# Viticulture in a changing Scandinavia

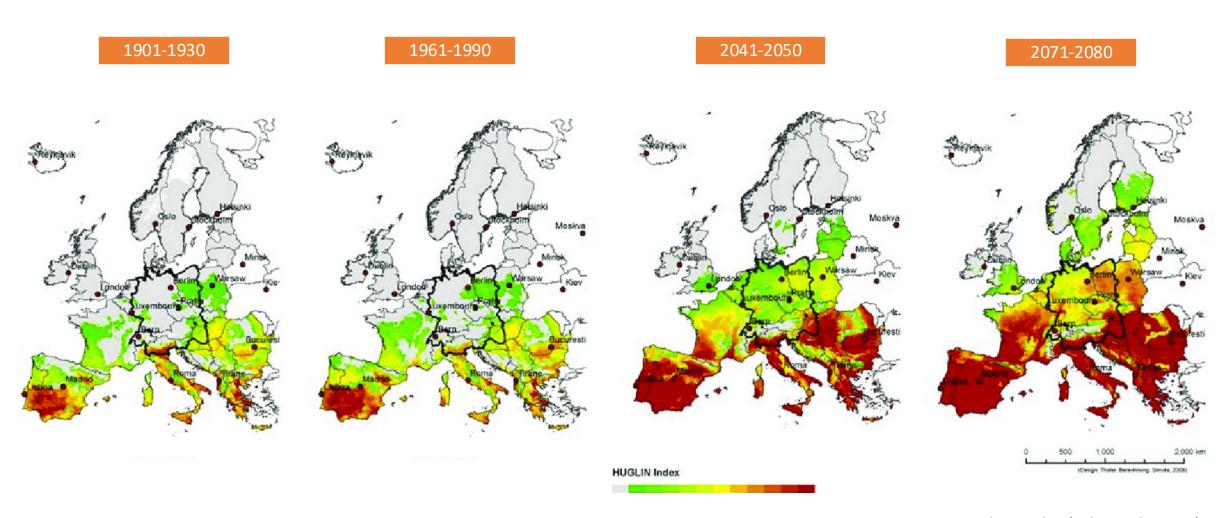
A Case study of Odsherred

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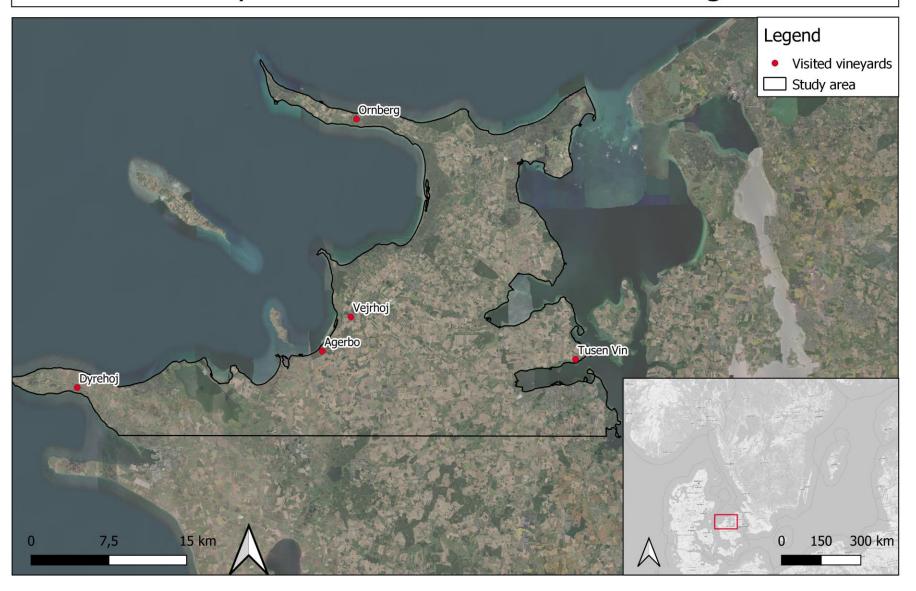
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#### "The idea of making wine in Denmark sounded absurd"



