

# Application of Geographically Weighted Regression for Vulnerable Area Mapping of Leptospirosis in Bantul District

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**Abstract** Geographically Weighted Regression (GWR) is regression model that developed for data modeling with continuous respond variable and considering the spatial or location aspect. Leptospirosis case happened in some regions in Indonesia, including in Bantul District, Special Region of Yogyakarta. The purpose of this study are to determine local and global variable in making vulnerable area model of Leptospirosis disease, determine the best type of weighting function and make vulnerable area map of Leptospirosis. Alos satellite imagery as primary data to get settlement and paddy fields area. The others variable are the percentage of population's age, flood risk, and the number of health facility that obtained from secondary data. Determinant variables that affect locally are flood risk, health facility, percentage of age 25-50 years old and the percentage of settlement area. Meanwhile, independent variable that affects globally is the percentage of paddy fields area. Vulnerability map of Leptospirosis disease resulted from the best GWR model which used weighting function Fixed Bisquare. There are 3 vulnerable area of Leptospirosis disease, high vulnerability area located in the middle of Bantul District, meanwhile the medium and low vulnerability area showed clustered pattern in the side of Bantul District.

**Keywords:** Geographically Weighted Regression, Leptospirosis, Vulnerability

**Abstrak** *Geographically Weighted Regression (GWR) adalah model regresi yang dikembangkan untuk memodelkan data dengan variabel respon yang bersifat kontinu dan mempertimbangkan aspek spasial atau lokasi. Kejadian Leptospirosis terjadi di beberapa wilayah di Indonesia termasuk di wilayah Kabupaten Bantul Daerah Istimewa Yogyakarta. Tujuan dari penelitian ini adalah menentukan variabel lokal dan global dalam membuat model kerentanan Leptospirosis dan menentukan jenis fungsi pembobot yang terbaik serta membuat peta kerentanan wilayah Leptospirosis menggunakan aplikasi GWR. Citra Satelit Alos digunakan untuk mendapatkan data penggunaan lahan, yang selanjutnya diturunkan menjadi prosentase luas permukiman dan sawah. Parameter lainnya adalah prosentase umur penduduk, resiko banjir dan jumlah fasilitas kesehatan yang diperoleh dari data sekunder. Variabel yang berpengaruh secara lokal adalah Risiko Banjir, Fasilitas Kesehatan Presentase Usia 25-50 tahun, Prosentase Luas Pemukiman, sedangkan variabel independen yang berpengaruh secara global adalah Presentase Luas Sawah. Peta kerentanan Leptospirosis yang dihasilkan dari model GWR terbaik yaitu menggunakan fungsi pembobot Fixed Bisquare. Terdapat 3 kelas kerentanan Leptospirosis yaitu kelas kerentanan tinggi berada di desa-desa di tengah Kabupaten Bantul, sedangkan kelas sedang dan rendah menunjukkan pola mengelompok di wilayah pinggiran Kabupaten Bantul*

**Kata kunci :** *Geographically Weighted Regression, Leptospirosis, Kerentanan*

## 1. Introduction

*Geographically Weighted Regression (GWR)* is regression model that developed for data modeling with continuous respond variable and considering the spatial or location aspect. Spatial data have geographical reference (geographic coordinate). Linear regression method is not suitable for spatial

data modeling because it ignores the location aspect. One of the methods for spatial data modeling is GWR. GWR model is developed from global regression model based on non-parametric regression. Estimation parameter of GWR model used *Least Square* that given coordinates of location as weighting factor [Yoeniarti, 2008]. The use of GWR is needed for spatial modeling, one of them is a modeling that related to environmental health.

Mapping in health field is growing along with many disease that spreading in society and determined by environmental factors. Vulnerability

mapping is done to obtain spatial overview of area that potentially affect based on its environment condition. Disease epidemiologically determined by 3 primary factors, they are *agent* factor of disease which related to the cause including the number, virulence, and pathogenicity of *leptospira* bacterium. Second factor is the factors that related to *host* factor [the patient] include in it are individual hygiene, nutritional status, age and education level. Third factor is environment, including physical, biological, social-economy and cultural environment.

