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## Practical 2 :Creating and Managing Vector Data:

- 1) Adding vector layers, setting properties, formatting
- 2) calculating line lengths and statistics

**AIM:** To create a map of your surrounding area using vector data model (points, lines and polygons)

### Steps to implement Vector data:-

- Go to the **Project** tab in your GIS software.
- Click on "**New Project**" to start a fresh workspace.
- Navigate to the **Layer** tab.
- Under **Create Layer**, select "**New Shapefile Layer**".
- Provide a **file name** with the **“.shp”** extension.
- In **Geometry Type**, choose one of the following:
  - **Polygon**
  - **Line**
  - **Point**
  - **Multipoint**
- In the **New Field** box, enter a name of your choice (replacing the default "Name") and click on "**Add to Field List**".
- Click **OK** to create the shapefile layer.
- Begin drawing your desired feature (area, line, or point) based on the geometry type selected.
- The newly created layer will appear in the **Layer Panel** on the left side of the screen.
- To **format the layer**, right-click on it in the Layer Panel and select **Properties**.
- In the Properties window, you can:
  - Add **Labels**
  - Change **Colours**
  - Adjust **Symbology** and other styling options

## For Calculating Line Lengths Statistic

- 1) **Add Vector Layers:**
  - a. Go to **Layer > Add Layer > Add Vector Layer**.
  - b. Select “**Indian\_railway.shp**” and “**indian\_administrative.shp**” files.
- 2) **Calculate Route Lengths:**
  - a. Right-click **Indian\_railway** layer > **Open Attribute Table > Open Field Calculator**.
  - b. Set **Output Field Name:** route\_len, **Type:** Decimal Number.
  - c. In **Expression** box, enter: \$length/1000 and select **Geometry**.
  - d. Click **OK** and **Save Edits**.
- 3) **Generate Line Length Statistics:**
  - a. Go to **Vector > Analysis Tools > Basic Stats for Fields**.
  - b. Set **Input Layer:** Indian\_railway, **Field:** route\_len, then click **Run**.
- 4) **Symbolize the Railway Layer:**
  - a. Open **Indian\_railway** properties and style it using the route\_len field.

## Practical 3 : Exploring and Managing Raster data:

Adding raster layers, raster styling and analysis, raster mosaicking and clipping

### Exploring and Managing Raster Data

#### a) Adding Raster Layers

1. **Open Menu:** Select **Layer** → **Add Layer** → **Add Raster Layer**.
2. **Select Dataset:** Choose the **GPW v3 dataset** (Population Density Grid, ASCII format, for 1990 & 2000).
  - Path:
    - **1990:** Prac-02\A\DATA\gl-gpww3-pdens\_90\_ascii\_one\glids90ag60.asc
    - **2000:** Prac-02\A\DATA\gl-gpww3-pdens\_90\_ascii\_one\glids00ag60.asc
3. **Set CRS:**
  - Open **Project** → **Properties** or use the right-corner shortcut.
  - Go to **CRS**, select **WGS 84 EPSG: 4326**, and press **OK**.

#### b) Raster Styling & Analysis

1. Convert the raster layer from grayscale to color:
  - Select **glids90ag60.asc** from the **Layer Pane**.
  - Open **Properties** (right-click or double-click the layer).
  - Go to **Symbology** and apply changes.
2. Repeat the same steps for **glids00ag60.asc**.

#### 1. Compute Population Change

- Open **Raster** → **Raster Calculator**.
- Enter the expression:

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graphql  
gid500ag60@1 - glids90ag60@1
```

- Set output file location & name, then press **OK**.

#### 2. Remove Old Layers

- Remove **gid500ag60.asc** and **glids90ag60.asc**.

#### 3. Style the Difference Layer

- Double-click **pop-diff layer** → Open **Properties** → **Symbology**.
- Set **Render Type:** *Single Band Pseudo Color*.
- Set **Interpolation:** *Discrete*.
- Remove all classifications and add new ones as needed.
- Press **OK** to apply changes.

### Raster Mosaicking and Clipping

Mosaicking combines multiple raster images into a single dataset. When overlapping occurs, different methods can be applied:

- **First/Last:** Retains data from the first or last dataset.
- **Blend/Mean:** Best for continuous data, using weighted or average values.
- **Min/Max:** Useful for discrete data, selecting the smallest or largest value.

## Raster Mosaicking and Clipping

### 1. Load Raster Images

- **Go to: Layer → Add Layer → Add Raster Layer.**
- **Select TIFF files:**
  - FAS-India1-2018249-terra-367-2km-tif
  - FAS-India2-2018249-terra-367-2km-tif
  - FAS-India3-2018249-terra-367-2km-tif
  - FAS-India4-2018249-terra-367-2km-tif
- Click **Open**, then in **Data Source Manager → Raster**, click **Add**.

### 2. Merge Raster Layers

- **Go to: Raster → Miscellaneous → Merge.**
- **Select all layers** and press **OK**.
- **Set output file location & name:**
  - Save as: "GIS-Workshop/Practical/Prac-2/C/Merge-Files.tif"
- Press **Run**, then close the **Merge** window.

### 3. Final Adjustments

- **Deselect individual layers** in the layer pane, keeping only the merged raster file.
- **Add Vector Layer:**
  - **Go to: Layer → Add Vector Layer.**
  - **Select:** GIS-Workshop\Practicals\Prac-2\C\India Admin Boundry\IND\_adm0.shp.

## Practical 4 :- Making a Map, Working with Attributes, Importing Spreadsheets or CSV files Using Plugins, Searching and Downloading OpenStreetMap Data

### GIS Mapping, Data Import, and OSM Integration

#### 1. Creating a Thematic Map

- **New Map:** Go to **Project → Print Layout (New)** → Add a title → Press **OK**.
- **Add Map:** **Add Item → Add Map** → Adjust properties in **Item Properties → Map 1 → Layers**.
  - Enable **Lock Layers & Lock Style** to prevent changes.
- **Insert Image:** **Add Item → Add Picture** → Adjust placement & rotation.
- **Inset Map:** **Add Item → Add Picture** → Highlight an area on the main map.
  - Enable **Frame** and **Draw Overview** in **Item Properties → Overviews**.
- **Customize Layout:**
  - **Title:** **Add Item → Add Label** → Set text (e.g., "Mumbai Map"), font size, and color.
  - **Legend:** **Add Item → Add Legend** → Uncheck **Auto-update**, adjust labels.
  - **Scale Bar:** **Add Item → Add Scale Bar**.
  - **Additional Labels:** **Add Item → Add Label** (HTML rendering enabled).
- **Export Map:** **Layout → Export as Image/PDF** → Save & open the file.

#### 2. Importing CSV/Spreadsheet Data

- **Go to:** **Layer → Add Layer → Add Delimited Text Layer**.
- **Select File:** Choose `sample.csv` from the data folder.
- Press **ADD**, then close the window.

#### 3. Using Plugins in QGIS

- **Enable Core Plugins:** **Plugins → Manage and Install Plugins** → Check desired plugins.
- **Install External Plugins:**
  - **Go to:** **Not Installed** tab or **Install from ZIP**.
  - Enable **Experimental/Deprecated Plugins** if needed.
  - Click **Install** → Access via **Plugins → [Plugin Name]**.

#### 4. Searching & Downloading OpenStreetMap (OSM) Data

- **Install Plugins:**
  - **Plugins → Manage and Install Plugins** → Add **OpenLayers & OSM Search**.
- **Load OSM Map:**
  - **Web → OpenLayer Plugin → OpenStreetMap**.
  - If an error occurs, **Project Properties → CRS → Check "No projection"**.
- **Search for Places:**
  - **View → Panels → OSM Place Search** → Enter location (e.g., *Mumbai*).
  - **Double-click** or **Zoom** to view the location

