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How to access the website

1. Go to http://www.fewzz.com/ and click "Demo" on the top right.



2. Type http://www.fewzz.com/demo/Houston/ in the browser



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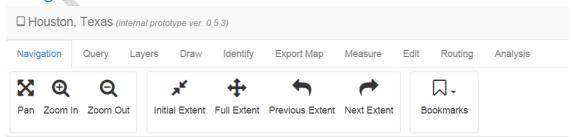
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Navigation



• Pan – By activating this tool, user can move the map using mouse



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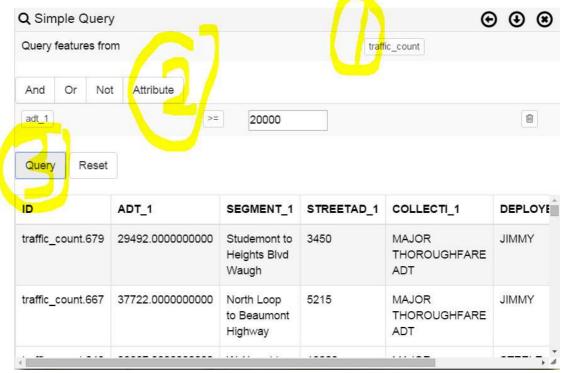
- Zoom In Zoom in current map by 1 level
- Zoom out Zoom out current map by 1 level
- Initial Extent Zoom and move map to the initial extent
- Full Extent Zoom and move map to the full extent
- Previous Extent Go to the previous extent
- Next Extent Go to the next extent
- Bookmarks User can save current extent to local, delete existing bookmark or zoom to exiting extent in bookmarks

Hints:

- User can zoom out or zoom in the map by scrolling the middle button of the mouse.
- User can zoom in the map by pressing and holding the Shift key on the keyboard and left button of the mouse and drawing a rectangle on the map. When user releases left button of the mouse, the map will zoom in.

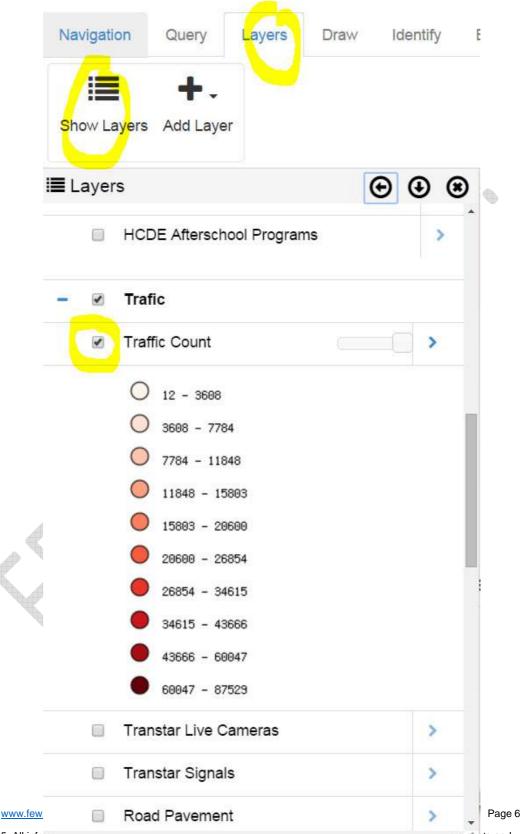
Query

• Simple Query – User can query target layer by attributes



1. User can select a target layer in the dropdown list. Only layers which have been checked in the layer tool can be seen in the dropdown list.





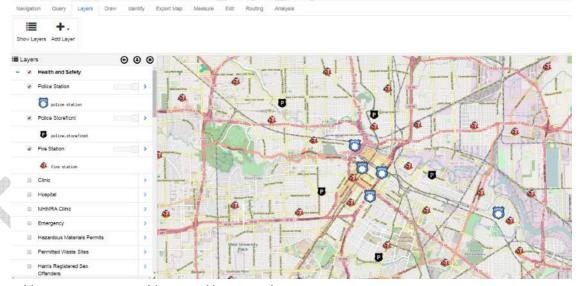
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- 2. By clicking the Attribute button, a query condition can be added. User can click "And", "Or" and "Not" buttons to create more complicated query conditions.
- 3. By clicking Query button, query results will be returned.
- 4. User can click each result and the map will focus on that result.
- Spatial Query Advanced users can use spatial query to query target layers using other features
 - 1. Query features from Select the target layer
 - 2. Select features from Select the layer which will be used as the spatial filter
 - 3. Spatial Operations Select a spatial operator
 - 4. Click on the feature which will be used as the spatial filter using left button on the mouse
 - 5. Click Query button and results will be returned.
 - 6. User can click each result and the map will focus on that result.