Leptospirosis case many occurred in Tropic area. Leptospirosis also left some public health problem on several continents as Asia, East and South Europe, Australia and New Zealand. Report from USA said that the number of patients or Leptospirosis case to human is 50-150 person/ year. In Indonesia, Leptospirosis case spread in West Java, Central Java, Special region of Yogyakarta, Lampung, South Sumatera, Bengkulu, Riau, West Sumatera, North Sumatera, Bali, NTB, South Sulawesi, North Sulawesi, East Kalimantan and West Kalimantan [Widarso in Priyanto, 2008]. This epidemic disease within a few years had infected residents in Bantul District, from 2009 to 2014 there are already ± 468 case (Highest rate located in Bantul, Imogiri, Jetis and Sedayu districts). Based on this fact, vulnerable area mapping of Leptospirosis disease is needed to determine handling and prevention priority areas.

*Geographically Weighted Regression* (GWR) first introduced by Fotheringham in 1967. GWR model is development of classic linear regression or Ordinary Linear Regression (OLR). GWR model is regression model that developed for data modeling with continuous respond variable and considering the spatial aspect. Model of GWR is as follows :

$$Y_i = \beta_0[u_i, v_i] + \sum_{j=1}^k \beta_j[u_i, v_i] x_{ij} + \varepsilon_i \dots\dots\dots [1]$$

- $Y_i$  : respond variable value in the i-th observation location
- $X_{ij}$  : predictor variable value k-th in the i-th observation location
- $u_i, v_i$  : coordinate of the point in the i-th observation location [longitude, latitude]
- $\beta_0[u_i, v_i]$  : constants/ GWR intercept
- $\beta_j[u_i, v_i]$  : regression coefficient j-th in the i-th observation location

$\varepsilon_i$  : error in the i-th observation location which assumed independent, identical and in normal distribution with average value 0 and variance  $\sigma^2$  [Fotheringham, 2002].

*Geographically Weighted Regression* (GWR) is one of methods that effective enough to estimate data which have spatial heterogeneity [Fotheringham, 2002]. Basic idea of GWR is that parameter can be calculated anywhere in study area with dependent variable and one or more independent variable that measured in some places whose location are known [Fotheringham, 2002]. Based on dependent variable distribution, GWR consist of 3 types, they are gaussian model, poisson model, and logistic model. Gaussian model is used if the dependent variable are continuous data. Poisson model or usually called with *Geographically Weighted Poisson Regression* (GWPR) is used if the dependent variable consist of number with positive integer value. Meanwhile, logistic model or usually called with *Geographically Weighted Logistic Regression* (GWLRL) is used if the dependent variable are categorical scale data, nominal or ordinal.

Leptospirosis is a disease which can be transmitted from animal to human. It is caused by aerob bacterium *leptospira* (group of *spirochaeta*) in spiral form and move actively. Leptospirosis is acute infectious disease that affects human and animal which is caused by *leptospira pathogen* bacterium and classified as *zoonosis*. *Leptospira.sp* bacterium can live within animal body such as rat, pig, and dog. In the rat's body, this bacterium live within its kidney and exit through its urine. Rat urine can be everywhere and carried away by rain, river, flood and also can be found in trashes [Riyaningsih, et al., 2010]. *Leptospira* bacterium can enter into human's body through some medias, such as :

- a. Can enter into the eyes through splashes of water that already contaminated by *Leptospira* bacterium or contacted with rat urine.
- b. Can enter into human's body through food or beverages that already contaminated by rat urine or water with *Leptospira* bacterium.
- c. Can enter into human's body through skin that opened because of scar or blister which contacted with water that already contaminated by *Leptospira* bacterium.

Based on research done by Priyanto [2008], risk factors that had proven gave effect on Leptospirosis case are : bad gutter condition, existance of trash in the house, existance of rats in or surrond the house, habbit of not wearing any footwear, habbit of take a bath/wash in the river, health-risked job and there is no counseling about Leptospirosis.

