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A short introduction

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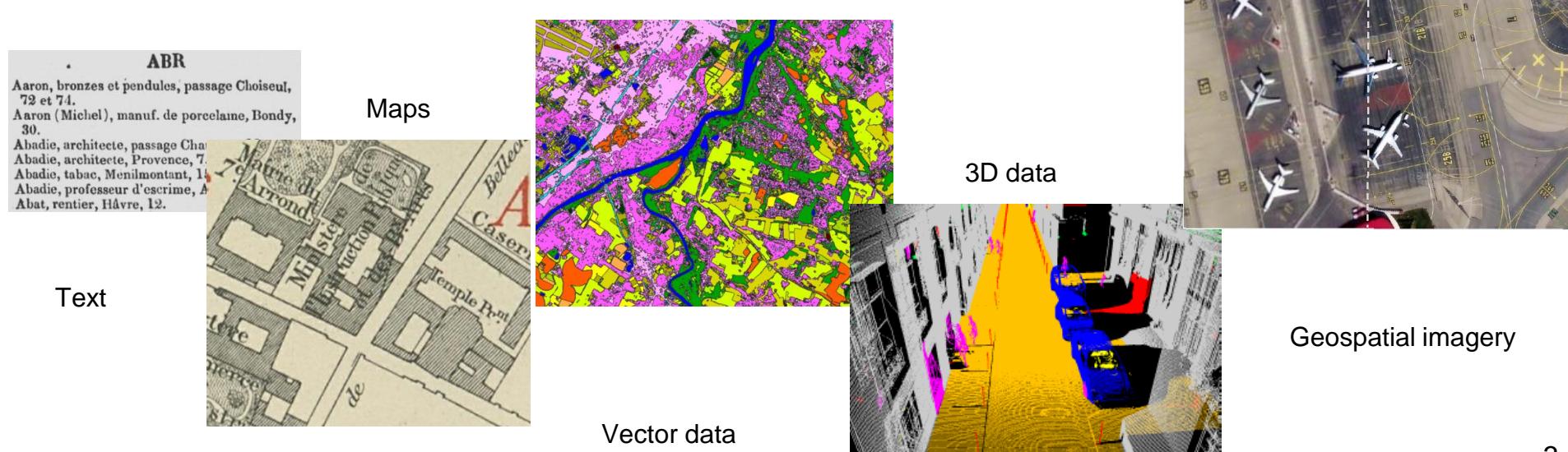
LASTIG lab

- Research in **Sciences and Technologies in Geographic Information**
 - Context: climate change, environmental and societal impacts
- **Objectives:**
 - Data, knowledge, methods and tools for modeling, analysis, simulation and visualizing the territories and spatio-temporal phenomena
- In-between:
 - Computer Sciences
 - Machine Learning
 - Image/Signal processing
 - Physical measures
 - Computer Vision
 - Computer Graphics
 - Visualization
 - Human-Computer Interaction
 - Geography
 - Social and Human Sciences
 - Environmental Sciences

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- **Environmental transformations:** *public policy monitoring (land-use/land-cover, Common Agricultural Policy), pollution, urban climate, flooding, etc.*
- **Historical and social mutations:** *past urban dynamics, urban planning, archival data analysis*

→ Multi-source, multi-scale, massive, inaccurate and massive data.



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Basic info:

- LASTIG = IGN-ENSG + Université Gustave Eiffel + Ecole des Ingénieurs de la Ville de Paris (EIVP)
- Method-based researches with an operational flavour
- **Current project time frame:** 2026-2030
- *Interdisciplinarity, open and reproducible science*

Composition

- **45** permanent members

(5 DR, 6 CR MTE, 9 MCF/EC, 14 Ing. DR,
11 IE/IR)

(40 IGN, 3 Univ Eiffel, 2 EIVP)

- 25 PhD, post-doc, engineers



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4 teams

ACTE: Image/Lidar/Radar data acquisition and processing

STRUDEL: Spatio-temporal Structures for Spatial Analysis

MEIG: Mediation and Enrichment of Geographic Information

GEOVIS: Visualization, Interaction, Immersion

Management

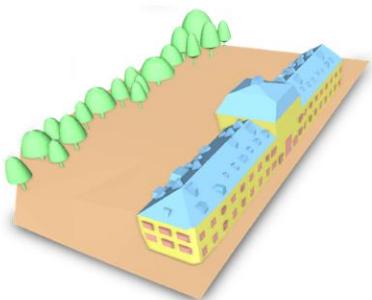
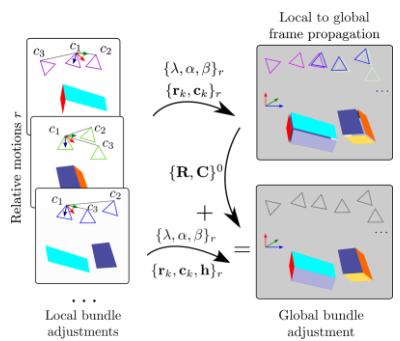


