Some Considerations on Sub-National Spatial Data Infrastructures

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Spatial Data Infrastructure

Source: The SDI Cookbook - Global Spatial Data Infrastructure Association

'The term "Spatial Data Infrastructure" (SDI) is often used to denote the relevant base collection of technologies, policies and institutional arrangements that facilitate the availability of and access to spatial data.'

'The SDI provides a basis for spatial data discovery, evaluation, and application for users and providers within all levels of government, the commercial sector, the nonprofit sector, academia and by citizens in general.'





Huge floodings in the world between 1985 and 2010







Tsunami 2004



SDI – why?



Box 3: The need for SDI

There has been significant rain falling for some days, and there is no indication of the rain abating in the near future. Flooding is a distinct possibility to be faced. It would be good to know what the risk of flooding is, and where people are living who should be evacuated, and what routes could be used to reach these people and transport them away from the area of danger. This implies the need for several kinds of information: where the river courses are, the elevation of the area near the rivers, where people live, and where there are roads. Does this data exist, and if so, would the data "owners" be prepared to provide this information to develop a disaster mitigation plan? Unless there is a central point to which one can go to find out what information is available, merely finding this out will take quite some effort and time. Next, assuming that somehow it is discovered that there are relevant datasets available, one needs to obtain the information from disparate sources, then integrate and process the information. In the course of this, one might discover that position of the road network depicted and the river courses clearly do not "fit" the real picture. More investigation, taking more time again, is called for, to discover how the co-ordinate systems used to reference these data differ, so that they can be aligned

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Components of an SDI







Classification of SDI hierarchy levels

Source: Rajabifard et al (1999)



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Regional Spatial Data Infrastructure (RSDI)



INSPIRE – Infrastructure for Spatial Information in Europe

EU INSPIRE Directive

- 1. came into force on 15 May 2007
- 2. full implementation required by 2019
- aims to create a European Union (EU) spatial data infrastructure → sharing of environmental spatial information among public sector organisations and better facilitate public access to spatial information across Europe







INSPIRE Principles

- INSPIRE IN Entrope
- 1. Data should be collected only once and kept where it can be maintained most effectively.
- 2. It should be possible to combine seamless spatial information from different sources across Europe and share it with many users and applications.
- 3. It should be possible for information collected at one level/scale to be shared with all levels/scales; detailed for thorough investigations, general for strategic purposes.
- 4. Geographic information needed for good governance at all levels should be readily and transparently available.
- 5. Easy to find what geographic information is available, how it can be used to meet a particular need, and under which conditions it can be acquired and used.





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INSPIRE Themes

Annex I

- Coordinate reference systems
- 2. Geographical grid systems
- 3. Geographical names
- 4. Administrative units
- 5. Addresses
- 6. Cadastral parcels
- 7. Transport networks
- 8. Hydrography
- 9. Protected sites

Annex II

- 1. Elevation
- 2. Land cover
- 3. Ortho-imagery

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4. Geology

Annex III

- 1. Statistical units
- 2. Buildings
- 3. Soil
- 4. Land use
- 5. Human health and safety
- 6. Utility and governmental services
- 7. Environmental monitoring facilities
- 8. Production and industrial facilities
- 9. Agricultural and aquaculture facilities
- 10.Population distribution – demography

11. Area management/ restriction/regulation zones & reporting units

- 12. Natural risk zones
- 13. Atmospheric conditions
- 14. Meteorological geographical features
- 15. Oceanographic geographical features
- 16. Sea regions
- 17. Bio-geographical regions
- 18. Habitats and biotopes
- 19. Species distribution
- 20. Energy Resources
- 21. Mineral resources













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SDI Germany within the European SDI framework

Source: adapted from Schilcher et al. (2009)







National Spatial Data Infrastructure (NSDI)









