Building a National Spatial Data Infrastructure.

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Topics Covered

- *What* is a Spatial Data Infrastructure?
- *Why* build a Spatial Data Infrastructure for Chile?
- *What* are the elements of an Infrastructure?
- *What* are data standards and *why* are they important?
- *What* is the role of Data Clearinghouse?
- *What* are the steps in building a SDI?
- *What* are others doing?
- Why now?

What is a Spatial Data Infrastructure (SDI)?

"The technology, policies and people necessary to promote sharing for geospatial data through all levels of government, private and non-profit sectors, and the academic community" SDI Cookbook

What is Spatial Data Infrastructure?

- Technology (hardware, software, networks, databases, technical implementation plans)
- Policies (governance, data privacy & security, data sharing, cost recovery)
- People (training, professional development, cooperation, outreach)

....to acquire, process, store, distribute and utilize geographic data.

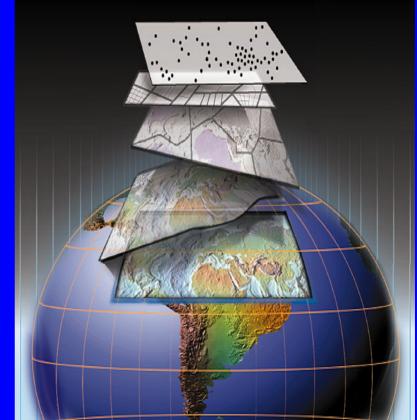
Why Build SDI?

- Build data once and use it many times for many applications.
- Cooperative governance – "placebased management".
- Sustainable economic development.
- Share costs.

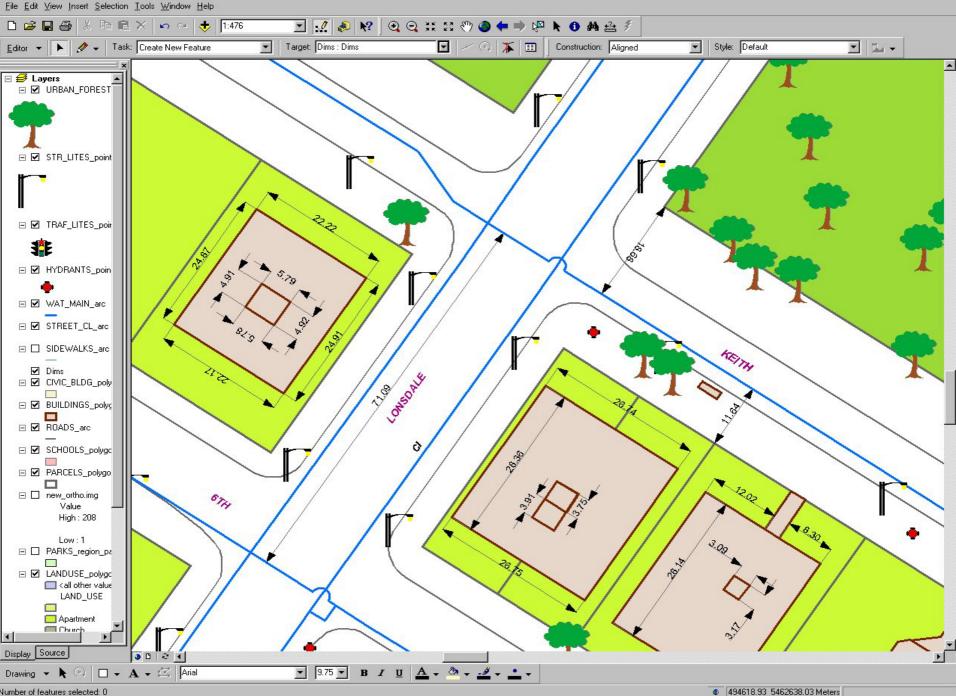


Why build a Spatial Data Infrastructure?

- Land Records
- Disaster Response
- Transportation
- Water, gas & electric
- Public Protection
- Defense
- Natural Resources
- Telecom Infrastructure



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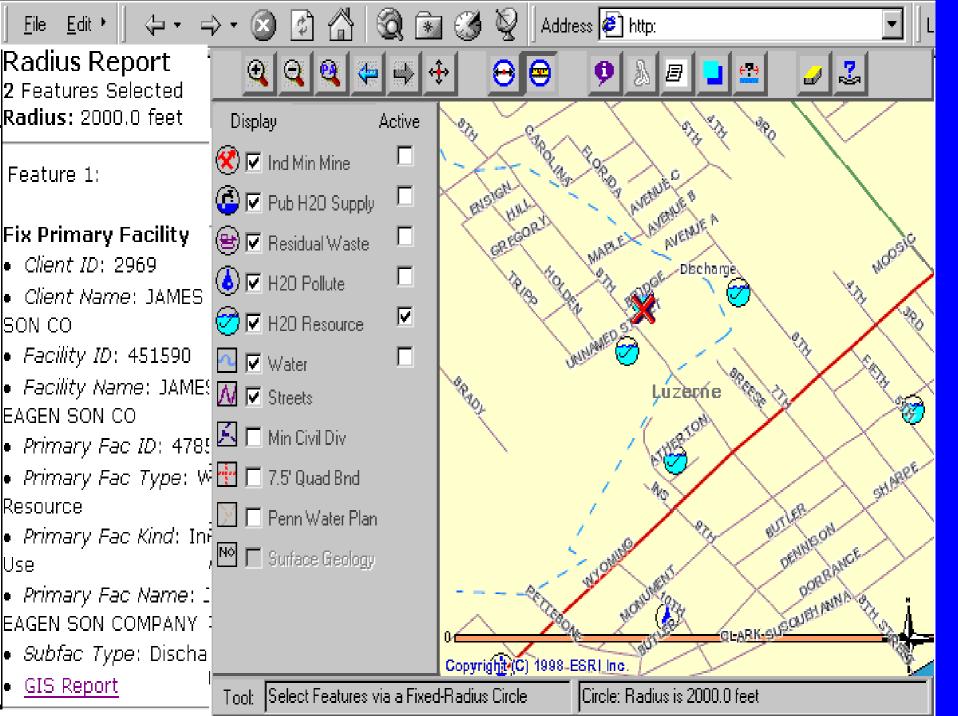
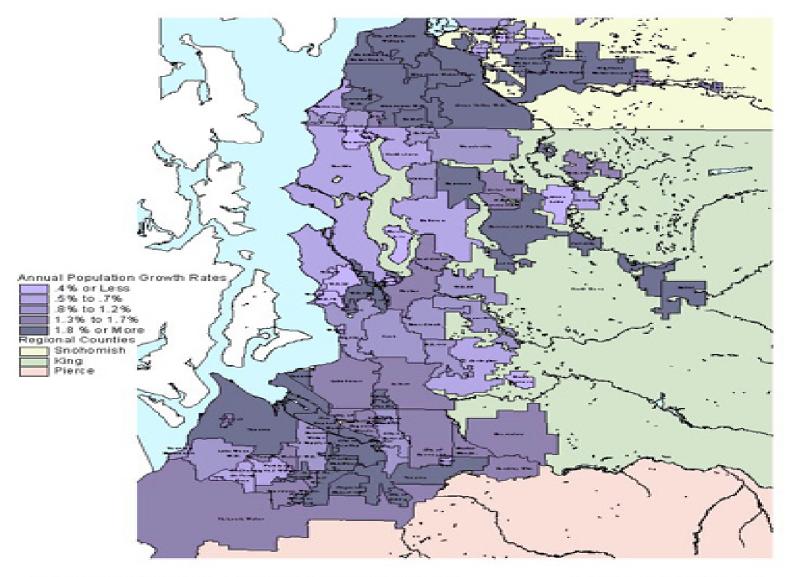


