

# PostGIS 2.x

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# PostGIS spatial database

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Current version: 2.1.4

Coming 2.2

Management

Advanced spatial analysis

Topology

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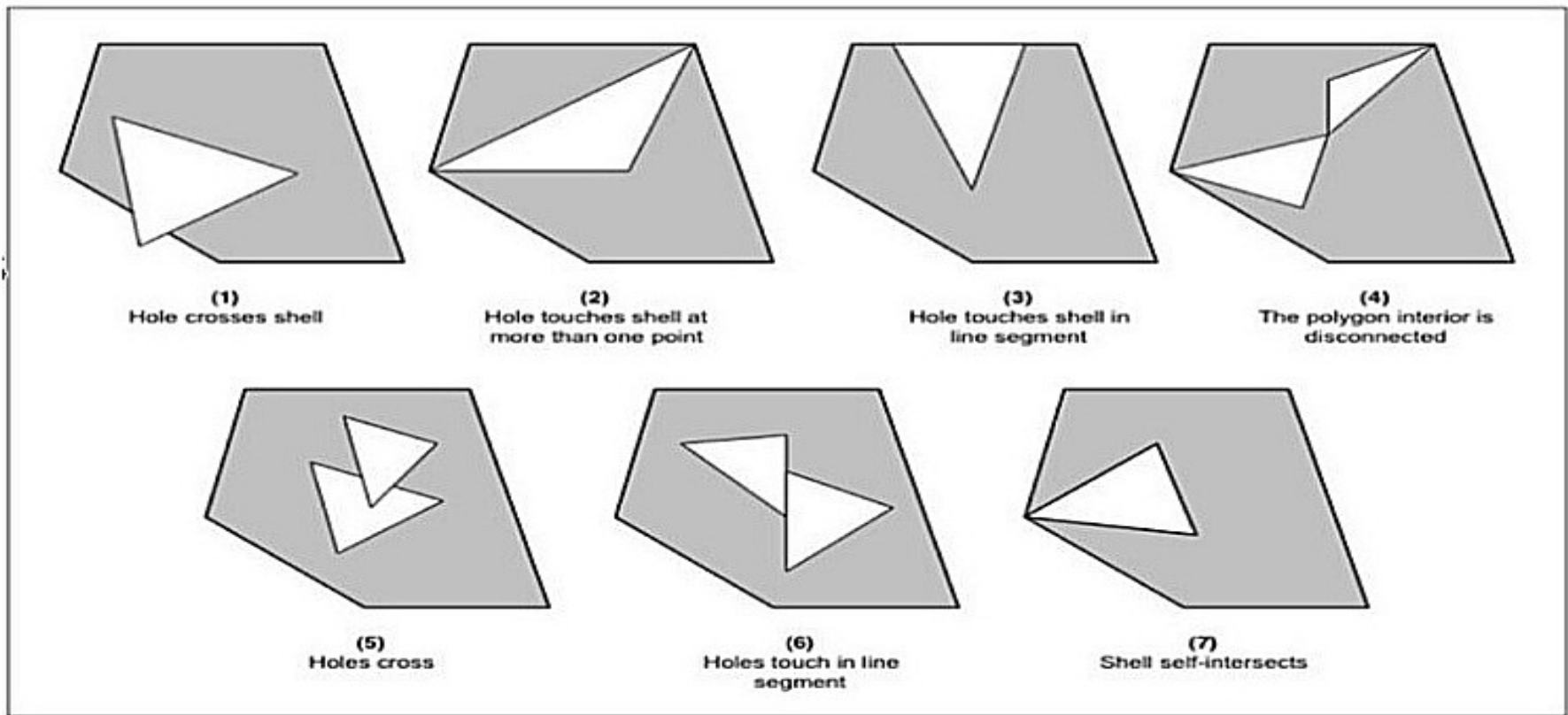
```
CREATE EXTENSION postgis ;
```

```
CREATE EXTENSION postgis_topology ;
```

geometry\_columns (and geography\_columns)  
are now views (rather than table)

```
CREATE TABLE buildings (  
    gid SERIAL PRIMARY KEY  
    , geom geometry(MultiPolygon, 26986)  
);
```

```
alter table buildings  
    alter column geom  
        type geometry(MultiPolygon, 2154)  
        using st_setsrid(geom, 2154);
```



*examples of invalid multipolygon*

```
UPDATE my_schema.my_table
SET geom =
ST_CollectionExtract(ST_MakeValid(geom), 3);
```



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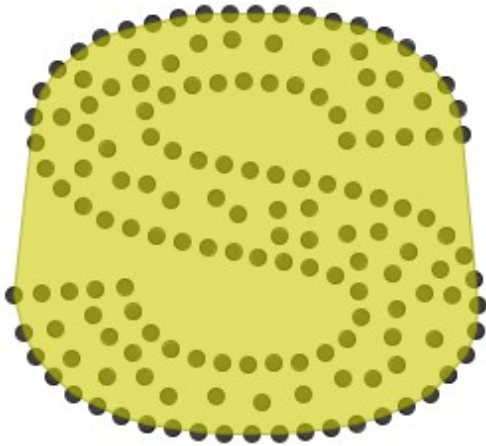
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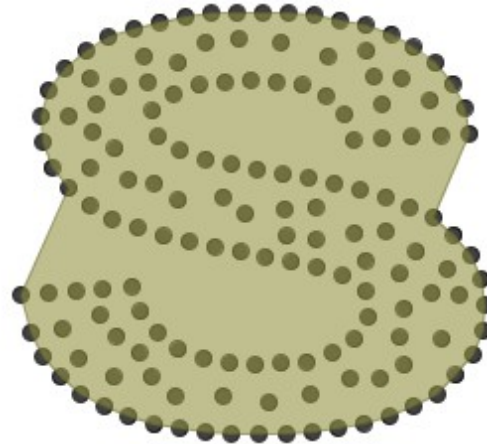
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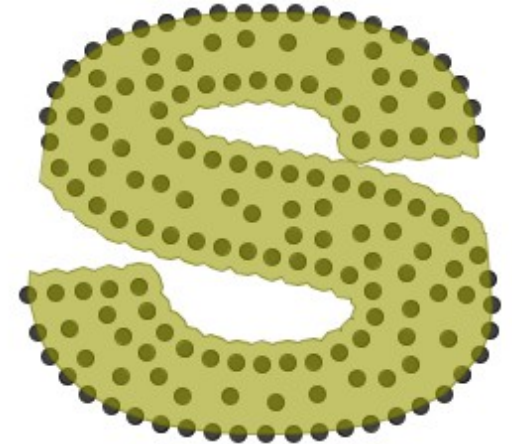
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ST\_ConvexHull