ALOS is the biggest satellite which developed and launched by JAXA's Tanegashima Space Center Japan in Januari, 24<sup>th</sup> 2006 using H-IIA rocket. It is designed to operate for 3-5 years, while carry 3 sensor, they are *Panchromatic Remote Sensing Instrument for Stereo Mapping* (PRISM) with 2,5 meter spatial resolution, *Advanced Visible and Near Infrared Radiometer type-2* (AVNIR-2) with 10 meter spatial resolution and *Phased Array type L-band Synthetic Aperture Radar* (PALSAR) with 10 meter and 100 meter spatial resolution. Re-visiting period of ALOS satellite is 46 days, but for disaster monitoring or emergency situation, ALOS can observe in 2 days [NSDA, 2009].

Development of remote sensing technology also balanced by Geographic Information System (GIS) development. GIS can be used for public health program and epidemiological data such as health facility mapping (public health office, hospital, puskesmas, pustu and polindes), distribution of Leptospirosis case and endemic area mapping. This information will be useful for disease spreading risk mapping, identify pattern and distribution of disease, also estimate the spread and countermeasures of disease. One of the purposes from this disease mapping are :

- a. Describe distribution of the disease geographically
- b. Identify area with high disease risk so it can be used as basic act of disease transmission prevention.
- c. The right regional resource management for increasing health status in some region.

Vulnerability is a condition where some community or society that lead or cause inability to facing the danger. Vulnerability is a condition which can decrease public ability to prepare and face the danger ; general condition including physical, social-economy, political and cultural factors which potentially cause a group of society more easily affected by disaster, or hamper public ability to do some acts toward disaster.

This study aims to (1) determine local and global variable in making vulnerable area model of

Leptospirosis disease and determine type of the best weighting function. (2) Mapping vulnerability area of Leptospirosis in Bantul District.

## 2. The Methods

This study use ALOS satellite imagery for obtain land use data. Land use data then formulated to percentage of settlement and paddy fields area in each village. Another data needed for this study are population's age, number of health facility, and flood risk. Leptospirosis case data in each village which obtained from Public Health Office of Bantul District are used as dependent variable, meanwhile the percentage of settlement and paddy fields area in each village, population's age, number of health facility, and flood risk are used as independent variables.

Tools used in this study are a set of PC/AT P-4 3200 MHz computer, 2 MB RAM, 80 GB HD, high resolution colored-monitor 17' for data processing dan report writing. GWR 4 software used for data processing with *Geographically Weighted Regression* method, and also Arc GIS 10.2 software for make the map. With the help of GIS data analysis process can be done digitally in faster and better ways with relatively greater data storage capacity compared to manual data [Harini, et al., 2015]. Printer used for imagery and thematic maps printing, and field-survey equipments (GPS and camera).

Steps of analysis in this study are: (1) Testing GWR model assumptions; (2) Assessment of the effect of spatial; (3) Calculate the Euclidean distance between point locations; (4) Determine the optimum bandwidth; (5) Calculated by entering the weighting matrix of Euclidean distances and optimum bandwidth; (6) Estimation of parameters using WLS; (7) Testing of the model parameters simultaneously and partially GWR; (8) Testing suitability GWR models using the coefficient of determination. Figure 1.1. shows the steps of modeling in software GWR 4.