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Team leaders



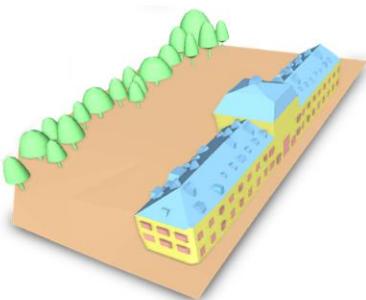
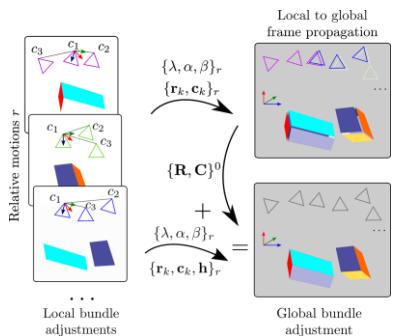
Structuration



Photogrammetry & reconstruction 3D

ACTE

Structuration



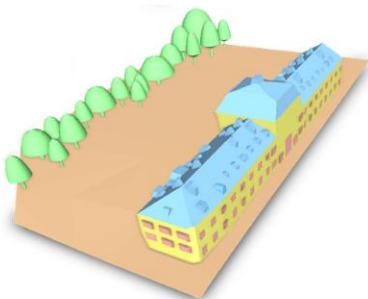
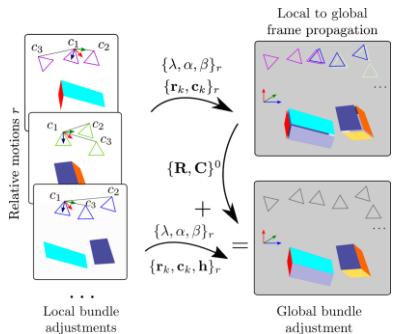
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Changes: validation & integration

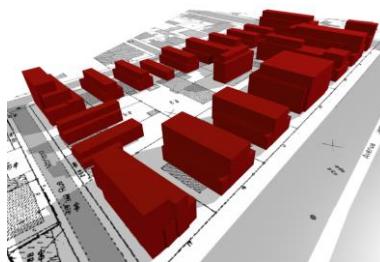
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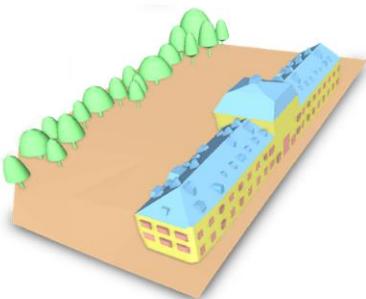
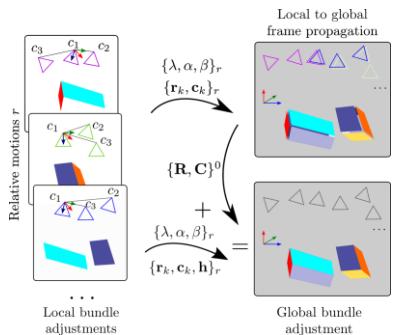
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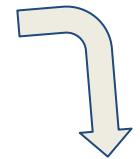


Simulation & temporal monitoring

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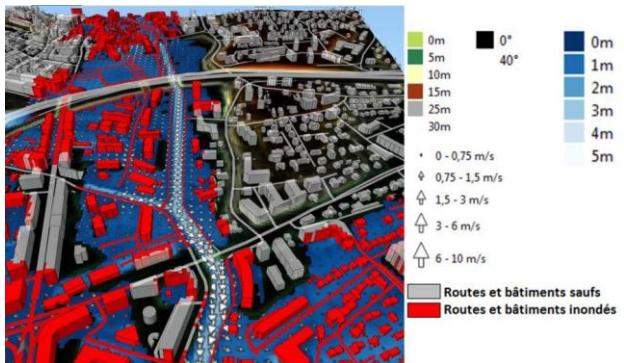


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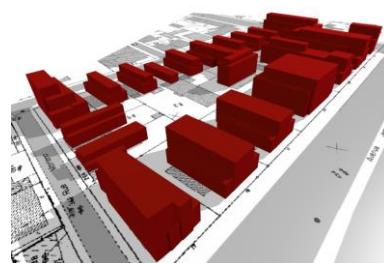


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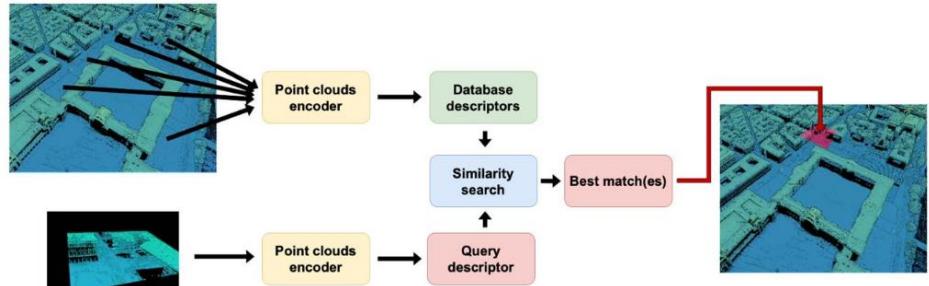


