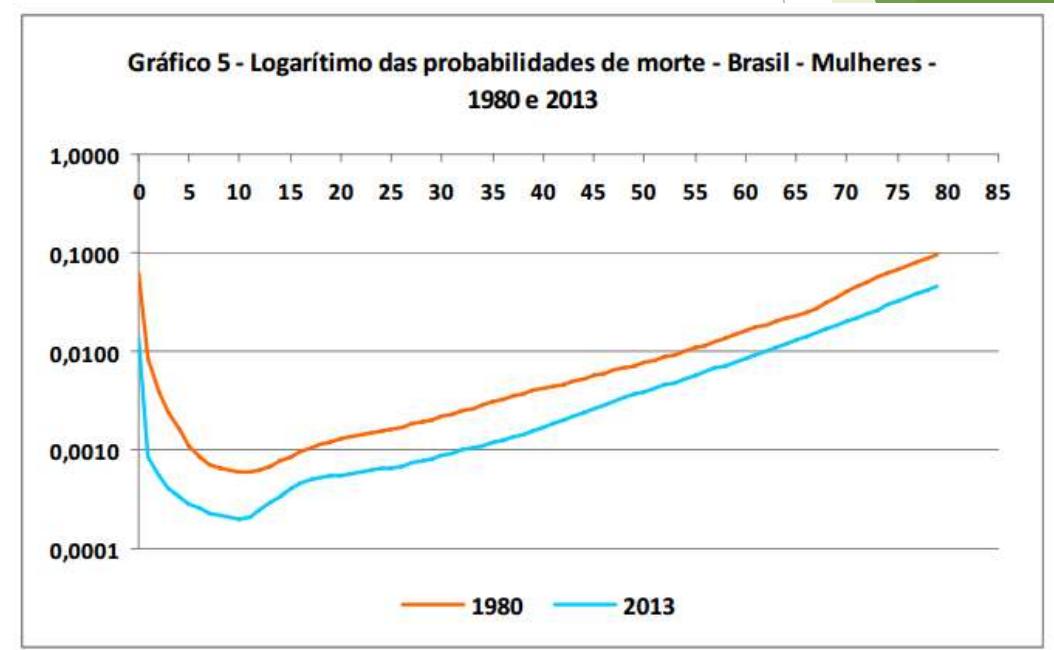
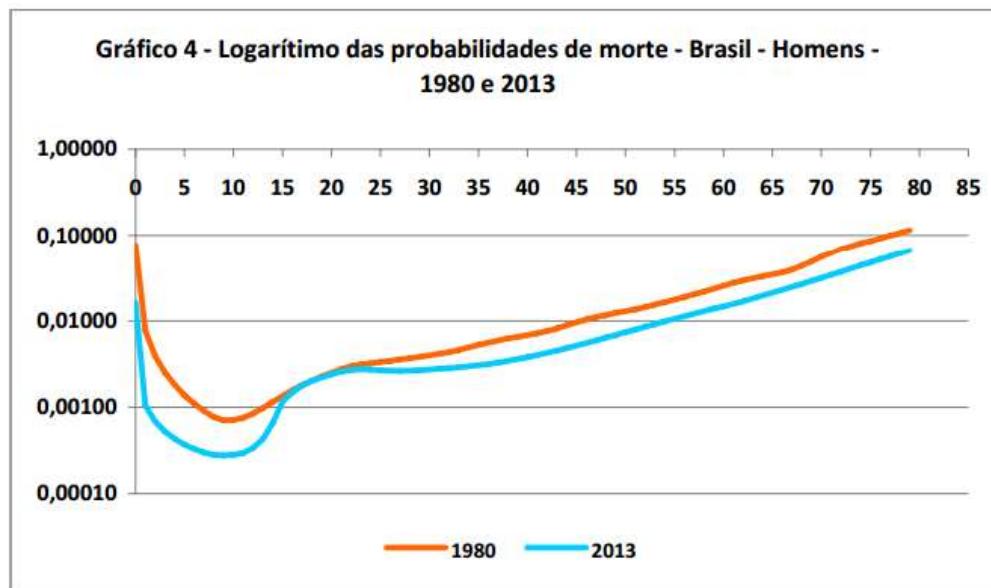


Spatial Error Regression Model of Life Expectancy in Brazil

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Introduction to Life Expectancy

- ▶ How long a member of a population can expect to live on average
- ▶ Brazilian Government legally obligated to give estimates every year based on 10 year census data
- ▶ Mean LE in 2010 = 73.089, SD = 2.68047
- ▶ Up from 62.71 years in 1980



