Implementation of Automatic Generalisation in the Production Process of the 1:50.000 Map Series

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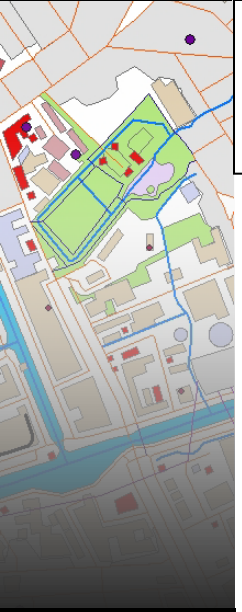
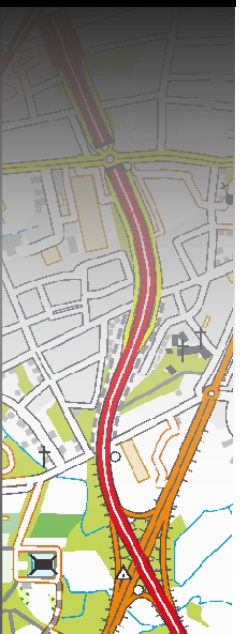
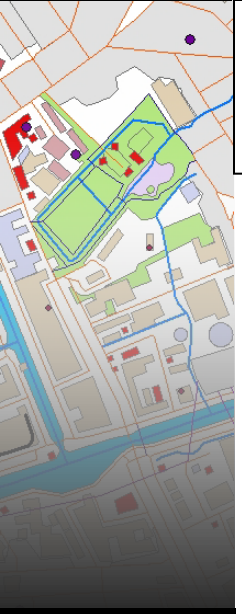
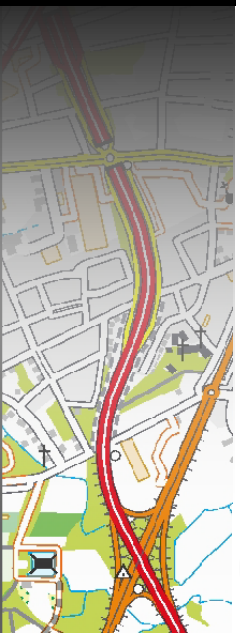




Intro

- 3rd edition of the 1:50 000 map series
- Update cycle ends mid 2014
- Reference scale: 1:10 000
- Automatic generalisation coincide as much as possible with the result after interactive generalisation
- Only the road and building feature classes are updated





Update strategy

- Roads
  - Incremental updates (propagation)
- Buildings
  - Regenerate the whole feature class

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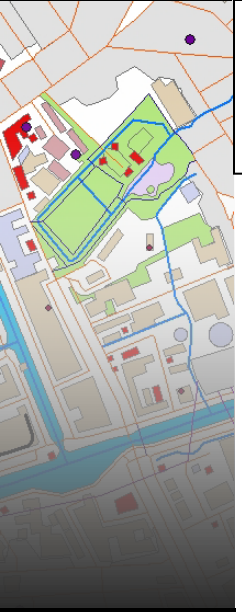
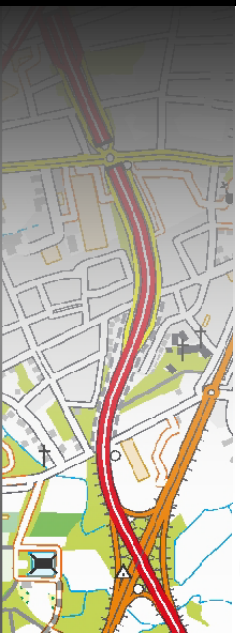
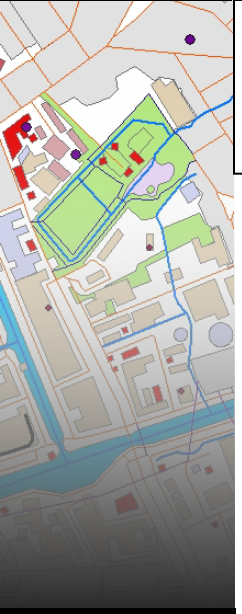
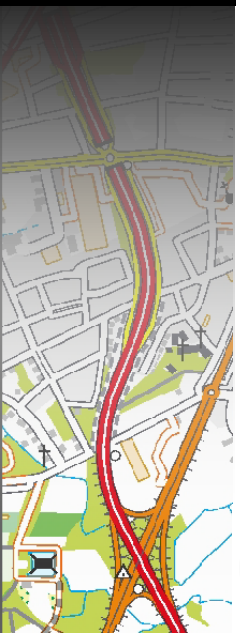




