



# Design of tools for spatiotemporal data analysis and dynamic visualization in a web-based GIS



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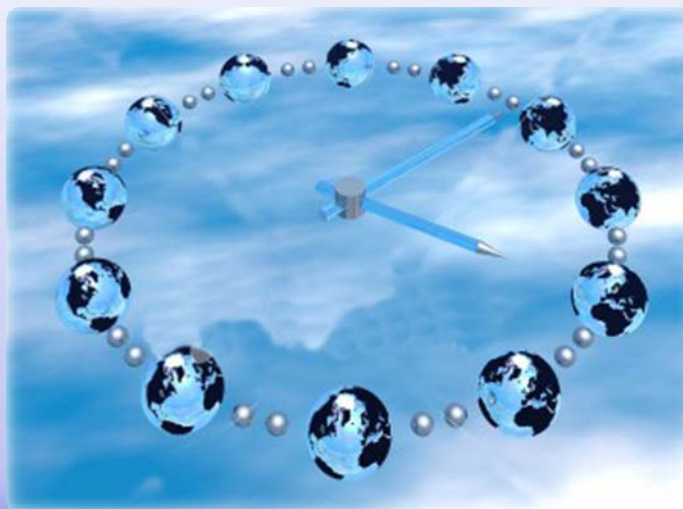




## Introduction

- Spatial queries → Spatiotemporal queries
- Static visualization → Dynamic visualization

### Spatio-temporal GIS







## Objective

- Design an user-friendly spatiotemporal analysis and dynamic visualization tool.

## Motivation

- Discover behavioral patterns in human activities that clarify historical realities less known.
- Create a start point to incentive future applications in the social science field.





## State of art

- ❖ The Snapshot Model (Langran, 1988)
- ❖ The Space-Time Composite (STC) Data Model (Langran, 1988)
- ❖ Data Models based on Simple Time-Stamping (Hunter, 1990)
- ❖ Spatio-Temporal Object-Oriented (Worboys, 1990)
- ❖ Event-Oriented Models (Peuquet, 1994)
- ❖ The Three-Domain Model (Yuan, 1994)
- ❖ The History Graph Model (Renolen, 1996)
- ❖ The Spatio-Temporal Entity-Relationship (Tryfona, 1997)
- ❖ Object-Relationship (Claramunt, 1998)
- ❖ Moving Object Data Models (Erwig, 1999)
- ❖ Intentionally-Linked Entities (Kantabutra, 2007)

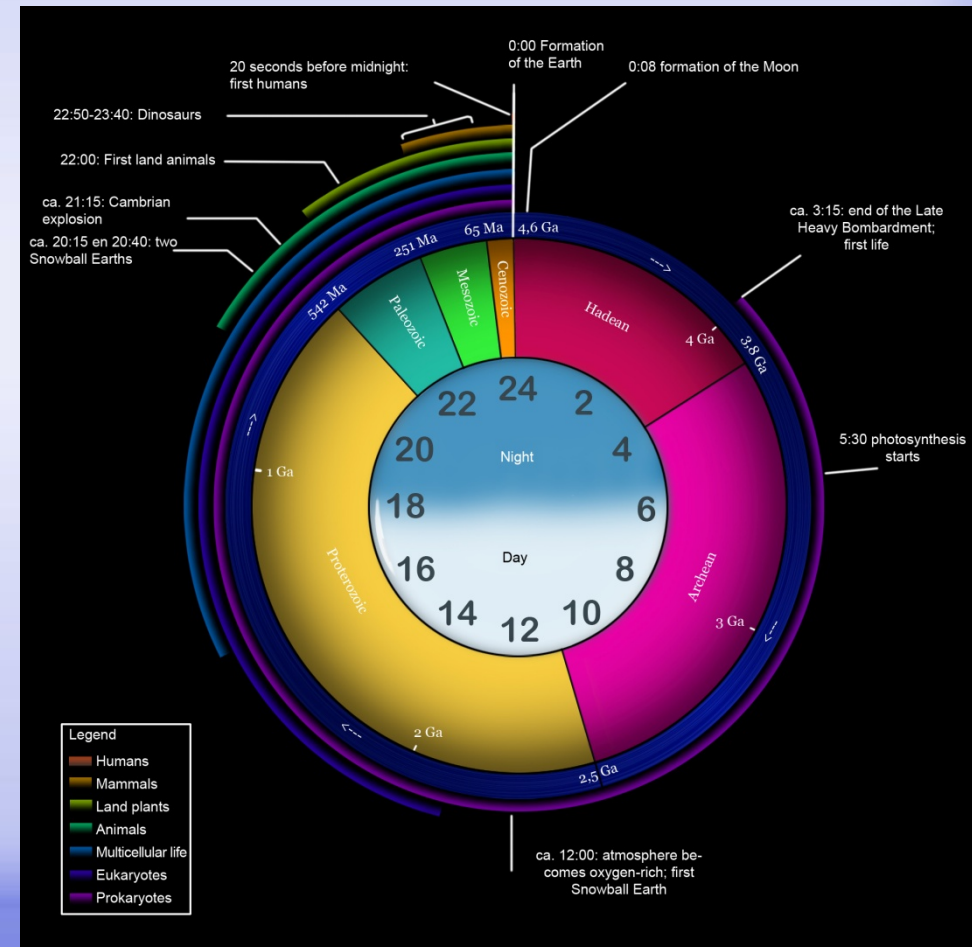


## State of art

¿How GIS can integrate the concept of time and manage the information related with it?