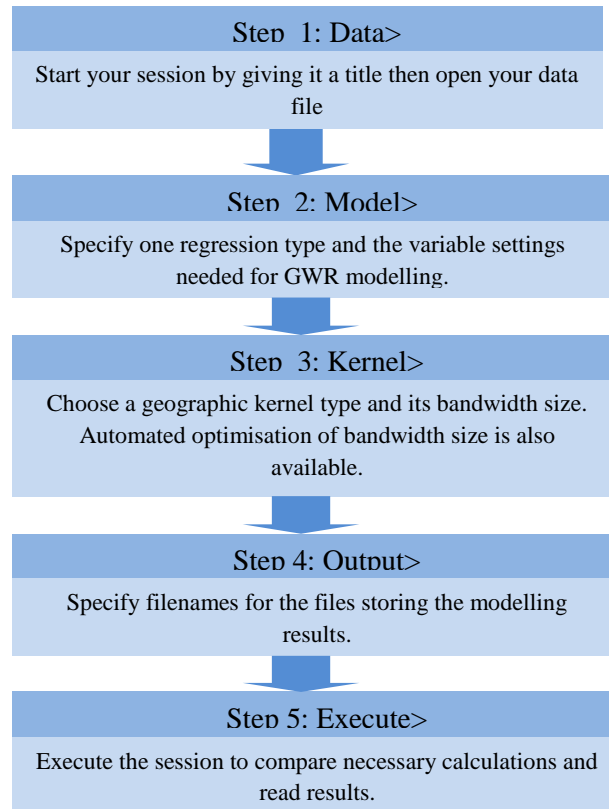


Figure 1.1. Step in GWR Modelling Session with Respect to The Five Tabs [Nakaya, 2009]

### 3. Result and Discussion

Basically independent variables should be uncorrelated in Geographically Weighted Regression, it needs to be tested by multicollinearity test. Statistical tests were performed by *Pearson Correlation* and *Variance Inflation Factors (VIF)*. There are five independent variables; flood risk (X1), health facility (X2), percentage of age 25-50 years old (X3) and the percentage of settlement area (X4). Meanwhile, independent variable that affects globally is the percentage of paddy fields area (X5). Meanwhile, case of Leptospirosis of 2009 – 2011 used to be dependent variable. Table 1.1. shows result of *Pearson Correlation* test. Number of Sig. (2 tailed) more than 0,005 shows that there is no correlation between variables.

The table 1.1. stated that there aren't number of Sig. (2 tailed) that lower than 0,005, so we can conclude that variables uncorrelated each others. Further, examine variables use multicollinearity test conducted by SPSS. Table 1.2. Show about the result of multicollinearity test that indicated by number of

VIF.

Number of VIF that lower than ten shows that there isn't multicollinearity at the variables. It can clearly be seen in table 1.2. number of VIF each variable are around one, so it can be concluded that there aren't multicollinearity.

Before modelling spatial regression semiparametric, variables assessment of GWR model performed to get local and global variables which are appropriate with the model. According to significance test in every observation location if using level of significance  $[\alpha]$  10% so the number of  $Z(\alpha/10)$  is 1,64. Table 1.3. below shows the result of significance test that performed by GWR 4.0 software. Result from that software helps to choose best model which can be used. Best model indicated by lowest number of AIC, therefore Fixed Bisquare Kernel is the best model. Furthermore, this kernel has the lowest number AIC with 367,10. Result of modelling with Fixed Bisquare kernel can be seen in Table 1.4.

Table 1.1. Result of Multicriteria Test for Variable

		Flood Risk	Health Facilities	Age	Case of Leptospirosis	Percentage of Settlement	Percentage of Paddy Field
Flood Risk	Pearson Correlation	1	.184	.217	.029	-.071	.266 <sup>*</sup>
	Sig. [2-tailed]		.114	.061	.805	.547	.021
	N	75	75	75	75	75	75
Health Facilities	Pearson Correlation	.184	1	.059	.113	.307 <sup>**</sup>	.106
	Sig. [2-tailed]	.114		.615	.336	.007	.367
	N	75	75	75	75	75	75
Age	Pearson Correlation	.217	.059	1	-.009	.019	.103
	Sig. [2-tailed]	.061	.615		.940	.869	.381
	N	75	75	75	75	75	75
Case of Leptospirosis	Pearson Correlation	.029	.113	-.009	1	.147	.323 <sup>**</sup>
	Sig. [2-tailed]	.805	.336	.940		.208	.005
	N	75	75	75	75	75	75
Percentage of Settlement	Pearson Correlation	-.071	.307 <sup>**</sup>	.019	.147	1	.093
	Sig. [2-tailed]	.547	.007	.869	.208		.426
	N	75	75	75	75	75	75
Percentage of Paddy Field	Pearson Correlation	.266 <sup>*</sup>	.106	.103	.323 <sup>**</sup>	.093	1
	Sig. [2-tailed]	.021	.367	.381	.005	.426	
	N	75	75	75	75	75	75

