

ArcGIS Pro SDK for .NET: Exporting Utility Networks for Network Analysis in the Pro SDK

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Agenda

- Background
- Extract Network Data
- Analyze Network Data
- Demo
- Questions

Network Information

Quick Info

Subnetworks

PalmSpringsWaterSys2

Show

PalmSpringsWaterSys2

Total edge features #24,792

Total junction features #22,973

Total edge shape length #547,088

Water Devices #12,265

Water Line #24,792

Water Junction #10,707

Export

JSON Path

Export

Analysis

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Load

Feature elements #33,230

Duplicate entries for terminal devices#5

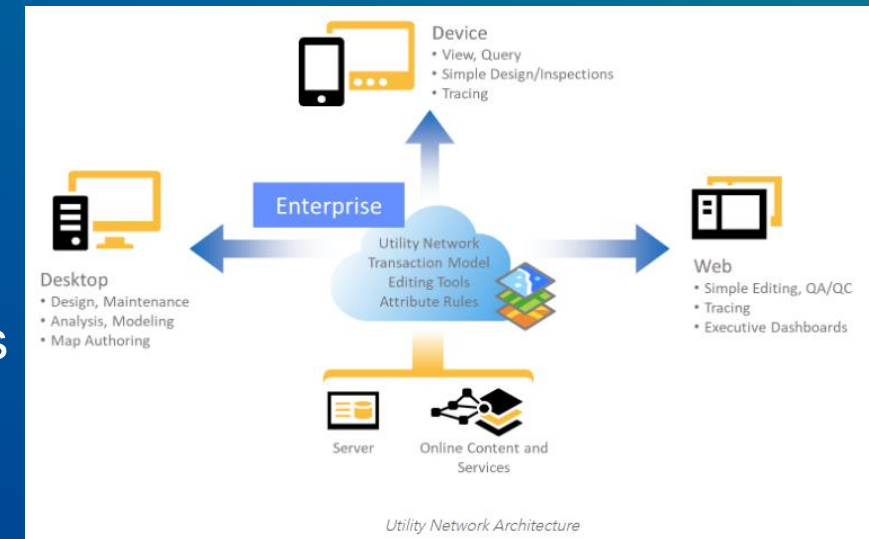
Unique feature elements #24,718 (0.26%duplicate)

Unique points #16,416

Unique lines #8,306



Background

- Enterprise GIS is a powerful tool for integration because it allows a company to model the logical, spatial, and topological relationships for all their data.
- Utility data is maintained in the GIS
 - System of record
 - Location and configuration of point and linear assets
 - Connectivity between assets and systems (OMS & DMS)
- Extract network information from a utility network for analysis
 - Specialized network models
 - Require engineering characteristics for each feature
 - Often require historical measurements (voltage, flow, etc)



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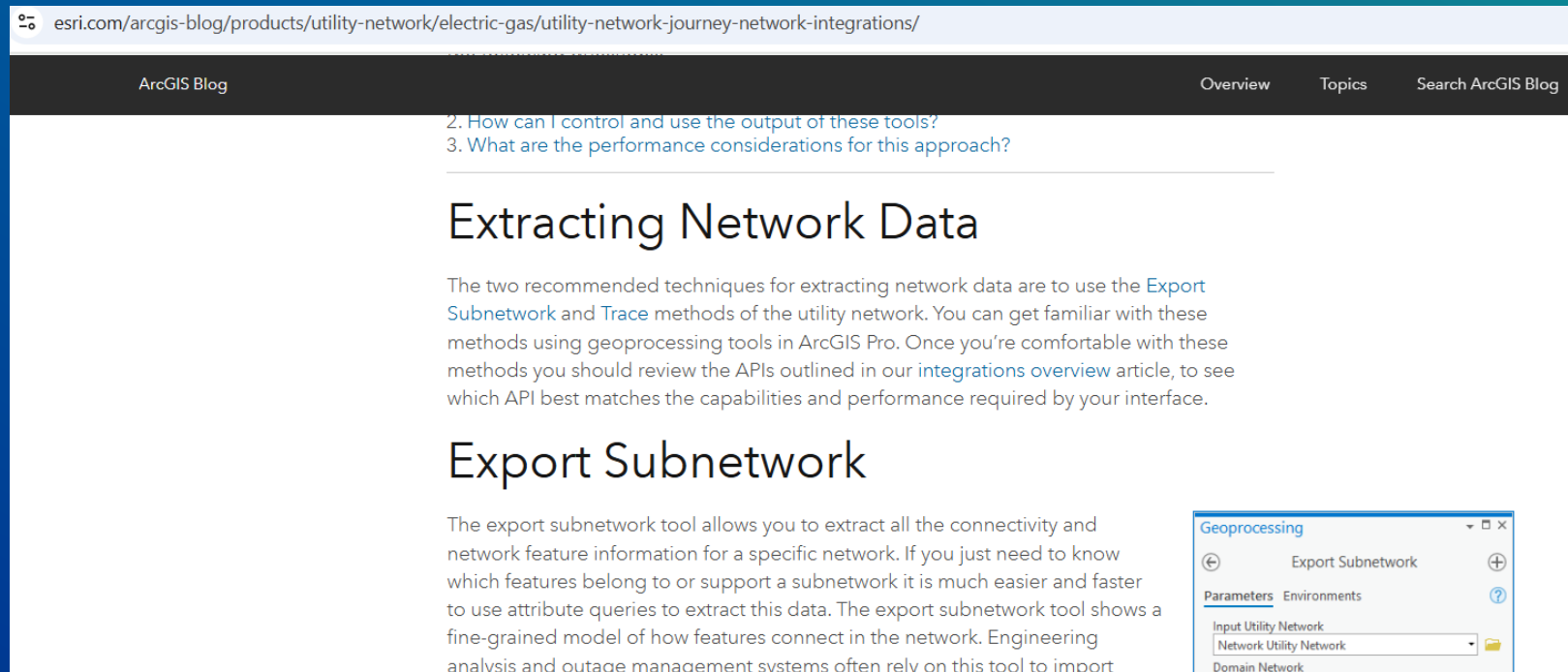
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Extract Network Data