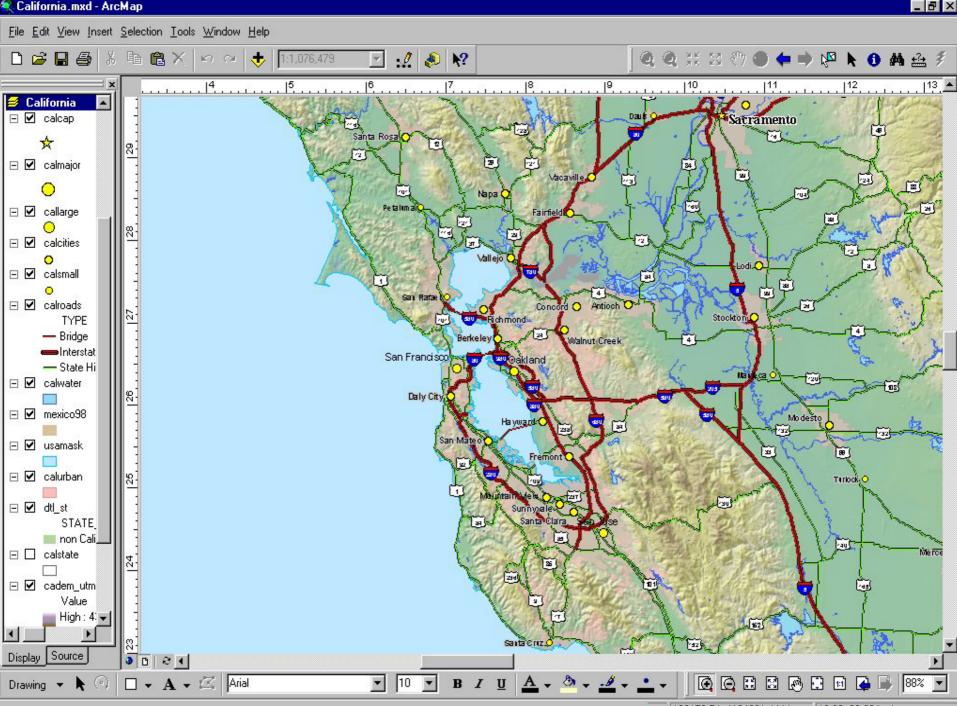
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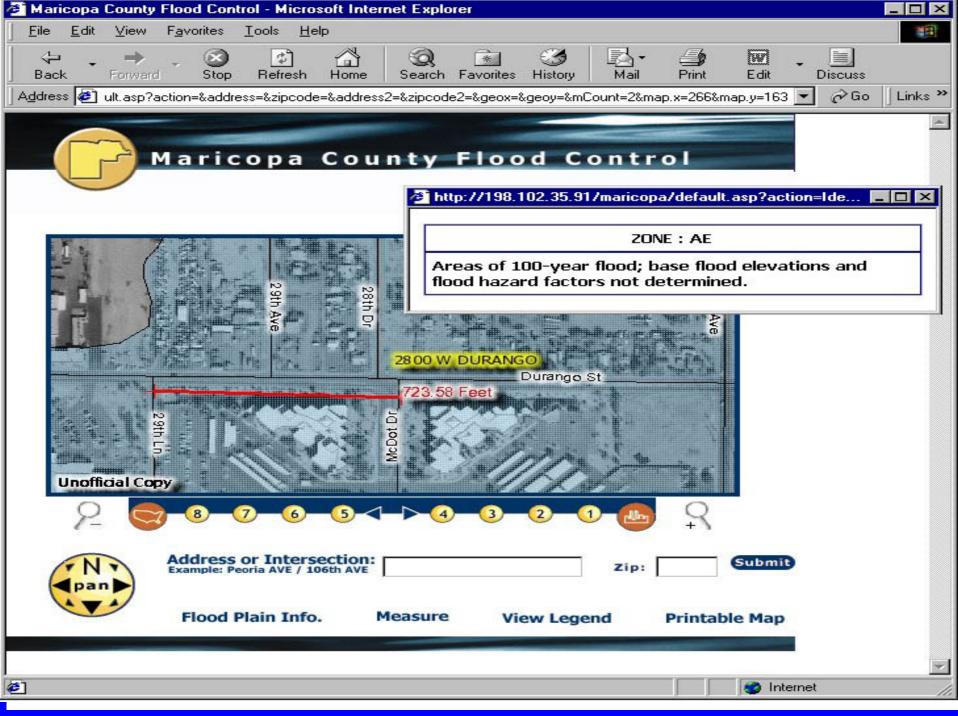


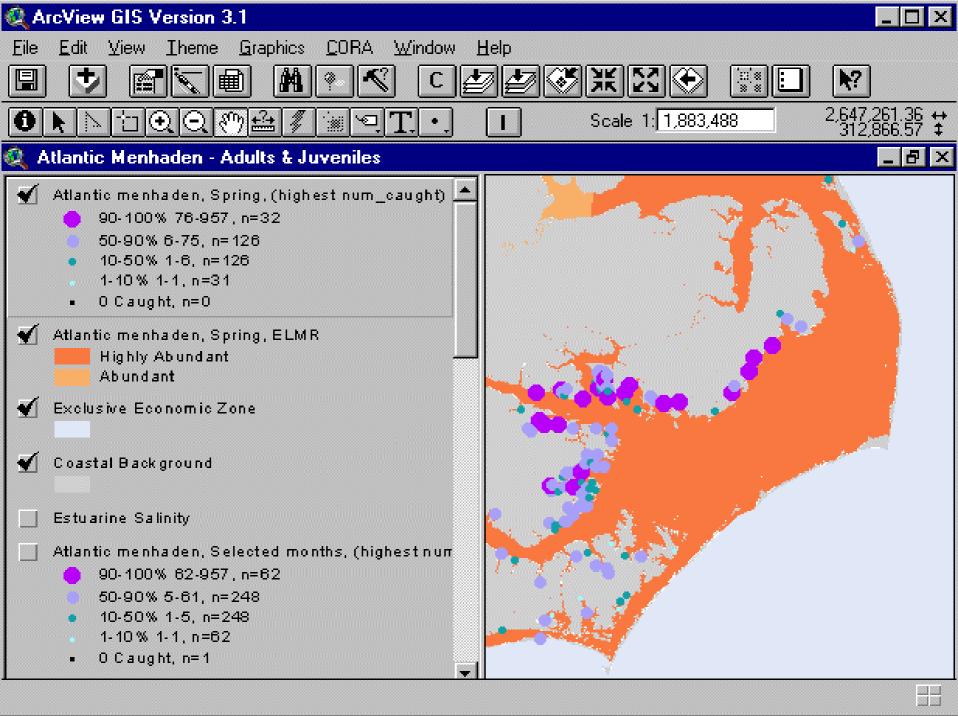
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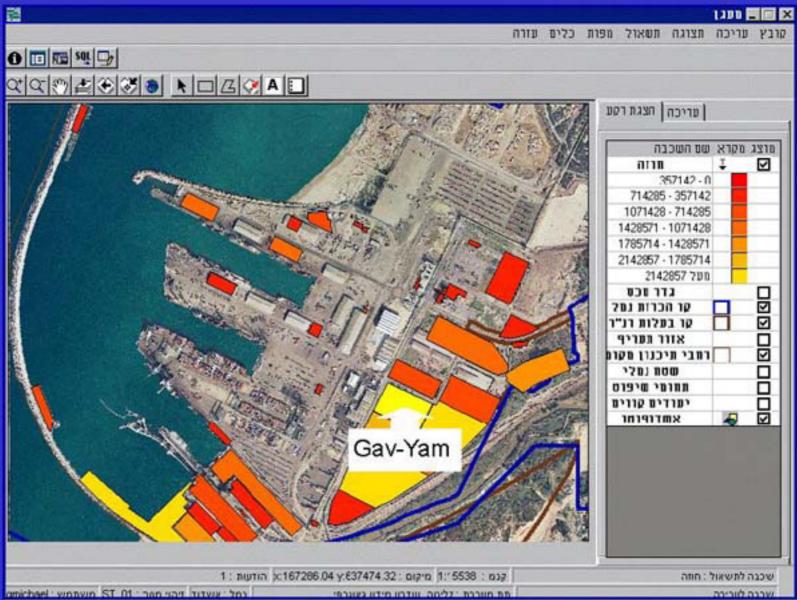