Source: Daniela Hogrebe, Andres von Dömming, Coordination Office SDI Germany

3 Administrative Levels: 13.000 Municipalities, 16 States and 1 Federation









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SDI Legislation in Germany

Source: BDVI, Germany

	Geodatenzugangsgesetz	Inkrafttreten	Quelle	Link
EU	RICHTLINIE 2007/2/EG vom 14. März 2007 zur Schaffung einer Geodateninfrastruktur in der Europäischen Gemeinschaft (INSPIRE)	15.05.2007	Amtsblatt der Europäischen Union L 108/1 vom 25.04.2007	http://eur-lex.europa.eu/
Bund	Geodatenzugangsgesetz (GeoZG) vom 10.02.2009	14.02.2009	BGBI I Nr. 8 S. 278 vom 13.02.2009	http://bundesrecht.juris.de/geozg/
Baden- Württemberg	Landesgeodatenzugangsgesetz (LGeoZG) vom 17.12.2009	24.12.2009	GBI. 2009, 802	http://www.landesrecht-bw.de
Bayern	Bayerisches Geodateninfrastrukturgesetz (BayGDIG) vom 22.07.2008	01.08.2008	GVBI 2008, S. 453 vom 22.07.2008	http://by.juris.de/by/gesamt/GDIG_BY.htm
Berlin	Geodatenzugangsgesetz Berlin (GeoZG Bln) vom 03.12.2009	13.12.2009	GVBI. vom 12.12.2009 S. 682	http://www.stadtentwicklung.berlin.de/geoinformation/geodateninfrastruktur /download/GeoZG_Bln.pdf
Brandenburg	Brandenburgisches Geodateninfrastrukturgesetz (BbgGDIG) vom 13.04.2010	14.04.2010	GVBI. I - 2010, Nr. 17	http://www.bravors.brandenburg.de
Bremen	Bremisches Geodatenzugangsgesetz (BremGeoZG) vom 24.11.2009	10.12.2009	Brem. GBI. 65/2009 S. 531	http://www.gdi-sh.de/GeoZG-Bremen.pdf
Hamburg	Hamburgisches Geodateninfrastrukturgesetz (HmbGDIG) vom 15.12.2009	31.12.2009 (?)	HmbGVBI. Nr. 57/2009 S. 528 vom 30.12.2009	http://www.luewu.de/gvbl/2009/57.pdf
Hessen	Gesetz zur Änderung des Hessischen Vermessungs- und Geoinformationsgesetzes und des Denkmalschutzgesetzes v. 4.3.2010	17.03.2010	GVBI. I 2007, 548 v. 16.03.2010	http://www.rv.hessenrecht.hessen.de/
Mecklenburg- Vorpommern	Geoinformations- und Vermessungsgesetz (GeoVermG M-V) vom 16.12.2010	30.12.2010	GVOBI. M-V 2010, S. 713	http://www.landesrecht-mv.de/jportal/
Niedersachsen	Niedersächsisches Geodateninfrastruktur- gesetz (NGDIG) vom 17.12.2010	29.12.2010	Nds. GVBI. 2010, 624	http://www.nds-voris.de/jportal/
NRW	Geodatenzugangsgesetz (GeoZG NRW) vom 17.02.2009	18.02.2009	GV. NRW. 5/2009 S. 84	https://recht.nrw.de/
Rheinland-Pfalz	Landesgeodateninfrastrukturgesetz (LGDIG) vom 23.12.2010	31.12.2010	GVBI 2010, S. 548	http://rlp.juris.de/rlp/gesamt/GDIG_RP.htm
Saarland	Saarländisches Geodateninfrastrukturgesetz (SGDIG) vom 01.07.2009	28.08.2009 (befristet bis 31.12.2015)	Amtsbl. d. Saarl. vom 27.08.2009 S. 1426	http://sl.juris.de
Sachsen	Gesetz über die Geodateninfrastruktur im Freistaat Sachsen (SächsGDIG) v. 19.05.2010	05.06.2010	SächsGVBI. Nr. 6/2010 S. 134 v. 04.06.2010	http://www.gdi-de.org/download/inspire_gesetze/SaechsGDIG.pdf
Sachsen-Anhalt	Geodateninfrastrukturgesetz für das Land Sachsen-Anhalt (GDIG LSA) vom 14.07.2009	21.07.2009	GVBI. LSA 13/2009, S. 368 vom 20.07.2009	http://www.landesrecht.sachsen-anhalt.de
Schleswig-Holstein	Geodateninfrastrukturgesetz für das Land Schleswig-Holstein (GDIG) vom 15.12.2010	24.12.2010	GVOBI. 2010, 717	http://www.gesetze-rechtsprechung.sh.juris.de/
Thüringen	Thüringer Geodateninfrastrukturgesetz (ThürGDIG) vom 08.07.2009	31.07.2009	GVBI 10/2009 S.574	http://landesrecht.thueringen.de/





