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Chapter 1. Introduction

Tell us about the GeoPOS standard, the Users Guide, and what it is for.

Chapter 2. How To Use This Resource

The Users Guide to the GeoPOS Conceptual Model Standard is not intended to be read from start to finnish. Rather, it is a resource structured to provide quick answers to questions which an implementer may have about the GeoPOS Standard.

The GeoPOS Standard includes hyperlinks which can be used to navigate directly to relevant sections of the Users Guide.

NOTE	This is a rough draft. A more refined writeup will be avaliable at a latter date.

Chapter 3. Scope

NOTE Insert Scope text here. Give the subject of the document and the aspects of that scope covered by the document.

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The following documents contain provisions that, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this Users Guide. For dated references, subsequent amendments to, or revisions of, any of these publications do not apply. For undated references, the latest edition of the document referred to applies.

- IETF: RFC 2045 & 2046, Multipurpose Internet Mail Extensions (MIME). (November 1996),
- IETF: RFC 3986, Uniform Resource Identifier (URI): Generic Syntax. (January 2005)
- INSPIRE: D2.8.III.2 Data Specification on Buildings – Technical Guidelines. European Commission Joint Research Centre.
- ISO: ISO 19101-1:2014, Geographic information - Reference model - Part 1: Fundamentals

NOTE	Each reference has an anchor. That allows users to jump to this citation from any hyperlinked reference in the text. The second part of the anchor is the text that will be displayed such as RFC 2045

Chapter 5. Terms and Definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following additional terms and definitions apply.

2D data
geometry of features is represented in a two-dimensional space
NOTE In other words, the geometry of 2D data is given using (X,Y) coordinates.
[INSPIRE D2.8.III.2, definition 1]

2.5D data
geometry of features is represented in a three-dimensional space with the constraint that, for each (X,Y) position, there is only one Z
[INSPIRE D2.8.III.2, definition 2]

3D data
Geometry of features is represented in a three-dimensional space.
NOTE In other words, the geometry of 2D data is given using (X,Y,Z) coordinates without any constraints.
[INSPIRE D2.8.III.2, definition 3]

application schema
A set of conceptual schema for data required by one or more applications. An application schema contains selected parts of the base schemas presented in the ORM Information Viewpoint. Designers of application schemas may extend or restrict the types defined in the base schemas to define appropriate types for an application domain. Application schemas are information models for a specific information community.
OGC Definitions Register at http://www.opengis.net/def/glossary/term/ApplicationSchema

codelist
A value domain including a code for each permissible value.

conceptual model
model that defines concepts of a universe of discourse
[ISO 19101-1:2014, 4.1.5]

conceptual schema

1. formal description of a conceptual model
   [ISO 19101-1:2014, 4.1.6]
2. base schema. Formal description of the model of any geospatial information. Application schemas are built from conceptual schemas.
   OGC Definitions Register at http://www.opengis.net/def/glossary/term/ConceptualSchema

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NOTE

Notice that each definition has an anchor. Anchor text would also be a good idea which we may include latter. Terms used within a definition should be cross-linked to their definition if it is included in this document (see Application Schema for an example.

Chapter 6. Conventions

6.1. Identifiers

The normative provisions in this document are denoted by the URI

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All requirements and conformance tests that appear in this document are denoted by partial URIs which are relative to this base.

Chapter 7. GeoPOS Foundations

This section in introductory text for the foundational concepts which will be discussed.

This file may be omitted if you have nothing to say.

7.1. Concept Name

Describe your concept here. Write to the developer, this is not a disertation.

7.2. Concept Name

Describe your concept here.

Don’t forget to include anchors for hyperlinks. Allow users to jump in, get what they need, and jump out.

Chapter 8. GeoPOS Model

8.1. Core

Contributors
C. Heazel - first draft

NOTE in this example this module is first divided into multiple sections. This is done to make the concept more accessible.

The CityGML Core module defines the basic concepts and components of city models. This rather large body of work is divided into seven sections. These sections build on each other from the fundamental principles specified by the relevant ISO standards up to the full CityGML model. These sections are summarized in Table 1.

Table 1. CityGML Core Sections

Key Concepts	Summarizes the key concepts described in the Core module.
The Use of ISO Standards	Describes the use of the ISO 19100 series of International Standards to provide a foundation to the CityGML model.
City Models and City Objects	Defines the basic building blocks of the CityGML model.
Space Concept	Defines the concepts of space as used in the CityGML model.
Geometry and LOD	Defines the geometry and Levels Of Detail concepts.
CityGML Core Model	Presents the complete Core model.
Types, Enumerations, and Codelist	Defines the little things which make this model work.

8.1.1. Key Concepts

The following is a summary of the key concepts described by the Core Module. This is not an exaustive listing of all of the Core concepts. Rather, it is an introduction those concepts which are essentiall for understanding the role of the Core Module in the CityGML Conceptual Model.

CityModel: (Discussion) The CityModel class is the root class of every CityGML conceptual model. It's primary purpose is to aggregate CityModelMembers.

NOTE Each entry includes a link to the corresponding data dictionary (click on the name) and a link to further discussion of the concept (discussion). Furthermore, each concept has an anchor which makes it a potential target of an interal link.

