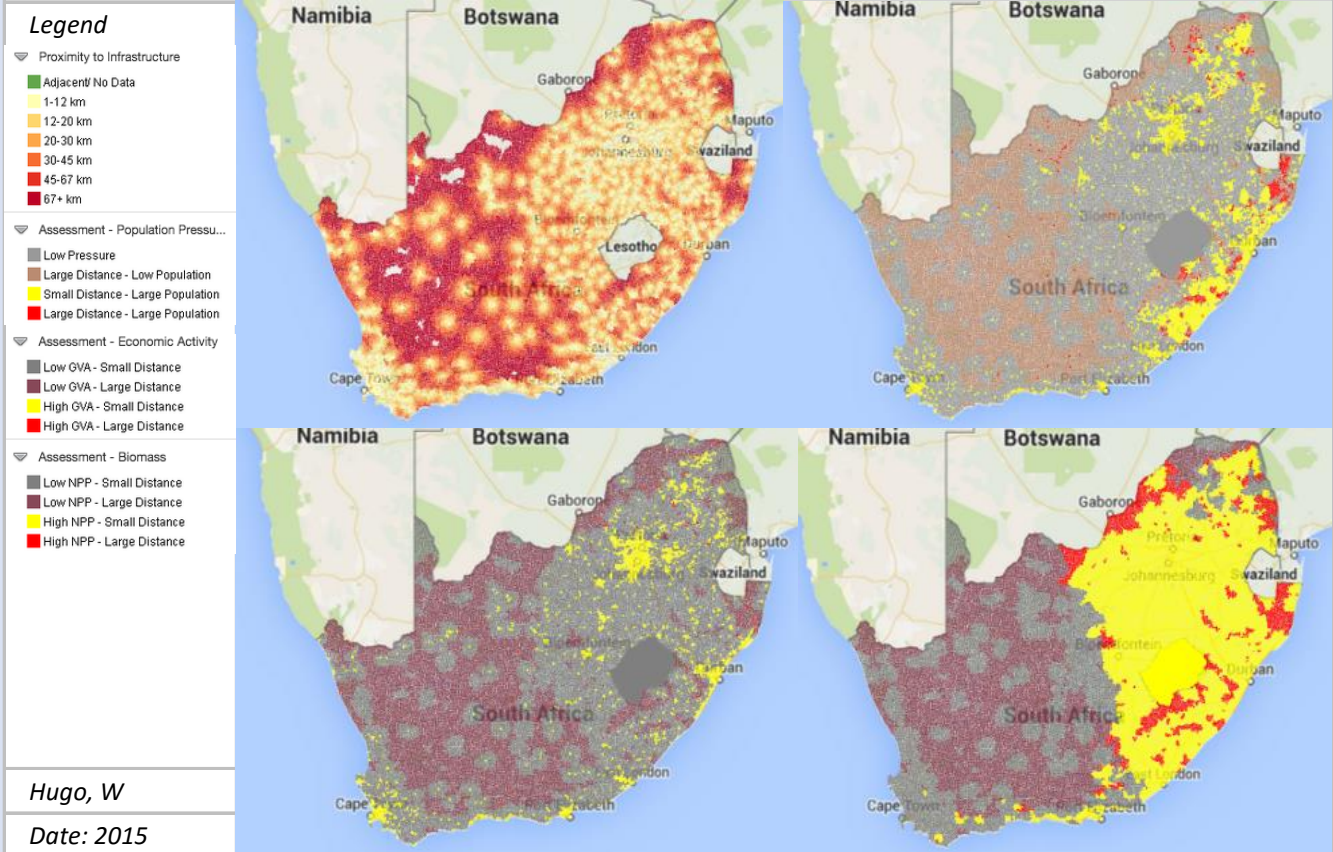


***Proximity to Infrastructure***



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<b>Abstract</b>	<p>SAEON calculated a series of pressure maps to relate population, economic activity and biomass potential to the distribution of current and planned infrastructure. The infrastructure that was considered included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Operational and decommissioned power stations;</li> <li>* Planned new energy infrastructure, based in NERSA permits;</li> <li>* Eskom planned and current transmission, distribution, and substation infrastructure;</li> <li>* Agriculture infrastructure - silos;</li> <li>* Sawmills and sugar mills;</li> <li>* Waste water treatment works and solid waste disposal sites.</li> </ul> <p>In each case, an assessment was made on the basis of four categories (below or over median):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Close to infrastructure, and high density of population, economic activity, or biomass potential (possibly problematic);</li> <li>2. Not close to infrastructure, and high density of population, economic activity, or biomass potential (problematic);</li> <li>3. Close to infrastructure, and low density of population, economic activity, or biomass potential (not problematic);</li> <li>4. Not close to infrastructure, and low density of population, economic activity, or biomass potential</li> </ol>
<b>Keywords</b>	infrastructure, pressure, population, economic activity, biomass potential
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#### Methodology/ Protocol

Processing/ Provenance	As described above
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#### Important Attributes

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CLASS_P	Categorisation - Population Proximity to Infrastructure (Census 2011)
CLASS_E	Categorisation - Economic Activity Proximity to Infrastructure (GAP 2007 GVA)
CLASS_B	Categorisation - Biomass Proximity to Infrastructure (Net Primary Productivity, 2007)

#### References and Sources

[1]	Hugo, W (2015) "Infrastructure and Accessibility", In: Hugo W. (Ed). 2015. South African BioEnergy Atlas. DST, Pretoria, RSA, Section WP01
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