Update strategy

- Buildings
  - Non-specified buildings
  - Specified buildings





Update strategy

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Dense

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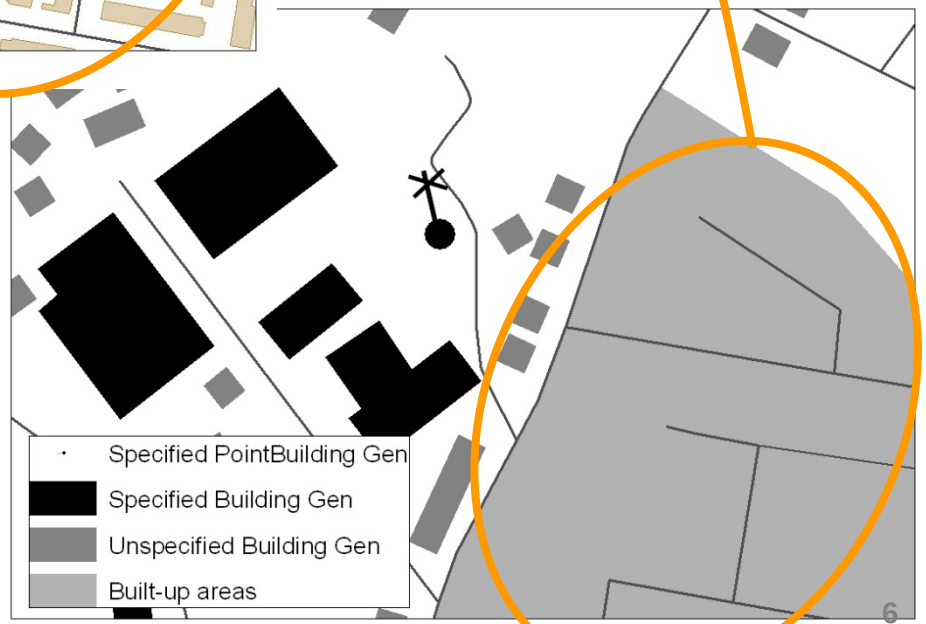

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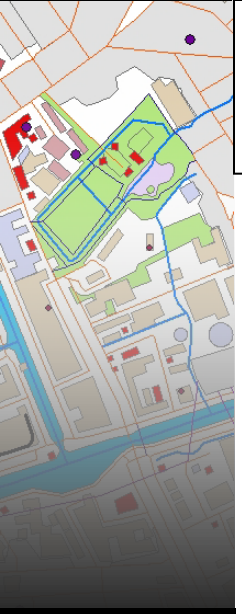

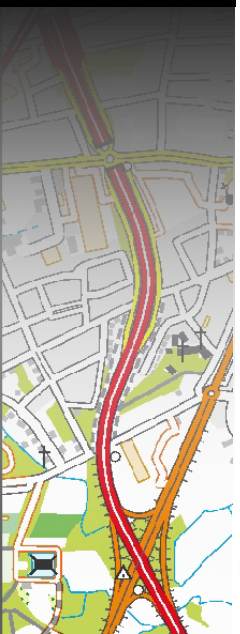

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Non-dense

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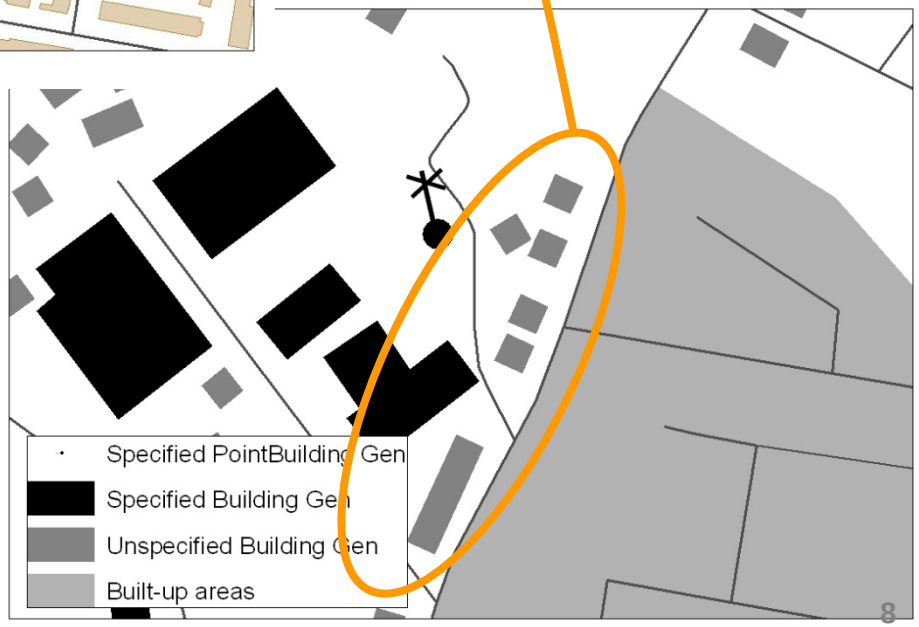