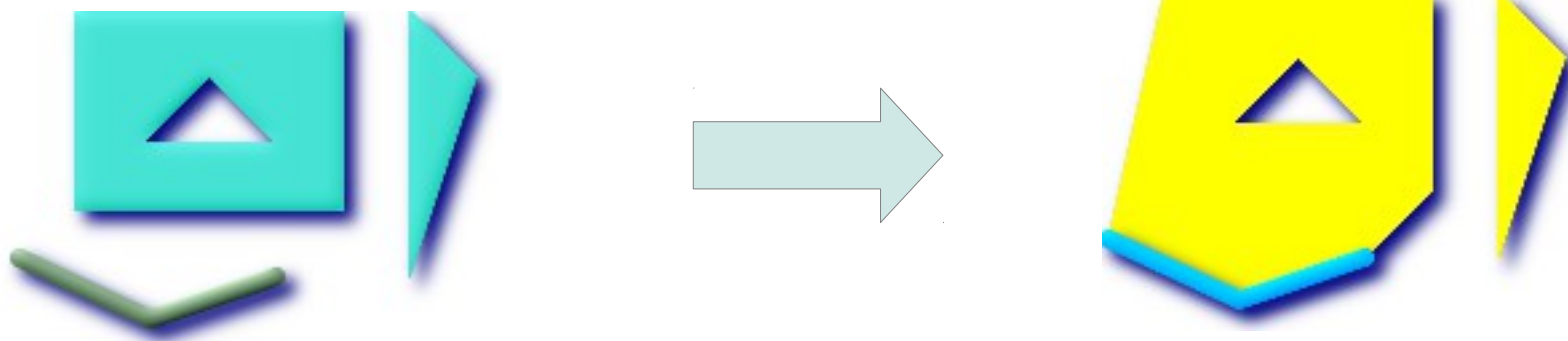


ST\_ConcaveHull

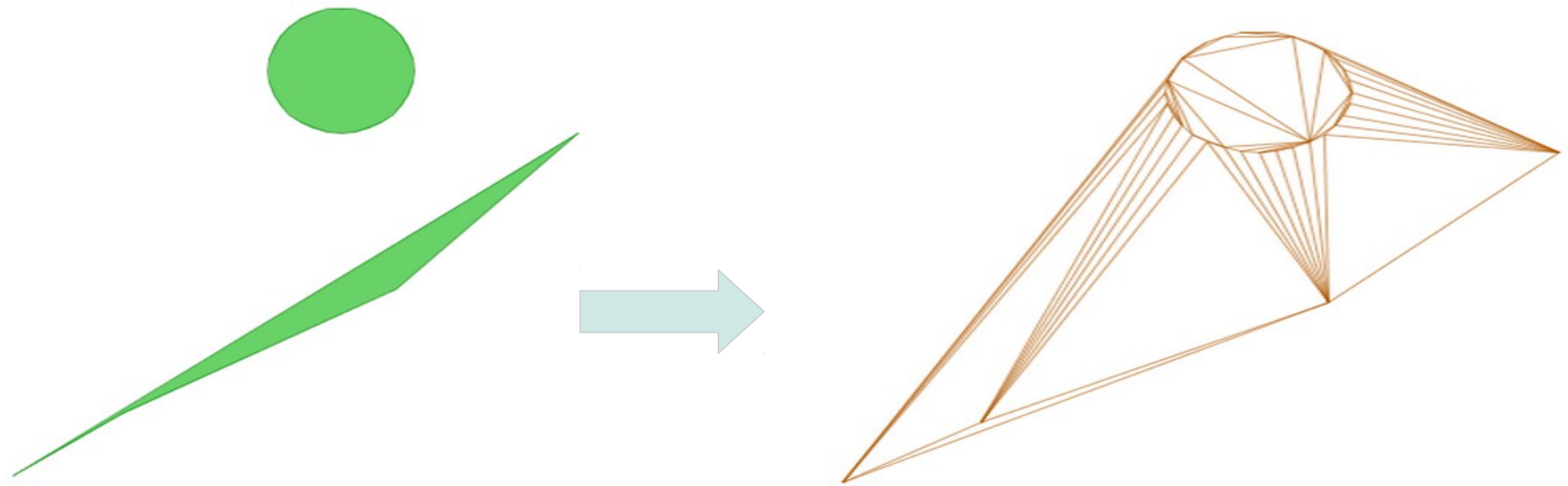




ST\_Split



ST\_Snap



```
SELECT
  ST_DelaunayTriangles(
    ST_Union(ST_GeomFromText('POLYGON((175 150, 20 40,
      50 60, 125 100, 175 150))'),
    ST_Buffer(ST_GeomFromText('POINT(110 170)'), 20)
  ),0.001,1)
  As dtriag;
```

## KNN-GIST: Spatial nearest neighbors

```
SELECT name, gid FROM geonames
ORDER BY geom <->
ST_SetSRID(ST_MakePoint(-90,40),4326)
LIMIT 10;
```

Distance operator: <-> or <#> (center or bbox)

