

9.16 - Retrieval of Data as JSON Files

- site used for geo data retrieval: [overpass turbo \(overpass-turbo.eu\)](http://overpass-turbo.eu)

Transmission Lines

- code used for retrieval:
 - `relations` are =0 so that line is useless

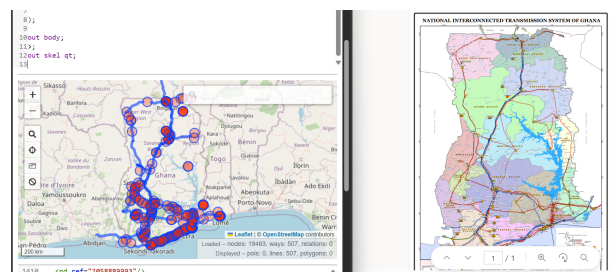
```
area[name="Ghana"]->.a;
(node[power=line](area.a);
 way[power=cable](area.a);
 way[power=line](area.a);
 way[power=minor_line](area.a);
 relation[power=line](area.a);

);

out body;
>;
out skel qt;
```

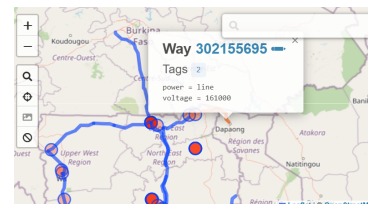
Finding/Verifying Consistencies in JSON file and National Interconnected Transmission System of Ghana image provided in Teams:

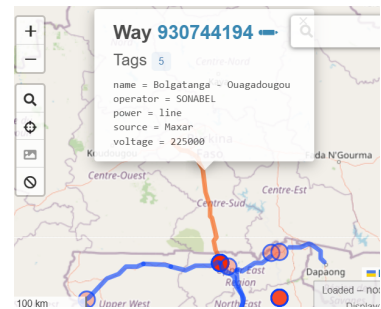
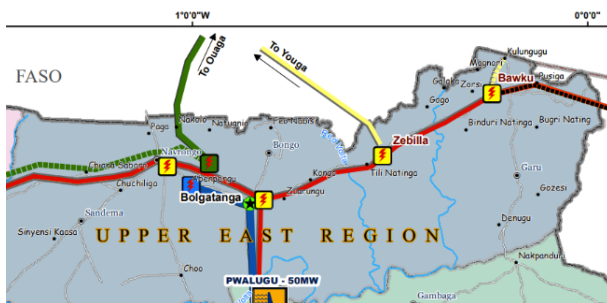
- Overpass Turbo data retrieval JSON file appears to contain most/all *existing* transmission lines in the National Interconnected Transmission System image
 - proposed transmission lines not present in JSON file



filename: `export_T_line.geojson`

- Some lines appear slightly different, at least in geographic layout





Generators

- code used for retrieval:

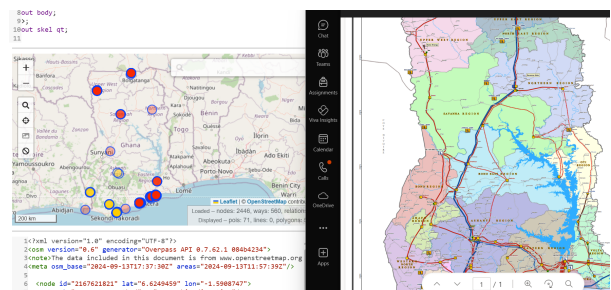
```
area[name="Ghana"] -> .a;
(node["power"="generator"](area.a);
 way["power"="generator"](area.a);
 relation["power"="generator"](area.a);

);

out body;
>;
out skel qt;
```

Finding/Verifying Consistencies in JSON file and National Interconnected Transmission System of Ghana image provided in Teams:

- appears? some Hydro sources, and possibly other generators, not present in JSON file.
- should modify code to specify different generator sources, including maybe hydro/solar/etc? or searching for substations?
- How should I modify this search? should I search for substations as well?



filename: `export_generators.geojson`

Load/Demand

- finds geographic locations most likely correlated with areas of high population. may be unable to obtain direct population data or electricity demand data, but can pinpoint areas of possible high population and demand for future research.

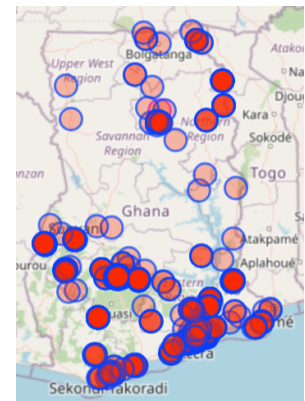
- finding/estimating load and demand was done by:
 - looking into industrial (`way["landuse"="industrial"]`), commercial areas (`way["landuse"="commercial"]`), shops (`shop=*`), factories (`man_made=works`)
 - *update: this failed because too many data points. `landuse` is probably a very vague/general tag*
 - looking into high-rise buildings (`buildings=apartments` , `building=office` , `way["building"~"apartments|office"]`)
 - ☒ search for substations as well? (`node["power"="substation"]`) (done as a separate query & saved as a separate JSON file)
 - ☒ areas of high population / density (done as a separate query & saved as a separate JSON file)
 - can't be done directly, but can search for specific tags generally correlated with higher population density (residential areas, apartment buildings, high-rise buildings, terraced houses, schools, hospitals, etc)

- code used for retrieval: (areas of high population / density)

```

area[name="Ghana"] -> .a;
(
  way["building"="office"](area.a);
  relation["building"="office"](area.a);
  way["building"="apartments"](area.a);
  relation["building"="apartments"](area.a);
  way["building"="terrace"](area.a);
  relation["building"="terrace"](area.a);
  way["building"="industrial"](area.a);
  relation["building"="industrial"](area.a);
);
out body;
>;
out skel qt;

```



filename:

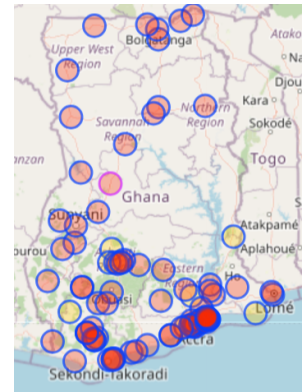
`export_office_apts_terrace_`

- code used for retrieval: *(areas with substations)*

```
area[name="Ghana"] -> .a;
(node["power"="substation"](area.a);
 way["power"="substation"](area.a);
 relation["power"="substation"](area.a);

);

out body;
>;
out skel qt;
```



filename:

```
export_substations.geojson
```