

One-Belt-One Road Strategy and Population Dynamics

# The oversea immigrants in Shanghai on the Context of B&R Initiative : original areas, migrating and housing models

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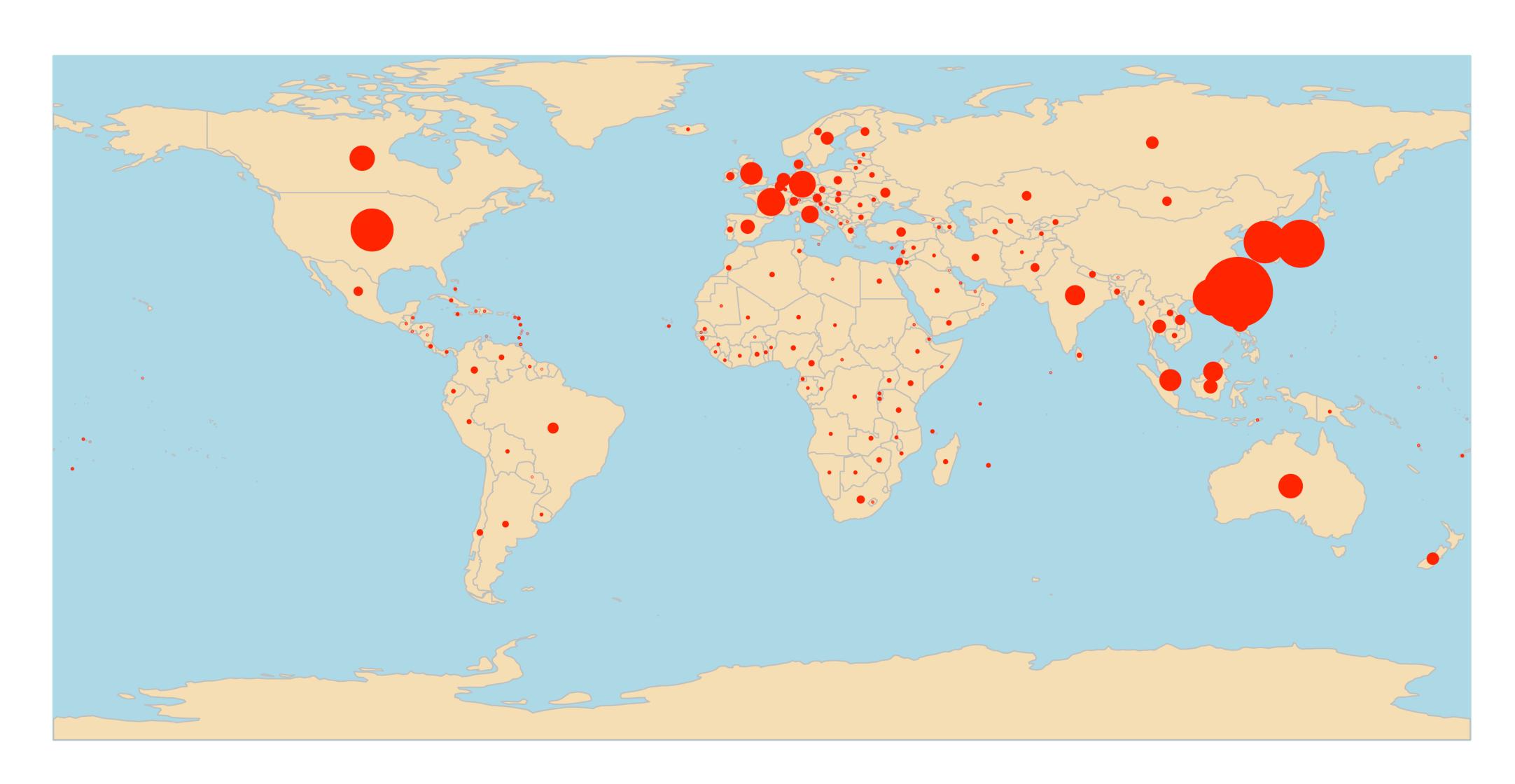
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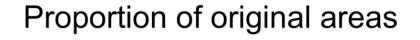
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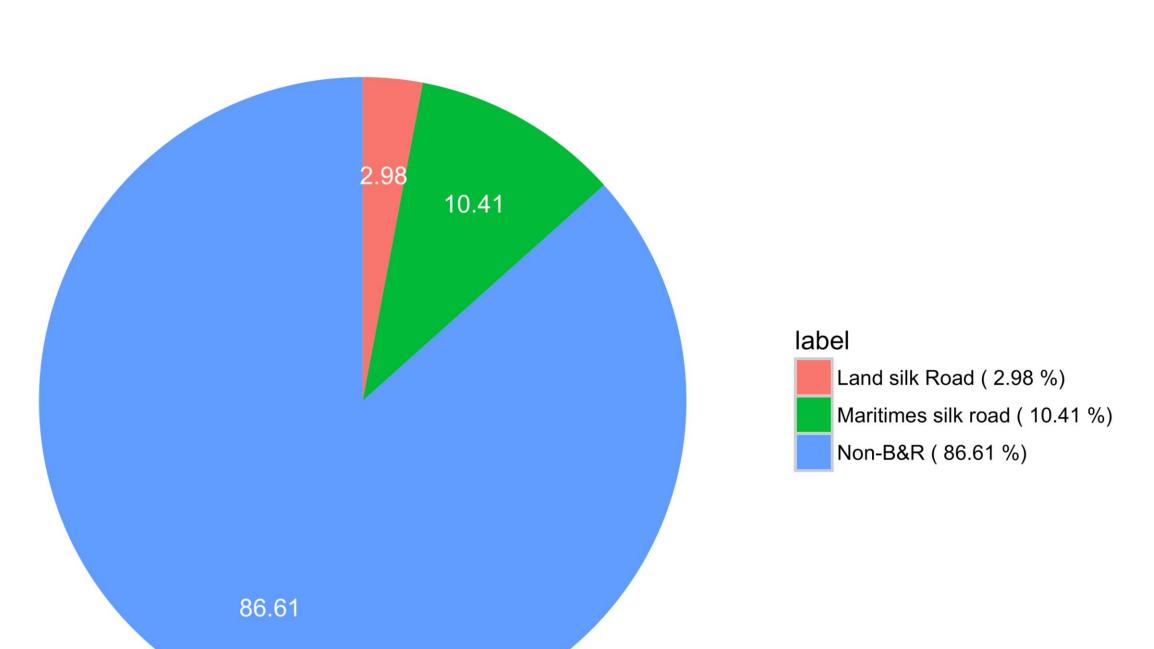
- •A big register data of total 390 thousand oversea immigrants supplied by the population administrator department.
- Variables of birth date, gender, original countries and regions, reasons for migrating, housing, living address, et al.
- Seven waves of data
  - •June 2013, Dec 2013, June 2014, Dec 2014
  - •June 2015, Dec 2015, June 2016