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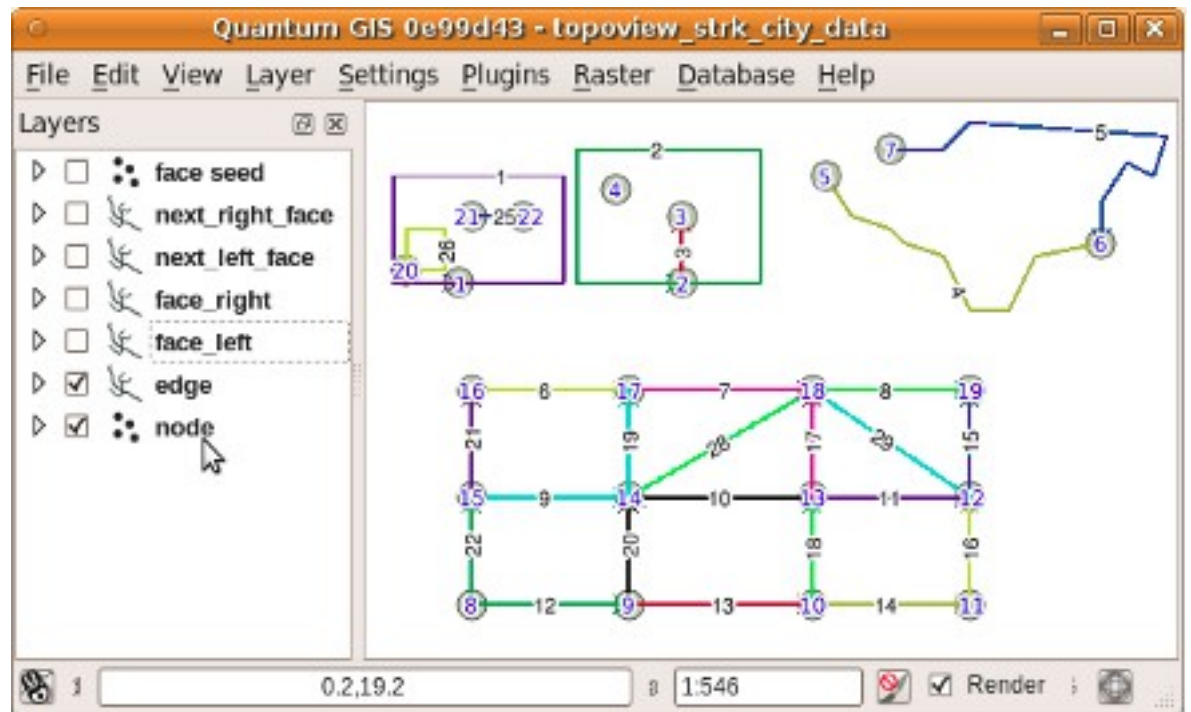
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# Topology

node / edge / face model

ISO SQL/MM functions





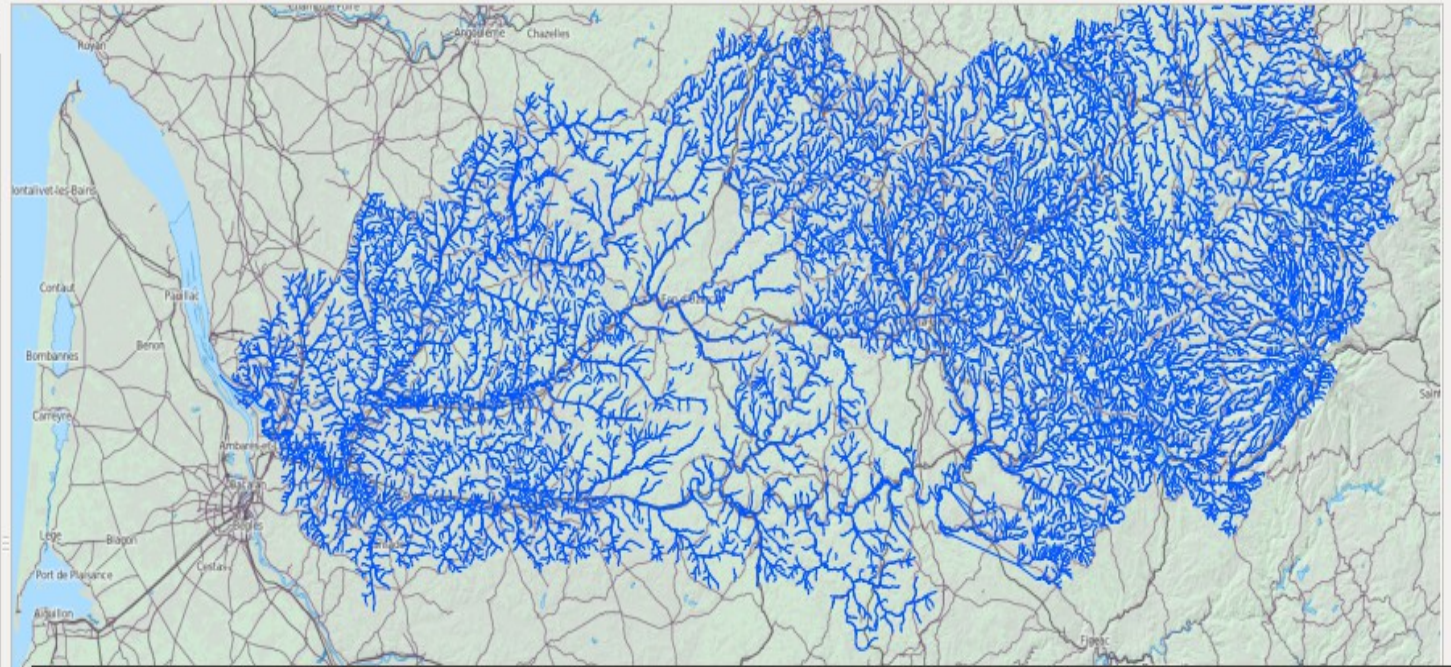


Using ST\_Simplify **without** topology



Couches

- recursive\_upstream\_topo
- recursive\_upstream
- shortest\_path\_topology
- shortest\_path\_pgrouting
- hydro network
- background