Geoportal Bund, Protected area information

Source: http://ims1.bkg.bund.de/navmpsg/basicviewer.jsp



Geoportal Bund, Protected area information

zoomed view to the Rhein-Main area around Frankfurt Source: http://ims1.bkg.bund.de/navmpsg/basicviewer.jsp



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Sub-National SDI's

Sub-National SDI is a very heterogeneous field

Rural areas $\leftarrow \rightarrow$ Urban areas

Small administration units $\leftarrow \rightarrow$ large administration units

Non-established basic ICT Infrastructure $\leftarrow \rightarrow$ well established basic ICT infrastructure

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Megacities: home to 10 million or more



- 2015 Latin
 America, Central
 Africa, Asia
- 2005 Latin
 America, India,
 North America,
 Asia
- 1950s New York, Tokyo, Buenos
 Aires, European
 Capitals

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Problems to be managed within Large Cities

- >Transport, Traffic congestion
- >Energy inadequacy
- ➢Informal development, lack of services
- >Insecurity, crime
- ≻ Water, soil, air pollution
- ➢ Poor natural hazards management

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➤Climate change





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Place matters - all have a spatial dimension

- Food, water and energy insecurity
- Informal development, high urban densities, dilapidated city centers
- Lack of green areas and of buildings reflecting local cultural heritage,
- Transportation problems, traffic congestion and accidents
- Lack of basic services, insecurity of tenure, informal real estate markets
- Unsustainable land use and inefficient land administration systems
- Creation of slums, criminality
- Difficulty in natural hazards management
- Water, soil and air pollution, climate change
- Weak institutions to resolve conflict
- Inefficient administration, bad governance





FIG publication 48: Rapid Urbanization and Mega Cities

As cities get larger spatial information is becoming a key resource in efficient delivery of e-government services, public safety, national security and asset management.

In this FIG research study, it is proposed that a city-wide spatial data infrastructure linked to similar structures in other levels of government, can provide a sustainable solution to many problems of mega cities.

FIG REPORT IG PUBLICATIO Rapid Urbanization and Mega Cities: The Need for Spatial Information Management Research study by FIG Commission 3

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Spatial Information – how can it be used? (1)

Issue	Use of spatial information	Examples
Environmental		
Land use planning	Describe spatial extent of allowable land uses	Land zoning maps
Impact of development	Describe land capability and sustainability	Terrain maps showing vulnerability to land slippage
Impact of climate change	Vulnerability to rising sea level and tidal surges	Flood prone land mapping and real-time weather mapping
Access to water	Location of dams and fresh and waste water reticulation networks	Catchment terrain maps
Pollution and hazards	Location of broad and point specific pollution and hazardous wastes	Inventory of properties where hazardous wastes are stored





Spatial Information – how can it be used? (2)

lssue	Use of spatial information	Examples			
Governance					
Land allocation	Describe pattern of current land use	Digital cadastral database			
Access to serviced land	Current location of serviced land	Cadastral map overlaid by current aerial photography and utility service networks			
Secure property rights	Spatial extent of existing property rights	Land titles register containing all rights, restrictions and obligations for each property			
Community participation	Public access to cadastral, planning and environmental information affecting individuals and the community	Public display of proposed developments, land suitability and other maps			
Fiscal sustainability	Comprehensive and accurate records of the extent of existing property rights and land use	Land valuations shown on cadastral maps			
Public safety	Comprehensive data about roads, properties and hazards	Emergency dispatch system; bushfire models			
Slum reduction	Location of vacant or under-utilised land and population growth predictions	Current aerial photography, predictive modeling of land use			
Measuring performance	Land change over time	Land change mapping			