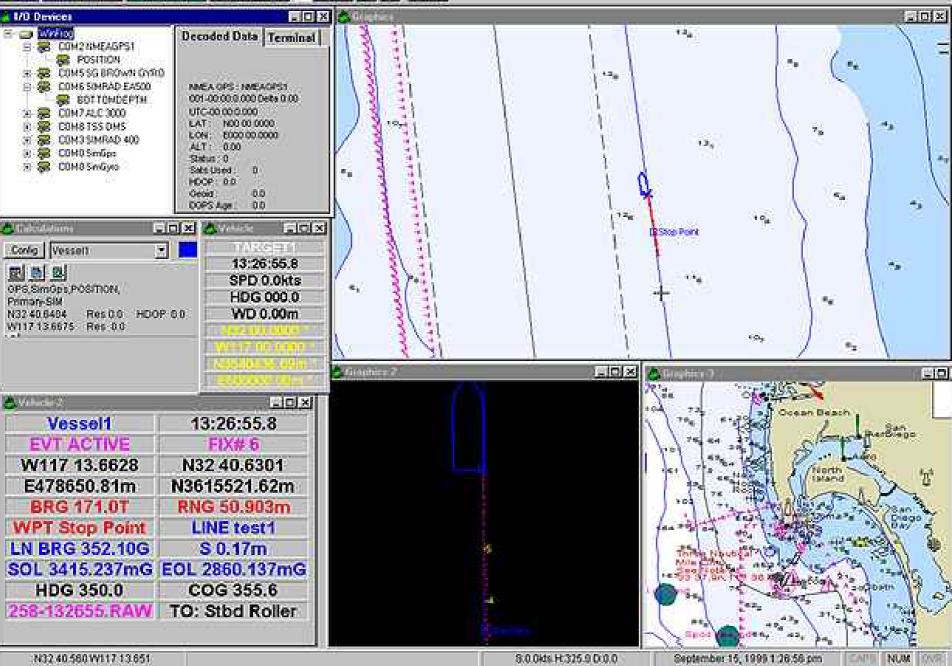
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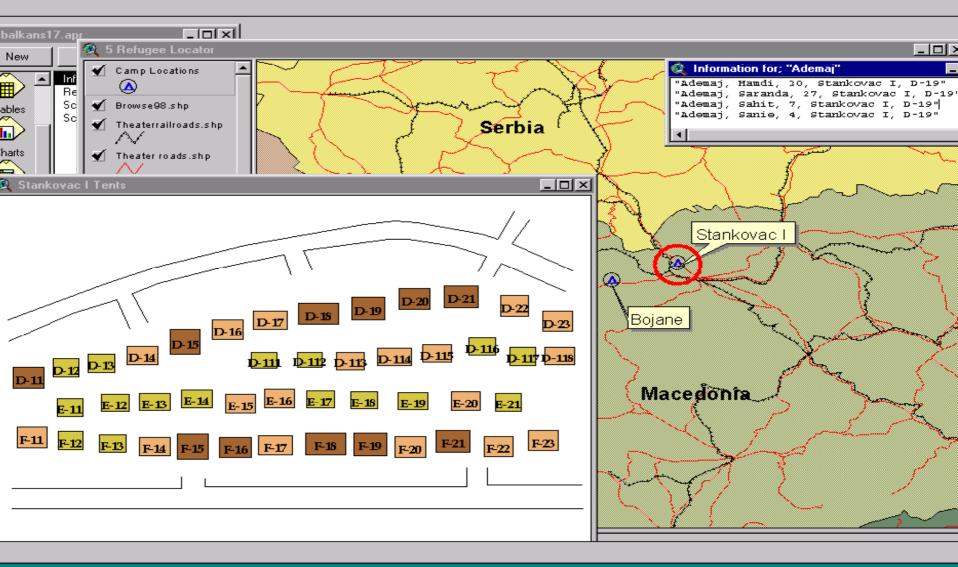