### • 2.Original countries and regions



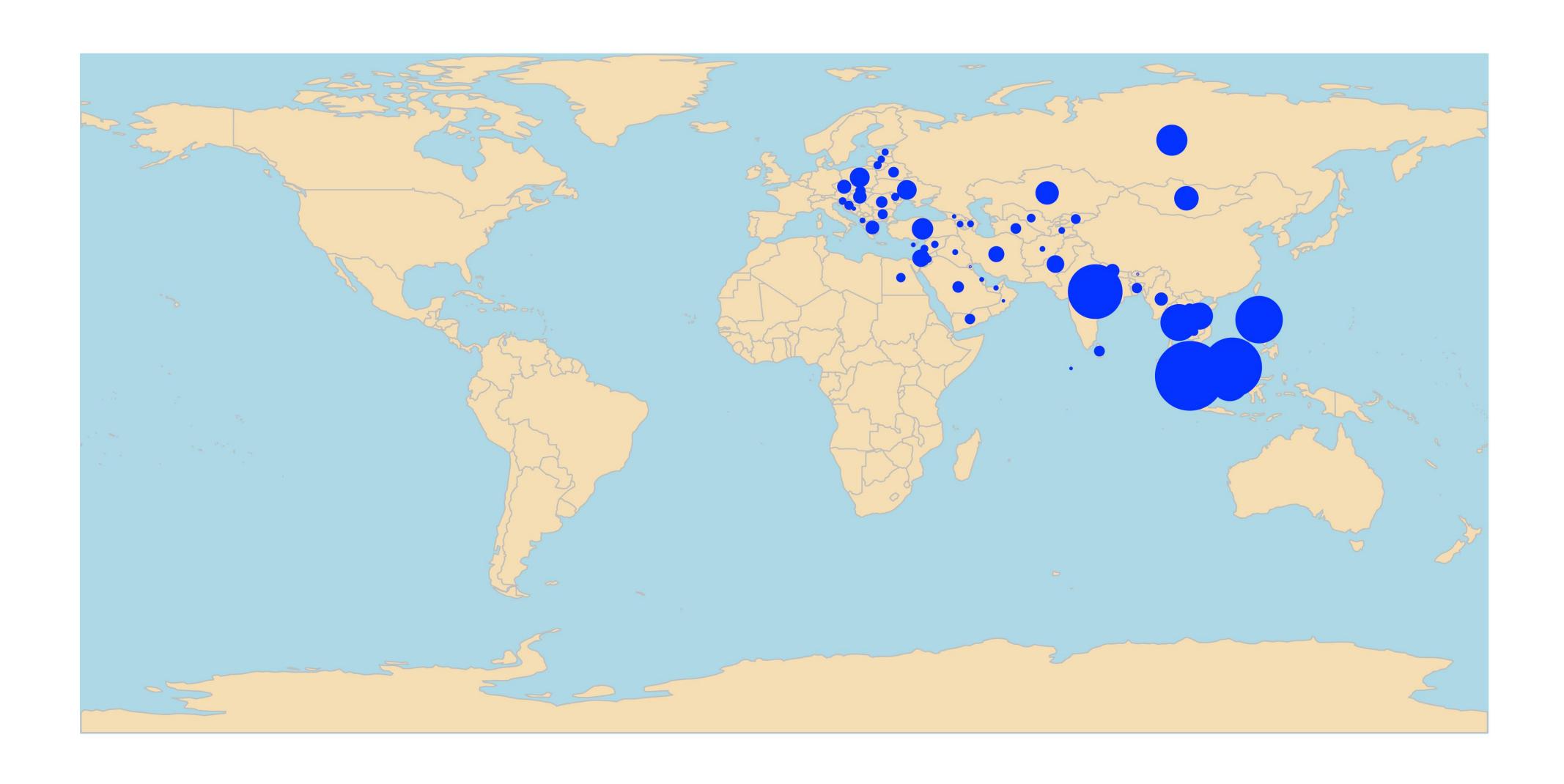
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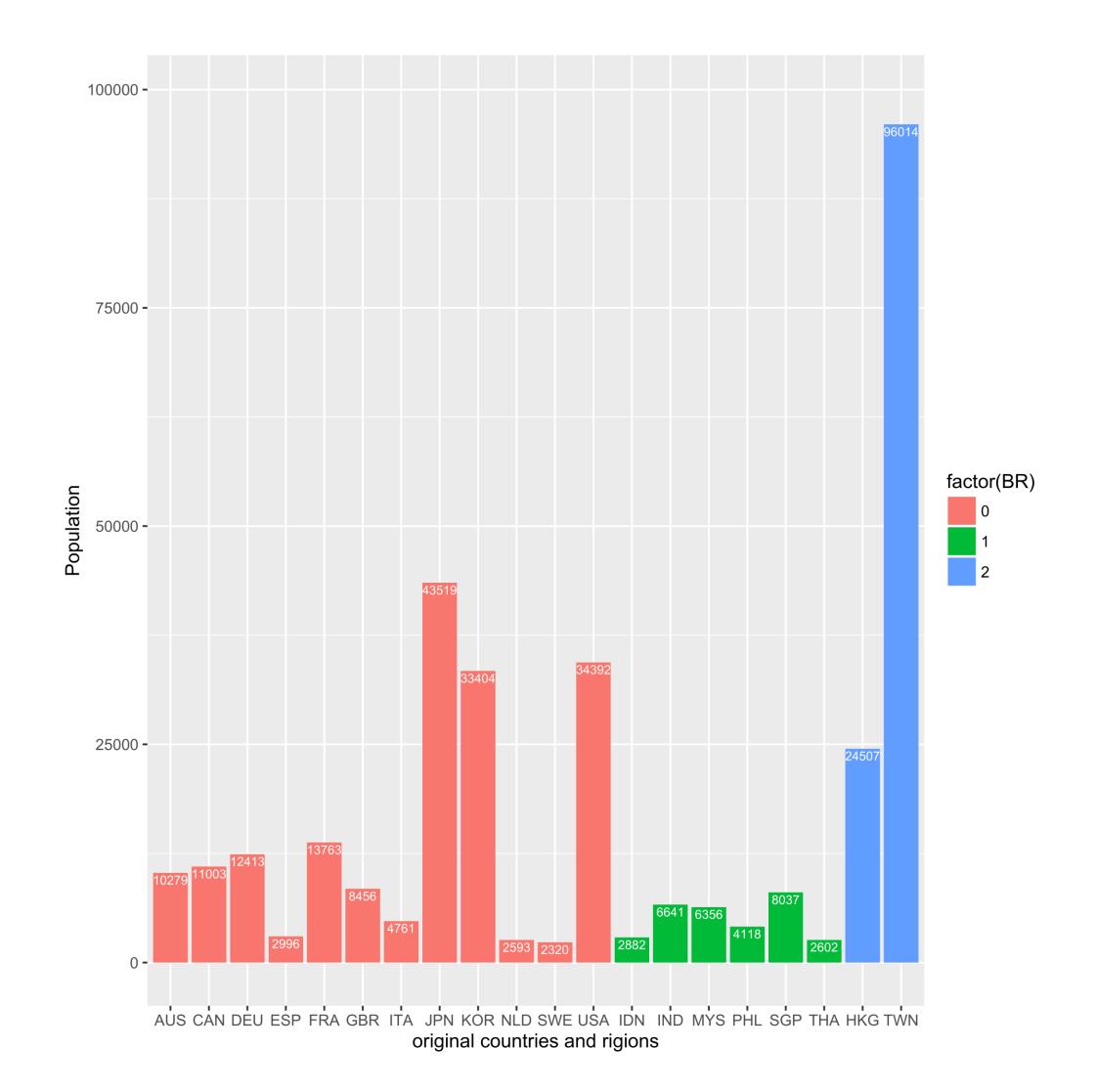
- About 390,000 oversea immigrants living in shanghai.
- The immigrants comes from about 199 countries and regions.
- B&R countries and regions
  13.39%(Maritime silk road 10.41%)
  ; Non-B&R 86.61%.