Visualisation & interaction



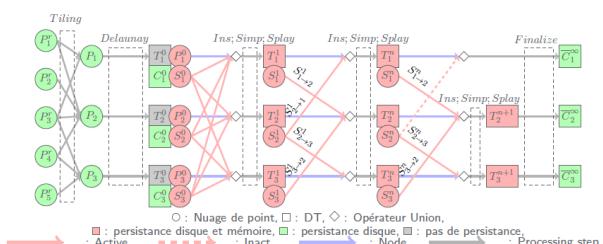
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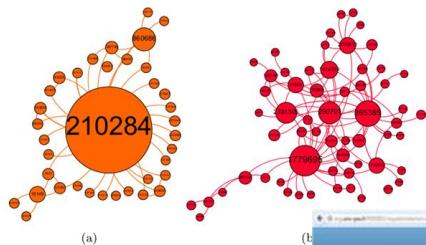
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Indexation and retrieval



Parallel computing

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Text analysis

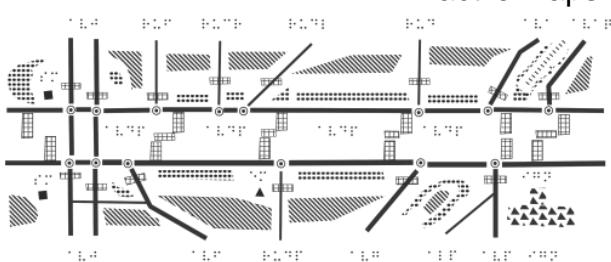


Graph analysis

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Augmented reality



Visualisation & interaction

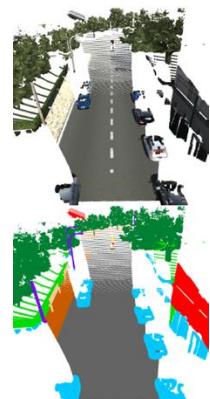
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STRUDEL

2D/3D learning



Complex systems



ACTE TEAM

▪ Spatial data acquisition techniques and photogrammetry

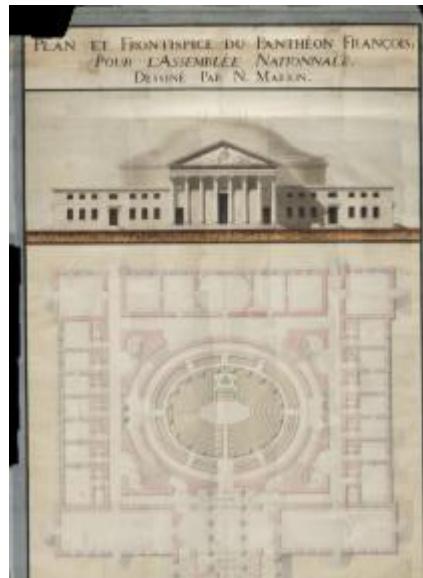
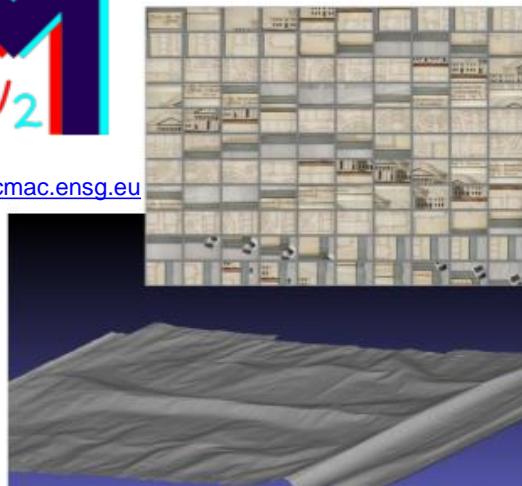


Stereopolis: multi-sensor
3D mobile mapping
system for street
visualisation and 3D
metrology



MicMacV2 : Open source
photogrammetric library

<https://micmac.ensg.eu>

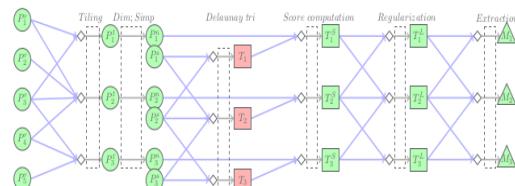


Backpack image/lidar acquisition

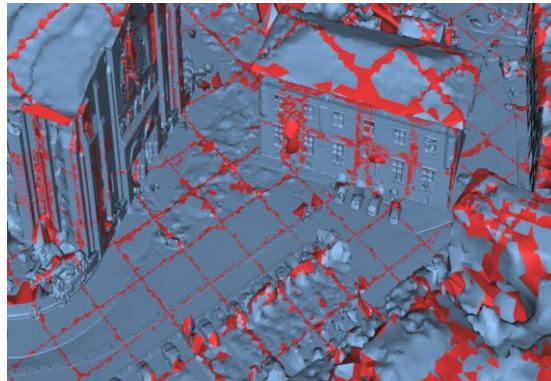
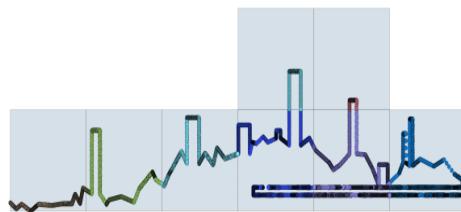
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▪ Processing of raw data