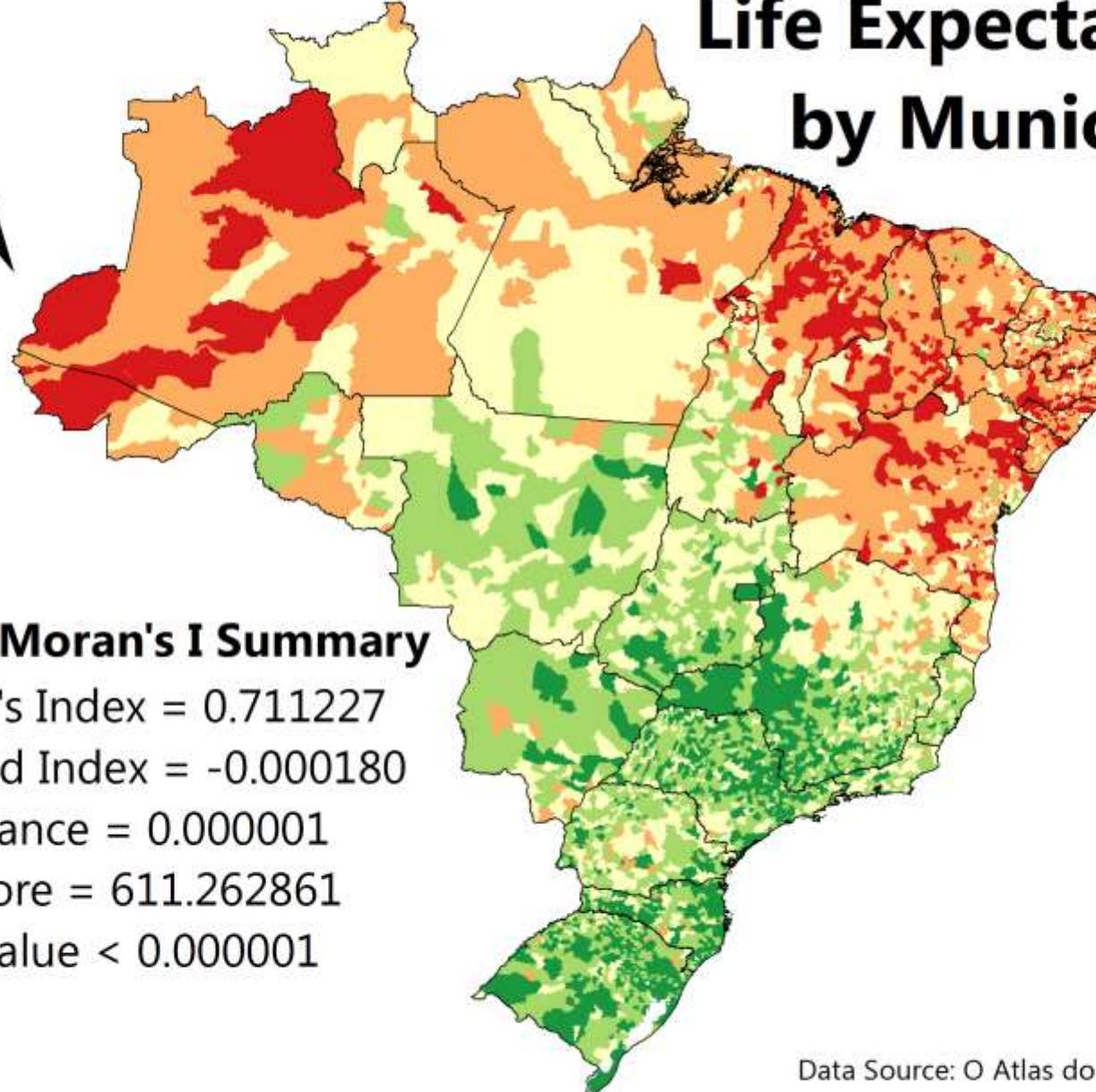
(IBGE, 2013)

Introduction to Municipalities of Brazil

- ▶ Microregions in Brazil
- ▶ N = 5570
- ▶ Census data from 2010 Available at Municipal Level

% de empregadores - 18 anos ou mais (1991)	IDHM (1991)	População residente feminina (2000)
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População total (1991)	IDHM Longevidade (1991)	% de 18 a 24 anos na escola (1991)
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População rural (1991)	IDHM Educação (1991)	Renda per capita (1991)
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População rural (2010)%	Razão de dependência (1991)	% de extremamente pobres (1991)
População urbana (1991)	Razão de dependência (2000)	% de extremamente pobres (2000)
População urbana (2000)	Razão de dependência (2010)	% de extremamente pobres (2010)
População urbana (2010)	População residente masculina (1991)	% de pobres (1991)
Mortalidade infantil (1991)	População residente masculina (2000)	% de pobres (2000)
Mortalidade infantil (2000)	População residente masculina (2010)	% de pobres (2010)
Mortalidade infantil (2010)	População residente feminina (1991)	% de vulneráveis à pobreza (1991)

N



Life Expectancy in Brazil by Municipality, 2010

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Global Moran's I Summary

Moran's Index = 0.711227

Expected Index = -0.000180

Variance = 0.000001

z-score = 611.262861

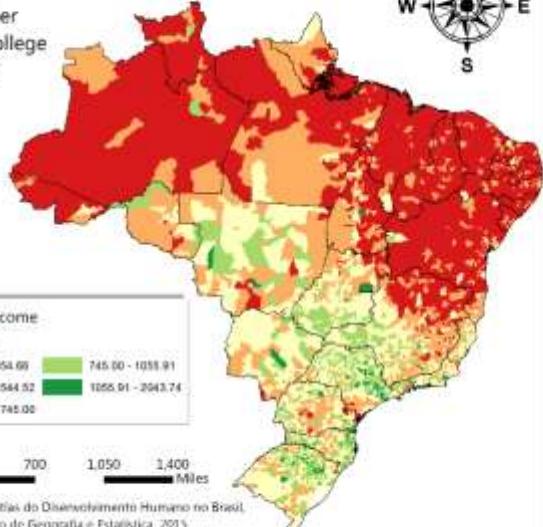
p-value < 0.000001

0 212.5 425 850 1,275 1,700 Miles

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Per Capita Income in Brazil by Municipality, 2010

