GEO 309 – Intro to GIS

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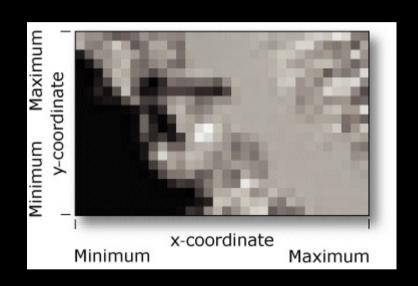
Topics

- Discussion Fahy & Ó Cinnéide
- Raster geoprocessing
 - Raster formats
 - Grids, Images
 - DEM derivatives
 - Basic map algebra analysis
 - Digitizing features from imagery

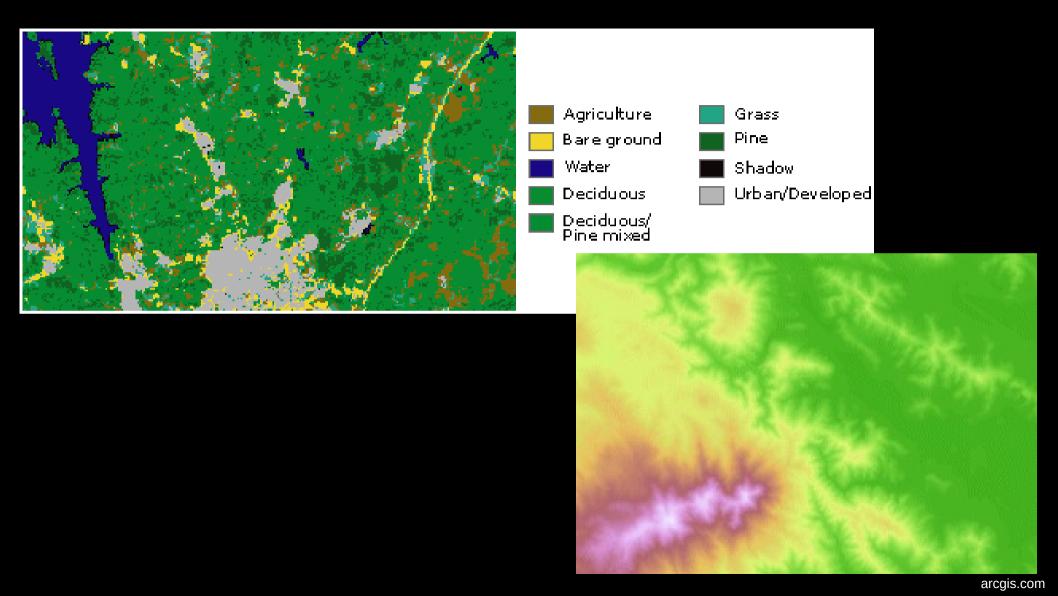
Discussion – Fahy & Ó Cinnéides

• Fahy, F. and M. Ó Cinnéide. 2009. Reconstructing the urban landscape through community mapping: An attractive prospect for sustainability? Area 41(2): 167-175.

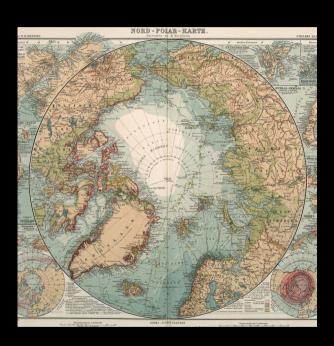
- Raster data formats
 - Values
 - At center of cell
 - Over entire cell
 - Coordinates
 - Cartesian coordinates
 - X-axis parallel to rows, Y to columns
 - Each square cell has a dimension
 - Cells start at (0, 0)



- Raster data formats
 - Grids
 - Discrete
 - Cells with integer values coded for a category
 - e.g., land use
 - Continuous
 - Cells with floating values coded for a continuous attribute
 - e.g., elevation

