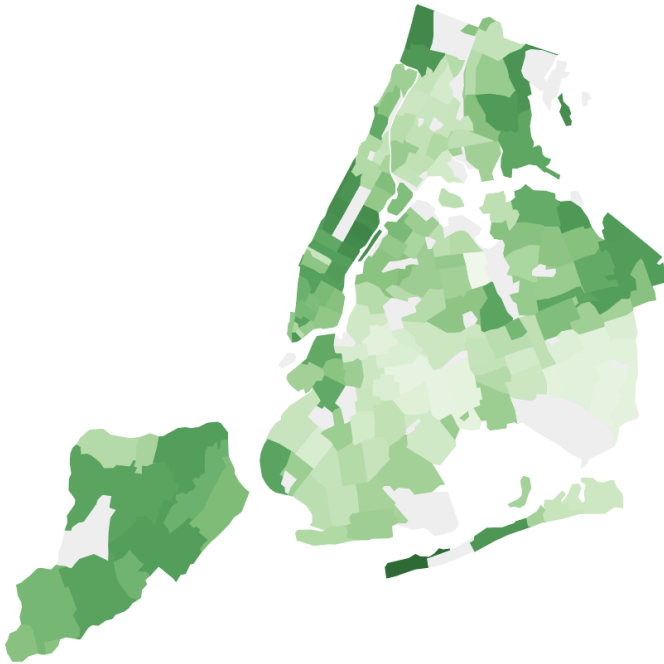


Mapshaper's classify command



In the context of thematic mapping, classification usually means (1) organizing map features into groups (a.k.a. classes or buckets) based on the value of a data property, and (2) assigning colors to each group.

Mapshaper's new classify command helps with both of these things, and throws in a key for free.

method

Takes one of: quantile, equal-interval, hybrid, nice. The "nice" method is intended to give you a usable set of breaks that can also be tweaked.

colors

Takes a d3 color scheme name or a list of two or more CSS colors.

classes

Number of classes to use.

stops

Takes a pair of numbers (0-100) for limiting the range of a color ramp.

breaks

An alternative to method. Applies a list of custom class breaks.

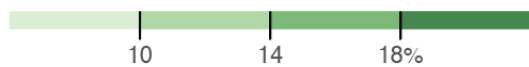
continuous

Turns your discrete color classes into gradients.

There are three styles of key (so far): simple, dataviz and gradient. Use the key-style option to set the style.

Classed color schemes: **simple** or **dataviz**. The dataviz style is designed to help you understand the distribution of data values and fine-tune your color scheme.

simple



dataviz

