

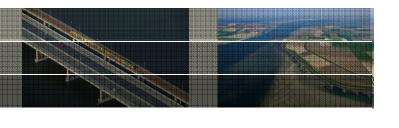


# **Spatial RDBMS**

PostgreSQL + PostGIS

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# Players in the field















## **Spatial RDBMS**

### **PostgreSQL** with **PostGIS** is a RDBMS...

- with support for a geometry type (point, line, polygon)
- able to index this geometry type data
- which has functions for the geometry type data

... and hence is able to answer GIS questions directly and on large volumes of data.

The DBMS is aware of the spatial data.



# Spatial RDBMS (2)

#### Why use PostGIS?

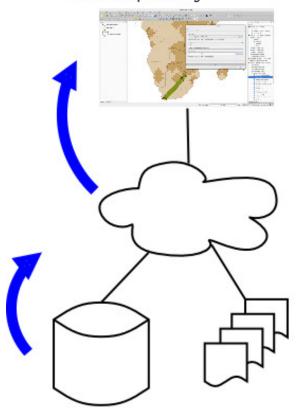
- Transactional integrity
   (concurrent users, concurrent edits)
- Data integrity
   (enforced by constraints)
- Uniform storage, management and access (by means of OGC standards and SQL)

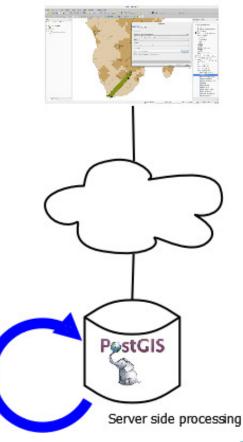


# **Spatial RDBMS(3)**

## Why use Postgis? (cont.)

#### Client side processing

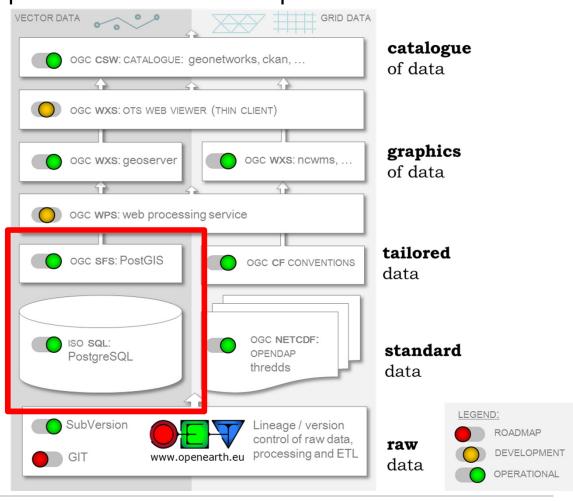






## **OpenEarth**

## Position Spatial RDBMS within OpenEarth:





# Network topologies