Hints: Only layers which have been checked in the layer tool can be seen in the dropdown list.

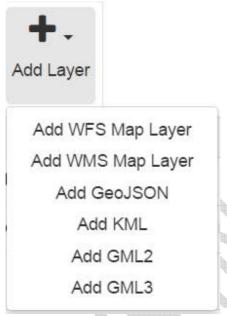
Layers

• Show Layers – User can show/hide layers



• Add Layer – User can add external layers to the current map





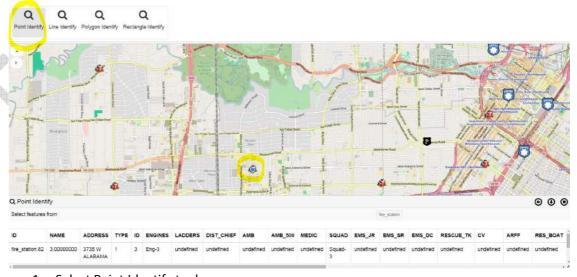
Supported format: WFS, WMS, GeoJSON, KML and GML

Draw

- User can draw the following shapes on the map: Point, Line, Free Line, Polygon, Free Polygon, Rectangle, Square, and Circle.
- Clear clear shapes on the map

Identify

• Point Identify – User can query layer information by clicking on the feature



1. Select Point Identify tool



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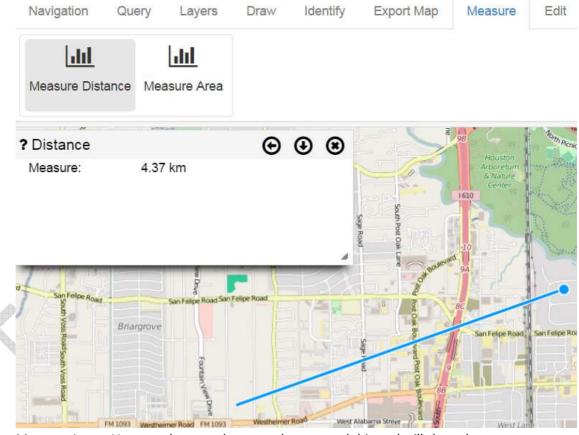
- 2. Select target layer which you want to query from. Multiple layer query are supported.
- 3. Click interested feature and the information will be shown
- Line Identify Same as Point Identify but by drawing a line to query features
- Polygon Identify Same as Point Identify but by drawing a polygon to query features
- Rectangle Identify Same as Point Identify but by drawing a rectangle to query features

Export Map

• Export map – export the map in current extent to a PNG file

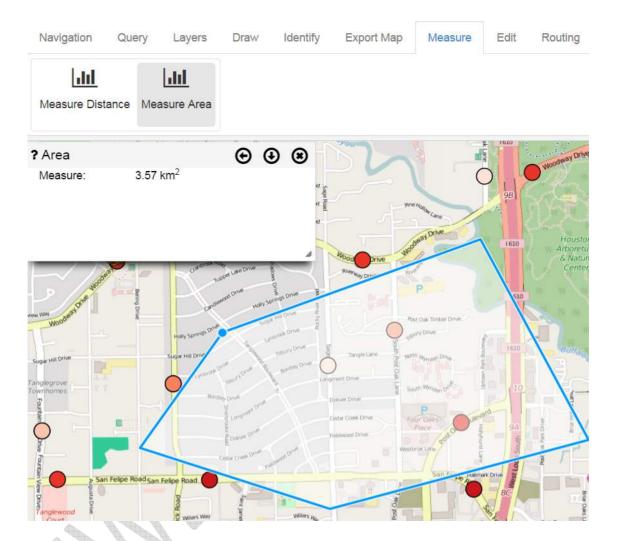
Measure

• Measure Distance – User can draw a line on the map and this tool will show the length



• Measure Area – User can draw a polygon on the map and this tool will show the area