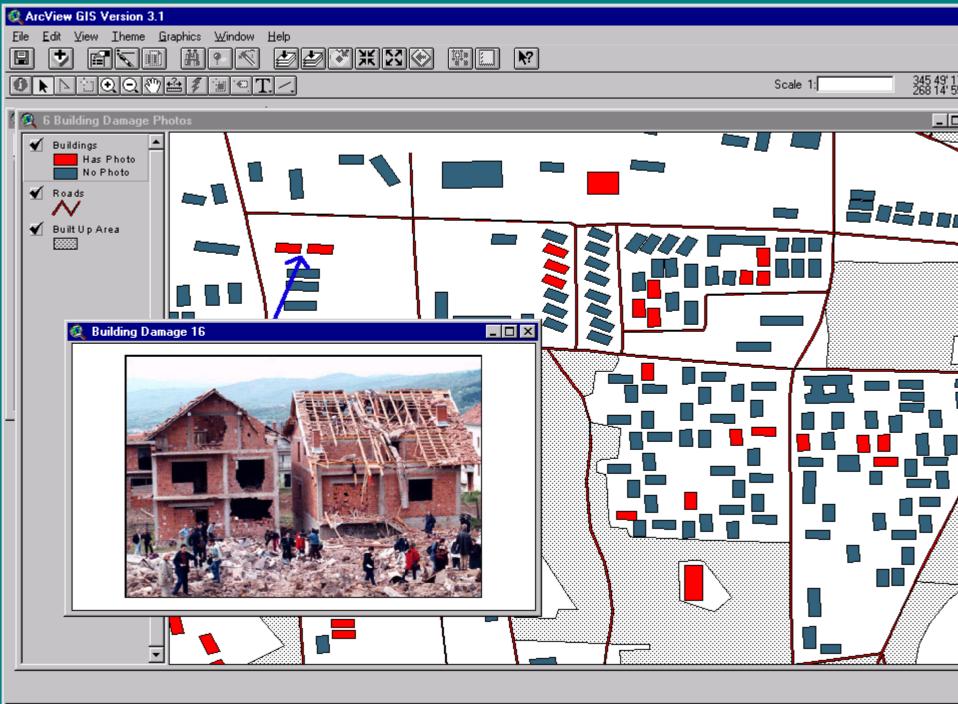


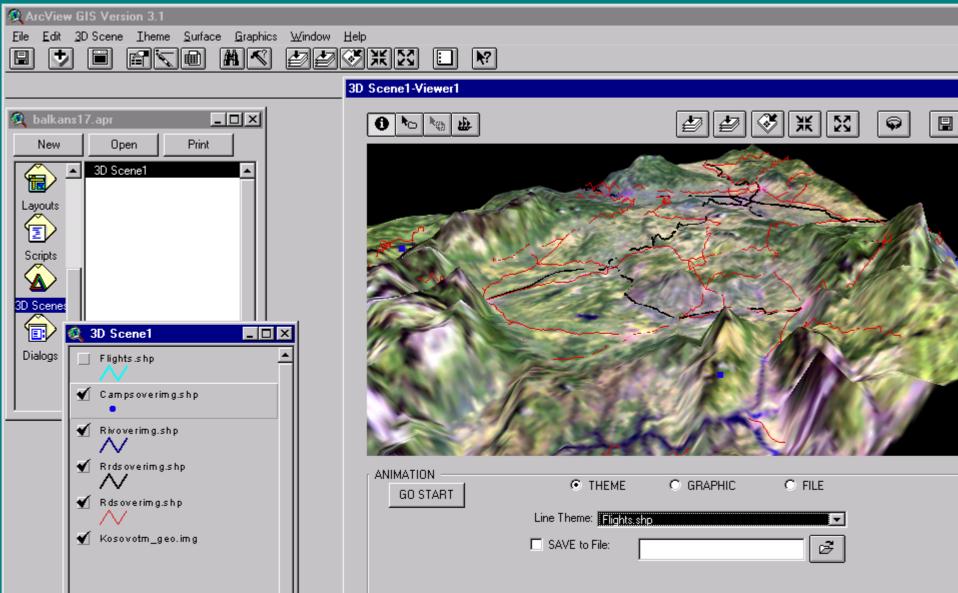


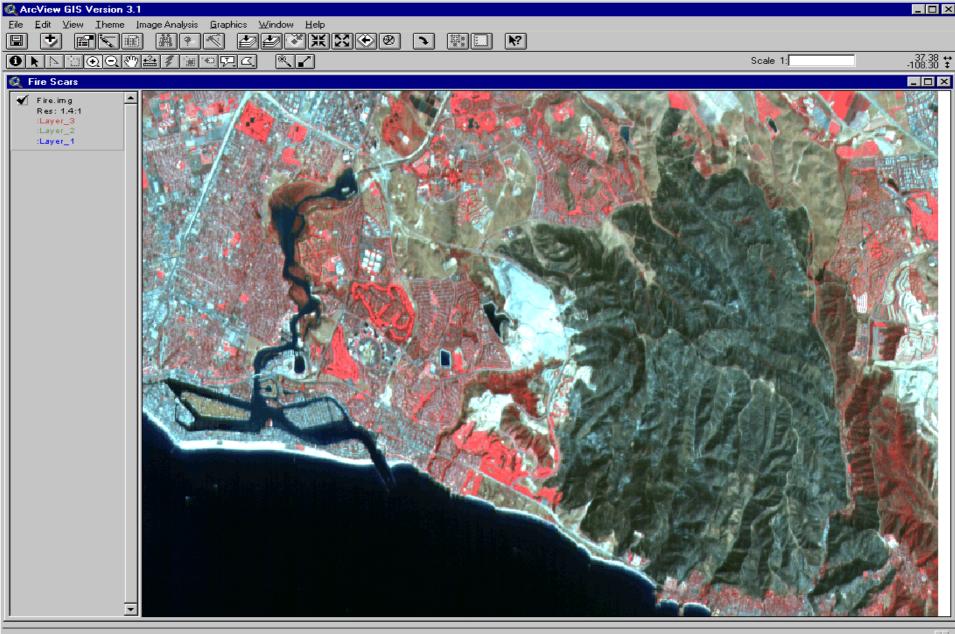




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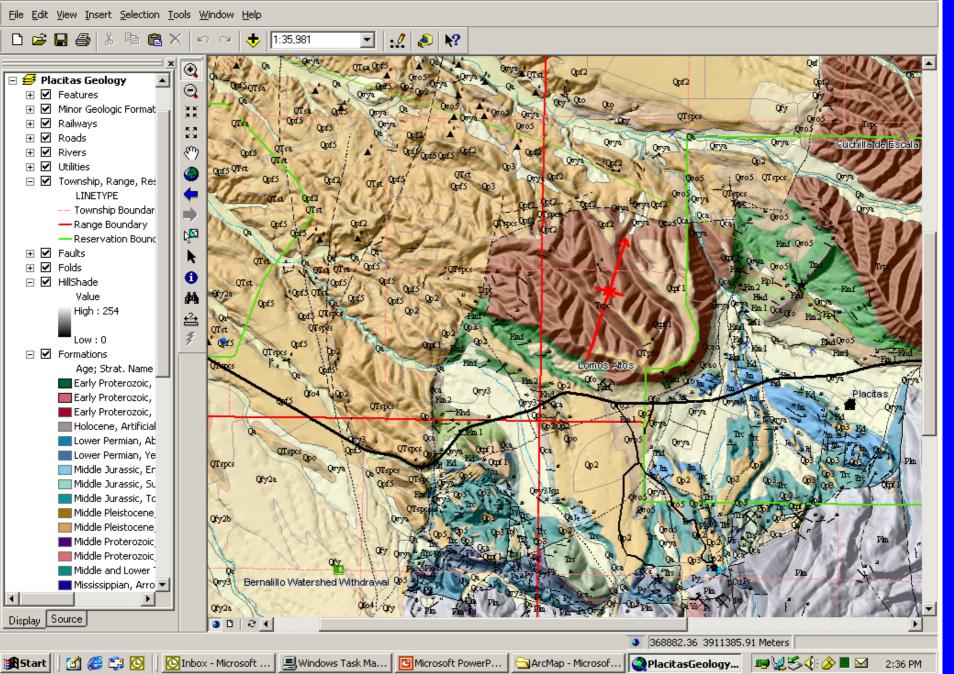


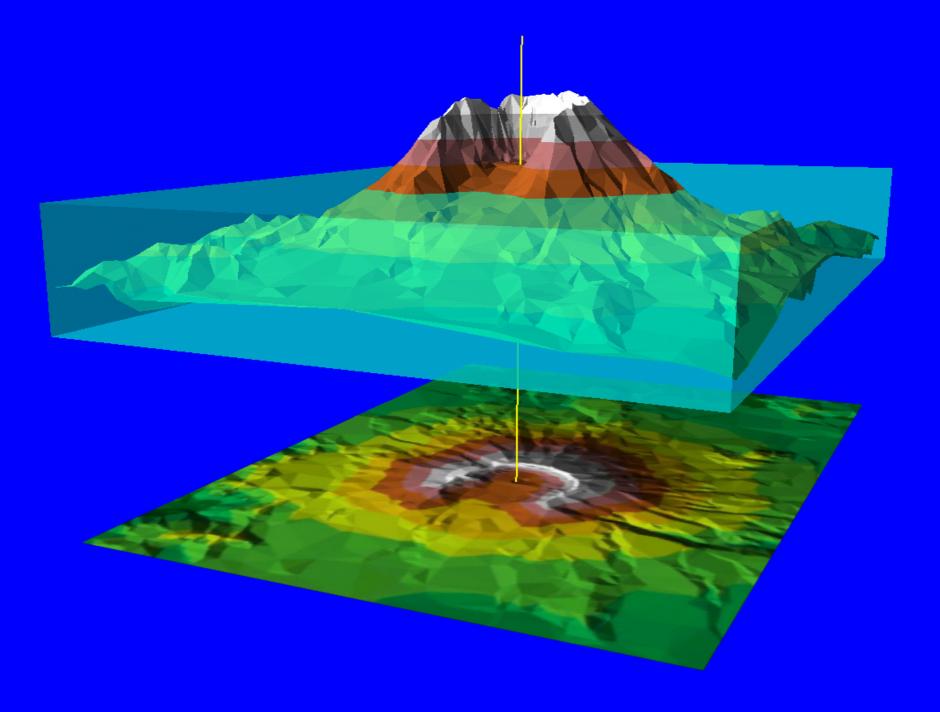




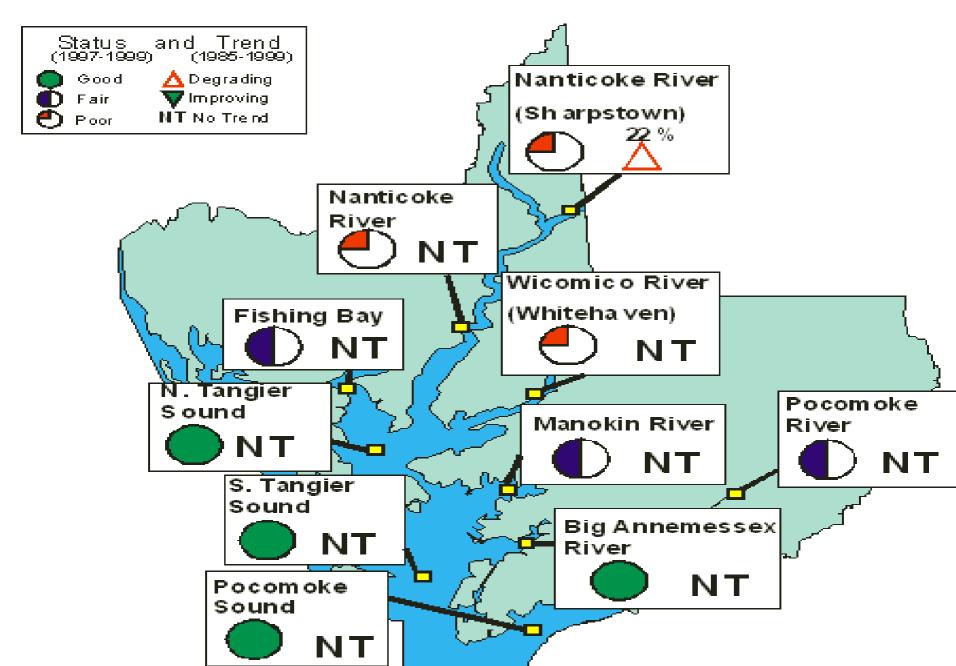
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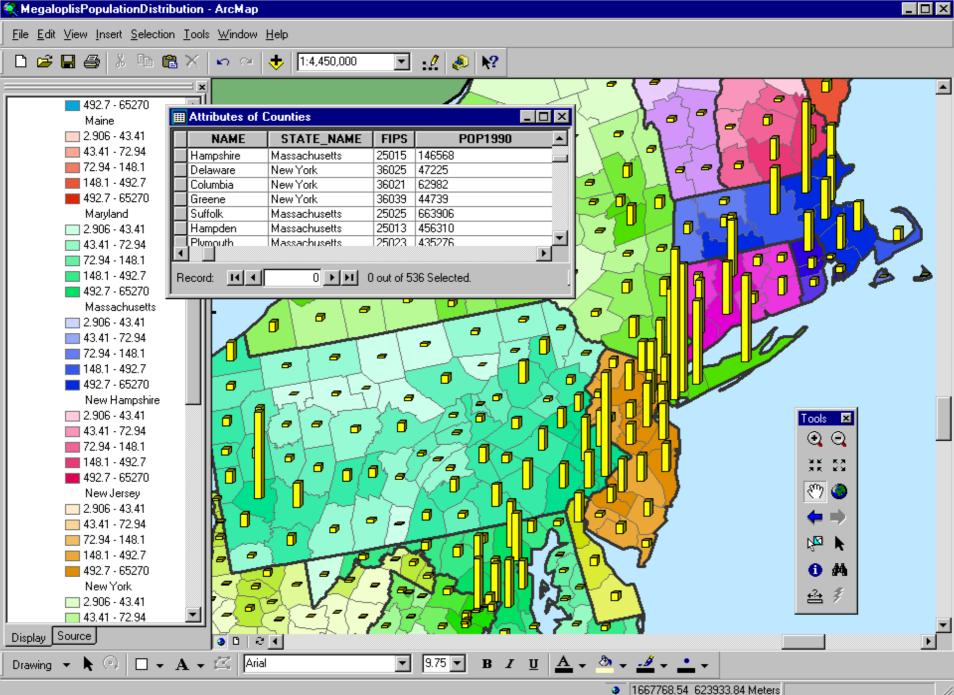






