



# Neo4j Spatial

*Backing a GIS with a real graph database*

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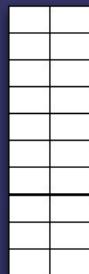
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# NoSQL

*Not Only SQL*

**Key-Value**

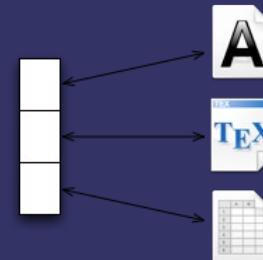


**BigTable**

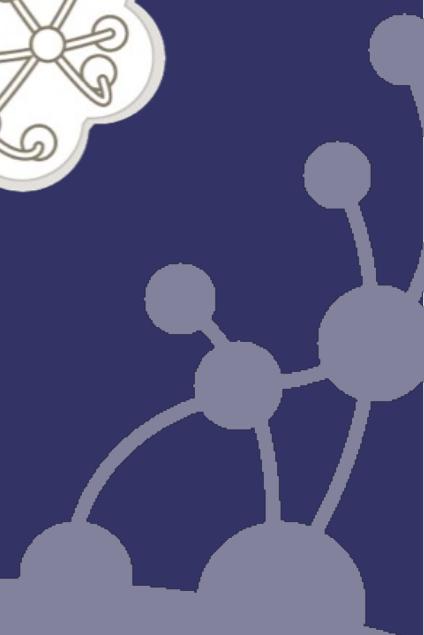
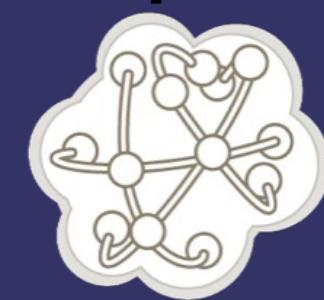
A sparse matrix diagram where most cells are empty (white), but some are filled with the number '1' to represent data storage.

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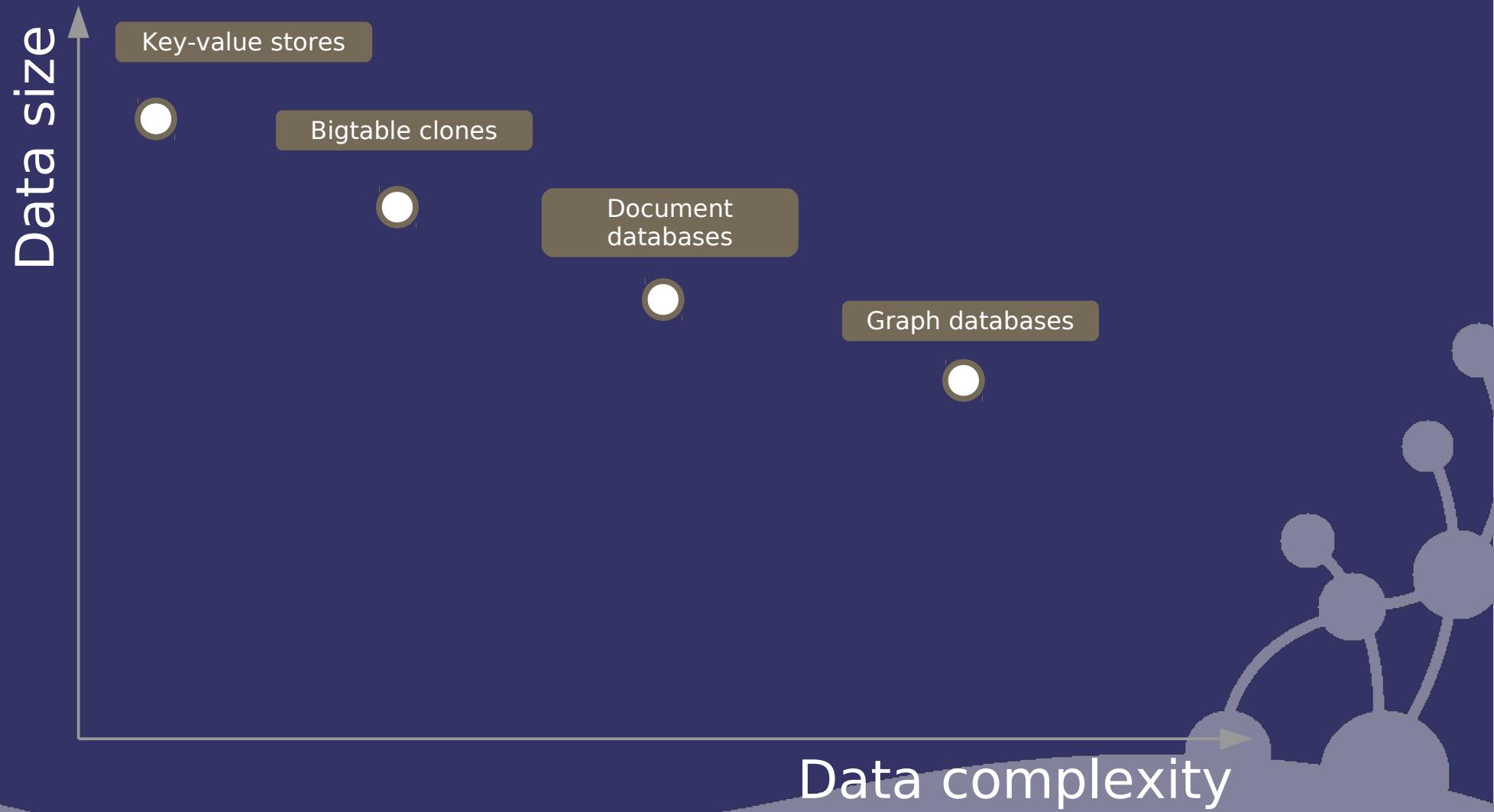
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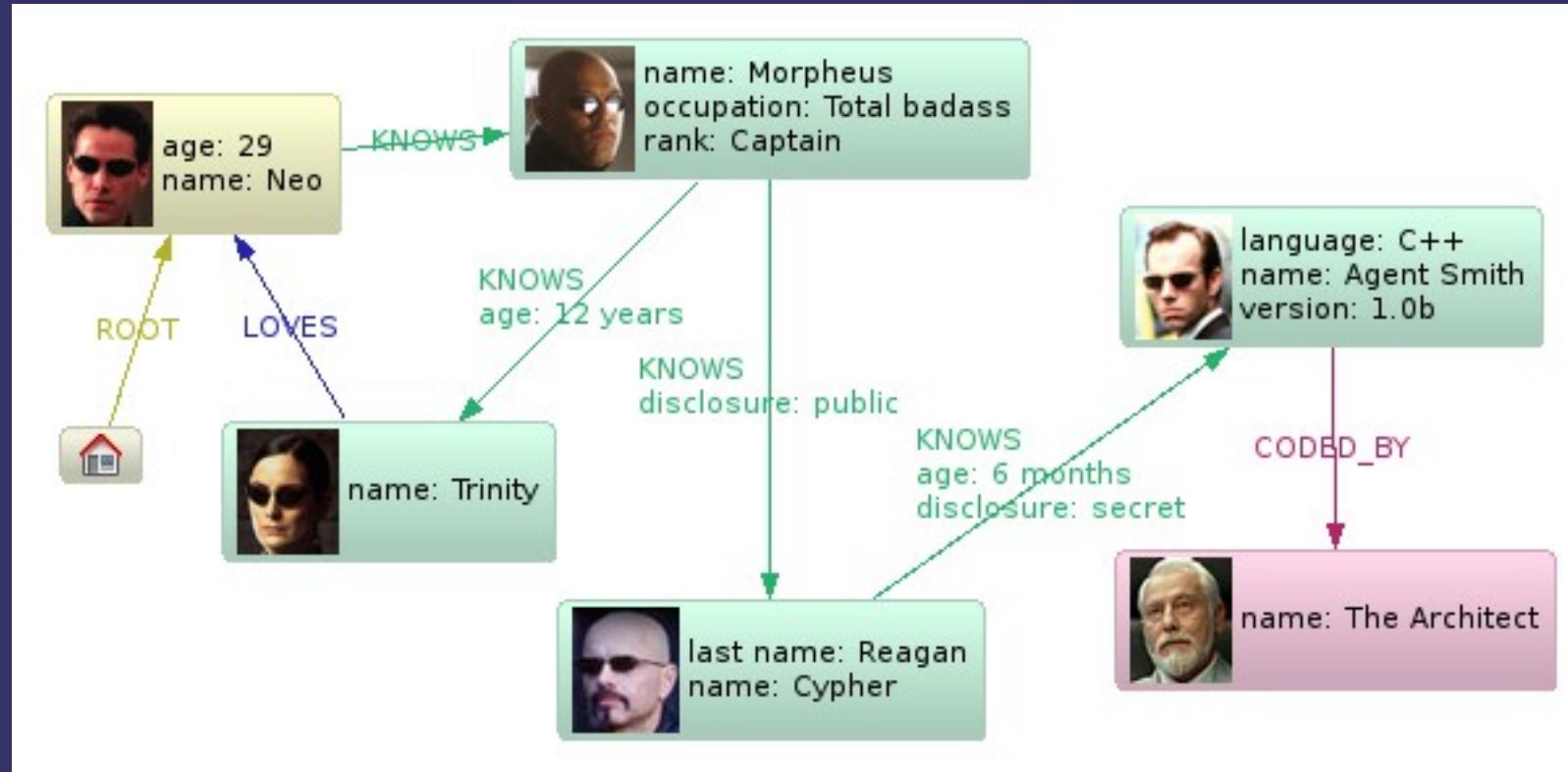
**Graph DB**



