



Spatial Information Systems

Advanced basics of geographic information systems



Exercise WiSe 2024/25

(Course notes for internal use only!)



Exercise 4

- (1) Summary Exercise 3
- (2) Exercise 4 (task and workflow)

(1) Summary Exercise 3

Sum of exercise 3

- Most Submissions were complete and in time (group 12 & 13 ?)
- Part 1:
 - Rule based visualization, spatial data analysis and attribute query were mostly good.
 - But map layout was mainly bad 😊
 - Maps were requested, this includes title, scale, north arrow, legend, ... These are significant contents of a map.
- Part 2:
 - Name the reference of shown images/background maps,
 - Enhance quality of your map layout (see above),
 - Use the different possibilities to improve your labeling
 - Check coordinate system

Part 1a: Rule based Visualization



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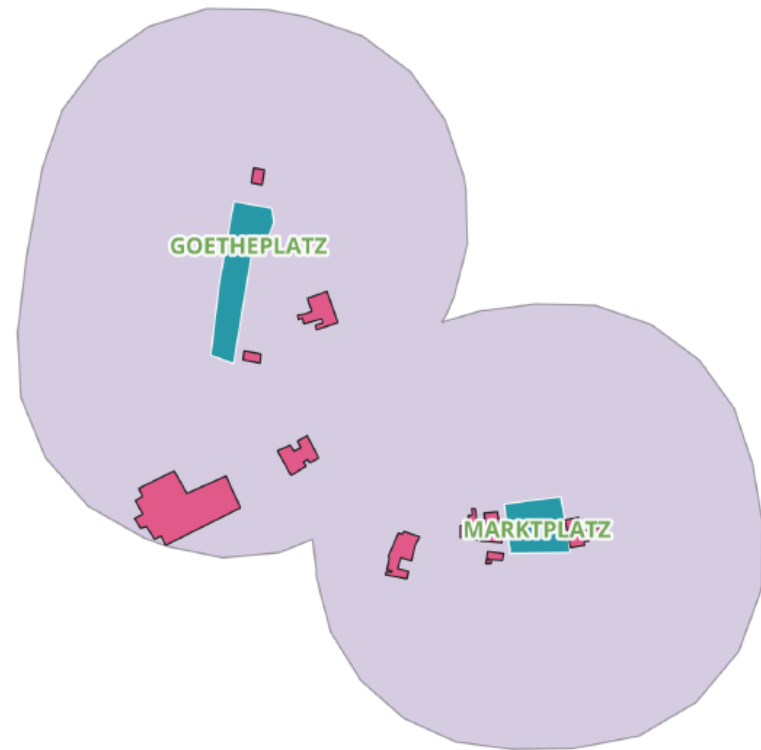
Sum of exercise 3

