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# Feature Recipes

### **Creating Fields**

Create a Field with a name and a type

```
Field field = new Field("name", "String")
println field
```

```
name: String
```

Create a Geometry Field with a name and a geometry type and an optional projection

```
Field field = new Field("geom", "Point", "EPSG:4326")
println field
```

```
geom: Point(EPSG:4326)
```

Create a Field with a List of Strings (name, type, projection)

```
Field field = new Field(["geom", "Polygon", "EPSG:4326"])
println field
```

```
geom: Polygon(EPSG:4326)
```

Create a Field from a Map where keys are name, type, proj

```
Field field = new Field([
          "name": "geom",
          "type": "LineString",
          "proj": new Projection("EPSG:4326")
])
println field
```

```
geom: LineString(EPSG:4326)
```

```
Field field = new Field("geom", "Point", "EPSG:4326")
println "Name = ${field.name}"
println "Type = ${field.typ}"
println "Projection = ${field.proj}"
println "Is Geometry = ${field.geometry}"
```

```
Name = geom
Type = Point
Projection = "EPSG:4326
Is Geometry = true
```

### **Creating Schemas**

Create a Schema from a list of Fields

```
Schema schema = new Schema("cities", [
          new Field("geom", "Point", "EPSG:4326"),
          new Field("id", "Integer"),
          new Field("name", "String")
])
println schema
```

```
cities geom: Point(EPSG:4326), id: Integer, name: String
```

Create a Schema from a list of Lists

```
cities geom: Point(EPSG:4326), id: Integer, name: String
```

Create a Schema from a list of Maps

```
cities geom: Point(EPSG:4326), id: Integer, name: String
```

Create a Schema from a string

```
Schema schema = new Schema("cities", "geom:Point:srid=4326,id:Integer,name:String")
println schema
```

```
cities geom: Point(EPSG:4326), id: Integer, name: String
```

# **Getting Schema Properties**

Get the Schema's name

```
Schema schema = new Schema("cities", [
          new Field("geom", "Point", "EPSG:4326"),
          new Field("id", "Integer"),
          new Field("name", "String")
], "https://github.com/jericks/geoscript-groovy-cookbook")
String name = schema.name
println name
```

```
cities
```

Get the Schema's geometry Field

```
Field geomField = schema.geom
println geomField
```

```
geom: Point(EPSG:4326)
```

#### Get the Schema's Projection

```
Projection proj = schema.proj
println proj
```

```
EPSG:4326
```

#### Get the Schema's URI

```
String uri = schema.uri
println uri
```

```
https://github.com/jericks/geoscript-groovy-cookbook
```

#### Get the Schema's specification string

```
String spec = schema.spec
println spec
```

```
geom:Point:srid=4326,id:Integer,name:String
```

### **Getting Schema Fields**

#### Get the Schema's Fields

```
Schema schema = new Schema("cities", [
          new Field("geom", "Point", "EPSG:4326"),
          new Field("id", "Integer"),
          new Field("name", "String")
])
List<Field> fields = schema.fields
fields.each { Field field ->
          println field
}
```

```
geom: Point(EPSG:4326)
id: Integer
name: String
```

#### Get a Field

```
Field nameField = schema.field("name")
println nameField
```

```
name: String
```

#### Get a Field

```
Field idField = schema.get("id")
println idField
```

```
id: Integer
```

#### Check if a Schema has a Field

```
boolean hasArea = schema.has("area")
println "Has area Field? ${hasArea}"

boolean hasGeom = schema.has("geom")
println "Has geom Field? ${hasGeom}"
```

```
false
true
```

## **Modifying Schemas**

Change the projection of a Schema

```
Schema schema = new Schema("cities", [
    new Field("geom", "Point", "EPSG:4326"),
    new Field("id", "Integer"),
    new Field("name", "String")
])
Schema reprojectedSchema = schema.reproject("EPSG:2927", "cities_spws")
```

```
cities_spws geom: Point(EPSG:2927), id: Integer, name: String
```