Massive reconstruction of 3D surfaces



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Texturing of 3D meshes



Image indexing/searching 3D

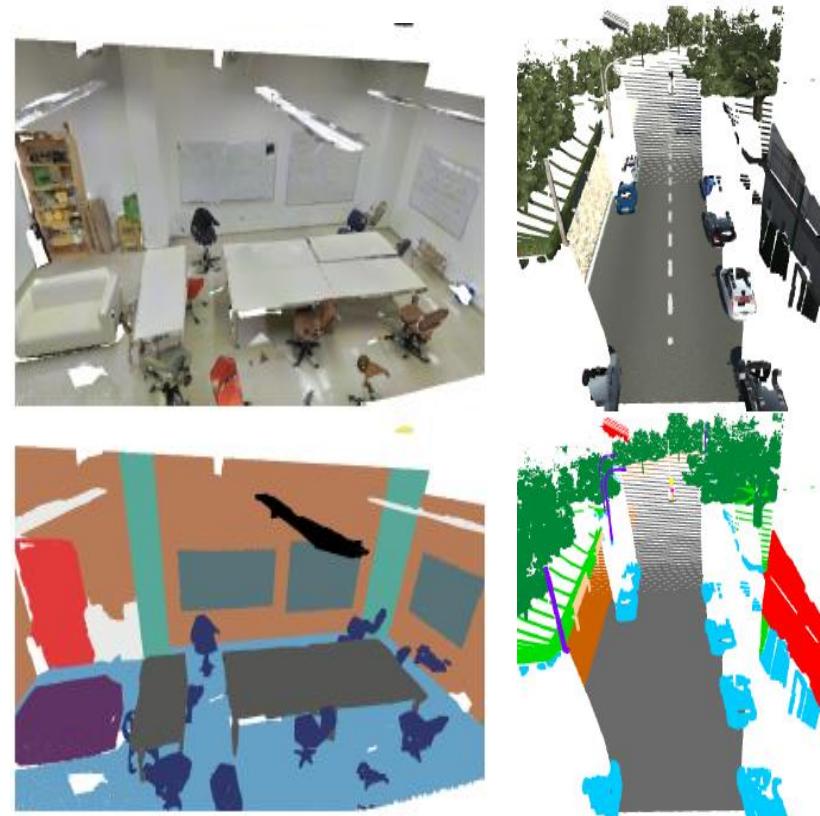
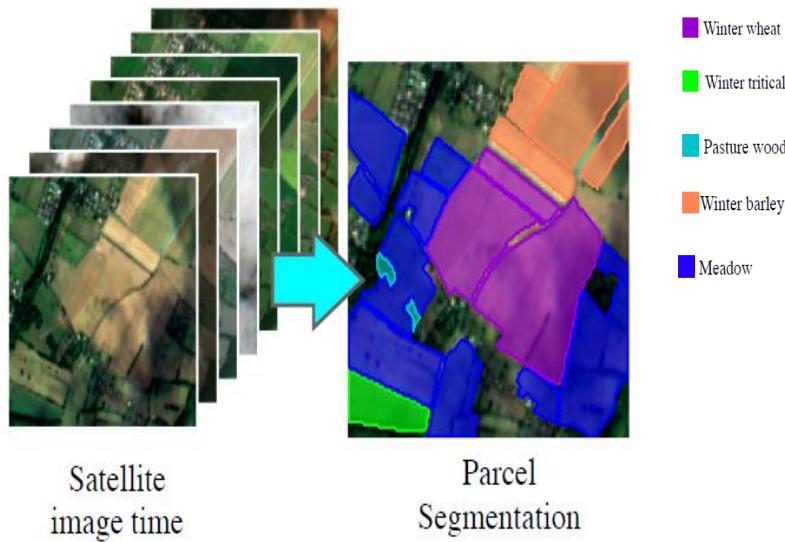
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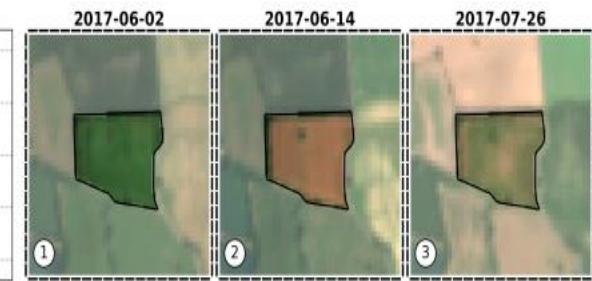
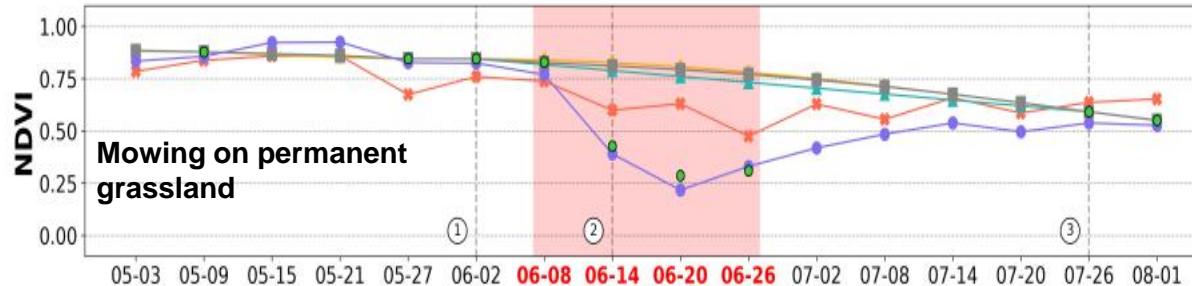
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■ 2D/ 3D STRUCTURED PREDICTION