- Network data can be extracted by trace export or export subnetwork
 - Trace (connected) – everything that is connected to the network
 - Trace (subnetwork) – subset of the network
 - Export subnetwork - subset of the network
- JSON
 - Include features, attribution, and connectivity
- Usage
 - Engineering analysis & planning
 - Integration with third-party systems for outage or distribution management
 - Connectivity analysis

Extract Network Data

- Export Trace
 - Dirty or clean subnetwork
 - Connected trace
- Export Subnetwork
 - Clean subnetwork



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Export Trace

Export Trace results as JSON

- Export Trace

- Dirty or clean subnetwork
- Connected trace

- `UtilityNetwork.GetTraceManager(): TraceManager`

- `TraceManager.GetTracer(): Tracer`

- `Tracer.Export(Uri outputPath, TraceArgument traceArgument, TraceExportOptions traceExportOptions)`

Tracer

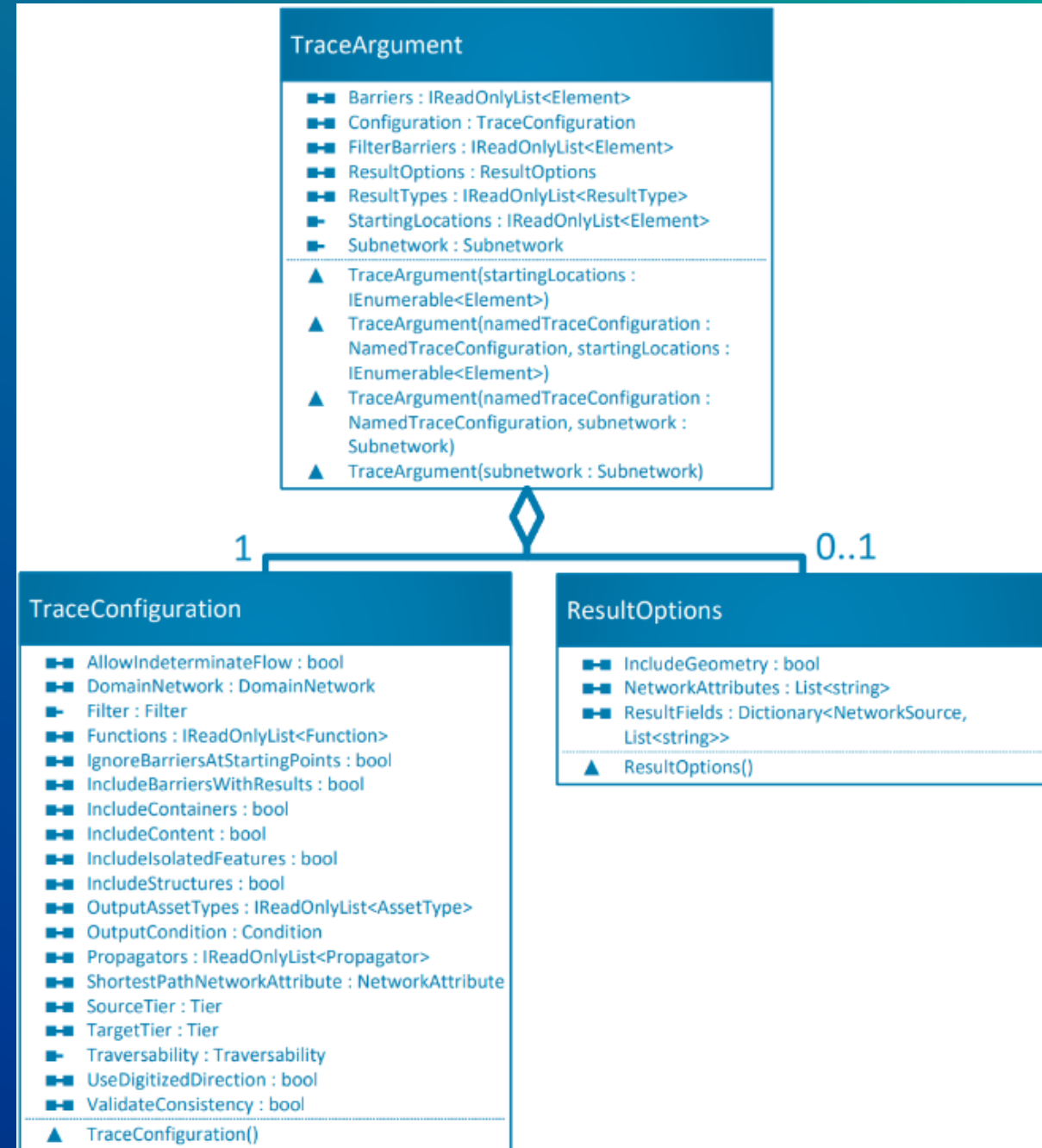
- Name : string
- UtilityNetwork : UtilityNetwork
- ← Export(outputJsonPath : Uri, traceArgument : TraceArgument, traceExportOptions : TraceExportOptions)
- ← Trace(traceArgument : TraceArgument) : IReadOnlyList<Result>
- ← Trace(traceArgument : TraceArgument, type : ServiceSynchronizationType) : IReadOnlyList<Result>