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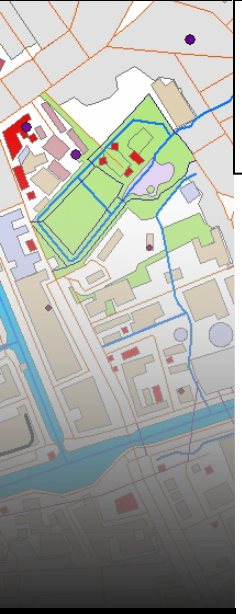

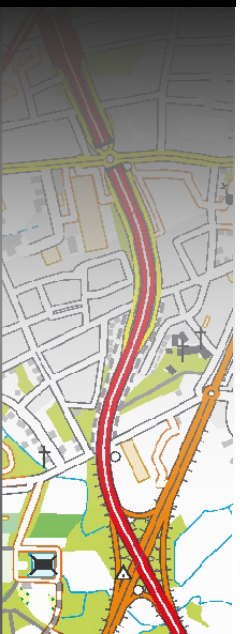

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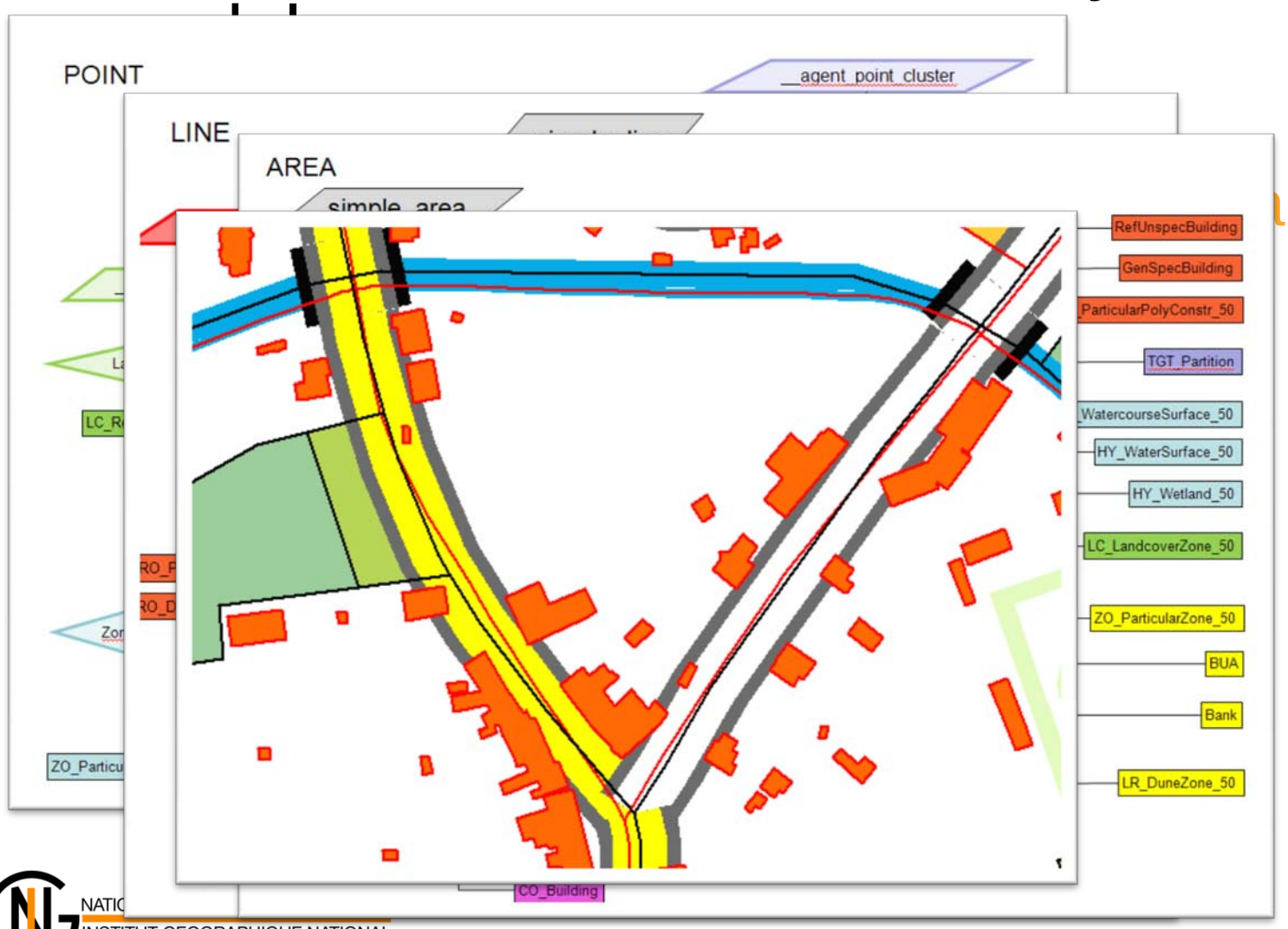
  - Specified buildings
    - Still generalised manually