8.1.2. ISO Dependencies

NOTE	these classes are commonly used in OGC standards. I left the content in case you have a use for it.

CityGML builds on the ISO 19100 family of standards. The applicable standards are identified in Figure 1. A Data dictionary is also included for all of the ISO-defined classes explicitly referenced in the CityGML UML model. These data dictionaries are provided for the convenience of the user. The ISO standards are the normative source.

Use of ISO Standards in CityGML

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Classes

The ISO classes explicitly used in the CityGML UML model are introduced in Table 2. Detailed descriptions are provided in the Data Dictionary.

Table 2. ISO Classes used in CityGML

Class Name	Description
AnyFeature	A generalization of all feature types
CV_DiscreteGridPointCoverage	A coverage that returns the same feature attribute values for every direct position within any object in its domain.
DirectPosition	The coordinates for a position within some coordinate reference system.
GM_Object	The root class of the geometric object taxonomy.
GM_MultiCurve	An aggregate class containing only instances of GM_OrientableCurve.
GM_MultiPoint	An aggregate class containing only points.
GM_MultiSurface	An aggregate class containing only instances of GM_OrientableSurface.
GM_Point	The basic data type for a geometric object consisting of one and only one point.
GM_Solid	The basis for 3-dimensional geometry. The extent of a solid is defined by the boundary surfaces.
GM_Surface	The basis for 2-dimensional geometry.
GM_Tin	A GM_TriangulatedSurface which uses the Delaunay or similar algorithm.
GM_TriangulatedSurface	A GM_PolyhedralSurface that is composed only of triangles
SC_CRS	Coordinate reference system which is usually single but may be compound.
TM_Position	A union class that consists of one of the data types listed as its attributes.

Geometry

The most common geometry concept found in the CityGML 3.0 Standard is the concept of multi-

primitives. These are homogeneous collections of GM_Primitives which are aggregated to form a more compex geometry.

GM_Composites are another form of GM_Primitive collection. These differ from GM_MultiPrimitive in that the collection can be heterogeneous. It should be noted that none of the classes in the CityGML 3.0 Standard are decended from GM_Composites. However, the terms "CompositeCurve", "CompositeSurface", and "CompositeSolid" do appear in the text. The `composit` concept can also be seen in the assocation between spaces and surfaces. Therefore, an explanation of `composits` has been included for completeness.

GM_Primitive

GM_Primitive is the abstract root class of the geometric primitives. Its main purpose is to define the basic "boundary" operation that ties the primitives in each dimension together. A geometric primitive (GM_Primitive) is a geometric object that is not decomposed further into other primitives in the system. This includes curves and surfaces, even though they are composed of curve segments and surface patches, respectively. This composition is a strong aggregation: curve segments and surface patches cannot exist outside the context of a primitive.

NOTE Most geometric primitives are decomposable infinitely many times. Adding a centre point to a line may split that line into two separate lines. A new curve drawn across a surface may divide that surface into two parts, each of which is a surface. This is the reason that the normal definition of primitive as "non-decomposable" is not plausible in a geometry model - the only non-decomposable object in geometry is a point.

GM_MultiPrimitive

Any geometric object that is used to describe a feature is a collection of geometric primitives. A homogeneous collection of geometric primitives may be a multi-primitive (GM_MultiPrimitive). Geometric complexes have additional properties specific to the type of geometric primitive they aggregate.