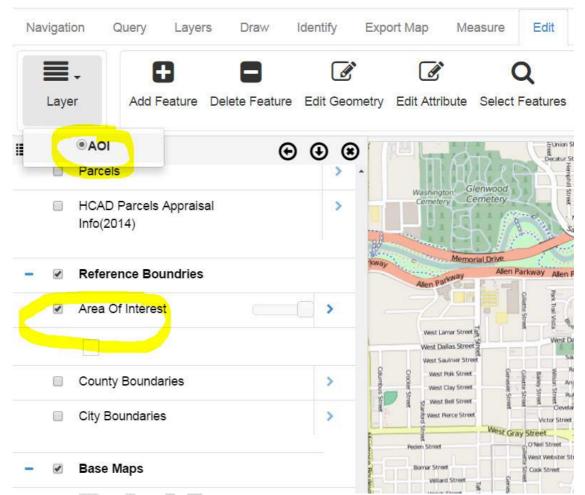




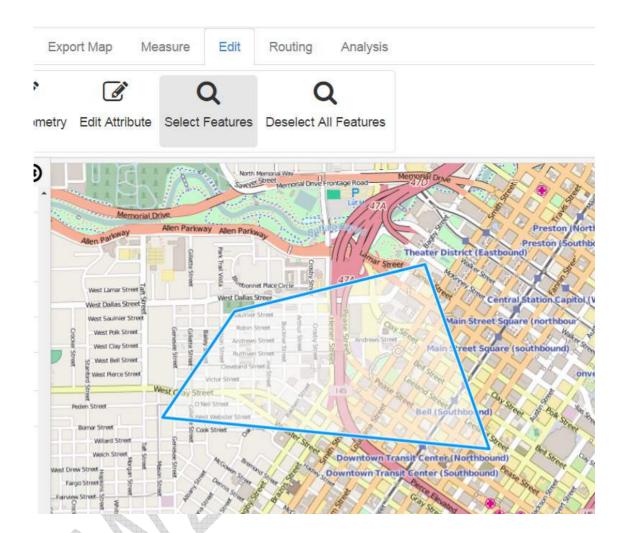
Edit

User can use this tool to edit features online

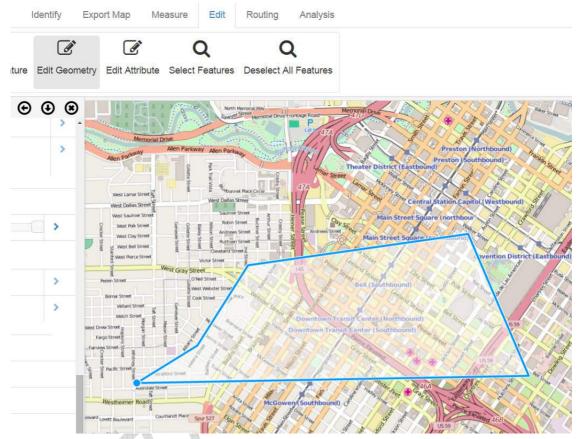
• Layer – Select the layer to be edited. User has to check "Area Of Interest" layer in the Show Layers tool first.



- Add Feature User can draw a polygon on the map. When finished, double click on the left button on the mouse. The new feature will be saved and any user using the website can see this new feature
- Delete Feature & Select Feature User can select a feature by activating Select Features
 tool and Click Delete Feature button to delete it. After the delete any user using the
 website cannot see this feature anymore.



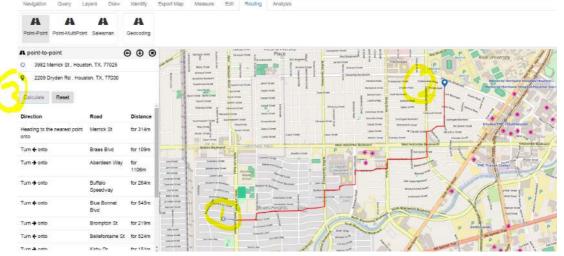
Edit Geometry – User can edit the geometry of an existing feature. After activating the
tool, user can click a feature to be edited. By holding left button on the mouse and
dragging an edge on the feature, user can reshape the feature. Click any place except
the feature itself to save the editing. After the editing, any user using the website will
see this new edited featur.