Source: Processed Primary Data

Table 1.2. Result of VIF Test

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.	Collinearity Statistics	
	B	Std. Error	Beta			Tolerance	VIF
1 [Constant]	.210	1.150		.183	.855		
Flood Risk [X1]	-.183	.409	-.055	-.447	.656	.849	1.178
Health Facilities [X2]	.213	.423	.061	.504	.616	.862	1.159
Age [X3]	-1.141E-7	.000	-.036	-.311	.757	.950	1.053
Percentage of Settlement Area [X4]	3.163E-7	.000	.095	.788	.434	.879	1.138
Percentage of Paddy Field [X5]	1.651E-6	.000	.326	2.766	.007	.914	1.094

Source: Processed Primary Data

Table 1.3. Number of AIC and R2 Semiparametric Regression Model according to Kernel Function

Type of Weighting Function	Local	Global	AIC	R <sup>2</sup>
Fixed Gaussian	X1, X2, X3, X4	X5	371,41	8,68
Fixed Bisquare	X1, X2, X3, X4	X5	367,10	8,51
Adaptive Bisquare	X1, X2, X3, X4	X5	377,23	9,6
Adaptive Gaussian	X1, X2, X3, X4	X5	384,76	9,3

Table 1.4. Weight of Parameters

Village	Weight				
	X1	X2	X3	X4	X5
Ngestiharjo	2,658626	0,762708	-0,076463	1,28845	0,502781
Baturetno	0,826364	0,764179	-0,171975	-0,586911	0,467826
Argomulyo	5,981403	-0,836777	-1,928035	-1,785132	-1,646096
Banguntapan	0,928812	0,715903	-0,166384	-0,502819	0,523443
Argosari	2,258967	1,031255	-3,681269	-3,578291	2,036242
Tamantirto	4,668735	0,010576	-0,15111	0,944663	0,063049
Argorejo	6,118368	-0,407586	-2,153503	-2,525646	-1,026328
Tirtonirmolo	4,373727	0,825374	0,240844	1,632985	0,438737
Bangunjiwo	5,362278	-0,728622	0,511432	0,043021	-0,39379
Srimulyo	1,496677	0,521447	-0,687029	-0,441661	1,111446
Argodadi	2,712929	1,684879	-3,674974	-4,721193	2,396848
Srimartani	0,166561	0,24774	0,063634	-0,38246	0,020266
Sitimulyo	2,988197	0,759593	-1,025188	-0,480185	2,069999
Potorono	3,239817	0,698899	-0,981772	-0,564376	2,048535
Bangunharjo	5,389499	0,022164	0,589698	0,499595	0,454835
Panggungharjo	5,290806	0,347141	0,52914	1,120515	0,219708
Jagalan	2,897269	0,657822	0,051031	-0,508902	1,211943
Tamanan	4,739982	0,172823	0,351	-0,125823	1,21367
Singosaren	3,767295	0,475047	-0,524688	-0,468981	1,90137
Triwidadi	5,519227	-1,849498	0,530843	-1,590033	-1,1566
Jambidan	4,849799	0,574733	-1,331879	-0,398087	2,871914
Wirokerten	5,627894	0,08103	-0,692344	-0,210092	2,61106

Village	Weight				
	X1	X2	X3	X4	X5
Pendowoharjo	6,701897	-0,319505	0,937645	0,929812	-0,379164
Sendangsari	4,271805	-0,771069	1,701274	-0,304373	-0,369615
Guwosari	5,560985	-0,91427	1,649489	0,001439	-0,61558
Wonokromo	7,490807	-0,586005	-0,151434	0,316868	2,232582
Pleret	6,549043	-0,007961	-1,142684	-0,022931	3,060206
Timbulharjo	8,311913	-1,036685	0,511193	1,19291	0,262367
Bantul	7,363351	-0,856432	1,605083	0,509643	-1,136366
Bawuran	5,243826	0,301115	-1,281351	-0,094095	2,703933
Terong	1,838703	0,439541	-0,718445	-0,103931	1,447004
Wonolelo	3,949173	0,263038	-1,203695	0,002596	2,215114