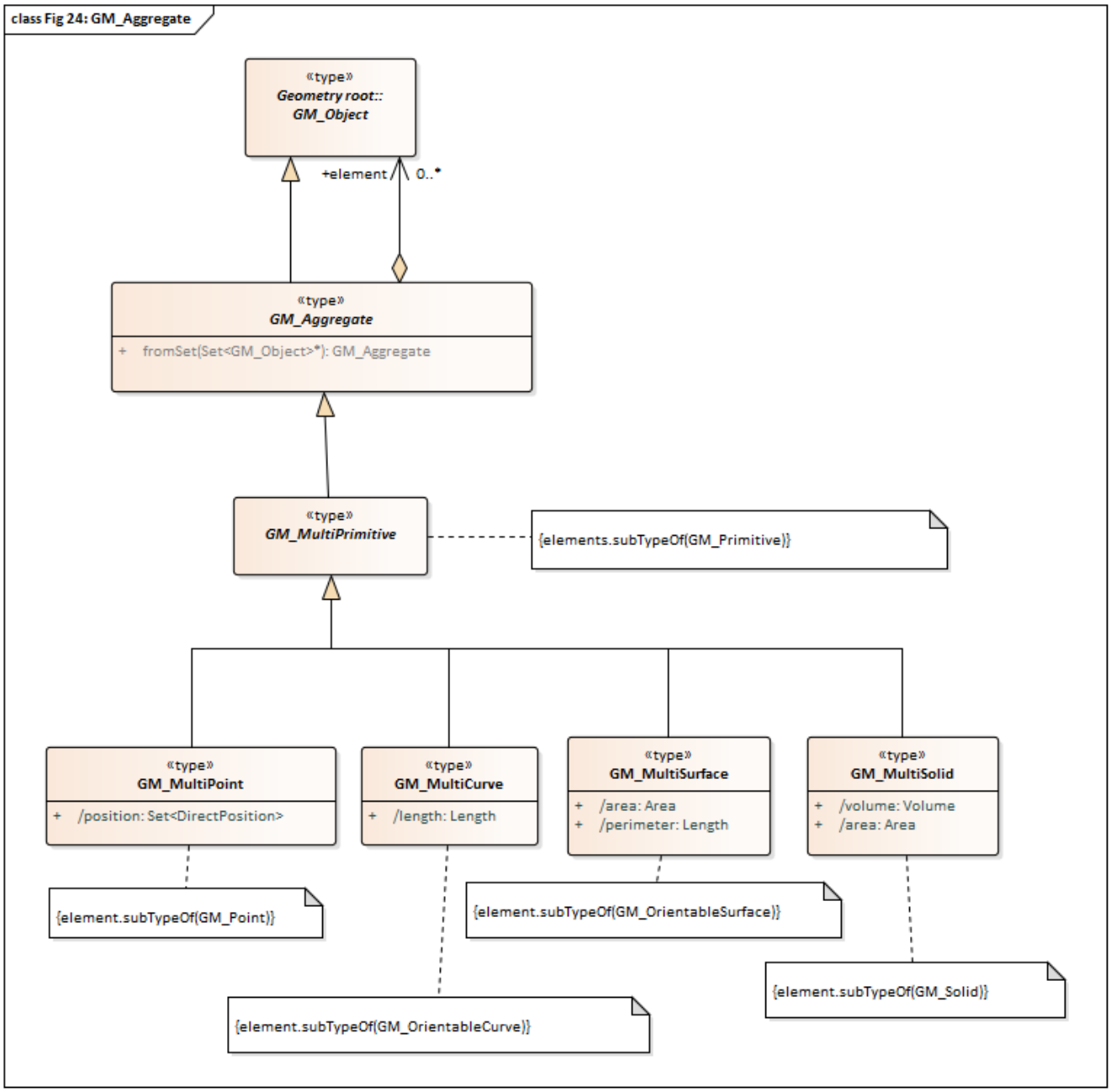

Figure 1. GM_MultiPrimitive Context Diagram

GM_Complex

A GM_Complex is a set of disjoint geometric primitives (GM_Primitive) such that the boundary of each primitive can be represented as the union of other geometric primitives within the complex.

Any geometric object that is used to describe a feature is a collection of geometric primitives. A collection of geometric primitives may be a geometric complex (GM_Complex). Geometric complexes have additional properties such as closure by boundary operations and mutually exclusive component parts.

