

Supplementary Table S2: Supplementary statistical analysis including Isolates in a wide sense and all mountain areas for article “The geography and evolution of language isolates.” Code for producing these outputs is provided in the GitHub directory for this article at [urbam-m/isolates](https://github.com/urbam-m/isolates)

|  | n     | Wilcoxon-Mann-Whitney Test  |                             | Bayesian Mixed Effects Logistic Regression |                            |                             | Spatial point pattern test |
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| <b>Main analysis</b>   |       | Mountains                   | Sea                         | Mountains                                  | Sea                        | Interaction                 |                            |
| Isolates in a narrow sense (excluding “unclassifiable” languages), distance to mountain areas with alpine conditions | 5,251 | W = 211644, $p < .000001$   | W = 295520, $p \approx .18$ | -0.13 (95% CI [-0.75 0.49])                | 0.01 (95% CI [-0.84 1.19]) | 0.04 (95% CI [-0.19 0.44])  | S = .75                    |
| <b>Ancillary analyses</b>  |       | Mountains                   | Sea                         | Mountains                                  | Sea                        |                             |                            |
| Isolates in a narrow sense (excluding “unclassifiable” languages), distance to any mountain area                     | 7,117 | W = 650581, $p \approx .11$ | W = 654881, $p \approx .92$ | -0.10 (95% CI [-0.72 0.59])                | -0.16 [-0.84 0.77]         | 0.06 (95% CI [-0.17 0.36])  | S = .92                    |
| Isolates in a wide sense (including “unclassifiable” languages), distance to mountain areas with alpine conditions   | 5,251 | W = 284870, $p < .000001$   | W = 354771, $p \approx .08$ | 0.17 (95% CI [-0.19 0.53])                 | 0.18 (95% CI [-0.48 0.90]) | -0.05 (95% CI [-0.22 0.12]) | S = .75                    |
| Isolates in a wide Sense (including “unclassifiable” languages), distance to any mountain area                       | 7,117 | W = 690666, $p \approx .08$ | W = 802699, $p \approx .99$ | 0.16 (95% CI [-0.19 0.48])                 | 0.07 (95% CI [-0.62 0.90]) | -0.03 (95% CI [-0.19 0.14]) | S = .94                    |
| Isolates in a narrow sense, full dataset   | 7,989 |                             |                             |  |                            |                             | S $\approx$ .99            |
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