## Practical 5 :- Working with attributes, terrain Data

### 1. Working with Attributes

- **Start a new project → Layer → Add Layer → Add Vector Layer.**
- Select:

ne-lom-populated\_places-simple.zip

- **Open Attribute Table** (Right-click on layer → Open Attribute Table).
- **Filter Data:**
  - Click **"Select features using expression"**.
  - Enter: `pop_max > 100 AND pop_max < 10000`.
  - Selected places appear in a different color.
  - Use **Deselect Button** to reset.

### 2. Terrain Data & Hill Shade Analysis

- **Load Raster Layer:**
  - **Layer → Add Raster Layer → Select:**  
  
`100 060-e_20101117gmted-mea 300 tif`
  - Darker areas = lower altitudes, Lighter areas = higher altitudes.
  - **Zoom to Mt. Everest** ( $27.9881^{\circ}\text{N}$ ,  $86.9253^{\circ}\text{E}$ ).

#### 2.1 Clipping Raster Layer

- **Go to: Raster → Extraction → Clip Raster by Extent.**
- Select:
  - **Use Canvas Extent** (or manually define an area).
  - Set output file name & location → **Press RUN**.
- **Keep only clipped raster layer**, deselect original.

#### 2.2 Contour Line Generation

- **Go to: Raster → Extraction → Contour.**
- Set:
  - **Contour Interval:** 100m.
  - **Output File:** Select name & location.
  - Check **"Add output file to project"**.
- **Press RUN** → Contour layer appears.
- **Label Contour Lines:** Use `ELEV` field.
- **Sort Data:** Right-click Contour Layer → **Open Attribute Table** → Sort by `ELEV`.

#### 2.3 Export to Google Maps

- **Copy Contour Layer → Layer → Save As.**
- Set format to **Keyhole Markup Language (KML)**.
- **CRS:** WGS 84 EPSG: 4326.
- Open the saved **KML file** in Google Maps.

## 2.4 Hill Shade Analysis

- **Install Plugin: Plugins → Install Georeference GADL.**
- **Go to: Raster → Analysis → Hill Shade.**
- **Set:**
  - **Input Raster Layer, Output Filename & Location.**
- **Press RUN → Close Hill Shade Window.**
- **Apply Raster Styling** for visualization.



## Practical 6 :- Working with Projections and WMS Data

### Working with Projection & WMS Data

#### 1. Setting Up Projection

- **Start a new project → Layer → Add Layer → Vector Layer.**
- **Select:**

`ne_10m_admin_0_countries.zip`

- **Reproject Layer:**
  - **Layer → Save As → Format: ESRI Shapefile.**
  - **Set CRS: North America Albers Equal Area Conic (EPSG: 102008).**
  - **Choose output folder & file name → Press OK.**
  - **Deselect the original layer, keep the projected layer visible.**

#### 2. Adding Raster Layer

- **Layer → Add Layer → Add Raster Layer.**
- **Select:**

`Miniscale (Standard) R17.tif`

*(Path: GIS Workshop Practicals\Prac 05\DATA\minisc\_gb\data\RGB\_TIF compressed\Miniscale\_(standard)-R17.tif)*

- The raster layer appears **misaligned** from Great Britain.

#### 3. Correcting Projection

- **Open Layer Properties → CRS.**
- **Search & Select: British National Grid (EPSG: 27700).**
- **Processing takes time; once completed, the vector layer aligns perfectly with the raster layer, covering the United Kingdom.**

## Practical 7 :- Georeferencing & Digitizing in GIS

### A. Georeferencing Topo Sheets & Scanned Maps

#### 1. Start a New Project

- Layer → Add Vector Layer → Select:

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- Zoom into **Mumbai region**.

#### 2. Install & Open Georeferencer GDAL

- Plugins → Manage & Install Plugins → Ensure **Georeferencer GDAL** is enabled.
- Raster → Georeferencer → File → Open Raster.
- Select:

1870-southern-india-3975-3071-600.jpg

- Settings → Transformation Settings:
  - Transformation Type: Thin Plate Spline
  - Resampling: Nearest Neighbour
  - Target CRS: Everest 1830 datum (EPSG:4044)
  - Output Raster Name & Location → Check **Load in QGIS when done** → Press OK.
- Edit → Add Point → Add control points.
- Settings → Transformation Settings → Press Run.
- File → Start Georeferencing.
- Adjust raster transparency in Layer Properties.