Parcel segmentation from multi-temporal satellite times series

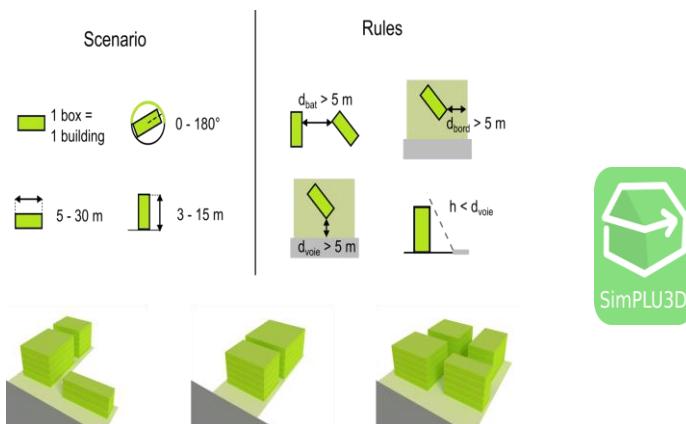
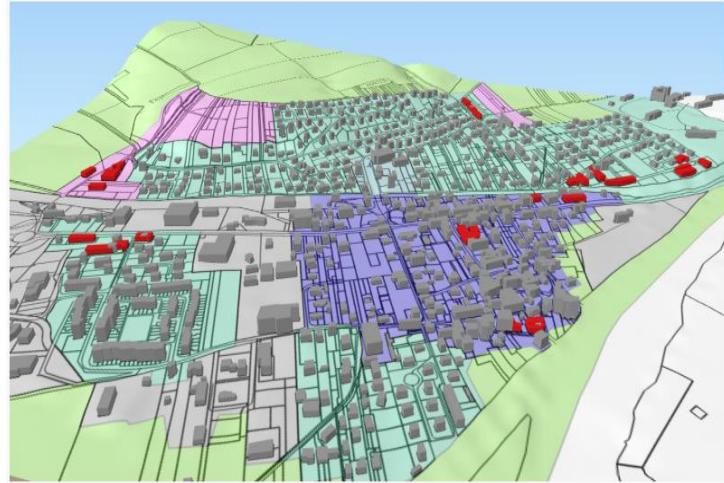


Grassland monitoring/change detection



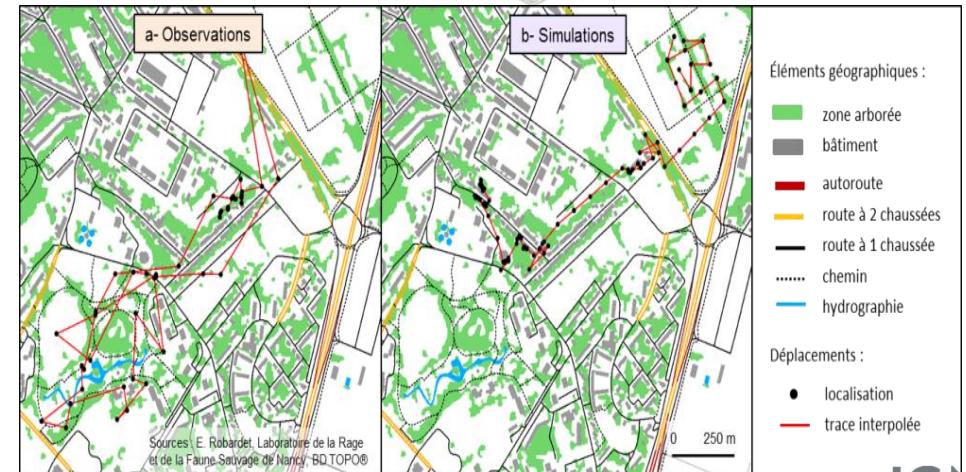
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■ Simulation and spatial analysis



