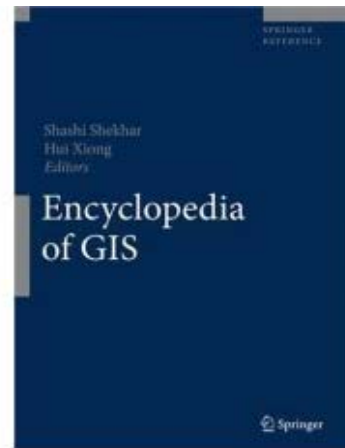
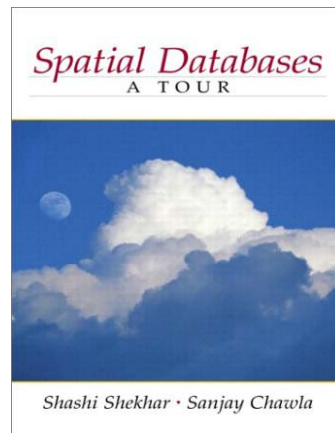


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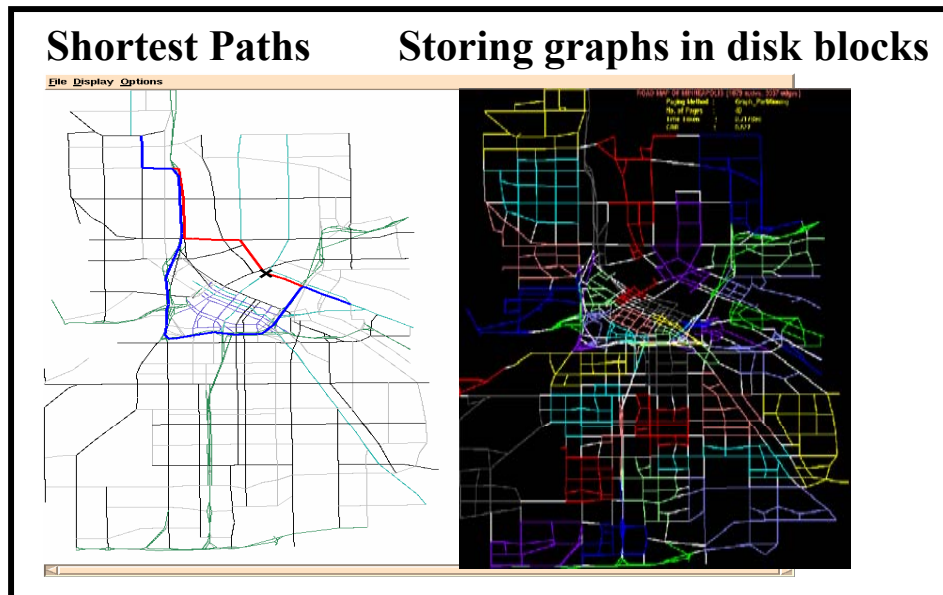
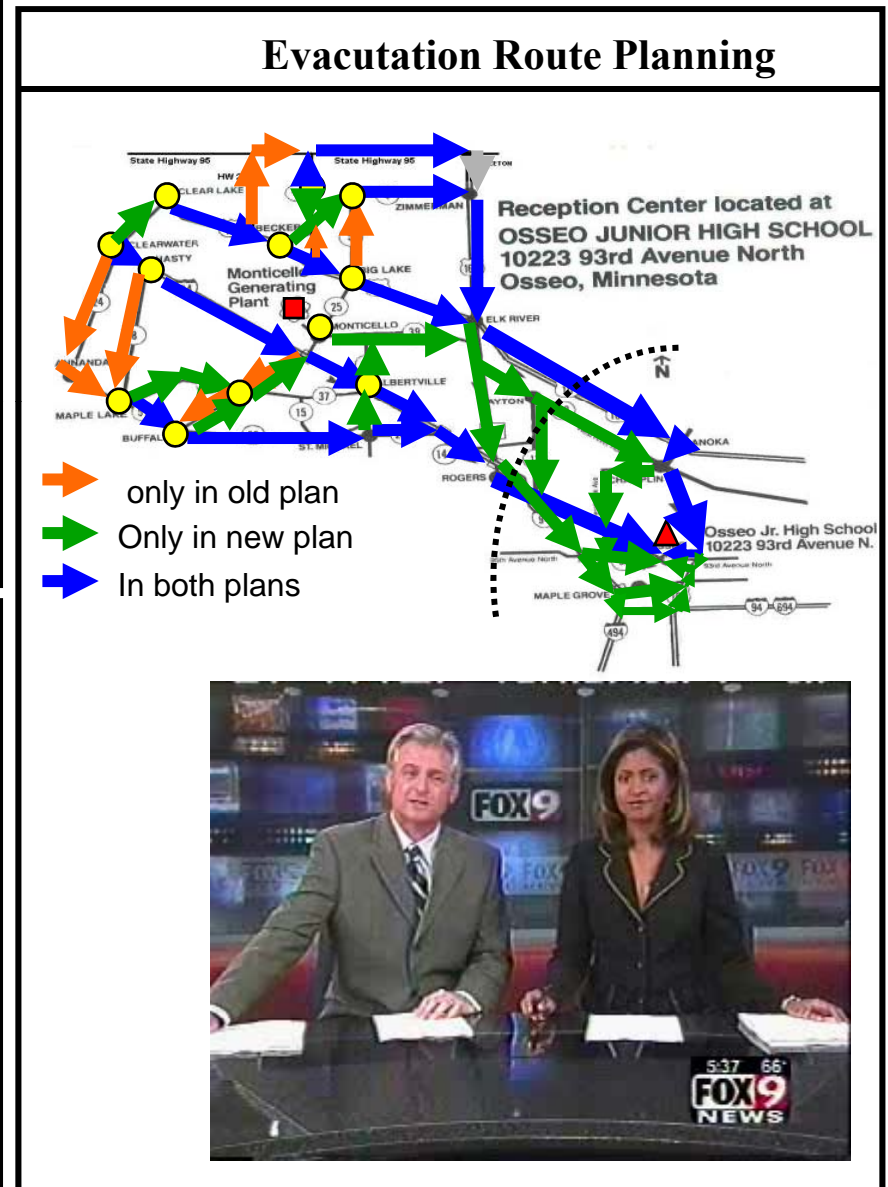
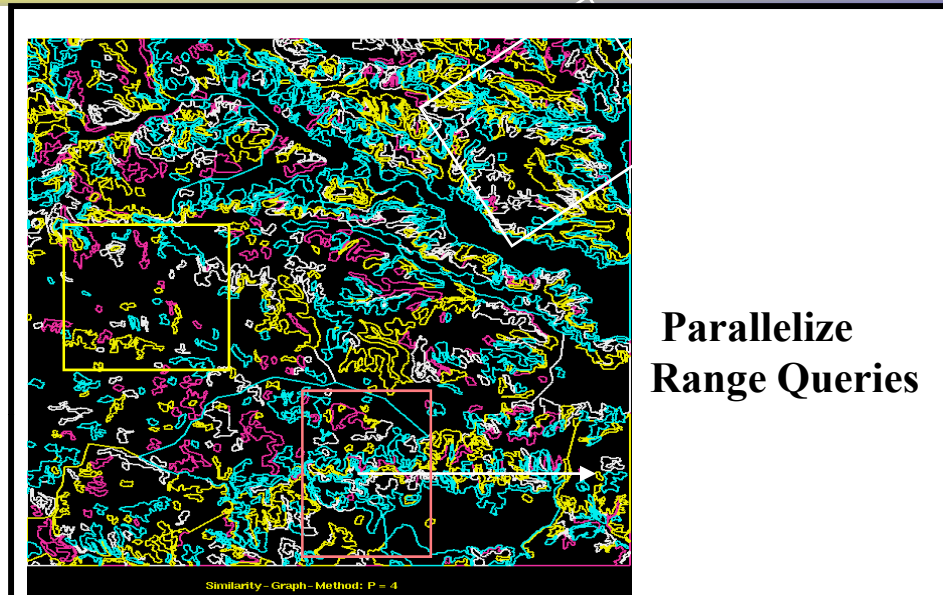
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## Outline:

- Spatial/Spatio-temporal Database
- Spatial/Spatio-temporal Data Mining



# Spatial / Spatio-temporal Databases: Example Projects



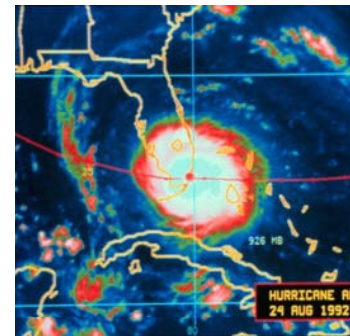
# Evacuation Route Planning - Motivation

- No coordination among local plans means
  - Traffic congestions on all highways
  - e.g. 60 mile congestion in Texas (2005)
- Great confusions and chaos

"We packed up Morgan City residents to evacuate in the a.m. on the day that Andrew hit coastal Louisiana, but in early afternoon the majority came back home. **The traffic was so bad that they couldn't get through Lafayette.**"

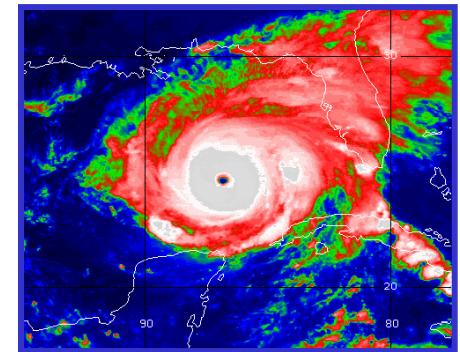
Mayor Tim Mott, Morgan City, Louisiana  
( <http://i49south.com/hurricane.htm> )

Florida, Louisiana  
(Andrew, 1992)



( National Weather Services )

Houston  
(Rita, 2005)



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( [www.washingtonpost.com](http://www.washingtonpost.com) )

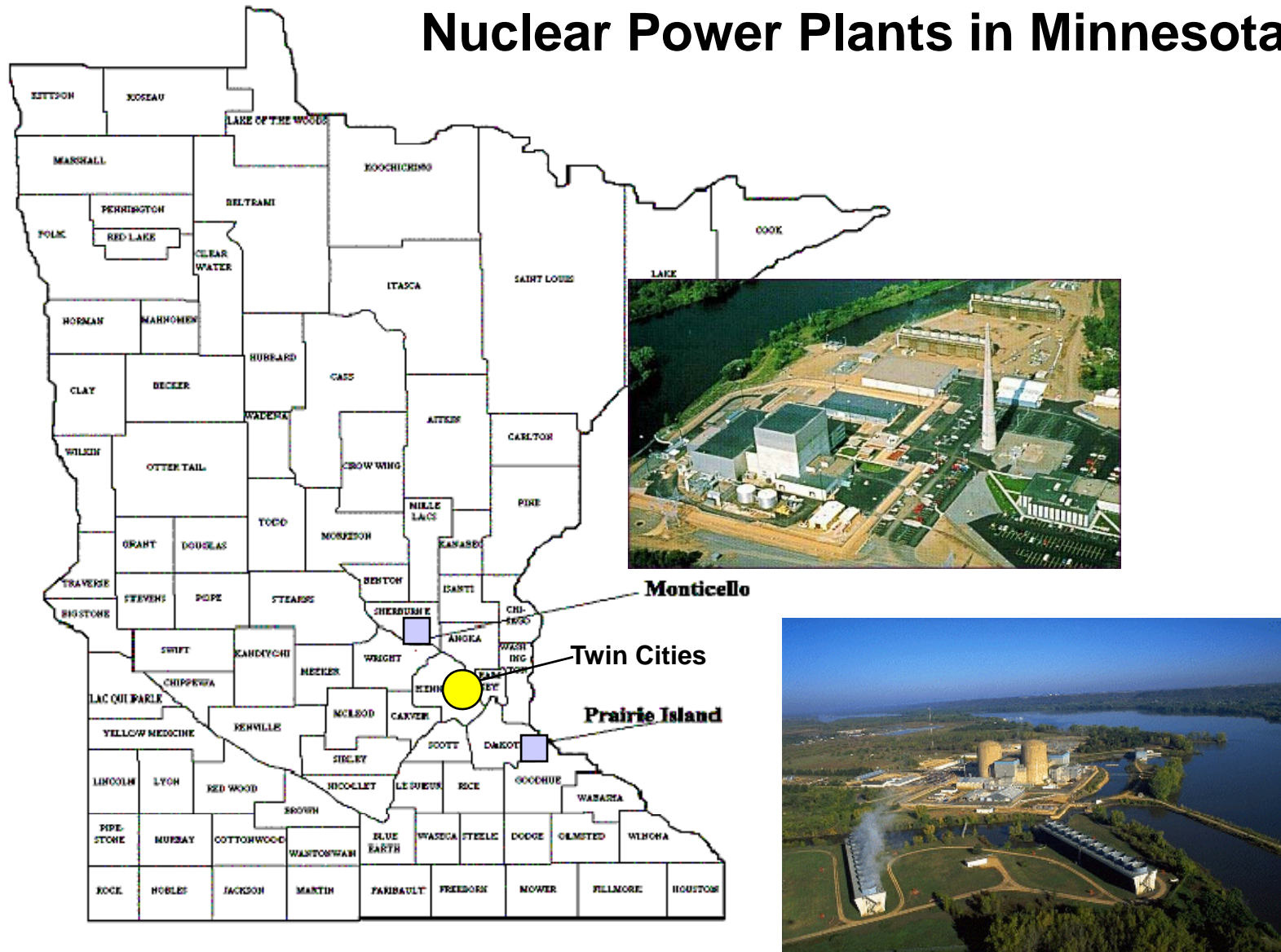


I-45 out of Houston  
( FEMA.gov )