□Is time a straight line or a cycle?

□What is better to measure time, Seconds or Centuries?



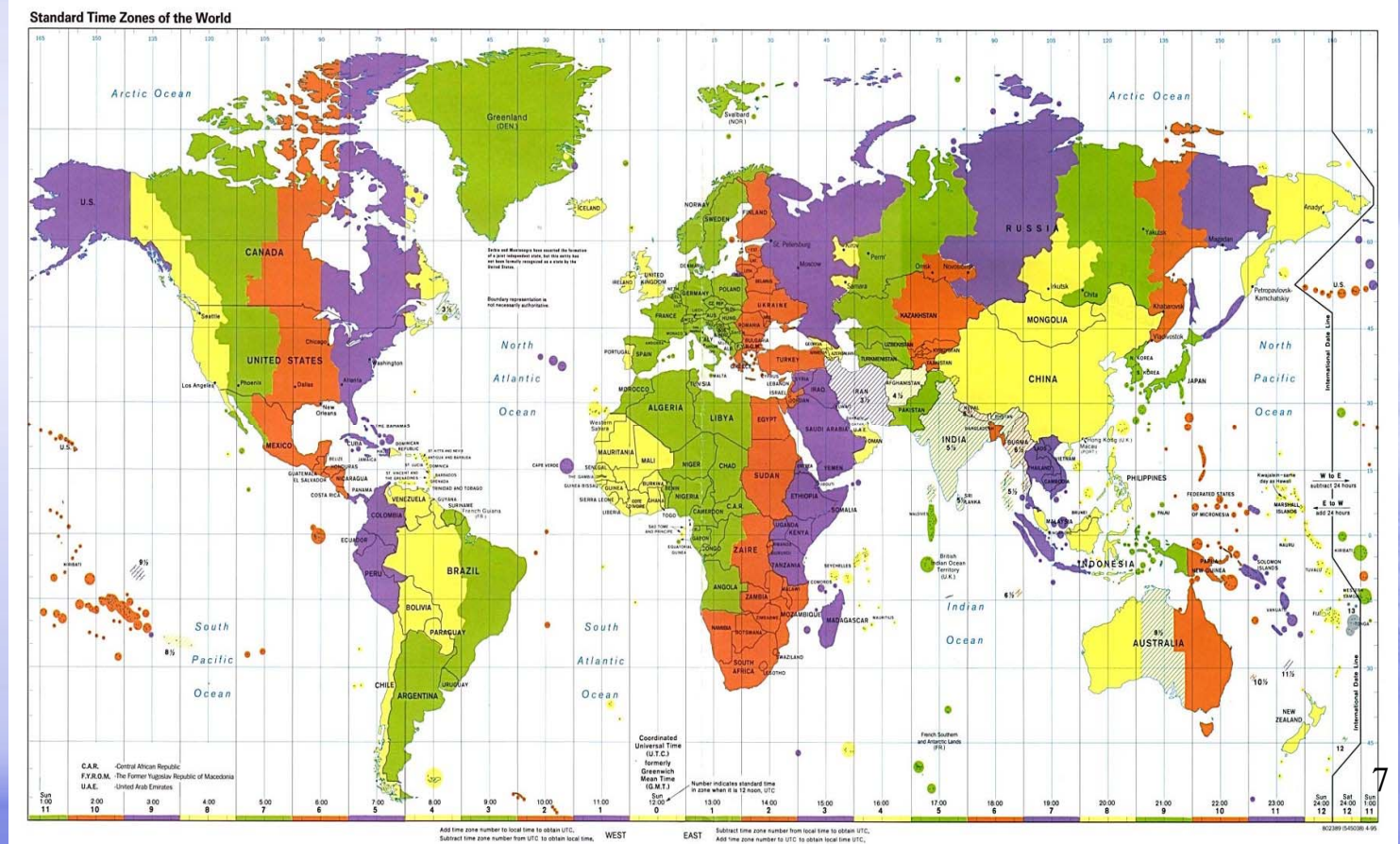




## State of art

Spatio-temporal reasoning theories: (Allen, 1984; Galton, 1987, Egenhofer and Al-Taha, 1992, Cohn et al., 1998, Frank, 1998)

- What means Before?
- What means After?
- What means During?