Export Trace

Export Trace results as JSON

- Define trace argument options
 - Starting elements
 - Subnetwork
- **TraceArgument** class
 - Subnetwork
 - ResultTypes
 - ResultOptions
 - Barriers
 - TraceConfiguration
 - UseDigitizedDirection



Export Trace

Export Trace results as JSON

- **TraceConfiguration** class

- The domain network on which the trace will run
- Traversability barriers
- A filter for the type of assets included in the results
- Functions to compute while performing the trace

- Subnetwork trace, a default trace configuration can be obtained from a utility network tier with the names of the domain network and the tier.

```
// Get trace configuration from Tier
```

```
TraceConfiguration traceConfiguration = tier.GetTraceConfiguration();
```

TraceConfiguration

- AllowIndeterminateFlow : bool
 - DomainNetwork : DomainNetwork
 - Filter : Filter
 - Functions : IReadOnlyList<Function>
 - IgnoreBarriersAtStartingPoints : bool
 - IncludeBarriersWithResults : bool
 - IncludeContainers : bool
 - IncludeContent : bool
 - IncludeIsolatedFeatures : bool
 - IncludeStructures : bool
 - OutputAssetTypes : IReadOnlyList<AssetType>
 - OutputCondition : Condition
 - Propagators : IReadOnlyList<Propagator>
 - ShortestPathNetworkAttribute : NetworkAttribute
 - SourceTier : Tier
 - TargetTier : Tier
 - Traversability : Traversability
 - UseDigitizedDirection : bool
 - ValidateConsistency : bool
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- ▲ TraceConfiguration()

Export Trace

Export Trace results as JSON

- Define trace export options
- Set output path
- Save trace results as a JSON file

ServiceSynchronizationType

SynchronousService
AsynchronousService

ExportOptions

IncludeDomainDescriptions : bool
ServiceSynchronizationType :
ServiceSynchronizationType



TraceExportOptions

```
// Set export options
TraceExportOptions exportOptions = new TraceExportOptions()
{
    ServiceSynchronizationType = ServiceSynchronizationType.Asynchronous,
    IncludeDomainDescriptions = true,
};

// Path to save trace results
string jsonPath = $"{Path.GetTempPath()}TraceResults.json";
Uri jsonUri = new Uri(jsonPath);

// Execute export
downstreamTracer.Export(jsonUri, traceArgument, exportOptions);

string jsonAbsolutePath = HttpUtility.UrlDecode(jsonUri.AbsolutePath);
if (jsonUri.IsFile && File.Exists(jsonPath))
{
    // Work with the JSON
}
```


