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INTEGRATED LAND AND WATER INFORMATION SYSTEM

THE NEXT GENERATION TOOL FRAMEWORK
FOR GIS AND REMOTE SENSING

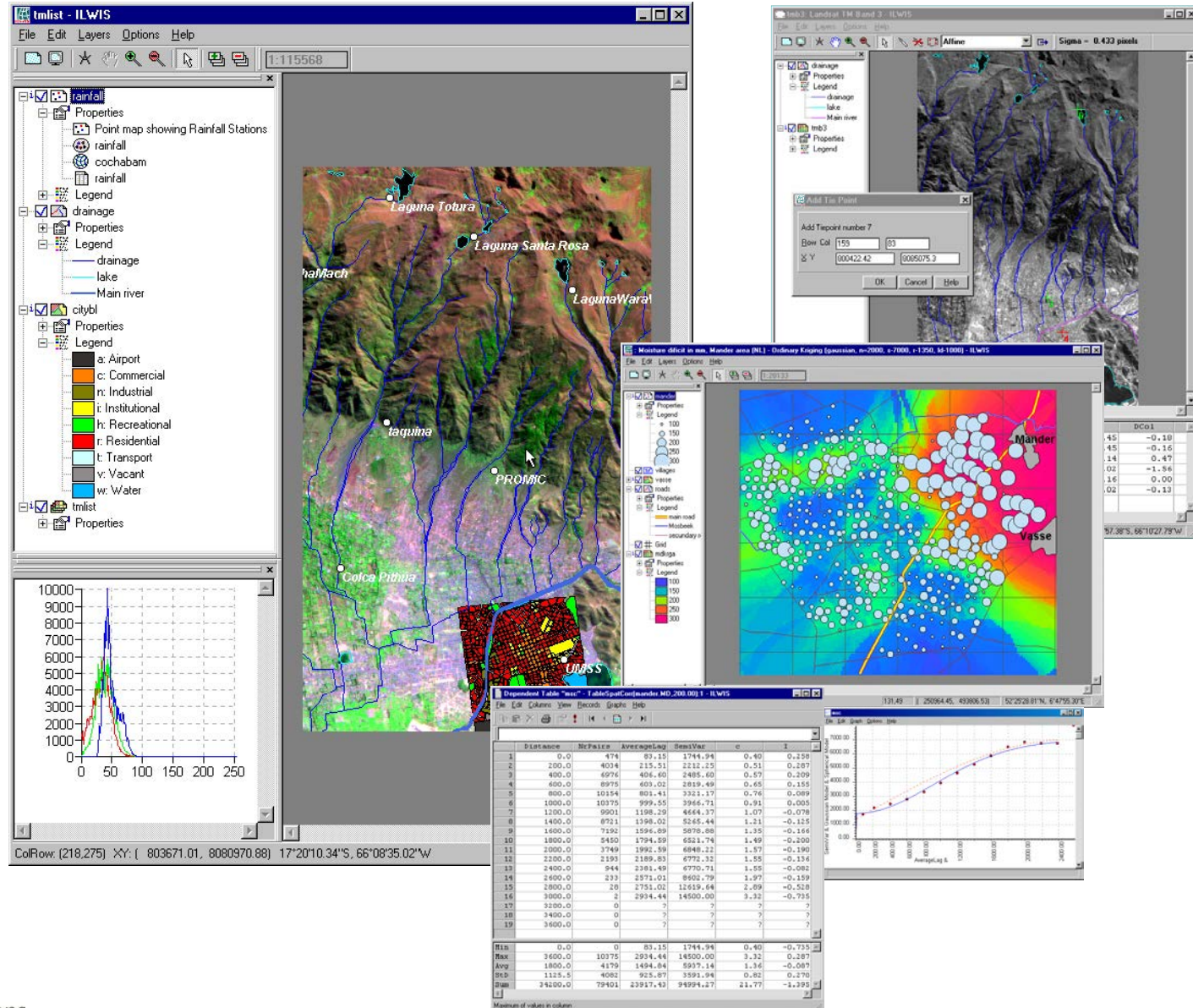


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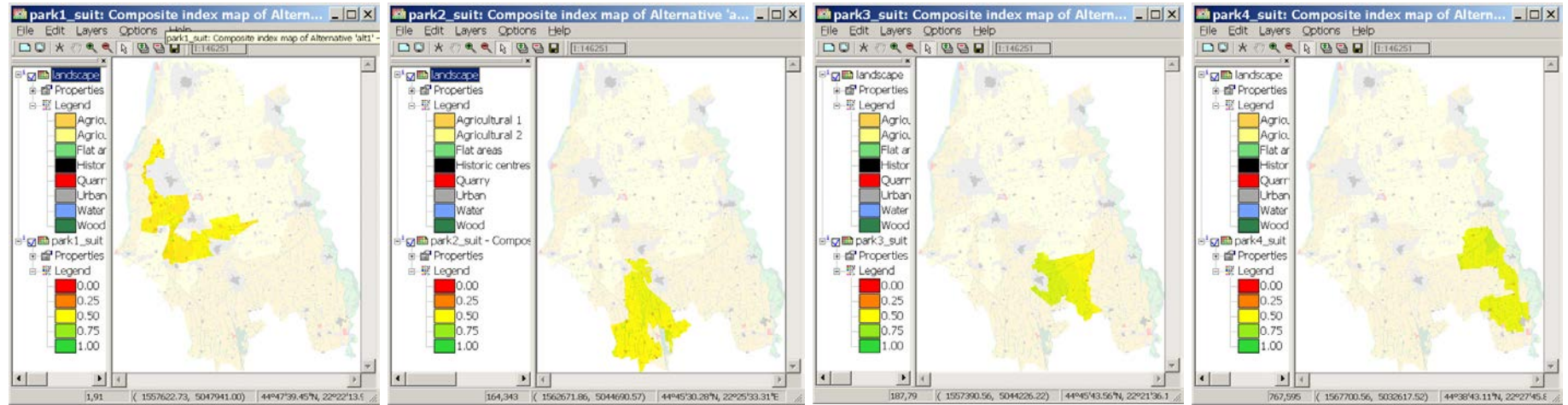
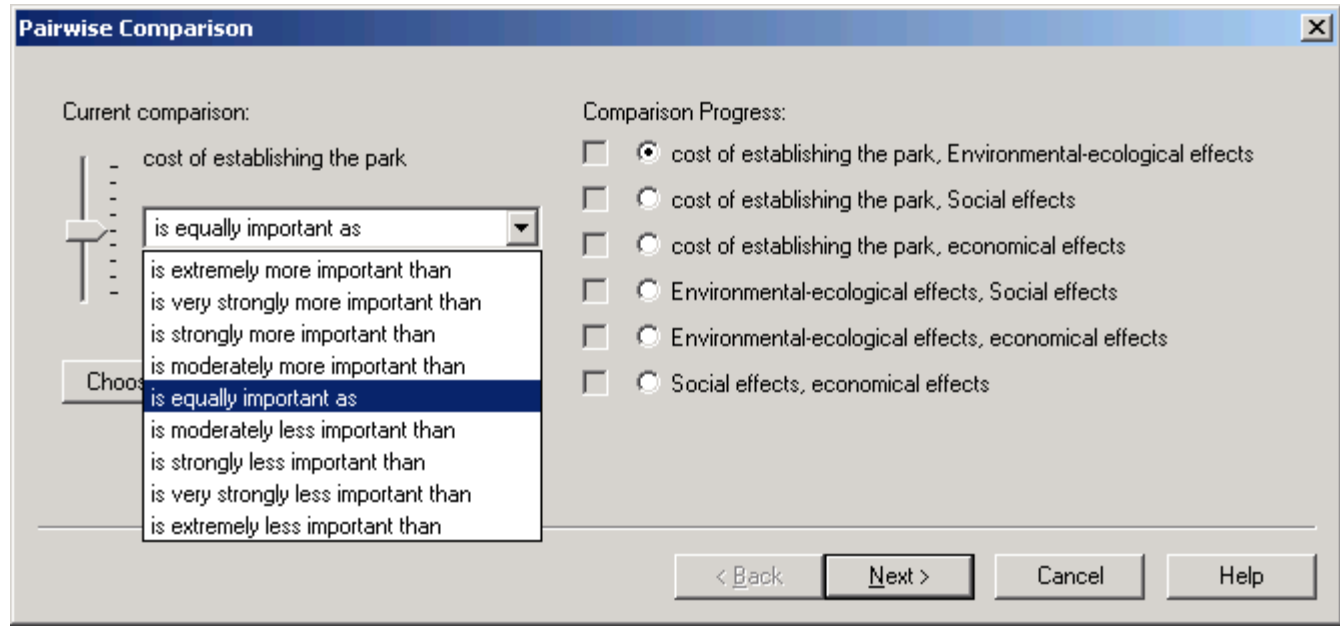