# Evacuation Route Planning: A Scenario

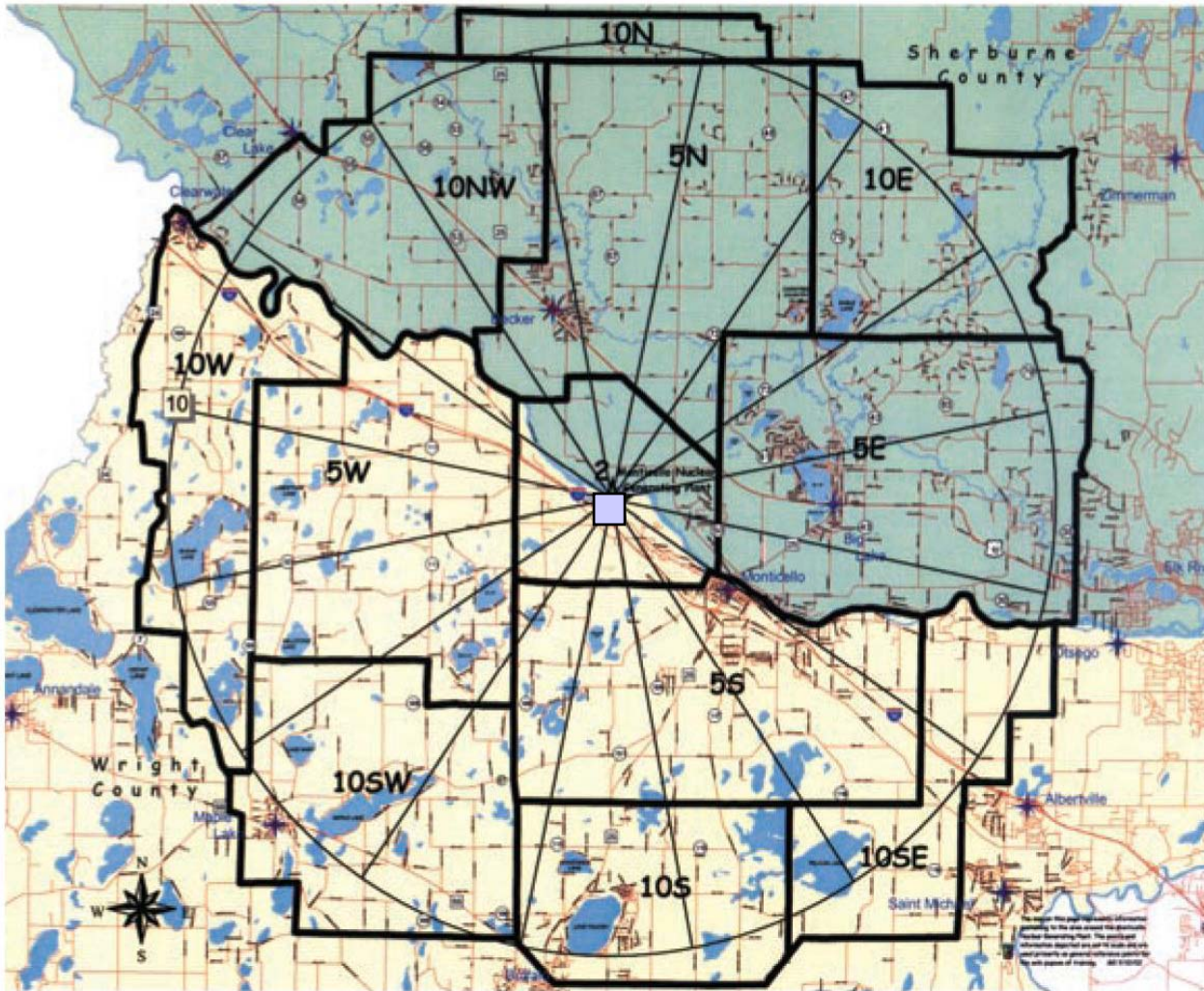
Minnesota Nuclear Power Plants

## Nuclear Power Plants in Minnesota



# Monticello Emergency Planning Zone

Emergency Planning Zone (EPZ) is a 10-mile radius around the plant divided into sub areas.



## Monticello EPZ

### Subarea Population

2	4,675
5N	3,994
5E	9,645
5S	6,749
5W	2,236
10N	391
10E	1,785
10SE	1,390
10S	4,616
10SW	3,408
10W	2,354
10NW	707
<b>Total</b>	<b>41,950</b>

**Estimate EPZ evacuation time:**  
**Summer/Winter (good weather):**  
3 hours, 30 minutes  
**Winter (adverse weather):**  
5 hours, 40 minutes

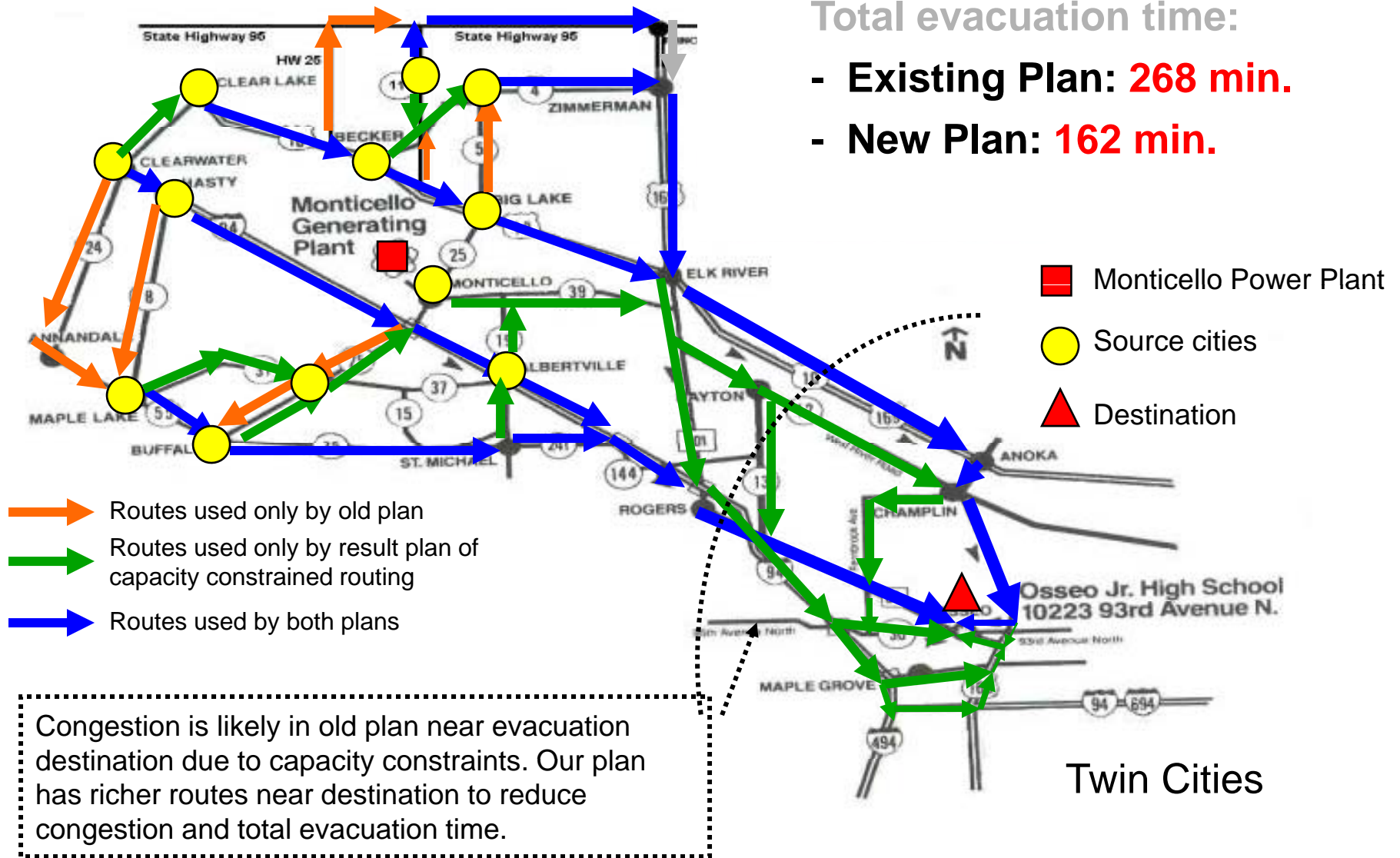
Data source: Minnesota DPS & DHS  
Web site: <http://www.dps.state.mn.us>  
<http://www.dhs.state.mn.us>