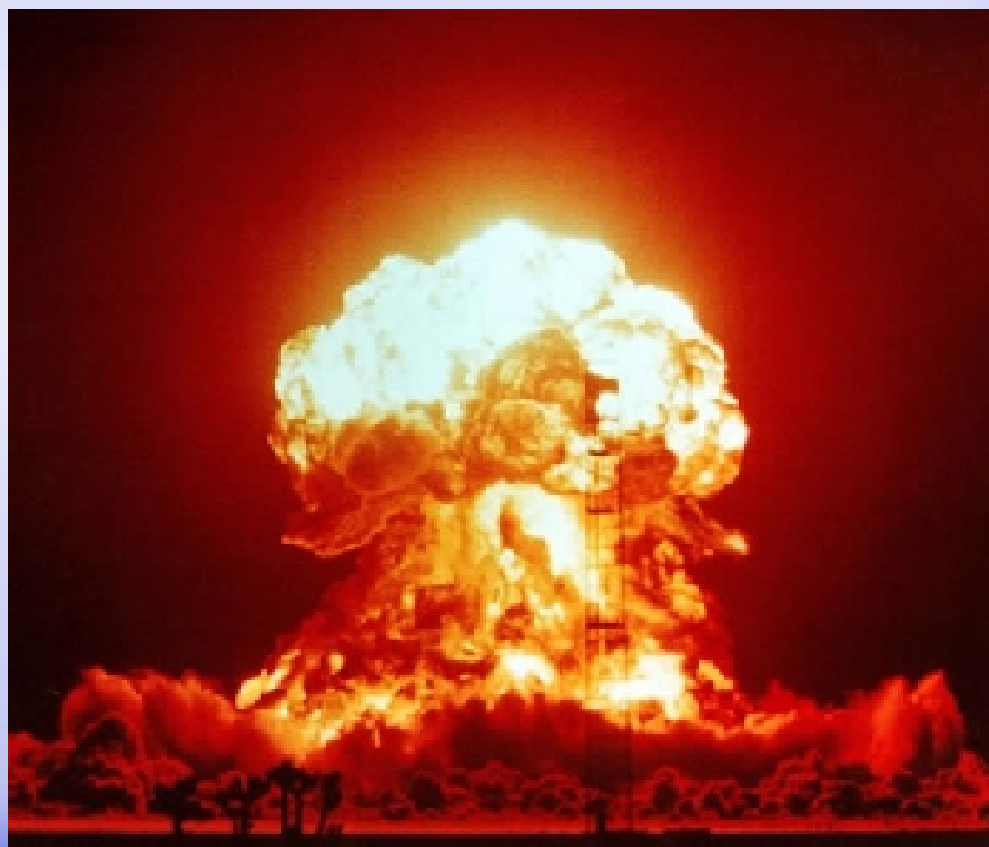




## State of art

Fuzzy logic and neuronal networks based theories  
(Dragicevic, 2004)

When the Cold War  
ended? 1989, 1990 or  
may be 1991?







## Possible questions

Three components are the base of data types: space (where), time (when) and objects (what) (Peuquet, 1994)

· **When** + **Where** → **What** :

What phenomena were present at the time T at the location X?

· **What** + **When** → **Where** :

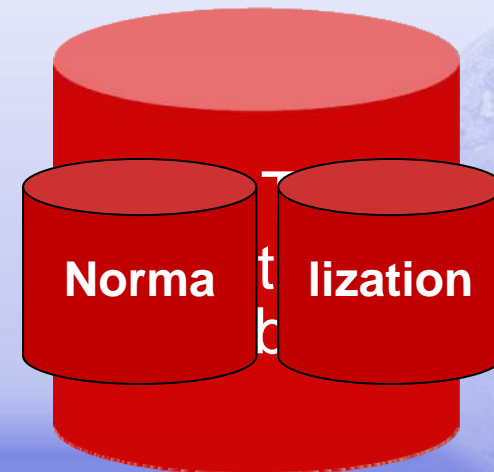
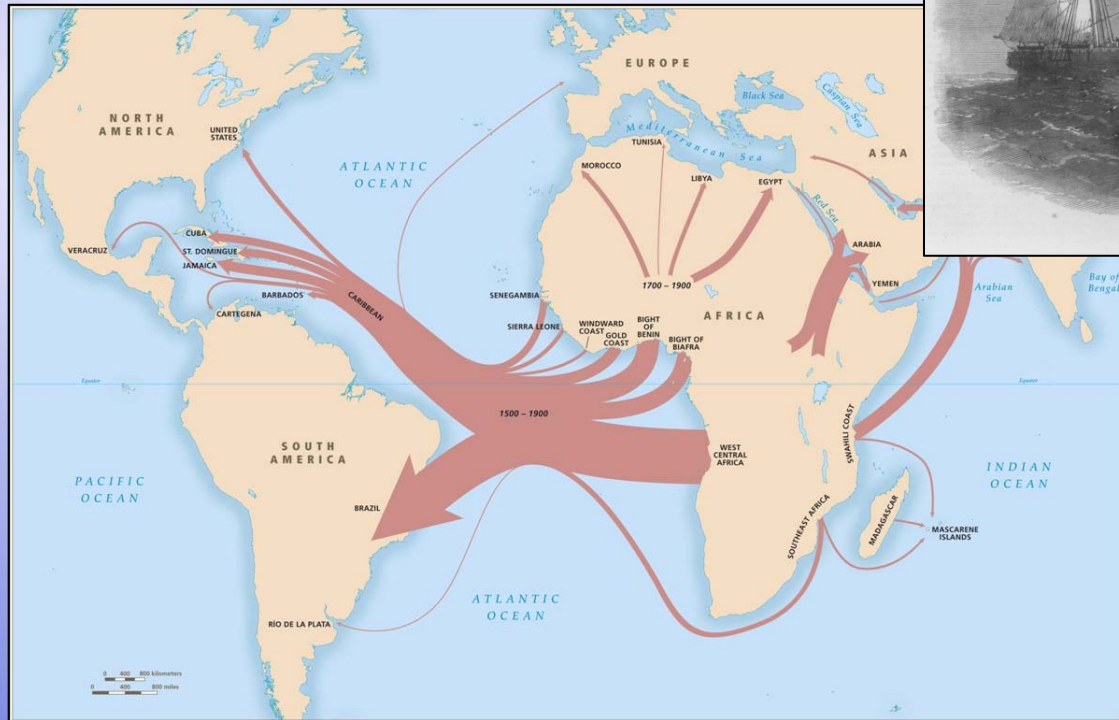
What was the location of the phenomenon P at the time T?