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Trimulyo	9,016281	-1,244342	-0,433353	1,04821	2,511889
Segoroyoso	7,037343	-0,313865	-1,031498	0,208301	2,748766
Ringinharjo	6,536347	-0,607485	1,891848	0,33642	-1,122652
Trirenggo	8,608045	-1,147451	1,558065	1,02387	-1,283536
Sabdodadi	9,342147	-1,482528	0,915832	1,406815	-0,314018
Muntuk	3,331194	-0,615439	-1,003995	0,293989	1,424369
Jatimulyo	0,710736	0,133466	-0,153304	0,010169	0,623901
Gilangharjo	4,664222	0,707325	2,150141	0,437747	-0,7786
Wijirejo	4,327958	0,403038	2,137598	0,260397	-0,264362
Wukirsari	7,410061	-1,123374	-1,100075	0,989121	2,053827
Palbapang	7,110356	-0,38957	2,039053	0,675652	-1,664991
Patalan	8,185152	-1,166979	1,750323	1,508436	-0,863021
Temuwuh	1,759971	-0,137409	-0,411796	0,107429	0,986501
Imogiri	8,841978	-1,52474	-0,502589	2,112804	1,884935
Triharjo	2,73169	1,124753	2,086437	0,241916	0,29518
Camden	8,490867	-1,43289	1,201111	1,88814	0,354179
Girirejo	7,819908	-1,495138	-1,186291	2,24762	1,687638
Sumbermulyo	6,314597	-0,114144	2,080078	0,838659	-1,73329
Mangunan	5,674722	-2,486972	-1,226355	2,147951	0,478907
Karangtalun	8,714912	-1,491648	-0,127463	2,220015	1,53681
Kebon Agung	8,083562	-1,444803	0,437729	2,125002	1,090408
Trimurti	1,026299	0,571023	-0,028481	-0,154984	0,366974
Caturharjo	1,397568	1,176482	0,864307	0,061333	0,05397
Dlingo	4,382543	-0,575536	0,021009	1,871377	-0,009897
Karang Tengah	7,568279	-1,544209	-0,654792	2,243102	1,355083
Mulyodadi	4,000312	0,557286	1,622975	0,609312	-1,50611
Sriharjo	7,098925	-1,756646	-0,632273	2,10906	1,156843
Srihardono	5,589865	-1,127556	1,561085	1,576113	-0,406007
Sidomulyo	1,823752	1,323328	0,97093	0,289025	-0,855305
Selopamioro	5,866076	-2,38	-0,259669	1,595989	0,574599
Panjangrejo	3,034301	-0,153884	1,045446	0,81446	-1,085076
Poncosari	0,558357	0,276715	-0,275557	-0,350587	0,047854
Gadingsari	0,536991	0,507021	-0,255209	-0,287594	-0,085118
Murtigading	0,590813	0,916236	-0,115269	-0,153239	-0,227425
Village	Weight				
	X1	X2	X3	X4	X5
Tirtomulyo	0,66527	1,391524	0,252761	0,106046	-0,602959
Seloharjo	2,581881	-0,751179	0,659115	0,690009	-0,302931
Srigading	0,485761	0,798863	-0,173808	-0,205214	-0,210705
Donotirto	0,899929	0,980123	0,188091	0,113218	-0,669766
Gadingharjo	0,508446	0,676893	-0,212839	-0,249521	-0,154648
Tirtosari	0,443971	1,160326	-0,03556	-0,053217	-0,459552
Parangtritis	0,365893	0,720849	-0,091189	-0,13174	-0,117021
Tirtoharjo	0,458671	0,76932	-0,167617	-0,235259	-0,180398

Figure 1.2. are map of the percentage of residential land (a) and percentage of paddy field area (b). Those map obtained from the interpretation of ALOS. Figure 1.3. are flood risk map (a), the percentage of the population's age (b) and the number of health facilities (c) which obtained from secondary data