#### Study Area Odsherred and Surroundings



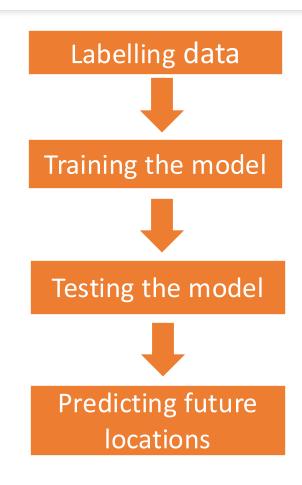
## Research questions

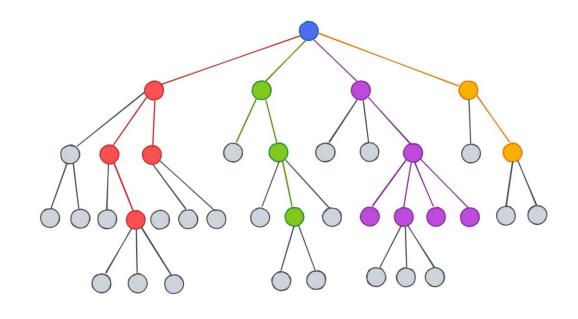
- Why are vineyards where they are and what are the influencing factors?
- Where are possible future locations for vineyards?
- What is the role of climate change?



- Understanding the current situation
- New industry & future outlook

# Methodology: GIS & Machine Learning





## Methodology: Variables in model

General variable	Subdivision	
Soil	Fine Sand	
	Coarse Sand	
	Silt	
	Clay	
	Humus	
	Carbon	
Sun	Sun hours	
	Total insolation	
Wind	Wind exposure	
Distance to sea	Eastern coastline	
	Western coastline	
	Northern coastline	
Land use	Agriculture	

## Methodology: Interviews

#### Interviews with 5 vineyard owners

- Why these locations?
- Relevant physical factors?
- Future plans?
- Climate change?



### Owners' motivations

#### "It started for fun, now it is a reality"

Owner	Why?	When?	Output?	Grape?
Vineyard 1	As a hobby	2012	1,200 bottles	Solaris, Cabernet Cantor
Vineyard 2	As a hobby	2009	20,000 bottles	Solaris, Muscaris, Fukaris
Vineyard 3	Professional Already farmer	2008	35,000 (+ 15,000) bottles	Solaris, Sauvignet Gris, Muscaris
Vineyard 4	Professional Already farmer	2007	15,000 bottles	Solaris, Sauvignon Blanc, Fenix
Vineyard 5	Professional Passion for fermentation	2020	(15,000 bottles) Prediction for next year	Solaris, Muscaris, Cabernet Cantor, Sauvigner Gris

## Results: Input experts

- Different reasons:
  - Leisure
  - Economic
- Microclimate is the most important factor:
  - Distance to the sea
  - Sun
  - Wind
- Less important than thought:
  - Soil
  - Slope



## Results: Random Forest Algorithm

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Accuracy: 0.99
Confusion Matrix:
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Classification Report:
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    accuracy
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   macro avg
weighted avg
                   1.00
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Number of zeros: 1777406

Number of ones: 285

#### Possible locations for vineyards in Odsherred and surroundings



#### Example of the prediction of the Random Forest Model



#### Conclusion

- Why are vineyards where they are and what are the influencing factors?
  - Physical factors: microclimate
  - Motivation: economic or leisure
- Where are possible future locations for vineyards?
  - Close to the sea
- What is the role of climate change?
  - Resilient hybrid vines + warmer climate
  - Positive outlook but not on extremes

## Take home message

- Selected variables were good but not sufficient
  - Is microclimate even modellable?
- Spatial resolution could be finer
- Leave certain regions out of the analysis
- Are vineyards desirable?
- Wine is complex



# Thank you/ Tak