· **Where** + **What** → **When** :

When did the phenomenon P visit the location L?



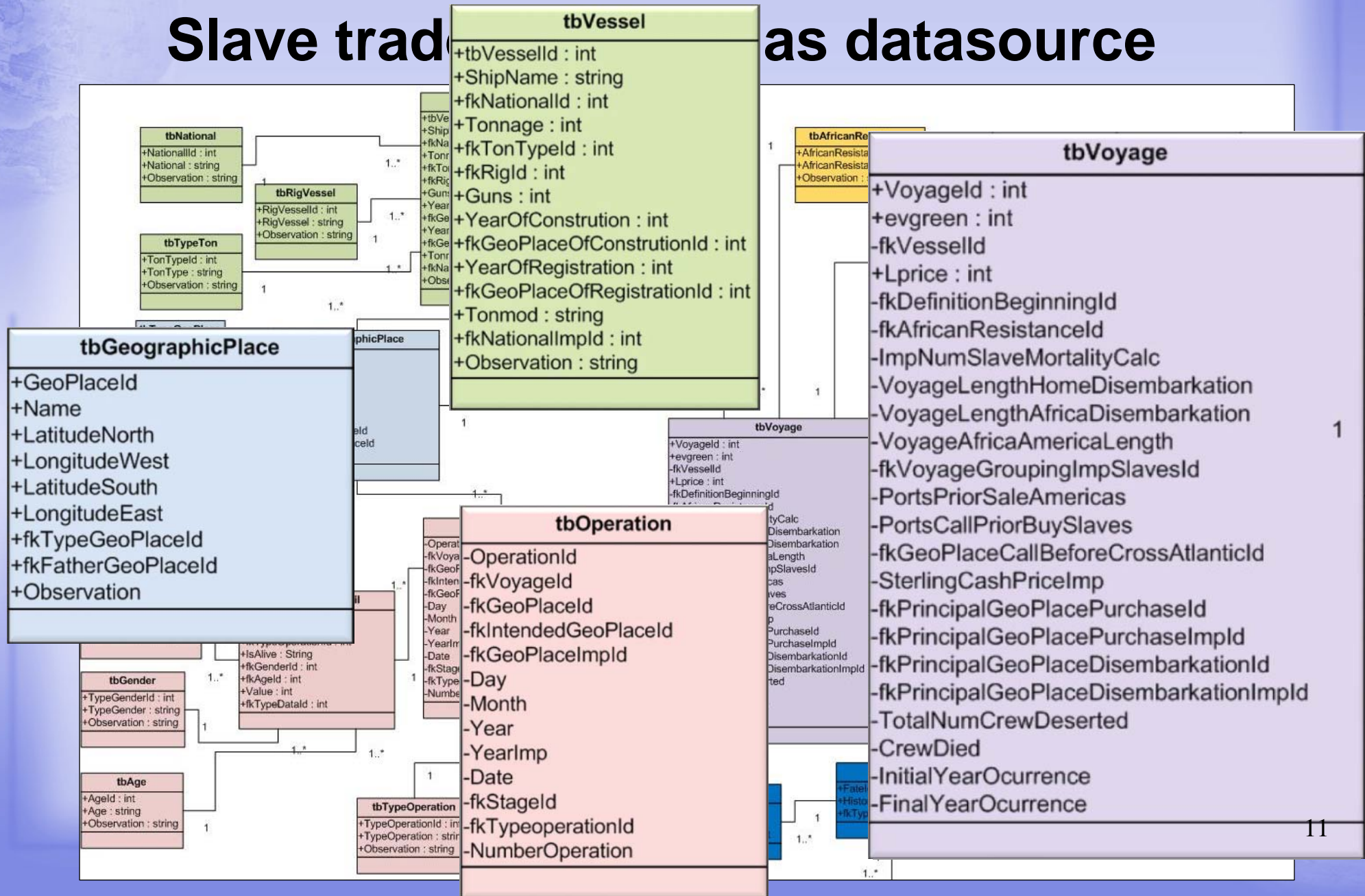
