Open Source Geospatial Foundation

Casting The Net

OSGeo
Your Open Source Compass

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Web Mapping
- Mapbender
- MapBuilder
- MapGuide
- Open Source
- MapServer
- OpenLayers

Desktop Applications
- GRASS
- OSSIM
- Quantum GIS
- gvSIG
- FDO
- GDAL/OGR
- GeoTools

Geospatial Libraries
- GeoNetwork opensource

Metadata Catalog

Projects

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- Sustaining
- Supporting
- Associate

- Autodesk
- INPE
- INGRES
- Spatial
- LizardTech
- WhereGroup
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Committees
- Website
- Systems
- Incubation
- Promotion & Visibility
- Public Geodata
- Education
- Journal

Official
- China OSGeo Chapter
- India OSGeo Chapter
- Italian language OSGeo Chapter
- Japan OSGeo Chapter
- Ottawa OSGeo Chapter
- New Mexico, USA OSGeo Chapter

Local Chapters
- Australia OSGeo Chapter
- Brazilian OSGeo Chapter
- French language OSGeo Chapter
- German language OSGeo Chapter
- Taiwan OSGeo Chapter

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Casting The Net At FOSS4G

- FOSS4G Event Is Critical!
- Projects & People Together
- Interaction & Brainstorming
- Outreach Event To Invite Others
Why So Excited?

- Real Tangible Benefits
- Potential Continues to Grow
- Unique Opportunity
- Public & Professional Benefit
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