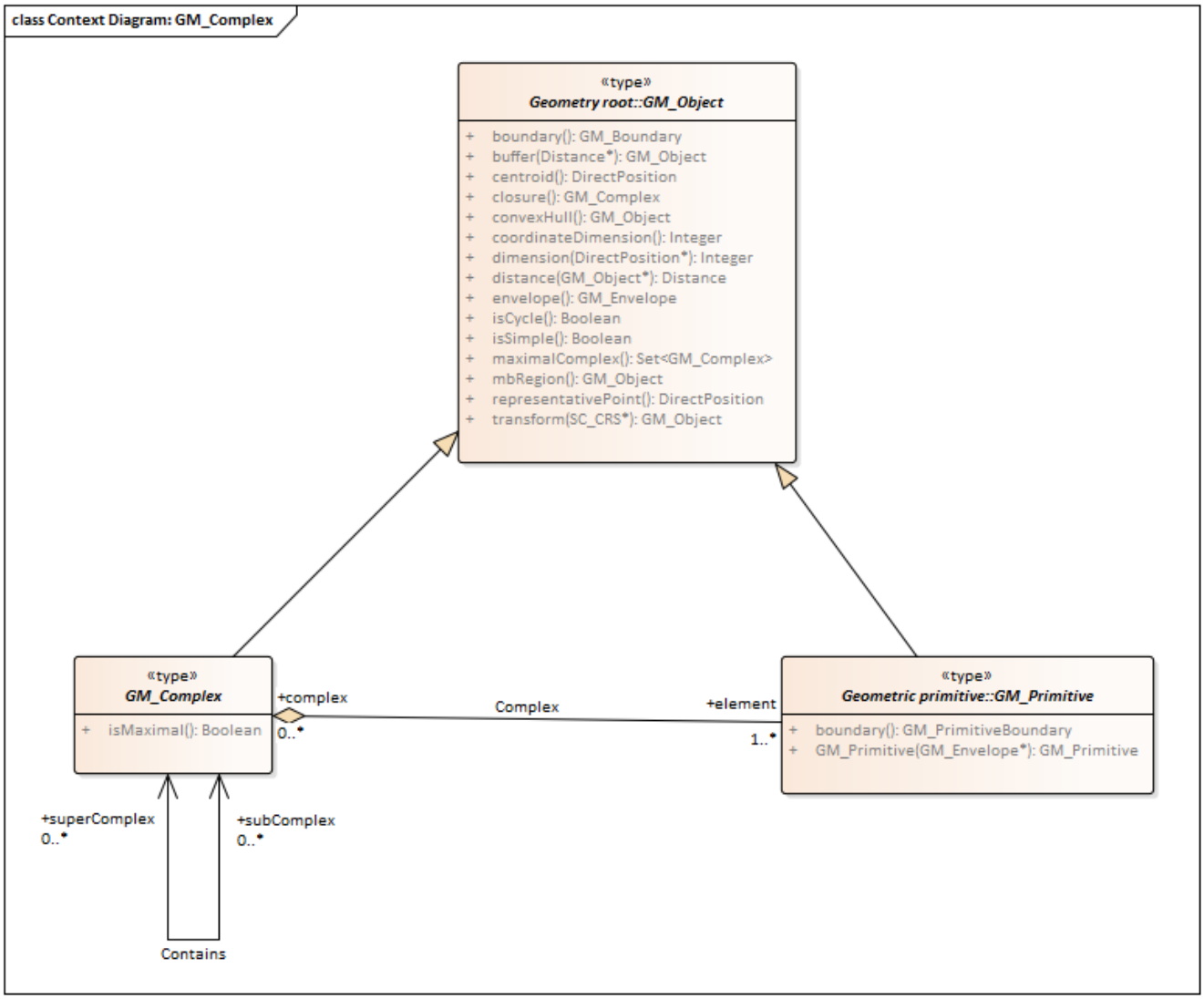

Figure 2. GM_Complex Context Diagram

GM_Primitive and GM_Complex share most semantics, in the meaning of operations, attributes and associations. There is an exception in that a GM_Primitive shall not contain its boundary (except in the trivial case of GM_Point where the boundary is empty), while a GM_Complex shall contain its boundary in all cases. This means that if an instantiated object implements GM_Object operations both as GM_Primitive and as a GM_Complex, the semantics of each set theoretic operation is determined by the its name resolution. Specifically, for a particular object such as GM_CompositeCurve, GM_Primitive::contains (returns FALSE for end points) is different from GM_Complex::contains (returns TRUE for end points). Further, if that object is cast as a GM_Primitive value and as a GM_Complex value, then the two values need not be equal as GM_Objects.

GM_Complex aggregates GM_Primitives through the `element` property. Since this is an aggregation, the target GM_Primitive may be associated with more than one GM_Complex.

A GM_Complex object can also have a whole/part relationship with other GM_Complex objects. The `contains` association is used to associate the `superComplex` instance with the `subComplex` instance.

Note that the geometric primitives in the set are mutually exclusive in the sense that no point is interior to more than one primitive. The set is closed under boundary operations, meaning that for each element in the complex, there is a collection (also a complex) of geometric primitives that

represents the boundary of that element.

GM_Composite

GM_Composite is a subclass of GM_Complex. Like GM_Complex, it has an association with GM_Primitives. In this case this is an `composition` association with a `composite` role (GM_Composite) and a `generator` role (GM_Primitive). As with the GM_Complex, the GM_Primitve may be associated with more than one GM_Composite.

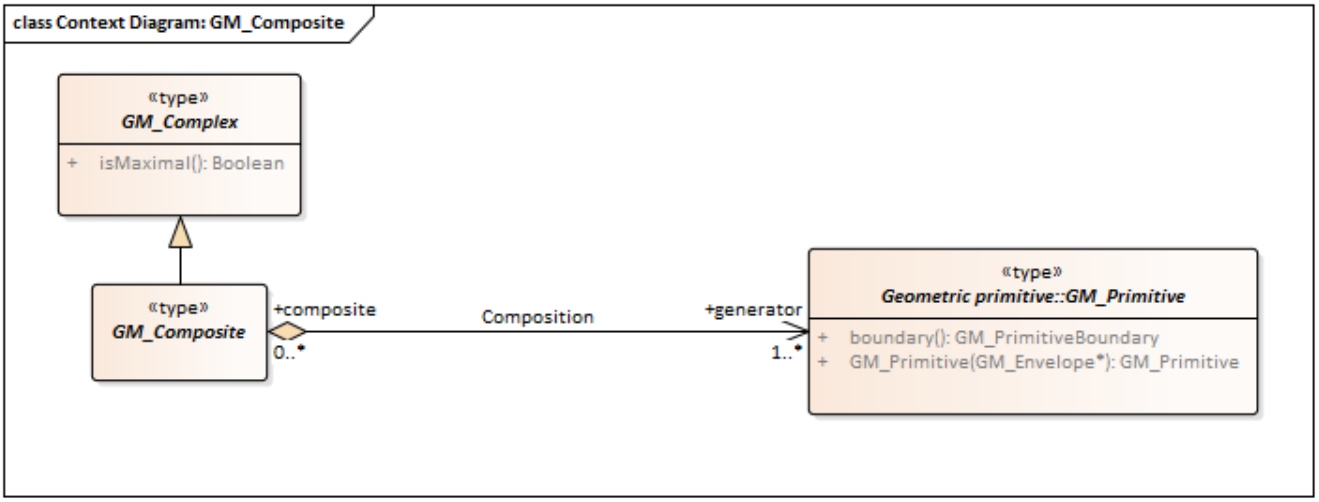

Figure 3. GM_Composite Context Diagram

GM_CompositeSurface

A GM_Composite where the GM_Primitives is a GM_OrientatableSurface.

A GM_CompositeSurface is also a subclass of GM_Primitives is a GM_OrientatableSurface. One of the few examples of multiple inheritance.