Urban simulation by taking into account public policies

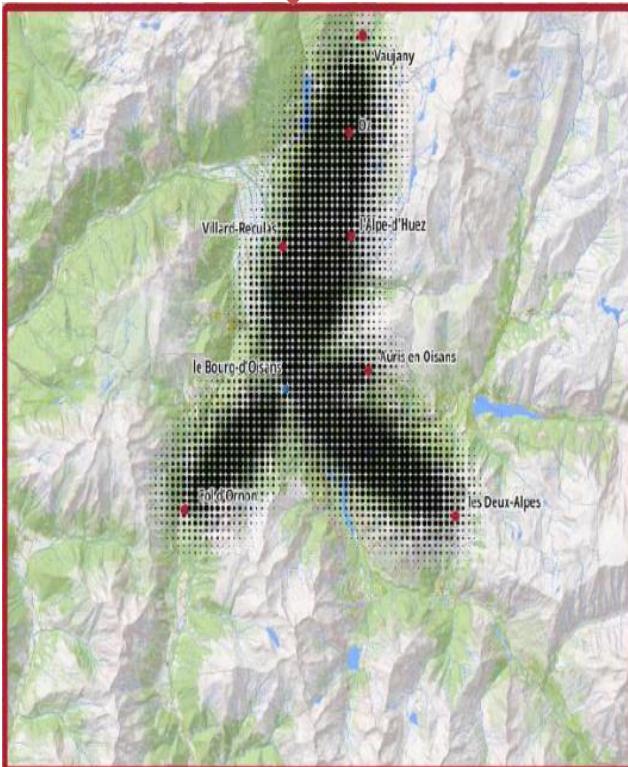
Street evolution in Paris from 1784-1894



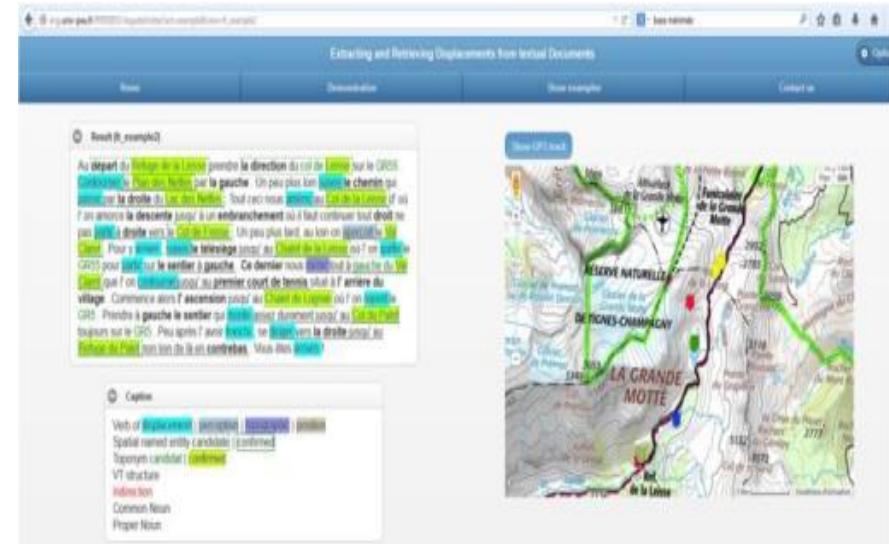
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■ SPATIAL DATA ENRICHMENT

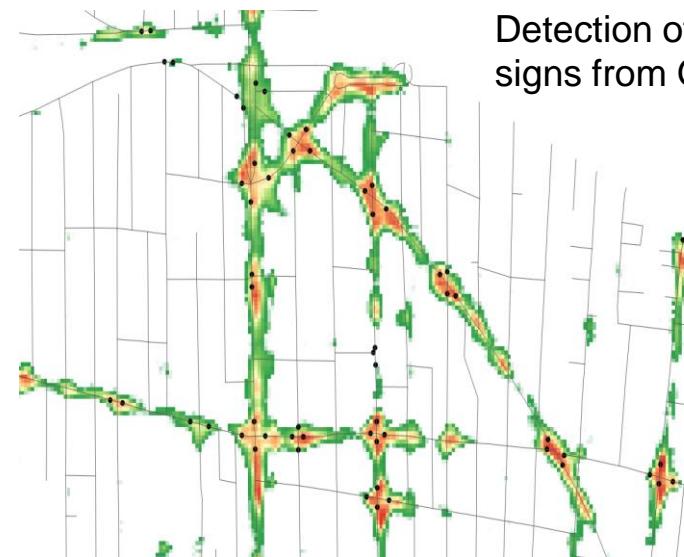
« I started to walk from Bourg d'Oisans city and towards a ski resort », where am I ?