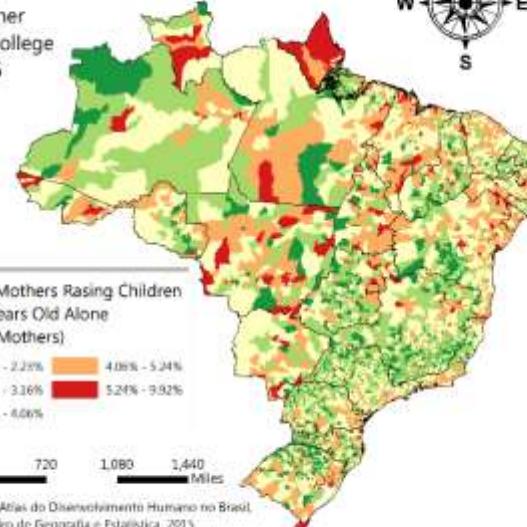
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Single Mothers in Brazil by Municipality, 2010

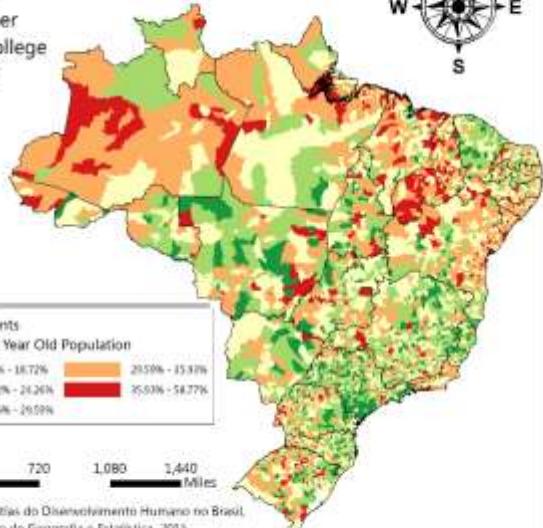
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18-24 Year Old Students in Brazil by Municipality, 2010

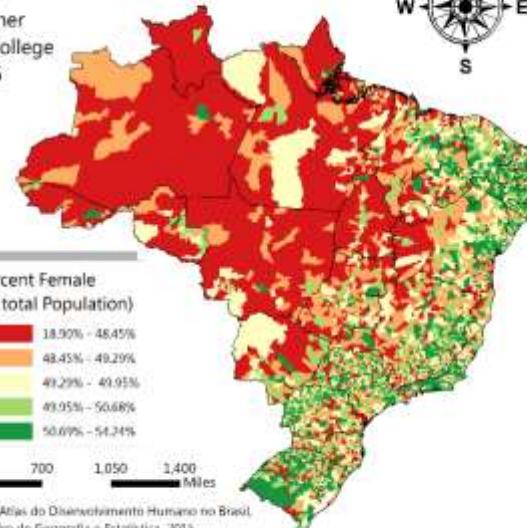
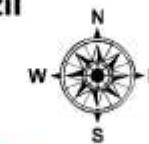
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Proportion of Women in Brazil by Municipality, 2010

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METHODS

OLS (Linear) Regression Model 1

Model Summary

Model	R	R Square	Adjusted R Square	Std. Error of the Estimate
1	.801 ^a	.641	.641	1.60678

a. Predictors: (Constant), Per Capita Monthly Salary 2010, Percent of 18-24 year-olds in School (2010), Proportion of female heads of household with children under 15, Proportion Female

ANOVA^a

Model		Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.
1	Regression	25629.766	4	6407.442	2481.839	^a .000 ^b
	Residual	14354.426				
	Total	39984.192				

a. Dependent Variable: Life Expectancy, 2010

b. Predictors: (Constant), Per Capita Monthly Salary 2010, Percent of 18-24 year-olds in School (2010), Proportion of female heads of household with children under 15, Proportion Female