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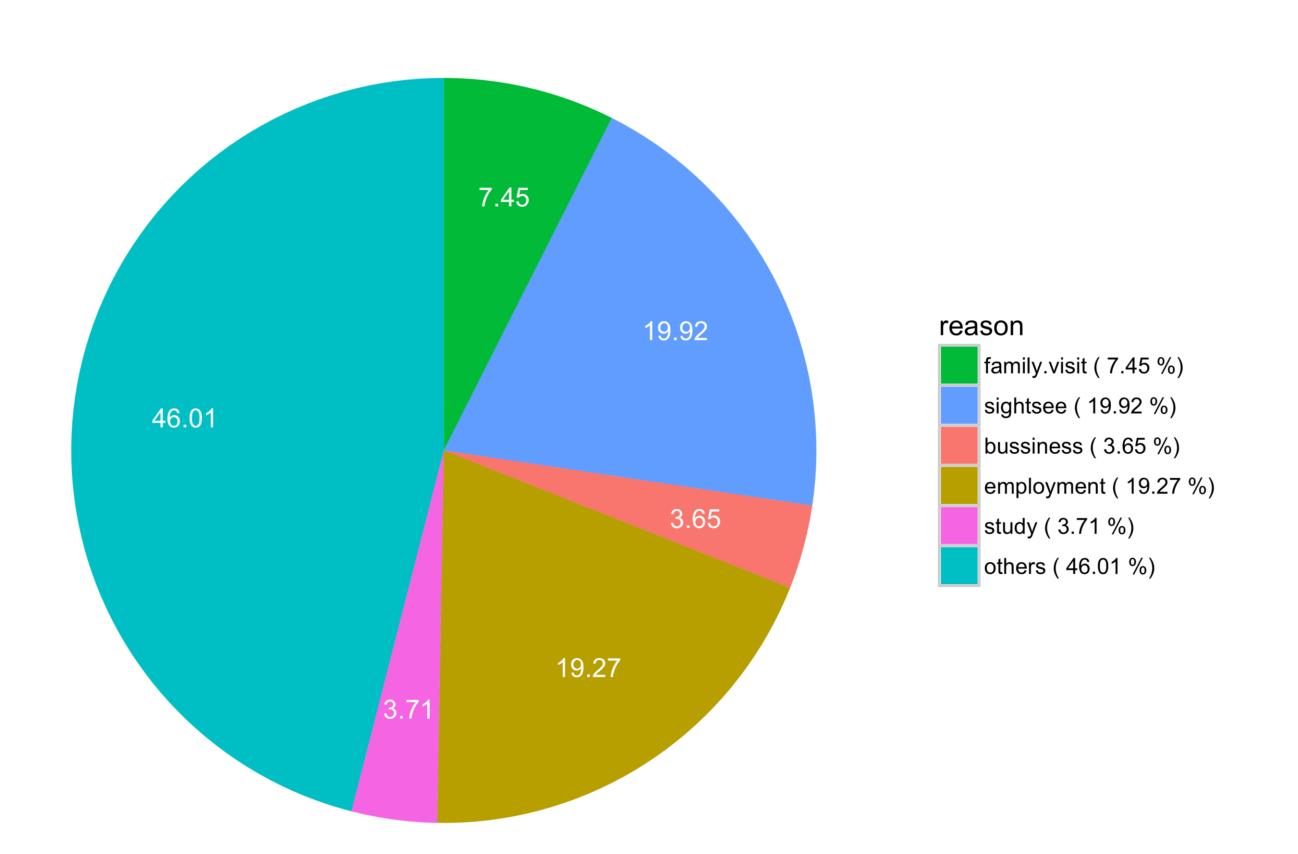
## 2.Original countries and regions

- Immigrants from Belt & Road countries and regions share a low proportion of total number.
- •There are more oversea immigrants come from developed countries and regions more than developing areas.
- Shanghai is connected with maritime silk road rather than land silk road.



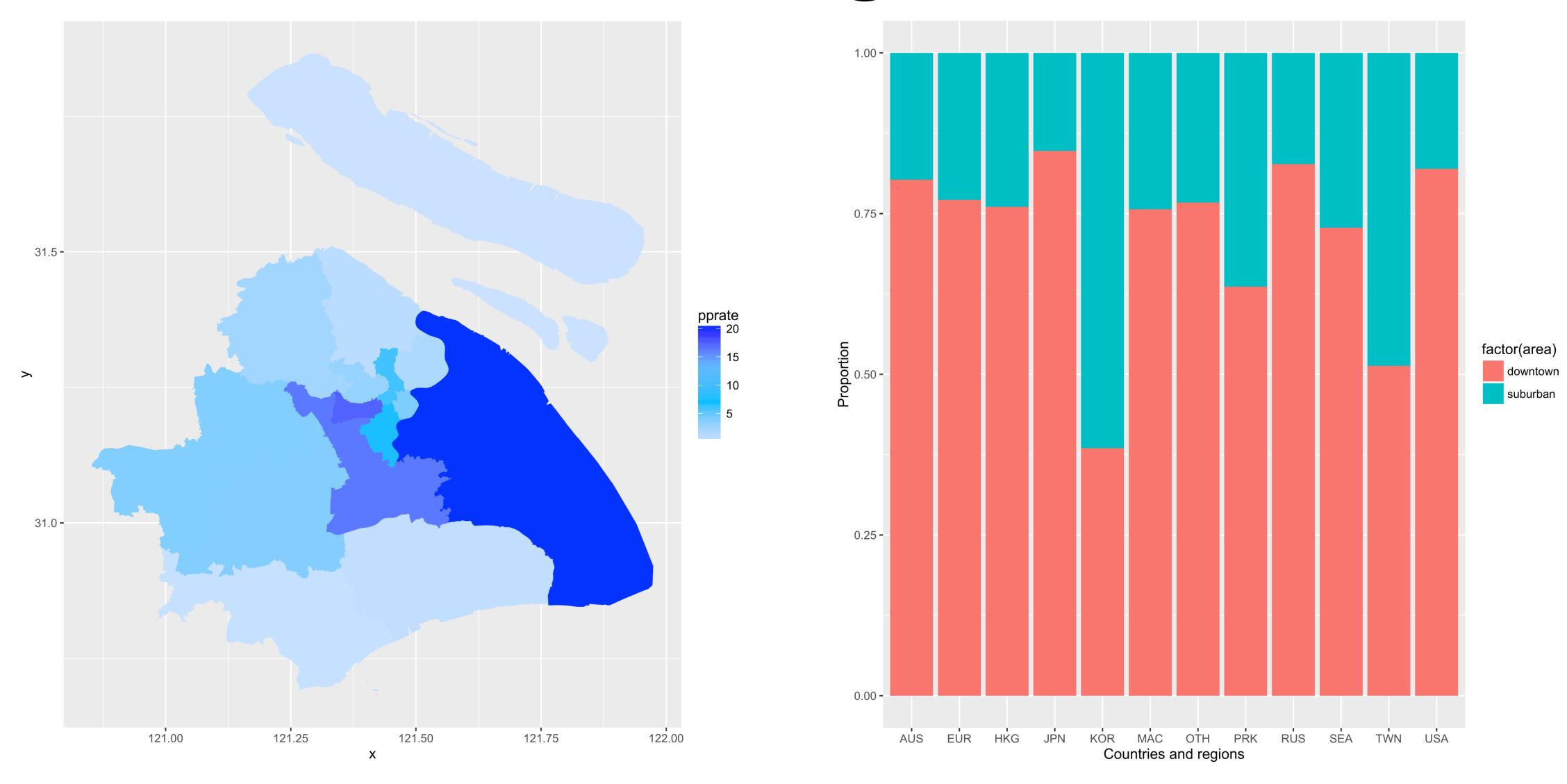
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#### Reasons for migrating



