

Enriching spatial data in R and release NEW osmenrich package

SoDaTeam

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Introduction to ODESSEI

- ▶ Consortium of 34 Dutch scientific organizations
- ▶ Open data & research infrastructure for social science & economics



Introduction to SoDa team

- ▶ ODESSEI Social Data Science team (SoDa)
- ▶ Aim is to support social scientists in research projects
- ▶ SoDa team members:
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How to contribute

- ▶ Contributions are greatly appreciated!
- ▶ Go to the Github repository: [sodascience/osmenrich](#)

Simple Features



Figure 1: Illustration (c) by Allison Horst

Simple Features

- ▶ Simple Feature Access
- ▶ ISO 19125-1 and ISO 19125-2
- ▶ 17 simple feature types (like point, line, polygon)
“A simple feature is defined by the OpenGIS Abstract specification to have both spatial and non-spatial attributes. Spatial attributes are geometry valued, and simple features are based on 2D geometry with linear interpolation between vertices.”

More and more databases and software support Simple Features

- ▶ ArcGIS, QGIS
- ▶ SQL, Elasticsearch, MongoDB, ...
- ▶ R with the package sf

Simple Features in R

- ▶ Implemented in the package `sf`.
- ▶ Provides simple features in `data.frames` or `tibbles` with a geometry list-column
- ▶ all 17 simple feature types for all dimensions (XY, XYZ, XYM, XYZM)
- ▶ <https://github.com/r-spatial/sf>
- ▶ Good replacement for `sp` and `gdal` packages.

```
library(sf)
```

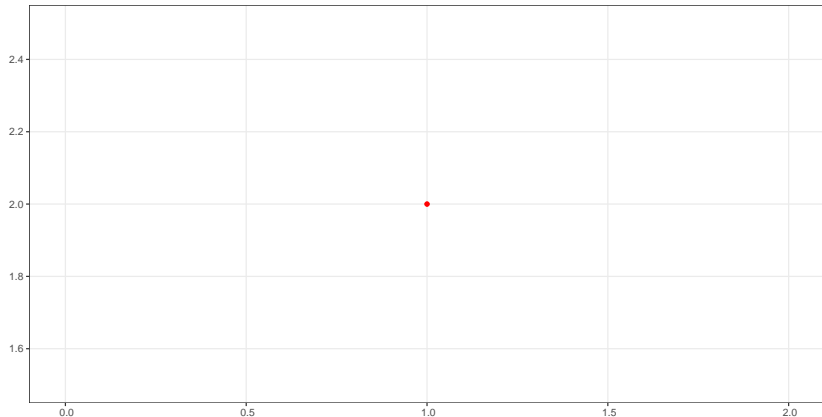
```
## Warning: package 'sf' was built under R version 3.6.2
```

```
## Linking to GEOS 3.7.2, GDAL 2.4.2, PROJ 5.2.0  
  "All functions and methods in sf that operate on spatial  
  data are prefixed by st_, which refers to spatial and tem-  
  poral; this makes them easily findable by command-line  
  completion."
```

Simple Feature: POINT

```
st_point(c(1,2))
```

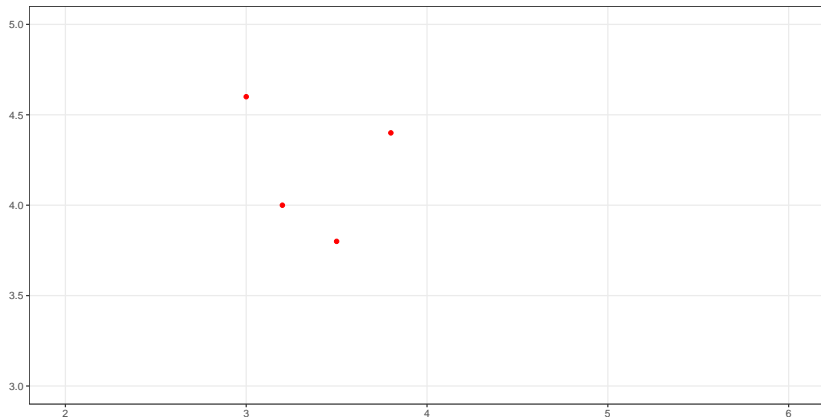
```
## POINT (1 2)
```



Simple Feature: MULTIPOINT

```
p <- rbind(c(3.2,4), c(3,4.6), c(3.8,4.4), c(3.5,3.8))  
st_multipoint(p)
```