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ILWIS: the Integrated Land and Water Information System

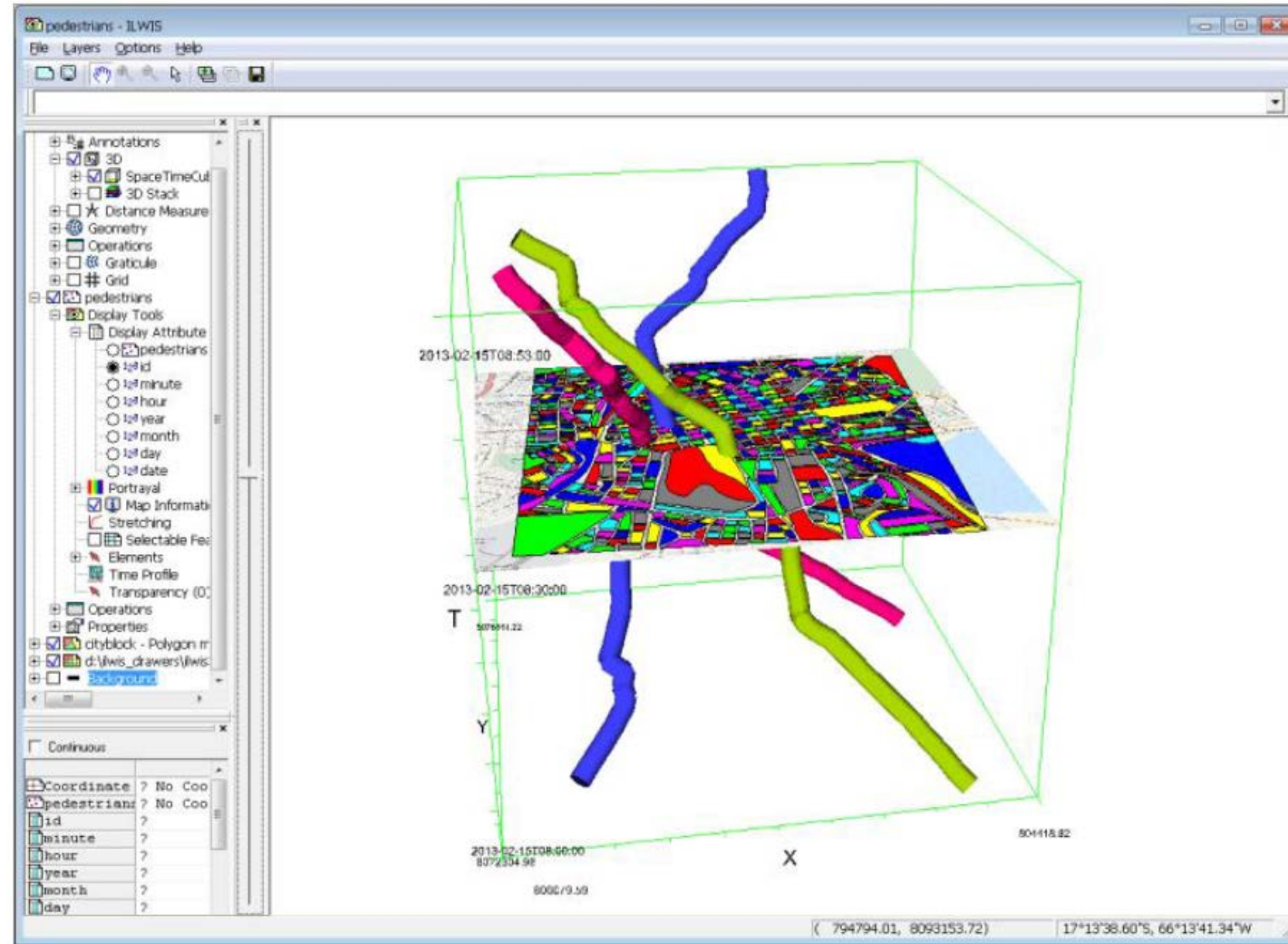
- PC-based integrated Geographical Information System (GIS) & Remote Sensing software
- Developed by ITC
- Originally designed in 1985 for a land use zoning and watershed management project in Sumatra
- Used extensively in courses in and outside ITC, in research and projects