Attribute table - hydro network :: 0 / 18936 feature(s) selected

|   | gid    | source | target | hname            | cost          |
|---|--------|--------|--------|------------------|---------------|
| 0 | 17681  | 3042   | 3041   | ruisseau de...   | 13.1468627... |
| 1 | 50006  | 4363   | 4376   | ruisseau de...   | 154.831357... |
| 2 | 107308 | 4427   | 4443   | ruisseau la ...  | 70.4784694... |
| 3 | 110767 | 4810   | 4816   | ruisseau le ...  | 426.452159... |
| 4 | 8923   | 4892   | 4827   | ruisseau de...   | 1648.21133... |
| 5 | 109594 | 5158   | 5264   | rivière la di... | 946.014083... |
| 6 | 45039  | 5407   | 5429   | NULL             | 114.028638... |
| 7 | 105937 | 5480   | 5594   | ruisseau le ...  | 824.626701... |
| 8 | 104620 | 5481   | 5518   | ruisseau la ...  | 243.004034... |

Contrôle de l'ordre de rendu des couches

```
-- Create a topology
SELECT topology.CreateTopology('hydro', 2154);
-- 1

-- we put the postgis topology features for hydro network in another table
CREATE TABLE tr_topo (gid integer);

-- Add a layer
SELECT topology.AddTopoGeometryColumn('hydro', 'public',
    'tr_topo', 'topogeom', 'MULTILINESTRING');
-- 1

-- Populate the layer and the topology from tr |geometry features
INSERT into tr_topo (gid, topogeom)
    SELECT gid, topology.toTopoGeom(geom, 'hydro', 1) FROM tr;
```

```
select * from hydro.edge limit 10;
```

neau sortie

rtie de données

Expliquer (Explain)

Messages

Historique

|   | edge_id<br>integer | start_node<br>integer | end_node<br>integer | next_left_edge<br>integer | next_right_edge<br>integer | left_face<br>integer | right_face<br>integer | geom<br>geometry(LineString,2154) |
|---|--------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 | 175256             | 190369                | 190361              | 175230                    | -175243                    | 0                    | 0                     | 01020000206A08000000              |
| 2 | 167356             | 183762                | 181917              | 166725                    | 167356                     | 0                    | 0                     | 01020000206A08000001              |

```
select * from tr_topo limit 10;
```

eau sortie

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| gid<br>integer | topogeom<br>topology.topogeometry |
|----------------|-----------------------------------|
| 116768         | (1,1,163704,2)                    |
| 116767         | (1,1,163705,2)                    |
| 116765         | (1,1,163706,2)                    |

# Recursive CTE

```
create table
  rec_res2 as
with recursive
  search_graph(edge_id, start_node, depth, path, length, cycle) as (
```

```
  select
    g.edge_id, g.start_node, 1 as depth, ARRAY[g.edge_id] as path
    , st_length(geom) as length, false as cycle
  from
    hydro.edge as g
  where
    edge_id = 173832
```

1

```
  union all
  select
    g.edge_id
    , g.start_node
    , sg.depth + 1 as depth
    , path || g.edge_id as path
    , sg.length + st_length(g.geom) as length
    , g.edge_id = ANY(path) as cycle
  from
    hydro.edge as g
  join
    search_graph as sg
  on
    sg.start_node = g.end_node
  where
    not cycle
)
```

2

```
  select
    sg.*
    , edge.geom as geom
  from
    search_graph as sg
  join
    hydro.edge as edge
  on
    sg.edge_id = edge.edge_id
  limit 1000;
```

3

```
-- select --
      g.edge_id, g.start_node, 1 as depth, ARRAY[g.edge_id] as path
      , st_length(geom) as length, false as cycle
from
      hydro.edge as g
where
      edge_id = 173832
union all
```

```
select
  g.edge_id
  , g.start_node
  , sg.depth + 1 as depth
  , path || g.edge_id as path
  , sg.length + st_length(g.geom) as length
  , g.edge_id = ANY(path) as cycle
from
  hydro.edge as g
join
  search_graph as sg
on
  sg.start_node = g.end_node
where
  not cycle
)
```

**Stack the gid to the path for this record**

**Sum up the cost (it's the length here)**

**If the record gid is already in the path, we have a cycle**

**Join result set from previous iteration to connected upstream edges**

**Do not take elements which make a cycle**

```

select
    sg.*
    , edge.geom as geom
from
    search_graph as sg
join
    hydro.edge as edge
on
    sg.edge_id = edge.edge_id
limit 1000;

