

Toward Egyptian Spatial Data infrastructure using open –Source Software

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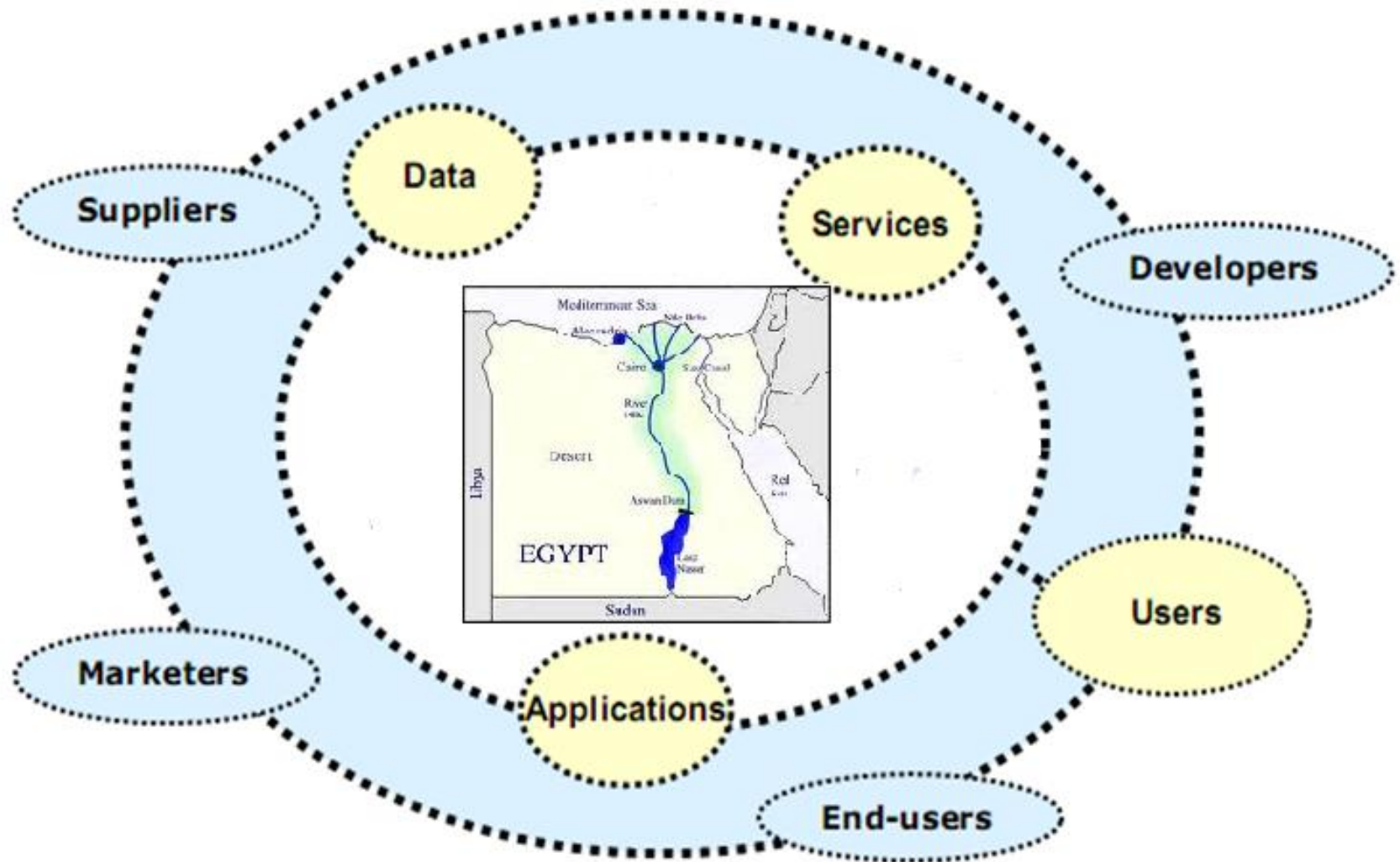


What is SDI

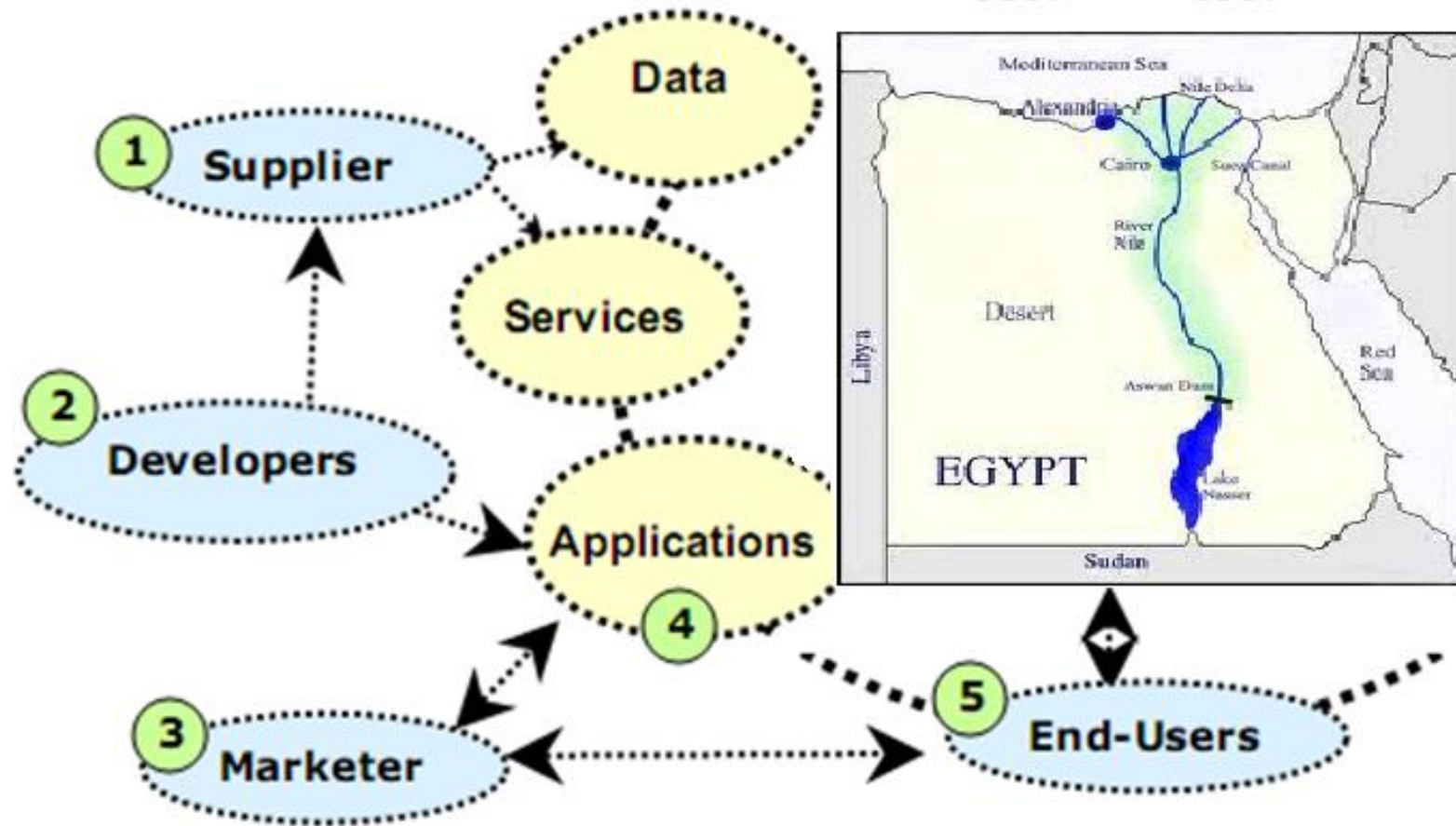
- A **spatial data infrastructure (SDI)** is a framework of spatial data, metadata, users and tools that are interactively connected in order to use spatial data in an efficient and flexible way.

