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Supplementary

Material





 $\underline{Figure \ S01}. \ Silhouette \ analysis: \ HAC-ward \ clustering \ on \ sample \ data \ with \ n\_clusters.$ 

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<u>Figure S02</u>. Spatial distribution of the four considered centrality measures: betweenness centrality, closeness centrality, degree centrality, PageRank centrality. Map Data: OpenStreetMap contributors, 2021.



Figure S03. Flow chart: Methodology and workflow of NSC method.



Figure S04. Frequency distribution of the four centrality measures normalized with z-score.





 $\underline{Figure\ S05}.$  Dendrogram of hierarchical agglomerative clustering (HAC).

 $\underline{ Table \ S01}.$  OpenStreetMap (OSM): values key:highway, and number of segments of each value (class) in the study region Braunschweig.

OSM key:highway	Definition	Number of segments			
Motorway	Highest-performing segments within the entire network and usually has at least two lanes in each traffic direction with some degree of separation. It is typi- cally pedestrian and bicycle prohibit- ed, free from intersection controls, accessed by a ramp and has no direct access to private properties.	295			
Primary	Major segments linking large towns.	272			
Secondary	Segments which are not part of a major route, but nevertheless provide a link to the national route network.	830			
Tertiary	Segments connecting minor streets to primary and secondary roads with low to moderate traffic. In the outer sub-urban areas, used on segments con- necting smaller settlements such as villages or hamlets. Within larger ur- ban areas such as large towns or cit- ies, tertiary segments link local cen- tres of activity such as shopping areas, and schools with suburbs.	754			
Residential	Low-speed segments used by local traf- fic within settlements to provide full access to the front of properties in the residential areas.	4,026			
Unclassified	Unclassified segments are one of the following type of segments: less impor- tant than tertiary segments; considered usable by motor cars; not residential streets or agricultural tracks; of low importance within town and cities (if not residential)	94			

TOTAL: 6,262

NSC Category	Motorway		Primary		Secondary		Tertiary		Residential		Unclassified	
	Count	[%]	Count	[%]	Count	[%]	Count	[%]	Count	[%]	Count	[%]
1	22	7.77	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
2	39	13.78	0	0.00	19	2.29	2	0.27	0	0.00	0	0.00
3	66	23.32	60	22.47	71	8.56	35	4.67	10	0.25	1	1.19
4	52	18.37	110	41.20	377	45.48	212	28.27	148	3.68	9	10.71
5	72	25.44	54	20.22	239	28.83	203	27.07	1,679	41.68	43	51.19
6	32	11.31	13	16.10	123	14.84	298	39.73	2,190	54.40	31	36.90
Total	283	100,00	267	100,00	829	100,00	750	100,00	4,026	100,00	84	100,00

Table S02. Share of segments for each NSC category within each FCS class.