Map of Altstadt Weimar



- Sights
- Squares
- Roads

200m radius of two main squares

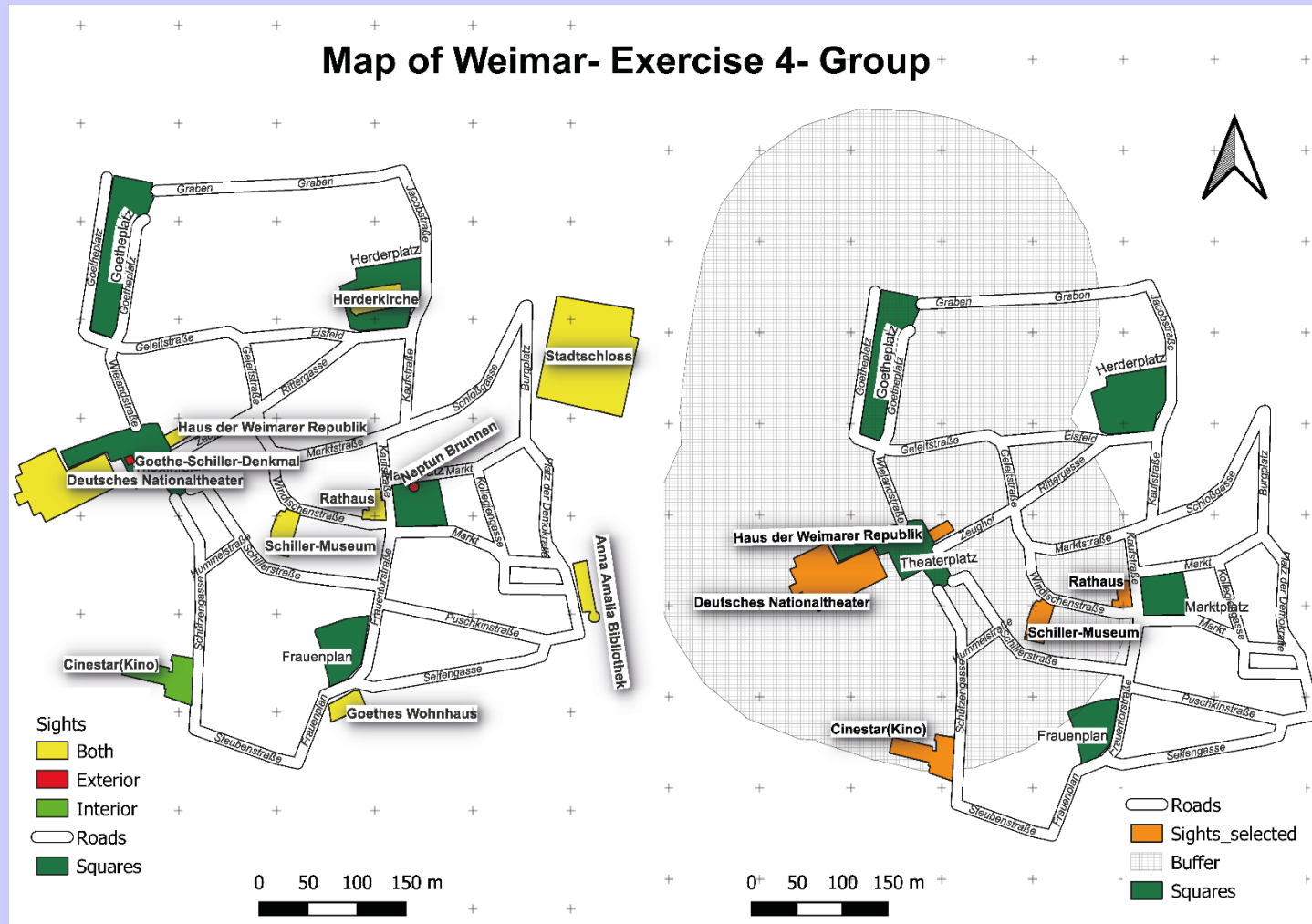


- Squares
- Sights within the radius
- Bufferzone radius

No evaluation possible!