#### Change the geometry type of a Schema

```
Schema schema = new Schema("cities", [
    new Field("geom", "Point", "EPSG:4326"),
    new Field("id", "Integer"),
    new Field("name", "String")
])
Schema polyognSchema = schema.changeGeometryType("Polygon", "cities_buffer")
```

```
cities_buffer geom: Polygon(EPSG:4326), id: Integer, name: String
```

#### Change a Field definition of a Schema

```
Schema schema = new Schema("cities", [
          new Field("geom", "Point", "EPSG:4326"),
          new Field("id", "Integer"),
          new Field("name", "String")
])
Schema guidSchema = schema.changeField(schema.field('id'), new Field('guid', 'String'),
'cities_guid')
```

```
cities_guid geom: Point(EPSG:4326), guid: String, name: String
```

#### Change Field definitions of a Schema

```
Schema schema = new Schema("cities", [
    new Field("geom", "Point", "EPSG:4326"),
    new Field("id", "Integer"),
    new Field("name", "String")
])
Schema updatedSchema = schema.changeFields(
    [
        (schema.field('id')) : new Field('guid', 'String'),
        (schema.field('name')) : new Field('description', 'String')
], 'cities_updated')
```

```
cities_updated geom: Point(EPSG:4326), guid: String, description: String
```

```
Schema schema = new Schema("countries", [
          new Field("geom", "Polygon", "EPSG:4326"),
          new Field("id", "Integer"),
          new Field("name", "String")
])
Schema updatedSchema = schema.addField(new Field("area", "Double"), "countries_area")
```

```
countries_area geom: Polygon(EPSG:4326), id: Integer, name: String, area: Double
```

#### Add a List of Fields to a Schema

```
Schema schema = new Schema("countries", [
          new Field("geom", "Polygon", "EPSG:4326"),
          new Field("id", "Integer"),
          new Field("name", "String")
])
Schema updatedSchema = schema.addFields([
          new Field("area", "Double"),
          new Field("perimeter", "Double"),
], "countries_areaperimeter")
```

```
countries_areaperimeter geom: Polygon(EPSG:4326), id: Integer, name: String, area: Double, perimeter: Double
```

#### Remove a Field from a Schema

```
Schema schema = new Schema("countries", [
    new Field("geom", "Polygon", "EPSG:4326"),
    new Field("id", "Integer"),
    new Field("name", "String"),
    new Field("area", "Double")
])
Schema updatedSchema = schema.removeField(schema.field("area"), "countries_updated")
```

```
countries_updated geom: Polygon(EPSG:4326), id: Integer, name: String
```

```
countries_updated geom: Polygon(EPSG:4326), id: Integer
```

Create a new Schema from an existing Schema but only including a subset of Fields

```
countries_updated geom: Polygon(EPSG:4326), name: String
```

# **Combining Schemas**

Combining two Schemas results in a Map with two values: schema and fields. The schema property contains the new Schema. The fields property is List of two Maps which both contain a mapping between the fields of the original Schema and the newly created Schema.

Optional arguments to the Schema.addSchema method are:

- postfixAll: Whether to postfix all field names (true) or not (false). If true, all Fields from the this current Schema will have '1' at the end of their name while the other Schema's Fields will have '2'. Defaults to false.
- includeDuplicates: Whether or not to include duplicate fields names. Defaults to false. If a duplicate is found a '2' will be added.
- maxFieldNameLength: The maximum new Field name length (mostly to support shapefiles where Field names can't be longer than 10 characters

- firstPostfix: The postfix string (default is '1') for Fields from the current Schema. Only applicable when postfixAll or includeDuplicates is true.
- secondPostfix: The postfix string (default is '2') for Fields from the other Schema. Only applicable when postfixAll or includeDuplicates is true.