### B. Georeferencing Aerial Imagery

#### 1. Install OpenStreetMap Plugin

- Web → OpenLayer Plugin → OpenStreetMap.
- Project → Properties → CRS → Set EPSG:3857.
- View → Panels → Select OSM Place Search.
- Search "Gateway of India" → Zoom in.

#### 2. Load & Georeference Image

- Raster → Georeferencer → File → Open Raster.
- Select:

Gateway Imagery.tif

- Edit → Add Points → Select control points.
- Settings → Transformation Settings → File → Start Georeferencing.
- Observe aerial image aligned with OSM.

### C. Digitizing Map Data

#### 1. Load & Optimize Raster

- Layer → Add Raster Layer → Select:

Christchurch Topo50 map.tif

- **Right-click → Properties → Pyramids Tab.**
- **Select all resolutions → Build Pyramids → OK.**
- 2. **Set Digitizing Options**
  - **Settings → Options → Digitizing Tab.**
  - **Set Default Snap Mode: Vertex & Segment → Press OK.**
- 3. **Create & Edit Spatialite Layer**
  - **Layer → Add Spatialite Layer.**
  - **Create Database:**

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GIS-Workshop/Practicals/Prac-06/MySpatialDataBase.sqlite
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  - **Layer Name:** Digitized Road
  - **Geometry Type:** Line
  - **CRS:** EPSG:4167 - NZGD 2000
  - **Add "Name" & "Class" fields → Load Layer.**
- 4. **Digitizing Features**
  - **Toggle Editing → Add Feature.**
  - **Click to add vertices → Right-click to end.**
  - **Layer Properties → Style Tab → Set appropriate style.**
  - **For Polygon Features:**
    - **Select Digitized Garden Layer → Toggle Editing → Add Polygon Feature.**
    - **Draw two gardens as polygons.**
  - **Save & Finalize Digitized Features.**

### **Final Notes:**

- **Points, Lines, and Polygons** can be digitized using the same process.
- **Label & Style features** using **Layer Properties** for a visually clear map.

## Practical 8 :- Managing Data Tables and Spatial data Sets: Table joins, spatial joins, points in polygon analysis, performing spatial queries

### A Table Joins

#### Datasets

- **tl\_2013\_06\_tract.zip**: It's a map layer of Census Tracts in California for the year 2013.
- **ca\_tacts\_pop.csv**: A CSV file containing population data for census tracts in California.
- **ca\_tacts\_pop.csvt**: This is a companion to the CSV, which helps define data types for each column (text, integer, float, etc.).

#### Steps :

- Load the shapefile (vector layer)
- Load the CSV file (delimited text layer)
- Perform the Join
- Right-click the shapefile → Click Properties
- Go to the Joins tab
- Click the "+" to add a join
  - Join layer: Your CSV
  - Join field: The ID field in the CSV (Geo\_id2)
  - Target field: The matching field in the shapefile (Geoid)
- Click OK
- Go to properties > symbology > graduated > value : D001, mode : equal interval
- Click OK

### Spatial Joins

#### Datasets

- Nybb.shp (vector layer)
- Oem\_nursinghome.shp (vector layer)

#### Steps

- First add both the vector layer
- Go to vector tab > data management tool > add attribute by location
- Base layer : nybb.shp and join layer : oem\_nursinghome.shp
- Fields to add : click on "select all" then click on next
- In next page join type : one to one and then run the file
- Then right click on generated join layer and click on attribute table

### Points in polygon analysis

#### Datasets

- Earthquake database (delimited text layer)
- Countries.zip (vector layer)

#### Steps

- Add both layer
- Go to vector tab > Analysis tool > count point in polygon
- Polygon layer : countries & point layer : earthquake
- Save the file and run it

## Spatial queries

### Data sets

- Populated\_people.shp (vector layer)
- River\_lakes.shp (vector layer)

### Steps

- Add both layer
- Change its crs by going on properties tab > crs > search “54032” and select it
- Go to vector tab > geoprocessing tool > buffer > input layer : river\_lake & distance : 0.02 and then run it
- Go to vector tab > research tool > select by location > select feature : buffered and then run it