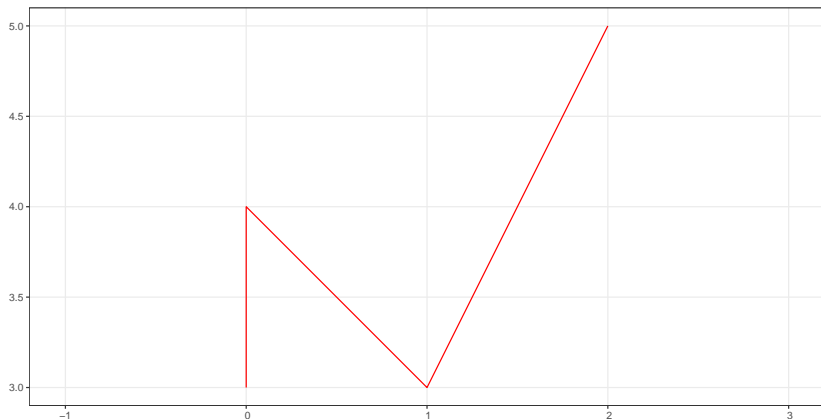
```
## MULTIPOINT ((3.2 4), (3 4.6), (3.8 4.4), (3.5 3.8))
```



Simple Feature: LINESTRING

```
s1 <- rbind(c(0,3),c(0,4),c(1,3),c(2,5))  
st_linestring(s1)
```

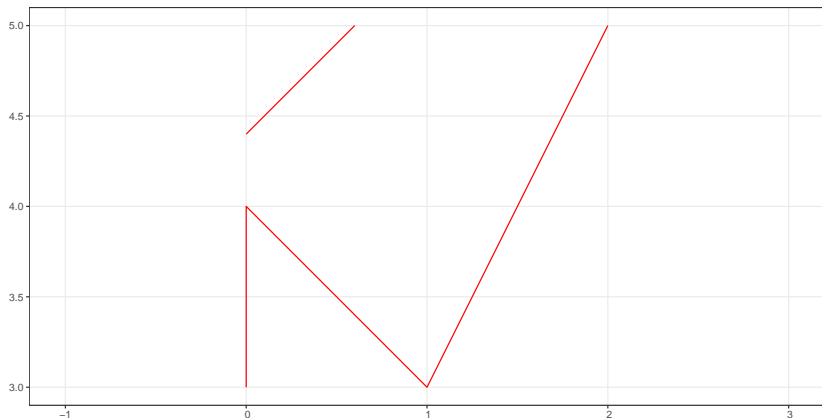
```
## LINESTRING (0 3, 0 4, 1 3, 2 5)
```



Simple Feature: MULTILINESTRING

```
s1 <- rbind(c(0,3),c(0,4),c(1,3),c(2,5))  
s2 <- rbind(c(0,4.4), c(0.6,5))  
st_multilinestring(list(s1,s2))
```

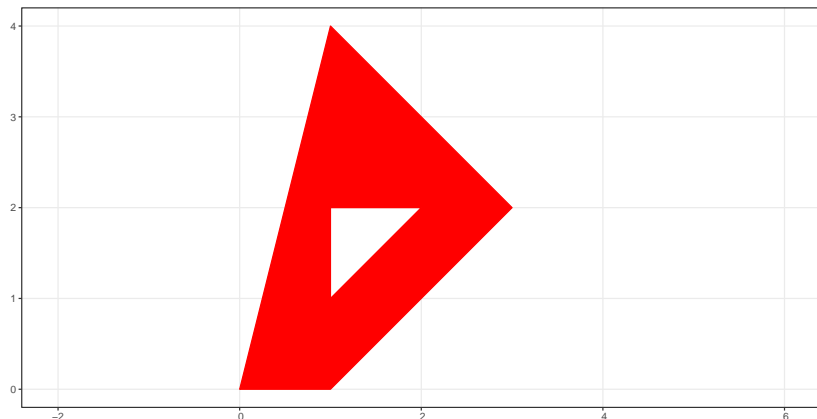
```
## MULTILINESTRING ((0 3, 0 4, 1 3, 2 5), (0 4.4, 0.6 5))
```