```

Join CTE results to original table to get geometries



Better limit recursive queries to avoid unfinite loops

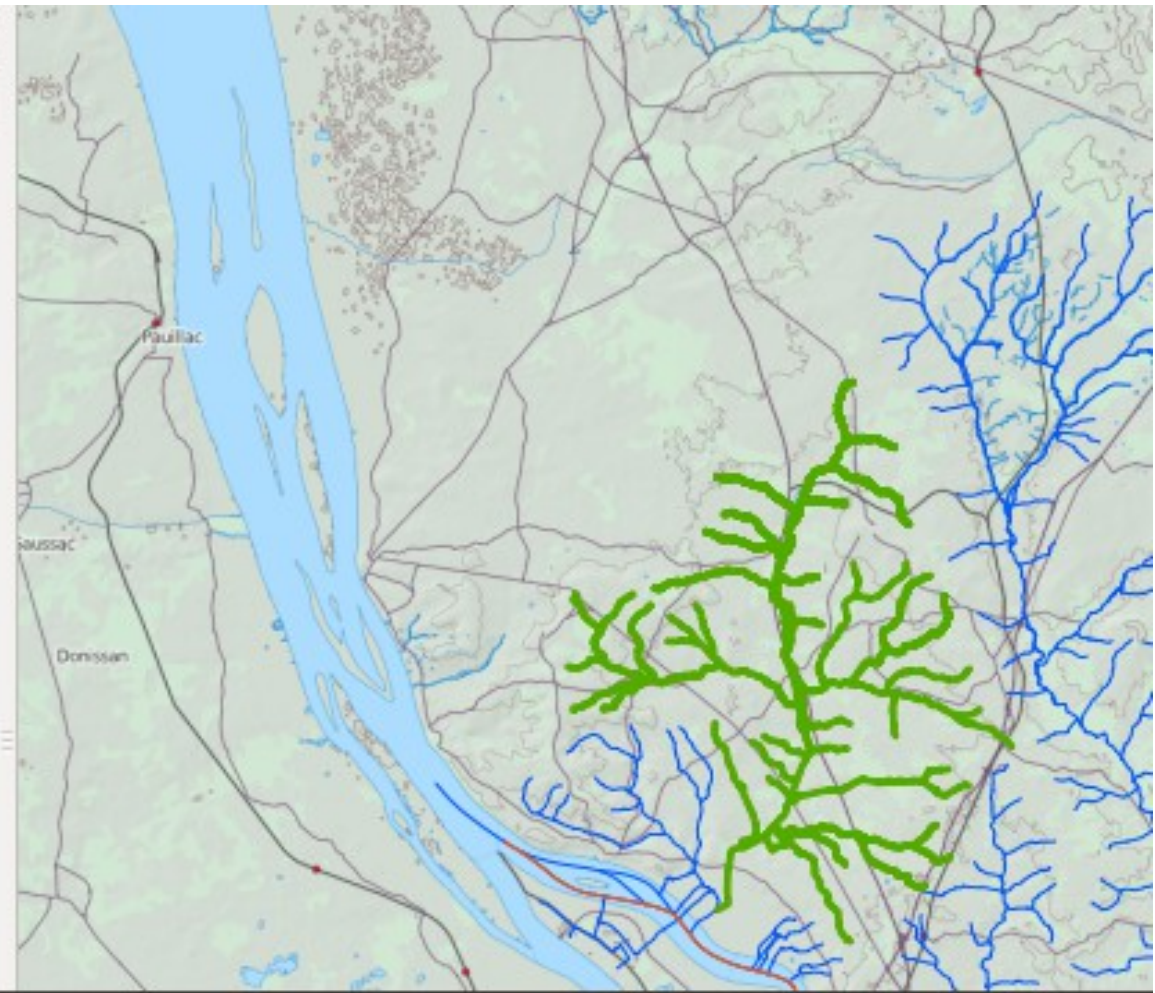


| gid     | source  | depth   | path      | length           | cycle   | geom                           |
|---------|---------|---------|-----------|------------------|---------|--------------------------------|
| integer | integer | integer | integer[] | double precision | boolean | geometry(MultiLineString,2154) |
| 31913   | 20850   | 1       | {31913}   | 2666.0523017     | f       | 01050000206A08000001000        |
| 33855   | 20735   | 2       | {31913,   | 3473.3086319     | f       | 01050000206A08000001000        |
| 32477   | 20845   | 2       | {31913,   | 2725.7640259     | f       | 01050000206A08000001000        |
| 33854   | 19909   | 3       | {31913,   | 7183.7295195     | f       | 01050000206A08000001000        |



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Attribute table - recursive\_upstream\_topo :: 0 / 478 feature(s) selected

|   | edge_id ▲ | start_node | depth | path          | length        | cycle |
|---|-----------|------------|-------|---------------|---------------|-------|
| 0 | 173832    | 189333     | 1     | {173832}      | 2666.05230... | f     |
| 1 | 173452    | 189332     | 2     | {173832,17... | 3473.30863... | f     |

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Advanced spatial analysis

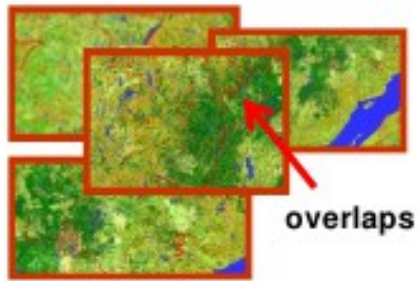
Topology

**Raster**

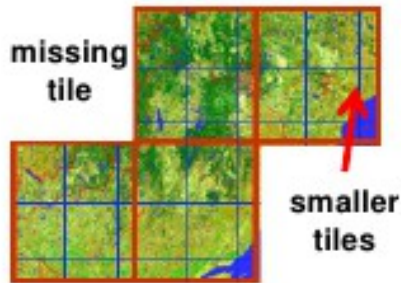
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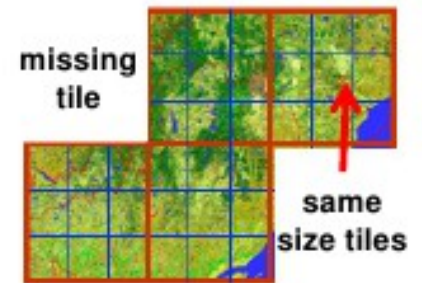
- Raster / vector analysis
- New raster datatype (using tiles)
- Multiresolution, multiband, tile coverage
- Import/export (GDAL)
- Raster functions



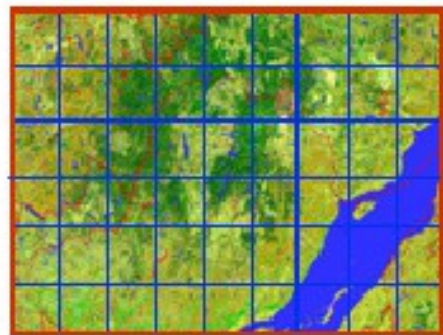
a) warehouse of untiled and unrelated images (4 images)



b) irregularly tiled raster coverage (36 tiles)



c) regularly tiled raster coverage (36 tiles)



d) rectangular regularly tiled raster coverage (54 tiles)