# NOSQL data models



# Neo4j - Nodes, Relationships, Properties



- Nodes have different properties
  - Matrix characters: People vs. Programs
- Build structure as you go
  - Who loves Neo?

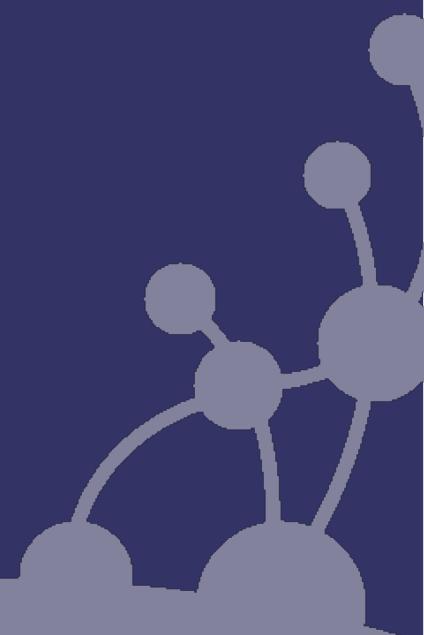
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## ○ Core

- Storage
- Search
- Operations
- I/O

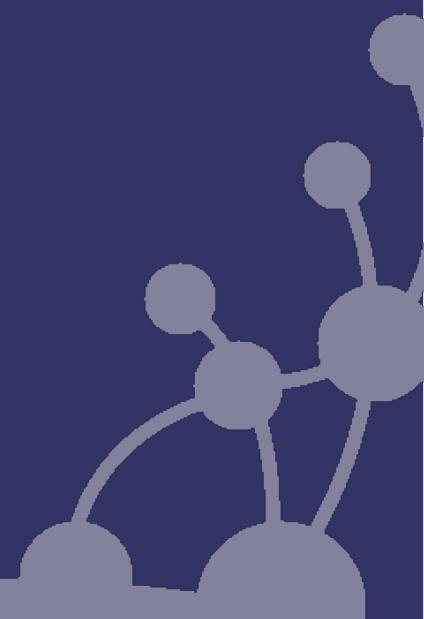
## ○ Extensions

- Geotools & GeoServer
- uDig
- OpenStreetMap

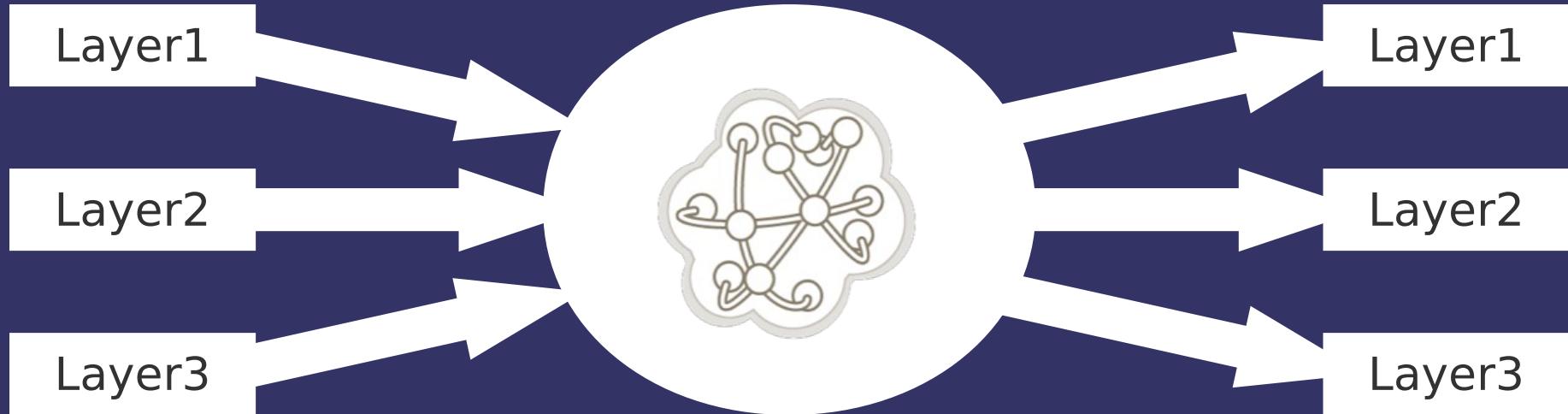


# Topology

Connectedness

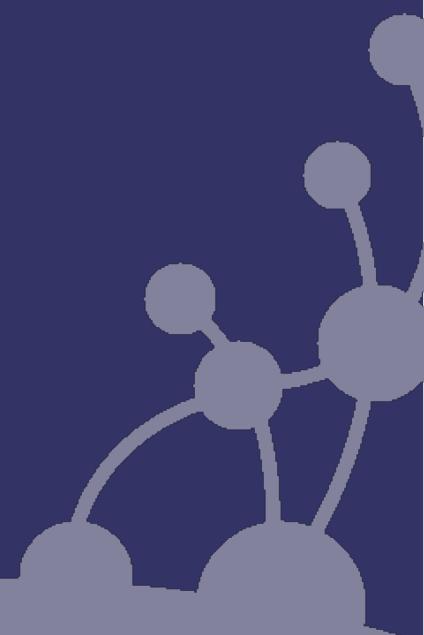


# Connecting and Splitting



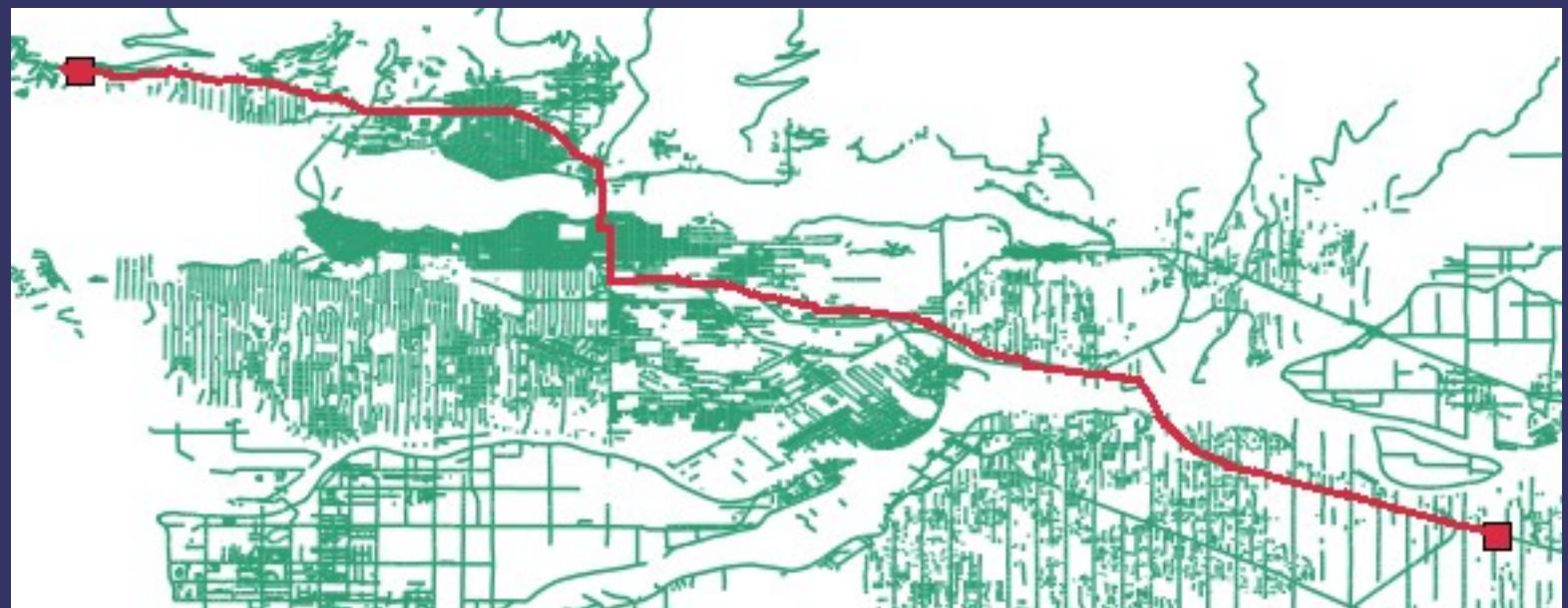
- Why have layers at all?

