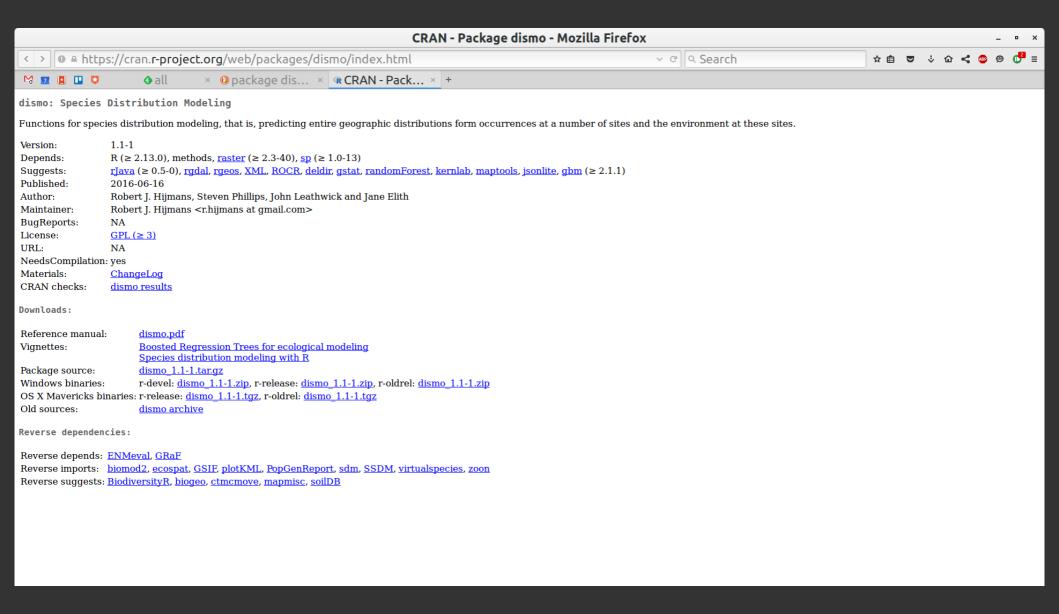


#### DISMO

- Software for species distribution models
- Written on R
- Cross-platform
- http://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/dismo/index.html
- Robert J. Hijmans, Steven Phillips, John Leathwick and Jane Elith
- Model evaluation (AUC)
- Multivariate environmental similarity surfaces (MESS)
- Niche equivalency and Niche overlap
- Background points
- K-fold sampling

## **DISMO: MODELLING METHODS**

- Bioclim
- Domain
- Mahalanobis model
- Convex hull model
- Circle hull model
- Rectangular hull model
- Voronoid hull model
- Geographic distance model
- Boosted Regresssion Trees
- Link to Maxent
- Mechanistic models



### **DISMO PROCEDURE**

- Load environmental data (as a stack of rasters)
- Calculate correlation among variables
- Load species data
- Split species records in training and testing data
- Format the data
- Define modelling options
- Compute the models
- Evaluate the models
- Spatialise the models (project them to current conditions)
- Obtain the threshold
- Calculate the threshold model
- Project the models in time and space

## **DISMO SPECIES STRUCTURE FILE**

.TXT FILE
long lat

-6.990315 38.60562

-6.162222 39.21908

-6.486737 39.85714

-9.183864 42.94672

-9.184132 43.03677

-9.061111 42.76675

# **QUESTIONS?**