Done work

- Fit our data model in the Clarity data



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Process methods

- Partitioning (meso-agents)

Agent technology

- Simplification of buildings which are larg
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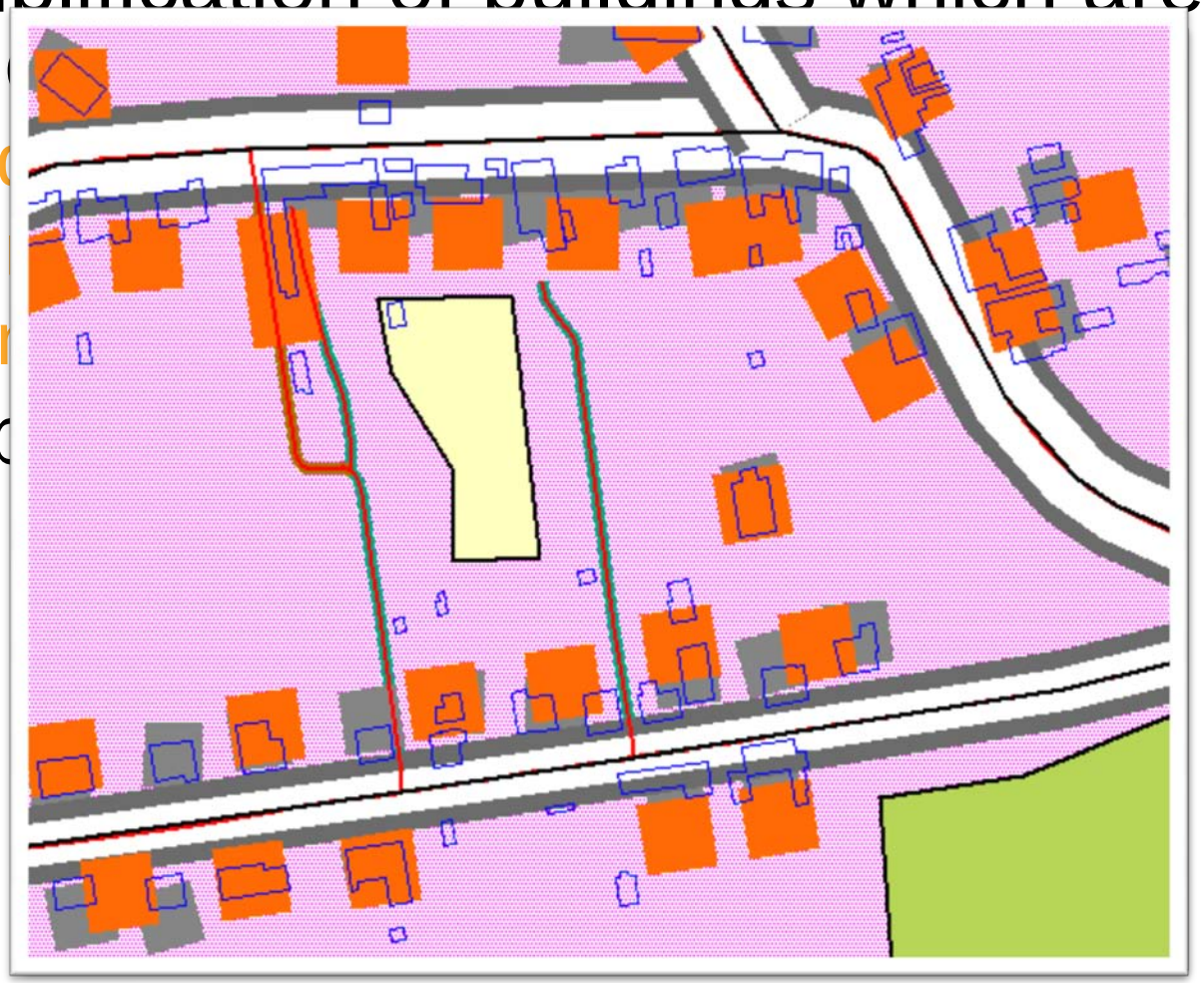