- Simpler renderers
- Historical
- Data sources

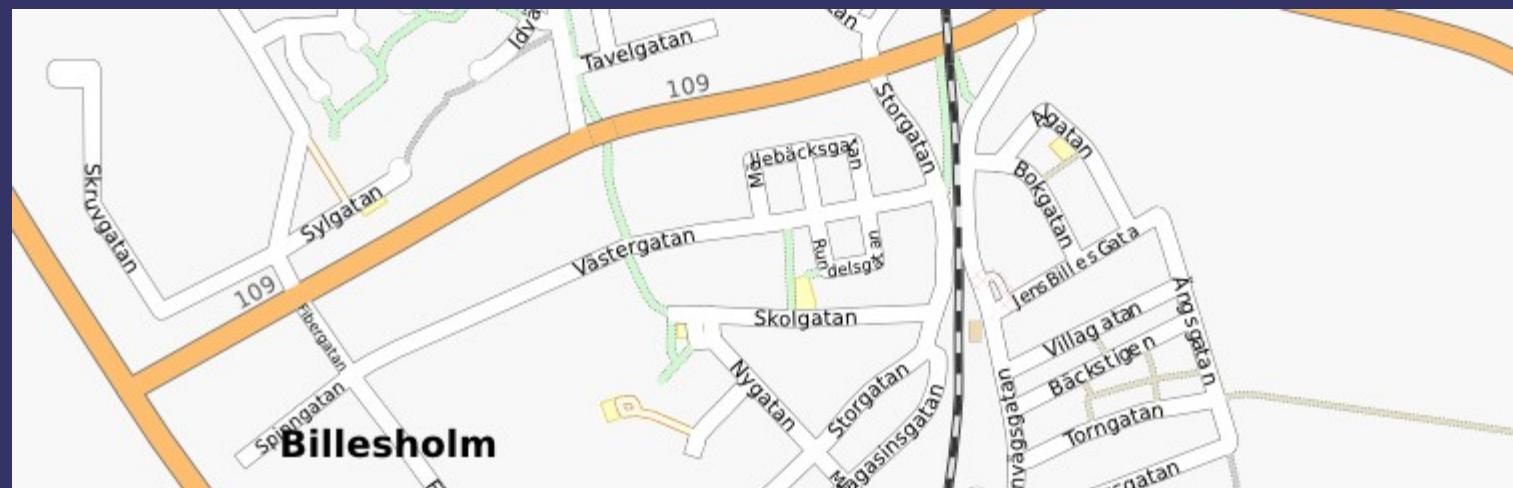


# Connecting and Splitting

- Routing