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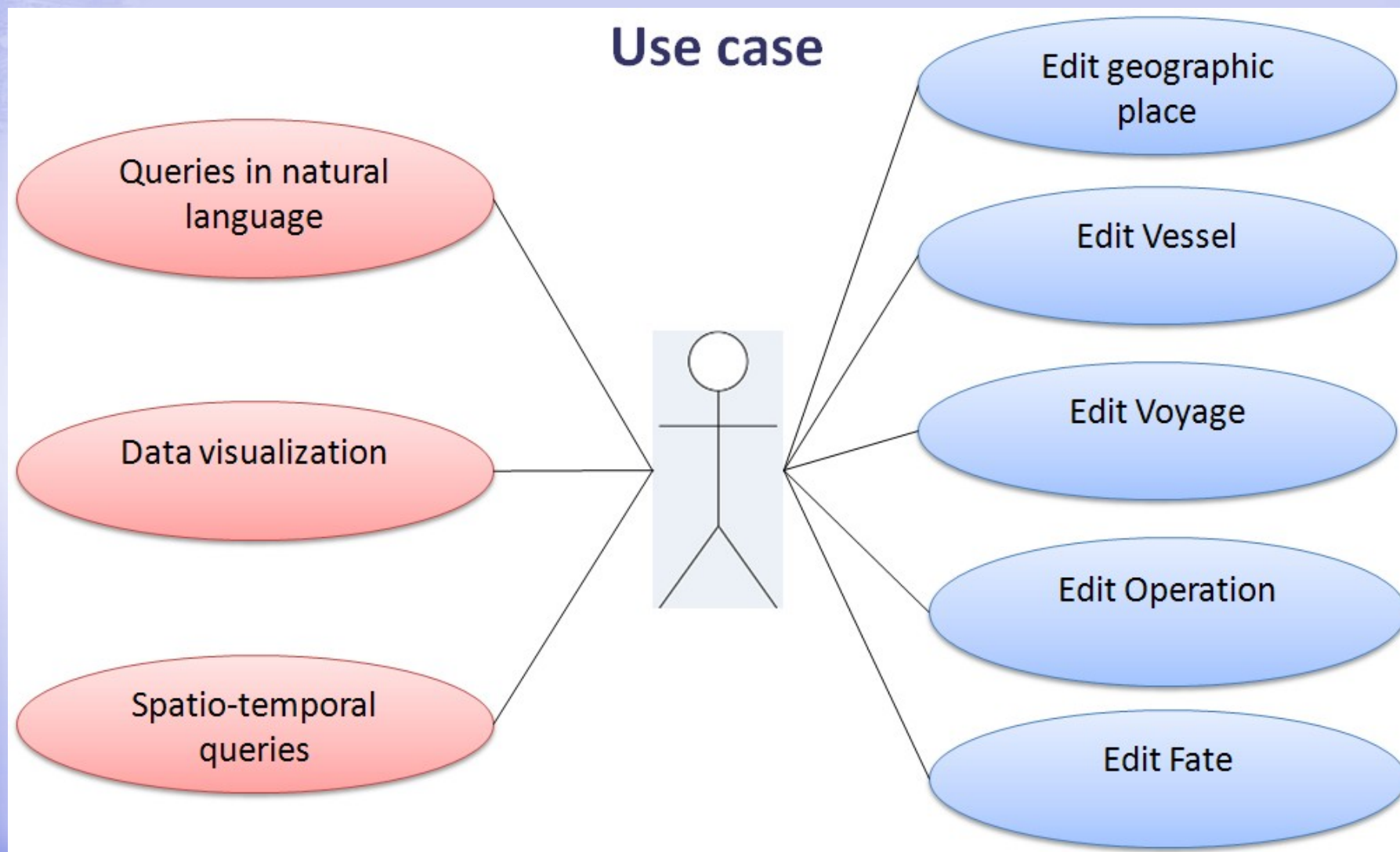