Spatial Decision Support System



Space-Time Cube





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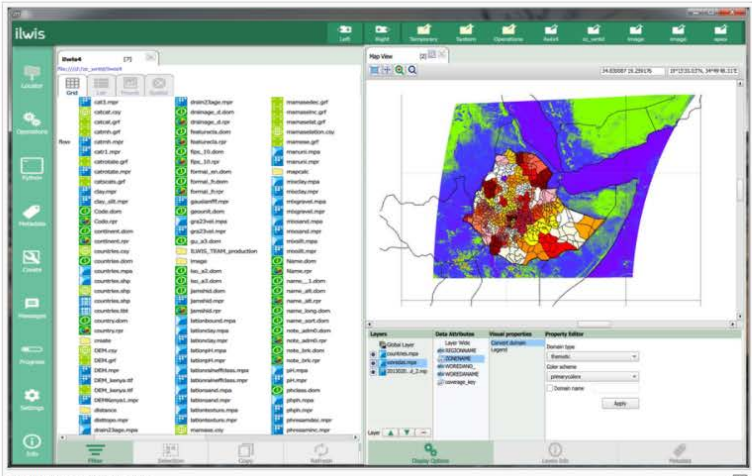
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ILWIS 4: <https://github.com/52north/ilwiscore>
ilwisconnectors: <https://github.com/52north/ilwisconnectors>

What is ILWIS

ILWIS (The Integrated **L**and and **W**ater Information **S**ystem) is a Windows-based, integrated GIS and Remote Sensing (RS) open source software supporting:

- Visualization of raster, vector and tabular data
- Interactive retrieval of attribute information associated with spatial data
- Manipulation of raster, vector and tabular data
- Implementing/developing algorithms for air/space borne image data processing
- GIS analytical tools
- Modeling dynamic spatial systems behaviors using modeler tools
- 3D analysis of spatial temporal events using space-time-cube' tools
- Calculations on raster and tabular data using Python command lines
- Direct access to spatial and tabular data of any format (via connectors)
- Using remote server via WPS-ILWIS Bridge
- Multitask operations
- Educational platform for teaching GIS and RS
- Python script language for automation of repetitive procedures

ILWIS functionality for vectors includes many operations namely: converting analogue data to digital via digitizing, interpolation from isolines or points, pattern analysis, distance calculation, segment or point density analysis etc. As for raster data: distance calculation, generating a Digital Elevation Model (DEM), calculation of slope/aspect, deriving attribute maps, classifying maps, crossing maps and mathematical manipulation of maps pixel values are few of many ILWIS functionality. For satellite imagery it includes: atmospheric correction, image fusion, image segmentation, sampling and classification filtering multi-band statistics cloud detection pixel unmixing multi-spectral/temporal analysis and many more functionalities. Moreover ILWIS provides extensive editing tools for spatial



ILWIS User Interface

ILWIS 4 objective



A framework to make ILWIS fit for the future –
support a wider spectrum of use, users and developers