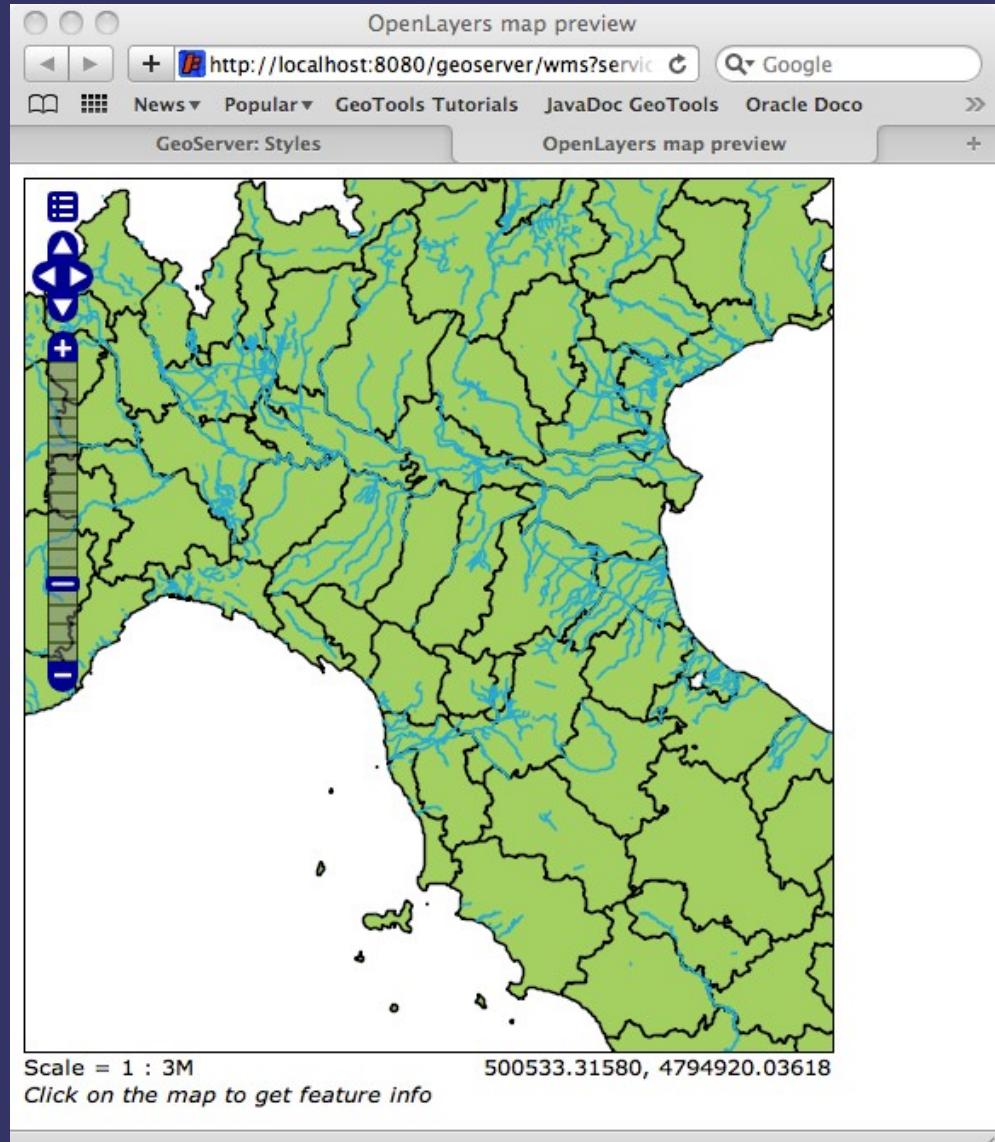


- OSM Dynamic Layers

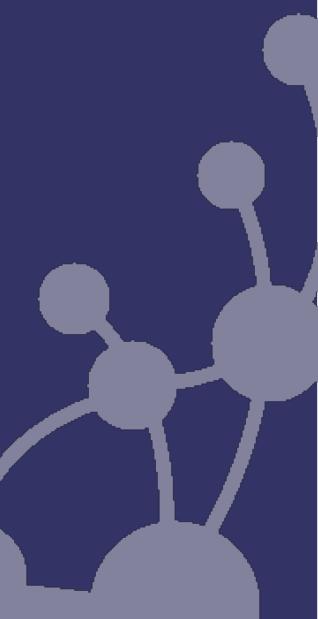
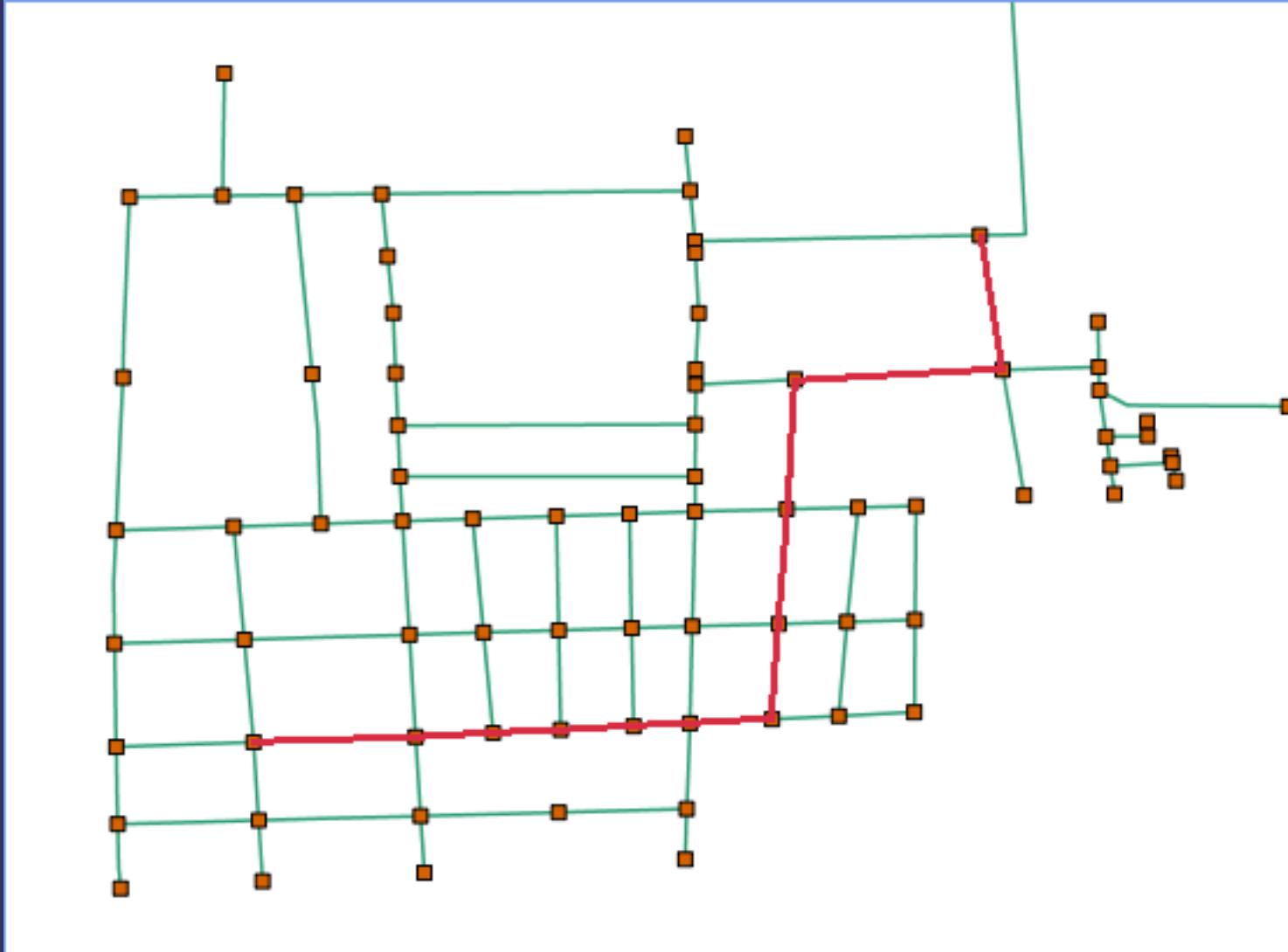