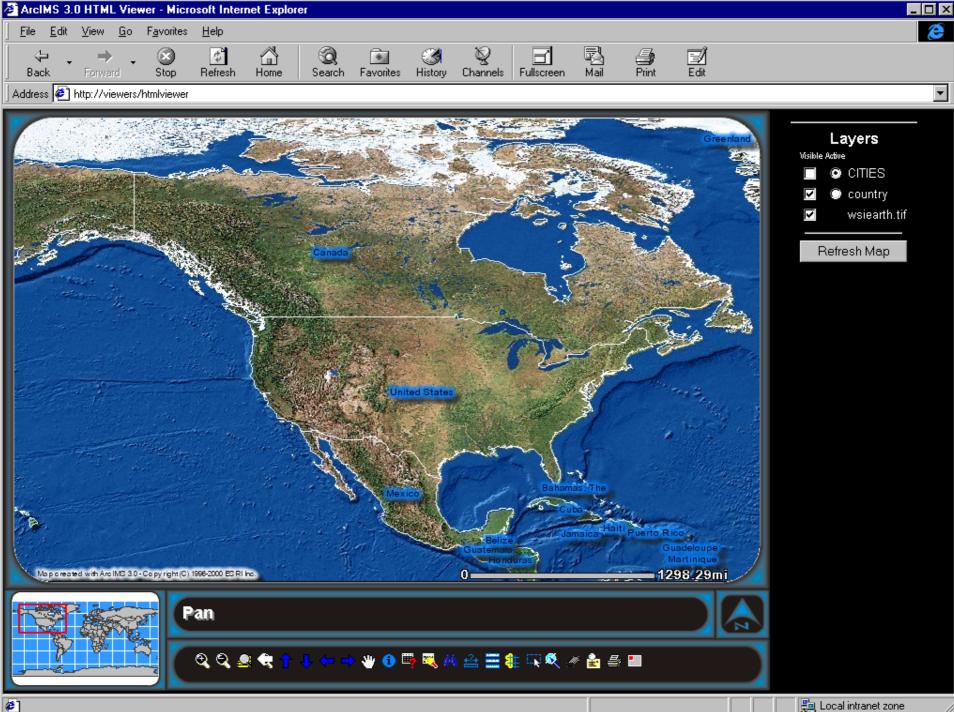
Total Nitrogen Concentrations







Applet started.



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Track of Hurricane Georges

From September 20 through 25, 1998





What are the elements of an SDI?

- Core Datasets
- Metadata
- Clearinghouse
- Standards
- Shared applications
- Institutional arrangements

Core/Framework Data Sets

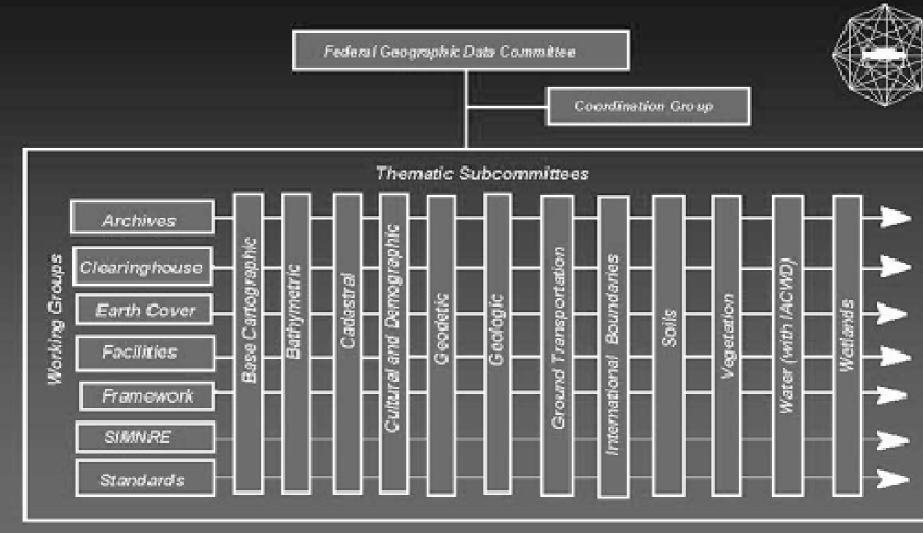
- <u>Common</u> themes of data.
- Every nation decides on their Framework.

• The US Framework.....

FGDC Framework Datasets

- Base Cartographic
- Bathymetric
- Cadastral
- Cultural and Demographic
- Geodetic
- Geologic
- Ground Transportation
- International Boundaries
- Soils
- Vegetation
- Water
- Wetlands

FGDC Structure

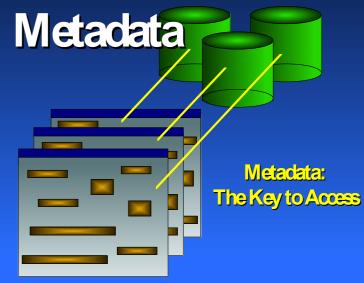


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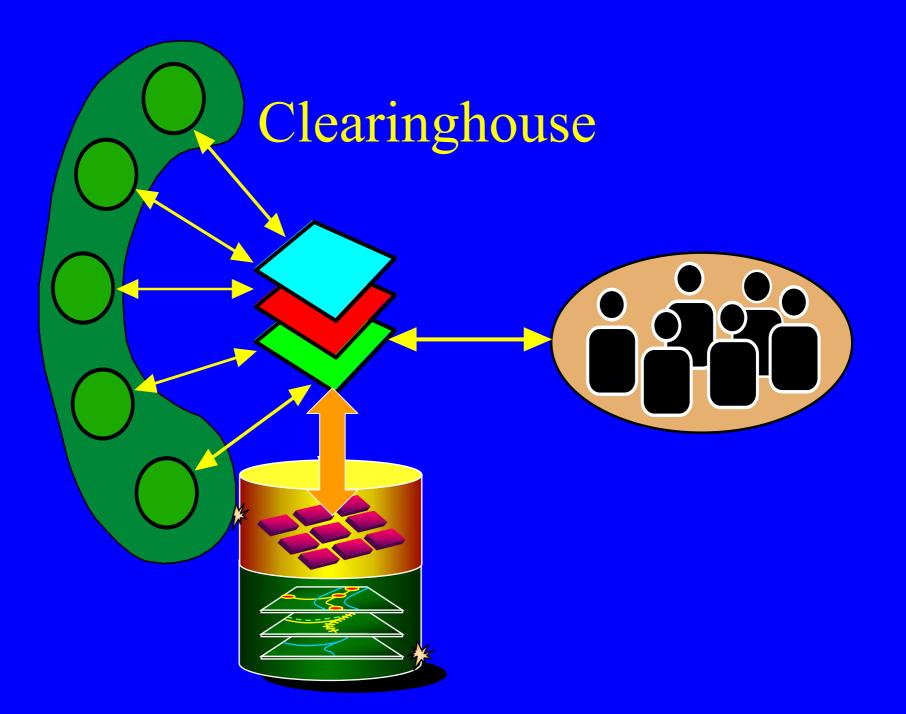
Meta Data

Information about the data -geographic area covered -currency -rules of acquiring -positional accuracy -means of encoding -datum -map projection



What is a Clearinghouse?

 "Distributed, electronically connected network of geospatial data."



What are Data Standards & Why are they important ?