Simple Feature: POLYGON

```
p <- rbind(c(0,0), c(1,0), c(3,2), c(1,4), c(0,0))  
h <- rbind(c(1,1), c(1,2), c(2,2), c(1,1))  
st_polygon(list(p,h))
```

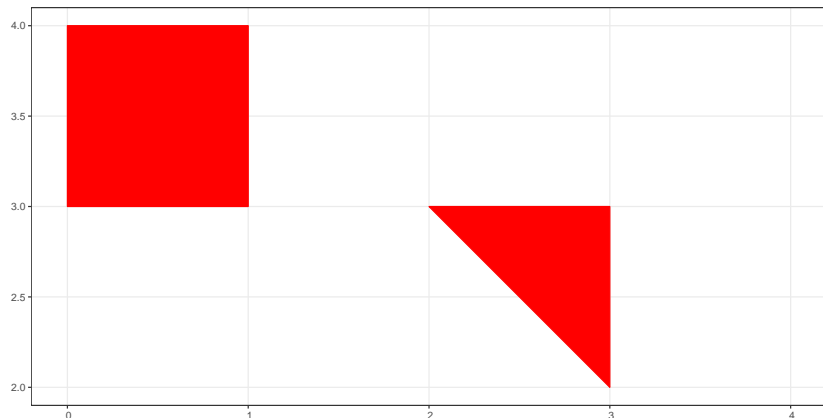
```
## POLYGON ((0 0, 1 0, 3 2, 1 4, 0 0), (1 1, 1 2, 2 2, 1 1))
```



Simple Feature: MULTIPOLYGON

```
p1 <- rbind(c(0,3), c(0,4), c(1,4), c(1,3), c(0,3))  
p2 <- rbind(c(3,2), c(2,3), c(3,3), c(3,2))  
st_multipolygon(list(list(p1), list(p2)))
```

```
## MULTIPOLYGON (((0 3, 0 4, 1 4, 1 3, 0 3)), ((3 2, 2 3, 3 3, 3 2)))
```



Spatial operations

Geometric Confirmation:

- ▶ `st_overlaps`, `st_contains`, `st_disjoint`

Geometric Operations

- ▶ `st_centroid`, `st_convex_hull`, `st_line_merge`

Geometry Operations

- ▶ `st_intersection`, `st_difference`, `st_union`

Geometric measurement

- ▶ `st_distance`, `st_area`

Spatial operations - Intersection

Define two polygons a and b.

```
(a <- st_polygon(list(rbind(  
  c(0, 0), c(0, -1), c(7.5, -1), c(7.5, 0), c(0, 0)  
))))
```

```
## POLYGON ((0 0, 0 -1, 7.5 -1, 7.5 0, 0 0))
```

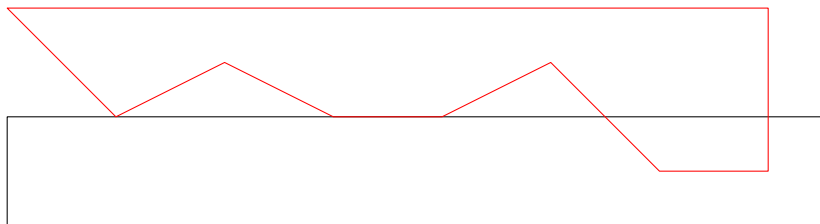
```
(b <- st_polygon(list(rbind(  
  c(0,1), c(1,0), c(2,.5), c(3,0), c(4,0),  
  c(5,0.5), c(6,-0.5), c(7,-0.5), c(7,1), c(0,1)  
))))
```

```
## POLYGON ((0 1, 1 0, 2 0.5, 3 0, 4 0, 5 0.5, 6 -0.5, 7 -0.5, 7 1, 0 1))
```

Spatial operations - Intersection

Define two polygons a and b.

```
plot(a, ylim = c(-1,1))  
plot(b, add = TRUE, border = 'red')
```