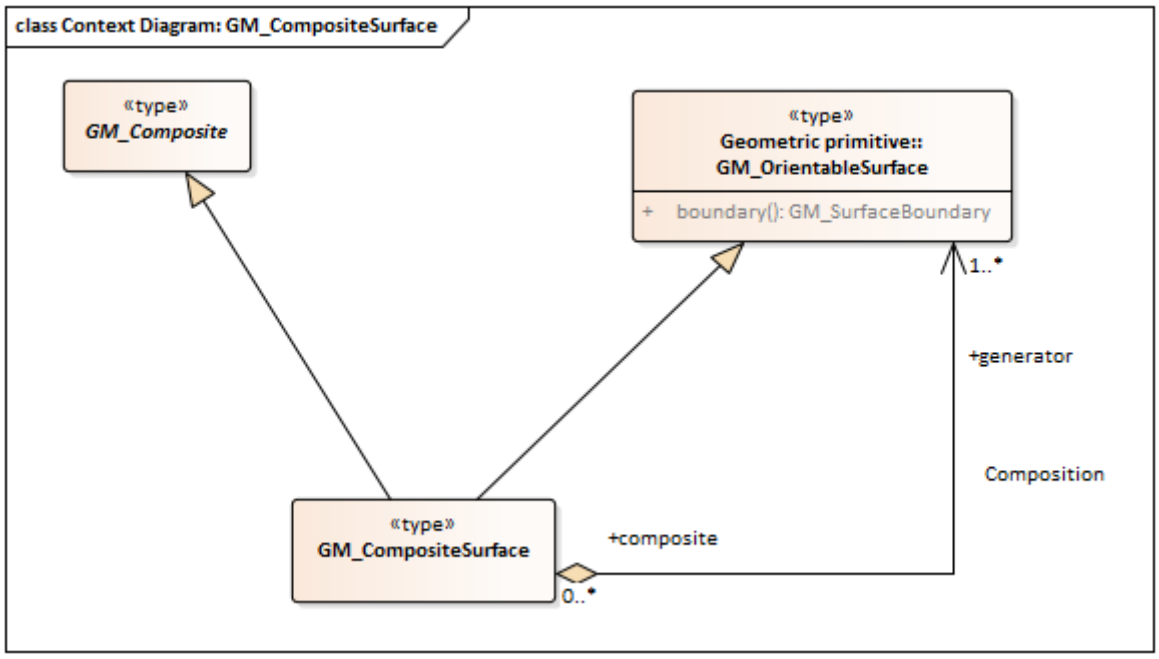

Figure 4. GM_CompositeSurface Context Diagram

GM_OrientatableSurface

GM_OrientableSurface consists of a surface and an orientation inherited from GM_OrientablePrimitive. If the orientation is "+", then the GM_OrientableSurface is a GM_Surface. If the orientation is "-", then the GM_OrientableSurface is a reference to a GM_Surface with an upNormal that reverses the direction for this GM_OrientableSurface, the sense of "the top of the surface" (see 6.4.33.2).

```
GM_OrientableSurface:
{Orientation = "+" implies primitive = self};
{(Orientation = "-" and TransfiniteSet::contains(p : DirectPosition)) implies
(primitive.upNormal(p) = - self.upNormal(p))};
```

GM_CompositeCurve

A GM_CompositeCurve is a list of geometric curves such that the each geometric curve in the set terminates at the start point of the subsequent curve in the list

The `generator` is a GM_OrientableCurve.

A GM_CompositCurve is also a subclass of GM_OrientatableCurve. One of the few examples of multiple inheritance.