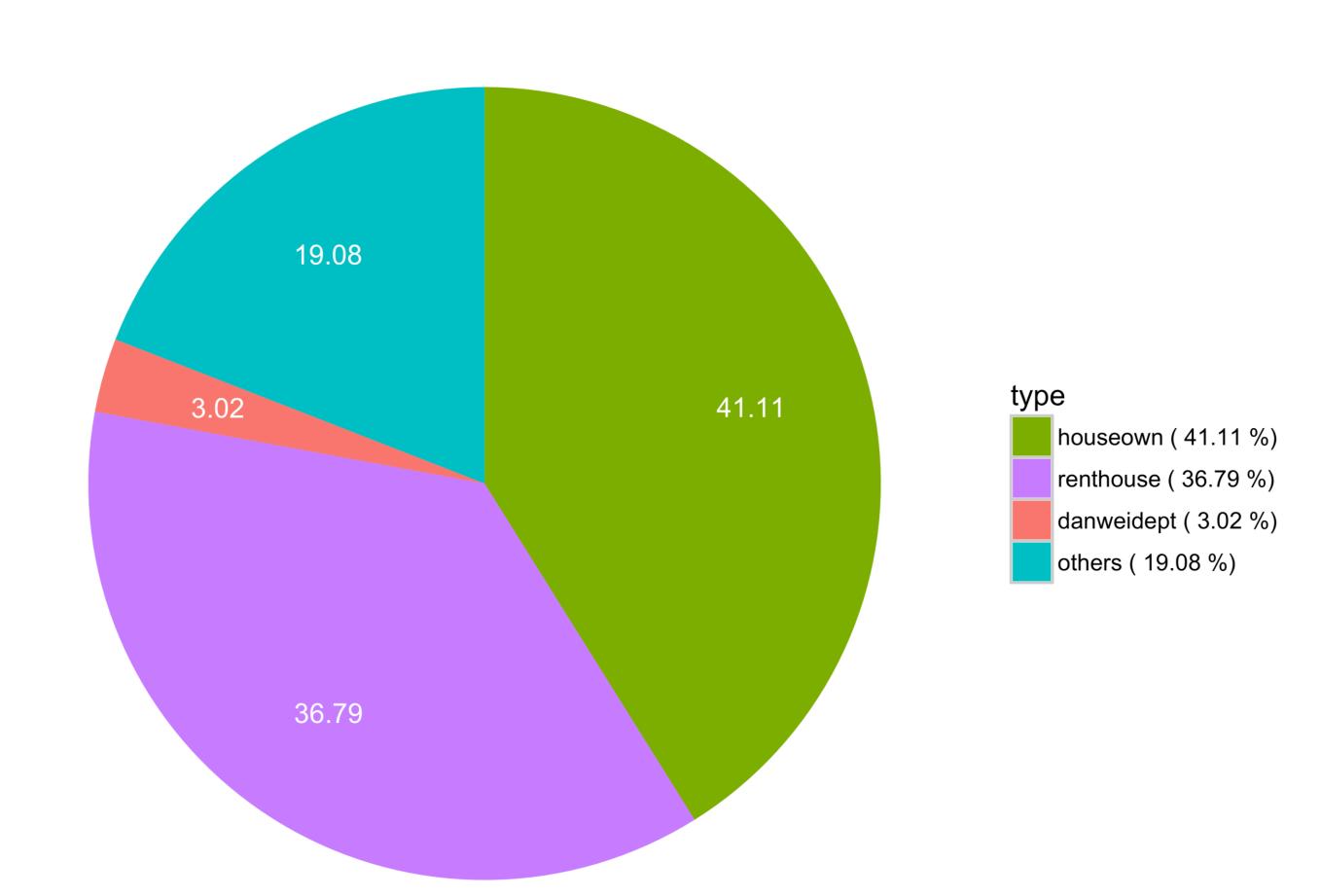
- There are about 20 percent oversea immigrants employed in Shanghai;
- Sightsee is the main reasons they come to Shanghai
- Studying in shanghai Shares the proportion at 3.71 percent.

