

## GARP 0317: Cookbook 7 November 2012

### *Elections and Beer!*

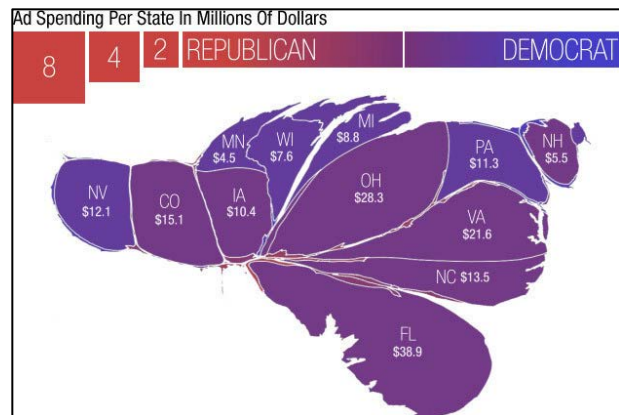
#### Overview

1. Cool Stuff!
2. Your Turn!

#### 1) Cool Stuff!

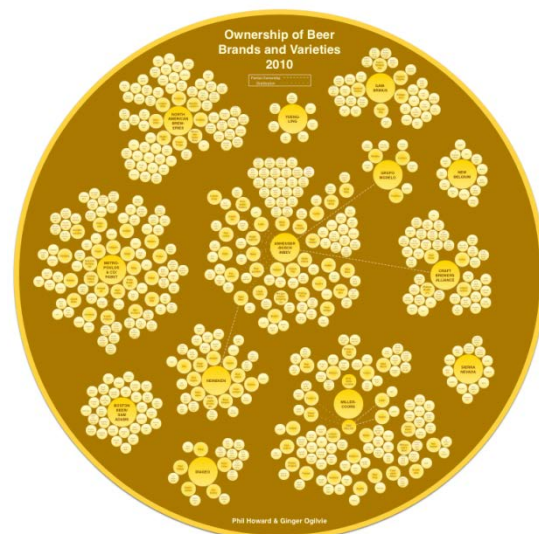
##### **Election Maps by Money!**

<http://www.npr.org/blogs/itsallpolitics/2012/11/01/163632378/a-campaign-map-morphed-by-money?ft=1&f=1014>



##### **Mapping Beer**

<https://www.msu.edu/~howardp./beer.html>



##### **The Scale of the Universe**

<http://scaleofuniverse.com/>

## **2) Your Turn!**

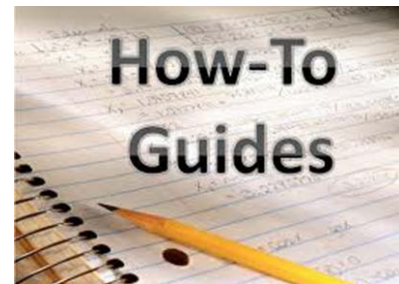
### ***From the syllabus***

1. *You in Space* = your own Web GIS using ArcGIS Online (20 percent)
2. A series of graded assignments, bench marks, and sub-projects (20 percent)
3. Everyone is responsible for creating at least one original data layer relevant for Westfield State University as a file geodatabase with useful attribute and metadata (10 percent)
4. A professional, well-organized, and up-to-date blog or website documenting your work (10 percent)
5. A web-based user manual / tutorial / Help function for the WSU Web GIS! (30 percent)
6. Attendance, engagement, and participation (10 percent)

### ***User Guide / User Manual / Help Function / Tutorial***

#### ***Questions!***

1. What is it and how do I best use it?
2. How and why was this created?
3. What data are included?
4. How is this organized?
5. Are you qualified to answer these questions?



#### ***Features!***

- Create as PDF, Google Docs, or website
- Flowchart or concept map to show organization and structure
- List of data layers and brief description
- How-To Examples
- And more!

#### **More Information**

- User Guide  
[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/User\\_guide](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/User_guide)
- Writing a User Guide  
[http://www.prismnet.com/~hcexres/textbook/user\\_guides.html](http://www.prismnet.com/~hcexres/textbook/user_guides.html)