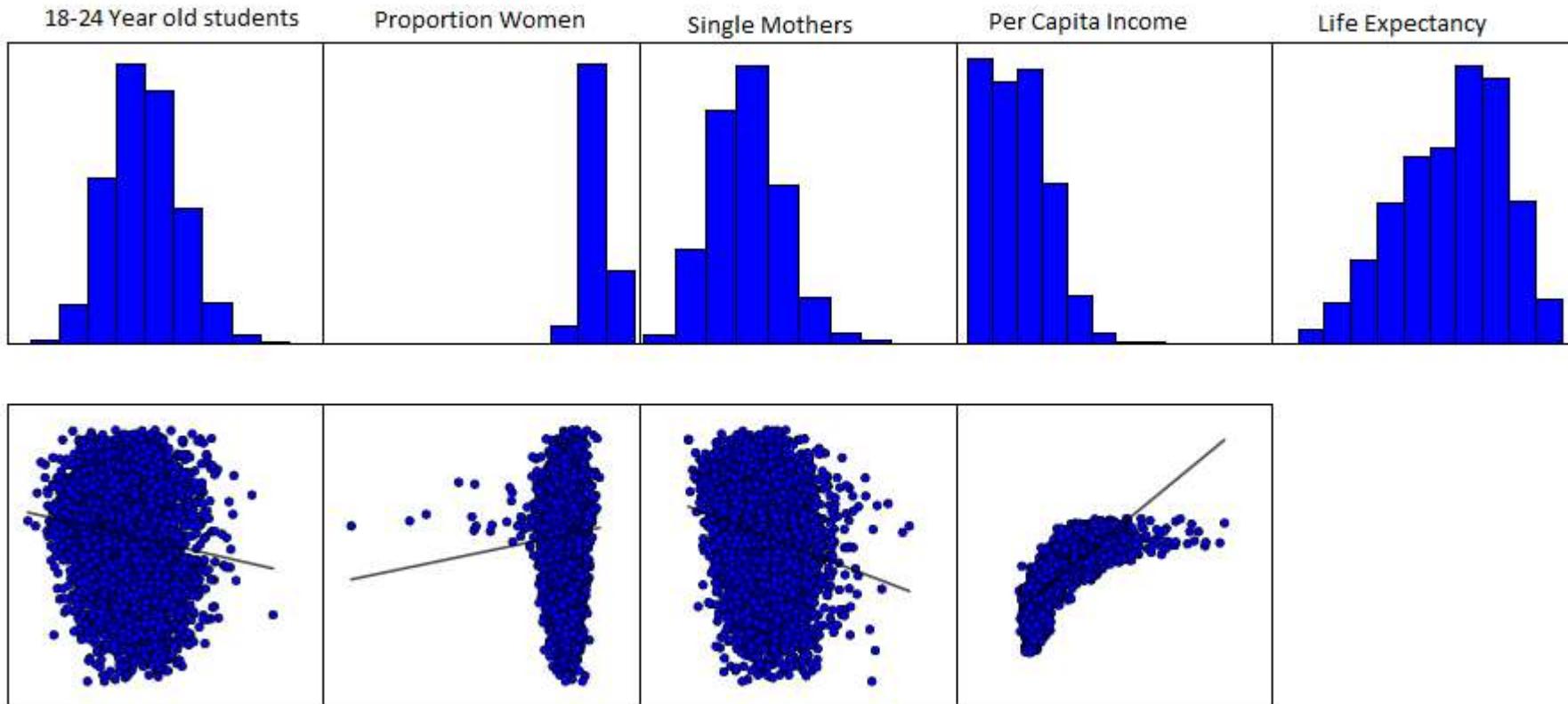
Coefficients^a

Model		Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients Beta	t	Sig.	Collinearity Statistics	
		B	Std. Error				Tolerance	VIF
1	(Constant)	75.035	.692		108.467	.000		
	Proportion Female	-9.060	1.461	-.053	-6.203	.000	.883	1.132
	Proportion of female heads of household with children under 15	-14.099	1.950	-.060	-7.229	.000	.941	1.063
	Percent of 18-24 year-olds in School (2010)	-.048	.003	-.121	-14.547	.000	.940	1.064
	Per Capita Monthly Salary 2010	.009	.000	.784	94.427	.000	.936	1.069

a. Dependent Variable: Life Expectancy, 2010

Problem

Variable Distributions and Relationships



So, Ran again using log(PCI)

Model Summary^b

Model	R	R Square	Adjusted R Square	Std. Error of the Estimate
1	.840 ^a	.705	.705	1.45681

a. Predictors: (Constant), LoggedPCI, Percent of 18-24 year-olds in School (2010), Proportion of female heads of household with children under 15, Proportion Female

b. Dependent Variable: Life Expectancy, 2010

ANOVA^a

Model		Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.
1	Regression	28184.304	4	7046.076	3320.047	.000 ^b
	Residual	11799.888	5560	2.122		
	Total	39984.192	5564			

a. Dependent Variable: Life Expectancy, 2010

b. Predictors: (Constant), LoggedPCI, Percent of 18-24 year-olds in School (2010), Proportion of female heads of household with children under 15, Proportion Female