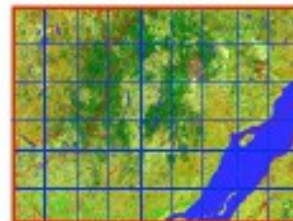


Table 1

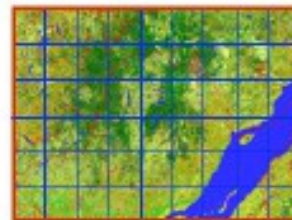
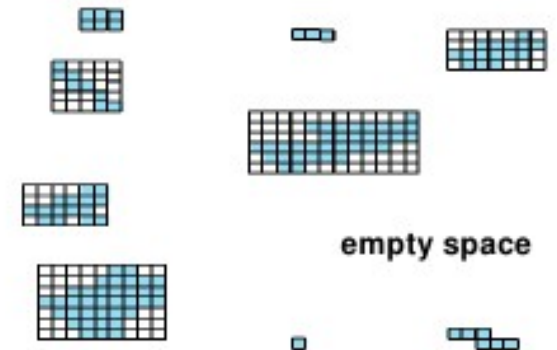


Table 2

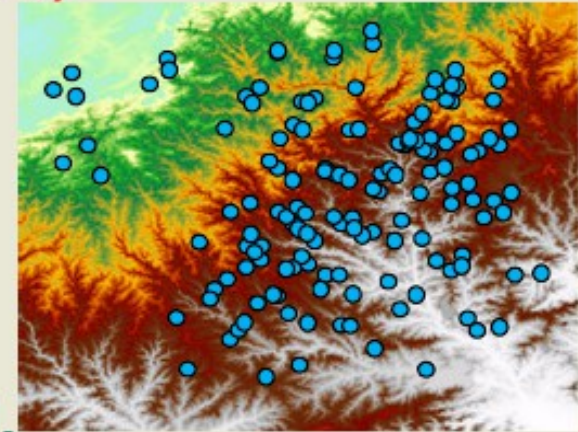
e) tiled images (2 tables of 54 tiles)



f) rasterized geometries coverage (9 lines in the table)

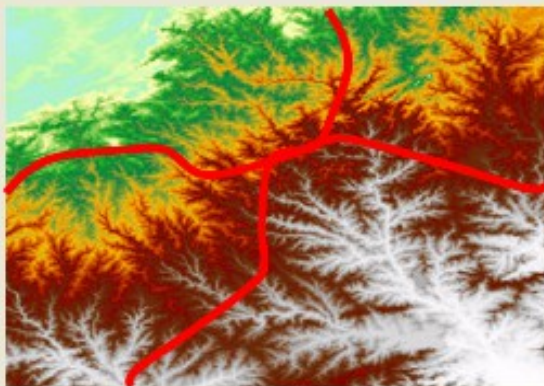
## Extract ground elevation values for lidar points...

- `SELECT pointID, ST_Value(rast, geom) elevation`  
`FROM lidar, srtm WHERE ST_Intersects(geom, rast)`



## Intersect a road network to extract elevation values for each road segment

- `SELECT roadID,`  
`(ST_Intersection(geom, rast)).geom road,`  
`(ST_Intersection(geom, rast)).val elevation`  
`FROM roadNetwork, srtm WHERE ST_Intersects(geom, rast)`



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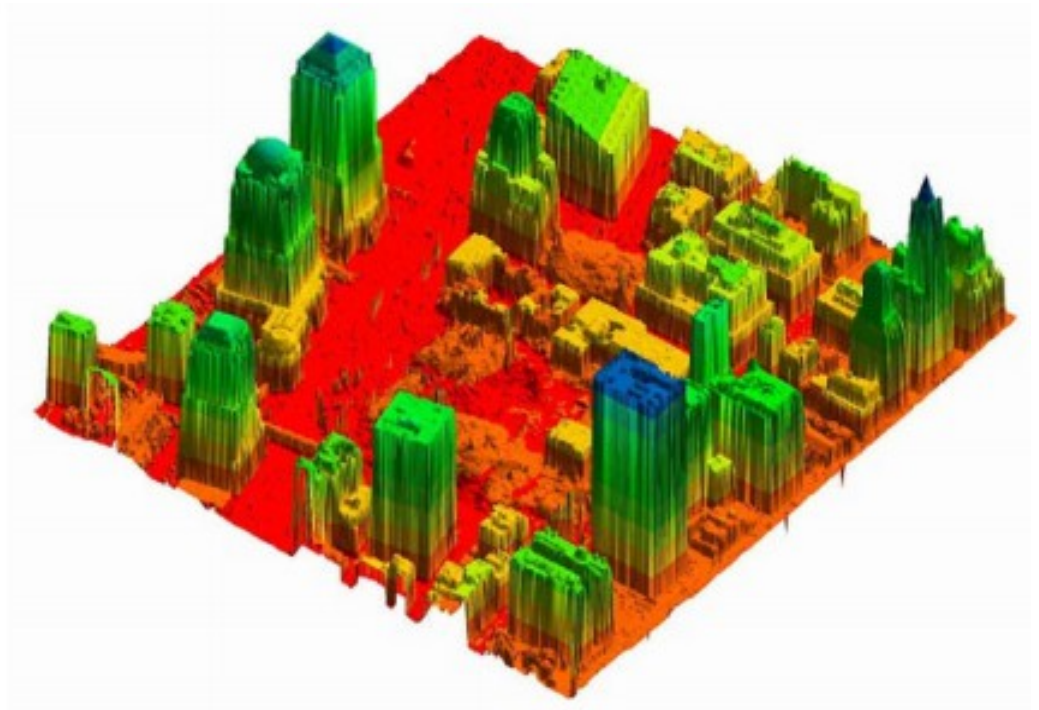
As PostgreSQL and PostGIS extension