Another definition is *the technology, policies, standards, human resources, and related activities necessary to acquire, process, distribute, use, maintain, and preserve spatial data.*

SDI Conceptual Architecture



Relationship between categories of users



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Vision of the SDI

- To enable access to the authoritative and comprehensive sources of geospatial information to support decision-making.

Reducing monitoring costs

Ability to access by everyone and everywhere over the internet,

Reducing time and minimizing effort to reach data,

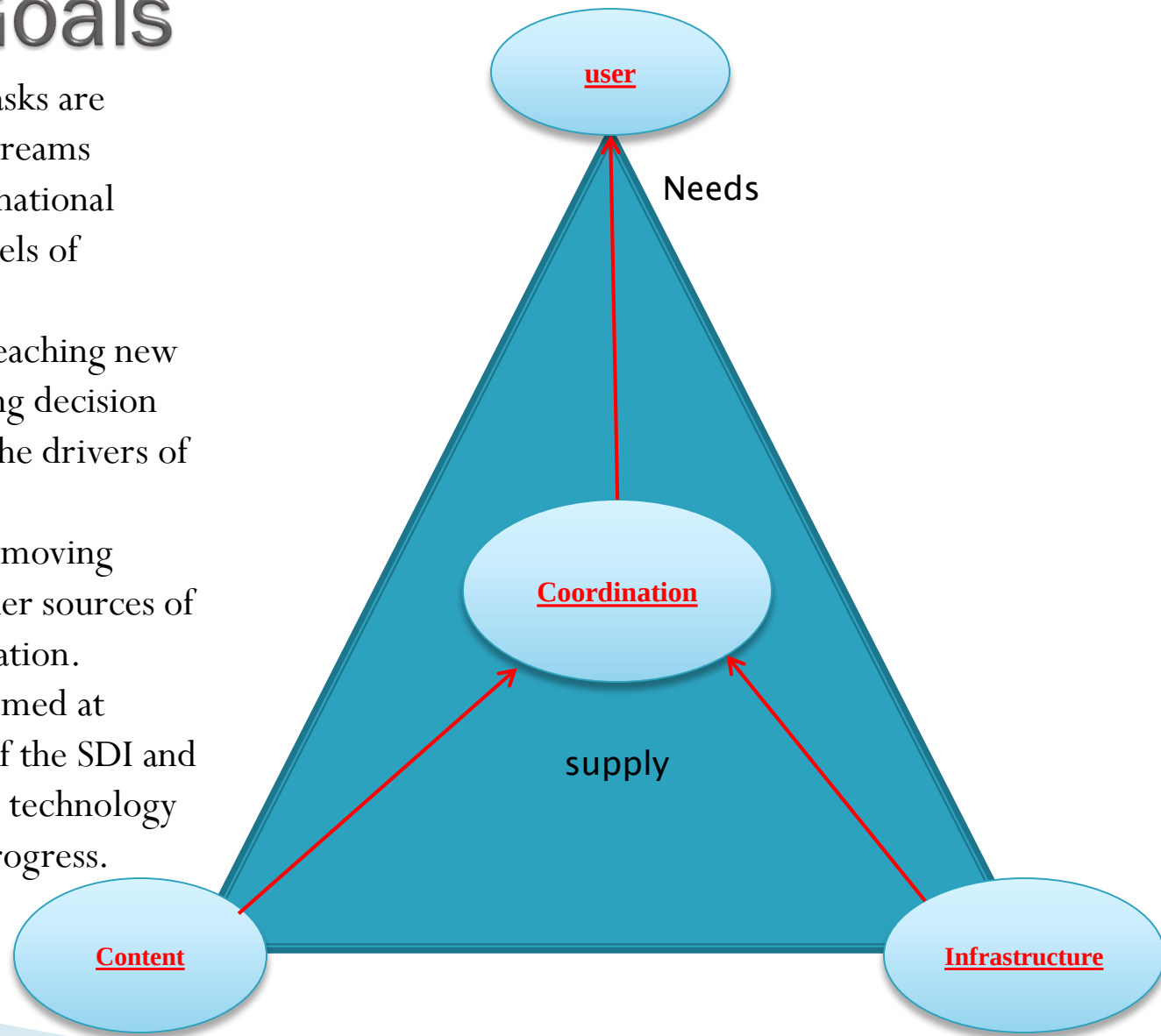
High speed, security and high rate of error handling with new internet technologies,

Centralized database that provides a single source of common information providing standardization, and faster retrieval and selective modification of information

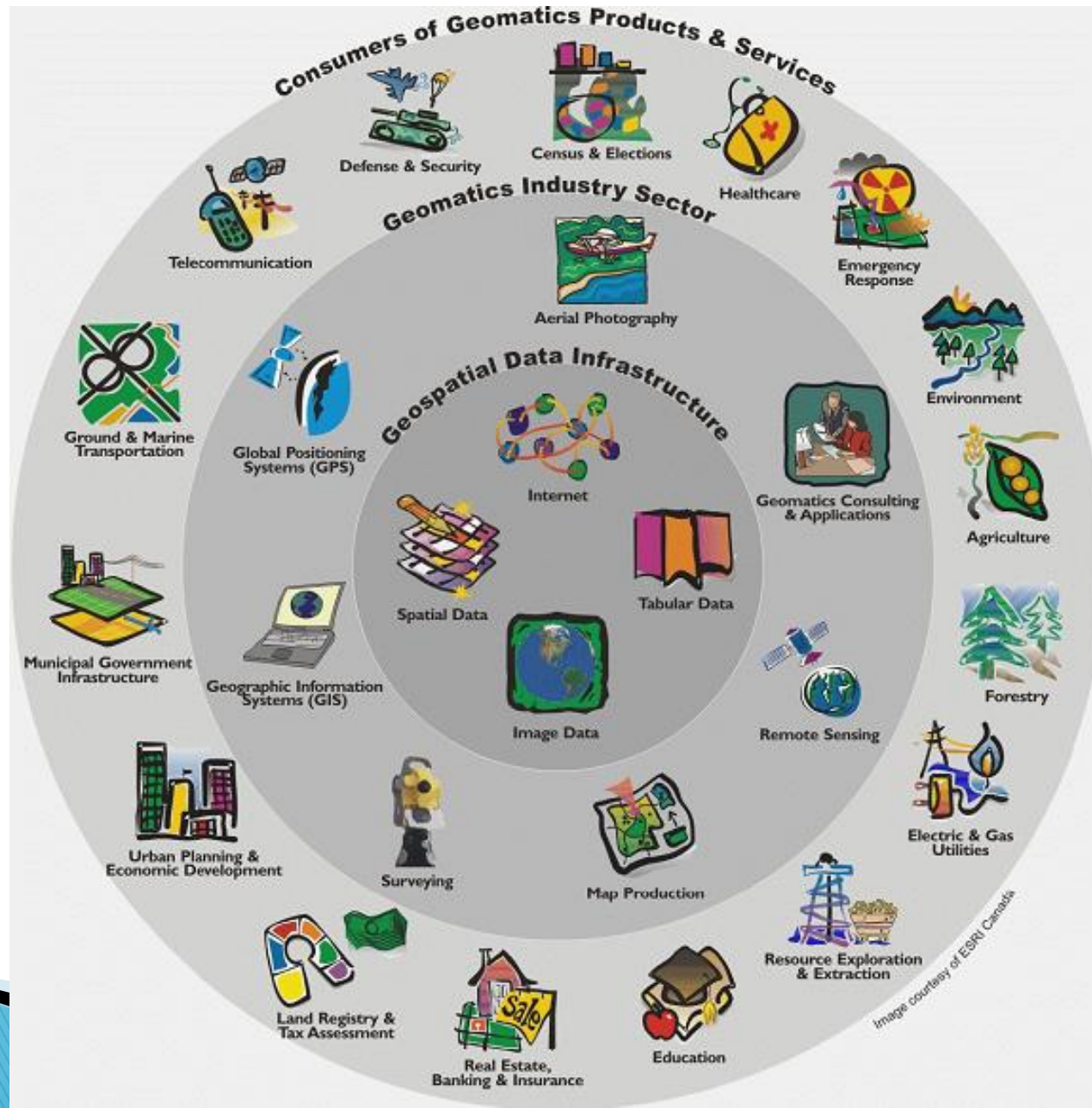
Ability to produce reports based on user specified parameters.