# A Real World Testcase

## Experiment Result

Total evacuation time:

- Existing Plan: **268 min.**
- New Plan: **162 min.**



# Computer Sc. Challenge: Time-varying Networks

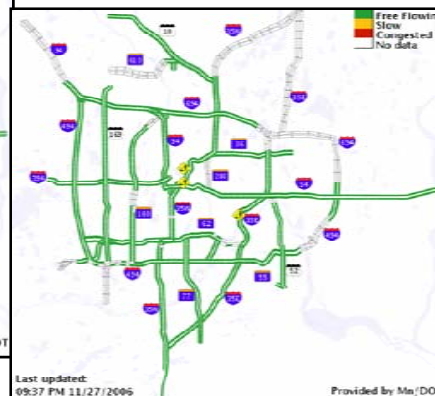
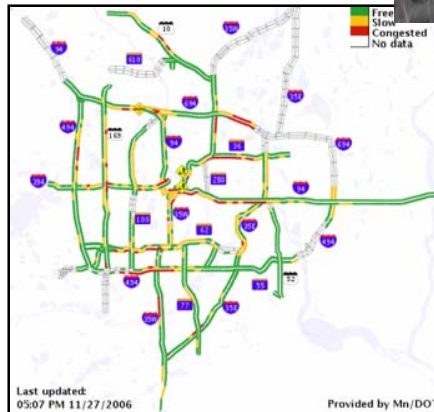
“U.P.S. Embraces High-Tech Delivery Methods - (by Claudia Deutsch)

The research at U.P.S. is paying off. Last year, it cut 28 million miles from truck routes — saving roughly three million gallons of fuel — in good part by *mapping routes that minimize left turns*”

- *New York Times* (July 12, 2007)



Congestion Levels in road networks change with time resulting in travel time changes.



Increasing availability of traffic data through sensors on road networks.

# Example queries on a time-varying network

## 1) Transportation network Routing

- Varying Congestion Levels and turn restrictions  $\Rightarrow$  travel time changes.

Static	Time-Variant
Which is the shortest travel time path from downtown Minneapolis to airport?	Which is the shortest travel time path from downtown Minneapolis to airport at different times of a work day?
What is the capacity of Twin-Cities freeway network to evacuate downtown Minneapolis ?	What is the capacity of Twin-Cities freeway network to evacuate downtown Minneapolis at different times in a work day?

## 2) Crime Analysis

- Identification of frequent routes (*i.e.*) Journey to Crime

## 3) Knowledge discovery from Sensor data.

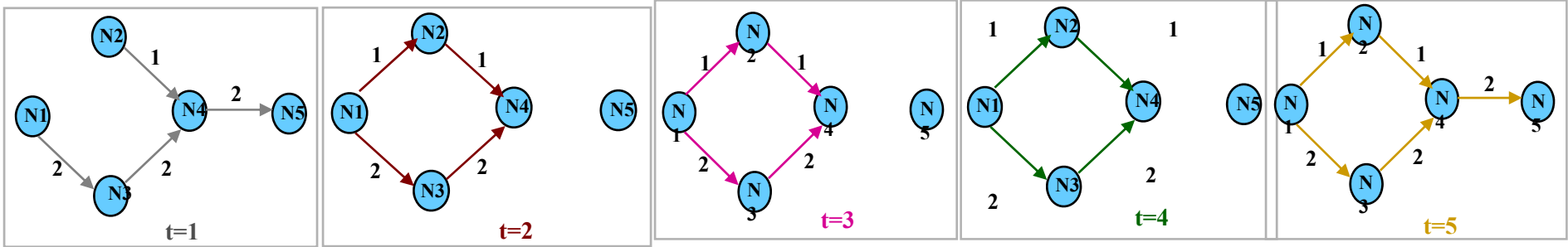
- Spreading Hotspots



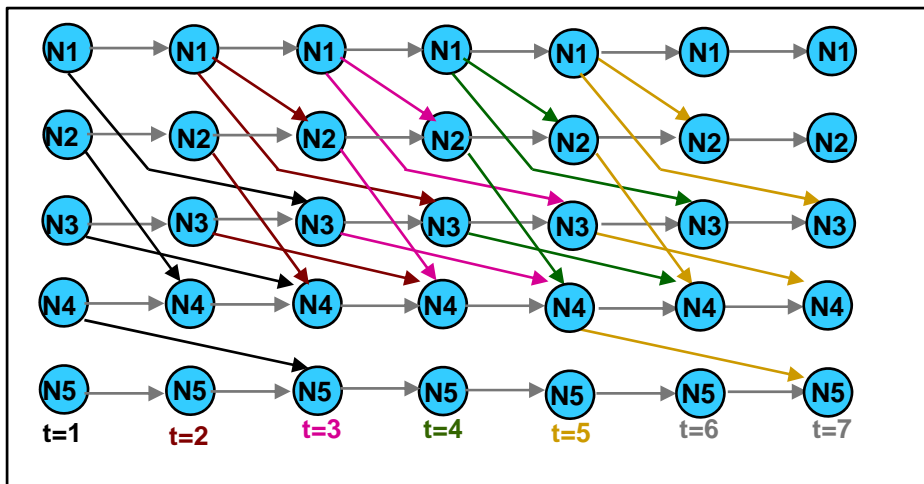
# Secret Sauce: **Representation** of (Spatio-)temporal Networks

## (1) Snapshot Model [Guting 04]

Node: Edge:



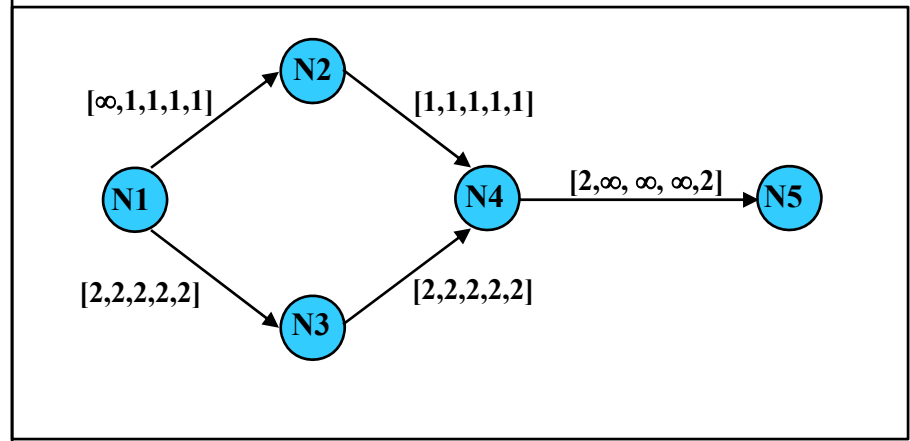
## (2) Time Expanded Graph (TEG) [Ford 65]