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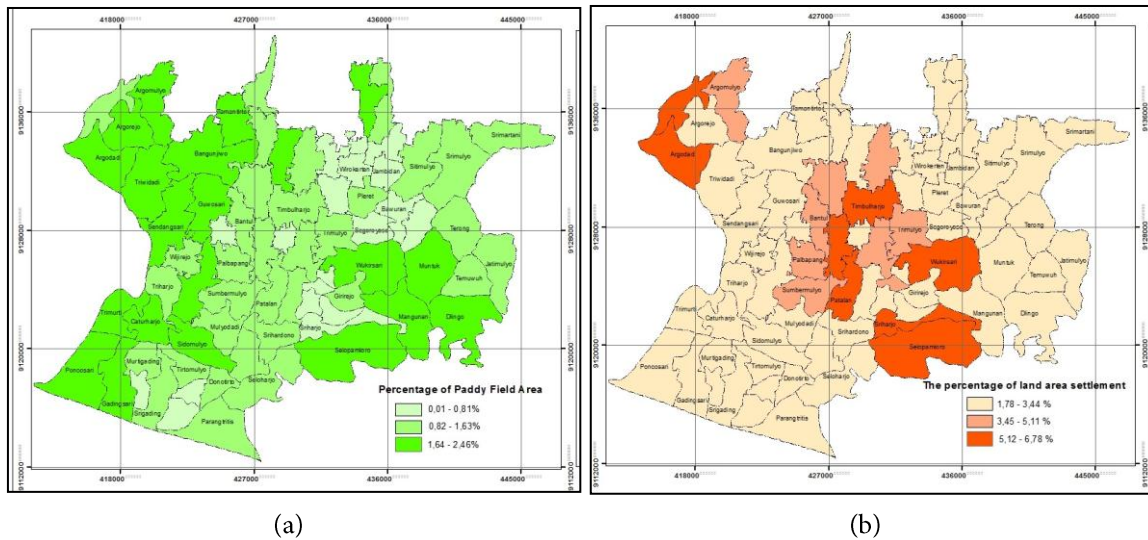
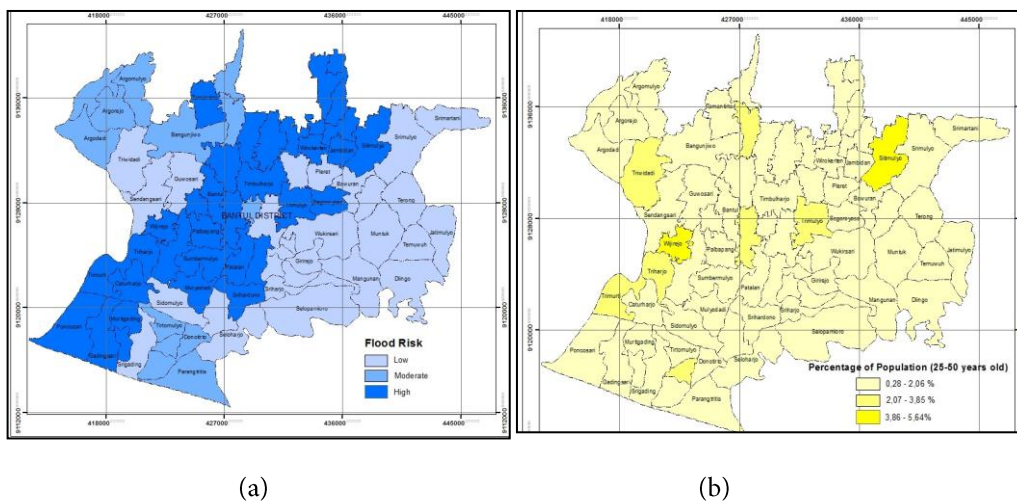
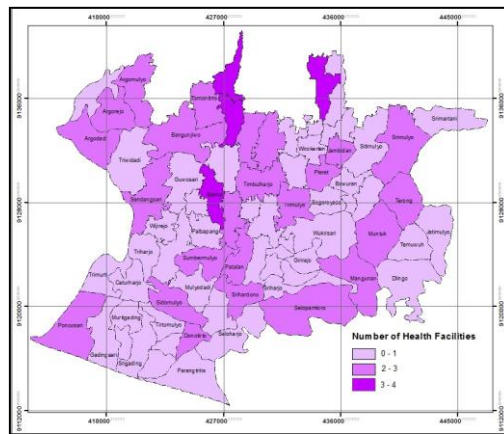


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(a) (b)





(c)