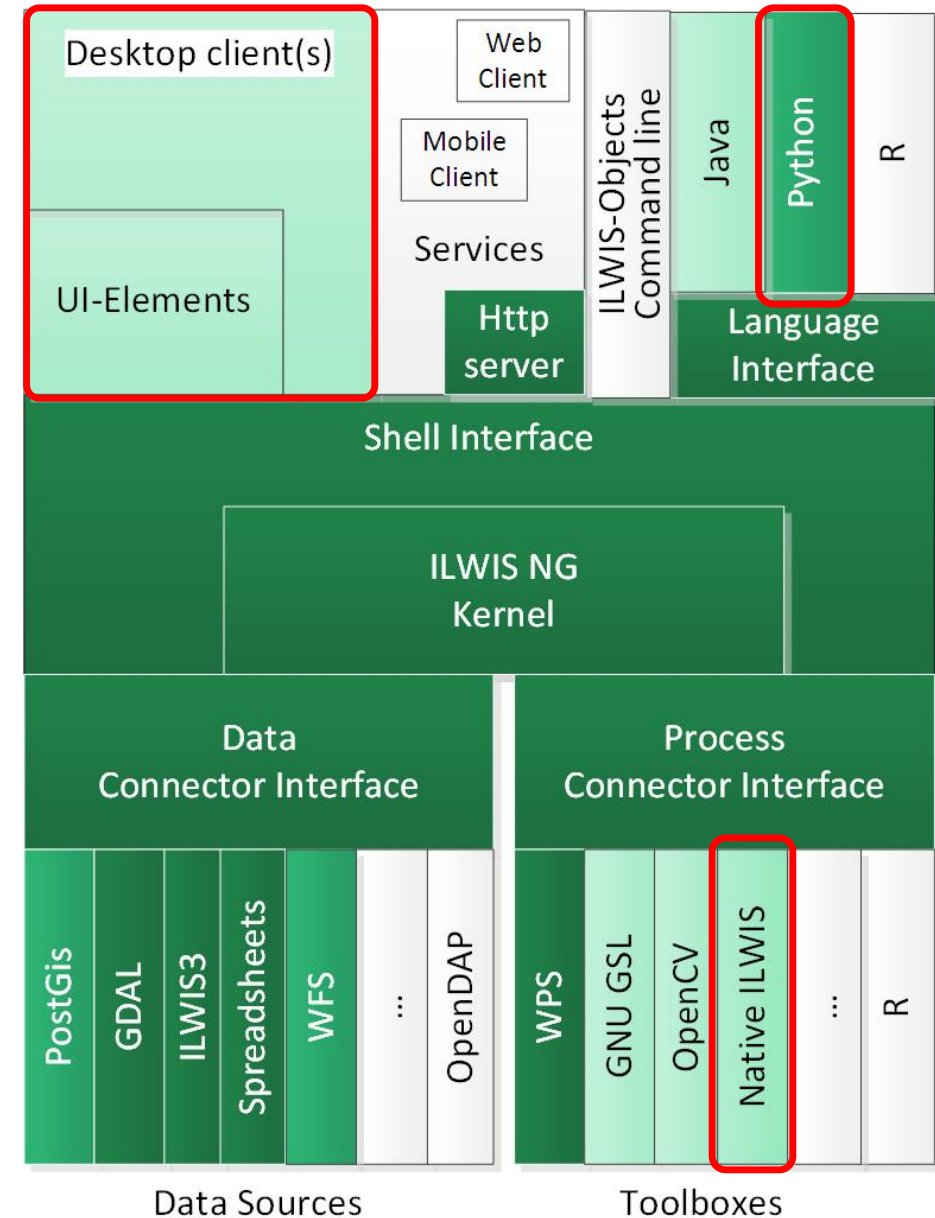
Easily implement, store and share scientific and project methods
via software

ILWIS Architecture

Features:

- Modularity - Extensibility
- Interoperability
- Ease of development & use
- Support Web and Mobile users
- High performance

