## GIS in R Lecture 4

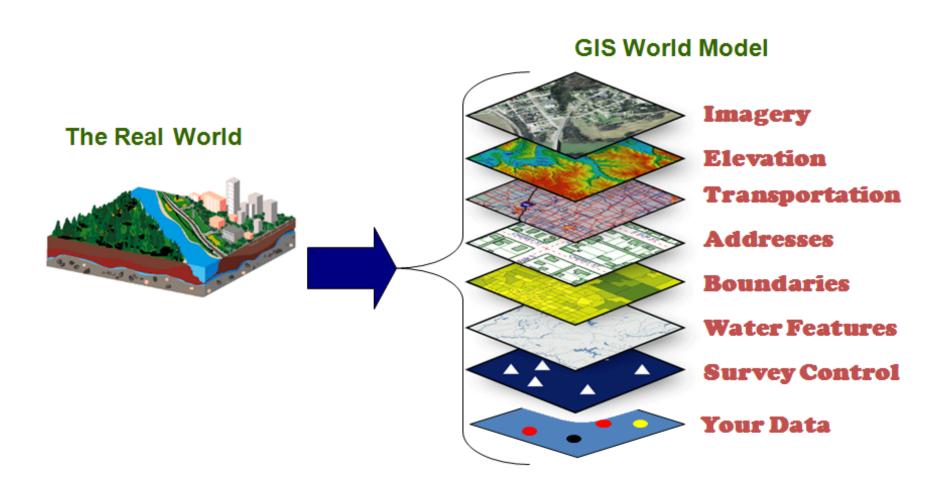
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## Topics of today

Layers

Manipulations of layers

#### What are layers



#### What are layers in R

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## with 3677 features and 6 fields
## Feature type: wkbPoint with 2 dimensions
# Main rivers
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## OGR data source with driver: ESRI Shapefile
## Source: ".", layer: "mainRivers"
## with 20 features and 1 fields
## Feature type: wkbLineString with 2 dimensions
# Administrative boundaries and coast lines
bounds <- readOGR(dsn = ".", layer = "borders")</pre>
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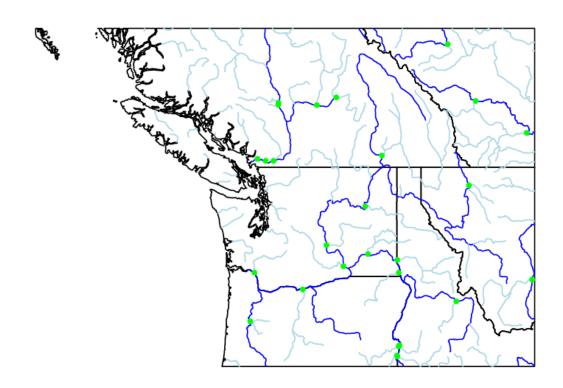
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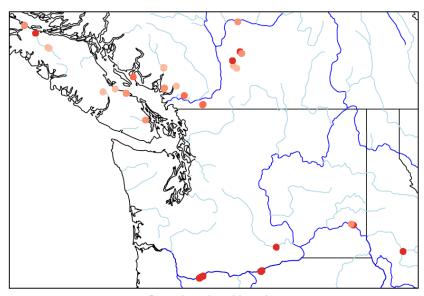
These need to be in the same CRS!

#### Plot layers in R

```
plot(bounds)
plot(mainRiv, add = TRUE, col = "blue")
plot(smallRiv, add = TRUE, col = "lightblue")
plot(rivInt, add = TRUE, col = "green", pch = 19, cex = 0.5)
```



#### Plot layers in R



- Oncorhynchus kisutch
- Oncorhýnchus mykiss
- Oncorhynchus nerka
  Oncorhynchus tshawytscha
- Salvelinus malma