Spatial operations - Intersection

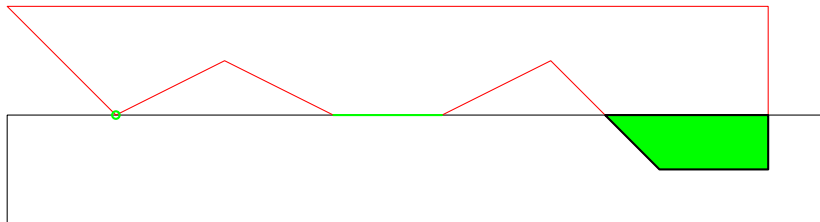
```
int_a_and_b <- st_intersection(a,b)  
int_a_and_b
```

```
## GEOMETRYCOLLECTION (POINT (1 0), LINESTRING (4 0, 3 0),  
GEOMETRYCOLLECTION
```

- ▶ POINT (1 0)
- ▶ LINESTRING (4 0, 3 0)
- ▶ POLYGON ((5.5 0, 7 0, 7 -0.5, 6 -0.5, 5.5 0))

Spatial operations - Intersection

```
plot(a, ylim = c(-1,1))
plot(b, add = TRUE, border = 'red')
plot(int_a_and_b, add = TRUE, col = 'green', lwd = 2)
```



Simple features and data.frames



Figure 2: overview

Simple features and data.frames

"We usually do not work with geometries of single simple features, but with datasets consisting of sets of features with attributes."

```
file_name <- system.file("shape/nc.shp", package="sf")
```

```
nc <- st_read(file_name)
```

```
## Reading layer `nc' from data source `/Library/Frameworks/R.framework
## Simple feature collection with 100 features and 14 fields
## geometry type:  MULTIPOLYGON
## dimension:      XY
## bbox:           xmin: -84.32385 ymin: 33.88199 xmax: -75.45698 ymax:
## CRS:            4267
```

Simple features and data.frames

```
head(nc[,c("CNTY_ID", "NAME")])
```

```
## Simple feature collection with 6 features and 2 fields
```

```
## geometry type:  MULTIPOLYGON
```

```
## dimension:      XY
```

```
## bbox:           xmin: -81.74107 ymin: 36.07282 xmax: -75.77316 ymax:
```

```
## CRS:            4267
```

```
##   CNTY_ID      NAME                      geometry
```

```
## 1    1825      Ashe MULTIPOLYGON (((-81.47276 3...
```

```
## 2    1827 Alleghany MULTIPOLYGON (((-81.23989 3...
```

```
## 3    1828      Surry MULTIPOLYGON (((-80.45634 3...
```

```
## 4    1831 Currituck MULTIPOLYGON (((-76.00897 3...
```

```
## 5    1832 Northampton MULTIPOLYGON (((-77.21767 3...
```

```
## 6    1833  Hertford MULTIPOLYGON (((-76.74506 3...
```

Simple features and data.frames

```
## Simple feature collection with 100 features and 6 fields
## geometry type:  MULTIPOLYGON
## dimension:      XY
## bbox:           xmin: -84.32385 ymin: 33.88199 xmax: -75.45698 ymax: 36.58965
## epsg (SRID):    4267
## proj4string:     +proj=longlat +datum=NAD27 +no_defs
## precision:      double (default; no precision model)
## First 3 features:
```

	BIR74	SID74	NWBIR74	BIR79	SID79	NWBIR79	geom
## 1	1091	1	10	1364	0	19	MULTIPOLYGON(((-81.47275543...
## 2	487	0	10	542	3	12	MULTIPOLYGON(((-81.23989105...
## 3	3188	5	208	3616	6	260	MULTIPOLYGON(((-80.45634460...

Simple feature

Simple feature geometry list-column (sfc)

Simple feature geometry (sfg)

Figure 3: Illustration from Edzer Pebesma

Simple Features and GIS

- ▶ Geographic information system
- ▶ The package `sf` is very powerful for building maps.
- ▶ Present spatial or geographic data
- ▶ It's not (yet) a replacement of ArcGIS or QGIS.

