MASTER THESIS

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Creating a thin client based flood simulation tool based on open source software

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Ohana means family. Family means nobody gets left behind, or forgotten.

— Lilo & Stitch

Dedicated to the loving memory of Rudolf Miede. 1939–2005

ABSTRACT

Short summary of the contents...

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We have seen that computer programming is an art, because it applies accumulated knowledge to the world, because it requires skill and ingenuity, and especially because it produces objects of beauty.

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ACRONYMS

DRY Don't Repeat Yourself

API Application Programming Interface

UML Unified Modeling Language

Part I

THE BORING STUFF

Introducing the project and it's various tidbits, have-beens and what-nots.

INTRODUCTION & PROBLEM STATEMENT

1.1 INTRODUCTION

Geographical Information Systems (GIS) have undergone an immense evolution during the last decade, evolving from an extremely niche product, to being used in a lot of contexts.

Where GIS used to be a niche product, more and more people have started using the capabilities of these systems. The interest in performing geographic analysis has sparked the development of open source projects software, capable of performing a wide variety of functions. Using open source technologies makes the cost of acquisition very low, enabling a whole new group of users access to these formerly expensive tools.

Of of the sectors traditionally involved with GIS is hydrology. Using geographic data to model hydrological phenomena has been done for many years, and it is very awesome by us and me. This type of modelling can be done either quick and imprecise, or slow and very precise, but all of these methods needs a fairly skilled technician to perform the analysis.

Why are we doing this analysis on floods?

1.2 PROBLEM STATEMENT

Providing a less technically capable user of creating

• Creation of a thin client based flood simulation and management tool using open source technologies

This problem should enable us to do a ton of work in absolutely no time, motherfucker!.

1.3 LICENSE

This project and all of it's items have been created as free and open source, and therefore follow the "GNU Software License"

METHODOLOGY

- 2.1 AGILE
- 2.2 TIMELINE

Functions

2.3 THE PHASES OF OUR PROJECT

Part II

THE GOOD STUFF

Introducing the various parts of theory used throughout the report.

THEORY

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3.1 OPEN SOURCE GIS
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3.2 GRASS

Functions

3.3 HYDROLOGY IN GIS

Water rise

Choke point / pour point

Watershed

MCDA

3.4 PYTHON

PyWPS

Flask

GRASS

3.5 DIGITAL ELEVATION MODELS

3.6 WEB DEVELOPMENT

Web technologies

GNU GENERAL PUBLIC LICENSE: This program is free software; you can

Server side technologies

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ANALYSIS

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Part III

APPENDIX



APPENDIX TEST

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Table 1: Autem usu id.

Listing 1: A floating example

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{ do nothing }
end;
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