Combine two Schemas with no duplicate fields and no postfixes to field names

```
business geom: Point(EPSG:4326), id: Integer, name: String, address: String
```

```
Map<String,String> shopSchemaFieldMapping = result.fields[0]
println shopSchemaFieldMapping
```

```
[geom:geom, id:id, name:name]
```

```
Map<String, String> cafeSchemaSchemaFieldMapping = result.fields[1]
println cafeSchemaSchemaFieldMapping
```

```
[address:address]
```

```
Schema shopSchema = new Schema("shops", [
        new Field("geom", "Point", "EPSG:4326"),
        new Field("id", "Integer"),
        new Field("name", "String")
])
Schema cafeSchema = new Schema("cafes", [
        new Field("geom", "Point", "EPSG:4326"),
        new Field("id", "Integer"),
        new Field("name", "String"),
        new Field("address", "String")
1)
Map result = shopSchema.addSchema(cafeSchema, "business", postfixAll: true,
includeDuplicates: false)
Schema combinedSchema = result.schema
println combinedSchema
business geom: Point(EPSG:4326), id1: Integer, name1: String, id2: Integer, name2:
String, address2: String
Map<String,String> shopSchemaFieldMapping = result.fields[0]
println shopSchemaFieldMapping
[geom:geom, id:id1, name:name1]
Map<String,String> cafeSchemaSchemaFieldMapping = result.fields[1]
println cafeSchemaSchemaFieldMapping
[id:id2, name:name2, address:address2]
```

### **Creating Features from a Schema**

Create a Feature from a Schema with a Map of values

```
Schema schema = new Schema("cities", [
          new Field("geom", "Point", "EPSG:4326"),
          new Field("id", "Integer"),
          new Field("name", "String")
])
Feature feature = schema.feature([
          id: 1,
          name: 'Seattle',
          geom: new Point( -122.3204, 47.6024)
], "city.1")
println feature
```

```
cities.city.1 geom: POINT (-122.3204 47.6024), id: 1, name: Seattle
```

Create a Feature from a Schema with a List of values. The order of the values must match the order of the Fields.

```
cities.city.1 geom: POINT (-122.3204 47.6024), id: 1, name: Seattle
```

Create a Feature from a Schema with another Feature.

```
cities.city.1 geom: POINT (-122.3204 47.6024), id: 1, name: Seattle cities.city.1 geom: POINT (-122.3204 47.6024), id: 1, name: Seattle
```

Create an empty Feature from a Schema.

```
Schema schema = new Schema("cities", [
          new Field("geom", "Point", "EPSG:4326"),
          new Field("id", "Integer"),
          new Field("name", "String")
])
Feature feature = schema.feature()
println feature
```

```
cities.fid-44b67d68_159d8d03921_-8000 geom: null, id: null, name: null
```

### **Creating Features**

Create an empty Feature from a Map of values and a Schema.

```
cities.city.1 geom: POINT (-122.3204 47.6024), id: 1, name: Seattle
```

Create an empty Feature from a List of values and a Schema.

```
cities.city.1 geom: POINT (-122.3204 47.6024), id: 1, name: Seattle
```

Create an empty Feature from a Map of values. The Schema is inferred from the values.

```
Feature feature = new Feature([
   id: 1,
   name: "Seattle",
   geom: new Point(-122.3204, 47.6024)
], "city.1")
println feature
```

```
feature.city.1 id: 1, name: Seattle, geom: POINT (-122.3204 47.6024)
```

### **Getting Feature Properties**

Get a Feature's ID

```
city.1
```

#### Get a Feature's Geometry

```
Geometry geometry = feature.geom
println geometry
```

```
POINT (-122.3204 47.6024)
```

#### Get a Feature's Bounds

```
Bounds bounds = feature.bounds println bounds
```

```
(-122.3204,47.6024,-122.3204,47.6024,EPSG:4326)
```

#### Get a Feature's attributes

```
Map attributes = feature.attributes println attributes
```

```
[geom:POINT (-122.3204 47.6024), id:1, name:Seattle]
```