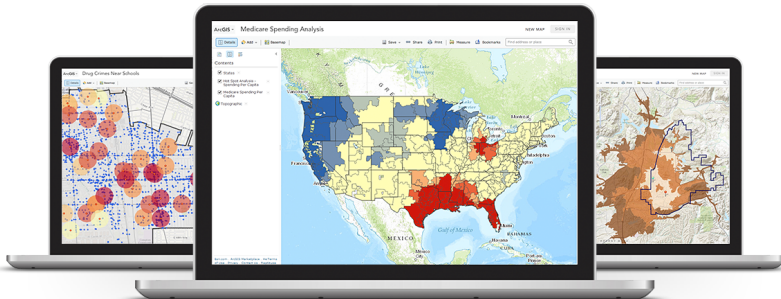


Figure 4: ArcGIS

Example - OpenStreetMap (OSM)

The `osmdata` package helps with extracting data from OpenStreetMap.

```
library("osmdata")
```


Example - OpenStreetMap (OSM)

```
utrecht_sf <- opq(bbox = 'utrecht nl') %>%  
  add_osm_feature(key = 'highway', value = 'cycleway') %>%  
  osmdata_sf()
```

```
utrecht_sf
```

```
## Object of class 'osmdata' with:
```

```
##           $bbox : 52.026282,5.0041822,52.1356715,5.195155
```

```
##           $overpass_call : The call submitted to the overpass API
```

```
##           $meta : metadata including timestamp and version number
```

```
##           $osm_points : 'sf' Simple Features Collection with 20600 points
```

```
##           $osm_lines : 'sf' Simple Features Collection with 4732 lines
```

```
##           $osm_polygons : 'sf' Simple Features Collection with 8 polygons
```

```
##           $osm_multilines : NULL
```

```
##           $osm_multipolygons : NULL
```

Example - OpenStreetMap (OSM)

```
library(ggplot2)

ggplot() +
  geom_sf(
    data=utrecht_sf$osm_lines,
    fill="darkgreen",
    color="darkgreen"
  )
```

Example - OpenStreetMap (OSM)



Example - CBS Dutch municipalities

The osmdata package helps with extracting data from OpenStreetMap.

```
library("cbsshape")  
library("dplyr")
```

```
# download 2017 data
```

```
wijk_en_buurt_2017 <- st_read_cbs(2017) # remove "data/"
```

```
## Reading layer `gemeente_2017_v3' from data source `/private/var/fold  
## Simple feature collection with 477 features and 186 fields  
## geometry type:  MULTIPOLYGON  
## dimension:      XY  
## bbox:           xmin: 10425.16 ymin: 306846.2 xmax: 278026.1 ymax: 6  
## CRS:            28992
```

Example - CBS Dutch municipalities

Extract the geometry of Utrecht

```
sf_cbs_utrecht <- wijk_en_buurt_2017 %>%  
  # remove water polygons  
  filter(WATER == "NEE", GM_NAAM == "Utrecht") %>%  
  st_geometry()
```

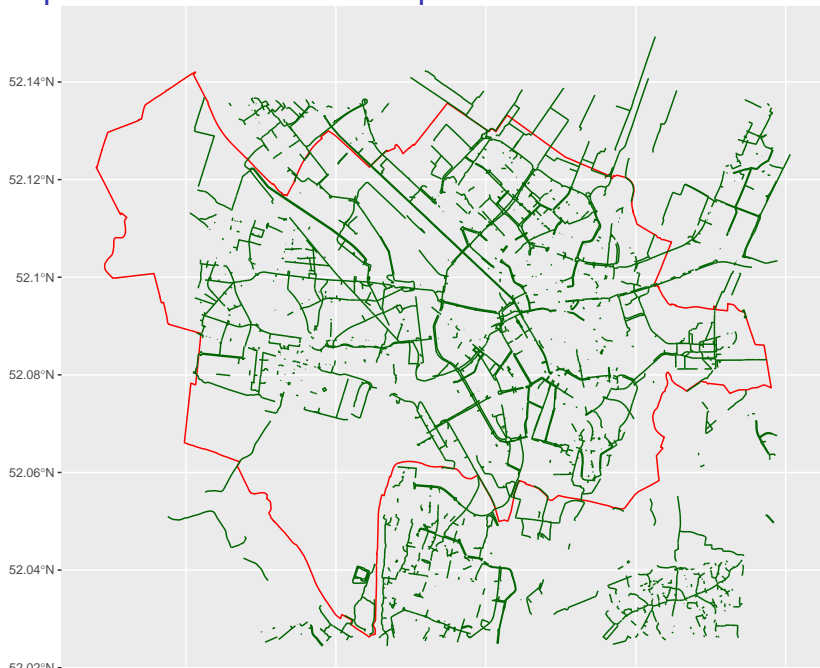
CBS works with RD coordinates (not the typical longitude and latitude)

```
sf_cbs_utrecht <- st_transform(sf_cbs_utrecht, 4326)  
# 4326 is wgs84
```