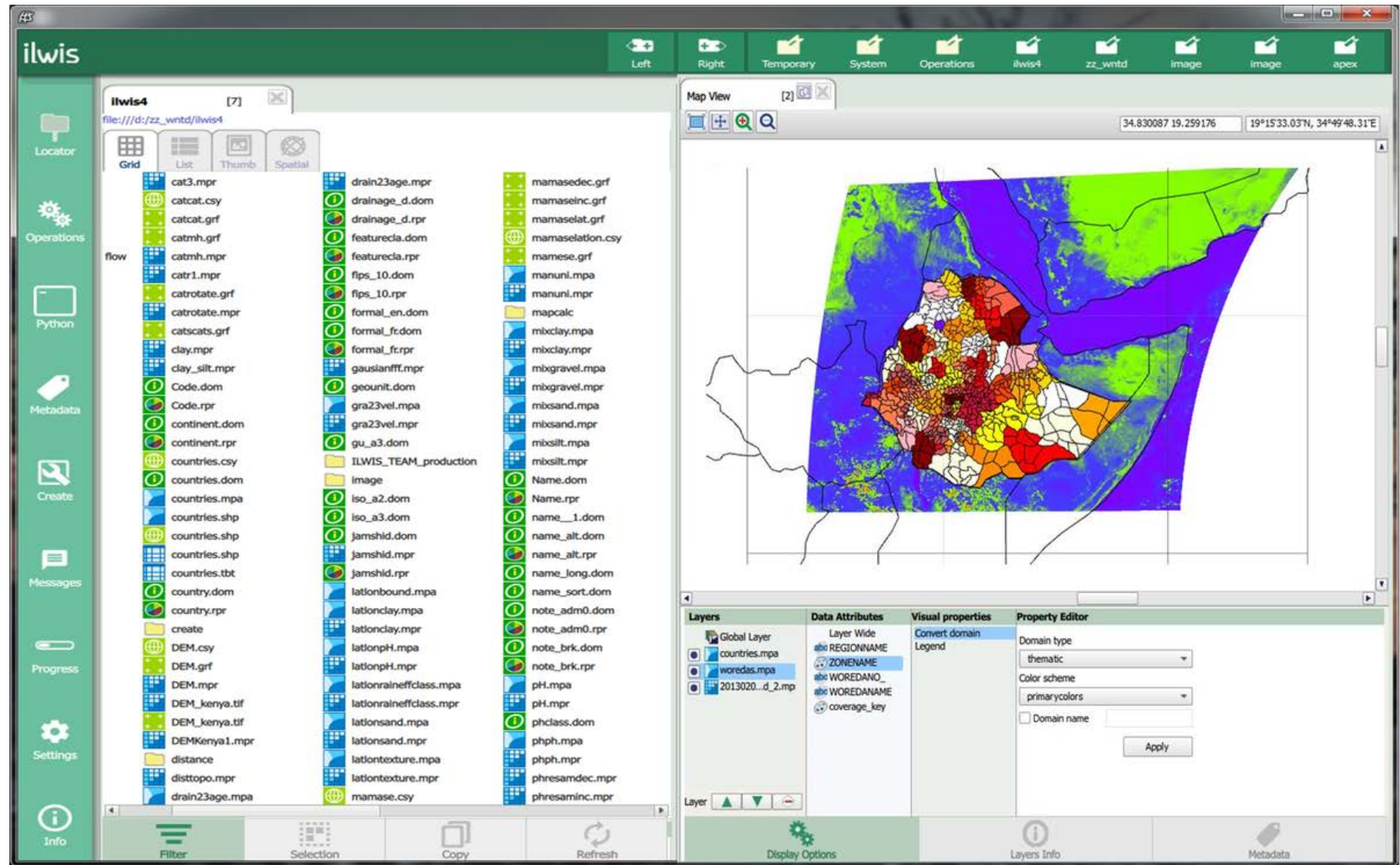
Workflow builder



Additional operations

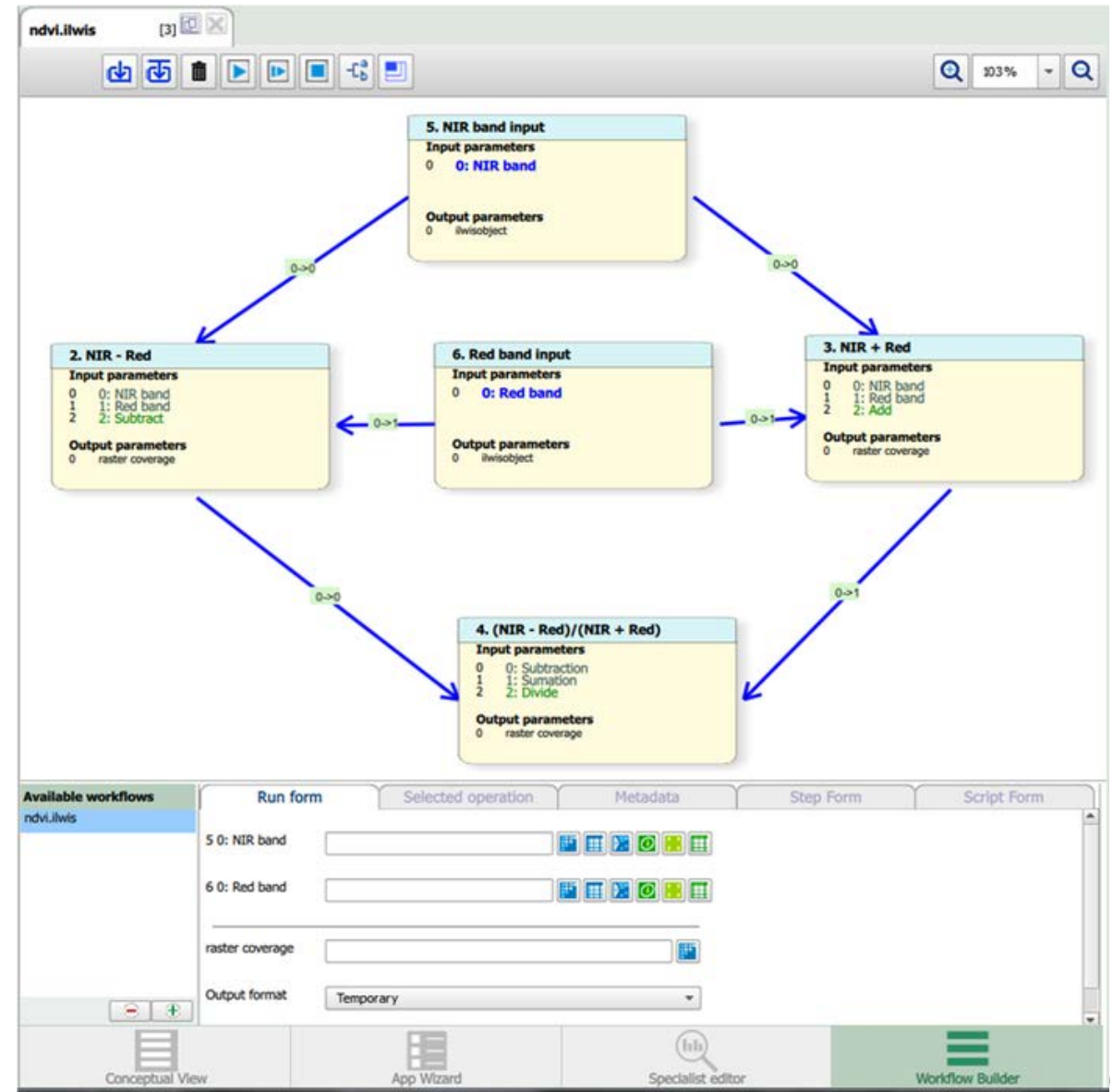
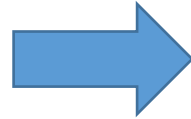
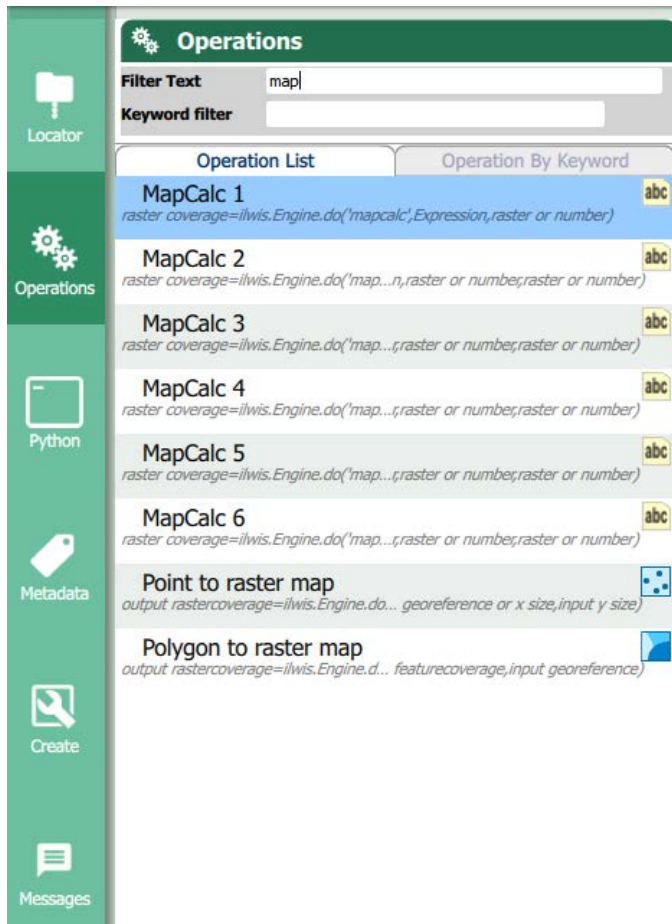
ILWIS GUI