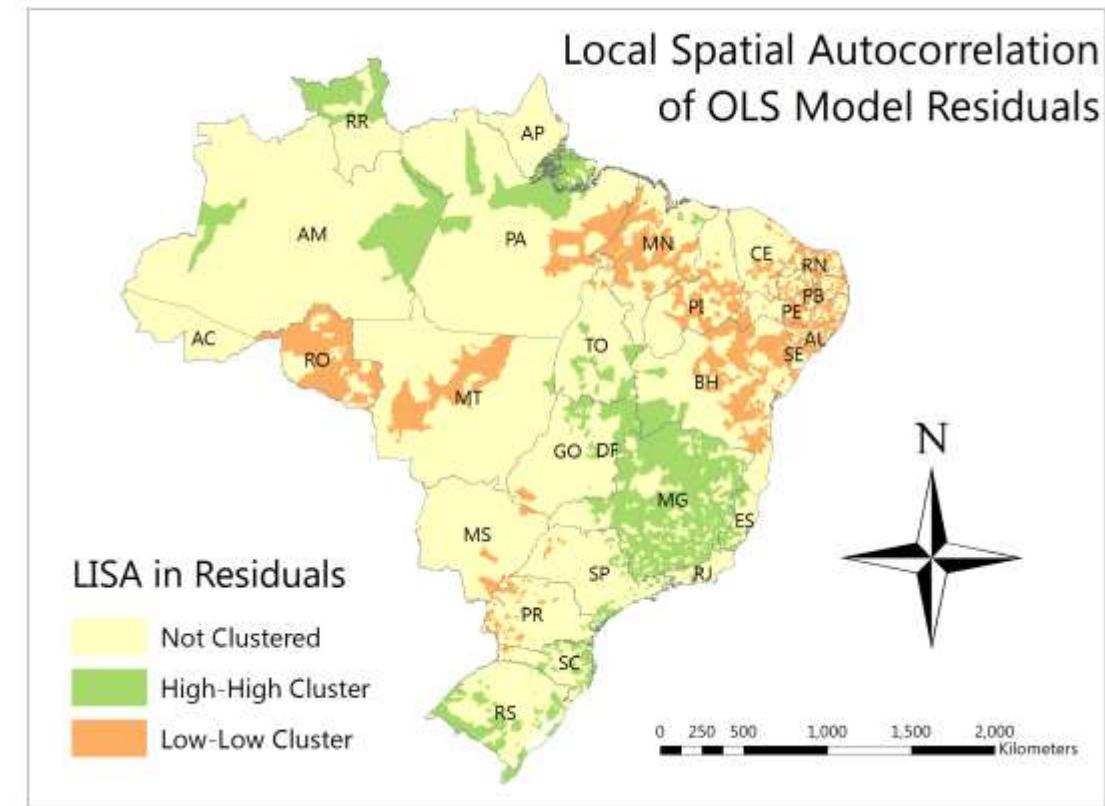
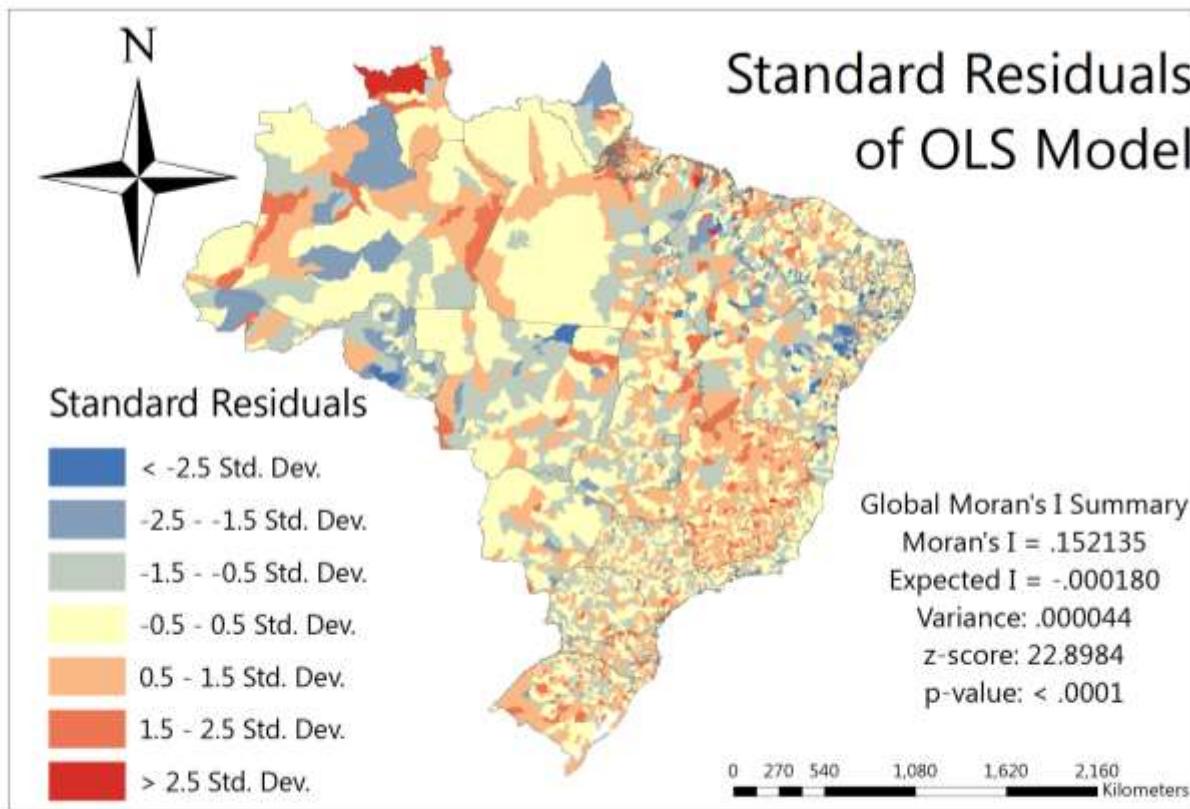
Coefficients^a

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients Beta	t	Sig.	Collinearity Statistics	
	B	Std. Error				Tolerance	VIF
1 (Constant)	51.767	.637		81.314	.000		
Proportion Female	-9.728	1.323	-.057	-7.355	.000	.886	1.129
Proportion of female heads of household with children under 15	-10.355	1.772	-.044	-5.845	.000	.938	1.067
Percent of 18-24 year-olds in School (2010)	-.018	.003	-.046	-6.131	.000	.927	1.079
LoggedPCI	4.436	.040	.831	109.775	.000	.927	1.078