Spatial Information – how can it be used? (3)

	lssue	Use of spatial information	Examples			
Social a	Social and economic infrastructure					
Employr	nent	Location of existing enterprises and land zoning for future business use based on predicted population growth	Maps showing land zoned for business use			
Commu	nal facilities	Location of land set aside for communal facilities	Street map showing location of communal facilities			
Utility se	rvices	Location and attributes of fresh water, sewer, storm water, electricity and telephone networks	Cadastral maps showing utility services			
Transpo	rt	Location and attributes of public roads	In car navigation device using up-to-date road network and GPS			
Externa	External effects					
Rural su	istainability	Location, size and productive capacity of rural properties	Satellite images of rural areas overlaid by cadastral boundaries			
Access	to raw materials	Location of sources of food and mineral production and transportation corridors for their movement to the city	Topographic mapping series			













SDI application in the Pan American region



Results

NSDI

 In the whole Pan American region spatial data are available via distributed applications

Mega City SDI

- In Mexico City the SDI development status is unknown
- Los Angeles and Buenos Aires provide for primary and secondary spatial data
- Sao Paulo, Rio de Janeiro and New York City data access via widespread WebGIS applications is available





Example: SDI application in Buenos Aires



Mapa Buenos Aires

•Open Source WebGIS development, which covers a range of applications like health, education, tourism, sports, culture, social services etc.

 Access to information down to parcel units

 Access on thematic maps in digital and analogue format

 Access on historical maps (a viewer enables comparison of historical orthofotos with current orthofotos

http://mapa.buenosaires.gov.ar/sig/index.phtml

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Public access to parcel information of the City of Buenos Aires







Sub-National SDI in Uruguay

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(Uruguay)

Public and Accessible Geographic Information at Montevideo City Hall

Paper to be presented on Tue, 27 Nov, TS 04C







SDI application in the European region



Results

NSDI

- Development of a SDI master plan for Russia
- Turkey has produced a variety of primary spatial data
- In France and the UK spatial data are accessible via a Geoportal

Mega City SDI

- In Moscow the SDI development status is unknown
- In Paris a WebGIS application enables the visualization of different primary and secondary data
- London and Istanbul provides for different systems with spatial data access

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Example: SDI applications in London





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COMPASS

- Government of London provides for online system COMPASS, access to information about the city via different layers and generation of interactive Maps
- Spatial queries like "where is our nearest service"
- Information about planning policies http://www.cityoflondon.gov.uk/~ Corporation/maps/~

Newham Neighbourhood Information System (NIMS)

- Access to data on economic, social and environmental conditions of the borough
- NIMS holds approximately 260 data-sets, equating to over 5,000 individual pieces of information
- Maps, charts, data download, comparison with other boroughs of London

http://www.newham.info/iads/



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The greater Paris master plan project – Transportation



au sein de l'aggiomération rapidhé, costionnement, confort au sein de la région pôle d'échange ferrovisire Mailler les transports collectifs par des lignes structurantes de rocade

Réorganiser et renforcer les services

haute capacité et fréquence

ferroviaires radiaux



Développer les transports collectifs en site propre sur voirie

bassin de desserte à structurer par des transports collectifs en site propre sur voirie

S'appuyer sur les polarités existantes et en devenir

- pôle urbain pôle urbain à l'accessibilit
- pôle urbain à l'accessibilité accrue
 pôle urbain nouveau

10 km

N Source : MU ktF 0 MU ktF 2008

conforter les bassins de déplacements hors agglomération

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The greater Paris master plan project – Water sanitation



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10 km

50 000 100 000

250 000 500 000 1 000 000

5 000 000 0 000 000

l'assainissement de l'applomération, une part des rejets est transférée vers les grands cours d'eau, diminuant d'autant la pression exercée en amont

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The greater Paris master plan project – Housing