Feature-level Info From a Trace

- Fetch feature information during a trace
- Why?
 - Avoids the overhead of querying
 - Source feature class
 - Network attributes
- Existing workaround
 - Make multiple calls to the network source feature classes
 - Each of these is a round trip to the server

Feature-level Info From a Trace

- Three steps
 - Set `ResultType`
 - Set `ResultOptions`
 - NW Attributes & FeatureClass Fields
 - Set `TraceArgument` & call `Trace()`

```
1 List<ResultType> resultTypeList = new List<ResultType>() {ResultType.Feature };

ResultOptions resultOptions = new ResultOptions()
{
    IncludeGeometry = true,
2 NetworkAttributes = networkattributeNames,
  ResultFields = new Dictionary<NetworkSource, List<string>>(){{deviceNetworkSource,deviceFields}}
};

TraceArgument traceArgument = new TraceArgument(startingPoints)
{
3 Barriers = barriers,
  Configuration = traceConfiguration,
  ResultTypes = resultTypeList,
  ResultOptions = resultOptions
};
```

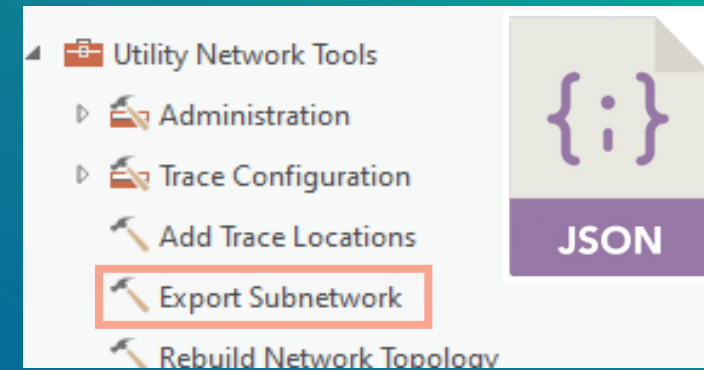
Demo

Export Subnetwork

Subnetwork as JSON

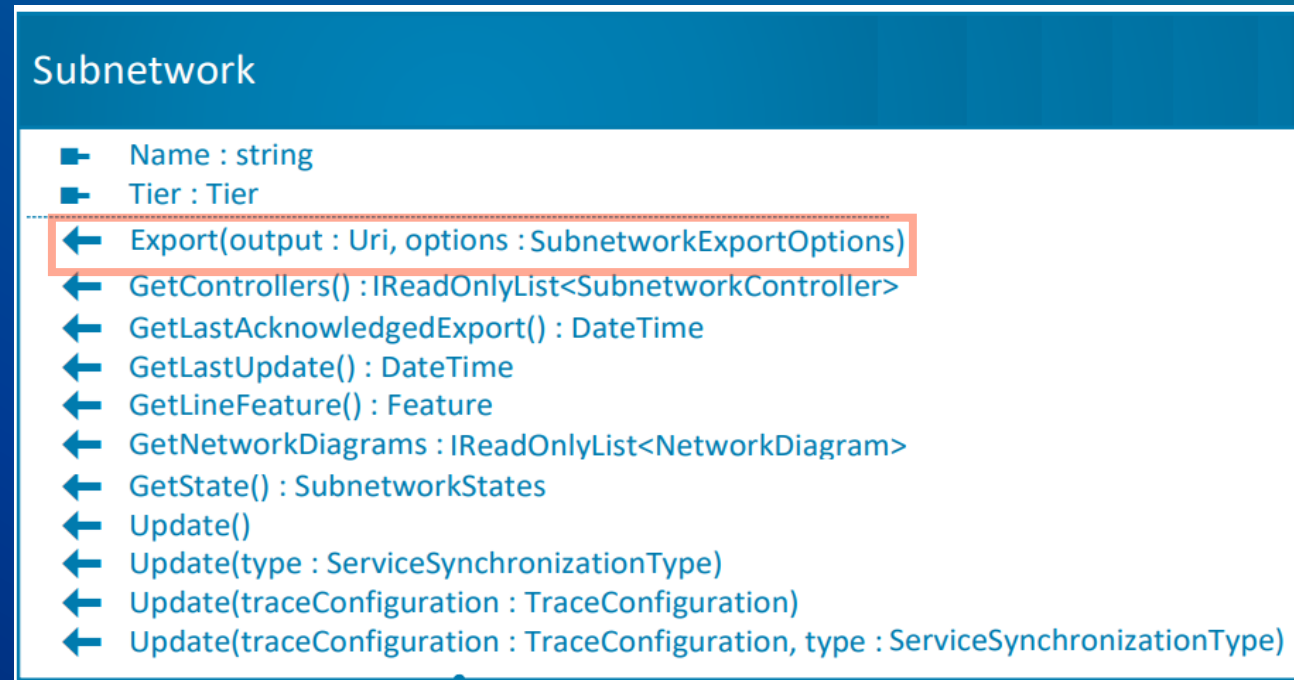
Export to a JSON file

- Subnetwork as a JSON file



`Subnetwork.Export(Uri outputPath, SubnetworkExportOptions options)`

- Supplements the existing GP Tool



Subnetwork as JSON

Export Options

- Defines the options to export a subnetwork
- **SubnetworkExportOptions** class
 - Domain descriptions
 - Shape
 - NW Attributes
 - NW source attribute fields
 - Result types