- Edit Attribute Disable by Administrator for now.
- Deselect All Features Deselect all selected features by users

Routing

Point-Point – Calculate the optimal path between start and destination



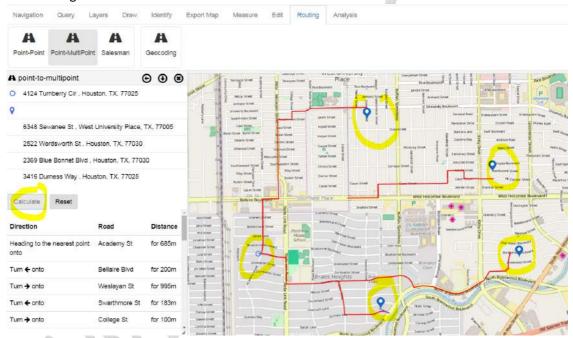
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- 1. Activate Point Point tool
- 2. Click a location on the map as start
- 3. Click a location on the map as destination
- 4. Click Calculate button to calculate the optimal path
- 5. Click Reset to restart

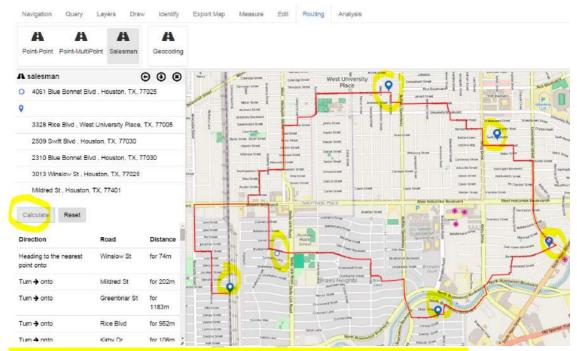
Hints: User can click on each path on the result list to focus on that path

Point-MultiPoint - Calculate the optimal paths between start and multiple destinations.
 Similar usage as Point-Point tool



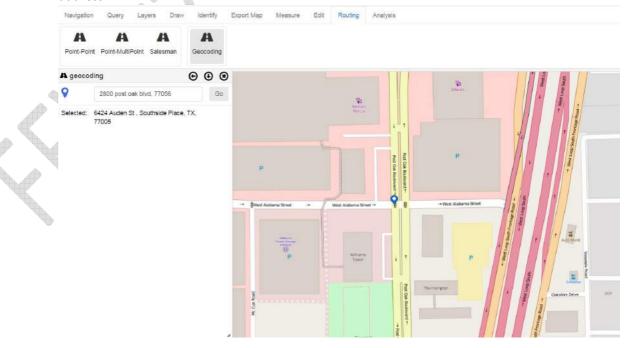
 Salesman – Solve the salesman problem. Calculate the optimal paths to travel through all destinations from start location and finally go back to the destination. It will automatically calculate the optimal sequence to visit each destinations.





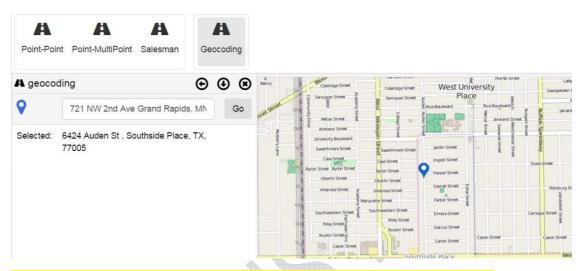
Hints: user need to select at least 3 destination to create a salesman problem.

- Geocoding Support geocoding and reverse geocoding.
 - 1. Geocoding: User can input address and click go button to locate the map on the address





2. Reverse geocoding: User can click any location on the map and it show the geocoded address on that location

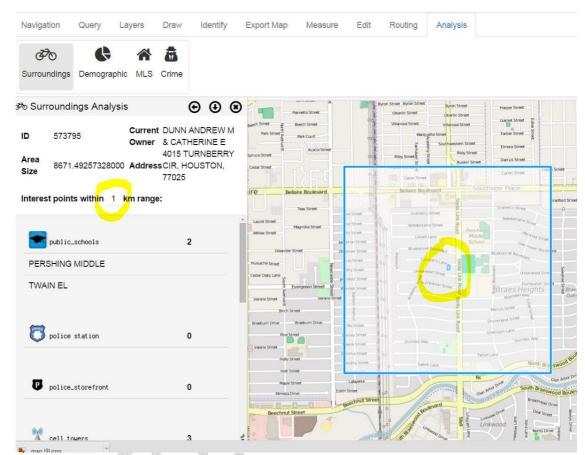


Hints: for geocoding, the accuracy will significantly improve with a zip code input.