Holdover Edge  
 Transfer Edges

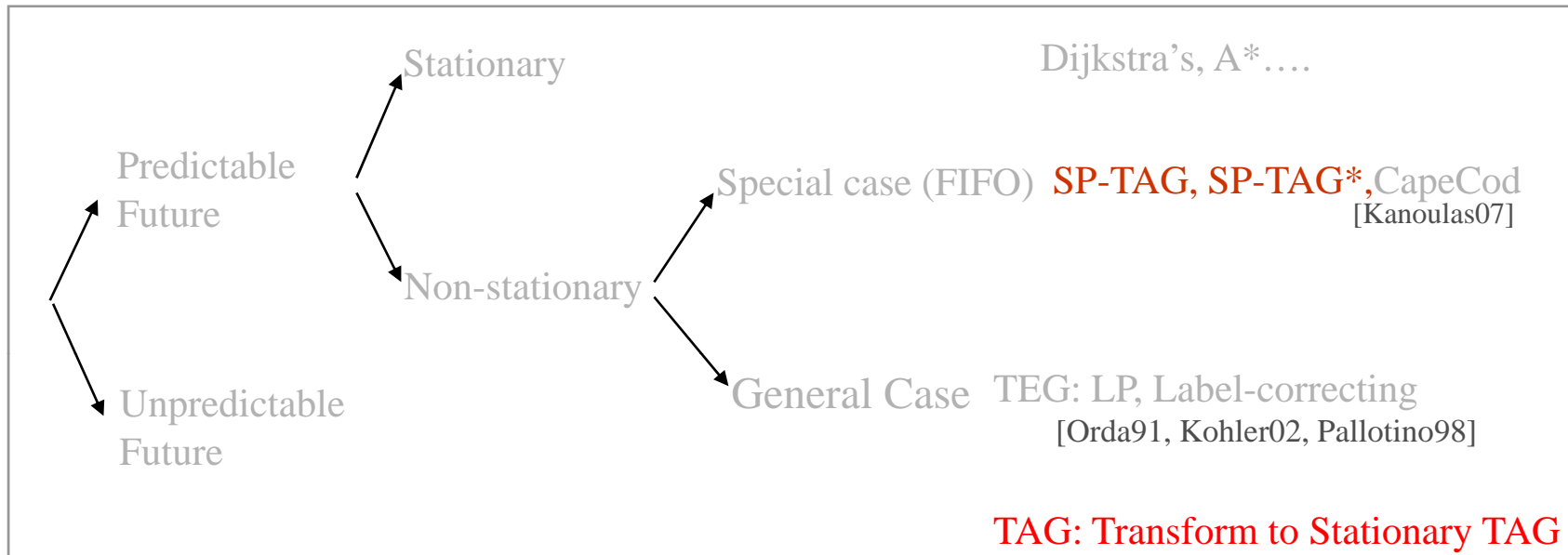
## (3) Time Aggregated Graph (TAG) [Our Approach]

Attributes aggregated over edges and nodes.

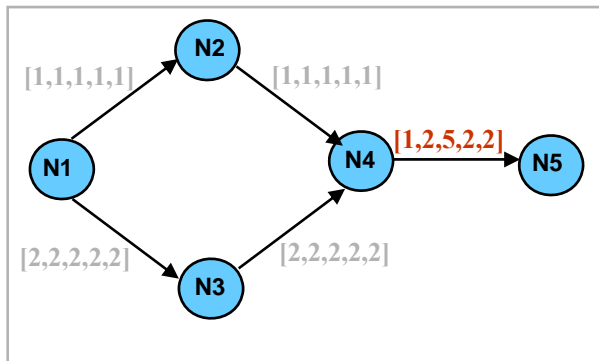


Edge  $\xrightarrow{[m_1, \dots, m_T]}$   $m_i$  - travel time at  $t=i$

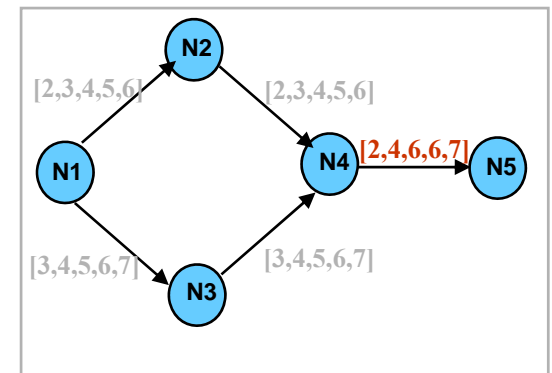
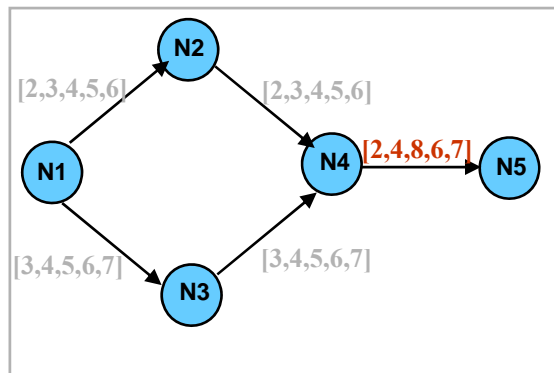
# Power of Representation: Ex. Routing Algorithms



travel times → arrival times at end node → Min. arrival time series



Non-stationary TAG

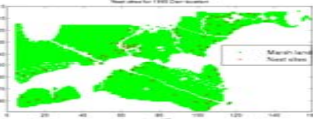


Stationary TAG

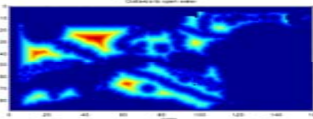
# Spatial / Spatio-temporal Data Mining: Example Projects

## Location prediction: nesting sites

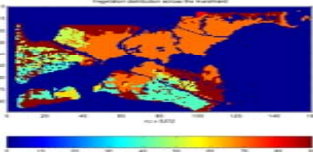
Nest locations



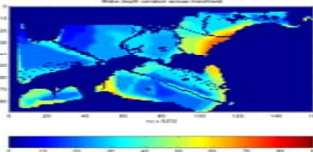
Distance to open water



Vegetation durability



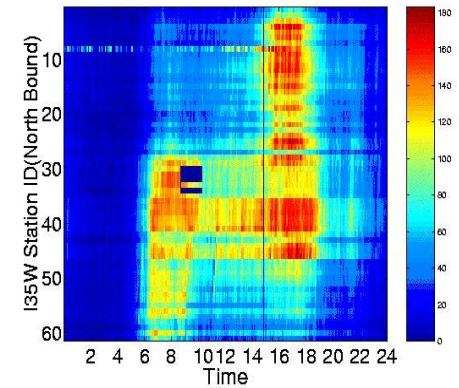
Water depth



## Spatial outliers: sensor (#9) on I-35

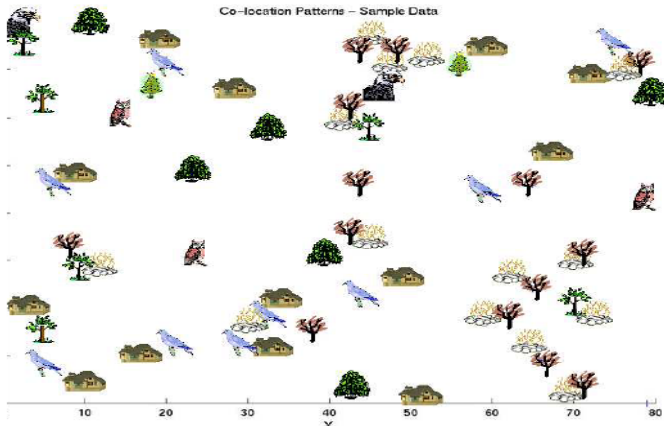


Average Traffic Volume (Time v.s. Station)