# Slave trade as datasource







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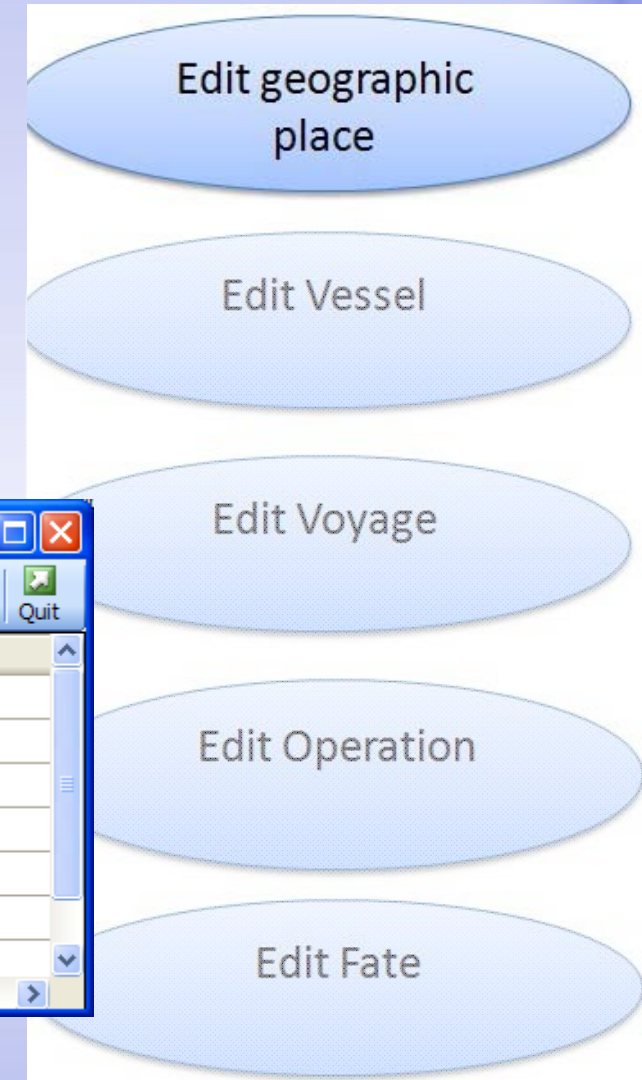
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Port	Observation
Alicante	
Barcelona	
Bilbao	
Cadiz	
Figuera	
Gibraltar	
La Coruña	
Santander	
Seville	
San Lucar	
Vigo	
Canary Islands	
Tenerife	
Spain, port unspecified	

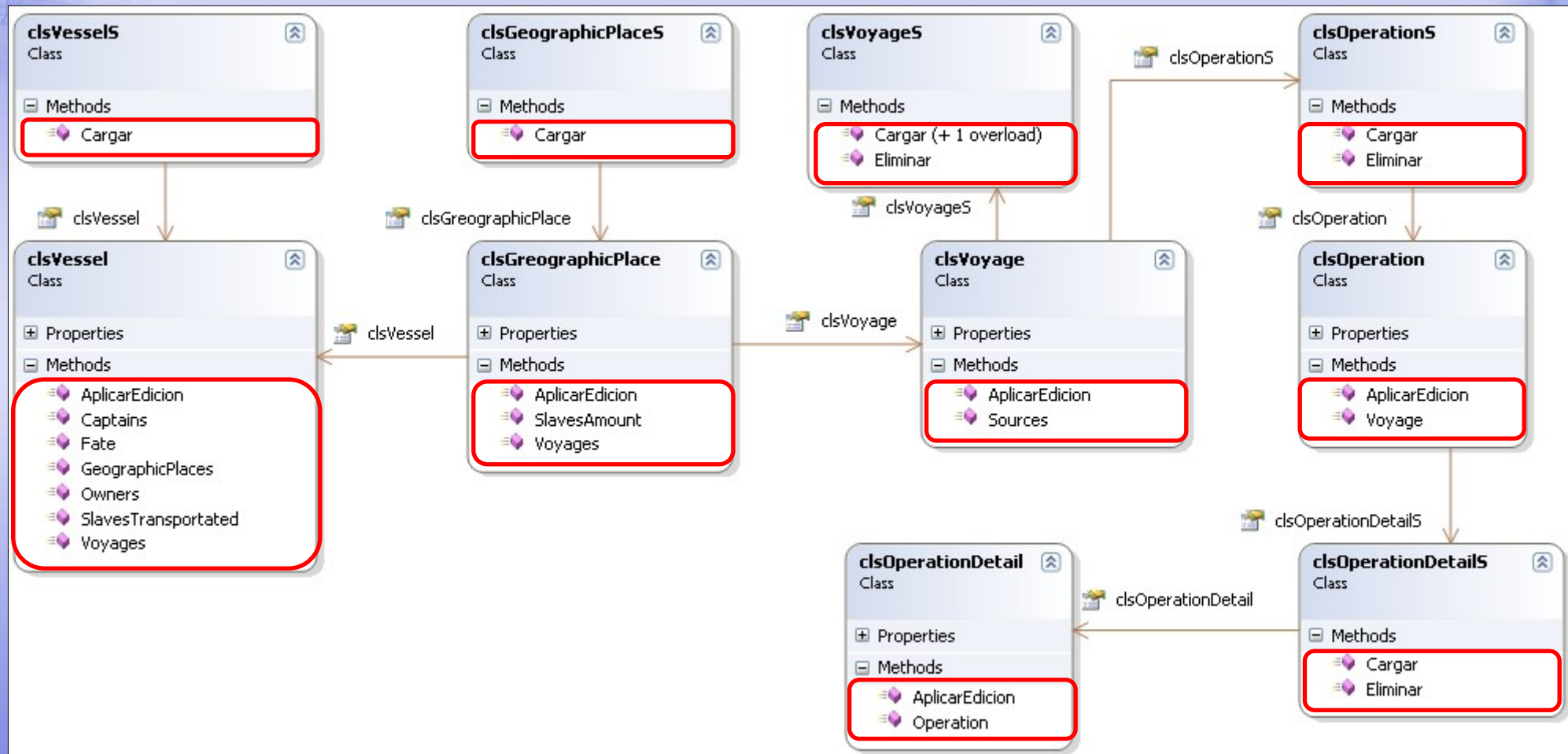
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Portugal	
Great Britain	
England	
Scotland	
Ireland	
France	
Netherlands	
Denmark	
Northern Germany	
Belgium	
Norway	
France	
Sweden	
Italy	