- New setup
- Built using Qt-QML
- Still quite alpha

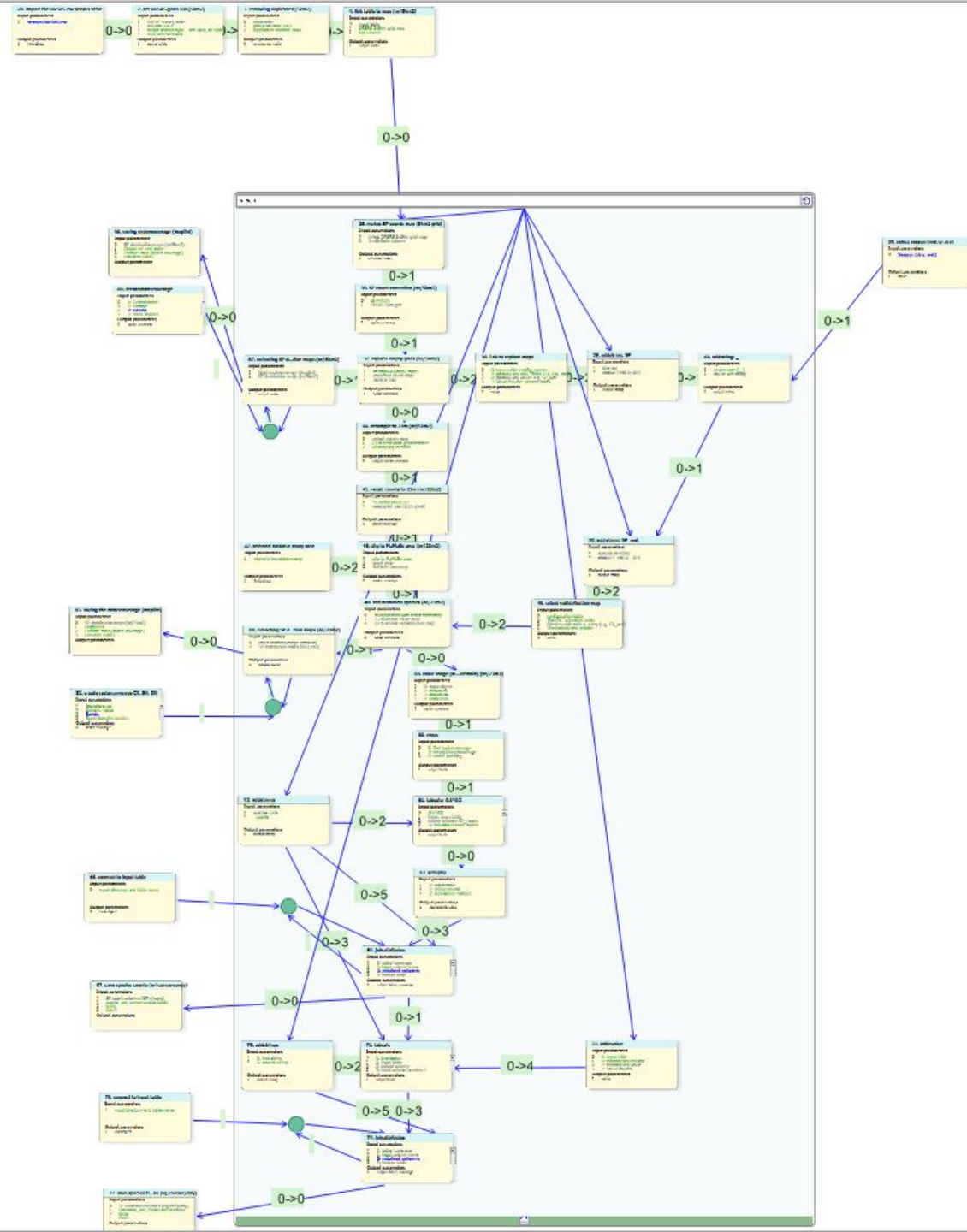


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