The Four Goals

- Coordination goals and tasks are intended to tie the other streams together with leadership, national partnerships and new models of governance.
- User goals are aimed at reaching new and existing users, including decision makers and making them the drivers of the SDI.
- Content goals emphasize moving forward with new and richer sources of geospatial data and information.
- Infrastructure goals are aimed at building on the successes of the SDI and adapting to new standards, technology and tools to continue its progress.



SDI and its impact on The Economy



Why Web Based SDI?

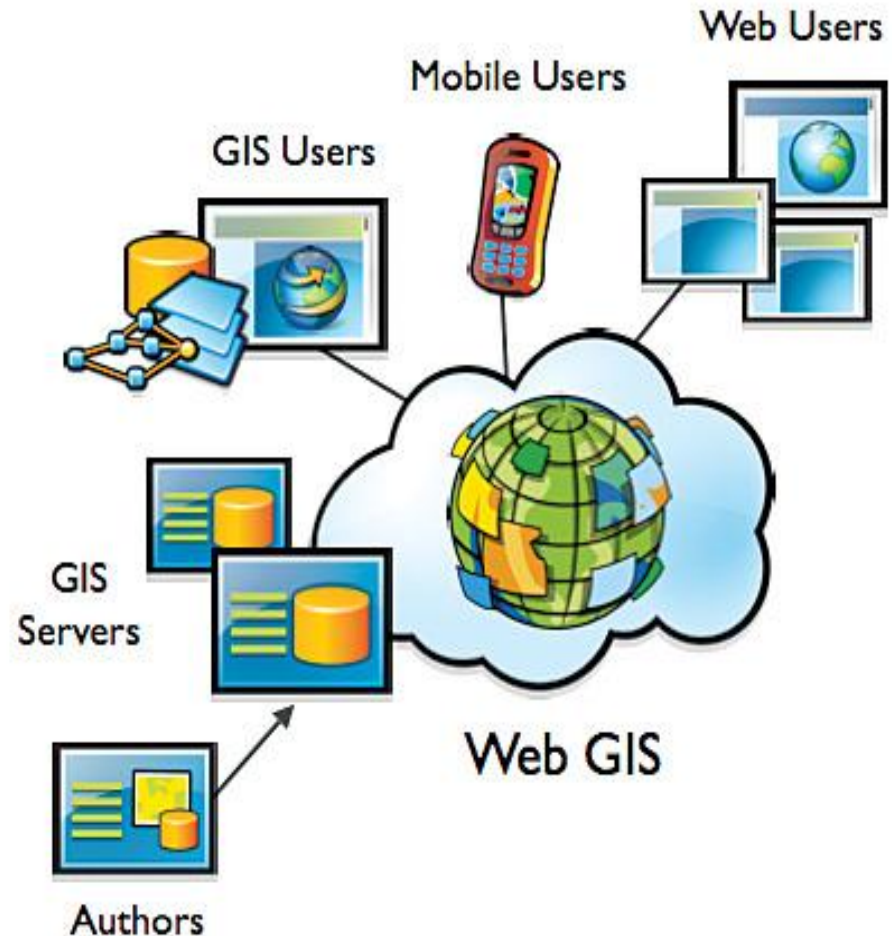
No Desktop Installations

Reduces License Costs

Installation behind the scenes

Easy access to data by any kind of user

Data updating from anywhere

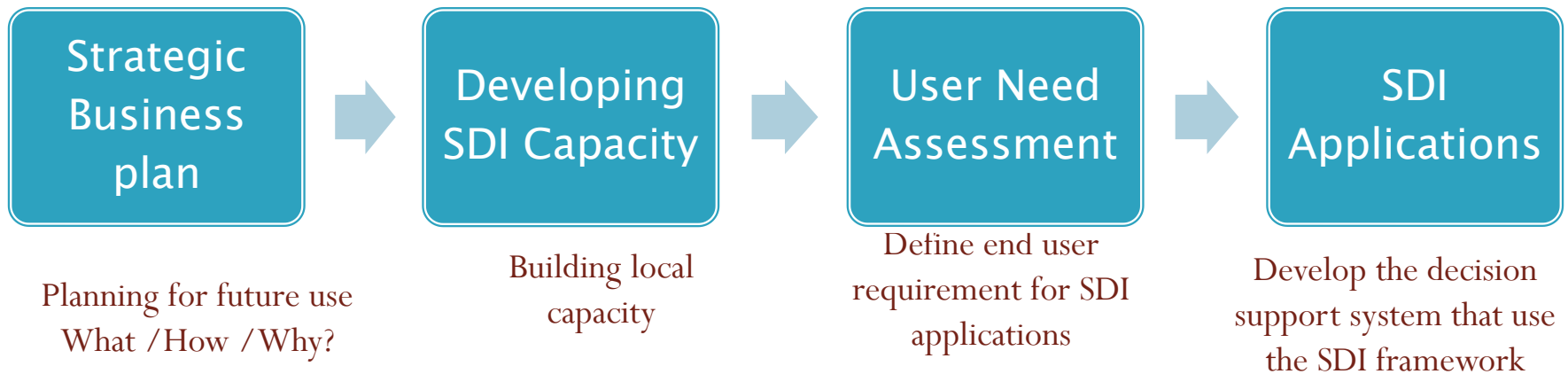


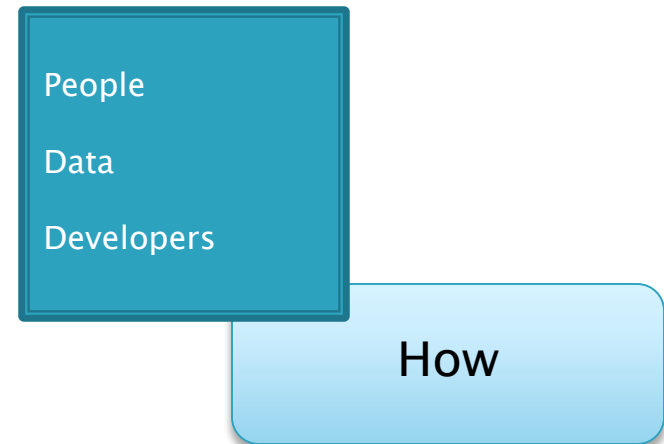
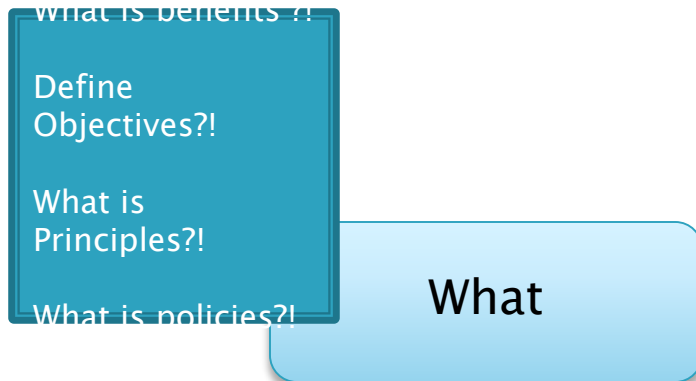
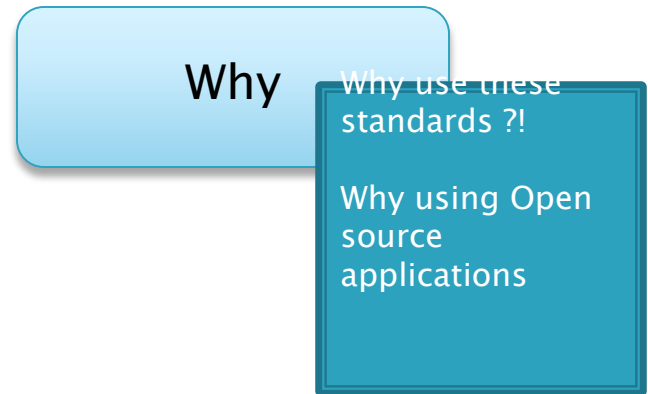
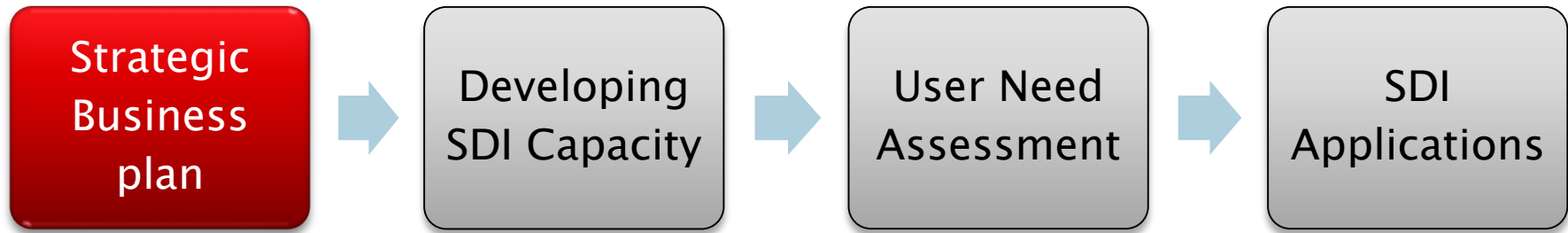
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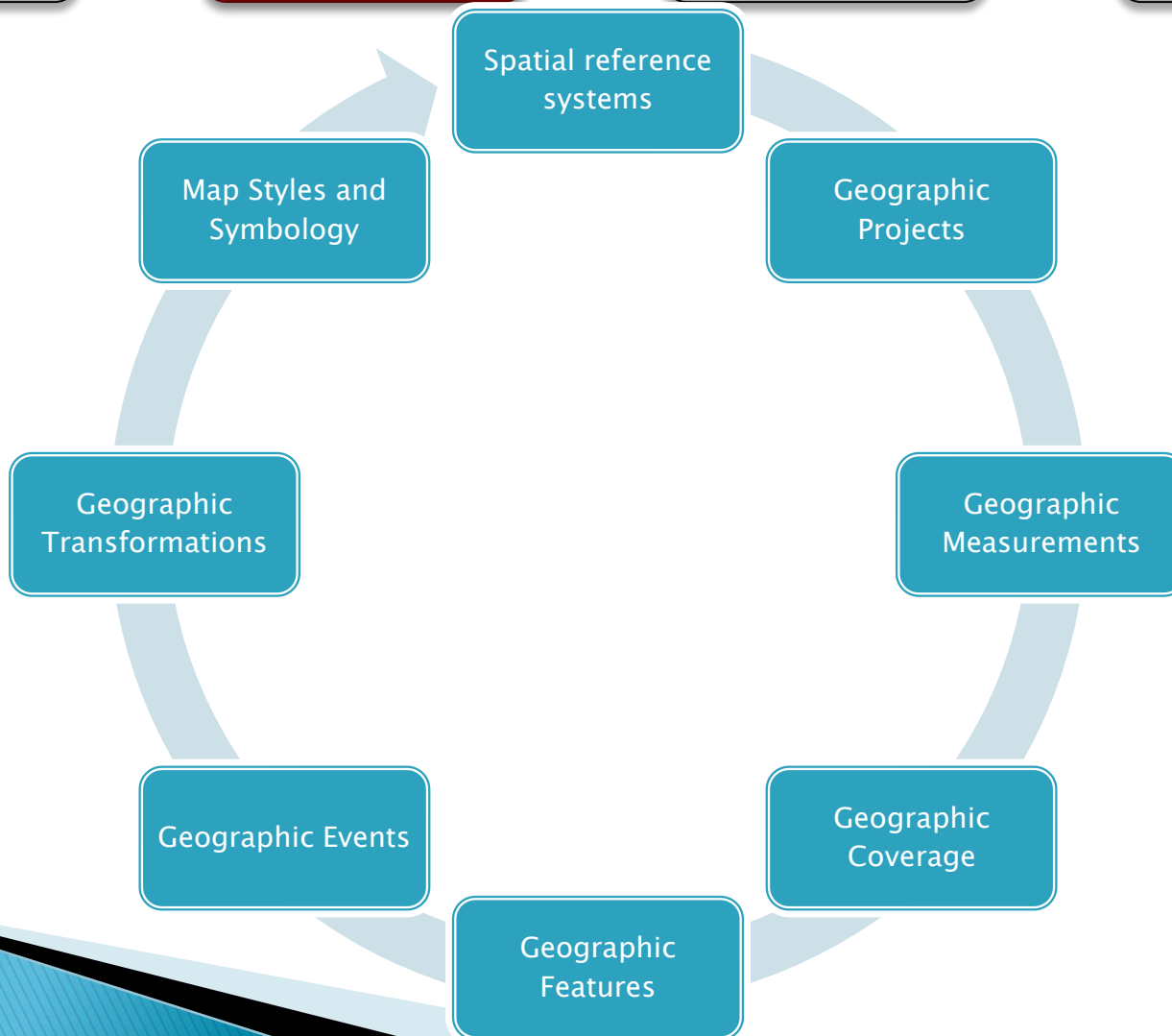
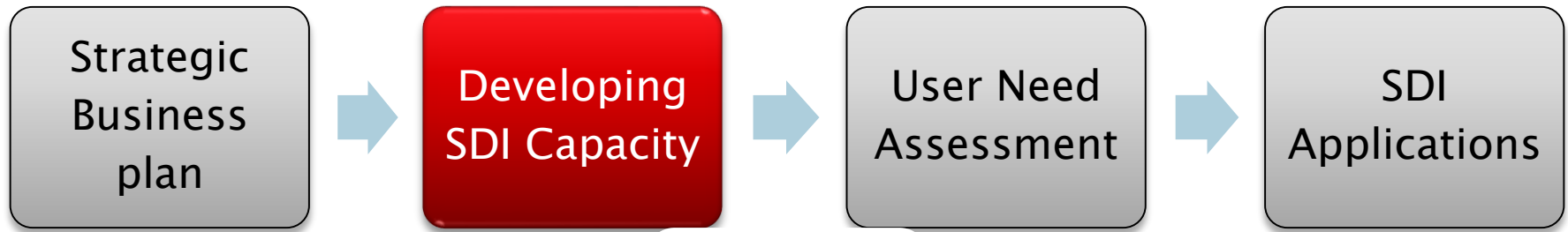
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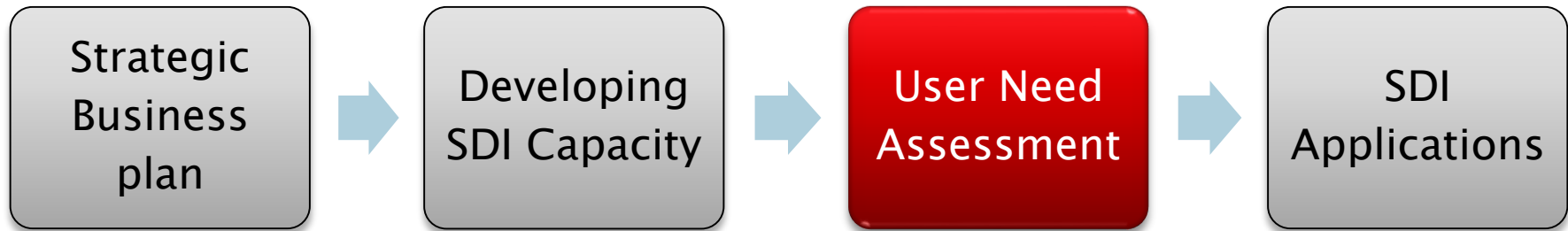