- Facilitates exchange of information
- Comparison of similar measurements
- Analysis of information across disciplines
- Reduce lifecycle costs

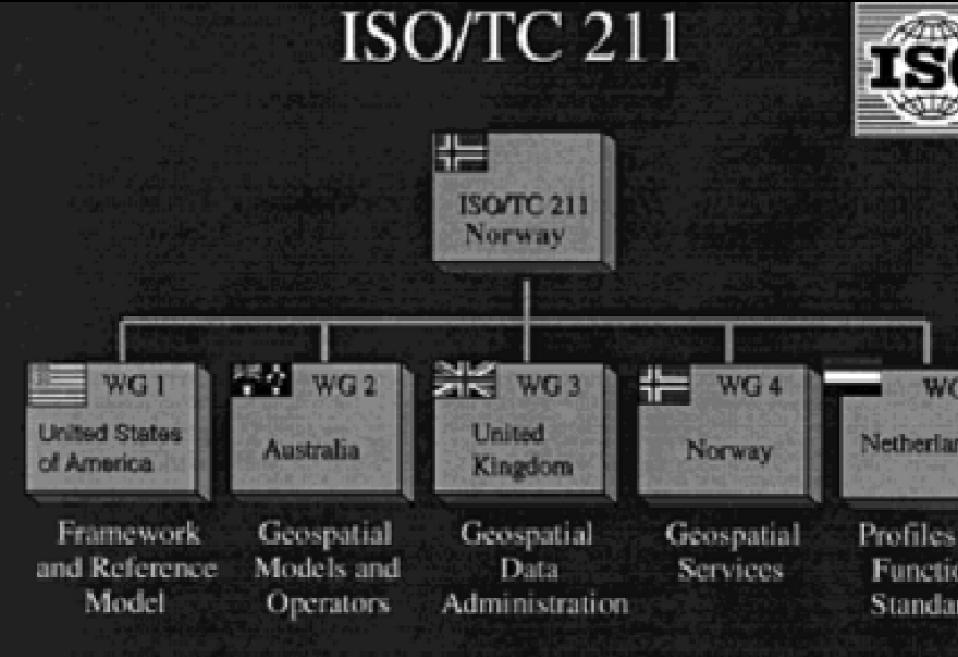


Data Standards

- Data classification attributes common to a group (wetlands or soil classification)
- Data content definition of a set of objects that become a data model.
- Data symbology
- Data transfer
- Data quality-accuracy.
- Data documentation
- Data Integration/Normalization.

Data Standards

- Common Coordinate Systems (Lat/Long or UTM)
- Networking Addressing Scheme
- Geographic Names
- Reference Datums
- Often driven by international standardssuch as IHO standards for bathymetric mapping.



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Data Standards

- Vector formats/exchange (SIF, DXF, SDTS, DIGEST, Shape)
- Raster formats/exchange (TIFF, JPEG, GIF)
- Attribute Data Exchange (ABC, SQL)
- Interoperability (OpenGIS Specification)

Data Standards

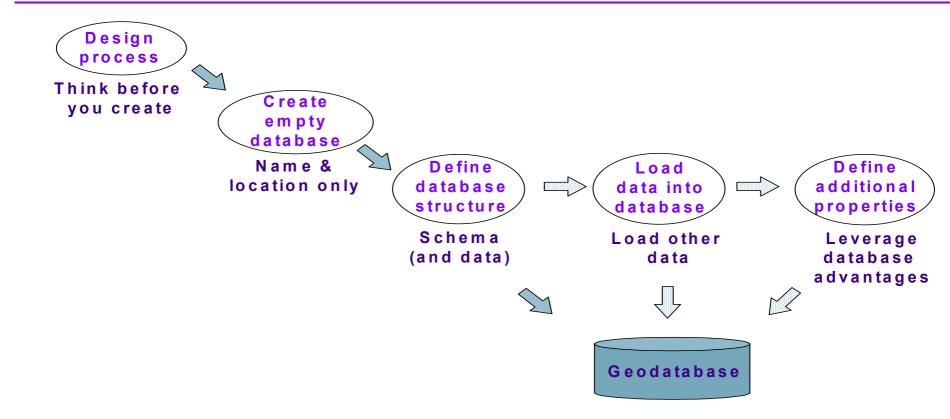
- Database Schemas (field length, format)
- Spatial Data coding (land use or zoning codes)
- Map design (placement of features, symbols, colors, sheet format, scale)
- Map accuracy (control pts, scales...)

Other standards to agree on -

- Database design
- User Interface
- Data formats/exchange
- Programming and application development languages
- User design standards

Steps in creating GeoData Base

Creating a geodatabase: overview

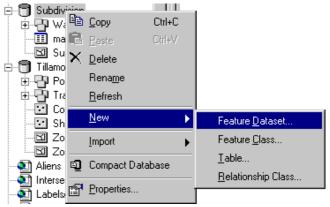


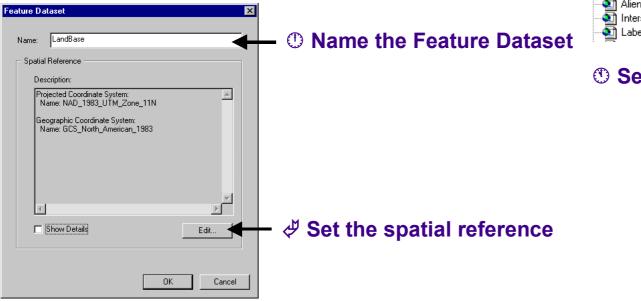
Creating feature datasets

Organizes feature classes (optional)

 Have spatial reference (feature classes inherit)

Select the geodatabase





③ Select New > Feature Dataset

What are the steps in building SDI?