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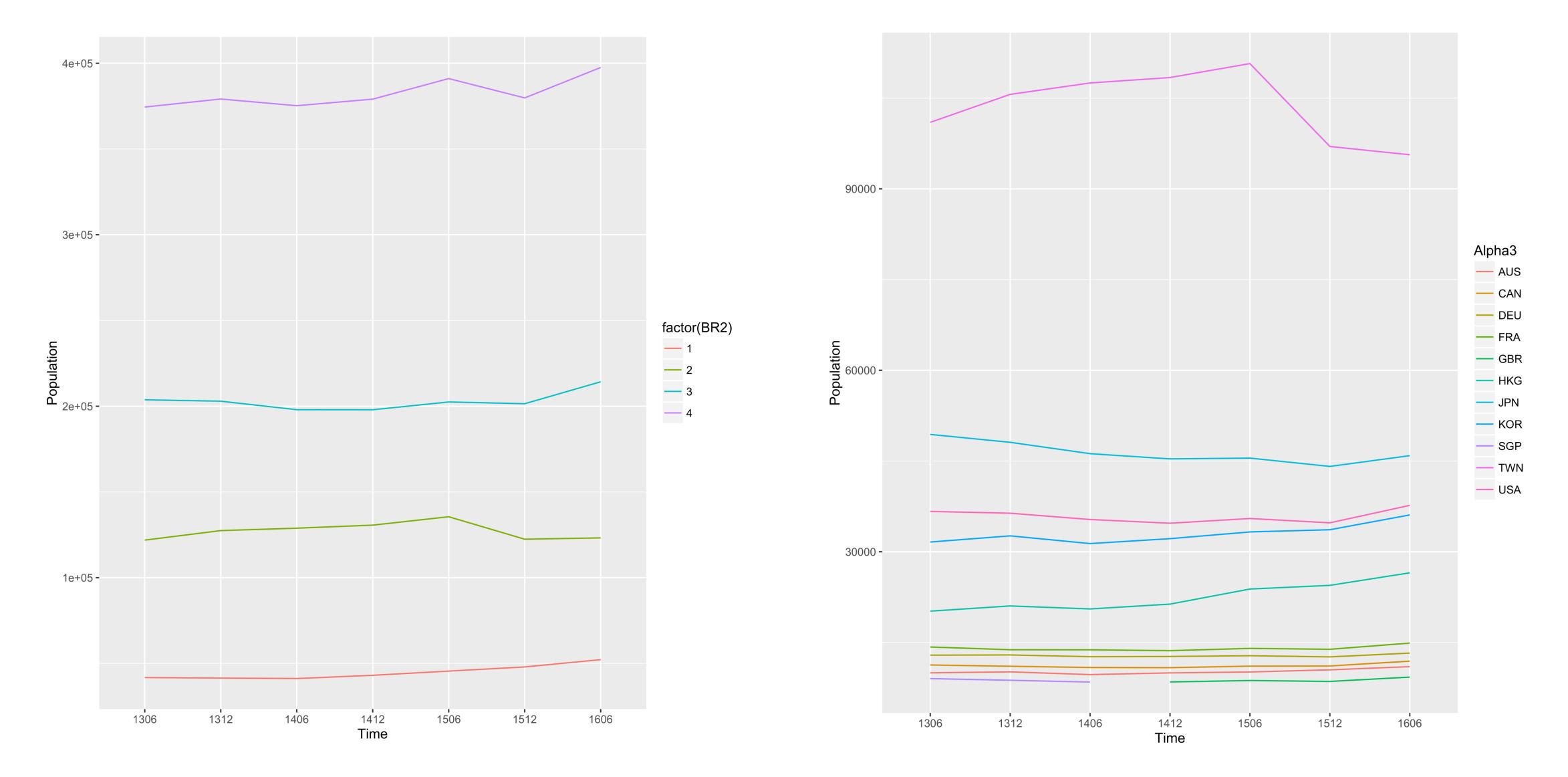