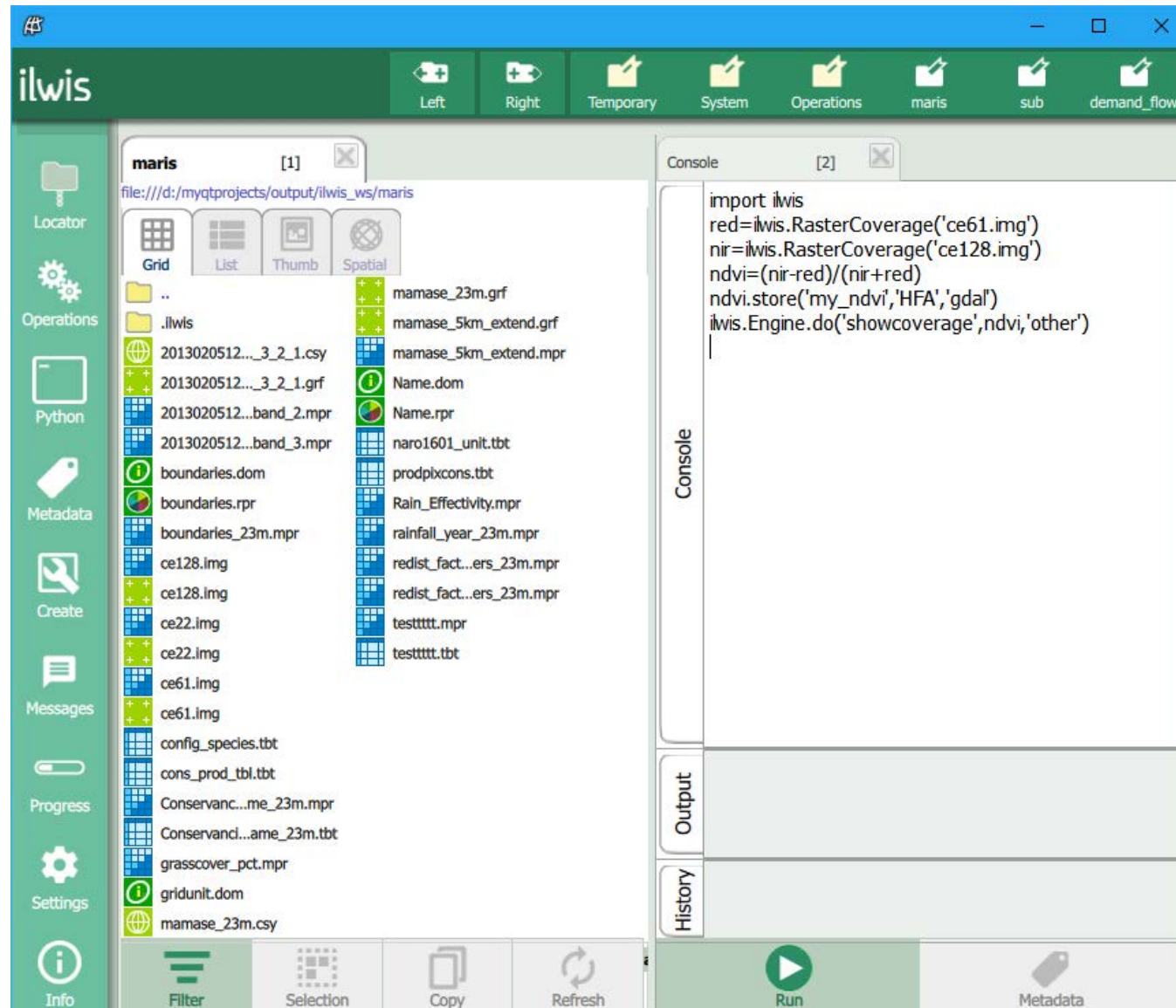


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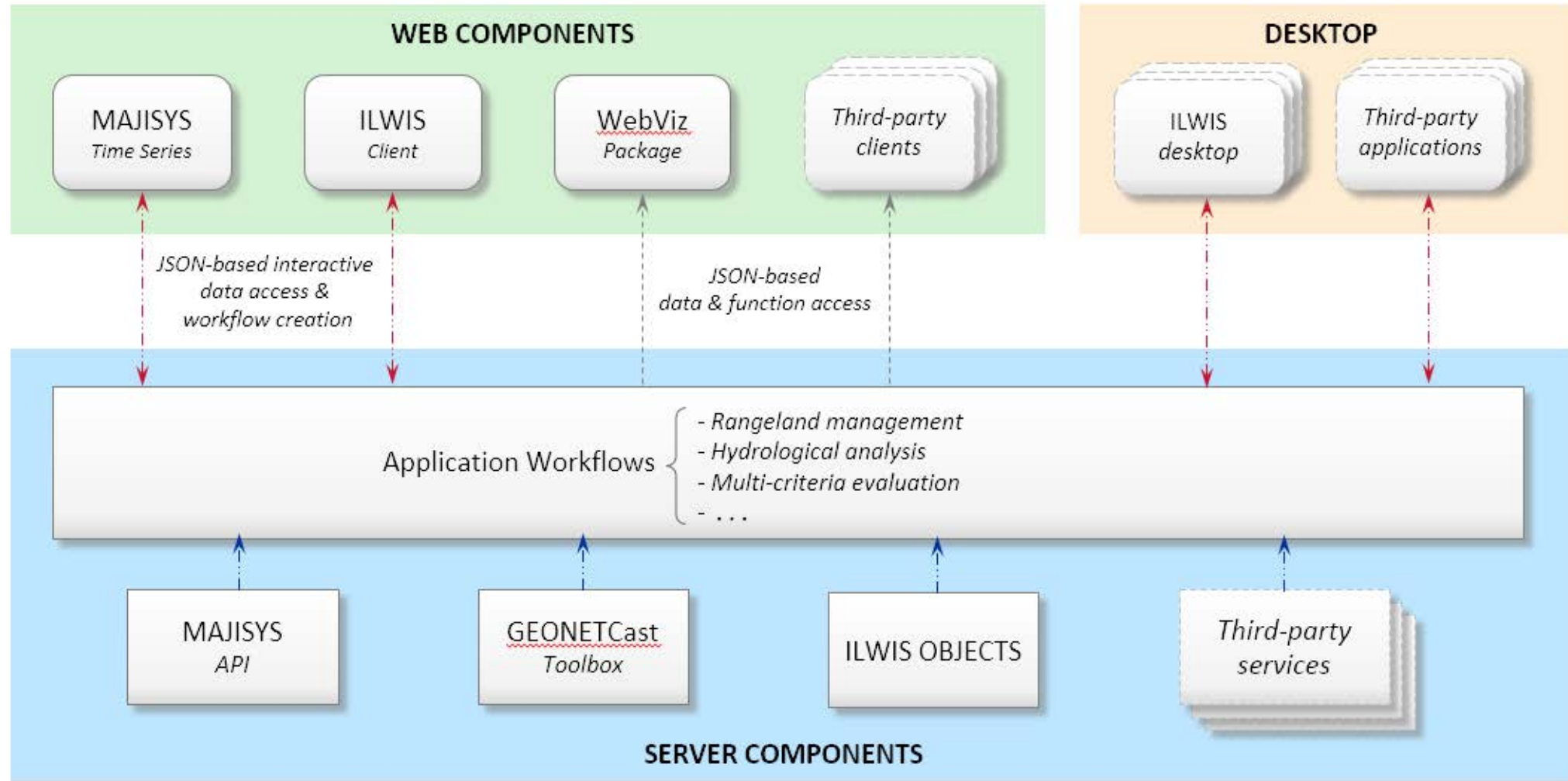