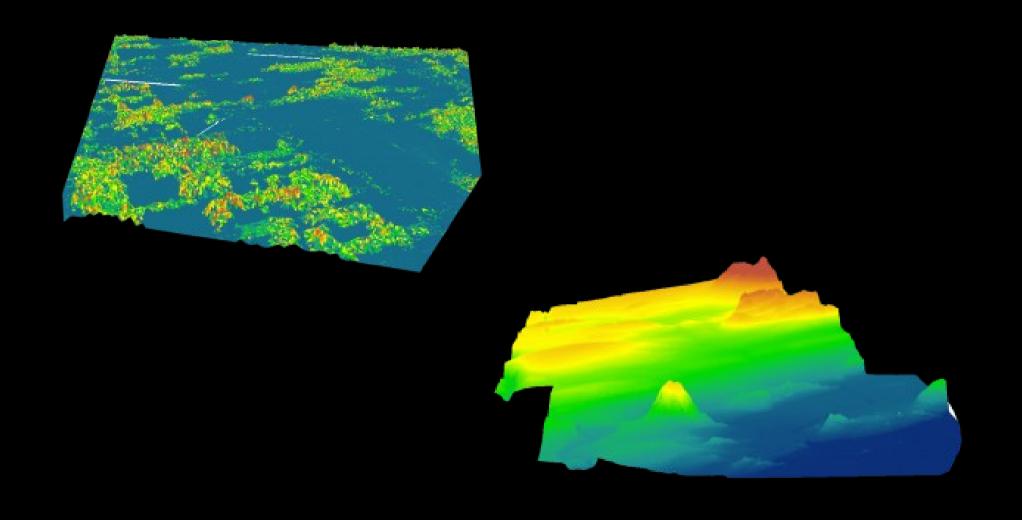


- Raster data formats
 - Image
 - Cells with brightness values
 - RGB Bands + Alpha
 - Resolution
 - Non-visible
 - Grayscale vs pseudocolor
 - Satellited imagery, Aerial photos, Scanned images



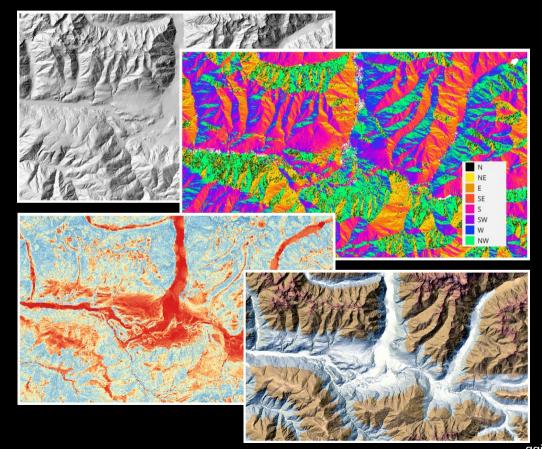
- Raster data formats
 - Uses
 - Base maps
 - Surface maps (topography)
 - Thematic maps
 - Attribute data

- Digital Elevation Models (DEM)
 - Vertical datum (bare-earth elevation)
- Digital Surface Models (DSM)
 - 3D modeling of natural & built features
 - e.g., LiDAR point cloud
- Digital Terrain Models (DTM)
 - Vector contour data (US & others)
 - Same as DEM (other countries)

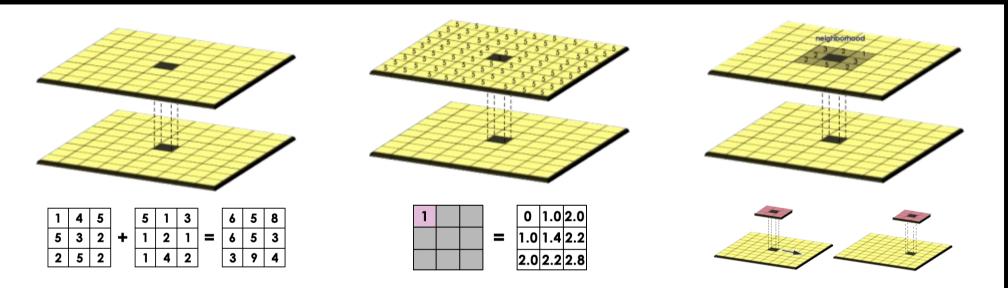


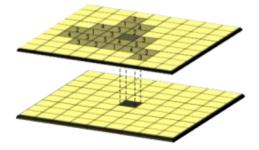
Raster Geoprocessing - Derivatives

- Hillshade
 - Sun position
- Aspect
 - Slope direction
- Slope
 - Inclination of terrain
- Relief
 - Shaded elevation
- Ruggedness
 - Terrain heterogeneity



- Basic Map Algebra Analysis
 - Raster math
 - Local operations
 - Cell values based on same location
 - Focal operations
 - Cells value based on neighborhood values
 - Zonal operations
 - Cell value based on zone values
 - Global operations
 - Cell value based on all cell values





- Digitizing features
 - New vector data sets
 - Manually digitizing features
 - Conversion tools
 - Georeferencing
 - Images to spatial rendered layer
 - Scanned maps to raster layers



Demo