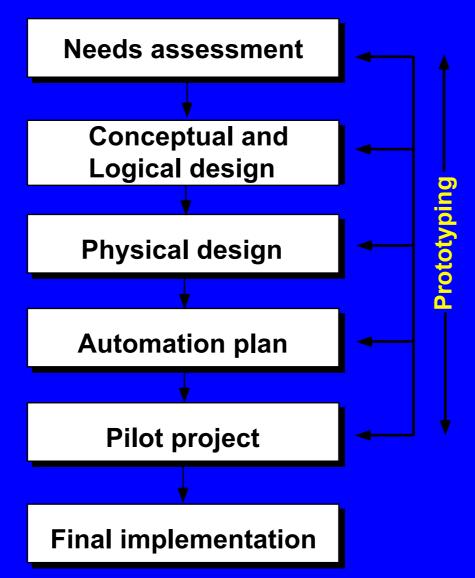


Institutional Agreements

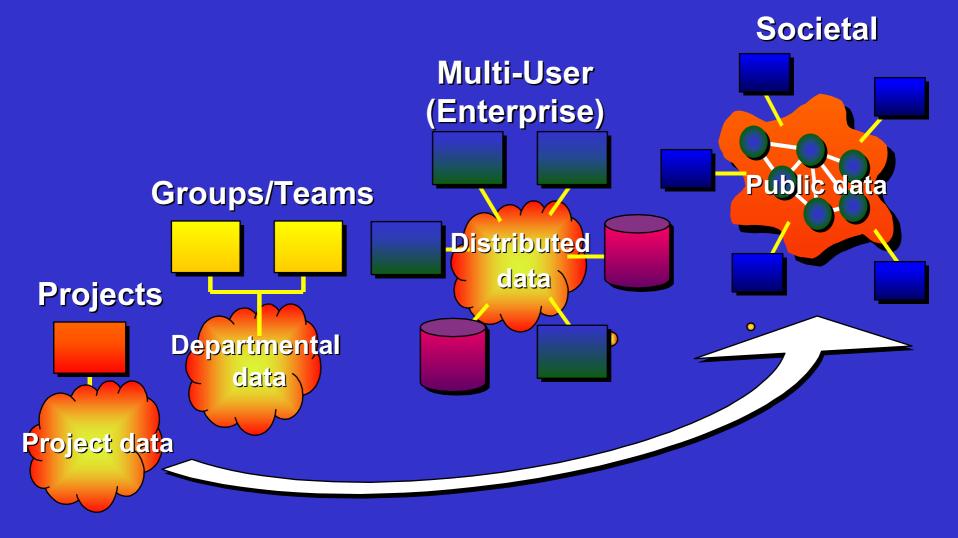
Technology Road Map

Shared Pilot Projects

"BIG Project" Road Map

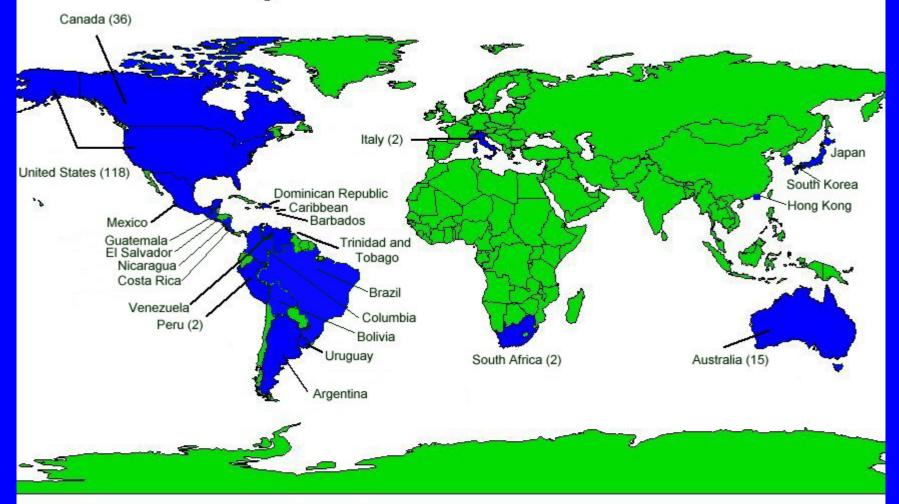


GIS Users

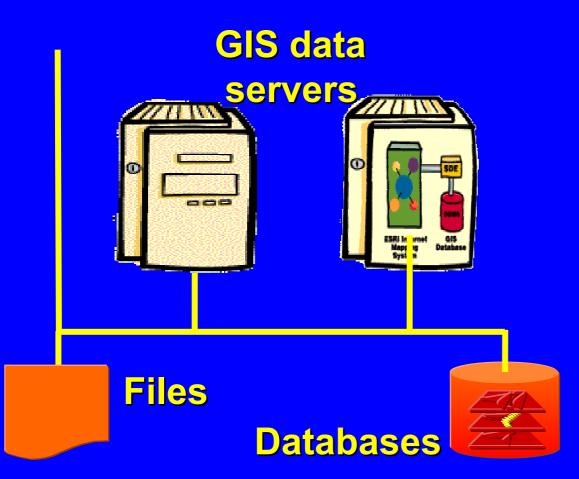


What are others doing? <u>www.fgdc</u> (International)

Clearinghouse Nodes Around the World

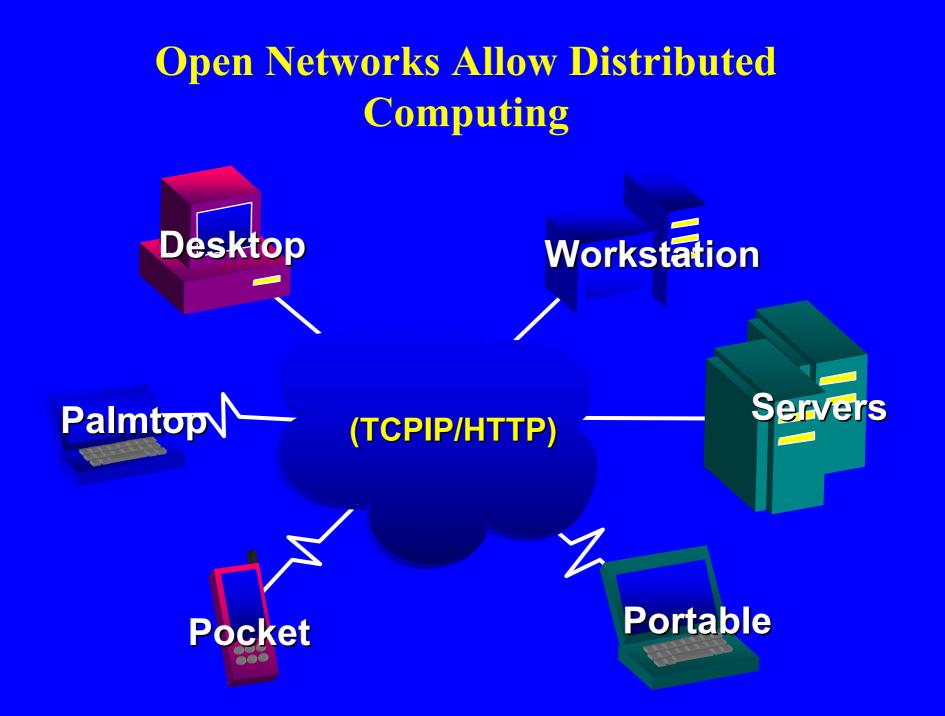


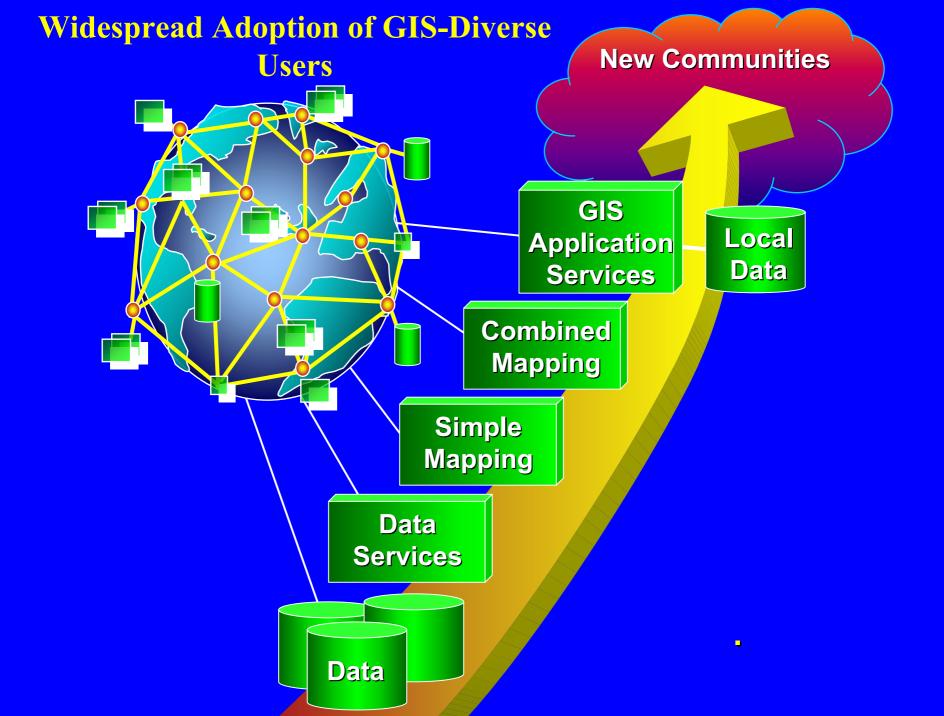
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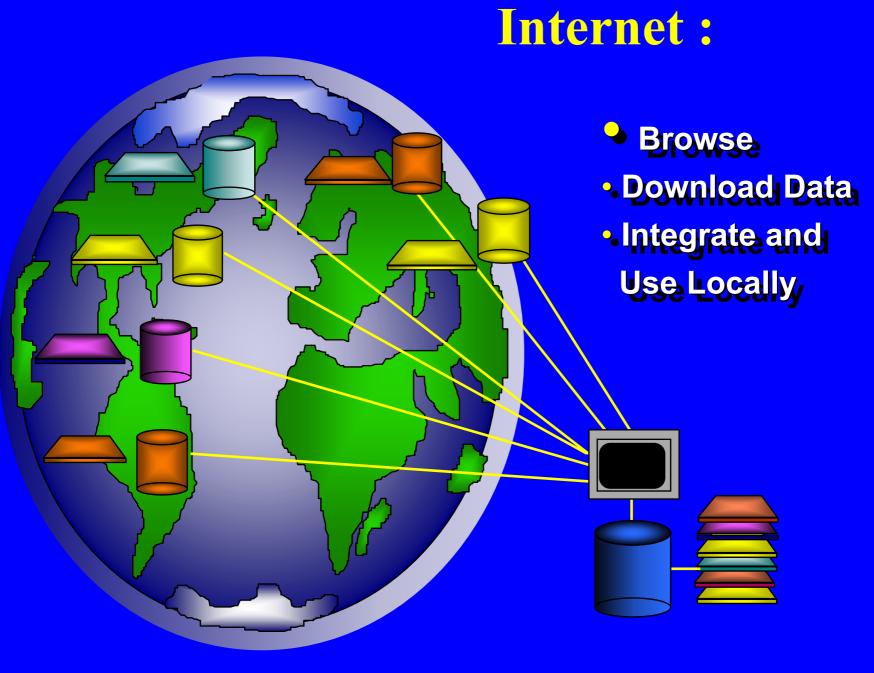