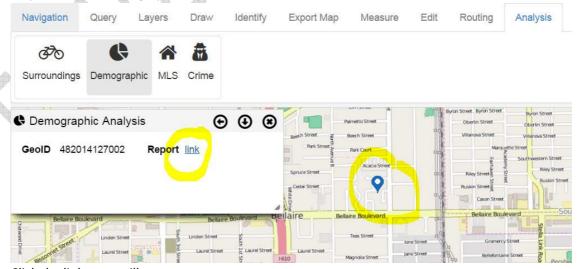
Analysis

 Surrounding – User can set a buffer distance and click on any property on the map. The tool will show the number and names of interested facilities within the rectangle buffer





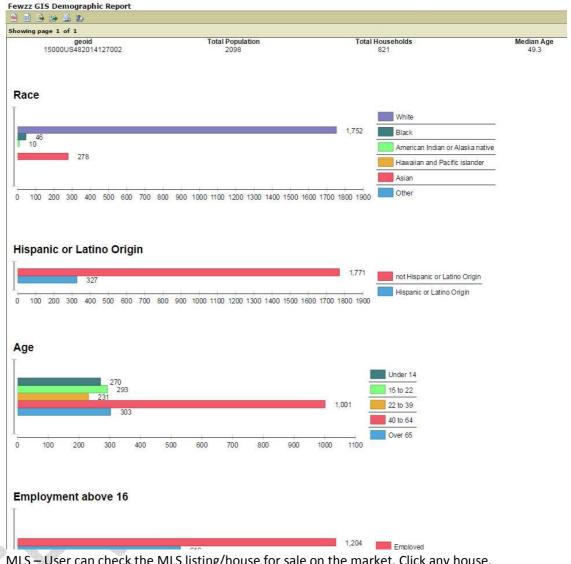
• Demographic – After activating the Demographic tool, user can click any place on the map to retrieve demographic report in that block.



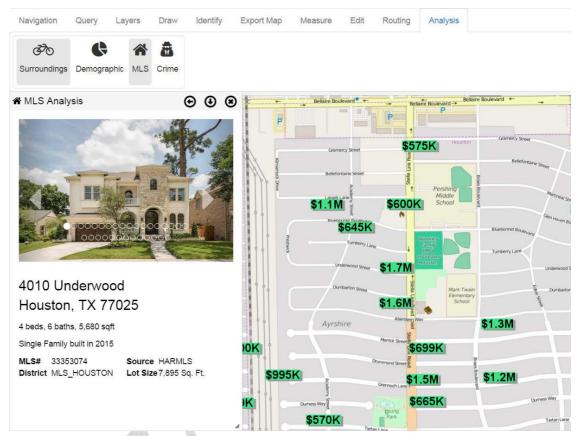
Click the link, user will see a report:



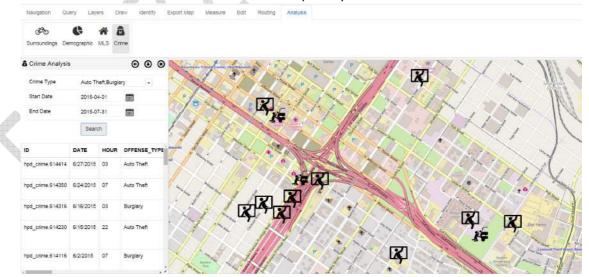
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 MLS – User can check the MLS listing/house for sale on the market. Click any house, detailed information will be shown.



Crime – User can check the crime records in the past 7 years.



- 1. Crime Type User can choose multiple types
- 2. Start Date Choose a query start date
- 3. End Date Choose a query end date
- 4. Click Search button and results will be returned



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Hints:

- 1. To reduce server load, for each search, it will only return maximum 200 crime records
- 2. User can click each crime record and the map will focus on that crime.