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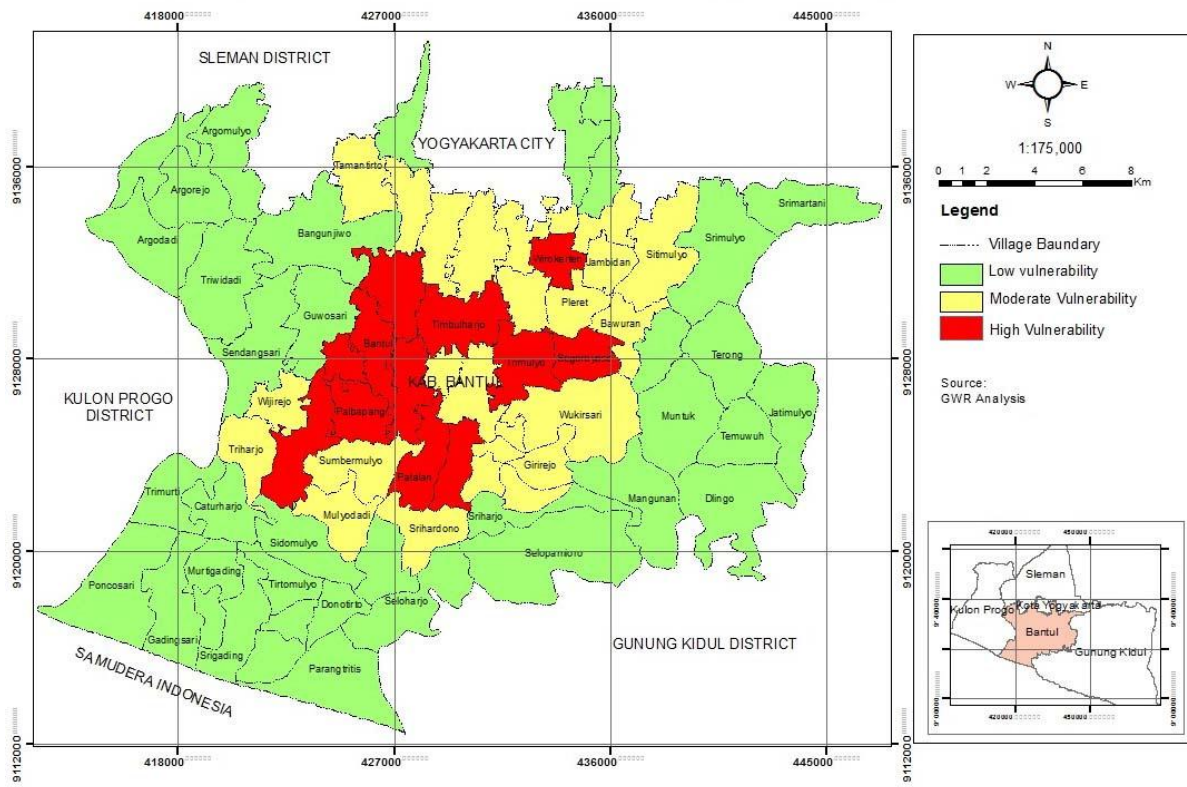


Figure 1.4. Vulnerability map of Leptospirosis in Batul District

**4. Conclusion**

The best region vulnerability modeling of Leptospirosis resulted by type of weighting function Fixed Bisquare that showed by the lowest number of AIC : 367,10. Independent variables that affect locally : Flood Risk (X1), Health Facilities (X2), Percentage of Age 25-50 years old (X3),

Percentage of Settlement Area (X4). In other hand, percentage of Paddy Field affect globally. Vulnerability Area Mapping of Leptospirosis resulted from GWR is using Fixed Bisquare because of the lowest number of AIC. There are three levels of vulnerability in Bantul Regency. High vulnerable level located in the middle of Bantul Regency like

Bantul District, Sewon District, and Jetis District. Meanwhile moderate and low vulnerable level indicates clustered patterns on the outskirts of Bantul Regency.

### Recommendation

It is better if add some others independent variables like percentage of population jobs and enviromental sanitation condition so that modelling will result more complete and detail information.

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