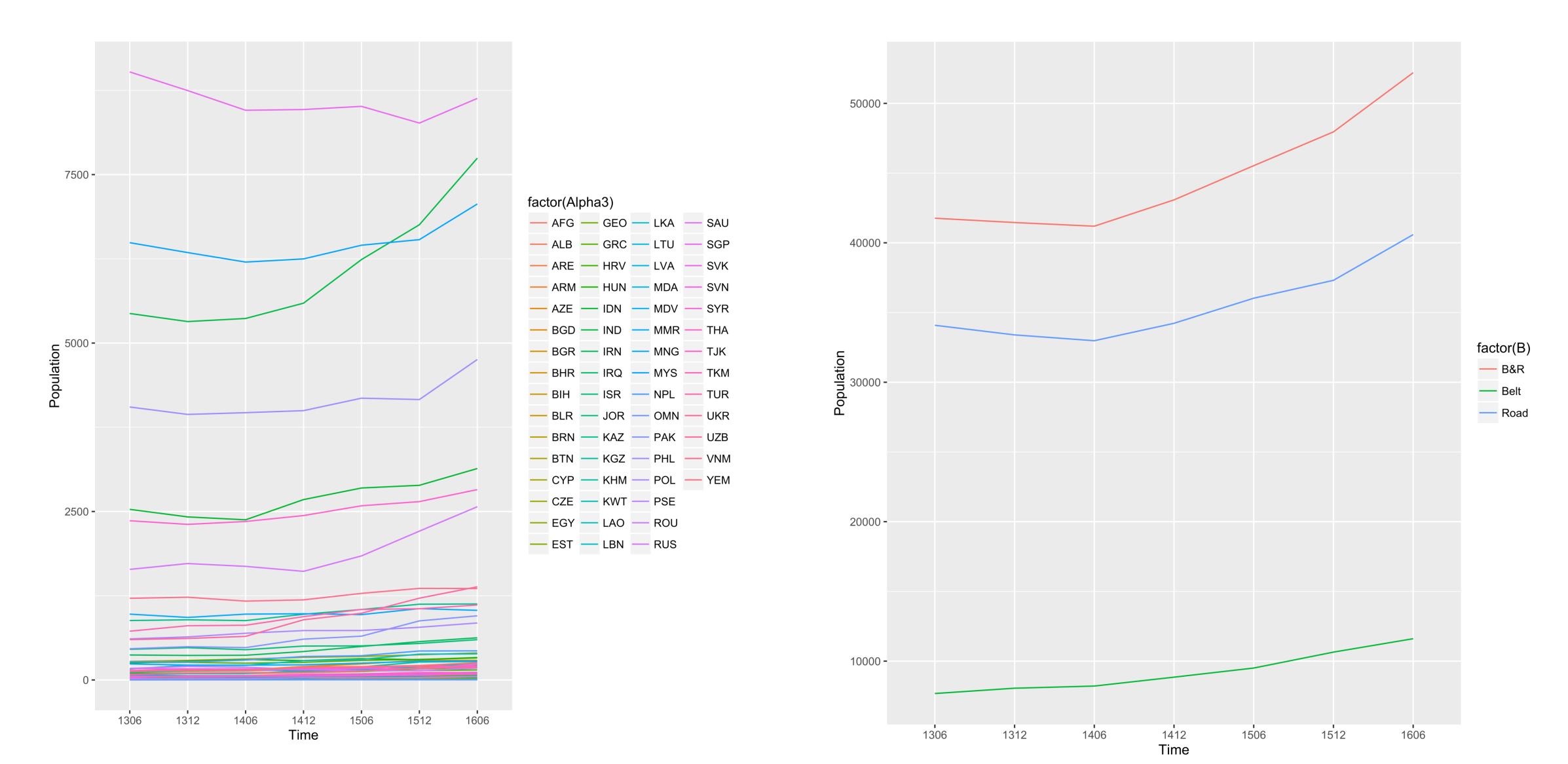
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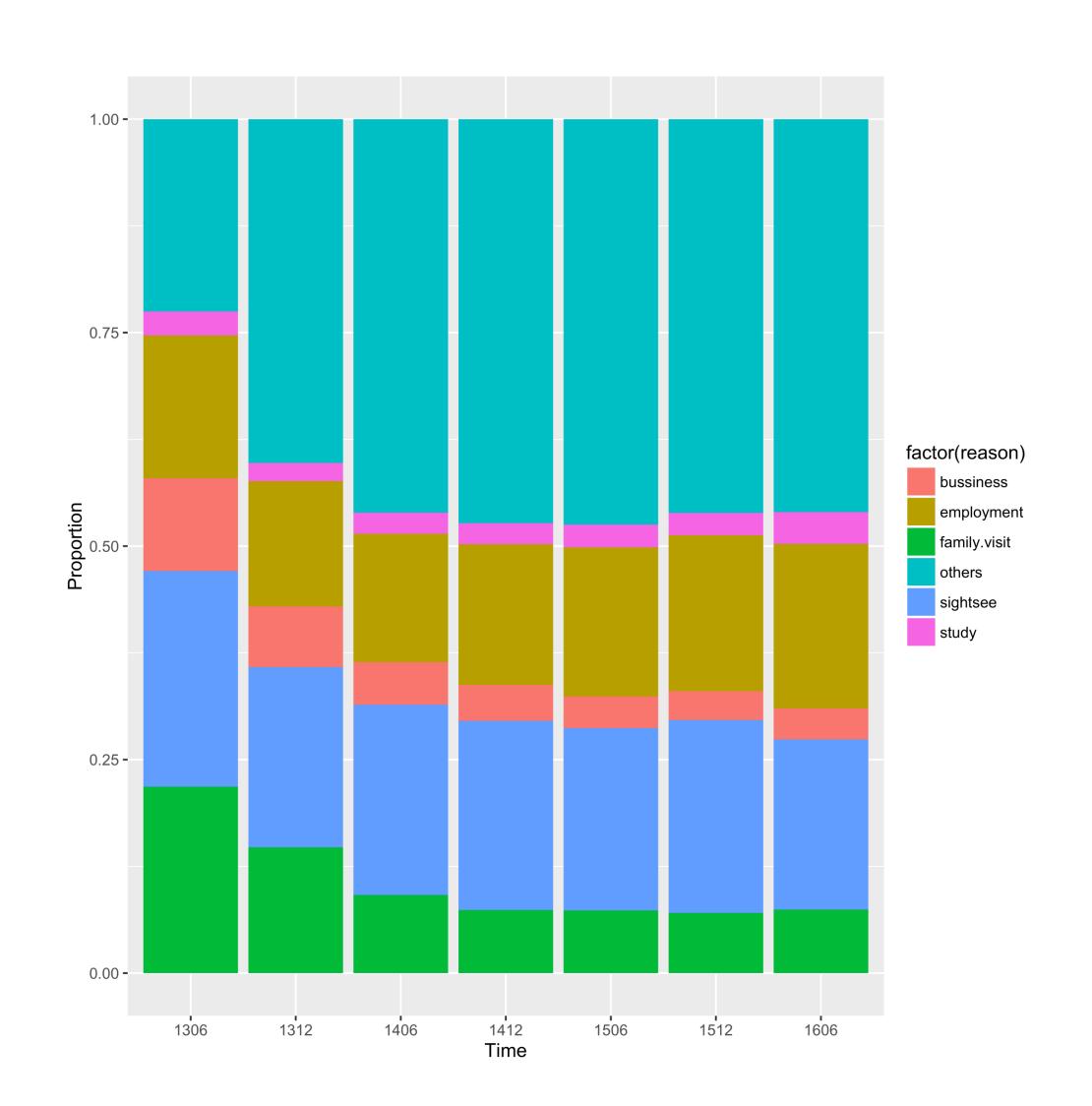
- Most oversea immigrants like to live in downtown area.
- Immigrants from KOR, TWN live in suburban more than downtown area.
- About 41% immigrants own their living house in shanghai, and about 37% rent department for accommodation.