Handle Patches

Arbitrary dimension handling

Data compression

PDAL (as a loader)



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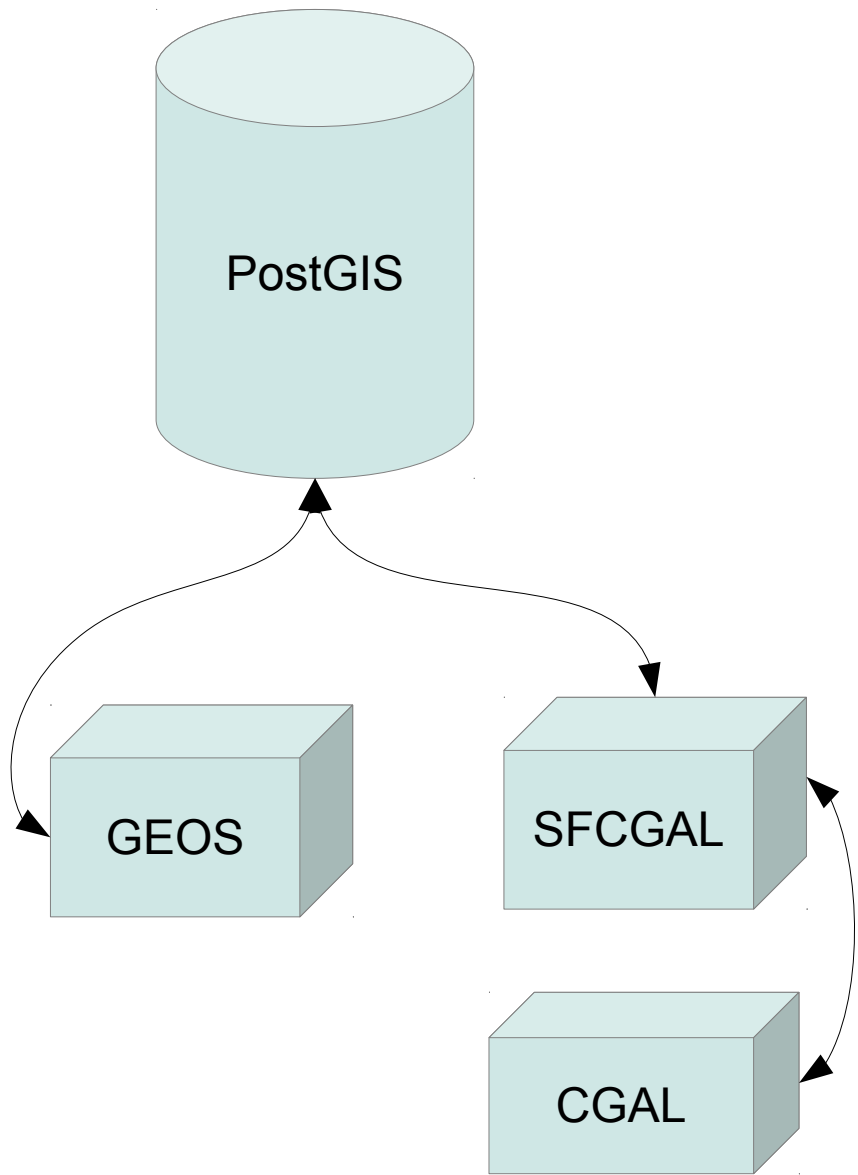
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CGAL

**ST\_3DIntersection**

**ST\_Tessellate**

ST\_3DArea

**ST\_Extrude**

ST\_ForceLHR

ST\_Orientation

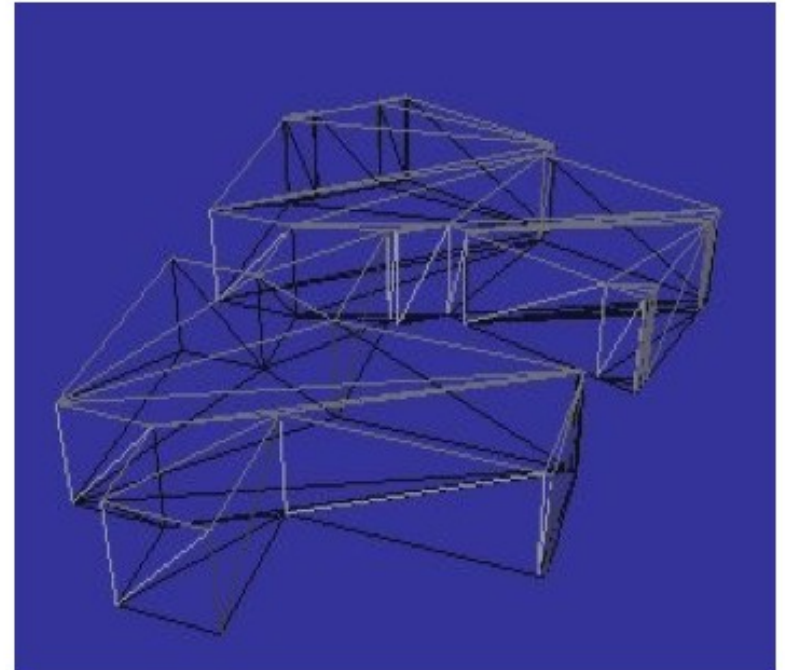
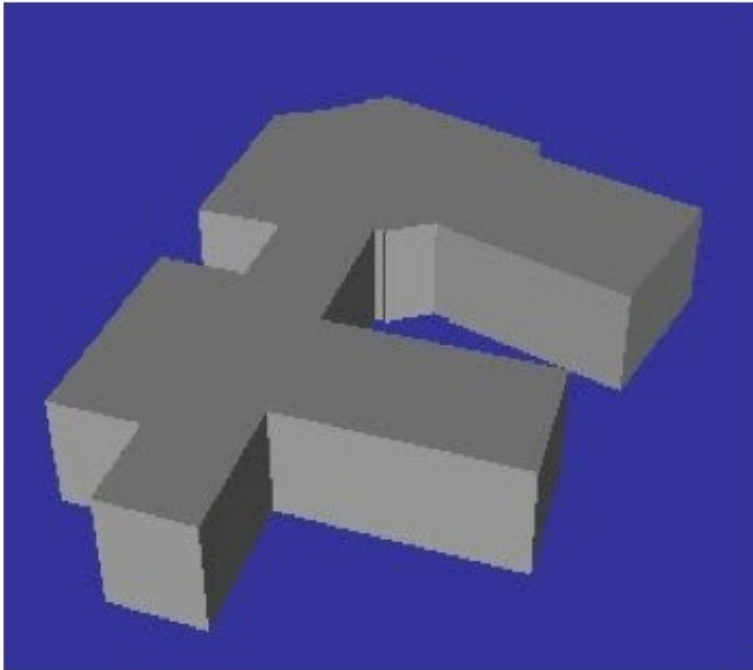
ST\_MinkowskiSum