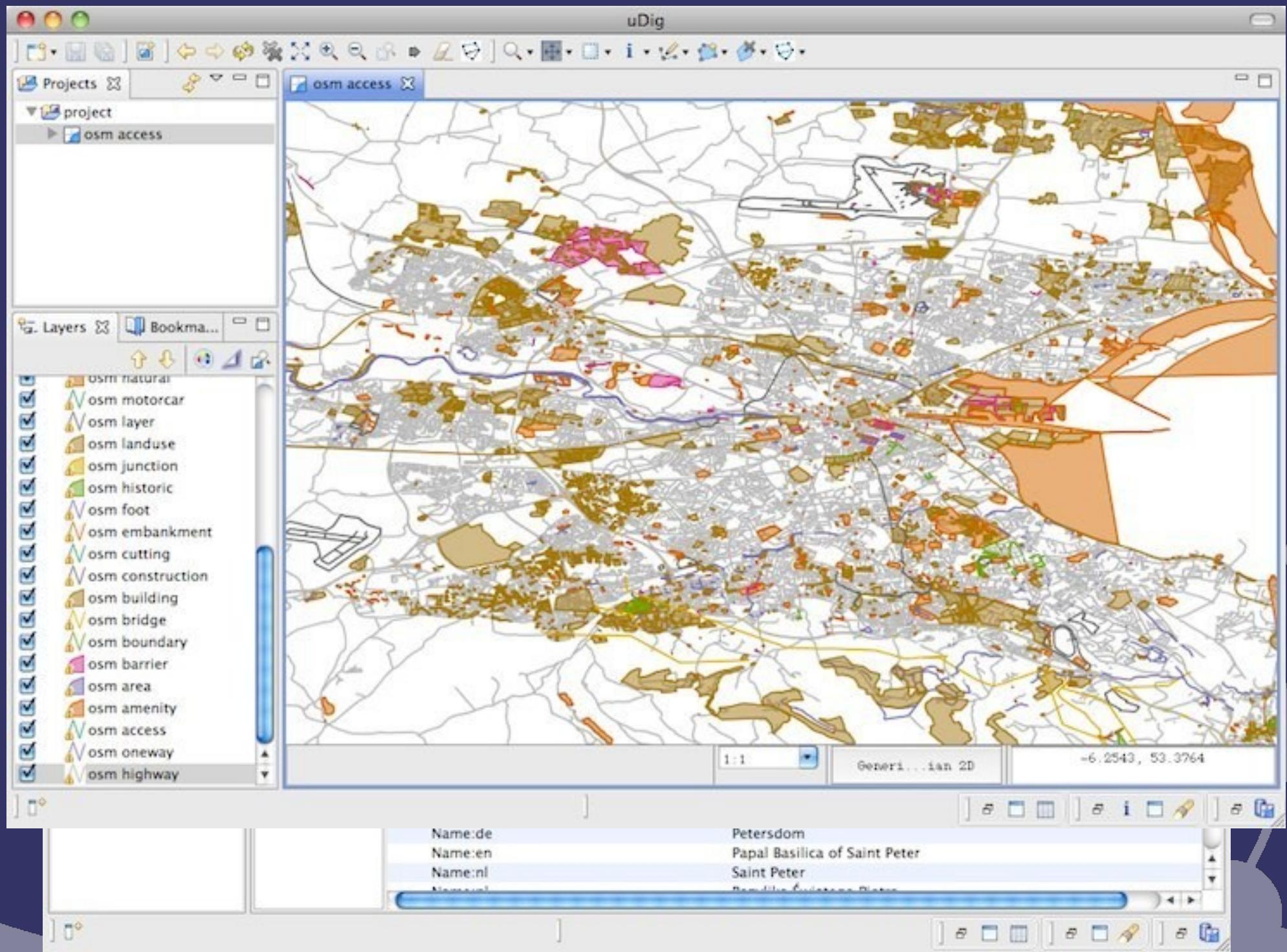
# GSOC 2010

- Davide Savazzi
- Geotools & GeoServer
- Routing
- uDig