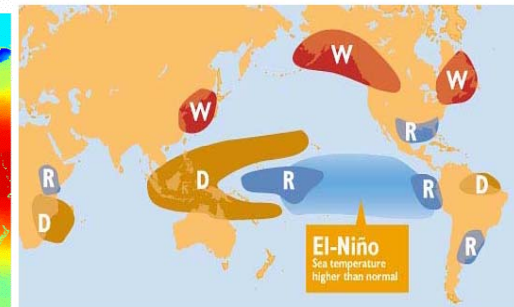
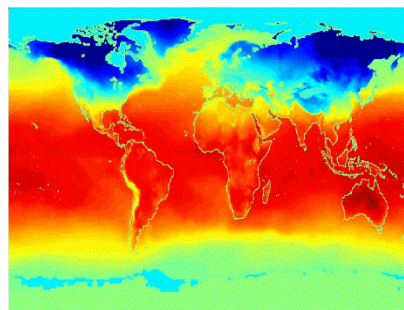
## Co-location Patterns

Co-location Patterns - Sample Data



## Tele connections

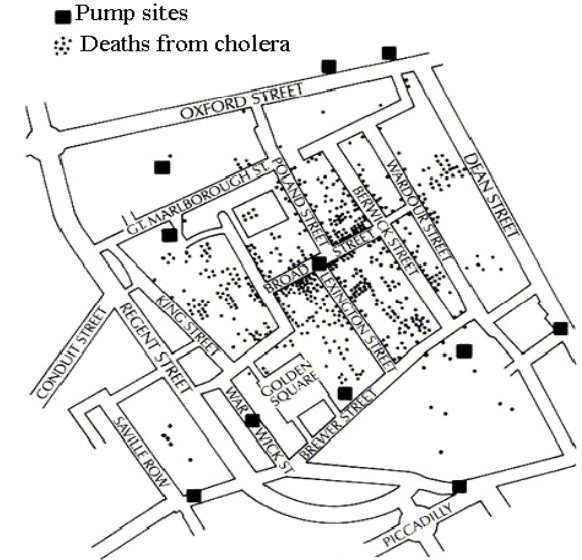
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(Ack: In collaboration w/V. Kumar, M. Steinbach, P. Zhang)

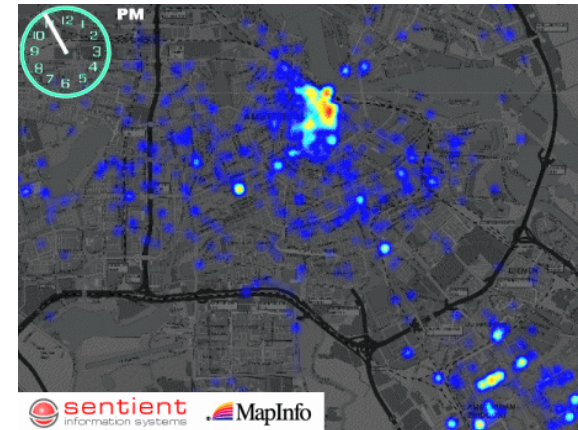
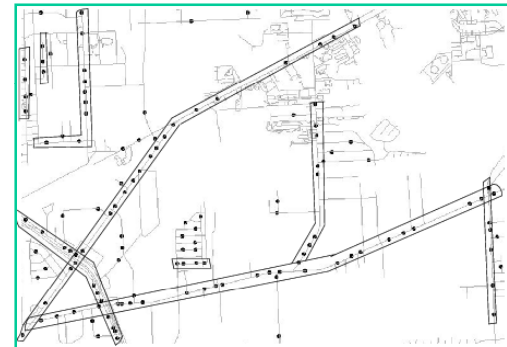
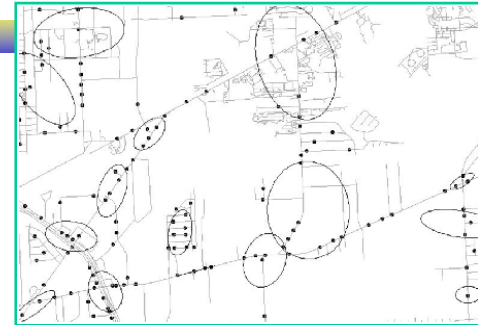
# Spatial and Spatio-temporal Data Mining

- What is it?
  - Identifying interesting, useful, non-trivial **patterns**
    - Hot-spots, discontinuities, co-locations, trends, ...
  - in large **spatial** or **spatio-temporal** datasets
    - Satellite imagery, geo-referenced data, e.g. census
    - gps-tracks, geo-sensor network, ...
- Why is it important ?
  - Potential of discoveries and insights to improve human lives
    - Environment: How is Earth system changing? Consequences for humans?
    - Public safety: Where are hotspots of crime? Why?
    - Public health: Where are cancer clusters? Environmental reasons?
    - Transportation, National Security, ...
  - However, (d/dt) (Spatial Data Volume)  $\gg$  (d/dt) (Number of Human Analysts)
    - Need automated methods to mine patterns from spatial data
    - Need tools to amplify human capabilities to analyze spatial data



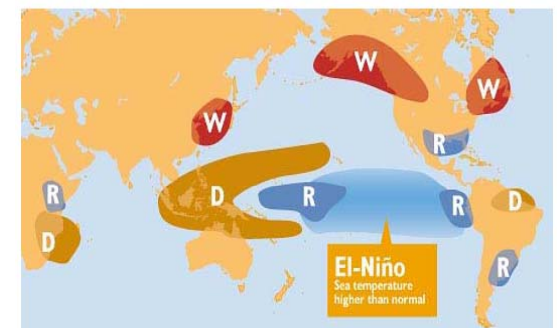
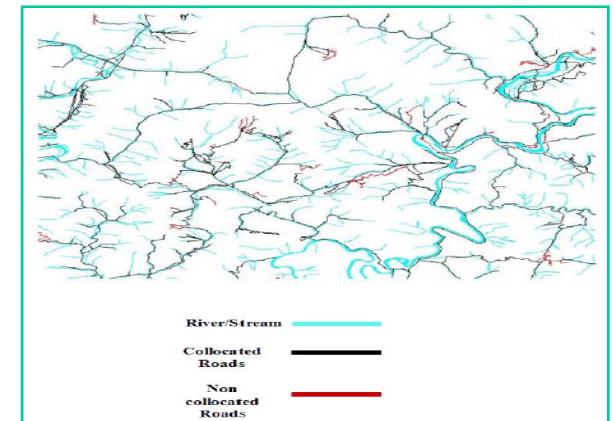
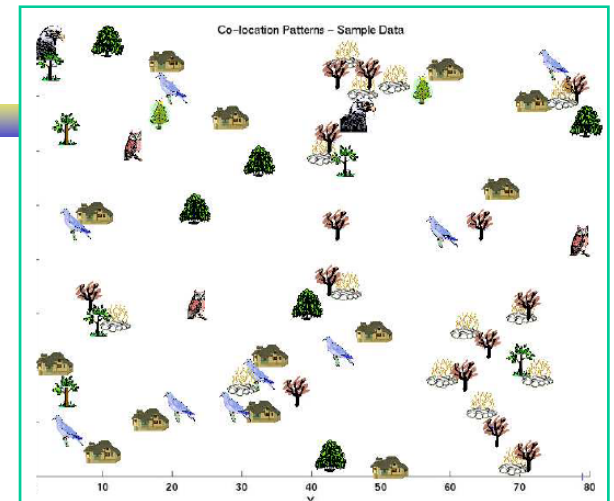
# HotSpots