NetworkAttribute

- Assignments : IReadOnlyList<NetworkAttributeAssignment>
- CreationTime : DateTime
- Domain : Domain
- IsApportionable : bool
- IsInline : bool
- IsNullable : bool
- IsSubstitution : bool
- IsSystemAttribute : bool
- Name : string
- NetworkAttributeToSubstitute : NetworkAttribute
- Type : NetworkAttributeDataType

SubnetworkExportResultType

- Features
- Connectivity
- ContainmentAndAttachment

ServiceSynchronizationType

- SynchronousService
- AsynchronousService

SubnetworkExportOptions

- IncludeDomainDescriptions : bool
 - IncludeGeometry : bool
 - ResultFieldsByNetworkSourceID : Dictionary<int, List<string>>
 - ResultNetworkAttributes : List<NetworkAttribute>
 - ServiceSynchronizationType : ServiceSynchronizationType
 - SetAcknowledged : bool
 - SubnetworkExportResultTypes : List<SubnetworkExportResultType>
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- ▲ SubnetworkExportOptions()

Subnetwork as JSON

Export Options

- Defines the options to export a subnetwork
- **SubnetworkExportOptions** class
- **SetAcknowledged** property
- **True**
 - Updates the export ack date
 - To delete subnetwork controllers from the subnetworks table that have been removed as a subnetwork controller
- **False**
 - No controllers need to be deleted from the subnetworks table

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Subnetwork as JSON

Export to a JSON file

- `Subnetwork.Export(Uri outputPath, SubnetworkExportOptions options)`

```
ReadOnlyList<NetworkAttribute> networkAttributes = utilityNetworkDefinition.GetNetworkAttributes();  
ReadOnlyList<NetworkSource> networkSources = utilityNetworkDefinition.GetNetworkSources();
```

```
// Export options  
SubnetworkExportOptions subnetworkExportOptions = new SubnetworkExportOptions()  
{  
    SetAcknowledged = false,  
    IncludeDomainDescriptions = true,  
    IncludeGeometry = true,  
    ServiceSynchronizationType = ServiceSynchronizationType.Asynchronous,  
  
    SubnetworkExportResultTypes = new List<SubnetworkExportResultType>()  
    {  
        SubnetworkExportResultType.Connectivity,  
        SubnetworkExportResultType.Features  
    },  
  
    ResultNetworkAttributes = new List<NetworkAttribute>(networkAttributes),  
  
    ResultFieldsByNetworkSourceID = new Dictionary<int, List<string>>()  
    { { networkSources[0].ID, new List<string>() { "OBJECTID" } } }  
};  
  
// Export subnetwork  
subnetwork.Export(exportResultJsonPath, subnetworkExportOptions);
```

Geoprocessing

Export Subnetwork

Parameters Environments

* Input Utility Network

* Domain Network

* Tier

* Subnetwork Name

☐ Set export acknowledged

* Output JSON

☐ Include geometry

Result Types

Result Network Attributes

Result Fields

Feature Class	Field Name

JSON

Result

- Features
- Connectivity
- Associations
- Controllers
- Source mapping
- Results
- Very verbose
 - Network attribute
 - Result type setting

```
1 {
2   "featureElements" : [
2334712 "connectivity" : [
3241286 "associations" : [
3241314 "controllers" : [
3241334 "sourceMapping" : {
3241335   "1" : "UN_5_Associations",
3241336   "2" : "UN_5_SystemJunctions",
3241337   "4" : "StructureJunction",
3241338   "6" : "StructureBoundary",
3241339   "7" : "StructureJunctionObject",
3241340   "5" : "StructureLine",
3241341   "8" : "StructureEdgeObject",
3241342   "9" : "WaterDevice",
3241343   "11" : "WaterAssembly",
3241344   "12" : "WaterJunction",
3241345   "14" : "WaterJunctionObject",
3241346   "10" : "WaterLine",
3241347   "13" : "WaterSubnetLine",
3241348   "15" : "WaterEdgeObject"
3241349 },
3241350 "resultTypes" : [
3241406 "spatialReference" : {
3241407   "wkid" : 26911,
3241408   "latestWkid" : 26911
3241409 }
3241410 }
3241411
3241412
```


