Spatial assignment of test sample

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Input

Website Identifier:

Isotope values of test sample

Table 1: Isotope values of test sample

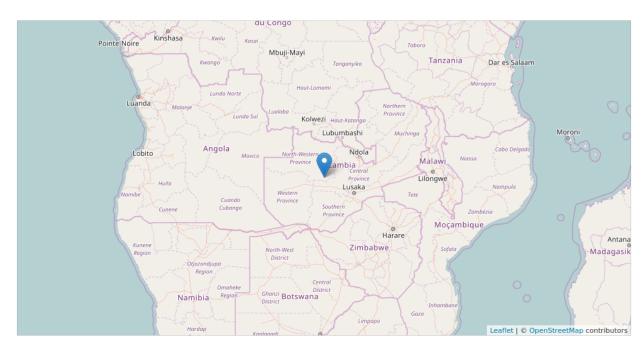
$\overline{13\mathrm{C}/12\mathrm{C}}$	15N/14N	18O/16O	$2\mathrm{H}/1\mathrm{H}$	34S/32S
-24.9	8.8	18.9	-44.9	10.3

Output

Model

```
##
## Call:
## train.kknn(formula = fmla, data = ivory.train, kmax = 15, distance = 2, kernel = knl)
##
## Type of response variable: nominal
## Minimal misclassification: 0.3765867
## Best kernel: triangular
## Best k: 15
Classifier: country_code
```

Map of best fitted reference sample



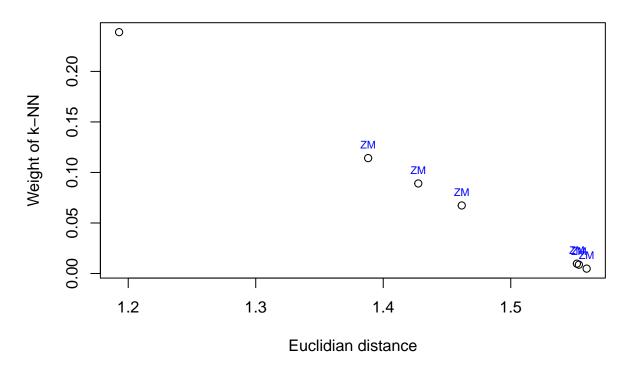
Best fitted reference sample:

• Site: Southern Zambia

• Country: ZM

Region: Southern Africa
CITES: Appendix I
Lat: -14.377122
Lon: 26.211615

Assignment of test sample to nearest neighbours



Best fitted reference entries

Table 2: Details of best fitted reference entry (row 1) and other fitted entries within best classifier

lon	lat	location	$13\mathrm{C}/12\mathrm{C}$	$15\mathrm{N}/14\mathrm{N}$	18O/16O	$2\mathrm{H}/1\mathrm{H}$	34S/32S
26.21	-14.38	Southern Zambia	-23.0	7.9	18.2	-43.4	9.2
26.01	-15.84	Southern Zambia	-22.4	8.0	18.5	-46.3	10.8
32.06	-11.38	Southern Zambia	-22.6	8.7	19.0	-37.8	8.9
26.49	-12.20	Southern Zambia	-22.8	8.2	18.0	-36.8	9.3
31.57	-12.28	Southern Zambia	-22.1	8.8	18.8	-39.2	10.6
25.96	-15.92	Southern Zambia	-22.1	8.4	19.3	-49.4	11.0
32.46	-11.08	Southern Zambia	-22.1	8.1	18.3	-42.0	9.7

Country of prediction: ZM

Testing robustness of assignment: Wilcoxon signed rank test

If p-value > 0.05, the test concludes that the isotope signature of the test sample is similar to the respective nearest neighbour reference sample.

P-values for the k nearest neighbours in Wilcoxon Test

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Goodness of fit of test sample:

- good fit: if p > 0.05 for at least two tested nearest neighbour reference samples;
- moderate fit: if p > 0.05 for at least one tested nearest neighbour reference samples;
- uncertain: if p > 0.05 for none of the tested nearest neighbour reference samples.

Assumption: At least two nearest reference samples are available.

Overall goodness of fit of test sample: "uncertain"