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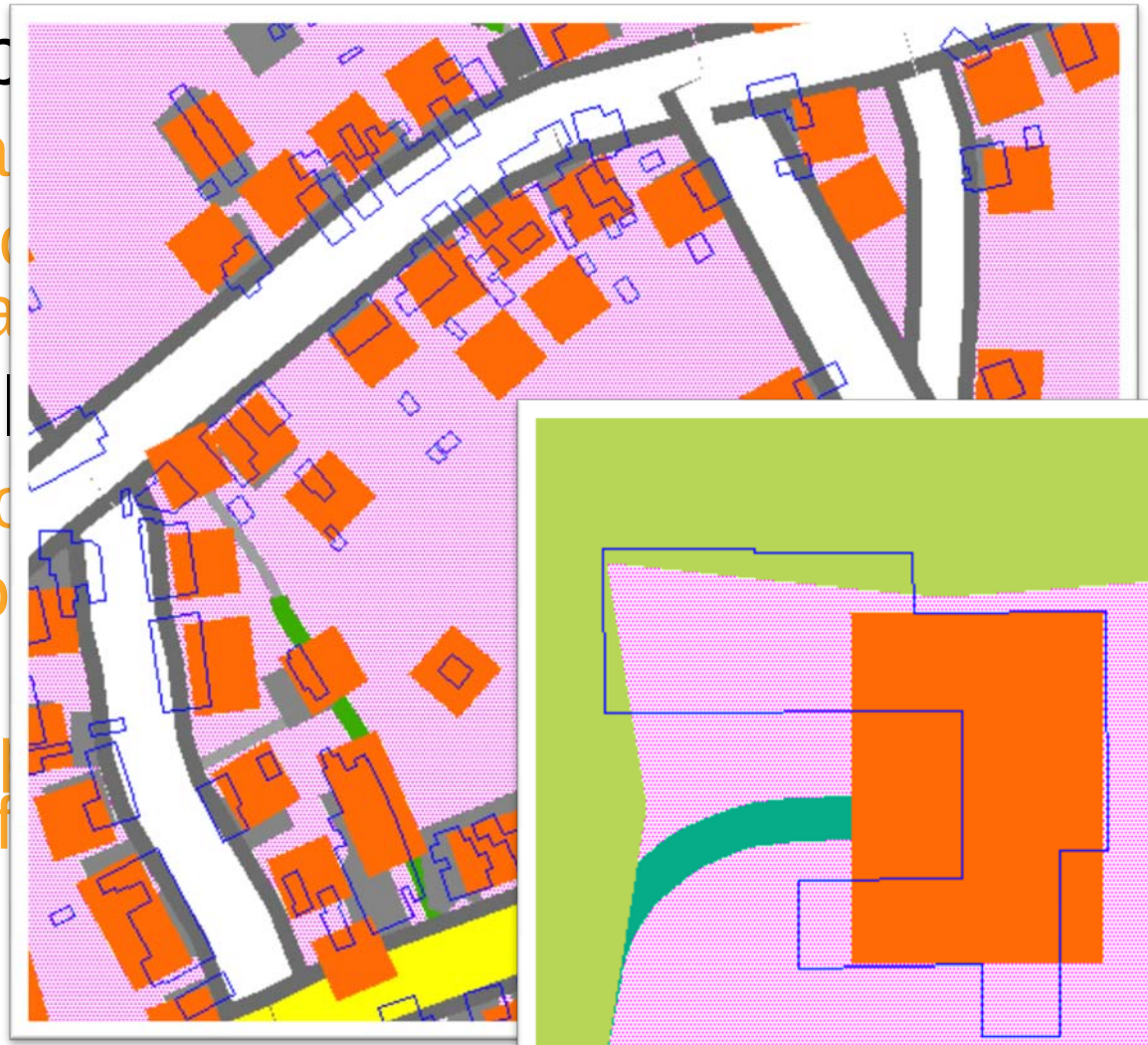