Example - CBS Dutch municipalities

```
ggplot(sf_cbs_utrecht) +  
  geom_sf(color="red", alpha=0) +  
  geom_sf(  
    data=utrecht_sf$osm_lines,  
    fill="darkgreen",  
    color="darkgreen"  
  )
```

Example - CBS Dutch municipalities



Example - ggmap

```
library(ggmap)
```

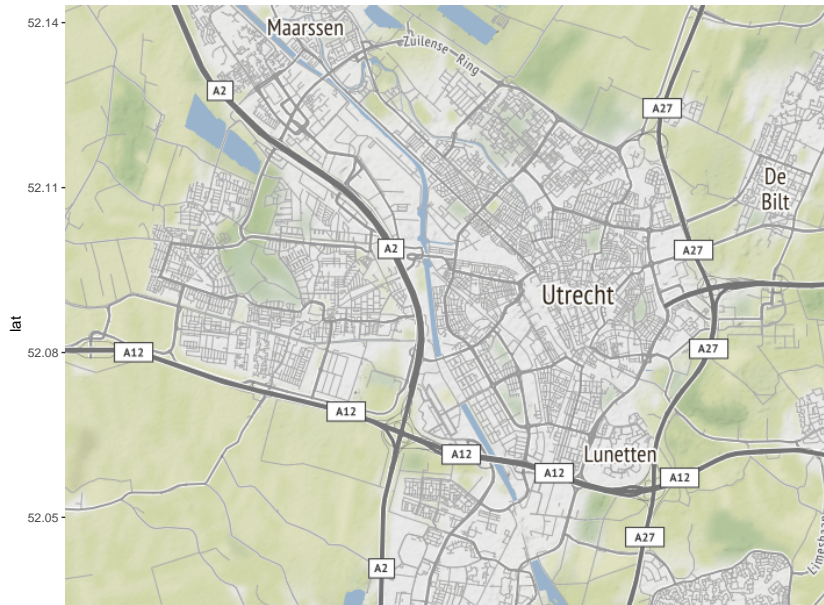
```
st_bbox(sf_cbs_utrecht)
```

```
##      xmin      ymin      xmax      ymax  
## 4.970096 52.026282 5.195155 52.142051
```

```
utrecht_map <- get_map(  
  c(left = 4.970470,  
    bottom = 52.027255,  
    right = 5.195562 ,  
    top = 52.143037  
  ),  
  maptype = "toner-background")
```


Example - ggmap

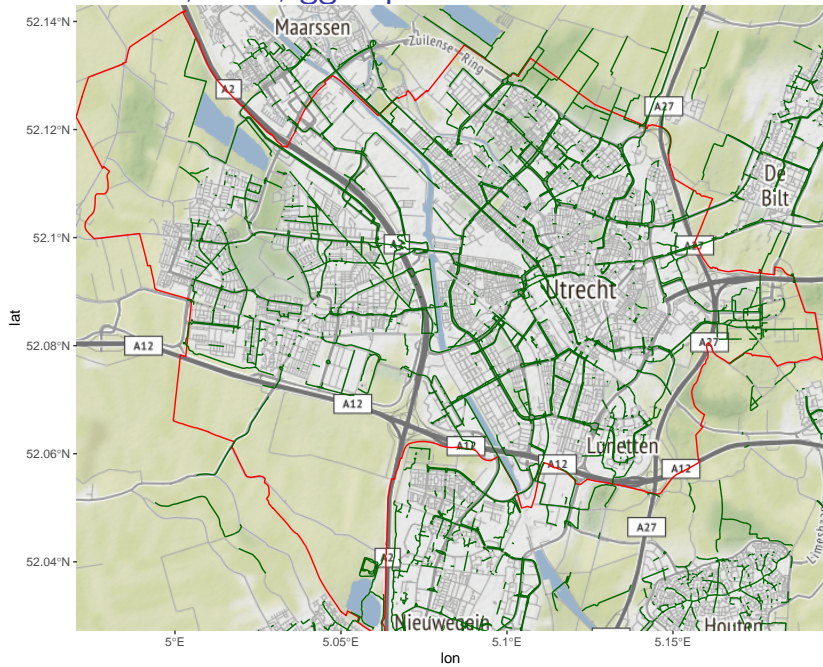
```
ggmap(utrecht_map)
```



Combine OSM, CBS, ggmap

```
ggmap(utrecht_map) +  
  geom_sf(data=sf_cbs_utrecht,  
          color="red",  
          alpha=0,  
          inherit.aes =FALSE) +  
  geom_sf(  
    data=utrecht_sf$osm_lines,  
    inherit.aes =FALSE,  
    fill="darkgreen",  
    color="darkgreen"  
  )
```