 GIS Technology

- Internet
- Data growth
- Cost reductions

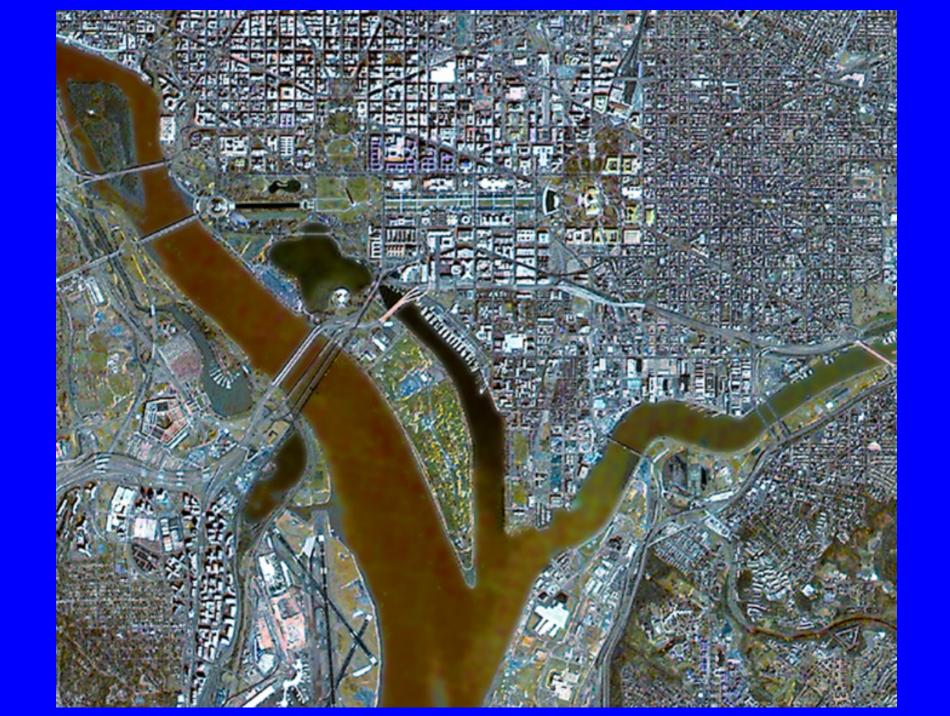


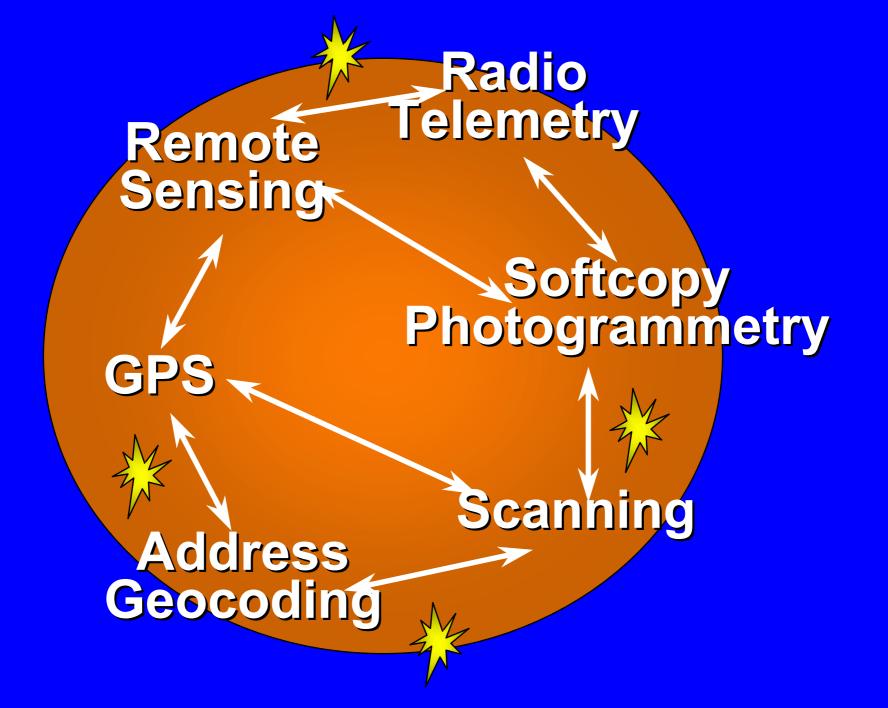




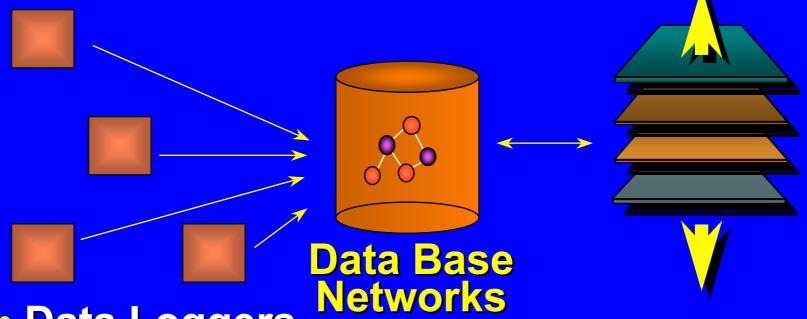






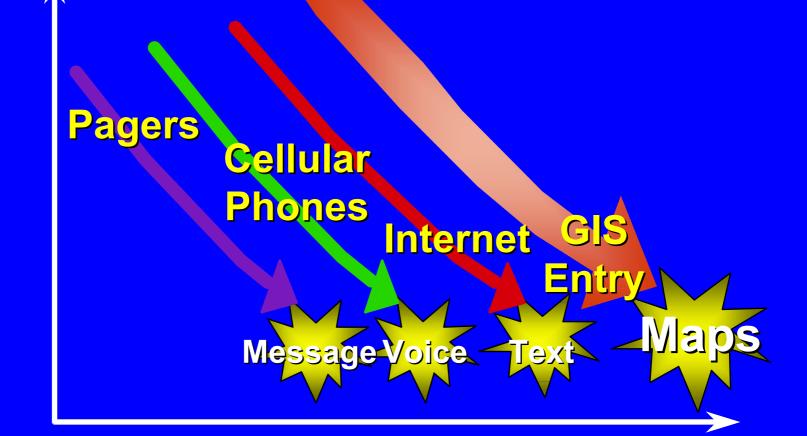


GIS and the Internet will Bring it Together

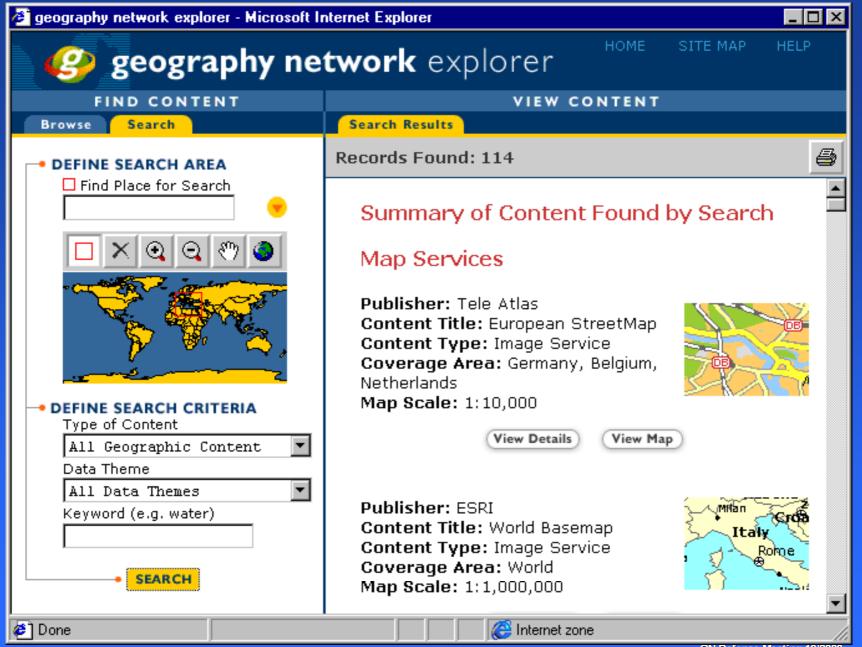


- Data Loggers
 GPS
- Remote Sensing

The Price Goes Down



The Emphasis Becomes the System/Infrastructure



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Goal of SDI for Chile:



Social Factors Bio-diversity Engineering Land Use Environmental Considerations

Integrating the parts... Means seeing the whole.