Other topics

Layer descriptions

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Group Name	Show Name	Description
Reference	County Boundaries	Harris county boundaries
Boundaries		
	City Boundaries	City boundaries
	Area Of Interest	Polygon layers on which user can
		draw to show all other users. This
		layer is shared by all users
Health and Safety	Police Station	Police stations in Harris county
	Police Storefront	Police storefront in Harris county
	Fire Station	Fire station in Harris county
	Clinic	Clinics in Harris county
	Hospital	Hospital in Harris county
	MHMRA Clinic	MHMRA Clinic in Harris county
4	Emergency	Emergency area in Harris county
	Hazardous	The location for Houston Fire
	Materials Permits	Department Hazardous storage
		permits in Harris county
	Permitted Waste	This layer contains point locations for
	Sites	operating Permitted Industrial and
A A A A		Hazardous Waste Locations in Texas.
)	Facilities which store, process, or
		dispose of hazardous waste (except
		where such storage and/or
		processing is excluded from permit
		requirements in accordance with 30
		Texas Administrative Code (TAC)
		Section 335) must obtain a permit
		pursuant to the Texas Solid Waste
		Disposal Act. The Industrial and
		Hazardous Waste Permits Section of
		the TCEQ maintain a database of
		these facilities, which is represented
		geographically here.
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	Harris Registered Sex Offenders Toxics Release Pipeline Floodplain	Level 3 Certification - This layer does not meet the minimum 25 meter agency standard. The layer was certified with known problems that have been documented in the metadata. It is not suitable for high-precision measurement applications. Registered sex offender location in Harris county Location information for toxic chemical releases for past 26 years Underground pipeline location Area of land adjacent to a stream or river that stretches from the banks of
		its channel to the base of the enclosing valley walls and experiences flooding during periods of high discharge
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Education	College	College location in Harris county
	School Districts	School district areas in Harris county
	Public Schools	Public school information in Harris
		county, including school
		accountability ratings, SAT/ACT
		average scores, etc.
	HCDE Afterschool	Location for HCDE afterschool
	Programs	programs in Harris county
Traffic	Traffic Count	Traffic count information for
		monitoring location in Harris county. Higher count indicate more busy traffic.
	Transtar Live	Location for Transtar live cameras.
	Cameras	User can view real-time camera image at the location. Refreshed
	Turnetan C'	every 5 min.
	Transtar Signals	Locations for traffic signals in Harris county
	Road Pavement	Road pavement ratings in Harris county. Brighter green color mean better road pavement condition. Darker red color mean worse road pavement condition.
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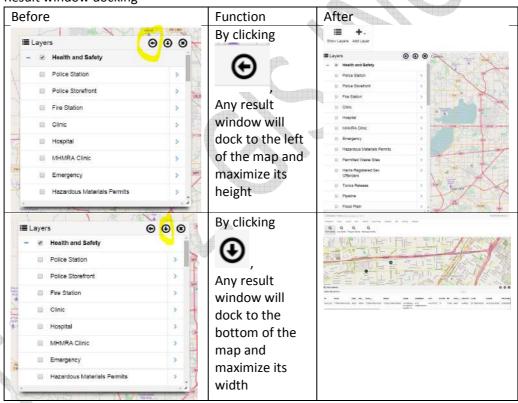


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Parcels	Parcels	Parcel information in Harris county
	HCAD Parcels	Color coded real estate appraisal
	Appraisal Info	information (2014 year real estate
	(2014)	appraisal value)
Imagery	Houston Imagery	Aerial photo in Harris county
Open Source	Openstreet	Road map
	Stamen Water	Reminiscent of hand drawn maps,
		watercolor maps apply raster effect
		area washes and organic edges over a
		paper texture to add warm pop to
		any map
	Stamen Toner	High-contrast B+W (black and white)
		background
	Stamen Terrain	errain maps are featured by hill
		shading and natural vegetation
	• 4	colors. These maps showcase
		advanced labeling and linework
		generalization of dual-carriageway
		roads
Miscellaneous	Facets	Harris County Map Facets. Visit
		http://pdata.hcad.org/GIS/index.html
		for more information and the
		quarterly refresh schedule.
	Tax Increment	Tax Increment Reinvestment Districts
	Reinvestment Zone	in Harris County. Visit
		http://pdata.hcad.org/GIS/index.html
		for more information and the
		quarterly refresh schedule.
	Utility	Municipal Utility Districts in Harris
	,	County
	Water District	Water Districts in Harris County
	Cellphone Towers	Cellphone tower locations in Harris
		County
	Super	This layer depicts the Super
	Neighborhoods	neighborhoods as defined by the
	3.6	Planning and Development
		Department. This layer is subject to
		change
	Digital Raster	Scanned image of a U.S. Geological
	Graphic	Survey (USGS) standard series



	topographic map, including all map collar information

• Result window docking



Scale dependent and maximum number of features control

Layer Name	Minimum scale at which	Maximum number of
	this layer is drawn	features returned by each
		request
Toxics Release	78271	
Pipeline	39135	
Traffic Count	39135	200
Public Schools	78271	10



Transtar Signals	39135	
Road Pavement	9783	
MLS	39135	
Harris Registered Sex	78271	100
Offenders		
Crime		200

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- Do not show more than 6 layers at the same time. Showing more layers at the same time will result in slower map browsing.