Road reconstruction from text



Detection of traffic signs from GPS data



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▪ DESCRIPTION, MULTI-SOURCE INTEGRATION

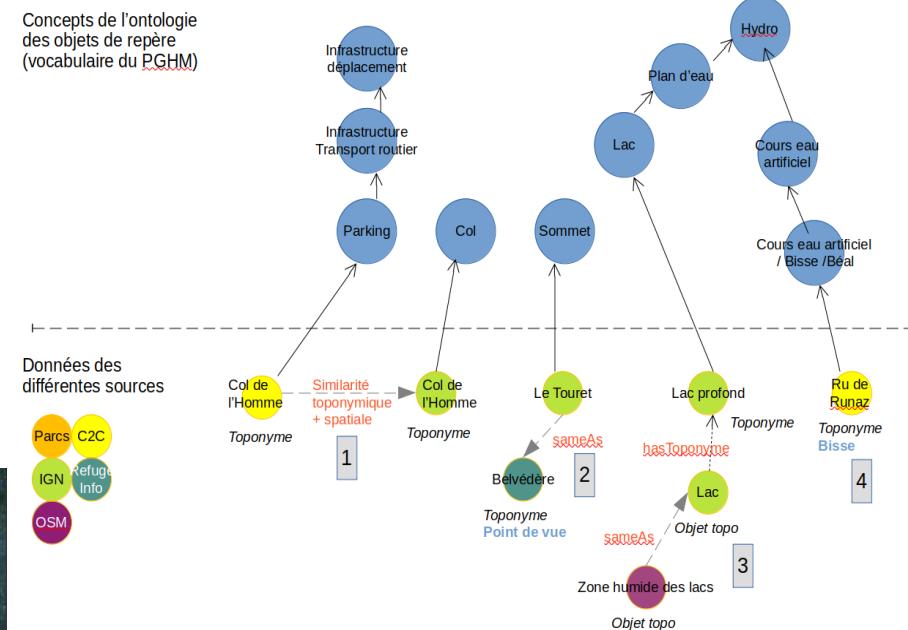
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Quality assessment and metadata- machine readable GPS data

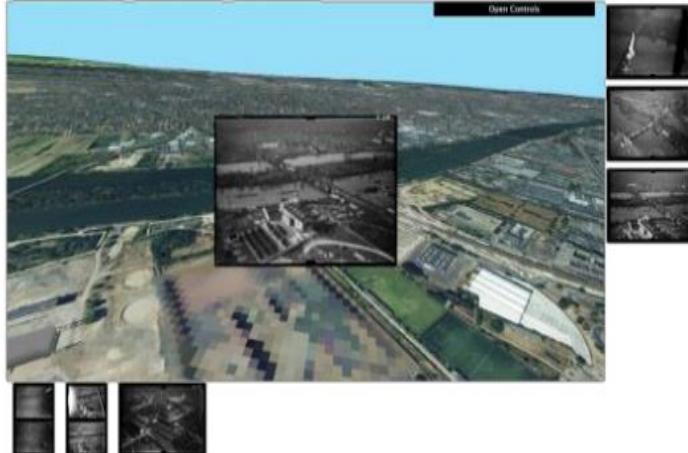
Crowdsourcing platforms

GEOVIS TEAM

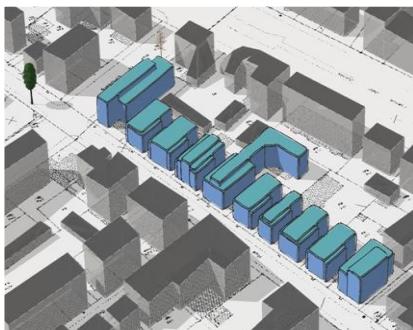
- Geovisualisation, representation, spatial cognition, interaction