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source : Schéma directeur de la région Île-de-France, projet adopté par délibération du Conseil régional le 25 septembre 2008, sous réserve de contrôle de légalité





SDI application in the African Region (2008)



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Results

- No findings for **Egypt** and **Cairo**
- **Nigeria** has developed a countrywide SDI Master plan and one for **Lagos state**



Digital Egypt (2009)



- WebGIS- Application launched in April 2009
- Development of a private Egyptian company
- Covers Governorate of Cairo, cities of Sharm El Sheilh, Hurghada, the Northern Coast and 122 cities as point objects

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- Find businesses
- Locate streets and landmarks
- Measure distances and areas
- Obtain point coordinates



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Digital Egypt (2009) Search for properties







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Digital Egypt (2009) Search for landmarks







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Federal Structure of Federal Republic of Germany

Federal State of Rheinland-Pfalz consisting of 24 counties







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Geospatial basic data countrywide available in Germany

Real estate record (left), Real estate map (right),

Source: Landesamt für Vermessung und Geobasisinformation Rheinland-Pfalz



Geospatial basic data countrywide available in Germany

Digital orthophoto (left), topographic map (half left), digital height model (half right), digital landscape model (right) Source: Landesamt für Vermessung und Geobasisinformation Rheinland-Pfalz







Use of Geospatial Basic Data across County Administration Departments

Information retrieval from automated land survey register (ALK) and automated register of real owners (ALB) Source: County administration of Bernkastel-Wittlich



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Applications in the Department of Buildings and Environment

OGC Web Map Service WMS Protection areas (left), direct link to the describing textual information (right) Source: County administration of Bernkastel-Wittlich







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Applications in the Department of Buildings and Environment

Interactive Processing of building permit applications by using WMS providing for legally binding land-use plans Source: County administration of Bernkastel-Wittlich



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Applications in the Health Department

Simulation of avian influenza case and resulting possibly affected locations

Source: County administration of Bernkastel-Wittlich







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Applications in the Planning Department

Examination of potential locations for wind power stations Source: County administration of Bernkastel-Wittlich







Integration of commune SDI into GDI-RP federal state SDI

Preparatory land-use plan within federal Rheinland-Pfalz state SDI provided by county administration Source: http://www.geoportal.rlp.de/

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Integration of commune SDI into GDI-RP Federal State SDI

Provision of preparatory land-use plan and land values within federal state SDI Source: http://www.geoportal.rlp.de/

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Some Conclusions (1)

- The challenges to implement an operational SDI at the SDI levels GSDI, RSDI, NSDI, LSDI are considerably different.
- The Sub-National level of public administration is particularly important, because many spatially related decisions are taken at the Sub-National level and, consequently, because many geospatial data exist at that level,
- The efforts to establish working SDI's are taken more or less seriously in different regions of the world.
- Sub-National SDI's form important components in layer oriented SDI's





Some Conclusions (2)

- SDI implementation at all levels enables to fulfil many basic needs of citizens and public administration by providing many basic spatial data in needed formats
- Careful SDI design and implementation at the local level is indispensable for establishing a working SDI at all higher levels
- Consideration of standards, mainly those defined by OGC makes it possible to integrate local SDI bricks smoothly into an overall SDI
- Many questions concerning semantic interoperability, metadata specification and maintenance not yet answered in a sufficient way





Further Work (1)

- FIG Working Period 2011 2014
- FIG Commission 3 Working Group 3.1 Spatial Information Management
- Core Topic for the term 2011-2014
- Spatial Information Management in Urban Areas







Further Work (2)

 FIG Commission 3 Working Group 3.1 Spatial Information Management Chair Hartmut Müller



- Spatial Information Management in Urban Areas
- Work Plan 2011 2014
- Build on a number of FIG Publications already available (No. 48 Rapid Urbanization and Mega Cities: The Need for Spatial Information Management, Research Study by FIG Commission 3, and other FIG publications)
- Cover the complete scale of urban areas in terms of population (small and medium size towns up to mega cities, inhabitants 500.000+)
- Use the FIG infrastructure network (partnerships and co-operation agreements),





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