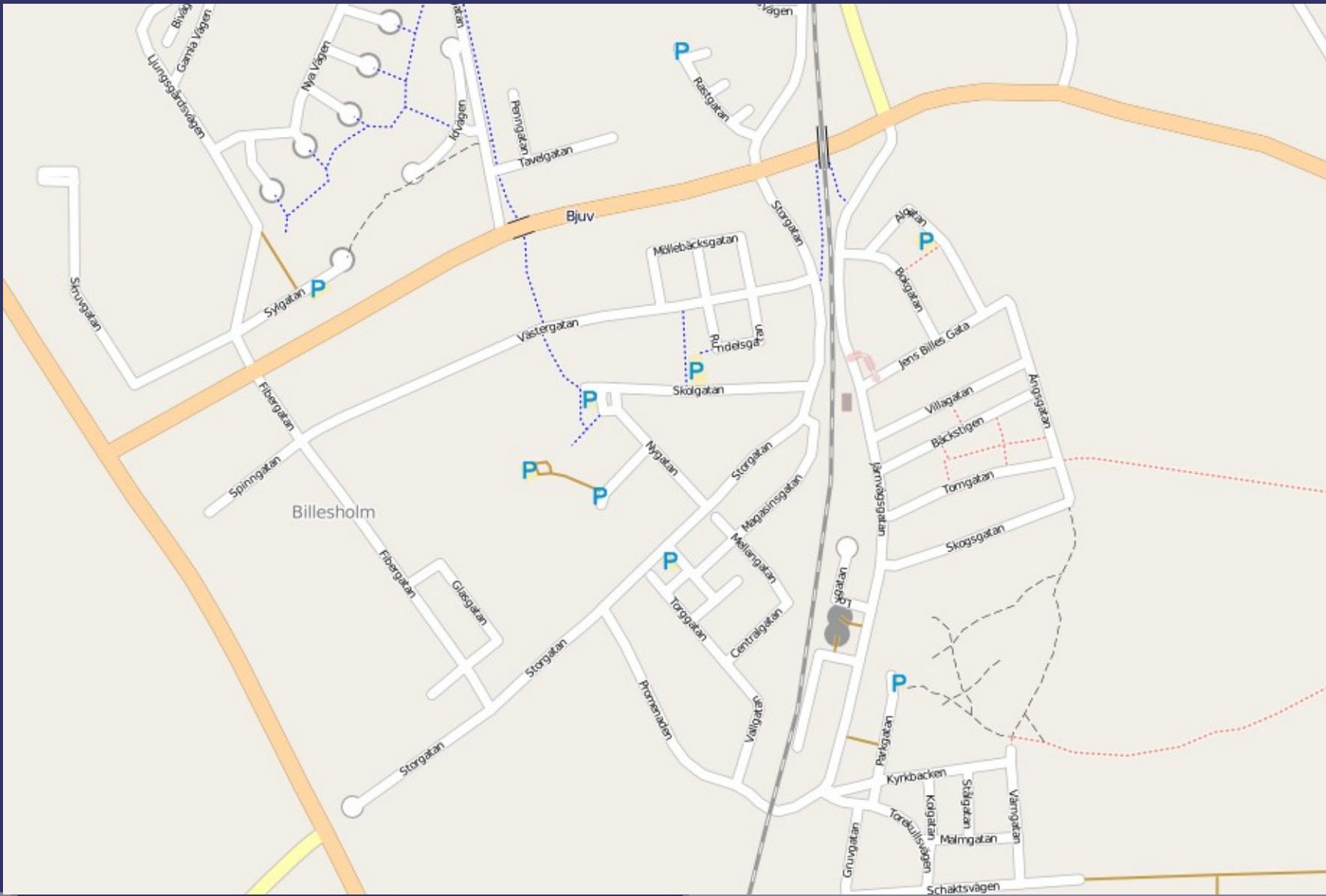


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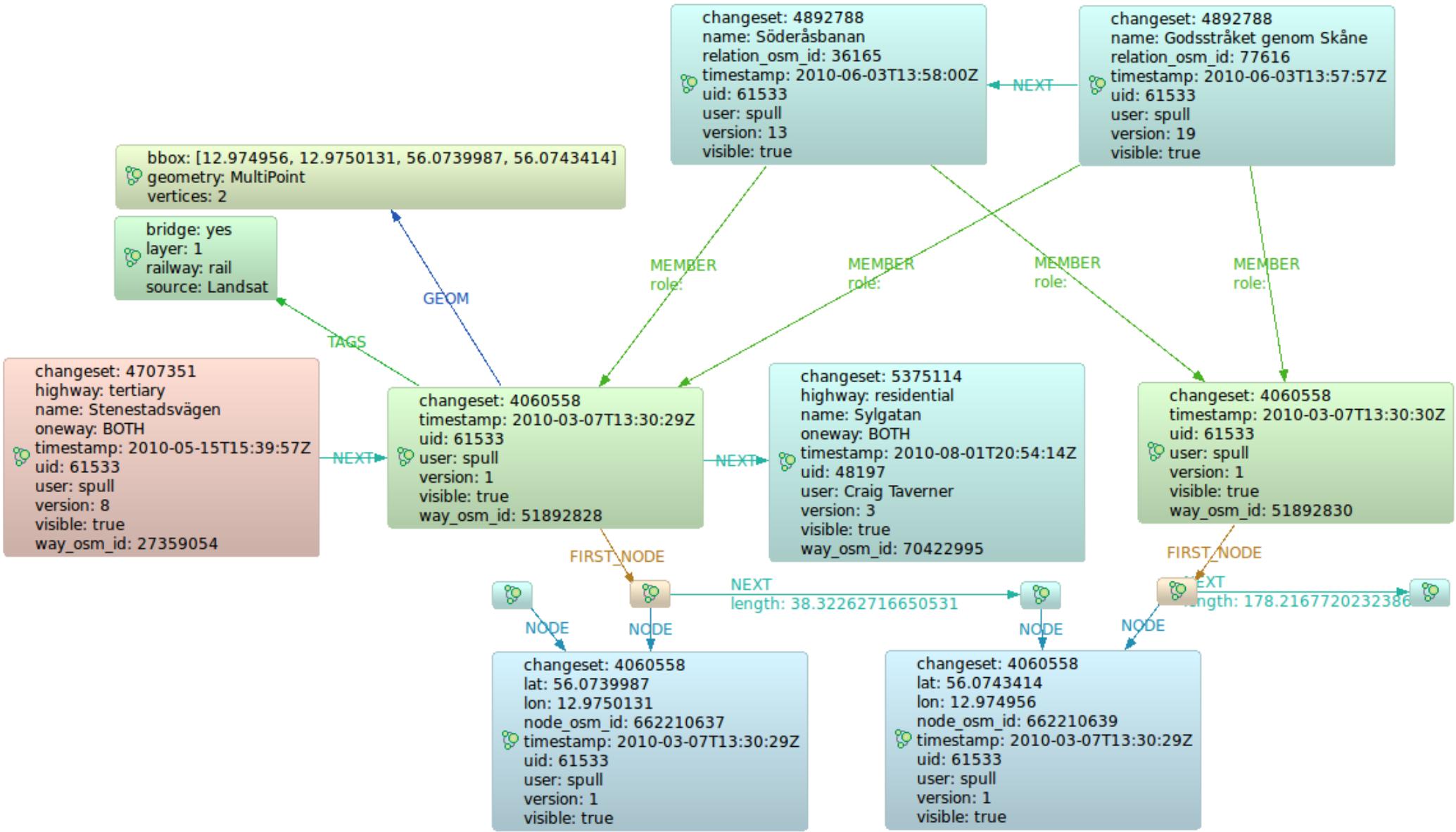