**ST\_StraightSkeleton**

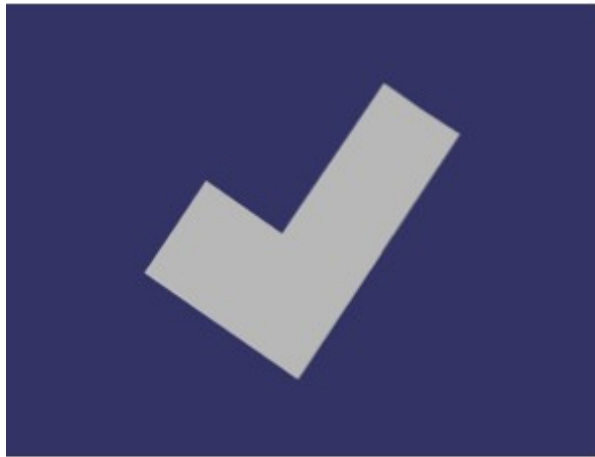


**SFCGAL functions**

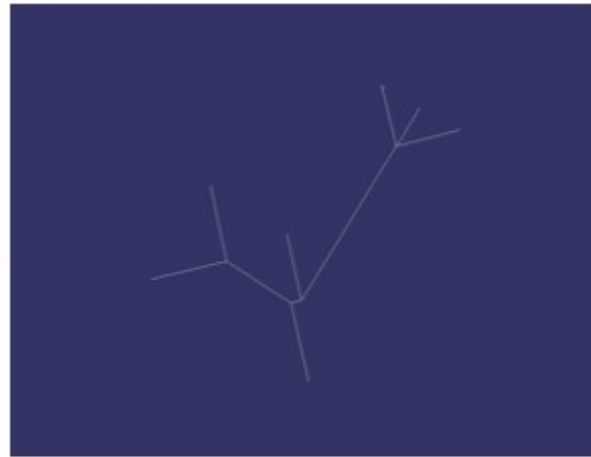
# ST\_Tessellate



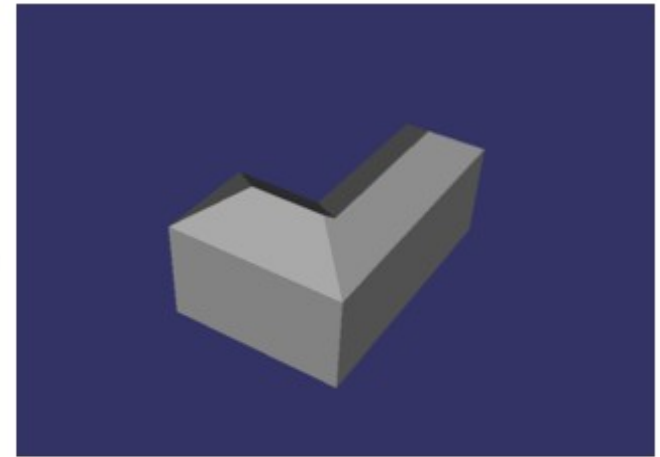
# ST\_StraightSkeleton



2D Building  
Footprint



Straight Skeleton



Extrusion  
& roof computation

ST\_Intersects

ST\_3DIntersects

ST\_Intersection

ST\_Area

ST\_Distance

ST\_3DDistance



Both GEOS & SFCGAL

```
SET postgis.backend = 'geos' ;
```

```
SET postgis.backend = 'sfcgal' ;
```

SFCGAL performances similar to GEOS ones for 2D  
(but with SFCGAL we gain arbitrary precision)

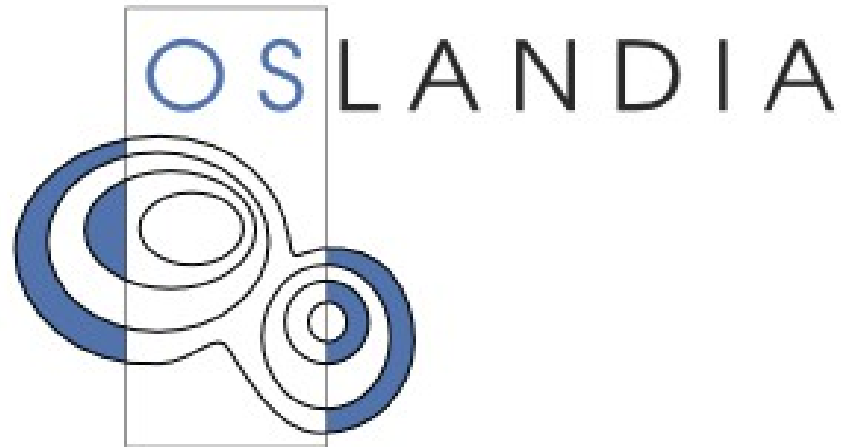


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(but with SFCGAL we gain arbitrary precision)

**But some 3D computation could take time.**

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