SDI Building Steps

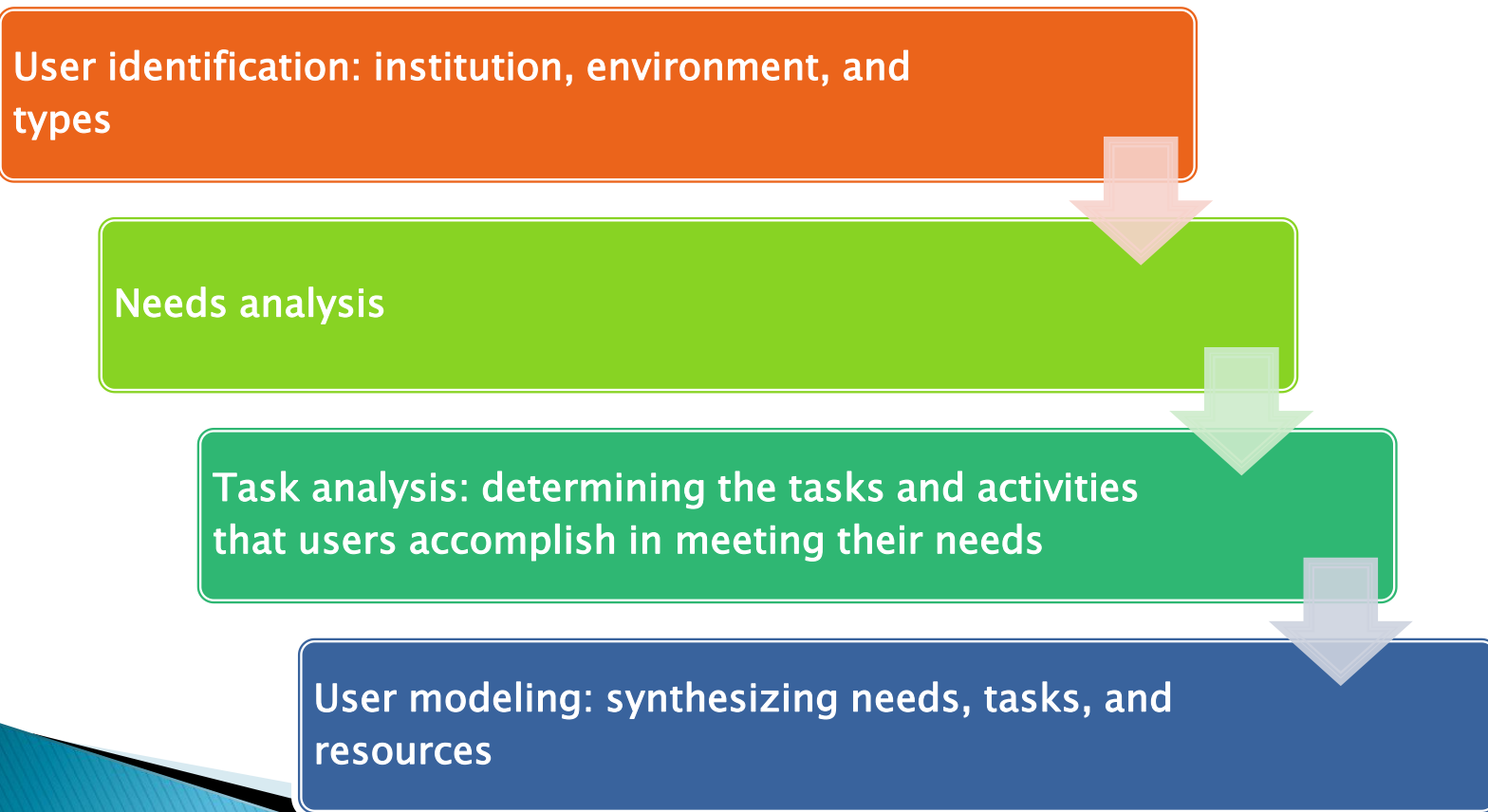








To learn about users, their tasks and context in order to use this information in design.

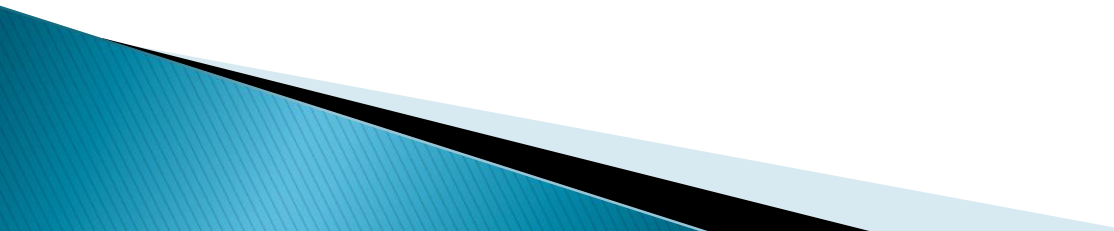


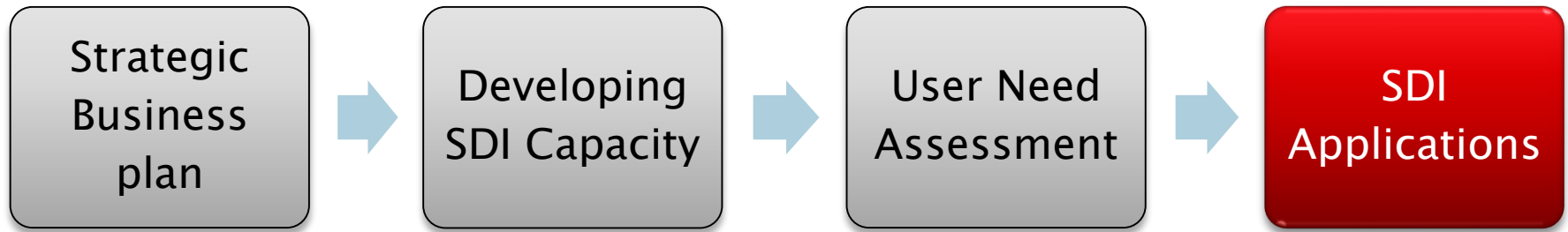
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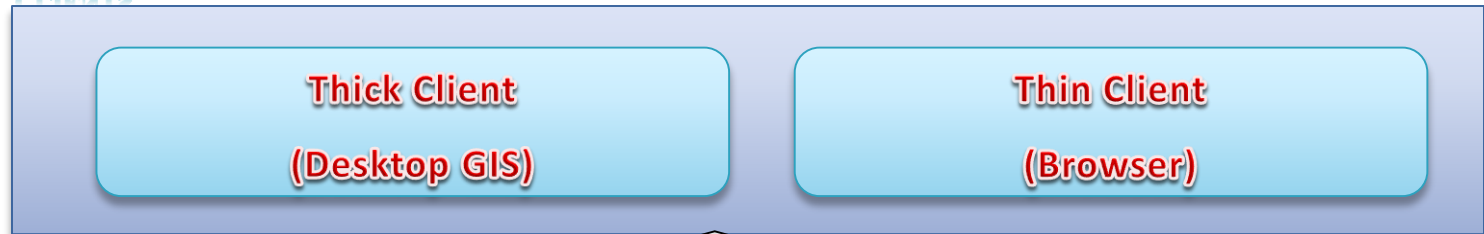