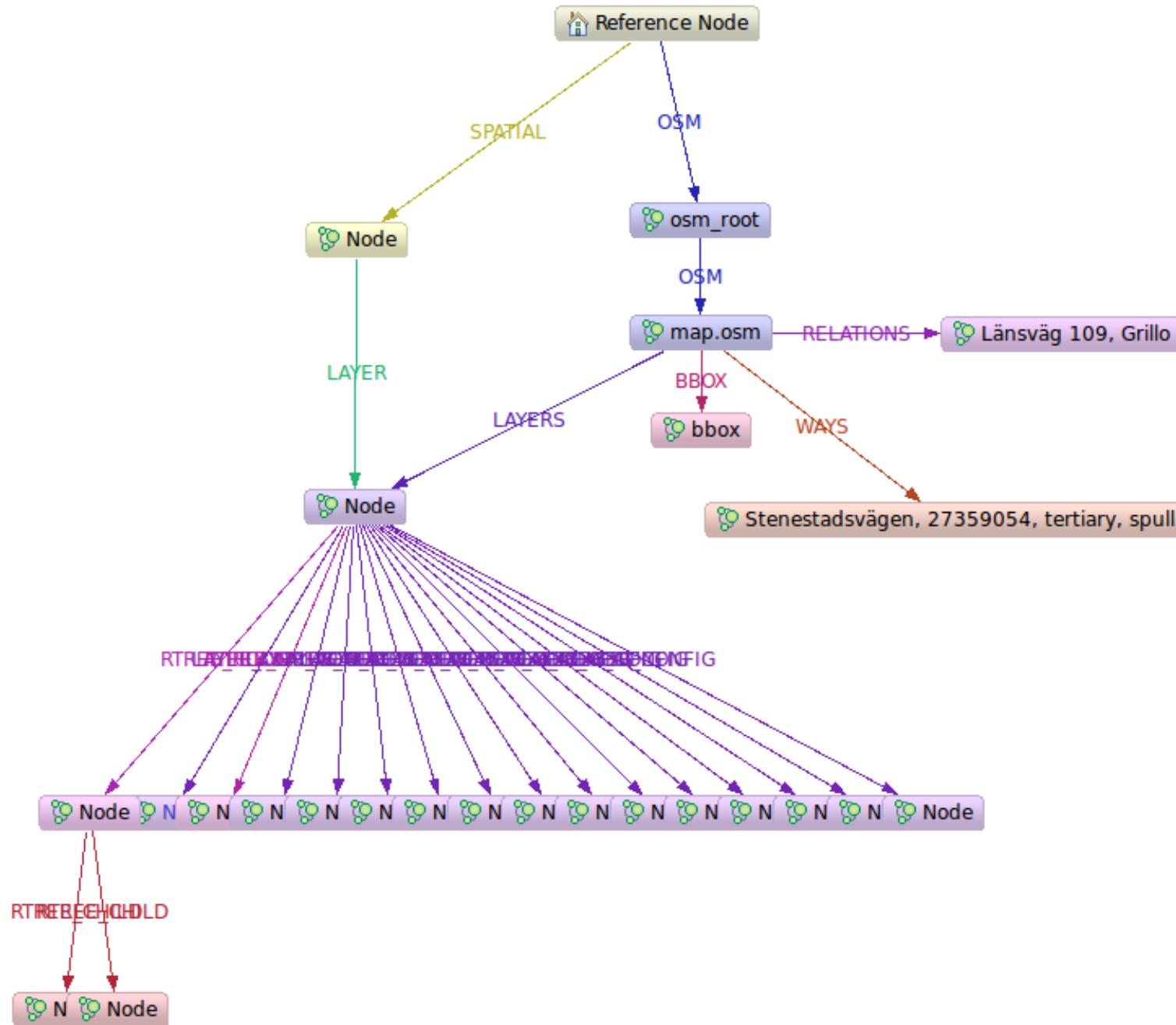
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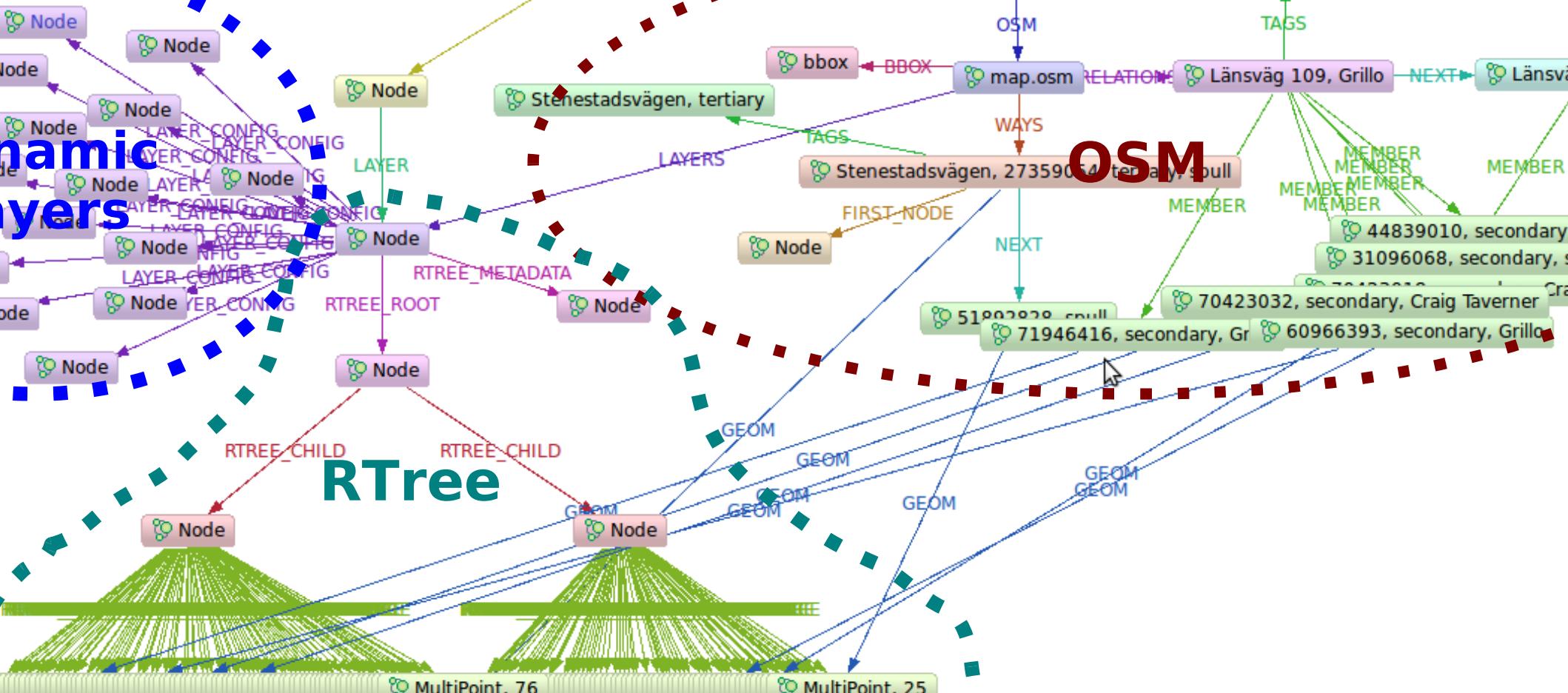


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## Dynamic Layers



# Dynamic Layers

Screenshot of QGIS showing dynamic layers for a street network.