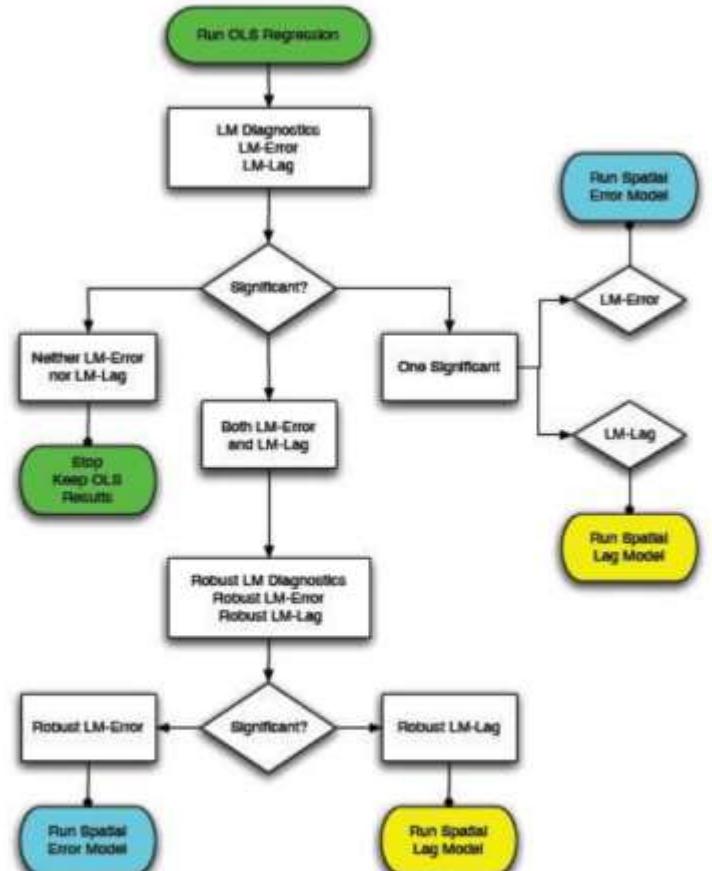
a. Dependent Variable: Life Expectancy, 2010

$$\text{Life Expectancy} = 51.767 + \text{proportion female} (-9.728) + \text{proportion single moms} (-10.355) + \text{percent 18-24 in school} (-.018) + \ln(\text{PCI})(4.436)$$

Spatial Autocorrelation in OLS Model



Can we improve the model with Geographically Weighted/Spatial Lag/Error Models? Which to use?



- **Geographically Weighted Model** - constructs a separate equation for every feature in the dataset incorporating the dependent and explanatory variables of features falling within the bandwidth of each target feature
- **Spatial lag model:** y_i influences y_j - or life expectancy in Jasper County influences Powesheik County. Also, Tobler's 1st law.
- **Spatial error model:** “observations are related due to unmeasured factors that, for some unknown reason, are correlated across the distances among the observations.” (Ward & Gleditsch, 2007)
 - In other words, the model is missing something like SUS coverage, dengue/yellow fever/malaria or other health factors that vary regionally

Figure 23.24: Spatial regression decision process.