Parse JSON

Network Analysis

```

"networkSourceId" : 12,
"globalId" : "{0BD68DE0-8E20-4:
"objectId" : 29833,
"terminalId" : 1,
"assetGroupCode" : 20,
"assetTypeCode" : 55,
"geometry" : {
  "x" : 541826.605399999768,
  "y" : 3746881.37900000066,
  "z" : 0,
  "m" : null
},
"networkSourceName" : "WaterJui
"assetGroupName" : "Fitting",
"assetTypeName" : "Tap",
"terminalName" : "Single Termi
"networkAttributeValues" : [
  {
    "Asset group" : 20
  },
  {
    "Asset type" : 55
  },
  {
    "Cathodic Protection Tracea
  },
  {
    "Junction Asset Group" : 20
  },
  {
    "Lifecycle Status" : 8
  }
],
"networkAttributeDescriptions" : [
  {
    "Asset type" : "Tap"
  },
  {
    "Cathodic Protection Traceability" : "Unknown"
  },
  {
    "Lifecycle Status" : "In Service"
  }
]
},
{
  "associationTyp
  "fromNetworkSou
  "fromGlobalId"
  "fromTerminalId
  "toNetworkSourc
  "toGlobalId" :
  "toTerminalId"
  "fromNetworkSou
  "fromTerminalNa
  "toNetworkSourc
  "toTerminalName
}

```

Attribute

```

"associationType" : "containment",
"fromNetworkSourceId" : 6,
"fromGlobalId" : "{B5730C02-5F7F-4319-A998-9612AC771C53}",
"fromTerminalId" : 1,
"toNetworkSourceId" : 9,
"toGlobalId" : "{EBAFBDB2-B63B-46AA-8F34-D87FD7ADD35D}",
"toTerminalId" : 5,
"fromNetworkSourceName" : "StructureBoundary",
"fromTerminalName" : "Single Terminal",
"toNetworkSourceName" : "WaterDevice",
"toTerminalName" : "Single Terminal"
},
{
"associationType" : "containment",
"fromNetworkSourceId" : 6,
"fromGlobalId" : "{B5730C02-5F7F-4319-A998-9612AC771C53}",
"fromTerminalId" : 1,
"toNetworkSourceId" : 9,
"toGlobalId" : "{EBAFBDB2-B63B-46AA-8F34-D87FD7ADD35D}",
"toTerminalId" : 4,
"fromNetworkSourceName" : "StructureBoundary",
"fromTerminalName" : "Single Terminal",
"toNetworkSourceName" : "WaterDevice",
"toTerminalName" : "Single Terminal"
}
}

"m" : null
},
"toNetworkSourceId" : 9,
"toGlobalId" : "{EBAFBDB2-B63B-46AA-8F34-D87FD7ADD35D}",
"toObjectId" : 2319,
"toTerminalId" : 5,
"toGeometry" : {
"x" : 546997.127999999956,
"y" : 3741801,
"z" : 0,
"m" : null
},
"viaNetworkSourceName" : "WaterDevice",
"fromNetworkSourceName" : "WaterDevice",
"fromTerminalName" : "Low Pressure In",
"toNetworkSourceName" : "WaterDevice",
"toTerminalName" : "High Pressure Out"
},
"bility" : "Unknown"
rvice"
te

```

Association

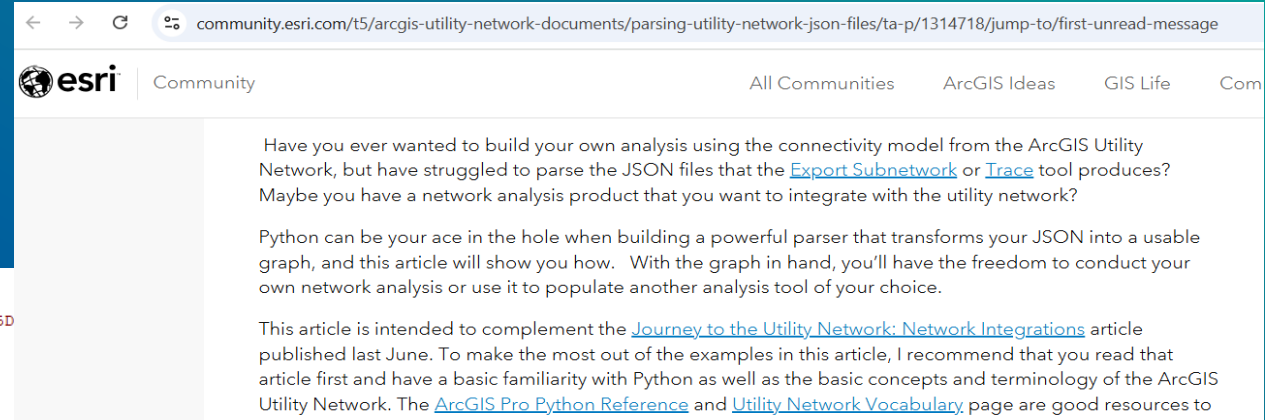
Connectivity

```
{
  "viaNetworkSourceId" : 9,
  "viaGlobalId" : "{EBAFBDB2-B63B-46AA-8F34-D87FD7ADD35D
```

```

    "m": null
  },
  "toNetworkSourceId": 9,
  "toGlobalId": "(EBAFBDB2-B63B-46AA-8F34-D87FD7ADD35D)",
  "toObjectId": 2319,
  "toTerminalId": 5,
  "toGeometry": {
    "x": 546997.127999999956,
    "y": 3741801,
    "z": 0,
    "m": null
  },
  "viaNetworkSourceName": "WaterDevice",
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},