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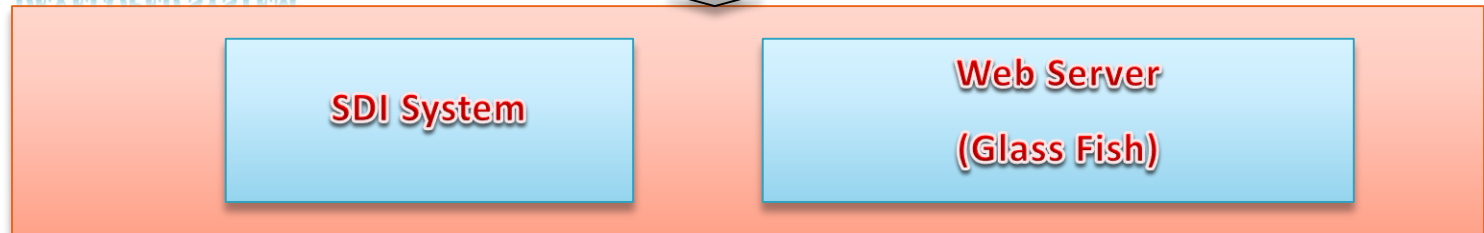
- ▶ Establishing **NARSS Geo-Portal** infrastructure architecture
 - ▶ Implementing the Metadata Strategy and apply ISO TC211 geographic information – Meta data standardization
 - ▶ Provide possibilities for authorized users to upload download and edit maps
 - ▶ Step forward to be data providers
 - ▶ Share knowledge with other Egyptian authorities.
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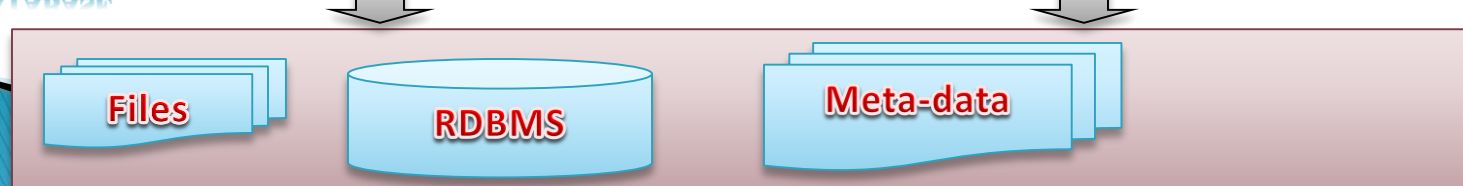
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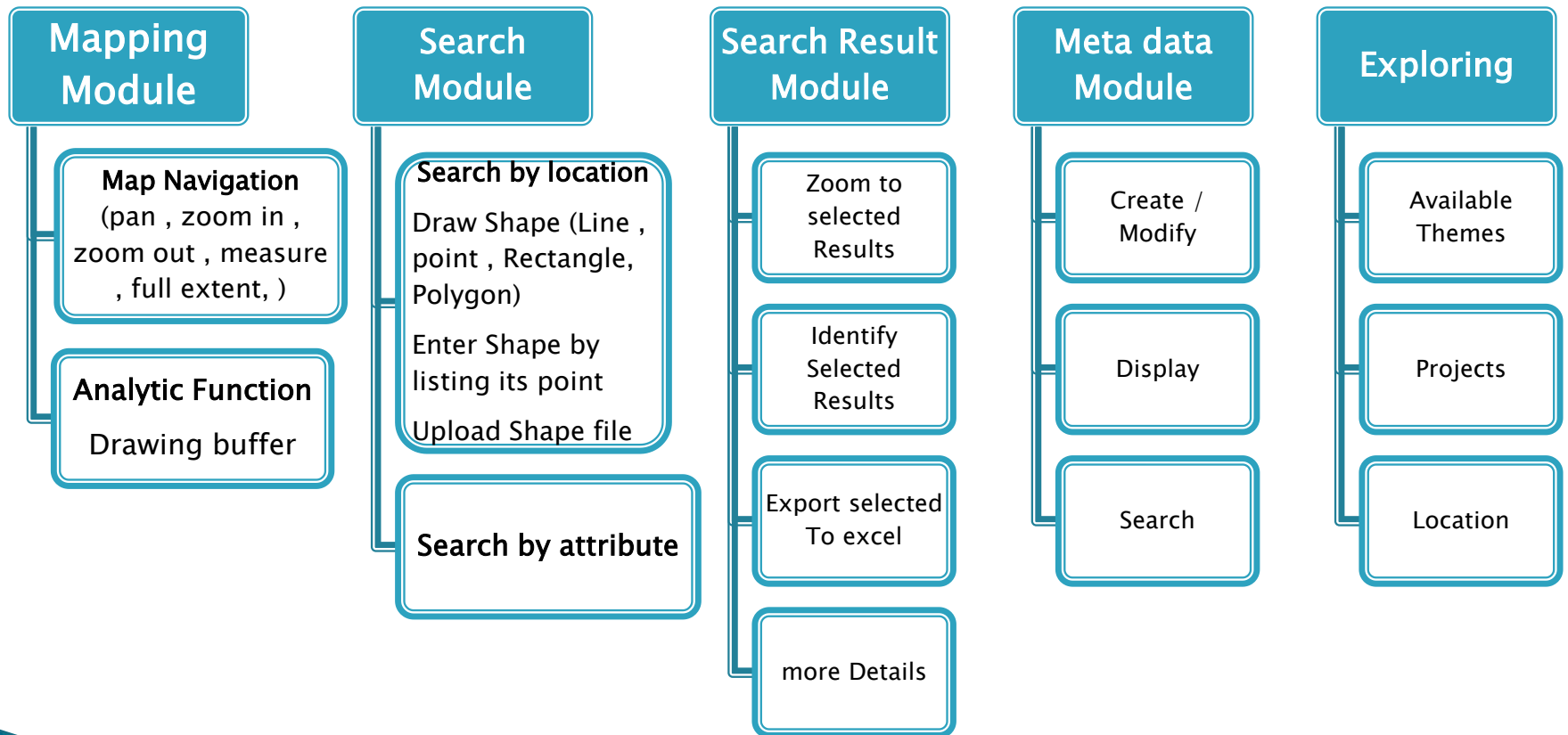
CATALOG SERVER