- What is it?
  - Unusually high spatial concentration of a phenomena
    - Cancer clusters, crime hotspots
- Traditional Approach:
  - Spatial statistics based ellipsoids
- Our Recent Focus:
  - Computational Structure
    - Spatial Join-index reduces computational costs
  - Transportation network based hotspots
- Next: Spatio-temporal
  - Ex. Emerging hot-spots



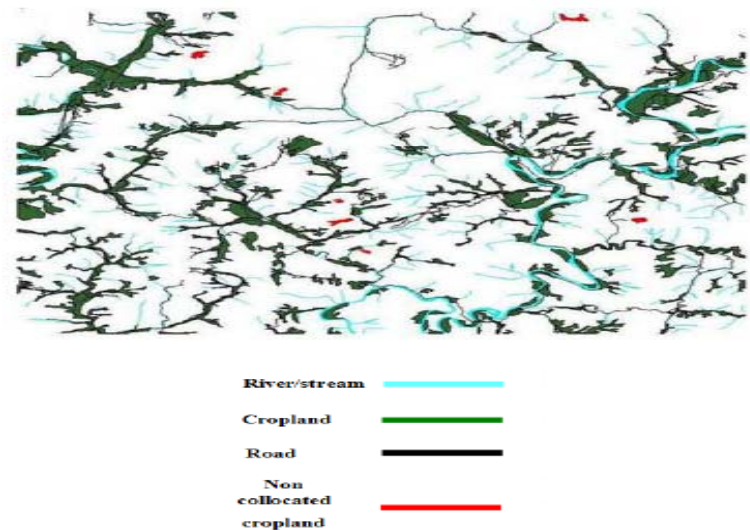
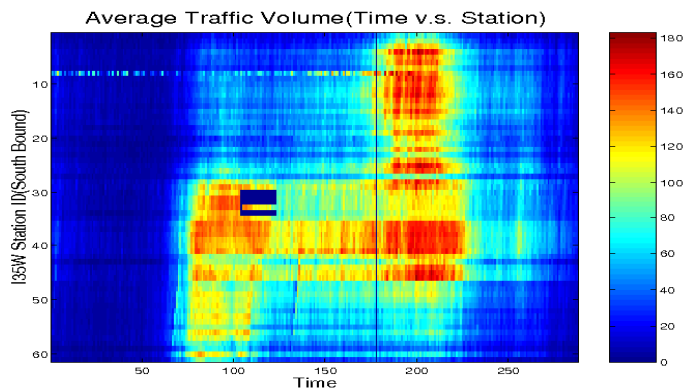
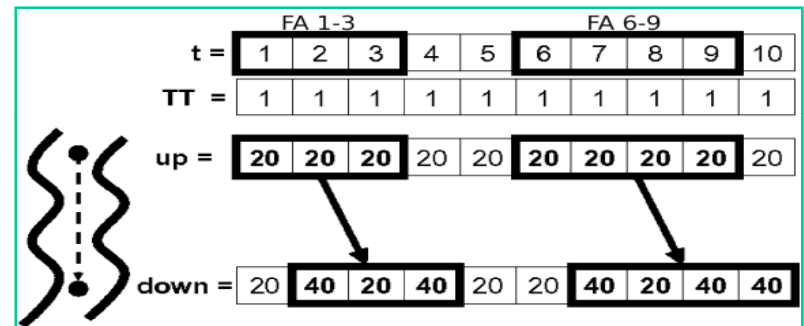
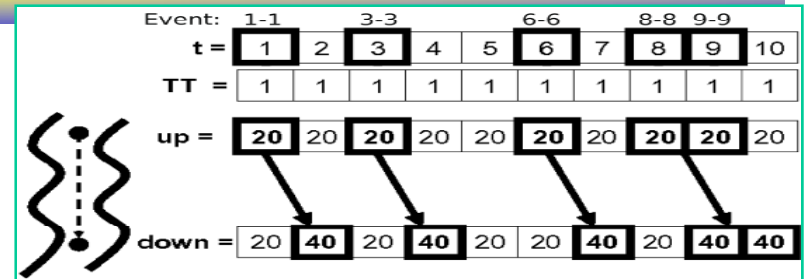
# Colocation, Co-occurrence, Interaction

- What is it?
  - Subset of event types, whose instances occur together
  - Ex. Symbiosis, (bar, misdemeanors), ...
- Traditional Approach:
  - Neighbor-unaware Transaction based approaches
- Our Approach:
  - Aggregate Functions on Neighbor relationships
  - Balance statistical rigor and computational cost
- Next: Spatio-temporal interactions
  - Item-types that sell well before or after a hurricane
  - Object-types that move together
  - Tele-connections