```

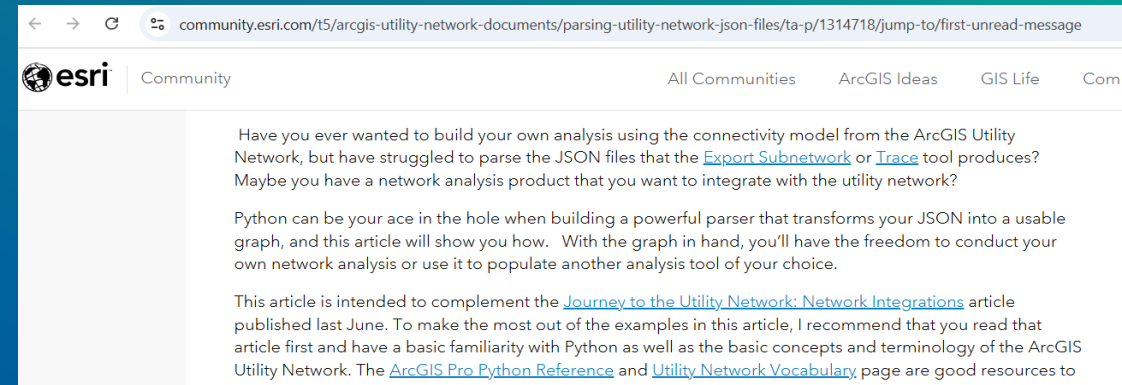


Parsing Utility Network JSON Files

Parse JSON

Network Analysis

- NewtonSoft
 - `Newtonsoft.Json`
 - Mature
 - Wide range of configurability and compatibility
 - Easier serialization/deserialization of the JSON schema
- Microsoft
 - `System.Text.Json`
 - New and supposedly improved performance
 - Serializatio /Deserialization and support for complex JSON schema can be difficult
- Incrementally parse the file, element by element



Parsing Utility Network JSON Files

Analysis Result

- Feature info
- Connectivity info
- Associations info
- Barrier
- Subnetwork controller
- Network graph

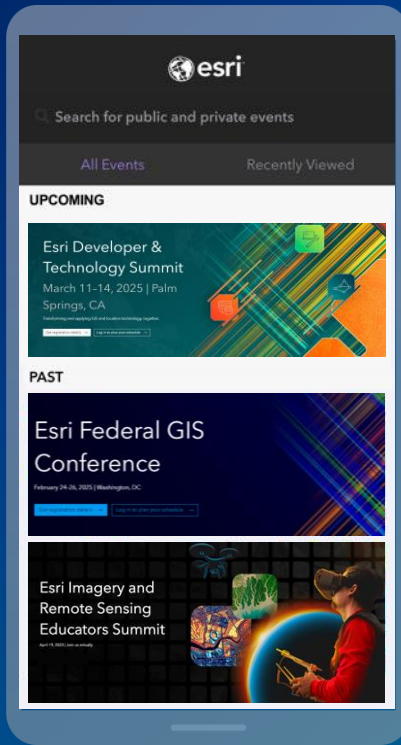
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Unique lines #8,306
Connectivity elements #16,808
Unique connections #16,421
Connectivity geometries #33,229
Association elements #2
Unique association elements #1
Exploded from/to associations #2
Barriers #1
SubnetworkControllers #1