Combine OSM, CBS, ggmap



Combine OSM, CBS, ggmap - Intersection

```
(cycle_utrecht <- st_intersection(  
  sf_cbs_utrecht,  
  utrecht_sf$osm_lines  
))
```

```
## Geometry set for 3125 features
```

```
## geometry type:  GEOMETRY
```

```
## dimension:      XY
```

```
## bbox:           xmin: 5.001329 ymin: 52.02673 xmax: 5.193592 ymax: 5
```

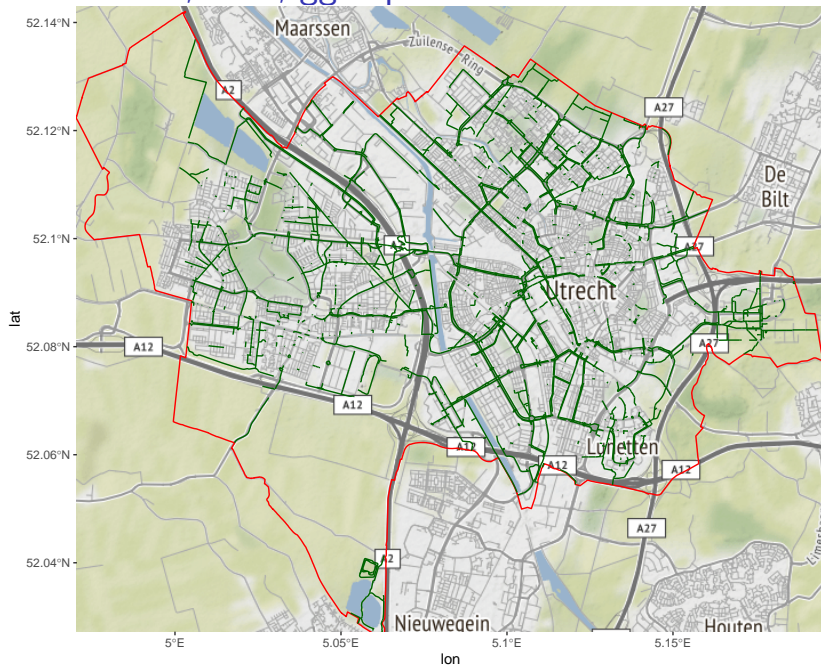
```
## CRS:            EPSG:4326
```

```
## First 5 geometries:
```

Combine OSM, CBS, ggmap - Plotting

```
ggmap(utrecht_map) +  
  geom_sf(data=sf_cbs_utrecht,  
          color="red",  
          alpha=0,  
          inherit.aes =FALSE) +  
  geom_sf(  
    data=cycle_utrecht,  
    inherit.aes =FALSE,  
    fill="darkgreen",  
    color="darkgreen"  
  )
```

Combine OSM, CBS, ggmap - Result



Resources and examples

1. Simple Features for R
<https://r-spatial.github.io/sf/articles/sf1.html>
2. Reading, Writing and Converting Simple Features
<https://r-spatial.github.io/sf/articles/sf2.html>
3. Manipulating Simple Feature Geometries
<https://r-spatial.github.io/sf/articles/sf3.html>
4. Manipulating Simple Features
<https://r-spatial.github.io/sf/articles/sf4.html>
5. Plotting Simple Features
<https://r-spatial.github.io/sf/articles/sf5.html>
6. Miscellaneous <https://r-spatial.github.io/sf/articles/sf6.html>

Resources and examples

Spatial manipulation with sf: : CHEAT SHEET



The sf package provides a set of tools for working with geospatial vectors, i.e. points, lines, polygons, etc.