Broad Region	Observation
Europe	
Mainland North America	
Caribbean	
Spanish American Mainland	
Brazil	
Africa	
Other	





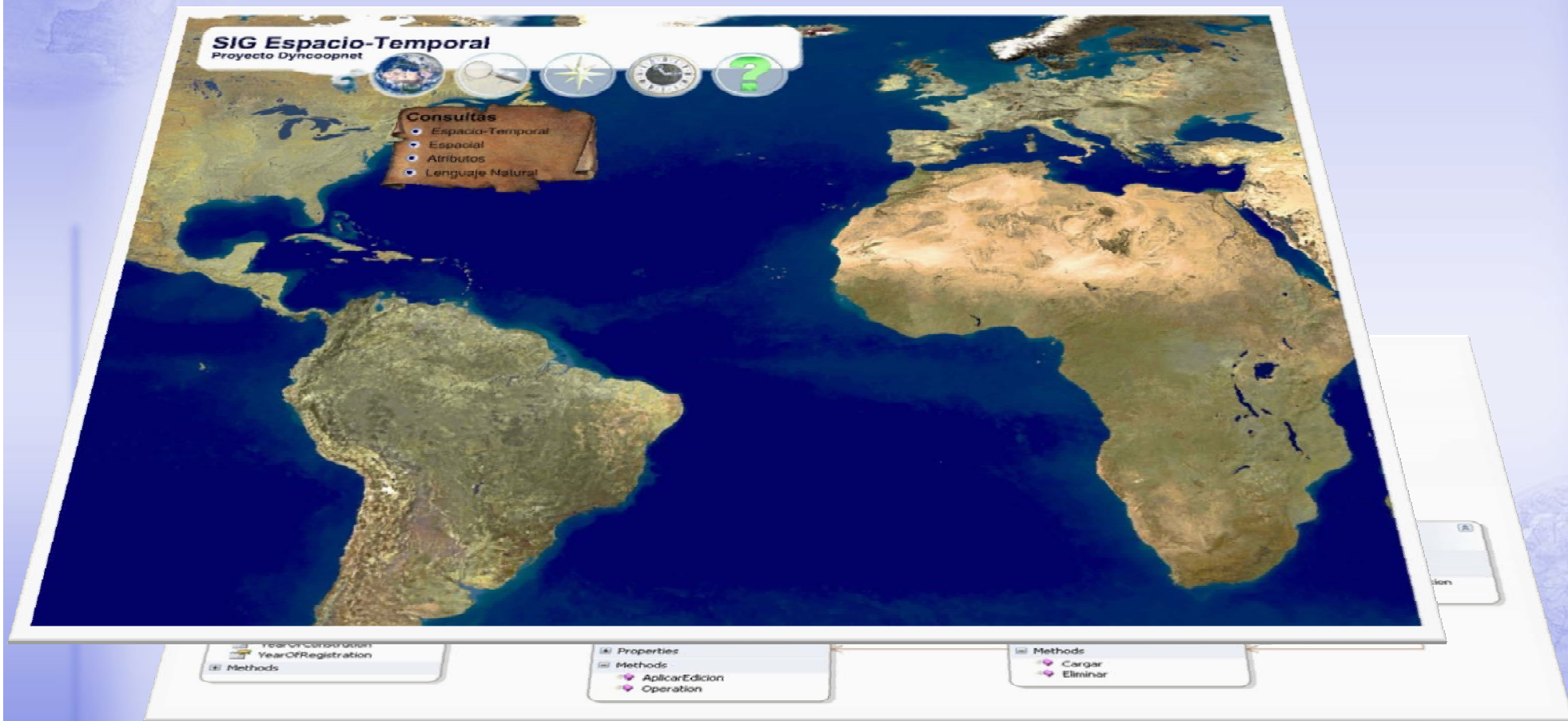
## Class diagram: Methods







## User interface





## Scheme of user interface based on a set of parameters variation.

OBJECT	LOCATION	TIME	STATE	QUANTITY	OPERATOR
<b>What?</b>	<b>Where?</b>	<b>When?</b>	<b>How?</b>	<b>How much?</b>	
Vessel	Here	Before	Good	A little	OR
Slave	Near	Today	Bad	Much	AND
Port	Far	Later	Regular	Quite	NOT
Route	Around	Always	Best	More	XOR
....	....	Never	Worse	Less	
		Still	....	All	
		Between		Nothing	