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Problems/difficulties

- Typification
  - “after point typification, the centre of gravity of the remaining points is the same as
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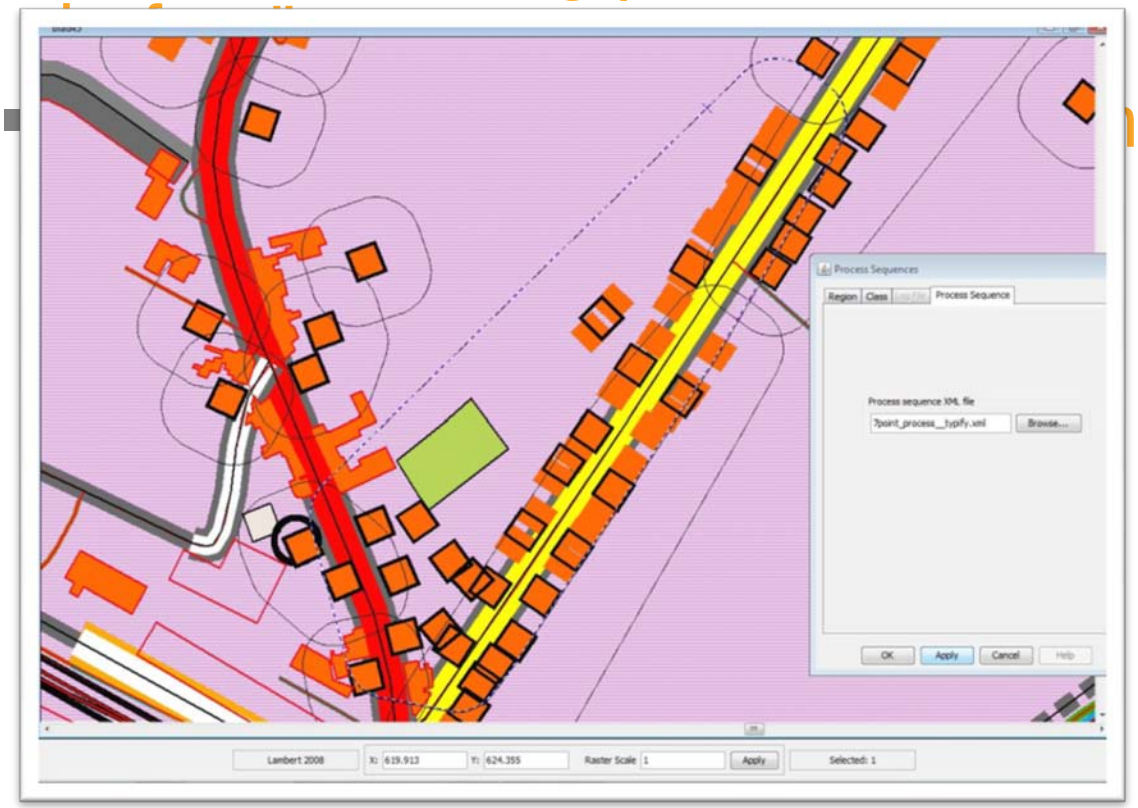

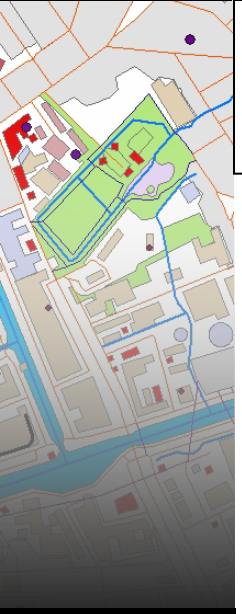

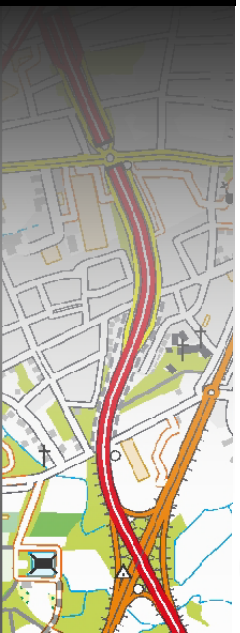

Result

- Gain time?
  - Yes
- Quality improvement?
  - Work in progress
  - Verification still needed

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