DATABASE



NARSS Metadata Catalog Module



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Metadata Search

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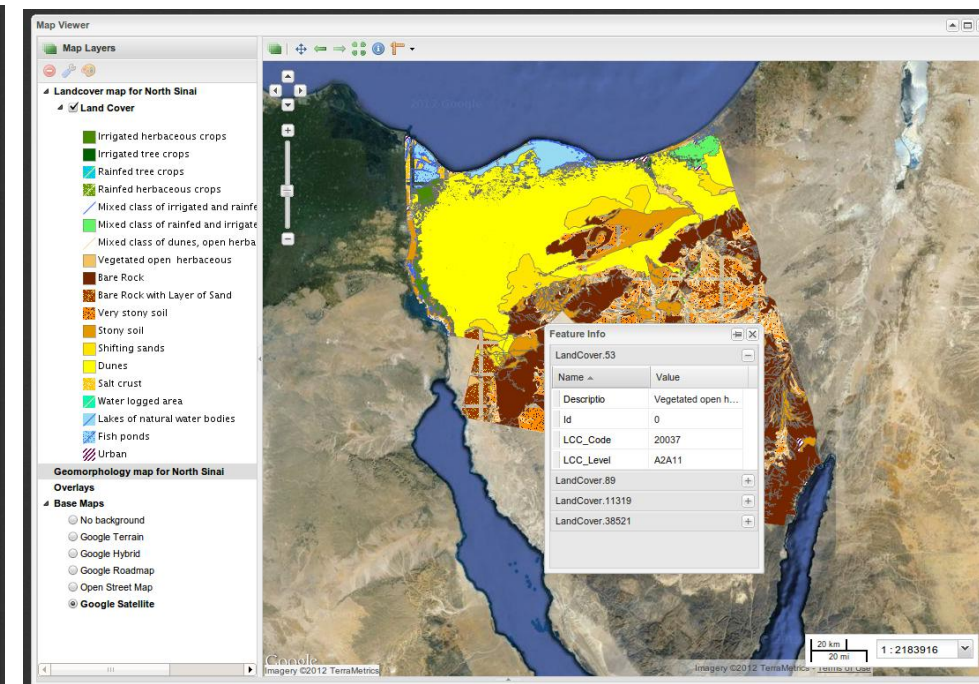
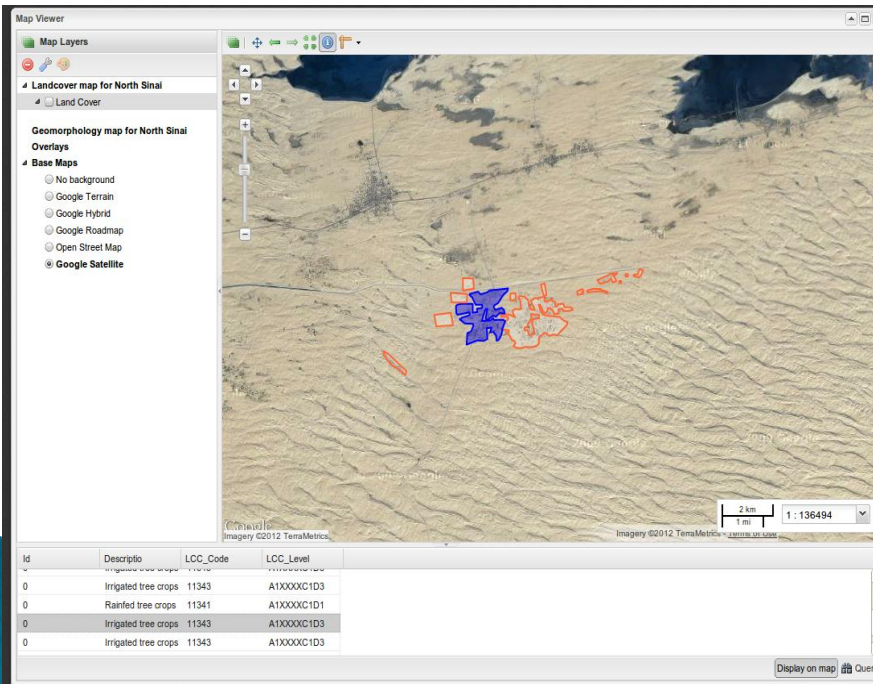
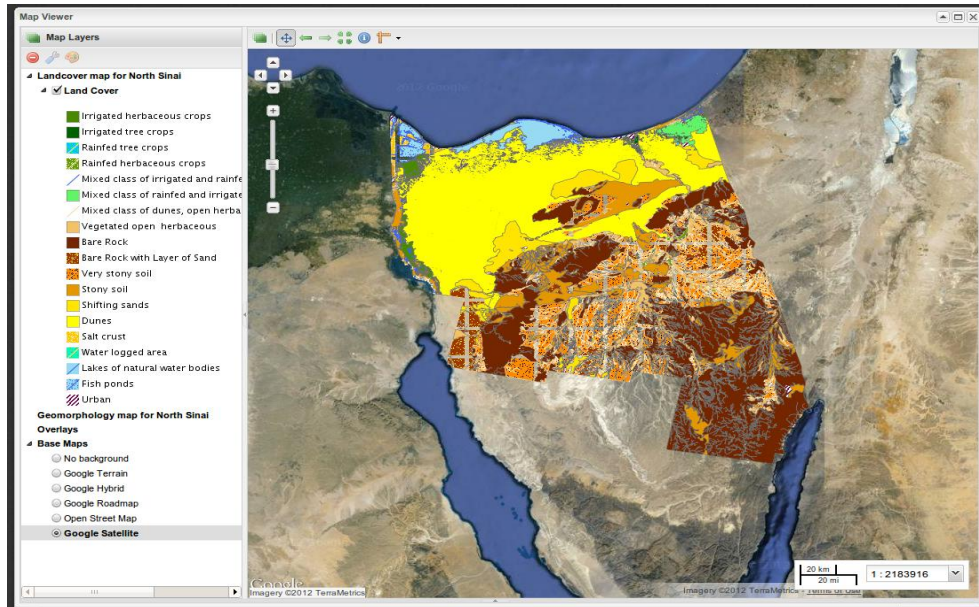
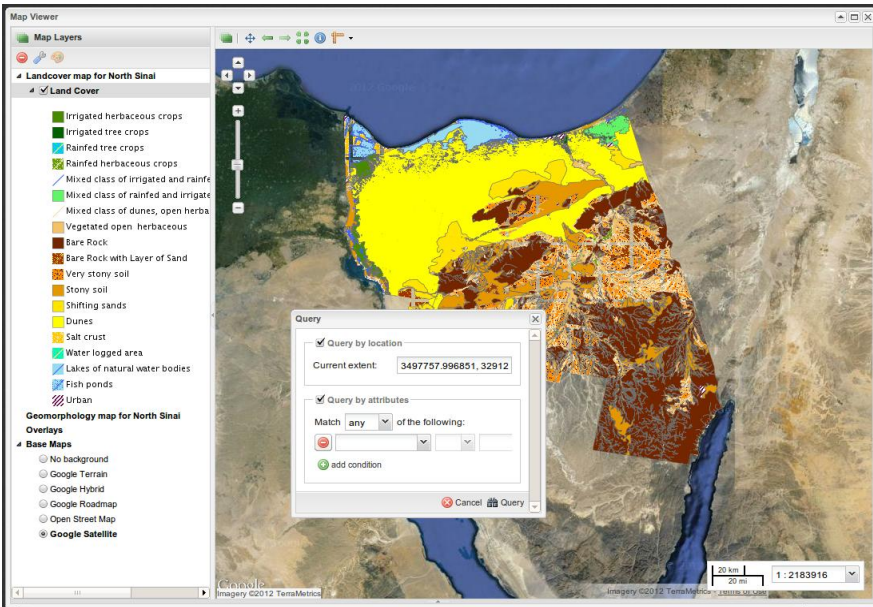
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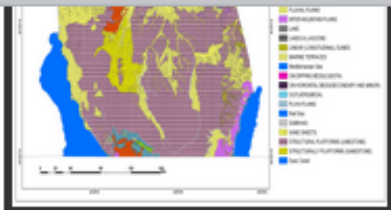
Search Results





Pop up with the metadata

Metadata Info



Identification Info

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Date : null
Edition :1.0
Status :onGoing
Purpose :Structural geology is a major constituent and a complementary layer to the geological map. This layer gives information on the attitude of rocks and deformation affecting them
Presentation form :mapDigital

Abstract :

Structural geology is a major constituent and a complementary layer to the geological map. This layer gives information on the attitude of rocks and deformation affecting them

Point of contact

Individual name : Geomorphology
Organisation Name :
Position name :
Delivery point :
City :