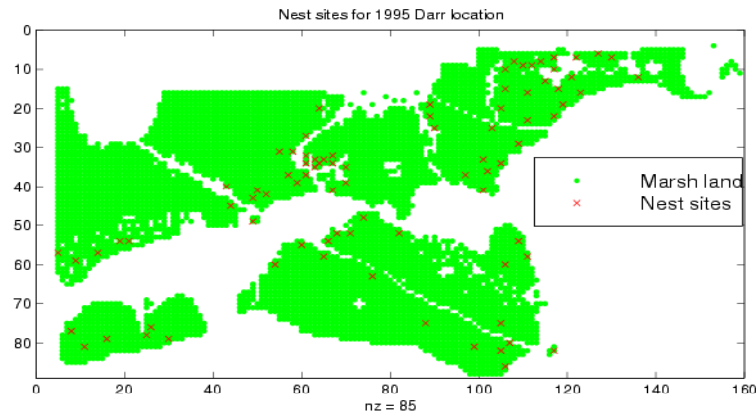


# Spatial/Spatio-temporal Outliers, Anamolies

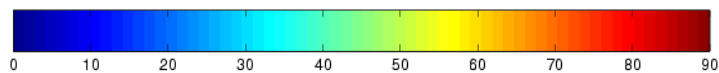
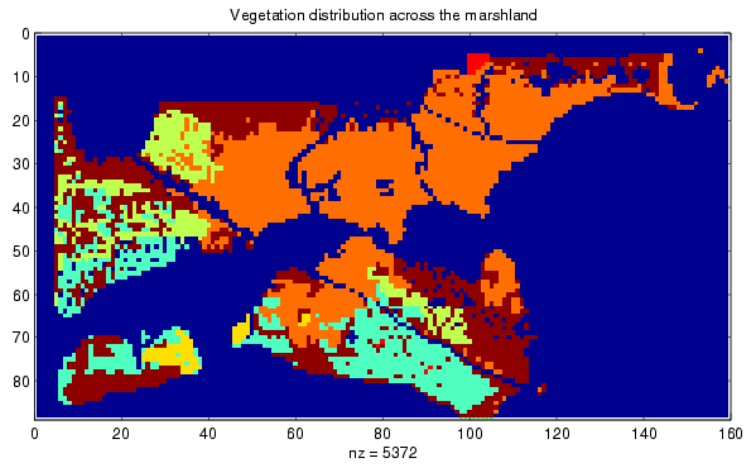
- What is it?
  - Location different from their neighbors
    - Discontinuities, flow anomalies
- Related Work
  - Transient spatial outliers
  - Anomalous trajectories
  - Computational Structure: Spatial Join
    - Very scalable using spatial DBMS
- Next
  - (Dominant) Persistent anomalies
  - Multiple object types, Scale



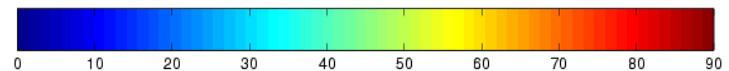
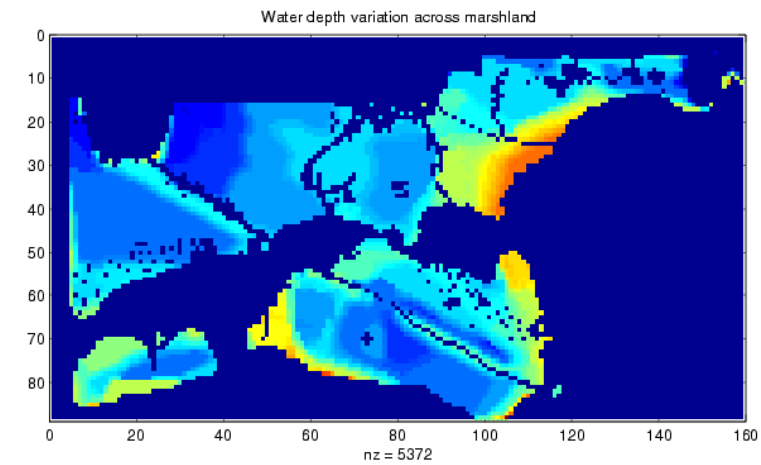
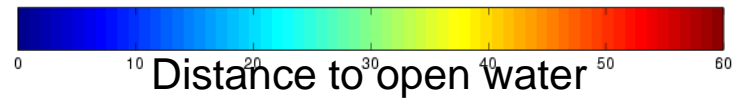
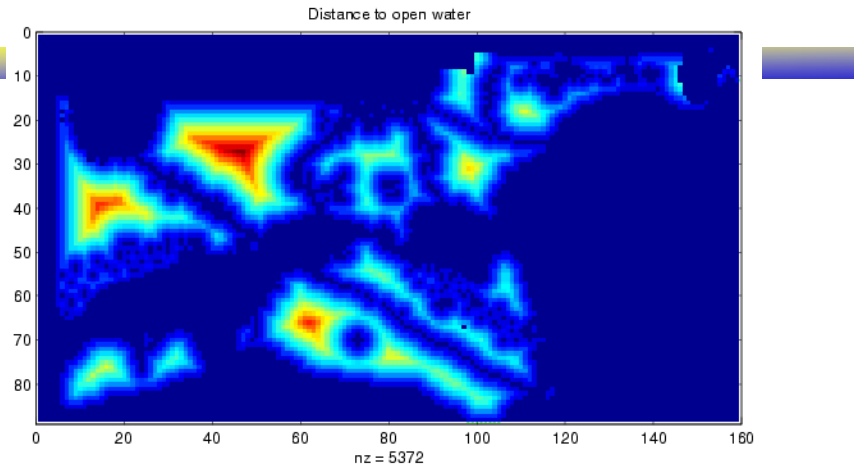
# Location Prediction – An Example



Nest locations



Vegetation durability



Water depth



# Implication of Auto-correlation

<i>Name</i>	<i>Model</i>	<i>Classification Accuracy</i>
Classical Linear Regression	$\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{x}\boldsymbol{\beta} + \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}$	Low
Spatial Auto-Regression	$\mathbf{y} = \rho \mathbf{W}\mathbf{y} + \mathbf{x}\boldsymbol{\beta} + \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}$	High

$\rho$  : the spatial auto - regression (auto - correlation) parameter

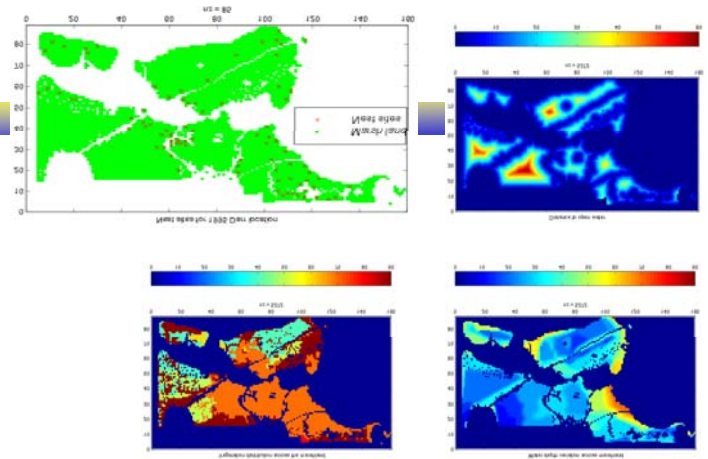
$\mathbf{W}$  :  $n$  - by -  $n$  neighborhood matrix over spatial framework

## Computational Challenge:

Computing determinant of a very large matrix  
in the Maximum Likelihood Function:

$$\ln(L) = \ln|\mathbf{I} - \rho\mathbf{W}| - \frac{n \ln(2\pi)}{2} - \frac{n \ln(\sigma^2)}{2} - SSE$$

# Space/Time Prediction



- What is it?
  - Models to predict location, time, path, ...
    - Nest sites, minerals, earthquakes, tornadoes, ...
- Related Work
  - Interpolation, e.g. Kriging
  - Heterogeneity, e.g. geo. weighted regression
  - Auto-correlation, e.g. spatial auto-regression
- Challenge: Independence assumption
  - Models, e.g. Decision trees, linear regression, ...
  - Measures, e.g. total square error, precision, recall
- Next
  - Spatio-temporal vector fields (e.g. flows, motion), physics
  - Scalable algorithms for parameter estimation
  - Distance based errors

$$\mathbf{y} = \rho \mathbf{W} \mathbf{y} + \mathbf{x} \boldsymbol{\beta} + \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}$$

$$\ln(L) = \ln|\mathbf{I} - \rho \mathbf{W}| - \frac{n \ln(2\pi)}{2} - \frac{n \ln(\sigma^2)}{2} - SSE$$