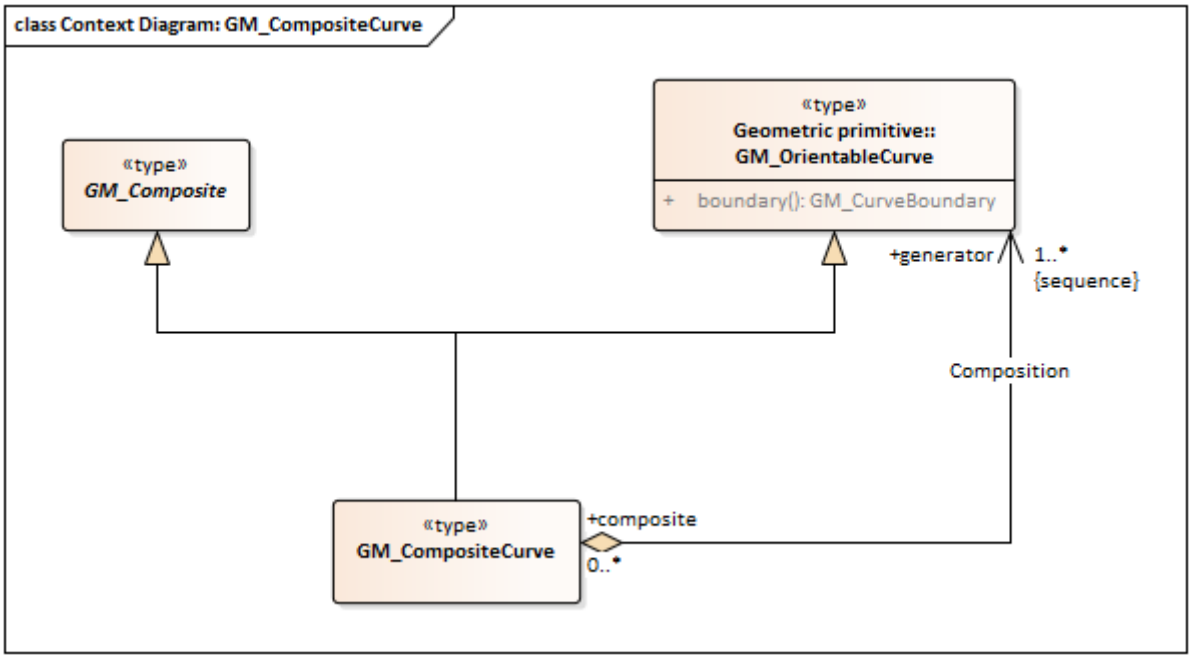

Figure 5. GM_CompositeCurve Context Diagram

GM_OrientatableCurve

GM_OrientableCurve consists of a curve and an orientation inherited from GM_OrientablePrimitive. If the orientation is "+", then the GM_OrientableCurve is a GM_Curve. If the orientation is "-", then the GM_OrientableCurve is related to another GM_Curve with a parameterization that reverses the sense of the curve traversal.

```
GM_OrientableCurve:
{Orientation = "+" implies primitive = self}; +
{Orientation = "-" implies primitive.parameterization(length()-s) =
parameterization(s)};
```

GM_CompositeSolid

A GM_CompositeSolid is a set of geometric solids adjoining one another along common boundary geometric surfaces.

The `generator` is a GM_Solid.

A GM_CompositSolid is also a subclass of GM_Solid. One of the few examples of multiple inheritance.

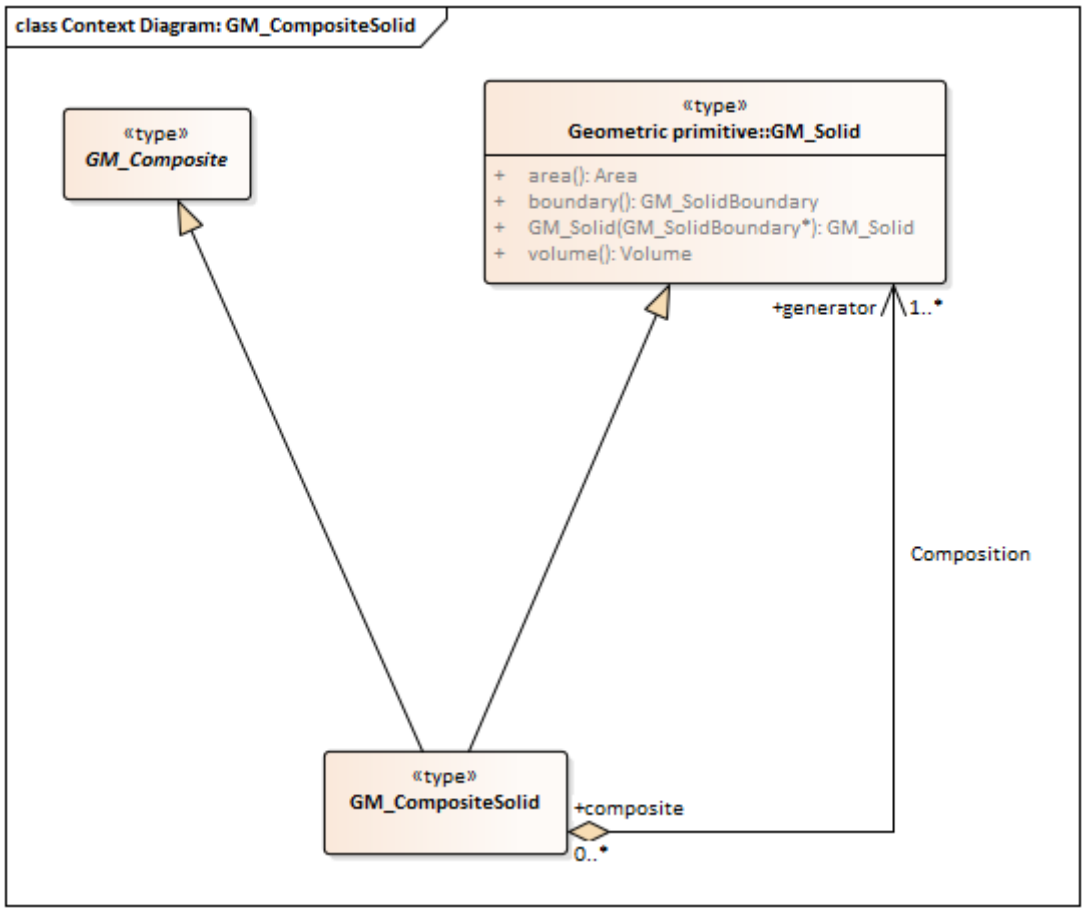

Figure 6. GM_CompositeSolid Context Diagram

8.1.3. City Models and City Objects

/// This section provides informative text in support of your standard. Most standards have a "core" module which defines the basic functionality which all implementions must support. Informative text about that "core" modeule goes here. ///

8.1.4. Space Concept

More core concepts

8.1.5. Geometry and LOD

And more concepts

8.1.6. CityGML Core UML Model

And finally the UML model.