(Findings) Final Model: Spatial Error Model

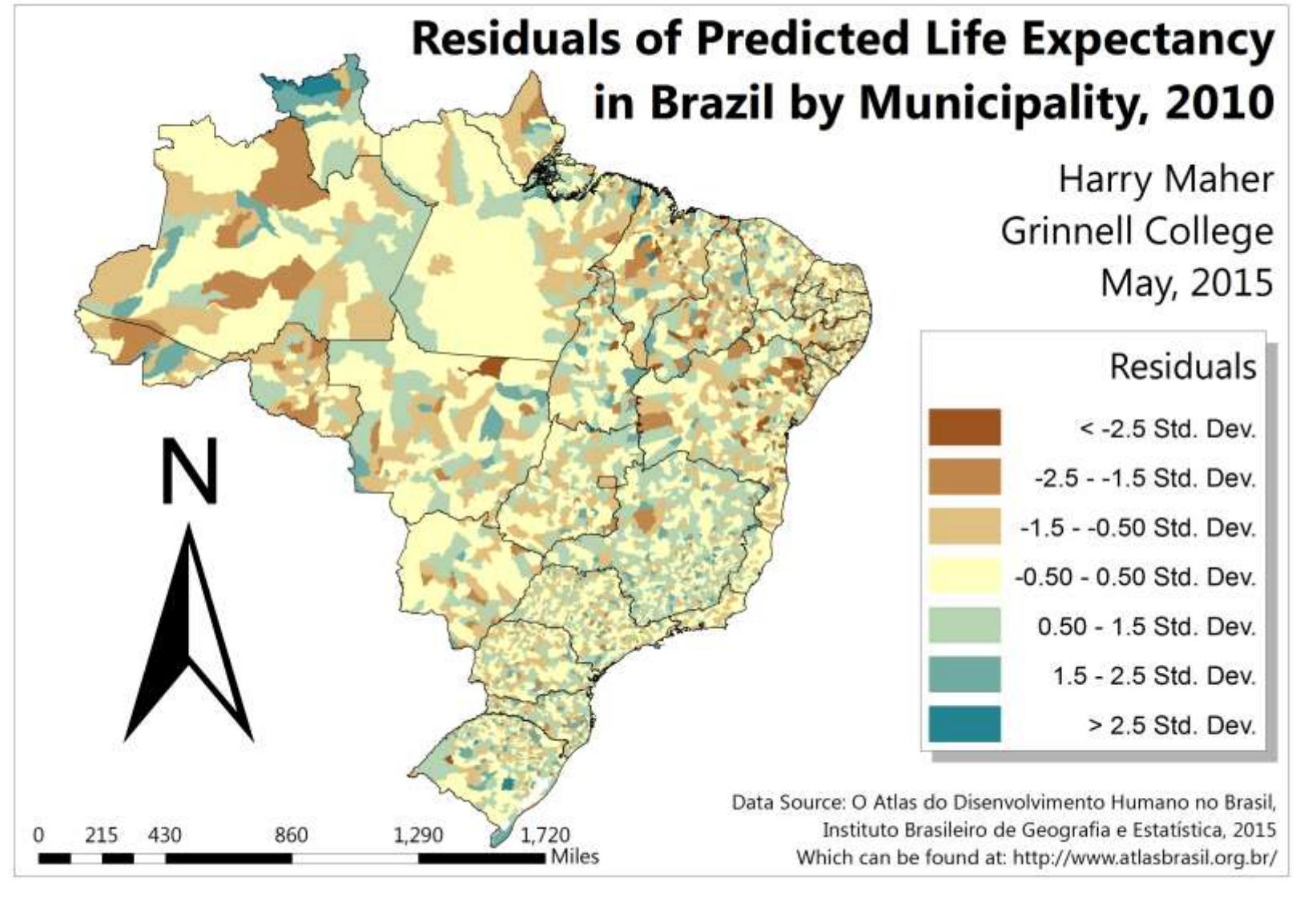
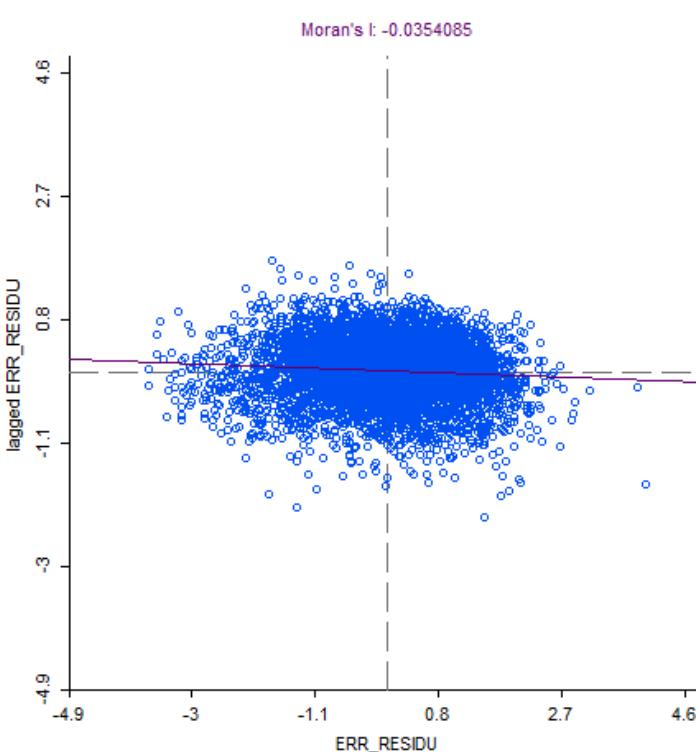
$$R^2 = 0.747292$$

Variable	Coefficient	Std.Error	z-value	Probability
CONSTANT:	52.90804	0.6796764	77.84299	0.0000000
18-24 Year Old Students:	-0.006463592	0.003146995	-2.053893	0.0399859
Proportion Female:	-6.311388	1.450869	-4.350074	0.0000136
Single Mothers:	-4.838864	1.814225	-2.667179	0.0076492
Log(PCI):	3.885839	0.05873287	66.16123	0.0000000
LAMBDA:	0.4838049	0.01642824	29.44958	0.0000000