## Spatiotemporal queries

The screenshot displays a GIS application titled "SIG Espacio-Temporal Proyecto Dyncoopnet". The interface includes a toolbar with icons for globe, magnifying glass, compass, clock, and question mark. A map of the Mediterranean region is shown with a dashed line representing a ship's path. A popup window displays the following information:

Nombre del Navío:	Xxxxxxxxxxxxx
Capitán:	xxxxxxxxxxxx
Dueño:	xxxxxxxxxxxx
Dueño:	xxxxxxxxxxxx
Hundido por:	xxxxxxxxxxxx





## Dynamic visualization in GIS

The screenshot displays a GIS application interface for 'SIG Espacio-Temporal Proyecto Dyncoopnet'. The main map shows the Atlantic Ocean with two ships: one with a skull and crossbones and another with a red and white striped sail. The interface includes a control panel with a 'Control de Video' slider and a class diagram on the right.

**Control de Video**

Mes 01 Mes 02 Mes 03 Mes 04 Mes 05 Mes 06

**Class Diagram:**

- clsVoyageS** Class
  - Methods: Cargar (+ 1 overload), Eliminar
- clsVoyage** Class
  - Properties: ApicarEdicion, Sources
  - Methods: AplicarEdicion, Sources
- clsOperationS** Class
  - Methods: Cargar, Eliminar
- clsOperationDetails** Class
  - Methods: Cargar, Eliminar

Relationships: clsVoyageS is a base class for clsVoyage. clsVoyage is associated with clsOperationS. clsOperationS is associated with clsOperationDetails.





## Dynamic visualization in GIS





## Conclusion

- ✓ User-friendly spatio-temporal analysis tool.
- ✓ Database normalization.
- ✓ Use cases creation.
- ✓ User interface design.
- ✓ Classes modeling.
- ✓ Spatio-temporal queries.
- ✓ Dynamic visualization.







## Future works

- ✓ To implement the designed tool in GIS environment.
- ✓ To improve the dataset, database design and class diagram after implementation.
- ✓ To analyze in detail the data sources with the objective to find implicit relationships in the data.
- ✓ To design a new tool for spatiotemporal datamining.
- ✓ To obtain feedback from the end-users of the tool and other researchers.





**¡Thank you!**  
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tbVessel	
+tbVesselId	: int
+ShipName	: string
+fkNationalId	: int

	VesselId	ShipName	National	Tonna...	TonTy...	RigVessel	Guns	YearOfConstrution	GeoPlace	
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+fkRig	2	30593	Aimable Henriette	France	138	French	Brig	NULL	1822	Nantes
+Gun	3	30615	Marie	France	122	French	Brig	2	1824	Basse Indres
+Year	4	30696	Angéline	France	174	French	Brig	4	1824	Nantes
+fkGe	5	30700	Jeune Louis	France	219	French	Brig	2	1824	Nantes
+Year	6	30708	Gaspard	France	178	French	Brig	4	1824	Nantes
+fkNa	7	30713	Félicie	France	131	French	Schooner-brig	2	1824	Paimboeuf
+Obs										

tbGeographicPlace	
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+Name	2	10100	Spain	NULL	NULL	NULL	Region	Europe
+Latitude	3	10101	Alicante	NULL	NULL	NULL	Port	Spain
+Longitude	4	10102	Barcelona	NULL	NULL	NULL	Port	Spain
+Latitude	5	10103	Bilbao	NULL	NULL	NULL	Port	Spain
+Longitude	6	10104	Cadiz	NULL	NULL	NULL	Port	Spain
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+fkFather								
+Obs								

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tbVoyage						
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1	3	Paquete Real	Guia de despacho (added)	1816	1820	NULL
2	10	Comerciante	Guia de despacho (added)	1816	1820	22
3	12	Bonfim	Guia de despacho (added)	1816	1820	27
4	14	S Lourenço	Guia de despacho (added)	1816	1820	24
5	15	Paquete da Bahia	Guia de despacho (added)	1816	1820	NULL
6	16	Sociedade	Guia de despacho (added)	1816	1820	29
7	26	S Pedro do Sul	Port clearance (Provisão or Alvará)	1816	1820	35
8	36	S José Diligente Vulcano	Port clearance (Provisão or Alvará)	1816	1820	32
9	38	NS do Livramento Telémaco	Port clearance (Provisão or Alvará)	1816	1820	43

tbOperation									
-OperationId									
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7	11824	2	Mozambique	Purchasing	Departure	1	NULL	NULL	NULL