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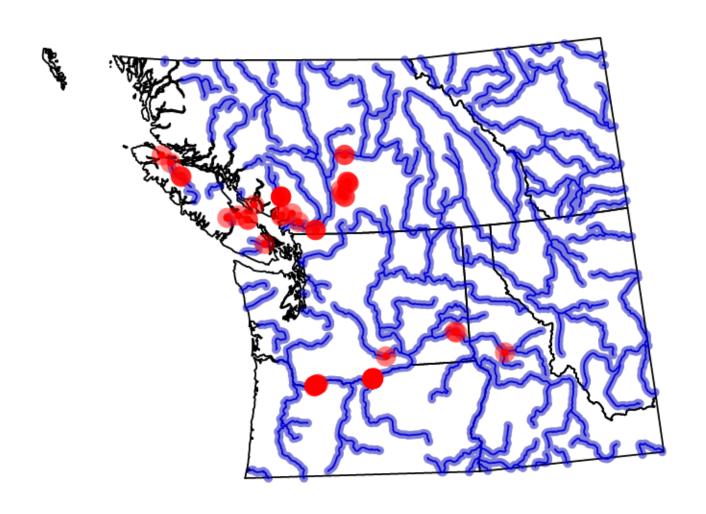
# Geometry Engine, Open Source (GEOS)

- GEOS contain the complete functionality of the Java Topology Suite
- Java Topology Suite has function for processing spatial and geometrical objects.
- GEOS includes functions such as:
  - Intersects
  - Touches
  - Contains
  - Union
  - Distance
  - Buffer

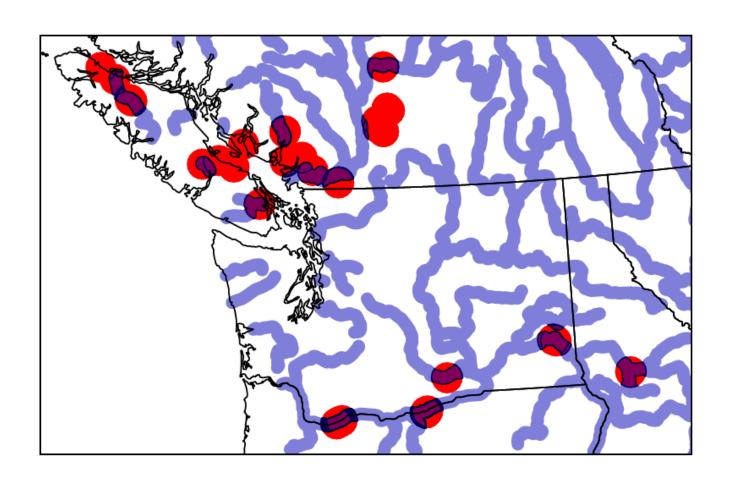
#### R package rgeos

- rgeos is an interface to GEOS
- rgeos gives access to GEOS functions

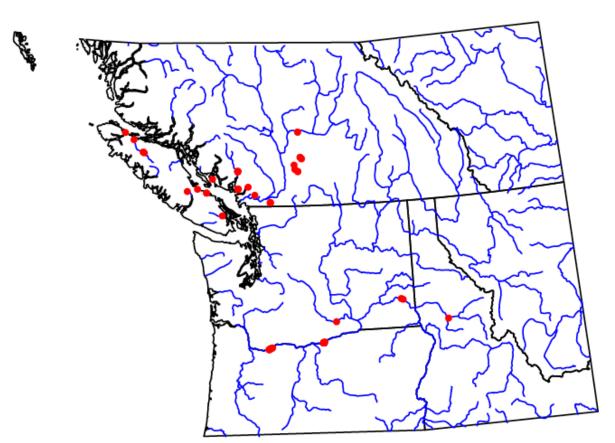
## gBuffer



## gIntersection

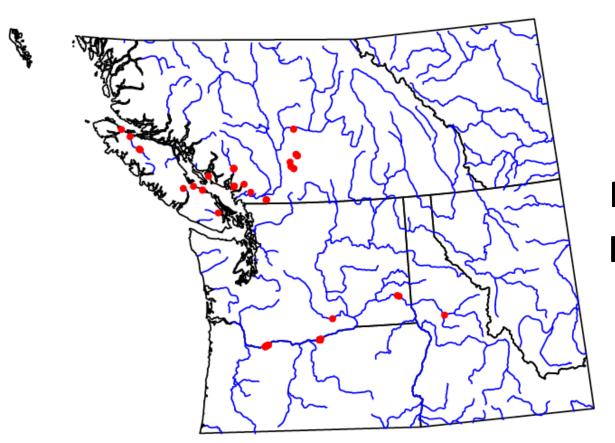


## gArea and gDistance



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