8.2. Appearance

8.2.1. Synopsis

This is a short write-up on what this package is about.

8.2.2. Key Concepts

Appearance: An Appearance is a collection of surface data, i.e. observable properties for surface geometry objects in the form of textures and material.
A type of AbstractAppearance.

NOTE	This is a smaller package so a separate "discussion" link is not necessary.

8.2.3. Discussion

This is the informative text that most users will be looking for. Remember that hyperlinks are important. For example, each time a class name is used you can include a link back to the definition of that class (ex. City Object)

The beauty of hypermedia is that users can quickly get the additional data they may need to understand your writing.

8.2.4. UML Model

The UML model goes here.

8.2.5. Examples

Chapter 9. CityGML Data Dictionary

The CityGML UML model is the normative definition of the CityGML Conceptual Model. The Data Dictionary tables in this section were software generated from the UML model. As such, this section provides a normative representation of the CityGML Conceptual Model.

CityGML UML Packages

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/// include::../standard/data-dictionaries/ISO-Classes.adoc[]

/// include::../standard/data-dictionaries/Core.adoc[]

NOTE	CityGML exported a data dictionary from its' UML model as a normative representation of the standard. It’s included in the Users Guide as a quick reference.

Annex A: Revision History

Date	Release	Editor	Primary clauses modified	Description
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Annex B: Glossary

conformance test class
set of conformance test modules that must be applied to receive a single certificate of conformance
[OGC 08-131r3, definition 4.4]

feature
abstraction of real world phenomena
[ISO 19101-1:2014, definition 4.1.11]

feature attribute
characteristic of a feature
[ISO 19101-1:2014, definition 4.1.12]

feature type
class of features having common characteristics
[ISO 19156:2011, definition 4.7]

measurement
set of operations having the object of determining the value of a quantity
[ISO 19101-2:2018, definition 3.21] / [VIM:1993, 2.1]

model
abstraction of some aspects of reality
[ISO 19109:2015, definition 4.15]

observation
act of measuring or otherwise determining the value of a property
[ISO 19156:2011, definition 4.11]

observation procedure
method, algorithm or instrument, or system of these, which may be used in making an observation
[ISO 19156:2011, 4.12]

observation result
estimate of the value of a property determined through a known observation procedure
[ISO 19156:2011, 4.14]

property
facet or attribute of an object referenced by a name.
[ISO 19143:2010, definition 4.21]

requirements class
aggregate of all requirement modules that must all be satisfied to satisfy a conformance test class
[OGC 08-131r3, definition 4.19]

schema
formal description of a model
[ISO 19101-1:2014, definition 4.1.34]

sensor
type of observation procedure that provides the estimated value of an observed property at its output
[OGC 08-094r1, definition 4.5]

Standardization Target
TBD

timeseries
sequence of data values which are ordered in time
[OGC 15-043r3]

universe of discourse
view of the real or hypothetical world that includes everything of interest
[ISO 19101-1:2014, definition 4.1.38]

version
Particular variation of a spatial object
[INSPIRE Glossary]

B.1. ISO Concepts

The following concepts from the ISO TC211 Harmonized UML model are referenced by the CityGML Conceptual UML model but do not play a major role in its' definition. They are provided here to support a more complete understanding of the model.

Area
The measure of the physical extent of any topologically 2-D geometric object. Usually measured in "square" units of length.
[[iso19103]]

Boolean
boolean is the mathematical datatype associated with two-valued logic
[[iso19103]]

CC_CoordinateOperation
mathematical operation on coordinates that transforms or converts coordinates to another coordinate reference system.
[[iso19111]]

Character
symbol from a standard character-set.
[[iso19103]]

CharacterString
Characterstring is a family of datatypes which represent strings of symbols from standard character-sets.
[[iso19103]]

CRS

Coordinate reference system which is usually single but may be compound.
[[iso19111]]

CV_DiscreteCoverage
A subclass of CV_Coverage that returns a single record of values for any direct position within a single geometric object in its spatiotemporal domain.
[[iso19123]]

CV_DomainObject
[[iso19123]]

CV_GridPointValuePair
[[iso19123]]

CV_GridValuesMatrix
The geometry represented by the various offset vectors is in the image plane of the grid.
[[iso19123]]

CV_ReferenceableGrid
[[iso19123]]

Date
Date gives values for year, month and day. Representation of Date is specified in ISO 8601. Principles for date and time are further discussed in ISO 19108.
[[iso19103]]

DateTime
A DateTime is a combination of a date and a time types. Representation of DateTime is specified in ISO 8601. Principles for date and time are further discussed in ISO 19108.
[[iso19103]]

Distance
Used as a type for returning distances and possibly lengths.
[[iso19103]]

Engineering CRS
A contextually local coordinate reference system which can be divided into two broad categories:

1. earth-fixed systems applied to engineering activities on or near the surface of the earth;
2. CRSs on moving platforms such as road vehicles, vessels, aircraft or spacecraft.
   [[iso19111]]

Generic Name
Generic Name is the abstract class for all names in a NameSpace. Each instance of a GenericName is either a LocalName or a ScopedName.
[[iso19103]]

Geometry
[[iso19107]]

GM_CompositePoint
[[iso19107]]