Geometric confirmation

- `st_contains(x, y, ...)` Identifies if x is within y (i.e. point within polygon)
- `st_covered_by(x, y, ...)` Identifies if x is completely within y (i.e. polygon completely within polygon)
- `st_covers(x, y, ...)` Identifies if any point from x is outside of y (i.e. polygon outside polygon)
- `st_crosses(x, y, ...)` Identifies if any geometry of x have commonalities with y
- `st_disjoint(x, y, ...)` Identifies when geometries from x do not share space with y
- `st_equals(x, y, ...)` Identifies if x and y share the same geometry
- `st_intersects(x, y, ...)` Identifies if x and y geometry share any space
- `st_overlaps(x, y, ...)` Identifies if geometries of x and y share space, are of the same dimension, but are not completely contained by each other
- `st_touches(x, y, ...)` Identifies if geometries of x and y share a common point but their interiors do not intersect
- `st_within(x, y, ...)` Identifies if x is in a specified distance to y



```
ggplot() +  
  geom_sf(data = schools)
```

+



```
ggplot() +  
  geom_sf(data = subway)
```

=>



```
ggplot() +  
  geom_sf(data = st_intersection(schools, st_buffer(subway, 1000)))
```

Geometric operations

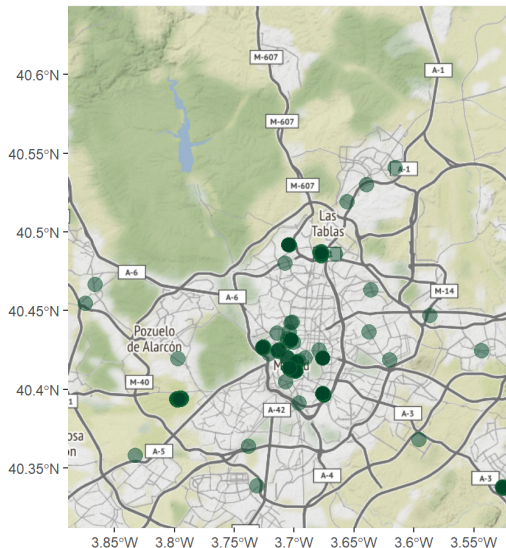
- `st_boundary(x)` Creates a polygon that encompasses the full extent of the geometry
- `st_buffer(x, dist, nQuads)` Creates a polygon covering all points of the geometry within a given distance
- `st_centroid(x, ..., of_largest_polygon)` Creates a point at the geometric centre of the geometry
- `st_convex_hull(x)` Creates geometry that represents the minimum convex geometry of x
- `st_line_merge(x)` Creates linestring geometry from sewing multi linestring geometry together
- `st_node(x)` Creates nodes on overlapping geometry where nodes do not exist
- `st_point_on_surface(x)` Creates a point that is guaranteed to fall on the surface of the geometry
- `st_polygonize(x)` Creates polygon geometry from linestring geometry
- `st_segmentize(x, dMaxLength, ...)` Creates linestring geometry from x based on a specified length
- `st_simplify(x, preserveTopology, dTolerance)` Creates a simplified version of the geometry based on a specified tolerance

Geometry creation

- `st_triangulate(x, dTolerance, bOnlyEdges)` Creates polygon geometry as triangles from point geometry
- `st_voronoi(x, envelope, dTolerance, bOnlyEdges)` Creates polygon geometry covering the envelope of x, with x at the centre of the geometry
- `st_point(x, c(numeric vector), dim = "XYZ")` Creating point geometry from numeric values
- `st_multipoint(x = matrix(numeric values in rows), dim = "XYZ")` Creating multi point geometry from numeric values
- `st_linestring(x = matrix(numeric values in rows), dim = "XYZ")` Creating linestring geometry from numeric values
- `st_multilinestring(x = list(numeric matrices in rows), dim = "XYZ")` Creating multi linestring geometry from numeric values
- `st_polygon(x = list(numeric matrices in rows), dim = "XYZ")` Creating polygon geometry from numeric values
- `st_multipolygon(x = list(numeric matrices in rows), dim = "XYZ")` Creating multi polygon geometry from numeric values

Resources and examples

<https://dominicroye.github.io/en/2018/accessing-openstreetmap-data-with-r/>



Questions?

- ▶ How to build heatmaps?
- ▶ How to enrich data with demographic data of National Statistics?
- ▶ How to convert address information into coordinates?
- ▶ ...