Geological map for North Sinai

Display the results on the map

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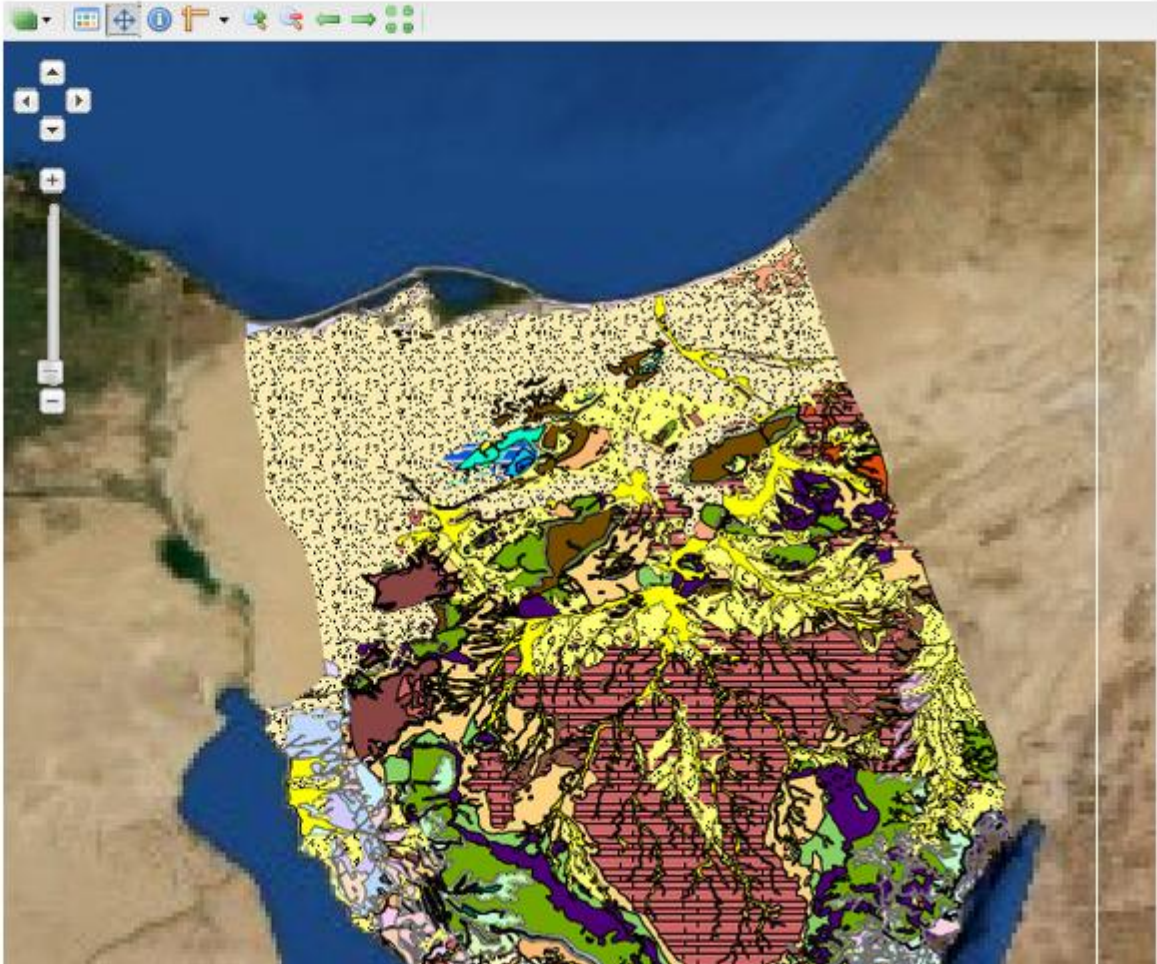
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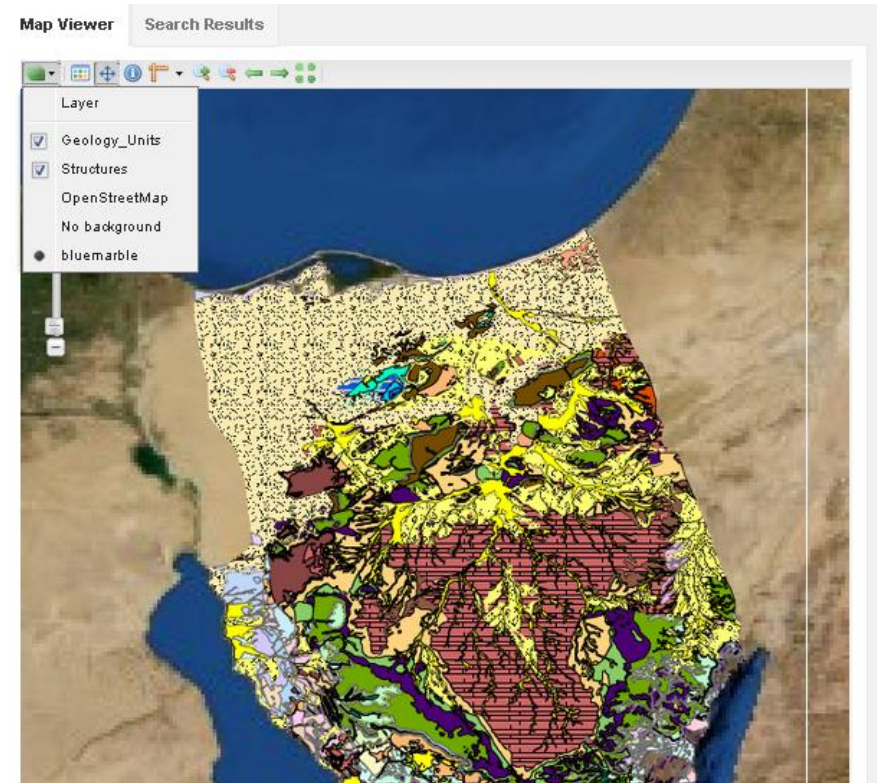
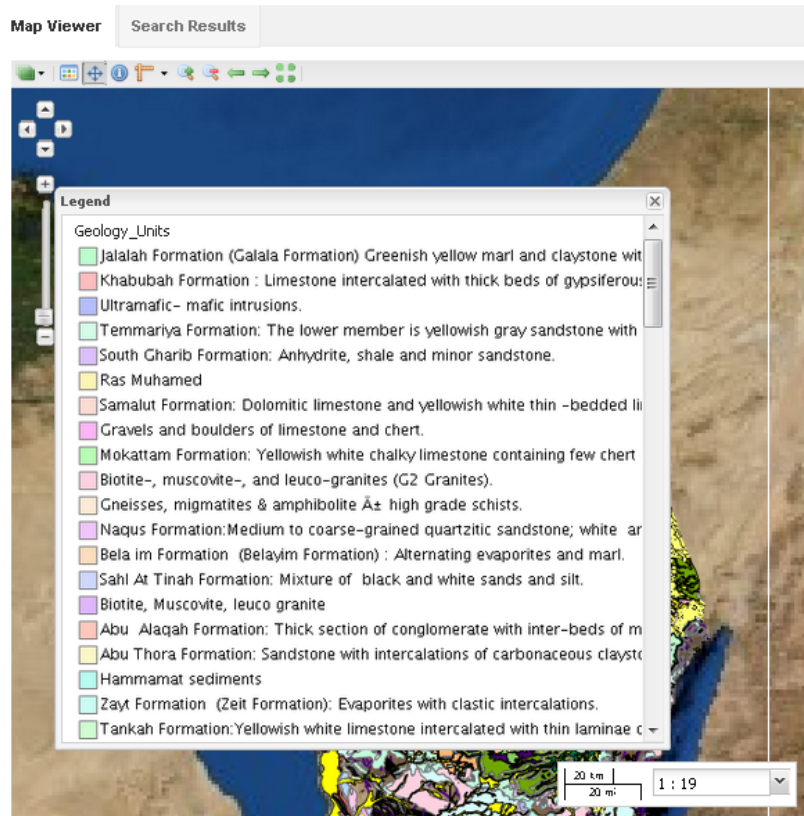
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Map Viewer Search Results



Legend and TOC



Future Work

- ▶ The Future step of this project is building the decision support system (DSS) which can be defined as a computer-based information system that supports business or organizational decision-making activities. DSSs serve the management, operations, and planning levels of an organization and help to make decisions, which may be rapidly changing and not easily specified in advance
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