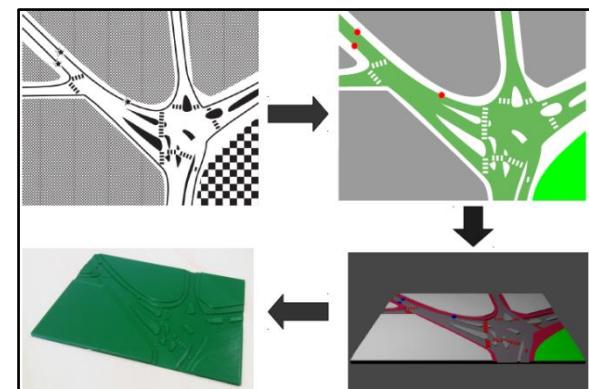
Present and past co-visualisation



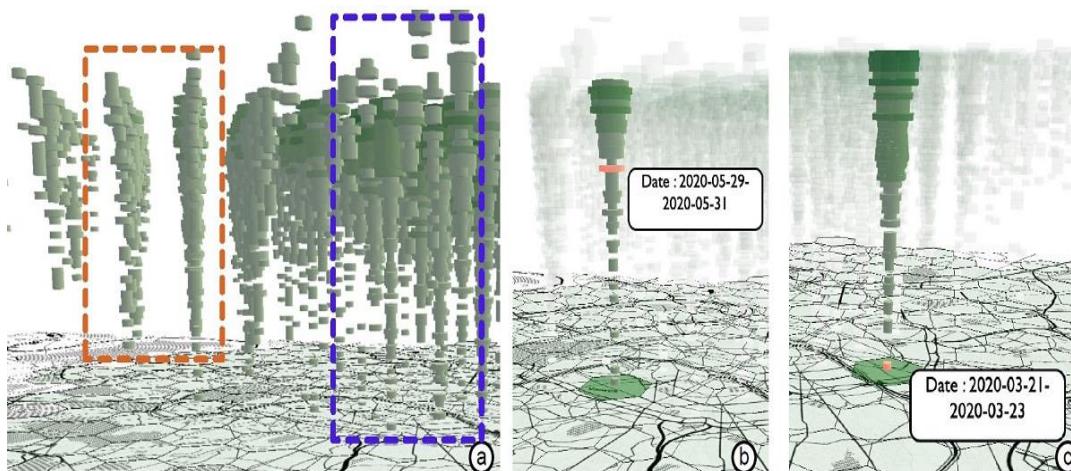
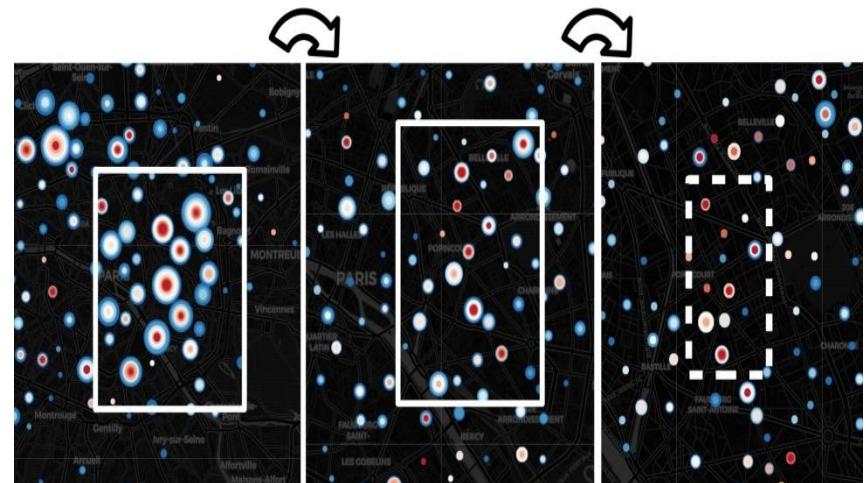
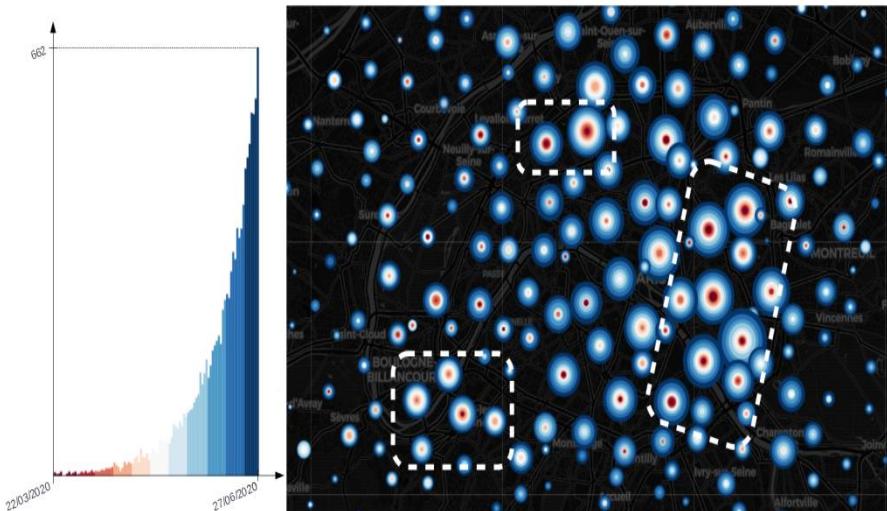
Adapting the representation to the user



Maps for blind people



- Spatio-temporal clusters of COVID data visualization



Territory dynamics @ LASTIG

ACTE:

- Deformation monitoring (buildings bridge, post-seismic)
- *3D change detection and update LiDAR/Image geometric change detection.* **Teng Wu**

STRUDEL:

- Spatio-temporal Analysis
- Temporal series analysis
- *Bi-temporal VHR image change detection with text.* **Yanis Benidir**

MEIG:

- Multi-source fusion for change detection
- *Seeing Urban Densification through the Buildings' Lens: A User-Oriented and Collaborative Approach.* **Ana-Maria Raimond**

GEOVIS:

- Visualization of dynamic processes (weather, epidemics,...)

Territory dynamics @ IGN

Mapping the anthropocene:

- Monitoring the impacts of anthropic activity in a context of
 - Climate change
 - Ecologic transition

Change detection an update in IGN production:

- Currently dispatched in various independent services/production units
- Roadmap for coordination and factorization of Change Detection and Update at IGN : **Nicolas Gonthier**