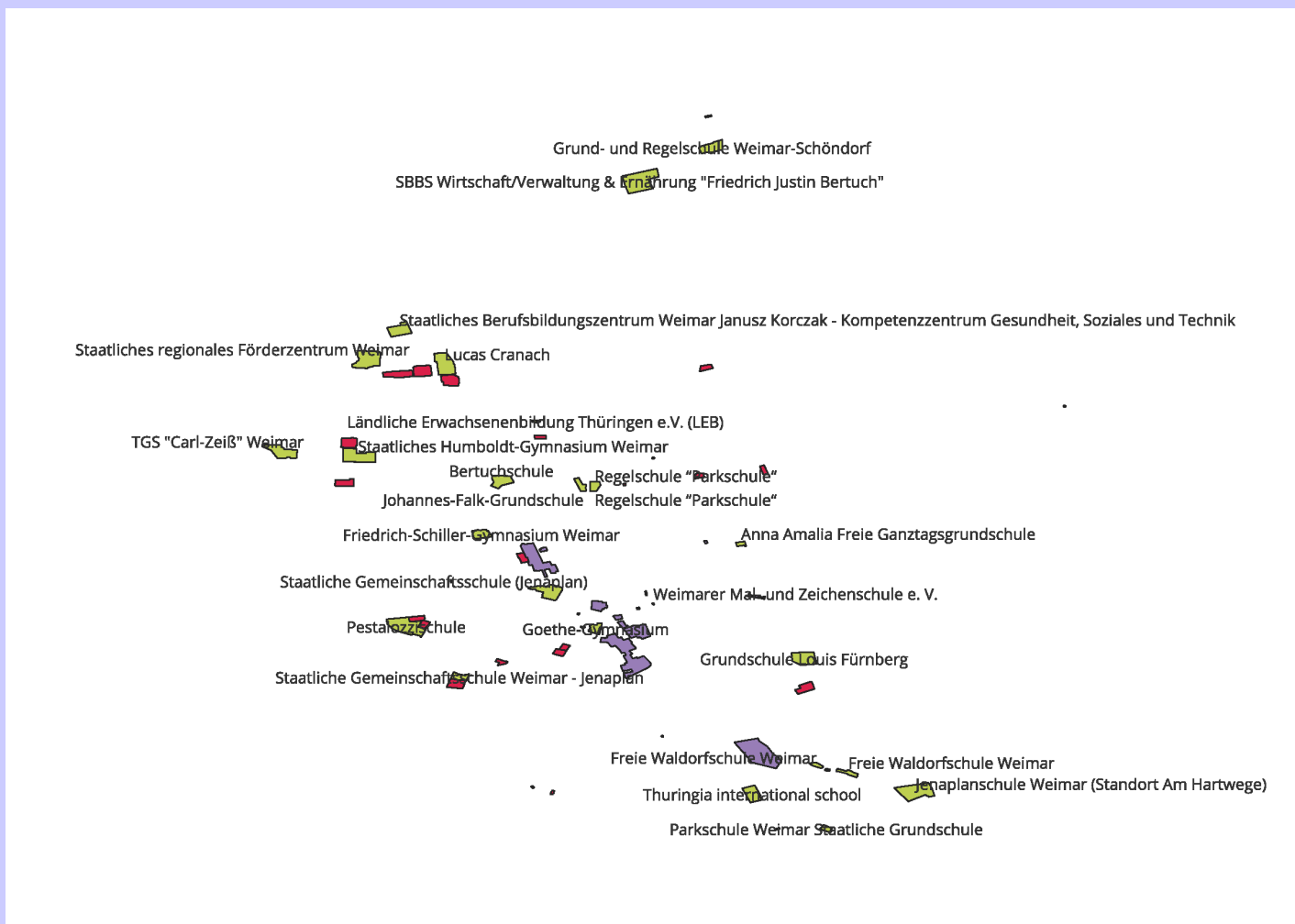
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Part 1: Rule based Visualization, Spatial data analysis and attribute query ✓



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Part 2: Free Geo-data



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(2) Exercise 4 (task and workflow)

Task of exercise 4

Transfer of a statistic into thematic maps

The goal is to create a thematic map of Weimar based on current statistical data.

A statistic is not provided, so each group must obtain a current data base itself (at least five sets of values).

Offer: Statistical yearbook of Weimar 2023

<https://stadt.weimar.de/de/jahrbuecher.html/>

As topographic basis a vectorized base map with 21 statistical regions of Weimar is provided.



Workflow of exercise 4

- a) Look for an interesting statistic which includes at least five sets of values.
- b) Start QGIS with a new project and import the statistical regions of Weimar.
- c) Create new attributes for each set of values and enter the statistical data (open attribute table → start editing mode → new field or field calculator)
- d) Realize three different representation methods:
 - 3 values per diagram (Properties → Diagrams)
 - different diagram sizes (Properties → Diagrams → Size)
 - different colors of the regions (Properties → Symbolology → Graduated).Use reasonable datasets for every representation!
- e) Submit one designed map sheet with a significant title as PDF document. The topic should be fancy and the thematic representation should be clear and informative. The meaning of your charts shall be self-explanatory or understandable by a brief explanation (on your map).

Thank you!

questions?



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