Findings

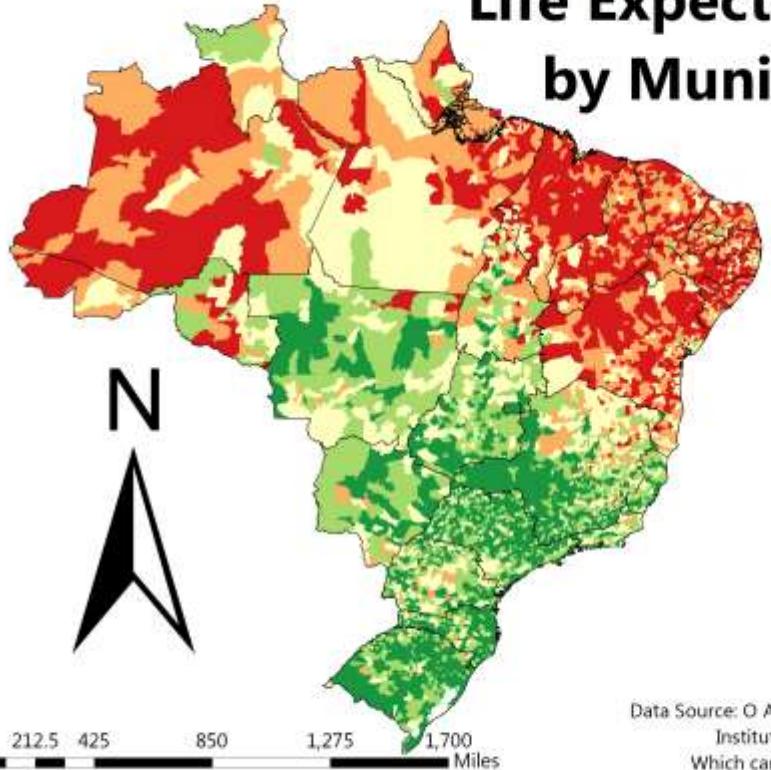
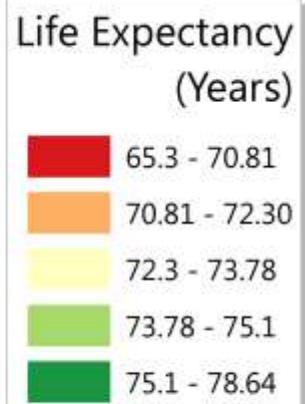
Final Model:

Moran's I = -.0354



Life Expectancy in Brazil by Municipality, 2010

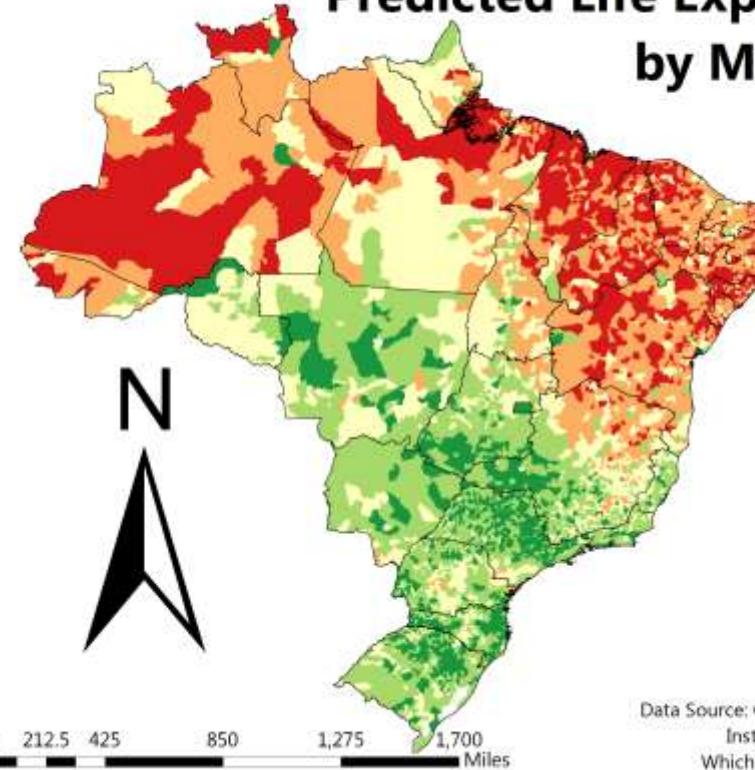
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Predicted Life Expectancy in Brazil by Municipality, 2010

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Discussion & Conclusions

- ▶ The model was good without SE model also
 - ▶ PCI - Significantly correlates with health outcomes (Lynch & Kaplan, 1998).
 - ▶ Single mothers - Children at increased risk of accidental injury & asthma (Dawson, 1991)
 - ▶ Women live longer, so where there are more of them, there is increased L.E. - Although within the model this seems to be interacting with other variables to reduce life expectancy. (IBGE, 2013)
 - ▶ Students aged 18-24 - Unclear if we're looking at university towns
- ▶ Potential spatial variables should be put in the model to improve it to make up for this spatial error
 - ▶ Looking at SUS (Public Healthcare) coverage
 - Minas Gerais was earliest to start predecessor programs, is established (Brant, 2004).
 - Rondônia historically and currently underserved (Matos, 2007; O Globo, 2015)
 - ▶ Dengue, Yellow Fever, Malaria - Can these be another geographic variable (I found Dengue, but that alone was not significant)
- ▶ S.E. model improved the model to $R^2 = 0.7473$ from .705

Government Propaganda (“Health Map”)

- ▶ Left: “This is a cool health map. There are a lot of health centers to care for people. And how does it compare to other countries?”
- ▶ Right: “I don’t know, but my teacher says that the Brazilian system is one of the few that recognizes health as a right for any person”



Dengue in Brazil Over Time

- ▶ Finding the data took forever, but didn't help model.
 - ▶ So I made a visualization of Dengue rates over time, but I couldn't save it, so here's a bunch of screenshots: <\\storage\gis\sst295\maherhar\project\Pictures-2015-05-06\Pictures>
- ▶ Method:
 - ▶ Coordinates of dengue municipalities w/
 - ▶ Estimated population w/ 2000-2010 population data to get a rate of dengue/person
 - ▶ Changed coordinates to equal area projected coordinate system
 - ▶ Transformed coordinates so they would have same impact scale as years across 8 years

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