The project name is "highway-footway".

The layers listed in the "Layers" panel are:

- highway-secondary (checked)
- highway-tertiary (checked)
- highway-residential (checked)
- highway-cycleway (checked)
- highway-footway (checked)
- highway-track (checked)
- highway-path (checked)
- highway-unclassified (checked)
- highway (unchecked)
- railway (checked)
- amenity-parking (checked)

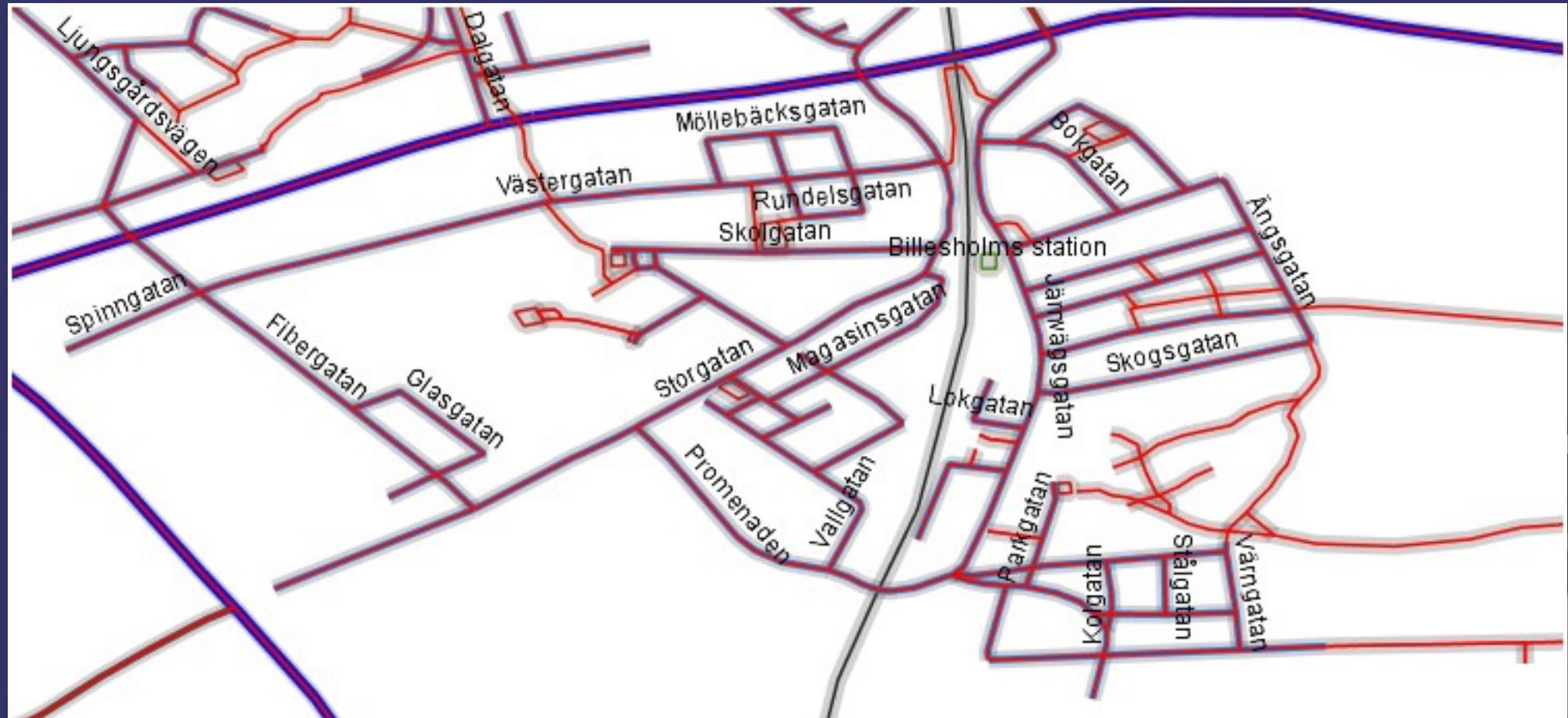
The map view shows a street network with labels for streets such as Tavelgatan, Sylgatan, Västergatan, Möllevångsgatan, Rundelsgatan, Nygatan, Fibergatan, Glasgatan, Promenaden, Villagatan, Parkgatan, Järnvägsgatan, Skogsgatan, Malmgatan, and Schaktvägen. A blue line highlights a specific residential highway segment.

The coordinate display shows 1:8,914 scale, WGS84(DD) projection, and 12.9708, 56.0497 coordinates.

The "Table" panel displays the following data:

FID	name	amenity	area	bicycle	highway	railway
highway-residential.40	Skolgatan				residential	
highway-residential.41	Nygatan				residential	
highway-residential.42	Järnvägsgatan				residential	
highway-residential.43	Järnvägsgatan				residential	
highway-residential.44	Magasinsgatan				residential	
highway-residential.45	Villagatan				residential	
highway-residential.46	Centralgatan				residential	

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# Future

- Editing

- Fine Grained Geotools Feature Editing
- OSM Editor

- OSM

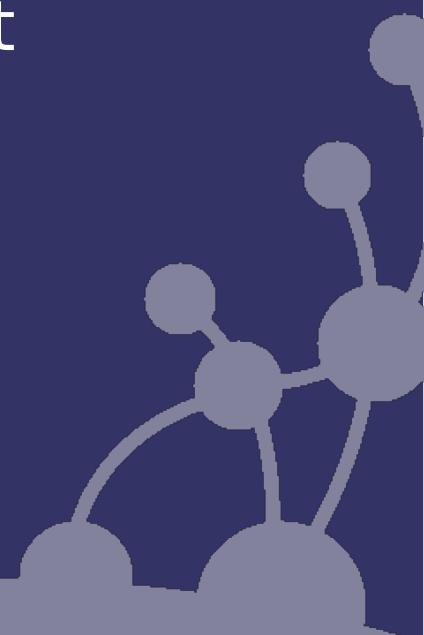
- Caching sub-graphs (desktop & mobile)
- More Dynamic Layers & Shapefile export

- Topology

- Persist all topological results in graph

- Benchmarking & Performance

- Improved indexing
- Composite index



# API References

## ● Wiki, Code, API references

- [http://wiki.neo4j.org/content/Neo4j\\_Spatial](http://wiki.neo4j.org/content/Neo4j_Spatial)
- <http://github.com/neo4j/neo4j-spatial>
- <http://components.neo4j.org/neo4j-spatial>
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