Analysis
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Load
Feature elements #48,800
Duplicate entries for terminal devices#8
Unique feature elements #36,123 (0.26% duplicate)
Unique points #23,991
Unique lines #12,139
Connectivity elements #24,800
Unique connections #23,999
Connectivity geometries #48,799
Association elements #2
Unique association elements #1
Exploded from/to associations #2
Barriers #1
SubnetworkControllers #1

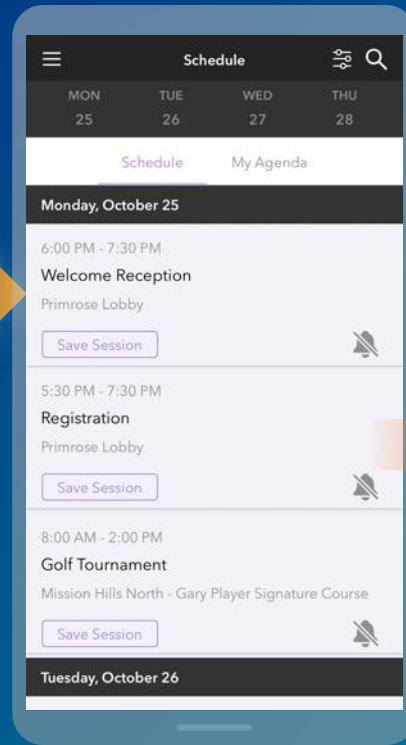
Analysis
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Load
Feature elements #52,622
Duplicate entries for terminal devices#6
Unique feature elements #39,400 (0.25% duplicate)
Unique points #26,219
Unique lines #13,186
Connectivity elements #26,396
Unique connections #26,225
Connectivity geometries #52,621
Association elements #2
Unique association elements #1
Exploded from/to associations #2
Barriers #0
SubnetworkControllers #7

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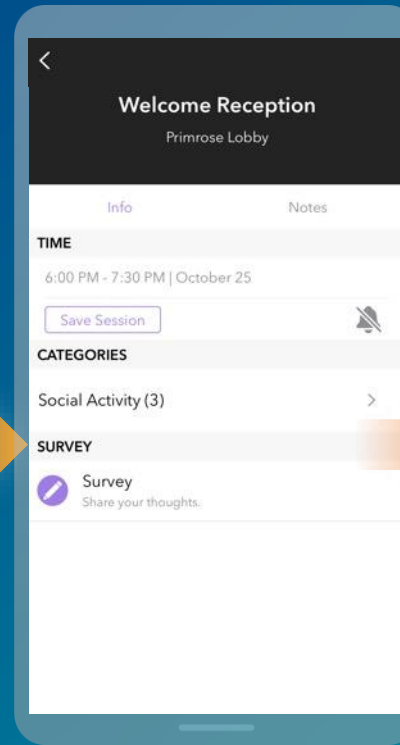
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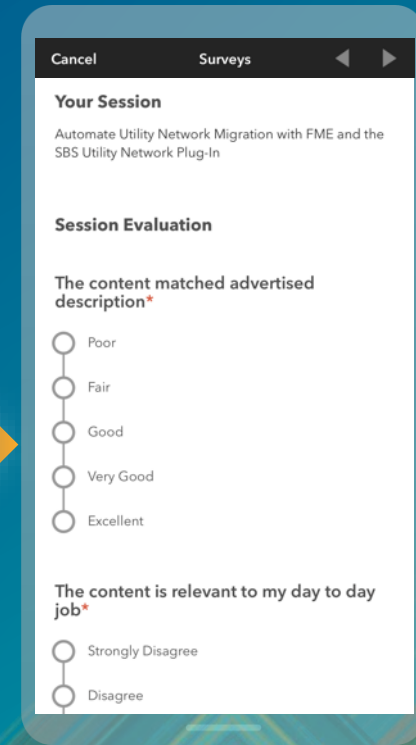
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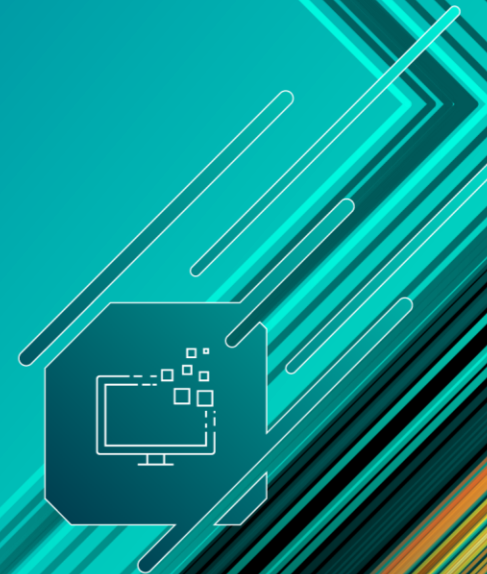
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