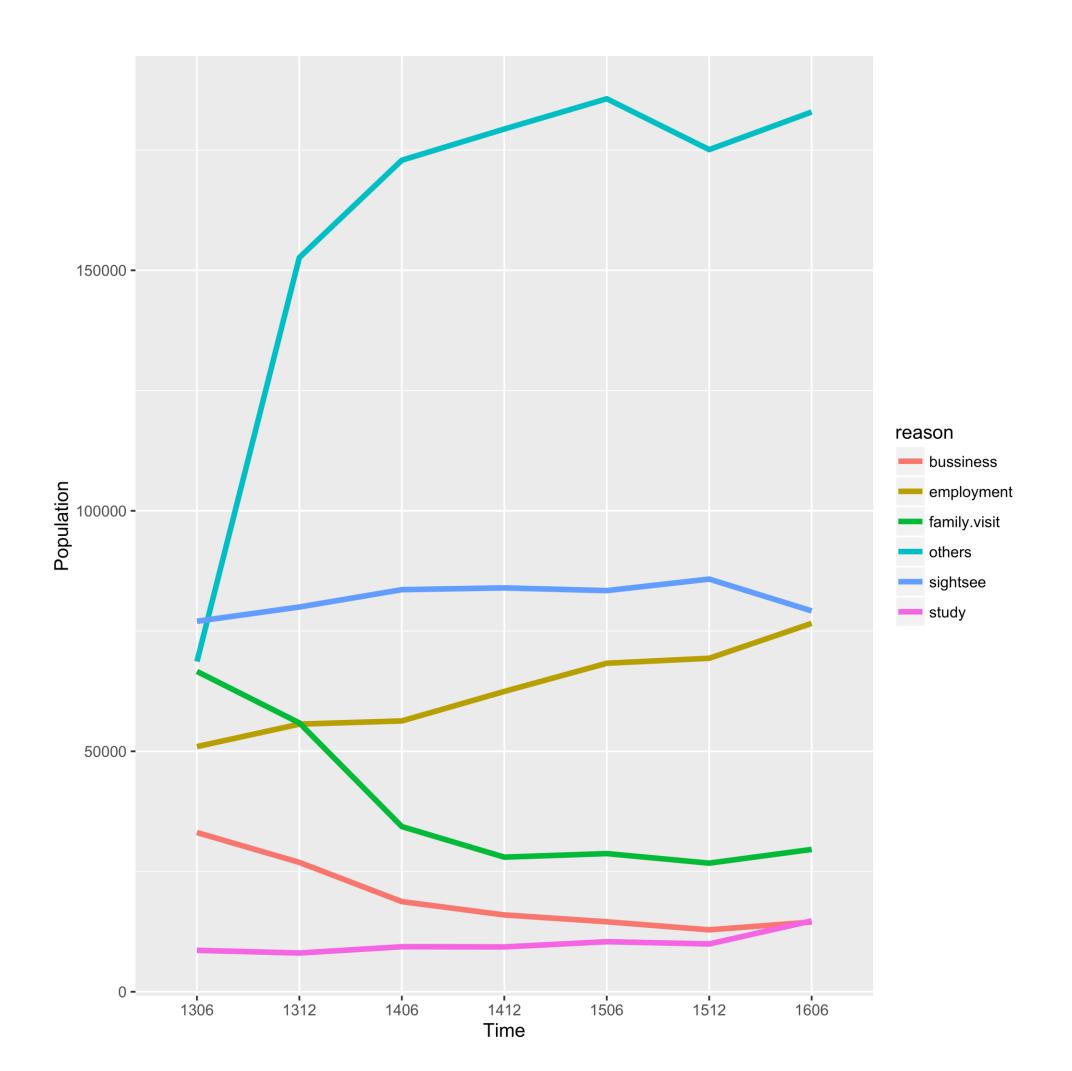


**Housing Model** 









- After the B&R initiative, the number of oversea immigrants increased, but share low proportion of total number.
- Immigrants come from maritime silk road countries and regions increase more rapidly than land silk road countries.
- The proportion of employee and students increase while proportion of family visiting and business decrease.

### Thank You!

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