Python API

- All ILWIS functionality accessible through Python
- Alternative way to build workflows
- Python 3.x

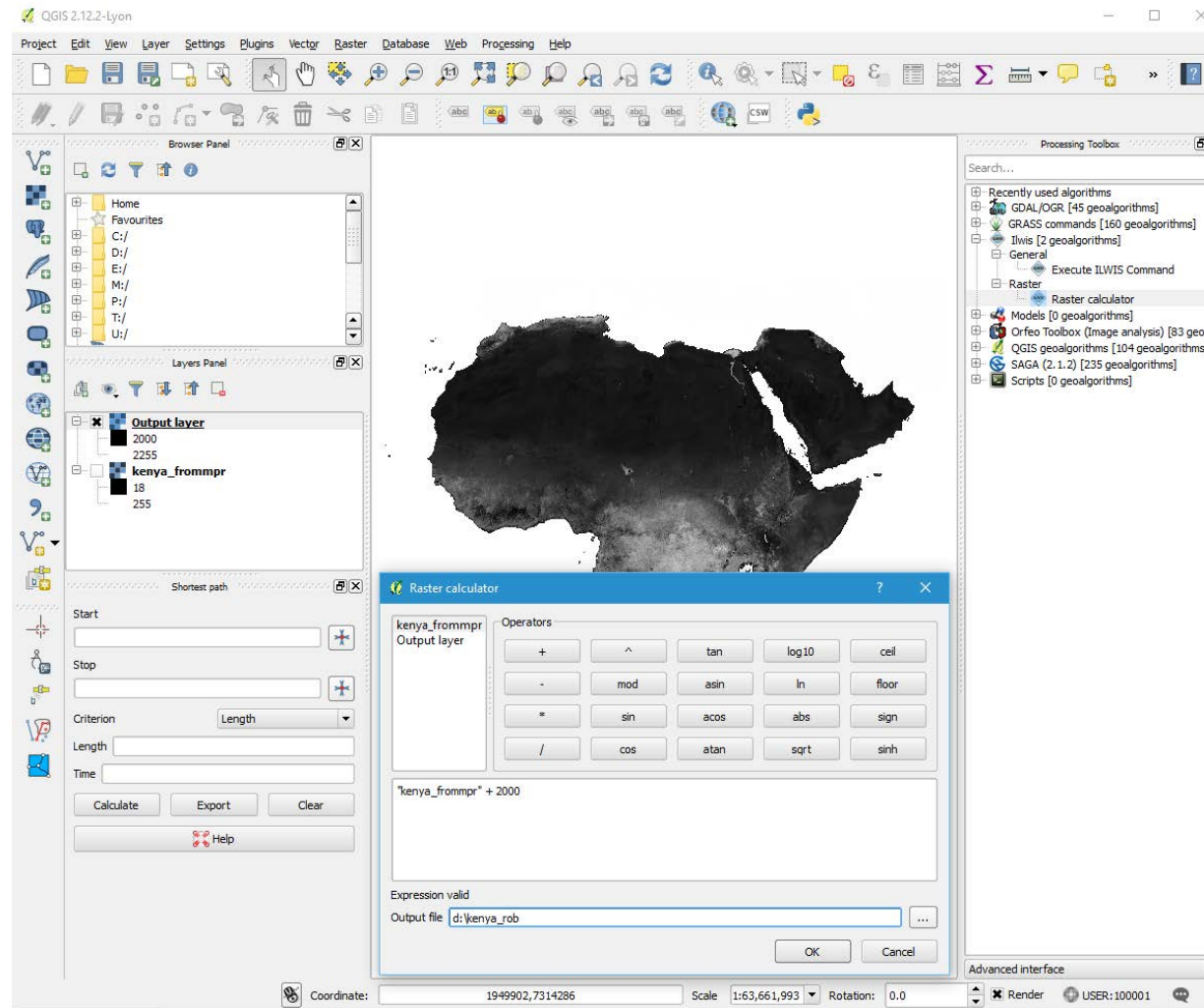


New development – an integrated approach



ILWIS processing plugin in QGIS

- (Part of) ILWIS functionality accessible in QGIS
- Through Processing plugin
- Combine and visualise ILWIS results with other data and web resources
- Proof-of-concept worked
- No resources at present for further development ...



ILWIS Community

You are invited to try ILWIS and tell us your experiences

We welcome use cases which involve raster image processing:

- Workflows represented in Python
- Workflows created with the ILWIS Workflow Builder

Help build the software...?

Contact the ILWIS Community Lead

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Modeling of semi-arid rangelands for sustainable management with the Python

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RANGELANDS MANAGEMENT MODEL IN THE MARA RIVER BASIN

Variability of the climatic and the drought phenomena makes range productivity a function of climate. In the study area the climate is variable and drought is a major characteristic. Therefore the pastoralis (Maasai) make great use of

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