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ABSTRACT

In this talk, I will give a brief background of spatial statistics and standard estimation procedures and will consider an example given in Lark (2009) in which the usual assumption of constant variance across all points in a random field is relaxed.