GM_CompositeSolid
set of geometric solids adjoining one another along common boundary geometric surfaces
[[iso19107]]

GM_GenericSurface
GM_Surface and GM_SurfacePatch both represent sections of surface geometry, and therefore share a number of operation signatures. These are defined in the interface class GM_GenericSurface.
[[iso19107]]

GM_LineString
consists of sequence of line segments, each having a parameterization like the one for GM_LineSegment
[[iso19107]]

GM_MultiPrimitive
[[iso19107]]

GM_OrientableSurface
a surface and an orientation inherited from GM_OrientablePrimitive. If the orientation is "+", then the GM_OrientableSurface is a GM_Surface. If the orientation is "-", then the GM_OrientableSurface is a reference to a GM_Surface with an upNormal that reverses the direction for this GM_OrientableSurface, the sense of "the top of the surface".
[[iso19107]]

GM_PolyhedralSurface
a GM_Surface composed of polygon surfaces (GM_Polygon) connected along their common boundary curves.
[[iso19107]]

GM_Position
a union type consisting of either a DirectPosition or of a reference to a GM_Point from which a DirectPosition shall be obtained.
[[iso19107]]

GM_Primitive
The abstract root class of the geometric primitives. Its main purpose is to define the basic "boundary" operation that ties the primitives in each dimension together.
[[iso19107]]

Integer
An exact integer value, with no fractional part.
[[iso19103]]

Internet of Things
The network of physical objects--“things”--that are embedded with sensors, software, and other technologies for the purpose of connecting and exchanging data with other devices and systems over the Internet.

Wikipedia

IO_IdentifiedObjectBase
[[iso19103]]

Length
The measure of distance as an integral, i.e. the limit of an infinite sum of distances between points on a curve.
[[iso19103]]

Measure
The result from performing the act or process of ascertaining the extent, dimensions, or quantity of some entity.
[[iso19103]]

Number
The base type for all number data, giving the basic algebraic operations.
[[iso19103]]

Point
GM_Point is the basic data type for a geometric object consisting of one and only one point.
[[iso19107]]

Real
The common binary Real finite implementation using base 2.
[[iso19103]]

RS_ReferenceSystem
Description of a spatial and temporal reference system used by a dataset.
[[iso19111]]

Scoped Name
ScopedName is a composite of a LocalName for locating another NameSpace and a GenericName valid in that NameSpace. ScopedName contains a LocalName as head and a GenericName, which might be a LocalName or a ScopedName, as tail.
[[iso19103]]

Solid
GM_Solid, a subclass of GM_Primitive, is the basis for 3-dimensional geometry. The extent of a solid is defined by the boundary surfaces.
[[iso19107]]

Time
Time is the designation of an instant on a selected time scale, astronomical or atomic. It is used in the sense of time of day.
[[iso19103]]

TM_Duration
[[iso19108]]

TM_TemporalPosition
The position of a TM_Instant relative to a TM_ReferenceSystem.
[[iso19108]]

Unit of Measure
Any of the systems devised to measure some physical quantity such distance or area or a system devised to measure such things as the passage of time.
[[iso19103]]

URI
Uniform Resource Identifier (URI), is a compact string of characters used to identify or name a resource
[[iso19103]]

Volume
Volume is the measure of the physical space of any 3-D geometric object.
[[iso19103]]

B.2. Abbreviated Terms

- 2D Two Dimensional
- 3D Three Dimensional
- AEC Architecture, Engineering, Construction
- ALKIS German National Standard for Cadastral Information
- ATKIS German National Standard for Topographic and Cartographic Information
- BIM Building Information Modeling
- B-Rep Boundary Representation
- bSI buildingSMART International
- CAD Computer Aided Design
- COLLADA Collaborative Design Activity
- CSG Constructive Solid Geometry
- DTM Digital Terrain Model
- DXF Drawing Exchange Format
- EuroSDR European Spatial Data Research Organisation
- ESRI Environmental Systems Research Institute
- FM Facility Management
- GDF Geographic Data Files
- GDI-DE Spatial Data Infrastructure Germany (Geodateninfrastruktur Deutschland)
- GDI NRW Geodata Infrastructure North-Rhine Westphalia
- GML Geography Markup Language

- IAI International Alliance for Interoperability (now buildingSMART International (bSI))
- IETF Internet Engineering Task Force
- IFC Industry Foundation Classes
- IoT Internet of Things
- ISO International Organization for Standardisation
- ISO/TC211 ISO Technical Committee 211
- LOD Levels of Detail
- MQTT
- NBIMS National Building Information Model Standard
- OASIS Organisation for the Advancement of Structured Information Standards
- OGC Open Geospatial Consortium
- OSCRE Open Standards Consortium for Real Estate
- SIG 3D Special Interest Group 3D of the GDI-DE
- TIC Terrain Intersection Curve
- TIN Triangulated Irregular Network
- UML Unified Modeling Language
- URI Uniform Resource Identifier
- VRML Virtual Reality Modeling Language
- W3C World Wide Web Consortium
- W3DS OGC Web 3D Service
- WFS OGC Web Feature Service
- X3D Open Standards XML-enabled 3D file format of the Web 3D Consortium
- XML Extensible Markup Language
- xAL OASIS extensible Address Language

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